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## LOCAL AND OTHER MATTERS.

FROM TUESDAY'S DAILY, JUNE 3.

RESUMED.—About two weeks ago John Sharp, Esq., resigned the Superintendency of the Utah Southern Railroad, and was succeeded by Feramorz Little, Esq., who formerly held the position.

D. A. & M. SOCIETY.—The members of the Board of Directors of this Society are requested to meet at the Society's grounds, near Jordan Bridge, on Saturday afternoon, June 7th, at 5 o'clock.

W. WOODRUFF, President.

RETURNED.—Elder Orson Pratt has just returned from a tour in the settlements in Tooele County. He enjoyed a splendid trip. He was absent from home about ten days, during which time he preached nineteen times, to full meetings.

MILITARY OBSERVATORY.—Lieutenant Geo. M. Wheeler, U. S. A., is in this city for the purpose of making preparations to establish a military observatory in Ogden. The Lieutenant arrived last night from Washington with instructions to that effect, and is now stopping at the Union Depot Hotel.—Ogden Junction, June 2nd.

PICNICING.—The day and Sunday school scholars of the Eighth Ward were at Lindsey's Gardens yesterday and enjoyed themselves in dancing, swinging, &c. The people of the Ward supplied the children with a free treat of candies, oranges, nuts, and other good things. That is the way to encourage the little ones.

LOGAN, Jan. 2nd.—A son of C. H. Rammeil, of Providence, while coming to this place, this morning, fell from the wagon, breaking the bone of his arm, about two inches from the joint. He was taken to the office of Dr. Ormsby, where the necessary surgical assistance was rendered.

Measles are rampant among children in this place, and have caused three deaths. The weather is fine and business lively.

RAILROAD MATTERS.—Meetings for the election of officers of the Utah Central Railroad were held yesterday and to-day. The following is the result:

John Sharp, Sr., President; Wm. Jennings, Vice President; F. Little, Wm. H. Hooper, and James Sharp, Directors; James Sharp, freight and ticket agent and assistant general superintendent; L. S. Hills, cashier of the National Bank; President B. Young and D. H. Wells, members of the previous Board of Directors, declined re-election.

THAT RESOLUTION.—The Territorial Enterprise has the following:

"Without knowing anything about the matter, we will take the liberty of assuming that the adoption of this resolution was wrong. We have hardly a right to attribute to Brigham Young an unworthy motive in subscribing liberally to the decoration fund. The fact that he was asked to subscribe and did subscribe, should have exempted him from the extremely bitter censure implied in the resolution adopted."

The Enterprise is a paper that usually gives a "pitch in" to the "Mormons" when there is a ghost of a chance.

DECEIVED.—A young woman came in by the Central Pacific train this morning in pursuit of a wayward husband. She lived in Sacramento, and her parents are respectable and in good circumstances. In an hour of infatuation she yielded to the voice of the tempter and consented to an elopement, taking with her some valuable jewels, the gifts of a loving father and a tender mother, and gave them to her lover. The tyrant suddenly left her, promising to meet the deceived girl at Corinne yesterday morning, but not finding him there, she sent him a dispatch to Ogden, whence she received an answer that he would be at the depot to receive her upon the arrival of the train to-day. He left yesterday morning, and his whereabouts is unknown. Happily she had some money, enabling her to leave this evening for the happy home which she deserted.—Ogden Junction, June 2d.

THE POWELL EXPEDITION.—We have before us a letter from Mr. H. C. Kiesel, of Powell's exploring party, dated Gunnison, May 25th. We learn from it that Professor Thompson and party arrived at that point three days previous to the above date. The party has four tents and numbers, at present, seven men. The company intended starting up the Sevier in a few days, for the purpose of obtaining specimens of birds and plants, and taking sketches and photographs. This part of the exploration was to last about three weeks, when a southern line of march was to be taken up.

Mr. Kiesel speaks highly of the kind and and considerate treatment of the party by Bishop Horne, of Gunnison. A new grist mill would commence running at that place in a few days.

When the party traveled from this city to Gunnison the roads between Lehi and their destination were simply horrible, causing them to "stick in the mud" twice.

TWO DAYS' MEETINGS AT PEOA.—Elder Stephen Walker, clerk of the conference, sends the following:

PEOA, SUMMIT CO., U. T., June 2nd, 1873.

Editor Deseret News.

