

Paradise cemetery. Several brass bands from different parts of the country will participate in the exercises.

Passengers on the Waterloo street carrou in this city at 8 a. m. Wednesday were subjected to a most thrilling experience, and that no one was killed is little less than miraculous.

The cause seems to have been the falling of the trolley wire. The ground being wet it was easily and completely charged with electricity. Scintillating and sputtering sparks shot outward and upward in countless thousands. Far rods ahead, be blind and all around a dazzling blaze went up and a series of rapid explosions followed. The passengers, panic stricken, rushed pell mell for openings of escape. One of them, Thomas Mair, was caught in the coils of the fallen wire and dragged for thirty feet or more. His experience during that brief period of unpleasant transportation, he intimates, was like that of a man in an electrocuting chair. When he was dropped from the wire's folds, an inspection of his apparel disclosed the fact that his pantaloons had been considerably scorched by coming in contact with the electrical flame. Besides that he received a vigorous shaking up. He was sent home in a carriage and the company's physician dispatched to his residence to care for him. Later in the day he was on the street not much the worse for his early morning ride.

Mrs. Laura M. Johns, a noted worker in the cause of woman's suffrage, arrived in this city on the Rio Grande Western at 11:35 Wednesday morning. The lady has just come from Santa Fe, New Mexico, in a tour of the West in behalf of the enfranchisement of women. Mrs. John spent fifty days in Arizona, making forty-four public addresses and spoke to members of universities and pupils of public schools on her favorite subject. She is traveling for the women's national organization. Her next address will be made at Montpelier, Idaho, on the 18th and on the 19th and 20th she will speak at Soda Springs; she also goes to Pocatello and Butte.

This visit of Mrs. Johns to this city is her first and she is very much pleased with the place and the people. The lady was the guest last night of Mrs. Ruth M. Fox and of Mrs. Dr. Elliott. It was the first time she had ever conversed with enfranchised women and experienced very joyful emotions.

The suffragist forces in Arizona are very strong and they will move on the constitutional convention there in a solid column.

Mrs. Ex-Governor Hughes of Arizona was with Mrs. Johns at the celebration of the seventy-fifth anniversary of President Christopher Layton of St. Joseph Stake.

When Judge LeGrande Young steps down from the bench Monday night he will again be simply a member of the bar, a plain citizen, for with the close of the day's business his official mantle, which he has worn as a judge of the Third judicial district, will be laid aside and tomorrow he will once more be found in the courts as a practicing attorney, earning money faster than would accrue to him under

the conditions that have existed of late. His resignation, which, it appears from the date it bears, was dictated on Saturday last, although it did not reach the Governor until Monday. The paper was a very brief one and ran as follows:

To His Excellency Heber M. Wells, Governor of the State Utah:

I hereby tender my resignation as one of the judges of the Third judicial district of the State of Utah. My resignation is to take effect on the evening of May 18, 1896. LEGRANDE YOUNG.

The announcement of the resignation will be sufficient to turn a dozen or more aspirants in the direction of Governor Wells's office, all asking for the important place made vacant by Judge Young's action. At present time this afternoon he had made no appointment, but under the circumstances may be expected to do so at once. On whose shoulders will the honor fall?

Mrs. Louis C. Kelsay, wife of the assistant city engineer, lies at her former happy home, No. 2 Bellvue Terrace on Sixth South street, in the embrace of death, the victim of suicide by shooting.

The details of the sad story may be briefly summed up as follows: At 5:45 Saturday Mr. Kelsay arose from his night's rest leaving his wife in bed, made a fire and stepped into the back yard. While there the sharp sound of a pistol shot came from the direction of the apartment in which he had but a few moments before left his wife. Fearing that something serious was occurring within he sprang towards the house. As he reached the back door-step he heard another report and as he rushed into the bed chamber he was confronted with the horrifying sight of seeing his wife in the act of firing a third shot into her own body. He made a lightning-like effort to reach her side and disarm her before she could pull the trigger. But he failed and she fell to the floor gasping and groaning as he struck the smoking revolver from her hand. In a few minutes she was dead.

