

FLOATING FRAGMENTS.

There is a great demand for houses to rent.

Once more the sun shines in unimpeded splendor.

The De Moss family give a concert in the Eleventh Ward meeting house to-night.

A New York man drank a glass of water in the dark and swallowed a wasp. Such accidents cannot happen often, however. Few New Yorkers drink water after dark.

A party who obstructed his presence into a wagon last night, evidently for the purpose of plundering, had a narrow escape from getting away without his head. As it was he got off minus his cap.

An old lady says that a human tooth hung on a string and worn about the neck, would prevent colds. Is this true?—Ellen. Yes. If you are subject to the toothache, pull the tooth out and wear it on a string. It will never trouble you again.

It is reported on high authority that the Oregon Short Line and the Oregon Railroad and Navigation Company have about completed a settlement of their differences, and they will connect at an originally announced, at Baker City.

A meeting of the officers and members of the Marine Improvement Association is to be held at the Council House to-night. Superintendent Woodruff and Assistant P. F. Smith and Moses Thatcher are expected to be present.

A posse of citizens of Irwin, in Gunnison County, Colorado, are making it very interesting for a gang of horse thieves. These men have already killed, and one nearly frozen to death, and the pursuit is still in progress. The way of the horse-thief is a hard one in Gunnison.

The Minneapolis Tribune says that goats are the best land cleaners known. It mentions that a herd of 1,000 entirely cleared a piece of brush land, consisting of 500 acres in three years. So complete was the work that not a vestige of undergrowth was left. It is rather cruel, however, to keep goats to long without occasionally throwing them an old hoop-skirt by way of dessert.

The loss of Conductor Peck in the snow has been among his many friends a source of regret and anxiety, which would have been greatly alleviated if only his remains could have been found, but even this seems to be improbable. There is now a large party out searching for him, or for traces of him, and at the latest telegraphic reports received by us, their efforts have been unsuccessful.—Laramie Missing Link.

Green River Gazette: "One day last week, while George Lynch, our tailor, was on his periodical spree he attempted to cross the railroad track in front of a moving engine, and came very near losing his life. The pilot caught him by the heels, threw him down and dragged him several feet. After being released from his perilous position, he found himself more sober than he had been for a month."

Mr. Marrowfat was reading at the breakfast table an account of a very sad affair. It related to the case of a fashionable lady who, disregarding the love of a devoted husband and the welfare of her three beautiful children, had allowed herself to be seduced by a man of dissolute habits. When this lady had finished the account little Misses suspended the attack upon the hash and asked quite solemnly: "Papa, what church has lost its pastor?"

Several cases of distressing if not dangerous poisoning by the use of compounds for lessening the labor of washing clothes have occurred recently among New Jersey laundry workers. The National Laundry Journal says that the State Board of Health are about to make examinations of the amplexous preparations, intending to prosecute manufacturers where dangerous poisonous properties are discovered.

LOCAL AND OTHER MATTERS.

Canvassing Board.—The board appointed by the Commission, to canvass the returns of the late election were to have their first meeting to-day.

Home Made Ahead.—To-day we were shown samples of flannel underwear, the material for which was produced at the Free factory, and made up at the Z. C. M. I. manufacturing establishment. In the same building as the shoe factory. The goods are unexcelled by any brought into this market from a distance, and sold at lower rates than the same class of articles elsewhere.

Finance Committee.—The following finance committee of the Deseret Hospital, are requested to meet with the executive board at the Fifteenth Ward Society Hall on Monday, November 20th, at 2 p. m.: Priscilla M. Staines, Priscilla, Jennings, Annie G. Sharp, Sarah Jane Cannon, Hannah T. King, Elizabeth Groves, Ellen Dianowley, Elizabeth H. Goddard, Sophia W. Taylor, S. M. Kimball, Chairman Finance Committee.

Increasing Demand.—Never at any time in the history of this city has there been a greater demand for tenement houses. This fact becomes more strikingly apparent the moment a person happens to have a house to rent. It is surprising how quickly it becomes known, bringing a stream of anxious inquirers.

Would it not pay for some of our enterprising capitalists to invest in the erection of some commodious tenement houses? They would certainly be a great convenience to a considerable proportion of the community.