Two days' meetings were held here on Saturday, May 31, and Sunday, June 1st. The following elders were present: Bishops L. W. Hardy and J. C. Little, of Salt Lake City, and Bishop S. F. Atwood, of Kanab, besides representatives from the surrounding settlements, who gave an account of the condition of their respective wards, which occupied most of the day. Sunday, June 1, the attendance was very large, and impressive discourses were delivered by Bishops Hardy and Little, on the subjects of tithing, emigration, relief societies, Sabbath and day schools, government, &c.

The Spirit of God rested upon both speakers and hearers, and it was a time of general rejoicing. Bishop S. F. Atwood and Elder Phineas Young bore testimony to the valuable instructions imparted.

We cordially invite the Elders to call and preach to us when passing through.

The meeting was adjourned to September 6th and 7th, to meet at Wanship.

After meeting, \$505 was subscribed to emigrate the poor.

THE SOUTH.—Brother W. Willes, who recently returned from a four months trip through the settlements between this City and St. George, in the interest of his song book, informs us that he met with good success. He visited nearly all of the Sabbath schools, meeting everywhere a kindly reception. Many and vast improvements have been made in Dixie late years, and the people there generally would not exchange positions with "northerners." Lucerne is extensively and successfully grown and fed to stock. Bees do well. Wheat was in the ear, at St. George, a month ago. Strawberries are all gone. Brother W. says he demolished the "remnant that was left" at J. H. Johnson's. The last named gentleman has some splendid roses in his garden. Through the energy of the Dixie brethren the St. George Tabernacle, built of red sandstone, is nearly finished, and public works generally are carried on spiritedly.

The people of Southern Utah have spent large sums in making water ditches; in some instances as high as \$13 per acre, each year. In one case a ditch, the making of which cost \$50,000, was destroyed by flood.

FALSE IDEAS.—Many people have anything but correct ideas on educational matters. Some appear to labor under the impression that a sound education can be obtained by the attendance of the student for a few short months at an efficient seminary, which is very far from being correct. The principal of the University, we understand, has had this difficulty to contend with to a considerable extent. Parents will sometimes send their children to that institution for the purpose of training them to become teachers, and expect that they will become proficient for that position within say one year, even if they be almost ignorant of the rudiments of a common English education at the time of entering the University.

It is very desirable that the teachers of Utah should, as a general rule, be educated and trained here, but it is not reasonable to expect that the information necessary to make a person an efficient teacher can be imparted or received in a very limited space of time. Such incorrect ideas are not only unjust to those whose duty it is to give the necessary instructions, but also to the normal student himself or herself.

To obtain the qualifications necessary to make a competent teacher an arduous and strict discipline is necessary. The idea that nearly everybody can act as a teacher is about on a par with that generally entertained about editing a newspaper.

NORTH OGDEN, Weber Co., May 30.

Editor Deseret News.

The Deseret News comes to hand regularly and its subscribers say they cannot well do without it. The Juvenile Instructor is also appreciated by the young folks generally, as well as the many adults who love wholesome select stories and history.

Our crops are looking well, although some of the low land farmers would rather the rain would cease for the present. We are having a snow storm at time of writing. Our fruit crop is likely to be large—apples, plums and peaches, but apricots not so plentiful.

The health of the people generally is good. I do not hear of any sickness. Everything indicates happiness and prosperity, although cash is scarce, and will be in this country until more manufacturing is done, and the continual stream of importation of articles which ought to be made here, is stopped.

Our young men ought to be learning trades, but such are scarce, even than

cash. The reason of this I cannot account for, for in other countries young men think it a privilege to learn a good trade, which renders them measurably independent, having a means of support no one can take from them.

Very Respectfully,

S. STEVENS.

TOOELE CITY, May 31st, 1873.

Editor Deseret News.

Dear Brother—We have been favored with a visit from Elders Orson Pratt and J. B. Nobles. They held meetings in most of the settlements in this county. On Saturday two meetings and on Sunday three meetings were held in this place. The time was occupied by Elders Orson Pratt, J. B. Nobles and James Ure, and much valuable instruction was given to the people.

On Monday morning they, in company with Bishop Rowberry, James Ure and Thomas Lee, started for Rush Valley. They visited St. John's, Center City and Vernon Settlement, where they held meetings.

On Thursday evening they returned to this place, when Elder Orson Pratt delivered a long and interesting lecture on ancient history, from the Bible and Book of Mormon.

