

Miscellaneous Eastern News Items.

A defalcation in the Sagadahock Bank, of Bath, Me., is reported. Their bills were thrown out by the Portland Bank on the 6th of Dec.

On the 8th, the Indian Bureau received information that Gen. Hunter, by its direction, was holding a council at Leavenworth with influential representatives of the Southern Indian tribes, including those from the Creeks, Cherokees, and Choctaws, in relation to the disturbances occasioned by the present rebellion. The instructions sent thither by the Commissioner of Indian Affairs, contemplate their return to their own people with strong assurances of the friendship of the United States government.

George A. Crawford, Union Democrat, has been elected governor of Kansas. He was formerly clerk in the general postoffice.

A delegation of eight Cherokees, Creeks and Seminoles arrived at Washington on the 9th to examine and report to their people the true condition of political affairs. They had an interesting conversation with the Secretary of the Interior and Commissioner of Indian Affairs, and expressed their surprise at finding things so entirely different from the representations made to them by the Confederate leaders.

On the 9th, Col. Kerrigan, who for some time had been confined in the city prison, was arraigned before the court martial, when the specifications and charges were read to him, to which he pleaded not guilty, excepting to the charge of sleeping outside his camp without the permission of his superior officer. The court adjourned in order to afford him an opportunity to obtain counsel.

At St. Louis on the 9th, General Halleck issued orders stating that the mayor of the city would require all municipal officers immediately to subscribe to the oath of allegiance proscribed by the State convention in October last; and directed the provost marshal to arrest all State officers who had failed to subscribe to such oath within the time fixed by the convention, who attempted to exercise civil authority in violation of the ordinance.

At Philadelphia on the 8th, Messrs. Rowley & Ashburner's coal oil manufactory was destroyed by fire.

It is reported that Henry A. Reeves, late of Fort Lafayette, having been released, had returned to his editorial sanctum on Long Island, and satisfies his inclinations by furious onslaughts on the northern abolitionists.

Samuel P. Skinner, of New Bedford, has been committed to Taunton jail for five years, for fitting out the ship Margaret Scott as a slaver.

Fourteenth Ward Meeting House.

The new meeting house in the Fourteenth Ward, recently completed, was dedicated on Tuesday the 24th ult. Presidents Young and Wells, several of the Quorum of the Twelve, Bishop Hunter, and others not residents of the ward, were present. Elder Wilford Woodruff offered the dedication prayer, and Presidents Young and Wells each preached a discourse on the occasion.

The house is a splendid building, fifty-two by thirty-one feet inside and eighteen feet in height between the floor and the ceiling, with a basement ten feet high. The foundation was laid and the basement story built in 1857; the work was then discontinued till last year when the walls were erected and the roof completed. This year the building has been finished in fine style, and the two wings built several years since, have been repaired and materially improved. The cost of the new building, from the laying of the foundation to the completion thereof, as reported by the trustees, has been seven thousand five hundred dollars—some considerable more than it would have cost if the work could have been carried on without interruption by the coming of Buchanan's army.

We congratulate the citizens of the Fourteenth ward on the privileges they now enjoy in being favored with such a commodious and elegant building, in which to meet and worship, and in which the youth and the aged can meet for the improvement of the mind as well as to go forth in the dance; and while winter and these long evenings linger we hope that it will not be considered inappropriate, by way of change and relieving the monotony of the usual festivities, to have a

few lectures delivered on interesting subjects by competent persons, with occasionally a musical entertainment, which, in our opinion, would be of more lasting benefit, especially to the rising generation than too much hilarity.

While we recognize, in this republican country, the right of the sovereign people to determine in what way they shall recreate and enjoy themselves, we would respectfully suggest a variety of entertainment and instruction as that best adapted to insure the happiness and improvement of the masses. Citizens of the Fourteenth Ward what think ye?

Accident to and Detention of an Emigrant.

Mr. Joseph Silver from England by last season's emigration, now residing at Cold Springs Mail Station, Nebraska Territory has written to President Brigham Young a statement of the causes which led to his detention on the plains, a brief synopsis of which we publish for the benefit of Mr. Silver's friends both in this Territory and in England.

While traveling in Capt. Andrus' company between Chimney Rock and Scott's Bluffs, an accident occurred which rendered his further progress on his journey imprudent if not impossible. Mrs. Silver had the misfortune to be run over by a wagon and was so injured that her life was for some time despaired of. Believing however, that while there was life there was hope, Mr. Silver by the assistance of kind friends, had her wounds dressed and she was otherwise made as comfortable as the circumstances with which they were surrounded would permit. Mr. Silver entertains the hope that he will be able to continue his journey to this place in the Spring, and the pleasure of a happy meeting with his old friends and acquaintances.

New Advertisements.

STRAYED.
FROM between Joe Dugout's and Jordan, about the 21st of Sept., a small sorrel MULE, with a long rope round its neck. Any one that can give information or will deliver the same at Chislett & Clark's Store, shall be rewarded accordingly.
27-1 CHRISTOPHER STOKES.

FOR SALE.
A NEW MILCH COW. — Apply to Samuel Rea, News Office. 27-1

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.
ALL persons indebted to the Estate of Francis Pullen, deceased, are requested to settle the same immediately, and those having claims against said estate to present them to the subscriber at an early day for settlement. 27-3 THEODORE MCKEAN, Administrator.

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Tooele city, Dec. 21, 1861.—27-1

NOTICE.
THE Third Quorum of Seventies will resume their Meetings on the first and third Sundays of every month, at the President's office, at six p.m., commencing on the 5th inst. E. ELLSWORTH, President.
W. S. GODDE, Clerk.—27-1

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JANUARY 1st, 1862.
TO OUR FRIENDS that we have accommodated with GOODS ON A CREDIT, we would respectfully ask them to

CALL AND SETTLE
their Accounts without further delay.
27-4 KIMBALL & LAWRENCE.

NOTICE.
AS my wife, Mary Humes, has left my bed and board without any just cause, I forbid all persons harboring or trusting her on my account, as I shall pay no debts of her contracting after this date.
Dec. 25th, 1861. 27-14 M. HUMES.

\$10 REWARD!
STRAYED, from LEONARD I. SMITH'S Corral, 13th Ward, about a year ago, a Dark-bay, heavy-set HORSE, 15 hands high, about 8 years old, with white spot on forehead, white saddle-marks, one small, white ring on hind foot, supposed to be caused by lariat.

Banded U.S. on left shoulder. The above-named reward will be given for his delivery at my place, or for any information that will lead to his recovery.
JAMES W. STEVENS,
27-31 13th Ward, opposite Seventies' Hall.

"THAT STANDARD SHEET."

1862.

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