Salt Lake Theatre.—Milton Nobles will appear at the Salt Lake Theatre on the evening of the 20th inst. The Sacramento Record-Union says:

"Interviews" was presented by the Milton Nobles troupe last evening. It is a keen satire on the American political methods, and an exaggerated sketch of Bohemian life, but nevertheless full of truth about it. It has charming dialogue, with only the apology of a plot. It is from the pen of Mr. Nobles, and proves him to be a keen observer, a man of native talent, and possessed of some rare qualities of wit and a most merry sense of humor. His scenes in the editorial rooms of a sensationist newspaper, with a very good vein of truth in them. The troupe is a good one and well balanced, and every member is competent.

A DISTINGUISHED VISITOR.

A FRENCH COMMISSIONER OF AGRICULTURE MARKED MUCH INTEREST IN UTAH.

A few days ago Utah was visited by a distinguished Frenchman, Mr. Henry Grosjean, French Commissioner of Agriculture to the United States. He has been in the country about eighteen months, and has in attaining the object of his mission been in the Southern States, Texas, Colorado, and the District of Columbia. He came here, under instructions from his government to investigate the Utah system of irrigation. He spent a day with Mayor Jennings, who took pleasure in conducting him around to view the various canals in this locality. By letters from the Mayor and A. M. Musser, Esq., he was introduced to Brother Anson Call, of Bountiful, with whom he was a guest for eight days, and only left last Saturday, with the expectation of returning.

Brother Call spent four or five evenings with Mr. Grosjean, answering innumerable questions asked by that gentleman. Not only the system of distribution of water was explained to him, but the Church laws and Court's governing difficulties among the Latter-day Saints arising from that source were made clear, and appeared to interest him very much. The fact that these matters without remuneration seemed to be a source of special astonishment to him, while an explanation given at the request of the nature and offices of the Aaronic and Melchizedek Priesthoods caused him to remark that the system of Church organization and discipline was, as a whole, the most complete of any ever brought to his notice. The system of regulations and laws municipal, county and otherwise, for the government of those who refused or were unwilling to have difficulties adjusted by the arbitration courts of the Church were made a topic of conversation. Mr. Grosjean making copious notes of the information conveyed by Brother Call.

The question of the common school system was not merely confined to agricultural subjects, but also embraced the horticulture and mineralogy of Utah.

While at Brother Call's, Mr. Grosjean spent nearly an entire day in the adjoining mountains, returning in the evening from his trip loaded with specimens of plants and minerals. He is an expert draftsman and, upon an ordinary postal card, made a neat sketch of Brother Call's residence and surroundings, and wrote underneath it, "To Anson Call, Esq., from his affectionate friend, H. Grosjean, Nov. 11th, 1882." The commissioner is a young man, a gentleman of culture and education. It is more than likely, judging from the degree of interest he manifested in matters here, that when he makes his official report to his government, Utah will receive a commendable share of attention.

Uncommon Reception.—A young man from the northwestern part of the Territory, slept in his wagon last night, in the Eleventh Ward. About three o'clock in the morning he was awakened by hearing someone upon the kinglest, and presently the intruder projected the upper part of his person through the cover to the inside of the wagon. Quick as thought the young man lifted his gun and presented it. Click went the hammer, but luckily it had no cap, although otherwise loaded. He next aimed at the party with an axe, but missing the intended head, struck the seat, when the owner of the cranium disappeared and fled, leaving his cap in the wagon. It is the head-gear of a private soldier, on the inside of which is a paper on which are the initials F. G. L.

The owner of that cap applied at the wrong place that time, the young man in the wagon being in a harder, his occupation causing him to assume a strongly defensive attitude as quick as thought. It is fortunate that the gun was not loaded, otherwise there would probably have been a human life less.

The owner of the cap can get it by calling at the printer's place.

Death of F. M. Pomeroy.—From Brother Charles L. Robson, of Mesa City, Maricopa County, Arizona, we learn of the death, at that place, on October 29th, at 8.30 p. m., of an old member of the Church, Francis Martin Pomeroy, who formerly resided in Bear Lake Valley. The complaint that carried him off was heart disease. Deceased was the son of Martin Pomeroy and L. Hunt, and was born February 22nd, 1822, at Somers, Conn. He joined the Church in 1844, and moved to Nauvoo with his wife, where they lived till the exodus of the Saints. He came out with the first and came to Utah—one of the Pioneers. He went to California in 1849 in company with Apostle C. C. Rich, and returned in 1850. One week before he died he bore a faithful testimony to this being the work of God, and defined his position as having no other object in view but to serve God and keep his commandments.

An Eye Removed.—Several months since, some readers may remember, Mrs. Gibson, of West Weber, while returning from Ogden to her home, was thrown from a wagon and the fall to the ground resulted in serious injuries to herself. Among other injuries her skull was fractured above the eyes. Her right eye was much hurt, the sight was impaired, and she has had to endure much physical suffering in consequence.

