THE EVENING NEWS.

Tuesday. · · · August 3, 1869.

LOCAL AND OTHER MATTERS.

IMPORTANT TO POSTMASTERS.—Col. J. H. Wickizer, Post Office Inspector for Utah, Montana, Idaho and Wyoming Territories, arrived in Salt Lake City on Sunday evening. The Postmasters throughout the Territory will do well to note this, as Col. Wickizer is prepared to furnish any information with regard to the postal service, or to remedy any defects that may exist, as far as practicable, and, in fact, to remove any evils or cause of complaint that may fall within the province of his office.

The Colonel is a man of large experience in postal affairs, and for the last three years has held the very responsible position of Special Mail Agent at Chicago. He is spoken of as a very courteous and able gentleman. His headquarters is in Salt Lake City, and all letters addressed to him at the Salt Lake City Post Office, will find him.

DROWNED.—On the 20th of July, at Draper, by falling into a pool of water, William Coaster, son of Joseph J. C. and Elizabeth Reid, aged 1 year, 5 months and 23 days.

Postmaster Street would like to see Mr. Mark Huston, who is now in this city, at his office.

SERIOUS ACCIDENT.—Brother John M. Lewis, of Richmond, Cache County, informs us that his son Charles Benjamin, while out herding on Thursday last, about six miles from Coalville, up Chalk Creek Kanyon, met with a painful and rather serious accident. He had been shooting at some pine hens, and inadvertently put his pistol in the scabbard, still cocked. He was about mounting his horse, when he observed this, and, taking the pistol out, was letting down the hammer, when it slipped, the ball entering his abdomen, a little below the navel, on the left side, and traversing down his left thigh, lodging near the knee, where it still remains. Doctor Bogman, from Echo, was called to his assistance and dressed his wounds, but was unable to extract the ball. He was brought to this city on Saturday last, and is now under the care of Drs. Anderson and Richards and is doing as well as can be expected, though he is likely to be some time before he gets round.

BROOM MANUFACTURE.—Bro. G. M. Webster, who has the reputation of making very excellent brooms, called upon us yesterday and informed us that he and Bishop A. Gardner, of West Jordan, intend to go into the manufacture of these articles this fall, having planted about twenty-four acres of broom corn last spring. They are determined to do their best to supply the home market with these useful articles, equal in quality and at as cheap rates as they can be imported, and we have no doubt that their long experience and business tact will enable them to do so.

SUDDEN DEATH OF AN INFANT.—It is with feelings of deep regret that we record the death of John, the infant son of Thomas M. and Lizzie Murphy, of Morgan City, which occurred on the 25th ult. under the following very singular circumstances: Whilst eating a piece of potato he was seized with a fit of coughing, when a small piece of the potato was lodged in his windpipe, causing his instant death by suffocation. All efforts to aid the child were unavailing. He was the first child of his parents, and was only ten months and four days old.

Such an occurrence as this is very rare, yet it is a wonder it is so, for there is always danger in allowing infants of such a tender age to attempt to eat solid food; the result of doing so, as exemplified in this case, should act as a severe warning to all parents who have read this notice against doing so in future.

DANGEROUS.—We noticed, between 12 and 1 to-day, the time of mid-day recess at the Deseret University, several of the younger pupils on the top of the building, climbing on and walking around the turret or tower; this may be very nice amusement for the youngsters, but it is not untended with danger, and it would be better that it should be stopped, before any accidents happen than after. Here is an illustration of the old saying, that "an ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure."

ANOTHER MAIL ROBBERY.—The Elko, Nevada, *Independent*, of Saturday, the 31st ult., says:

"Thursday morning, between three and four o'clock, when Wells, Fargo & Co.'s stages were about one mile this side of Pancake Station, three men stepped out of the cedars and, presenting shot-guns, ordered a halt. The driver yielded to the pressure of circumstances and stopped. "Hand out that heavy box!" said the leader, in no gentle voice. The driver told the "agent" that if he thought there was a heavy box aboard, he'd better come up and find it. The fellow simply ordered the box passed out, which was done, and making it between two of them the whole party moved into the bushes. The passengers were not disturbed in any way, though they sat very uneasy while the "agent" was around, expecting to be called upon for their valuables. We are informed that but little was in the box, hardly enough to give the robbers a decent spree. Should any of these gangs be caught, we recommend a little judicious hanging."

SPRING LAKE VILLA.—A correspondent writing from the above settlement on the 30th ult says the grasshoppers are now upon us in countless myriads, rendering the atmosphere hazy and making vegetation brown. This settlement is but a small one consisting of only three families, yet we have good Sabbath meetings and a well attended Sunday school.

THE HOWSONS AT CHEYENNE.—The Cheyenne *Leader* of the 28th ult., says.

"The Howsons had another excellent house last evening and gave very general satisfaction. They have made many friends here during their short stay, and there is universal regret that their stay here is so short. We believe they could have full houses for more than a week. They "draw" better than any troupe of a similar kind that we have ever had here, and deserve every success, for they are agreeable and social ladies and gentlemen."