Friday morning they proceeded to Pine Canyon settlement and held one meeting, after which they repaired to Grantsville, for the purpose of holding meetings on Saturday and Sunday.

Great credit is due to Elder Pratt for his perseverance and untiring zeal in traveling around, instructing and edifying the Saints. I am safe in saying that a great many have been benefited by the sermons and lectures delivered during the visit of himself and Elder Nobles, and I feel, in behalf of the brethren in this place, as well as in the other settlements, to extend hearty thanks to those brethren for their visit, and hope we will soon be favored with another.

F. J. H.

MISSIONARY APPOINTMENTS.—Here is the complete list of county appointments to June 22nd:

BOUNTIFUL, June 8th.—Elders John Nicholson and S. W. Sears.

WEST JORDAN, June 8th.—Elders H. W. Naisbitt and D. Candland.

CENTREVILLE, June 8th.—Elders S. A. Woolley and T. Taylor.

HOOPERVILLE, Weber County, June 15th.—Elders L. D. Young, H. W. Naisbitt, R. F. Neslen and G. Teasdale.

DRAPERVILLE, June 15th.—Elders Anson Call and Job Wellman.

FORT HERRMAN, June 15th.—Elders N. T. Porter and R. Hyde.

SOUTH COTTONWOOD, June 15th.—Elders J. W. Hiss and T. Smith.

KAYVILLE, June 15th.—Elders Isaac Groo and S. Neslen.

PLEASANT GROVE, Utah County, Saturday and Sunday, June 21st and 22nd.—Elders L. D. Young, R. Miller, Milo Andrus, R. F. Neslen, T. Taylor, W. G. Young, D. Candland and D. McKenzie.

BIG COTTONWOOD, June 22nd.—Elders G. Swan and S. W. Sears.

SUGAR HOUSE, June 22nd.—Elders John Nicholson and T. Harris.

We trust the missionaries will be punctual in filling the above appointments, and those unable to do so will please to report in time that other arrangements may be made.

Saints from adjoining wards and districts are cordially invited to attend.

Bishops will please announce these meetings.

(P. O. Box 124) L. D. YOUNG.

FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY, JUNE 4.

IMPROVED APPEARANCE.—Our contemporary, the Herald, appears this morning in a new dress, by which its general appearance is much improved. We are pleased to note such evidence of enterprise.

INDIANS QUIET.—CORN TO BE RE-PLANTED.—R. R. Llewellyn writes from Fountain Green, May 27—

All is well in Fountain Green. The quarantine has been raised. There are no Indian difficulties, and we wish to correct the rumor that an Indian was shot at or near Fountain Green, by our herdsmen. We were all surprised to hear such news.

There is a fair prospect that our farmers will have to replant their corn crop, as, in consequence of the heavy rains, the grain has rotted in the ground.

Teams are busy hauling rock for the foundation of the new co-operative store.

"CORPSED."—Jack O'Neil, the same who was tried, convicted and sentenced to the penitentiary, for highway robbery with intent to kill, and who was subsequently released by Judge Boreman on habeas corpus, on the plea that the Probate Courts have no criminal jurisdiction, has gone where he cannot very well get released by the same process.

On Monday himself and another person of the same stripe, named Green, had a dispute about a mining claim with S. J. Cleveland, at Bingham. The two first named dogged the latter from one place to another and threatened his life. O'Neil finally approached Cleveland, pistol in hand, when the latter shot him through the head, killing him instantly. Cleveland then did the same business for Green by firing several shots into and killing him.

Green is said to have had a reputation which was on a par with that of O'Neil, while Cleveland is said to be sober and industrious.

SUBSTANTIAL APPRECIATION.—The appended communications require no explanation:

SALT LAKE CITY, June 4th, 1873.  
Salt Lake Fire Department, City Hall:  
Gentlemen:—Inclosed please find check, on ourselves, for one hundred dollars, which we beg you to accept, with the assurance that we appreciate your promptness in answering the fire alarm call.  
Yours truly,  
WALKER BROTHERS.

FIREMAN'S HALL, June 3d.

Messrs. Walker Brothers:

GENTS:—Your favor and enclosed check have been duly received.

We are proud of your substantial appreciation of the Fire Brigade, and we always remember those who are forward to en-

courage our voluntary efforts to save the lives and property of our fellow citizens.

In behalf of the Fire Brigade,

JOHN D. T. MCALLISTER,

Chief Engineer.

Per ANDREW BURT, Assistant Engineer.

