

none; he kindly invited us to go home with him.

Since then we have been very kindly entertained by a number, and a Mr. Farmer kindly proffered that we should preach in his house. We have held one meeting there already with a large attendance. He arose after our services and testified to the truth of what we had preached, and told the people they ought to give us a chance, and hear what we had to say, and then if we proved to be impostors, turn us off, not before. These remarks seemed to have a very good effect, and our friends increased.

Rev. Robert Maddox, a Baptist preacher, after he had read our pamphlet and heard us preach, would not fill his appointment to preach, and acknowledged that the reason why the blessings ceased was because the church was corrupted. And thus you see our prospects did fair for the Gospel in its purity to be proclaimed in this vicinity, in spite of the adversary's exertions to hinder us.

Our health is good, and we feel well in our labors, learning day by day more of the glories and grandeur of the plan of salvation.

THE HIGHWAY TO EXCELLENCE.

Genius and its more humble relation talent, are not like titles in a monarchy or estates in most countries, transmissible, hence the term "hereditary greatness" or "inherited nobility" is a misnomer. The men in this world whose names blaze upon the roll of fame have nearly all been of humble birth and obscure origin; from the beginning, when the greatest of all first beheld the light of day from His bed of straw in a manger down to the present day, along the avenue of intervening time we find a gem surrounded by commonplace or even mean conditions here and there, but in nearly every instance none of the men born to or who have acquired greatness have been pensioners on the dead or weaklings whose hands were strengthened and whose feet were guided by the living. No man incarnate, nor woman either, breathed into the soul of the plowboy of Ayr the noble faculty which enabled him to see the world as others see it not, to behold a poem, a source of inspiration, a thing of beauty living or a cause of sacred recollection dead, in all the handiwork of nature; he inherited nothing from his family but the name and it may be some of their personal traits, and poverty; his genius was his birthright, and the Creator of it sought out the lowly to be so endowed that the proud and opulent might comprehend how feeble after all was their pride and their possessions. Except as to lowly birth, the same can be said of Byron and Shakspeare, and hundreds of others whose inspired words have lent a charm to our language that makes it more expressive, more potent and more complete.

It is the same in every walk and every department of life. Those who are at the bottom of the hill at the beginning, if they progress at all will go higher; they will proceed as far as their strength will take them if they have in addition the energy and determination to keep on climbing despite the obstacles and the toll; they may not be strong enough to reach the summit, but they can do more than some who were taken and held there by artificial methods—they can deserve it—they can earn and be entitled to all they acquire, and if it should prove that within them is the endurance and the power and the will to scale the loftiest heights, what must be the gratification of knowing that the position gained was through no kindly act of man, no freak of fortune, but the reward of sterling merit for duty well performed under the blessing of God! To him who has capacity, add but integrity and determination with a trust in no titled ruler or royal household save the King of Kings and the household of heaven, poverty is the best capital the youth who is just beginning life on his own footing ever had. It teaches him to the attritions of life, enables him to understand where the rocks and shoals are, and thus to steer clear of them, to look to no mortal for deliverance, to be completely and entirely manly. To such as these a misfortune or an accident is simply falling down in the road; there may be some bruises inflicted; they will heal; and he has but to get up and go along, looking ahead, not behind. It would be different if he began by being pampered, all his wants anticipated and all his petty sorrows drowned in a flood of sympathy; with such training he begins the struggle of life on crutches, and when they are gone he is done; he is enervated, and discouraged with circumstances he would otherwise laugh at; never having created anything, he is at a loss when placed in a position where the faculty of constructing and devising is demanded.

One of the humorists has said—"I believe God sometimes shows His opinion of wealth by the men He gives it to." There is more of spiteful sarcasm than justice in this, because many men have wealth which they have honorably gained and in the acquisition of which they never wronged a fellow being in word or deed, and many of them use their wealth wisely and beneficently; in the hands of such man opulence only increases his power for accomplishing good works, and those whose hearts are just and whose minds have been

properly cultivated will find no tinge of envy in their hearts when they contemplate his possessions; but there is another class whose wealth makes humble life a priceless treasure and poverty a badge of respectability; let not those who are toiling either covet, emulate or pander to any such; the present is not all of time and but a molecule of eternity. CUSTER.

Cache County Notes.—From the Logan Journal of May 25:

The Cache County Educational Institute will hold a three days' session at Logan on June 27th, 28th and 29th. A choice programme has been arranged for the occasion.

The county jail at Logan is nearing completion.

On Thursday the school year of the B. Y. College will close, and on that day a programme of exercises which has been prepared will be rendered. The friends of the college and former students are cordially invited to attend. On Friday the teachers, students and friends expect to spend a pleasant day at Jessop's Grove in Millville.

Last Monday night some sheds and stacks belonging to Mr. Nelson, in the Fifth Ward, took fire about 12 o'clock. The alarm was given, and a number of citizens arrived and did what they could to quench the flames, but a considerable amount of property, including a set of harness, was destroyed. There is no clue to the origin of the flames.

