

CURRENT EVENTS.

Edmunds Law Prosecutions.

About half past ten on Saturday, July 19th, John Wm. Snell was arrested on a charge of unlawful cohabitation. He waived examination and gave bonds to await the action the grand jury.

On July 19th, John Morgan, of Mill Creek, was arrested on a charge of unlawful cohabitation. He was taken before Commissioner Norrell, where he pleaded not guilty. A preliminary examination was set for Tuesday, July 22d.

Lewis Lundgreen was arrested by Deputy U. S. Marshal Hoge at Brigham City, July 18th, charged with unlawful cohabitation. He was taken before Commissioner Johnson at Corinne, and gave bonds in the sum of \$1000 for his appearance before the grand jury.

On July 16th, while Brother W. H. Freeman was transacting some business in the Thirteenth Ward Co-op., he was arrested by Deputy Marshal Boman Cannon, on a charge of unlawful cohabitation. He was taken before Commissioner Greenman and gave \$1000 bail to appear for arraignment when required. The indictment was found April 23d, 1887.

Lars Christensen, of Newton, and F. A. Newberger, Hans J. Nielsen, and Wm. Neve have been arrested the past two days on charges of unlawful cohabitation. They were placed under bonds by Commissioner Goodwin, of \$1000 each, and are to appear before him during the present week, or a few days later. The alleged plural wives gave security to appear as witnesses.

Saturday, July 12, Deputy Whetstone arrested Gustave Thompson at Logan and his alleged plural wife, Julia Fursburg, at Benson Ward; William Nave at Millville and his alleged plural wife, Olive Harvey, at the Church Farm; and F. A. Newburger, Logan, and Elizabeth and Rose Frankhouser. The charge was unlawful cohabitation. Marshal McLellan arrested on the same charge Jens Christensen at Newton, and his alleged plural wife, Christina and Mary Jensen Christensen; John Andrews, of Logan, and Sarah E. Stewart at Clarkson; David Lewis and Mary Luxter, both of Logan; Hans J. Neilson, of Logan, and Julia Jensen Neilson, of Smithville. All of these were taken before United States Commissioner Goodwin, Logan, and held over to await the action of the grand jury.

Citizenship Denied.

On July 19th, in the Third District Court, John Potter applied for admission to citizenship, but was rejected because he was a member of the "Mormon" Church.

Asiatic Cholera in Kansas.

The following is a dispatch from Atchison, Kans., dated July 18.—There was a case of cholera in this

city yesterday. The victim was Mrs. W. R. Bishop, wife of a well-known citizen. She died within twenty-four hours. Two prominent physicians pronounced the case undoubtedly Asiatic cholera.

An Ohio Storm.

The following is a dispatch from Norwalk, O., dated July 17.—A violent wind and rainstorm struck Monroeville, this county, tonight, doing terrible damage. Lightning struck Otto Goldner's house, killing three sons—Freddie, Willie and Otto. Kate Smith, a neighbor in the house at the time, was badly burned.

Cyclone at Pacific Junction.

The following is a dispatch from Council Bluffs, Ia., dated July 19.—A "Nonpareil" special from the Pacific Junction says a cyclone struck that place early this morning, wrecking two business blocks, several residences and a passenger coach on the railroad track. A railroad man, who was sleeping in the coach, was the only person injured.

A Destructive Freshet.

A freshet at Coalville, caused by a cloudburst, July 20th, did several thousand dollars' worth of damage. It took out all the bridges on Chalk Creek and washed out the road, entered the people's houses, covered the gardens and fields with coal slack and mud, and submerged the railroad track between Coalville and Echo, damaging bridges and stopping traffic. The railroad is now repaired, so tonight's train will run.

Died on the Way.

A telegram received on July 16th brought news of the death yesterday, at Colorado Junction, of Mrs. Kenley, one of the company of immigrants which reached this city this afternoon. Sister Kenley has been an invalid, and the voyage across the sea had a severe effect upon her. She thought, however, that she was able to stand the journey, but the heat was too much, and overcame her. Her daughter and an acquaintance traveling with the company stayed in Wyoming to attend to the burial ceremonies.

Cyclone in Pennsylvania.

The following is a dispatch from South Bethlehem, Pa., dated July 17.—A cyclone swept over Hallertown this evening. Hotels and residences were unroofed and church steeples blown down. The Hallertown Agricultural Works were totally demolished. Seven workmen sustained severe bruises. John Freeman, aged eleven, was instantly killed. Two passenger trains on the Lehigh Valley encountered the storm and both narrowly escaped being wrecked. The trains had to feel their way along, frequently stopping to allow the telegraph poles and trees to be removed from the track.

Storms in Pennsylvania.

The following is a dispatch from Philadelphia, dated July 17.—A se-

vere wind storm, accompanied by heavy rain, thunder and lightning, passed over this city this evening. The wind blew a hurricane and considerable damage was done to property.

At Landsdale, Penn., a terrible thunder and hail storm flooded the streets to an impassable condition. John Clemmer's barn was struck by lightning and entirely consumed. Several other fires could be seen in various directions. At Morrisville two men were killed by lightning. Dispatches from Morristown and Lockhaven report a heavy storm with damage to property.

School Trustees.

A meeting of school trustees was held in the Thirteenth District school room on Saturday, July 19th, to consider the question of the local school tax. An opinion was generally expressed that the amount of taxes proposed to be collected was altogether too high and steps should be taken toward their reduction. Mr. Paul moved that committees be appointed, consisting of one representative from each of the old districts, to meet at the Seventh Ward schoolhouse on Wednesday, July 23d, there to take such united action in regard to taxes and property as should be deemed best. The motion was unanimously adopted and the chairman of the board in each district was selected as representatives. The question of the old board of trustees turning over the money and property in their possession to the new trustees was discussed, and a motion was unanimously carried that no property should be turned over to the new board until required to do so by action of the courts.

Board of Education.

On Saturday, July 19th, the first meeting of the newly-elected School Board was held in the Council Chamber, under the presidency of Mayor Scott. The election of a clerk and superintendent was deferred until the next session. After some discussion it was resolved that a committee of five be appointed to present at the next meeting a draft of rules to govern the election of officers, the rules of procedure and the methods under which the board will act in future. The committee was chosen as follows: Hiram Johnson of the First Precinct; William Nelson, Second Precinct; W. J. Newman, Third Precinct; P. L. Williams, Fourth Precinct, and L. U. Colbath, of the Fifth Precinct.

Trustee Nelson wanted to know who the candidates were, and moved that the names of all be presented. The motion was carried.

The following were named for clerk: J. B. Morton, Joseph Lippman, John N. Pike, and J. S. Martin.

For superintendent of city schools there were nominated: Prof. Collins, Fourteenth Ward; J. F. Millsbaugh, and G. P. Beard, of Vermont.

The Board adjourned to meet again Wednesday, July 23d.