

Local and Other Matters.

FROM TUESDAY'S DAILY, APRIL 27.

A Letter.—There is a letter at this office, from Glasgow, Scotland, for Miss Jane Brown.

Horse Stealing.—Last night the stable of Dr. Williamson, of the 8th Ward, was entered by horse thieves, who stole therefrom a valuable stud horse.

Dr. Williamson paid a thousand dollars in gold for the animal, in California.

Threatened to Shoot.—W. Sanford was arrested on a charge of threatening to shoot one Maxfield. The evidence before Justice Pyper was that the threats were more for display than dangerous, a fact that Maxfield was aware of, because in the heat of the affair he turned his back on the threatener. Sanford was fined \$15.

Cricket and Base Ball.—We understand that the Salt Lake Cricket Club were the victors in the matched game played between it and the Sandy club yesterday.

In the base ball game between the Alert B. B. Club, of this City, and the Sandy club, played yesterday at Sandy, the Salt Lakers were also victorious.

Almost a Marriage.—Last evening a young couple made up their minds to join in the bonds of wedlock and proceeded to the residence of Judge Smith, but when they reached the gate the heart of the young man failed, and as the fair damsel wanted to return home it was thought best to drop the subject for the present and future.

School Matters.—Last evening, at a meeting of the residents of the Fifth School District (7th Ward) George C. Lambert, John B. Kelly and William McLaughlin were elected a board of trustees for the ensuing two years.

After the election business was disposed of, the property holders took into consideration the propriety of roofing the new meeting house, when it was resolved that an effort should be made to do it this season, and as an earnest of good will toward the accomplishment of the object, a contribution was made or promised then and there to the amount of \$850.

Change in the Mayoralty of Tooele City.—To-morrow morning Elder Andrew Galloway, ex-Mayor of Tooele City, will leave on a mission to his native country, Scotland. As it is probable he will be absent from home for a considerable time he resigned the office of Mayor of Tooele, and City Councilor William H. Lee was appointed to fill the vacancy thus created. This appointment necessarily made another office vacant, that of Councilor, which was filled by the appointment of Mathias Nelson, and Richard Warburton was appointed to fill the office of City Marshal, rendered vacant by the appointment to the office of Mayor of W. H. Lee, who also formerly held the Marshalship. These changes rendered necessary the resignation of R. E. Warburton, City Recorder, which office James Ure was appointed to fill.

Straw Hat Making.—This branch of business is gradually increasing in this city and Territory. Sister Rumell, of the 13th Ward, is conducting an establishment of this kind, which it is designed ultimately to run on the co-operative plan. In this establishment the hats are not only made, but also trimmed. About 5,000 yards of braided straw have there already been made up into hats. The braid, which is mostly manufactured at Lehi, is generally of very excellent quality, and the hats in point of shape and general excellence are as good as need be desired, and reasonably cheap.

While there we saw some very beautiful artificial flowers, made by Sister Stark, of Brigham City. When placed in juxtaposition with the imported flowers, the latter paled before the greater beauty of the home produced ones, these being more in resemblance to the natural flowers than those from abroad are.

Not only ladies' hats are made there but also children's and gentlemen's wear.

A Chance to Learn Spanish.—All persons who have a desire to learn to read and speak the Spanish language are respectfully invited to attend a meeting to be held in the Seventies' Hall, this evening, when Mr. Daniel W. Jones, of this City,

who is about to open a class to teach this language, will explain his method and terms. The Spaniards were the discoverers and first European colonizers of this continent, and their language is extensively spoken among the aboriginal tribes of the country. It is the language of the people of Mexico and of the various republics of Central and South America, the same as English is the language spoken by the people of the United States and of British America, and a knowledge of Spanish would be a great advantage, and in fact indispensable, to any person who may hereafter travel extensively outside of the English speaking communities of the continent of America; and independent of any such consideration a knowledge of the Castilian tongue, one of the most beautiful in existence, is an acquisition worth striving for, hence it would be gratifying to see a large attendance to-night, as also at the class which will be established hereafter. The meeting will commence about half past seven and is free to all.

Useful Home Industries.—This morning our reporter visited the establishment of Mr. J. H. Rumell, where a very useful industry has been commenced and is being carried on. We refer to the manufacture of imitation stone, which resembles the genuine article in appearance, and Brother Rumell assures us that it is equally as durable, resisting both the action of water and of the atmosphere. For the purpose of carrying on this branch of industry Mr. R. has had a number of moulds made, some of iron and others of plaster, and with these he has, with this imitation stone material, produced various articles, such as chimney pots, which are constructed of three parts, the base, shaft and cap, which, when put together, make an elegant as well as very substantial surmounting for chimneys, and can be supplied by Brother Rumell at a smaller cost than they can be purchased in Chicago, to say nothing of freight. There are also, made of the same material, ornamental pediments, which can be made much cheaper than the stone cutters can cut them for. For the fronts of buildings there are quoins, or rustic corners, and squares, to form a rustic imitation stone front; also sills and a variety of other articles.

Brother R. has also manufactured a quantity of water piping, for the D. A. and M. Society, to be used at Agricultural Park. This piping is made principally of hydraulic cement, and will, we are informed, resist deleterious action of water for ages. The adhesive material used in the manufacture of the other articles named is Portland cement.

A Highway Robber Caught.—Charles Williams *alias* Donovan, is an individual of bad reputation and there were reasons for the belief that he was connected with the highway robbery in the 11th Ward on Sunday night and other little jobs of a similar character of recent occurrence. Officer Andrew Smith got his eye on him last night, at the lower part of East Temple St., and went out of the range of street lamps in that locality, Williams going in the same direction and the officer soon discovered that the thief was dogging him as well. To satisfy himself of this, Mr. Smith crossed to the middle of the street, and so did Williams, passing in front of him. After Mr. Smith thought the thing had gone far enough, when he got close enough to Williams, by a quick movement he sprang at him and caught him by the right arm, at the same time covering the body of the thief with his pistol, and saying, "I want you."

"You do, do you?" said Williams.

"Yes, and take your hand off that pistol or I'll put a hole through you."

"You will, will you?"

"Yes, right straight."

Williams here let go his hold upon his weapon, which was partly exposed, and let it drop into his coat pocket, and the officer at once secured it. Mr. Smith then ordered Williams to walk on ahead of him to the City Hall, which he did, without further parley. He is supposed to be the party who stole \$7 from a house in the 4th Ward on Saturday night.

Williams happened to pick on the wrong man to "stand and deliver" when he selected the officer, whom he did not recognize in the dark, for a victim.

Since the above was written Williams has been recognized by Henry Cushing as the party who presented a pistol at him and demanded "his money or his life," in the 11th Ward, on Sunday night, and also by a young man named Joseph Moss, who was stopped by him in the same way, and who was robbed by him of two dollars and a pocket knife. As further proof against him, Mr. Moss' pocket knife was found on Williams' person when he was arrested.

Williams was taken before Justice Pyper, who fined him \$100, and sentenced him to imprisonment for six months, on the Cushing case, and committed him, in default of bonds, to answer to the grand jury of the Third District on the charge of robbing Joseph Moss. Williams is a hard case, and treated the matter lightly.

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