Child Drowned.—A very sad accident occurred at Aurora, Sevier County, about noon on the 13th inst. The three-year-old son of George and Maria Payne wandered from his mother, not being absent more than ten minutes before he was missed. He apparently started to go to his father, who was in the field about half a mile distant, and followed down the bank of the canal, which runs through the place until he came to an old bridge which had been partially torn up. Here he tried to walk on one of the stringers of the bridge, and fell into the canal and was drowned. A passing traveler saw him floating in the water and rescued the body. Life did not seem to be extinct when the child was taken from the water, as he was only in long enough for the current to carry him about one hundred and fifty yards. The alarm was given as soon as possible and everything that could be done, with the means at hand, to resuscitate him, was done with willing hands, but all in vain. The parents were almost frantic with grief to have their child snatched from them so suddenly. He was a strong and promising child.—Home Sentinel.

Much interest has been manifested of late years in yacht racing and the distance covered in these nautical contests has gradually extended until it hardly excites comment when a race is commenced across the Atlantic. Now comes a dispatch from New York stating that two clipper ships left that port on the 11th for a race of over 15,000 miles, that is from the city of New York, round Cape Horn to San Francisco. The vessels are the clipper ships *Seminole*, Captain Hatch, and *Charmar*, Captain Holmes (late of the *Seminole*). They left their respective piers in East River on a long race around Cape Horn to San Francisco. The *Seminole* was the first to slip her moorings. She was towed down the river shortly before noon. There was a big crowd of old "salts" and South Street loungers on hand to see her off, and there were many warm expressions of admiration as the handsome craft moved down the river. The *Charmar*, which was lying at the foot of Wall Street, did not cast off till the middle of the afternoon. The handsome clipper was not without partisans who believe she will enter the Golden Gate first. As a rule the authorities along South Street were inclined to pin their faith to the *Seminole*.

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LEGAL NOTICE.

In the Probate Court in and for Salt Lake County, Territory of Utah.

In the matter of the Estate of Thomas Parry, Deceased.

Order appointing time and place for settlement of final account and to hear petition for distribution.

ON READING AND FILING THE PETITION of Joseph R. Parry and L. A. Billings, Administrators of the Estate of Thomas Parry, deceased, setting forth that they have filed their final account of their administration upon said estate in this Court; that all the debts have been fully paid, and that a portion of said estate remains to be divided among the heirs of said deceased, and praying among other things for an order allowing said final account and of distribution of the residue of said estate among the persons entitled.

It is ordered that all persons interested in the estate of the said Thomas Parry, deceased, be and appear before the Probate Court of the County of Salt Lake, at the Court Room of said Court, in the County Court House, on the 9th day of June, 1887, at 11 o'clock a.m., then and there to show cause why an order allowing said final account and of distribution should not be made of the residue of said estate among the heirs and devisees of the said Thomas Parry, deceased, according to law.

It is further ordered that the clerk cause copies of this order to be posted in three public places in Salt Lake County and published in the DESERET WEEKLY NEWS, a newspaper printed and circulated in Salt Lake County, three weeks successively prior to said 9th day of June, 1887.

ELIAS A. SMITH Probate Judge.

Dated May 12th, 1887.

Territory of Utah, County of Salt Lake, ss.

I, John C. Cutler, Clerk of the Probate Court in and for the County of Salt Lake, in the Territory of Utah, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of order appointing time and place for settlement of final account and for distribution in the matter of the Estate of Thomas Parry, deceased, as appears of record in my office.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court, this 12th day of May, A. D. 1887.

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LEGAL NOTICE.

In the Probate Court of the County of Salt Lake, Territory of Utah.

In the Matter of the Estate of Edward E. Brain, Deceased.

Order appointing time and place for settlement of final account and to hear petition for distribution.

ON READING AND FILING THE PETITION of C. J. Brain, administrator, with will annexed, of the estate of Edward E. Brain, deceased, setting forth that he has filed his final account of his administration upon said estate in this Court; that all the debts have been fully paid, and that a portion of said estate remains to be divided among the heirs of said deceased, and praying among other things for an order allowing said final account and of distribution of the residue of said estate among the persons entitled.

It is ordered that all persons interested in the estate of the said Edward E. Brain, deceased, be and appear before the Probate Court of the County of Salt Lake, at the Court Room of said Court, in the County Court House, on the 4th day of June, 1887, at 11 o'clock a.m., then and there to show cause why an order allowing said final account and of distribution should not be made of the residue of said estate among the heirs and devisees of the said Edward E. Brain, deceased, according to law.

It is further ordered that the clerk cause copies of this order to be posted in three public places in Salt Lake County and published in the DESERET WEEKLY NEWS, a newspaper printed and circulated in Salt Lake County, three weeks successively prior to the said 4th day of June, 1887.

ELIAS A. SMITH, Probate Judge.

Dated May 2d, 1887.

Territory of Utah, County of Salt Lake, ss.

I, John C. Cutler, Clerk of the Probate Court in and for the County of Salt Lake, in the Territory of Utah, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of an order appointing time and place for settlement of final account and for distribution in the matter of the estate of Edward E. Brain, deceased, as appears of record in my office.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court, this 2d day of May, A. D. 1887.

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