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PHTHISIC, OR ASTHMA.—Those who suffer from this distressing complaint, are reminded of Whitcomb's Remedy.

LOCAL AND OTHER MATTERS.

FROM TUESDAY'S DAILY.

THE ELECTION.—The Municipal Election of yesterday ought to satisfy everybody, unless there were some desirous of a 'row.' The people sustained their ticket fairly and squarely. Everybody voted as he or she desired and none troubled themselves about it. A few ladies exercised their right to vote under the law published on Saturday; and we believe the first one who recorded her vote was Miss Seraph Young, daughter of B. H. Young Esq.

The streets were lively all day with good humored crowds, and stump speeches of the length of a couple or three sentences were plenty. The polls were closed at the proper time, and Acting Governor Mann and Major Benham were invited to be present when the work of counting the votes commenced; but both gentlemen, we believe, had other engagements which precluded their attendance. A deputation waited upon the judges of the election to be present when the votes were counted, but their application coming after the boxes were opened and part of the counting was done, they were too late for their request to be granted. The result of the election was known about ten o'clock last night. It was announced by Manager Caine in the Theatre before the farce commenced, and was received with a spontaneous and hearty cheer. The people sustained at the ballot box their vote of last Thursday night at the "mass-meeting."

The total vote was 2,301. The number cast for each candidate elected was: For Mayor, Daniel H. Wells, 1,999; for Aldermen: Isaac Groo, 2007; S. W. Richards, 2005; A. H. Raleigh, 2000; Jeter Clinton, 1997; A. C. Pyper, 2008. For Councilors: Robert T. Burton, 2007; Theodore McKean, 2006; Thomas Jenkins, 2007; Heber P. Kimball, 2015; Henry Grow, 2004; Thomas McLellan, 2003; John Clark, 2007; John R. Winlder, 2008; Lewis S. Hills, 2008. For Record-

er: Robert Campbell, 2010. For Treasurer: Paul A. Schettler, 2006. For Marshal: John D. T. McAllister, 2005.

THE MUSIC by the 10th Ward brass band yesterday was one of the features of the election. This band is entitled to great credit for the proficiency its members have made. It is another of those creditable institutions of which our citizens have just reason to be proud; and the 10th Ward may now blow its blast with the loudest.

THOSE MAILS AGAIN.—The following letter affords another instance of delinquency on the part of some of the mail officials here. We are acquainted with the writer of the letter and can vouch for its veracity:

Salt Lake City, Feb. 15, 1870.

Editor Deseret News, Sir:—In late issues of your paper, I have noticed frequent communications from parties complaining of gross delinquencies connected with the mail department in this Territory. As another instance of this kind: I mailed a letter at Ogden on the 3rd inst., to a person in this city. The person to whom the letter was directed called at the Postoffice in this city every day and enquired for letters, but got none. I personally called at the Postoffice yesterday, and got the letter which I had written and mailed at Ogden on the 3rd inst. The letter had the Ogden post mark on the envelope, and was dated Feb. 3rd. Such instances as the above show that a number of screws are loose in the postal arrangements somewhere, and I, in conjunction with many others, would like to see them tightened up.

Yours respectfully,
ROBERT PATRICK.

DANGEROUS BUSINESS.—We have received a note from a credible citizen, stating that last night two respectable young ladies, passing along First South St., were chased and badly frightened by some fellow, an entire stranger to them. This is a rather dangerous game in Salt Lake city; and parties troubled with such proclivities had far better go to places where such practices are viewed, if not with tolerance, at least with indifference; there is no locality in the world where insult or injury to ladies is so likely to get the perpetrator into trouble as in Salt Lake, and we advise any parties thus inclined, to refrain or they may find it a dangerous business.

POLICE.—L. Shurtliff surrendered himself to the police yesterday to be tried for getting drunk, and disturbing the peace, by fast riding. The prisoner managed to elude the vigilance of the police at the time the offence was committed. He was fined severally \$5 and \$10 for the offences.

John A. Smith was charged this morning with being drunk and using profane language yesterday; he was fined \$10.

