

FROM MONDAY'S DAILY, APRIL 30, 1888.

AT THE GERMAN MEETING.

Excellent Discourse on Prayer and Union by Dr. Isaacson.

Dr. Isaacson addressed the German Saints at the City Hall yesterday morning at 10 o'clock. He took as the basis of his remarks, the 7th verse of the 7th chapter of the Gospel according to St. Matthew: "Ask and it shall be given unto you; seek and ye shall find; knock and it shall be opened unto you."

The speaker delivered an excellent discourse upon the subject of prayer, depicting the spirit in which petitions to the Creator should be offered up. By way of illustrating the great truth that we should be willing to submit to the will of our Heavenly Father in the matter of having our prayers answered, he related an anecdote of Lord Shaftsbury, who upon a certain occasion, had arranged to give a grand banquet at his country seat. A large company of guests had been invited, comprising many members of the nobility. Lord Shaftsbury was extremely solicitous regarding the success of the banquet, which he designed should be a notable social event. So wrought up was he upon the subject that he prayed earnestly for fine weather for the occasion. But despite his prayers, a severe storm occurred on the day fixed for the banquet, and the project of giving it had to be abandoned.

Lord Shaftsbury was greatly disappointed, and was disposed to murmur because Providence had not granted his prayer for fine weather. He learned later, however, that the train which the guests whom he had invited would have been compelled to travel on was wrecked; that eighty passengers on board lost their lives; and that many of those who had designed to attend the banquet must also have been killed. He then thanked God for the storm.

The speaker also dwelt upon the subject of the spirit of union which characterized all who obeyed the Gospel in sincerity. While he was a stranger here, after the manner of the flesh, he felt a bond of union and fraternity with every Latter-day Saint whom he met. He exhorted the Saints to become like the links of a chain, each united with its fellow. His discourse was eloquent and powerful, and many of those who listened to it were affected to tears.

DEMOCRATIC MEETINGS.

There are Two Classes of Democrats in Some Quarters.

Mass meetings were held in various parts of the Territory on Saturday, for the election of delegates to the Territorial Democratic Convention, to be held at Ogden May 5th, to send delegates to the National Democratic Convention. At 8 o'clock on Saturday evening, the Federal Court House was well filled, and the meeting selected the following delegates:

H. T. Duke, J. B. Walden, J. G. Sutherland, J. A. Marshall, Ben Sheeks, H. L. Anderson, Aaron Keyser, Thomas Marshall, A. G. Norrell, S. H. Lewis, P. H. Dyer, Martin Lannan, J. M. Keenelly, C. M. Brown, Matt Cullen, E. D. Hoge, George Cullen, S. A. Merritt, H. Bamberger, M. B. Sowles, T. F. Mulloy, W. C. Hall, P. L. Williams, Stephen Hayes, Mike Gibbons, Henry Siegel.

The delegates were instructed to vote for resolutions endorsing President Cleveland.

J. A. Marshall was chairman, and H. T. Duke secretary. The speakers were P. L. Williams, Judge J. G. Sutherland, J. C. Royle and J. L. Rawlins.

At Ogden there was a "bolt" in the convention, owing to the regular convention being controlled by democrats most of whom had formerly acted with the People's Party. J. W. McNutt, chairman of the county central committee, saw that the faction of democrats which he represented were in the minority, and ordered the convention adjourned till today. The meeting went on and organized, but the members of the convention were ordered out of the hall by the owner. They went, and reassembled at the county court house, where the following delegates were chosen: M. F. Brown, C. C. Richards, N. Tanner, Jr., George Shorter, E. T. Woolley, B. H. Goddard, Newton Farr, John V. Bluth, Jesse Stratford, R. K. Williams, H. H. Rolapp, John Watson, John A. Boyle, F. H. Ballantyne, Thos. D. Dee, Nathan C. Montgomery, Samuel Horrocks, Joseph Clark, George W. Driver and George J. Marsh. The following were appointed a county central committee: John A. Boyle, N. Tanner, Jr., C. C. Richards, N. C. Montgomery, Thos. D. Dee, John Watson and H. D. Peterson.

At Provo, there was also a split. David Evans was made chairman and H. A. Noon, secretary. A committee on resolutions was appointed, and made two reports. After an acrimonious discussion, the majority report was rejected, and the resolutions reported by the minority committee, as follows were adopted:

Resolved, That pending the present issues in Utah such persons as oppose the execution of existing laws against polygamy and other national laws as affirmed by the courts, not being Democratic nor friends to free secular government are not entitled to participate in any of the meetings of the Democrats of Utah, and that we adhere and subscribe to the issues of the national Democratic platform.

(Signed,) W. N. DUSENBERRY,
JAMES DUNN.