Coroner Offenbach was sent for and summoning a jury held an inquest at the house, returning a verdict of suicide caused by temporary insanity. The young woman's reason, it is said, was somewhat impaired about two years ago but for a short time only. She was about 28 years of age and of late has been subject to spells of extreme despondency.

Elder Goddard submits the following list of dates of the arrivals of companies in this city, with the explanation that these dates are all compared with the files of the DESERET NEWS for the years mentioned and found to be historically correct:

Since the publication of the handcart emigration of 1856, 1857, 1859 and 1860, and the handcart mission of seventy-one missionaries, in the DESERET NEWS of April 24th, I have been favored with communications from Fillmore, Parowan and Henrieville, kindly reminding me of one omission and two corrections in date. It being of importance that whatever appears in our public newspapers as items of history should be thoroughly reliable, I take pleasure in giving the public a corrected list of each company in the

order they left the frontiers, embracing the corrections referred to above.

In 1856 five companies arrived in Great Salt Lake City as follows:

- 1st—Captain Edmund Ellsworth's company; 2nd—Captain Daniel D. McArthur's company; arrived as one combined company Sept. 26, 1856.
- 3rd—Captain Edward Bunker, with a Welsh company, arrived Oct. 2, 1856.
- 4th—James G. Willie's, arrived Nov. 9, 1856.
- 5th—Edward Martin's (combined with Jesse Haven's at Florence), arrived Nov. 20, 1856.
- 6th—In 1857, Captain Israel Evans's, arrived Sept. 11 and 12, 1857.
- 7th—Captain Christiansen's, arrived Sept. 13, 1857.
- 8th—1859, Captain George Rowley's, arrived Sept. 4, 1859.
- 9th—1860, Captain Daniel Robinson's, arrived Aug. 27, 1860.
- 10th—Captain Oscar O. Stoddard's, arrived Sept. 24, 1860.

GEORGE GODDARD.

SALT LAKE CITY, May 12, 1896.

Members of the N. G. U., as well as many other persons, will be pained to learn of the death of First Sergeant Robert H. Love, of company A, First Infantry.

The young man had been residing with his grandparents at 181 Rio Grande avenue, and Friday went into the corral to tie up a bull. As he was about to attach a strap to a ring in the beast's nose, it struck him a severe blow in the abdomen with its head, inflicting internal injuries from which he died two hours later. The deceased was highly respected by his fellow-guardsmen. He was but twenty years of age.

The funeral services over the remains of Sergeant Robert Love of Company A, First Infantry, N. G. U., were held at the Sixth Ward meeting house at 12 o'clock Sunday. The building was crowded to the utmost capacity, there being besides mourners, neighbors and friends of the deceased, the following representatives of the National Guard of Utah: Captain Grow, Lieut. Webb and Smith, and the non-commissioned officers and privates of Company A, who acted as escort to the remains of their late comrade; Capt. Alford and Lieut. Fisher of Company D; Lieut. Luren and the color sergeant of Company B; Col. Page, First Infantry, and Captains Thompson and Nystrom of the regimental staff; General Cannon of the staff of the Commander-in-Chief—all the foregoing in uniform, besides representatives of the First Battery and First Cavalry. The officers and men of Company A wore crepe on their swords and sleeves.

The services were conducted by Bishop Watson of the Sixth ward. Rev. Mr. Steelman and Deacon Randolph, of the First Baptist church, and Elders James H. Anderson and Stephen Hunter, of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, were the speakers; they spoke very highly of the deceased and made encouraging remarks to the bereaved relatives and friends. A duet was pleasingly rendered by Miss Randolph and Mr. Woodruff.

The procession left the meeting house at about 1:30 o'clock led by Company A with draped colors and muffled drum, and arrived at the cemetery an hour later. The company