A LUCKY FIND.—A curious discovery of a quartz ledge is related by the Nevada Daily Gazette, of February 12th. The boys at the Mud Flat School-house, near Gold Flat, while playing at "Prisoner's Base," placed their prisoners in a hole in the ground, a few feet deep. While digging out the earth of this hole to make it larger, they struck a quartz ledge, from which they took out valuable specimens. The claim promises to be a rich one and is known as the "School Boys' Ledge."

FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY.

MORE ABOUT THE MAILS.—At the risk of becoming tedious to our readers, we have determined to insert in the NEWS every authentic case of mail delinquency furnished us, believing this to be one of the surest means of having this culpability remedied.

The following case, involving, to a poor man, a loss of thirty or forty dollars, is another shameful, and we believe, wilful instance, of what looks like collusion in dereliction of duty on the part of the Post Office officials:

ZION'S CO-OPERATIVE MERCANTILE INSTITUTION,
SALT LAKE CITY,
February 16th, 1870.

Editor Deseret News:—Dear Sir:—In connection with other mail grievances, noticed by you lately, I desire to call your attention to the following: Mr. James Brown mailed at the Wasatch post office, on the 7th inst., a letter containing an order for goods. I did not receive the letter until the 15th inst., although it was plainly addressed "Mr. Crompton, at the Wholesale Co-operative Store, Salt Lake City, Utah." I have inquired at the post office here every day during that time. This piece of culpable carelessness on the part of somebody has cost Mr. Brown at least thirty dollars, because he did not receive the

goods ordered, and supposing the letter was lost he came here to make inquiry concerning it; the delay, traveling expenses &c. costing him the sum mentioned. Other instances of the same kind, I am informed, are frequently occurring. The mails, (or males), are evidently in a very unhealthy condition, and need the immediate attention of "Dr." Wickizer.

Respectfully,
S. P. CROMPTON.

ILLUSTRATED ALMANAC.—If you want a beautiful illustrated almanac, Frank Leslie's for 1870 is just the thing. It contains many beautiful engravings and a large amount of entertaining reading matter. It can be purchased at Dwyer's news depot.

SPRINGVILLE.—Bro. W. Bramhall, writing from Springville informs us that things in that region are moving along finely. The co-operative store is in full blast, the public square has been fenced in with a six foot picket fence, the meeting house has been similarly enclosed. There are five day schools well attended, also four new school houses being built, which, when completed, will accommodate 800 scholars.

"SUGARED DEATH."—Under this heading our cotemporary, the Ogden Junction, of Sunday last, contains an excellent article showing up some of the evils arising from the use of the painted imported candy. The whole article is well worthy a perusal by all and especially by parents. We extract the following, concerning some of the principal materials used in the composition of this deleterious compound, with which many of our children are so liberally supplied:

"Terra Alba, or white earth, which costs in New York about one and a half cents per pound, is used extensively instead of sugar; particularly in the manufacture of white lozenges, which, flavored with peppermint, or stamped with mottoes, are imported in great quantities, and find a ready sale, especially among young gents who go to evening parties, and wish to blend conversation and candy in a neat and pleasant manner. Gum drops are a favorite article for the exercise of the gums of the rising generation, and even grandmamand grandpap will 'gum it' occasionally. Considerable interest will no doubt be imparted to their mastication when we inform them that glue instead of gum arabic enters largely into the composition of the gelatinous 'drops' in question.

The delicate flavor of the fancy sweets which many of our young ladies think so nice, is produced, commonly, by rank poisons. Peach flavor is obtained from fusil oil, which is very poisonous. Pine apple flavor is made from very rotten cheese and nitric acid. Bitter almond flavor comes from unadulterated prussic acid; and many other poisonous substances are used to imitate the flavor of fruits from which no extracts can be obtained.

The pretty colors which make fancy candies so attractive to the eye are derived from verdigris, chrome yellow, Paris green, Berlin blue, Tonka beans, aniline, sublimate of mercury, etc., either of which is a deadly poison, and even when taken in very small quantities is exceedingly injurious.

Now, mothers, remember when you give your little ones this pretty, and rare-flavored stuff you put sugared death into their mouths. There is no doubt that many infantile disorders which have of late years been developed in our community, could be traced to the poisonous matter introduced into their tender frames under the disguise of candy.

WORD OF WARNING TO SMOKERS.—If but half the following be true, who would be a smoker in San Francisco, after reading it?