On Tuesday Dr. Culbertson was called on to examine the eye, and he found it necessary to remove the optic which he did in a very skillful manner, and Mrs. Gibson, although she sustains a very severe loss in the removal of that light-giving organ, is relieved of much pain and is comparatively comfortable. — Ogden Herald.

The coal dealers are sorely able to keep up with the tremendous demand.

Y. M. M. I. A.—There will be a meeting of the officers and members of the above associations, in the Council House, this evening at 7 o'clock. A full attendance is requested.

Joe. H. Felix, Supt.

A Quarrelsome Quartette.—Last night the inmates of a rattle-trap tenement house in the rear of the old Salt Lake House, made night hideous with howls, imprecations and fighting. Garrison and wife and Humphreys and wife were the offending individuals. They were arrested by the police and this morning each member of the quartette was fined ten dollars. Some of the parties, all of whom are old offenders, bore marks of the melee.

Destructive Storm.—We learn by special to the News that to-night's Ogden Herald has an account of the severest wind storm for years, at that town last night and this morning. Two houses were demolished by the hurricane, and barns and outhouses upset, fences torn down, churches and other buildings unroofed. Fortunately there was no damage to life or limb.

Too Much Benzine.—Last night a man called at a saloon on the State Road kept by Mr. McCartney and took in a quantity of intoxicants. In coming out he picked up a can containing coal oil, which he placed in his wagon and brought to this city. The proprietor objected to this proceeding and took steps to have him arrested on reaching town. This morning he was fined \$5 for being intoxicated and the same amount for stealing the coal oil.

About to Start.—Mr. Milo Vincent, who has been about seven years in the employ of Z. C. M. I., the latter portion of the time as leading salesman in the shoe department, is about to begin business on his own account, in company with Mr. Oliver Oster. Both are young men, and start out with hopefulness, and we do not doubt they will, by industry and correct business habits, succeed. They will open a retail boot and shoe store in Ogden on the 1st of December.

A Commendable Course.—A number of the young exhibitors at the late Primary fair at Provo contributed a considerable quantity of bottled fruit to the Deseret Hospital. The delicacy was prepared and put up by the hands of the youthful donors.

Several of the primary associations have made quilts and presented them to the same worthy institution.

These examples are worthy of the imitation of others of the same character. The hospital is in excellent working condition and proving a blessing in the community.

From Scotland.—To-day we had the pleasure of meeting with Elder A. N. McFarland, who has returned from a nineteen months' mission to Scotland, having left for that part of the world on the 17th of April, 1881. He labored in that country with great success, first as traveling Elder and subsequently, since last year, as President of the Glasgow Conference, which embraces the whole of Scotland. A Conference which was attended by President Carrington, was held last July, in Glasgow, since which time forty-eight new members had been added to the Church up to the time Elder McFarland left for home.

SPECIAL BUSINESS NOTICES.

A full supply of DAIRY BUTTER, put up with ENGLISH SALT, at Grocery Department, Z. C. M. I.

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A TRIFLING BOOK.

Handbook of Utah lately published by T. J. Griffith in the Swedish language, gives full information on the legal points of the laws pertaining to naturalization, marriage, real estate, civil cases, etc., etc. It also includes a description of Salt Lake City from its first settlement to the present time, and a part of the book is devoted to reading matter of a very interesting nature. If you wish to send them a copy for a present, its cost only the small sum of 25 cents, and can be obtained from the book store in this city, and also from the publisher who will send it to any address on receipt of cost.

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DR. W. H. NUSSELL. Has returned to this city and resides on South Temple Street between West and First West Streets, dim.

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Read "The Ancient Poets" by the musical editor of the Brown Medicine Company, in this issue.

Brown's Shaker. CAREFUL (hoarsely) "Ye Gods, my throat is sore!"

BROWN'S (smiling) "Brown's Tar Troches try, and where no more!"

John! I see her!"

BROWN'S MOORE. "I was over there, since childhood."

I've seen each stomach-ache decay, And when I felt dyspepsia's power, Brown's Peppin Tonic drove it away."

Let! Let! Rock.

BROWN'S ROSE BUNN. Now, what this old truth shall read,

Like moon and mother on tax road, When said Nick was "I've cough or cold,"

Brown's Cough Balm cured. My tale is taut."

Tan o' Shakin.

Brown's Shaker. O'NEILL (suspecting) "Methinks I sent a mouse!"

Or let a humor in my blood?"

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