PROCE.—The Record, of June 1st, has the following:

Night before last, at a late hour, a miner was returning from one of the mines in which he had been working, walking along on the track of the railroad, and had reached the summit of the divide, when he was confronted by two men who ordered him to "throw up his hands." His money was then demanded, and he was agreeably relieved to ascertain that that was all they wanted, for he hadn't a red, which the would-be robbers admitted after carefully searching all his pockets. After receiving the malediction of the villains for being caught out without coin he was allowed to depart. This hoodlumism will continue until a little help is called into requisition.

A wagon-load of vegetables came in from the Santa Clara yesterday, consisting of peas, onions, new potatoes, lettuce, etc. They were quickly disposed of.

Apples are becoming a drug in the market. A load which came in yesterday found very slow sale.

The crops in the Utah settlements east of us are very blackwards, in consequence of the late cold weather.

George Chaffin arrived yesterday from the coal mines in the vicinity of Kanab, bringing three and a quarter tons of coal for the Raymond & Ely Company. He returns at once for another load. The coal is of excellent quality.

George Chaffin, just in from the coal and iron mines of Utah, informs us that the sale of one of the Kanab iron mines to an English company has not yet been consummated, but that it probably will be soon. If effected extensive iron works will be erected at once.

FIRE ALARMS.—The fire alarm bell, at the City Hall, was rung on two different occasions this morning. The first time was about half past seven o'clock. Smoke was seen to issue from the upper part of the premises occupied by Batavia and Horn, importers and dressers of hair, on Second South street, opposite Walker Brothers' store. The engine, Hook and Ladder Company and a force of the Fire Brigade were on the spot in a few moments, and the fire, which was only incipient, was soon extinguished.

The two dressers of hair appendages appear to be imperturbable gentlemen. It seemed to be next to impossible to convince them that their premises were on fire, they remaining in bed till they were soured with water from the hose as the fire was being extinguished, which they probably thought was a barbarous way of hinting to a man that it was time to get up.

At ten o'clock the fire alarm was again rung, the gasoline in the gas-house of Walker Brothers, at the rear of their store, having caught fire.

Luckily, a couple of good pumps are handy to the premises, to which hose pipes were attached and water was streaming upon the small building in a few seconds from the time the flames broke out. A Babcock extinguisher was also brought into requisition and did good service. We understand a quantity of carbonic acid was put into the water ejected from the extinguisher, which helped to subdue the flames.

The gas-house is a small brick building, with an iron roof, removed a short distance from the main premises, so that there was but little danger of the fire spreading to the other buildings, but had there not been a current of air through the gas-house the danger of an explosion would have been very great.

As usual, the fire brigade was on hand in quick time, but the flames, which were confined to the interior of the little building, were subdued by the means on hand. The alacrity of the brigade in being promptly on the spot, however, was none the less commendable and praiseworthy.

It is thought that the fire originated from a leakage in the gas-making apparatus.

The fire on the premises of Messrs. Batavia and Horn is suggestive of the necessity of some compulsory measures with a view to the prevention of such occurrences.

FROM THURSDAY'S DAILY, JUNE 4.

SWOLLEN.—The hot weather is melting the snows in the mountains and, as a consequence, the streams are rising rapidly. City Creek is now swollen to a considerable degree.

PERSONAL.—Bishop T. E. Callister, of Millard County, and Bishop L. E. Harrington, of American Fork, are in town. Both report fine prospects for crops in each of their localities.

CORINNE, 5.—It is expected that the Utah Northern iron will be laid to Bear River bridge by next Saturday. They hope to ship Montana freight from here to Logan by the last of next week. The Deseret Telegraph are running a line along the U. N. track to this point. A. M. M.

ROBBERY.—Robert Kennedy and Peter Parkinson, both quite young men, appeared before Justice Clinton, this morning, on a charge of robbing a young fellow, named Henry Gum. Kennedy confessed to having stolen the money, and also stated that Parkinson was his accomplice in the affair and shared the booty. The justice deferred his decision in the case, and the two were remanded to jail.

KICKING AGAIN.—A number of the liquor dealers have again commenced to kick against paying the licence specified in the liquor ordinance. They made the regular application for renewal of their licences and when their petitions were granted they refused to pay more than \$50 for a quarter,

telling the officer that sum had to be taken or nothing, the regular amount ranging from \$300 to \$450.