A writer in the S. F. Tribune says that three-quarters of the cigars smoked in San Francisco, are manufactured by Chinese, and that three-fourths of these Chinese cigar manufacturers suffer from the itch and leprosy, and have their hands covered with open sores. The most innocent man is, by smoking those cigars, always exposed to a fearful and loathsome disease, which he can, even by a kiss, communicate to his wife or children.

"KNOCKED OUT OF TIME."—The Daily Inland Empire, of the 10th inst., contains the following:

"Last evening the operator in the telegraph office in this city was almost knocked out of time by the coming in on his wires of more electricity than he had bargained for. A severe storm was prevailing between here and Virginia city, and the wire was doubtless struck by lightning over in that vicinity, where they know no better than to have thunder storms in midwinter, and as a variety the wires brought us a small charge, just enough to knock the operator out of his boots. We desired to ascertain whether the storm was headed this way; but the operator, wishing to

have his socks left, thought it wise to desist from any further experiments."

PROVO.—Bro. G. G. Bywater, called in to-day. He gives a good report of Provo. The people are improving, and feel first-rate under the judicious guidance of Elder A. O. Smoot. Sand and rock are hauled and ready for work to commence on the new Tabernacle. A fine co-operative mill is nearly completed. Between thirty and forty elders, in companies of two and three, are deputed each week to visit and preach to the people of the various settlements every Sunday, and it is believed that the people of Utah County were never so united or felt so well as they do at present.

FROM THURSDAY'S DAILY.

THE FORTHCOMING GRAND BALL.—The ball at the Theatre on Tuesday next, in honor of the birthday of General Washington promises to be a grand affair, and all who contemplate attending will do well to call at the box office of the theatre at once and secure their tickets of admission, as they are now ready, and as the number is limited the first come first served. Those who have been invited and cannot attend are requested by the committee to notify them of that fact immediately.

NEW YORK.—By letter from Elder Andrew Galloway, dated the 7th instant, we learn that he and Bro. Thos. Higgs have been laboring for the spread of the gospel in a number of places in New York State. They have held quite a number of meetings, and some few are believing and investigating.

COLD AGAIN.—The snow storm of the night before last has cleared the atmosphere and left a cloudless sky; but the keen north wind that blows tells us unmistakably that winter is still here. It comes seasonably, though, for it will check the fruit buds until the season is farther advanced, when they can swell and blow with less danger from frosts.

THAT "BILL."—Speaking of that silly bill designed to prevent the ladies of Utah marrying their grandfathers, manufactured in this city by a run-a-way pettifogger, the New York World of a recent date says, "this bill means war." In commenting on this expression of the World, the Omaha Herald of the 12th instant says:

"This is what the World says the Cullom anti-polygamy bill means, and we have not the slightest doubt of it. And war, in our opinion, will never accomplish the objects for which it is being organized. All fanaticisms in religion thrive under persecution, and gunpowder never yet shot religious belief out of the hearts of any people."

HOME AGAIN.—Mr. Oliver C. Ormsby, of Brigham City, called in yesterday. He has recently been East studying medicine and surgery at the Rush Medical College, Chicago. He left his home for the East on the 20th November last, and passed his examination, and obtained his diploma as M. D. or doctor of medicine on the 2nd instant. He reached Brigham City last Monday week, delighted to be once again among his friends in the valleys of the mountains.

NOTICE.

ALL persons indebted to the WEBER WAGON ROAD COMPANY, are requested to make immediate payments. And all persons having unsettled claims against the Company will present them for settlement, which must be endorsed by the Superintendent or a Director before they will be entered upon the books and settled. Payment will be made when the Drafts mature, 6 months, except we make some arrangements for exchange to meet a pressing want. The absence of Director C. S. Peterson, and Superintendent G. D. Grant, may delay the settlement of some of the accounts.

W. G. SMITH, Vice President,
J. C. LITTLE, Secretary.
Feb. 9, 1870. dcs 3 w2-3

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

THE undersigned hereby gives notice that he has been appointed by the Probate Court of Salt Lake County, administrator of the estate of THOMAS STILFOX, deceased.

All persons having claims and those knowing themselves indebted, will please make it known that the estate may be settled at an early day.

CHARLES H. CROW, Executor,
Eleventh Ward, Salt Lake City. dfl-3 w3-1