LIST OF LETTERS

Remaining in the Office at Salt Lake City, Utah Territory, on the 3rd day of Aug., 1869; which if not called for within one month, will be sent to the Dead Letter Office.

GENTLEMEN'S LIST.

Adams W · Jones J
Adamson D · Jon's & Jeremy
Alrek A · Jones W
Andreasen O C 2 · Jones W
Arnold J · Jorgenson
Armstrong F · K
Atchison W S · Kane J A
Asterelo W · Kearney F
B · Kilbourn O
Babcock G M 2 · Kimball F
Babin J · Keesling C F B
Baldwin J · L
Ball J P · Langfield 8
Barr W · Larsen J
Barton & Cook · Larsen P
Barnett H W · Larsen J
Beckman H · Lewis W S
Beekman E · Lovendahl O 2
Bingesmiha L · Lunesberg F O
Bonvaika J M 2 · Lunn H
Borgstrome & Nilson · Luckett L
Brighton W S · Madigen W
Braugh S · Menguet H T
Bruce G C · Marley Mr
E. Mattes J · Mathews J
Se neil K A · Mayoh 5
Barstrom A · M'Ilee W
Call C · Morris Bro 2
Callaghan C · Muller J
Carter T · Munger O
Carlisle T T · Newell A
Chaver J · Nisonger H
Christenes N L · O
Ciprion G N 2 · Olsen Mr
Clark G E · Olsen A
Cox W H 3 · Owen W J
Crandal M P · Palmer J T
Creamvell J · Palmer W
Cripi J · Packer J
Crook J E · Pauter W
Cundick F · Par att G
Cypher H 8 · Peterson C
Dangaard A F · Putman
Day H · Peck G W
Davis P & Co · Pendleton P K
Delghton E · Plant J
Deleran W · Prat F
Dodson D W · Preece J
Doane u W · Proctor Bb
Drumler C · R
Dulder J · Read J Y
Dutton J · Reinauer M 2
E · Richta T R
Engberg A · Rice L G
Enebrg & Powell · Richardson G M
Fife J · Ringwood C
Farr A F · Robinson E
Fisher C H · Rodgers 8
Feakiger J W · Rogers W W
Fantose J · Rowe W P
Fenner H · Rowley G
Poison L B · Rundguist C F
Foreman J · S
Franklin T J · Seely M J
Gale R · Simonis G
Gibson A · Sexions K
Giles G H · Samuels K
Gadell W E · Smith A
Gormod E · Smith W R
Gustafsen C G · Short J
Hally W · Silver J
Hamilen G · Skiline V M
Hammond R S · Snow R
Hanerough 8 · Steiner J
Hancock J · Stewart J
Harmon C · Stoddard & Hess
Handle N · Stewart 3 H O
Handie K · Sutterby G K
Harman L N · Stewart 3 North
Harrison N · Scott W & Co
Harrington E C · Tall G
Hart G · Tarbet A
Heath T · Thomas R K 2
Hemmersbock J · Thomas M
Henderson C N · Towl E D
Herren C · Tuie J
Higley G W · Tyler Mr
Hickenlooper W · Von Loons
Hilton G · W
Hindman W · Walker J J
Holman 8 · Walker E
Howard O T 2 · Weaver J E
Hollinger H C · Welch H
Holmsted O · Webb E
Houston C · Welton E
Horton L E · Wilson W
Howes T A · Williams R H
Hunter J · Wia'y A A
Hutchinson J · Wik team C
Iversen 8 · Wilkison A
 · White J
 · Wheelock & Seely
Jacobi W 2 · Whitehead C Z
Jeffery J A · Wiser W M
Johnson & Larson · Wood D
Johnson J ·

LADIES' LIST.

Adomas l · Larsen J
Alloh J · Lewis M
Allek K · Lie A
Aimy W H · Lund E
Beck E · Musson 8
Briton E R · Owen E
Buell P · P
Barnham M A · Peacock M
Barton S A · Pedersen M
Cable A · Pickering E
Clothier G · R
Coni L · Rasmussen M
Cunningham S · Reid J
 · Riter L
Davis Mrs · Roseberry K
Dav s J · Scofield A
Dunavan J · Scoti S A
 · Smith M J
Earnshaw H · Smith A D
Edwards Mrs · Shenel N
Ellis F · Spooner H
Fairfield M · Stewart M R
Fowler K · Stewart l
Franks J · Stringham T
Green M A · T
Hulburg M · Thayne E
Jenson M · Wesly J
Johnson S · Wilson V
Kemp S A · Woodard A

Persons inquiring for the above letters are requested to state when advertised.

A. W. STREET,
Postmaster

NOTICE.

REMOVAL

OF THE

CITY LUMBER YARD

First Corner
North of Social Hall.

SEASONED INCH LUMBER,
SCANTLING,
JOISTS, &c.,
Can be had

CHEAP FOR CASH

JOS. A. YOUNG.