The parties, thus far, who have taken this stand are:

Esle & Lannan, Lawrence & Mann, N. & E. Boukofski, Mansfield, Atchinson & Steele, E. S. Mansfield, Hannak & Co., Pape & Cupit, and Gus. Askeg & Co.

Some of the parties named were loud in the expression of a desire, some time since, that a high rate of licence should be maintained, that the lower class of houses might be kept out of the business.

IMPORTANT DISCOVERY.—It is stated that some very rich iron deposits have been discovered in City Creek Canyon, about six miles from the city. We understand that two claims were located there yesterday, and about a dozen men went up the canyon to-day, for the purpose of further prospecting and locating. If the information we have received regarding these discoveries be correct, the latter will, in all probability result in some very important development, as it would make the investment in the extensive manufacture of iron almost a certainty, especially if coal should be discovered in convenient proximity. Where iron abounds it is generally the case that coal exists also.

If iron manufacture were once really commenced, there is but little room for doubt that it would soon take the leading position among the mineral products of Utah, as the ore exists in inexhaustible quantities, besides being of excellent quality and generally easily accessible.

FROM CACHE.—Bishop S. Roskelley, of Smithfield, called to-day, being in town on business connected with the Utah Northern R. R. He informs us that tracklaying on the Corinne branch of that line is progressing rapidly, under the superintendence of Samuel Smith, of Brigham City. The road will be completed to the Diamond R. Warehouse, Corinne, by Tuesday next.

The Diamond R. Freighting Company are under contract with the Utah Northern Company to remove their outfitting point to Logan as soon as the railroad is completed to Corinne. The extensive warehouse now occupied by the Diamond R. Company having been purchased by the U. N. R. R. Company to be used by the latter as a depot, extensive platforms, &c., will immediately be constructed by the U. N. R. R. Company, for the transfer of freight, passengers, &c., from the C. P. to their line.

The construction of that part of the road between Logan and Franklin is being pushed ahead vigorously.

SANPETE.—Bro. W. P. Mousley writes from Moroni, June 1, as follows:

"We had a very stormy and cold trip coming out here, and the weather still continues cold (nights especially). The wheat and all small grain look backward, owing to the cold weather. The people are generally through putting in their crops and are making preparations for kangaroo work, such as getting out lumber and building. Should the Indians remain quiet, there will be considerable building done and improvements made in this place and vicinity the coming summer."

"Mr. Jacob Cloward has just returned from a visit to old Tab-a-noo and An-te-roo, and states that they say that Sanpete has no need to apprehend anything from them or their party, as they cannot vouch for the Shiveretts, as they are a gambling and stealing set, consequently they are not to be trusted."

"The health of Moroni is not the best, as the smallpox has broken out again in that place, there being four new cases within the last eight days. It was thought it had disappeared altogether. I hear of no other cases in this valley at present."

THE ACCIDENTAL POISONING.—Here is something additional relating to the case of accidental poisoning of W. Bramall, Jun., at Homansville, concerning which we published a Deseret Telegraph dispatch:

SPRINGVILLE, Utah Co., June 3rd, 1873.

Editor Deseret News.

It becomes my painful duty to forward to you, for publication in the News, an account of the death and burial of William Bramall, Jr., of this city, who died from the effects of poison, drawn, by mistake, at the Wyoming Mill, Homansville. He drank the poison about 8 o'clock p.m., June 1st, and died shortly after 7 o'clock p.m. His remains arrived at Springville next morning at 5:30 o'clock.

He was aged 21 years, 4 months and 17 days. He was the eldest son of Elder William Bramall, Sen., of this place and leaves a young wife and other relatives to mourn his loss. He was highly respected by all who knew him, as was evidenced by the numerous attendance at his funeral, several hundreds of people being present. Bishops Brigham and Johnson, and Elders W. H. Kelsey, Thos. Child and W. M. Bromley made appropriate remarks. A review of his course showed that he had, while scarcely 10 years old, gone barefooted to the canyon to obtain for his mother some wood for fuel, while his father was absent on a mission in England, preaching the gospel. Many other good traits of his character were mentioned, and all feel that though his life was short it had been useful.

Respectfully, W. M. BROMLEY.

Howard Glyndon is the nomme de plume of a lady whose pen has made something of a mark in current periodical literature. She has the reputation of being deaf and dumb, but can talk very well. She is mild and pleasant in manner, very intelligent in look, and writes with a good deal of vigor. She is a frequent contributor to some of the evening papers of New York, and now and then to a magazine.