Upon the adoption of this report the chairman and secretary of the convention resigned, and the ultra-radical wing of the party, bolted from the hall. The majority proceeded and elected a new chairman and secretary, and chose the following delegates: James Dunn, S. R. Thurman, and Dr. W. R. Pike, Provo; R. A. Deal and John Boyer, Springville; A. J. Evans, Lehi; William Greer, Spanish Fork; J. S. Page, Payson; J. O. Bullock, Pleasant Grove; George Cunningham, American Fork.

A resolution was adopted, recommending Hon. W. N. Dusenberry for appointment to the office of Probate Judge of Utah County.

The convention passed a resolution severely condemning Mr. Noon for walking off with the minutes after he had resigned. A county central committee was appointed, and the meeting adjourned.

The bolters reconvened and elected the following delegates to contest seats in the Territorial convention: W. O. Norrell, D. Evans, Thos. Beesley, A. W. Meek, Julius Hannberg, H. A. Noon, R. Brereton, James G. Kenney, B. Bachman, Jr., and J. B. McBelian.

At the Box Elder convention, held at Corinne, there were also two sets of delegates. The majority elected J. D. Peters, E. H. Peirce, A. H. Snow, R. H. Jones, William Lowe and R. H. Batty, and the minority, or radicals, elected E. R. Chase, M. B. Buford, Hiram House, J. A. Schubert, Wm. House and H. H. Smith. Both sets of nominations were put simultaneously, and there was considerable confusion.

At Park City the Summit County convention elected delegates as follows: Jos. M. Cohen, Wm. M. Ferry, John Shields, Wm. M. Curtis, F. W. Mosby, M. J. Gerraty, Henry Shields, John L. Weber, F. J. McLaughlin, D. W. Berry, W. R. Waples, James Kerwin, S. J. Aschheim, M. H. Quirk, D. S. Brennan, D. H. Bowey, Wm. McLaughlin, Henry Kentfield, John Paradise, D. McDonough, A. C. Briggs, Joseph Dunkin, James Ivers, Wm. B. Gibson, John McDonald, A. R. Moffatt, Isaac Post, John Farrish.

STREET RAILROAD STOCK.

Mayor Armstrong Enjoined From Disposing of It.

Saturday afternoon Mayor Armstrong was served with papers which indicate that the Receiver will make an effort to take possession of the Street Railroad stock which Mr. Armstrong purchased from the Church. The Receiver filed a petition in the Third District Court, asking that the Mayor be enjoined from transferring or in any way disposing of \$45,000 worth of stock in the Street Railroad Company, and that he place the certificates of stock in the hands of the clerk of the court for cancellation. The petition sets forth that on March 2, 1887, the Church owned 2800 shares of the stock referred to, and alleges that on the 10th of March there were transferred to Francis Armstrong 2,000 shares. This transfer, it is stated, was to evade the law of March 3, 1887, and was made with a secret understanding that the stock was to be held in trust for the Church, and the transfer was therefore fraudulent and void. The petition also recites that the Church and Mr. Armstrong pretend that the sale of stock was bona fide, and asks that the order desired be granted.

Upon this petition Judge Zane issued the following injunction:

Frank H. Dyer, Receiver of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, plaintiff, vs. Francis Armstrong and the Salt Lake City Street Railway Company, a corporation, defendants.

To the said defendants.—The plaintiff having begun an action against you in the Third District Court, and praying for an injunction as herein-after set forth; and it appearing to be a proper case for an injunction, that sufficient grounds exist therefor, and the necessary undertaking having been given, it is therefore ordered by me, the judge of this court, that until further order in the premises, you, the said Francis Armstrong, your agents attorneys and all others acting by your authority, under your directions, or in aid or assistance of you, and each and every one of you, do absolutely desist and refrain from assigning, transferring, or otherwise disposing of, or encumbering the stock or any part thereof now held by you of the said corporation of the Salt Lake City Street Railway Company, and which you have heretofore received from the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints through John Taylor as trustee-in-trust, or otherwise; and you, said Salt Lake City Street Railway Company, you and each of your officers, agents and attorneys, do absolutely desist and refrain from transferring upon the books of said company, defendants, any of said stock, or issuing any new or other certificate or certificates for the same or any part thereof to any person or persons whatsoever.

Dated April 27, 1888.

(Signed) C. S. ZANE,
Judge of Third District Court.
Attest: H. G. McMILLAN, Clerk.

The defendants are allowed ten days to answer.

WASHINGTON April, 30.—The supreme court has sustained the circuit court of California in the cases commonly known as California tax cases. The suits were brought by the state against the Central Pacific and Southern Pacific railroad companies for the collection of certain taxes.

DROWNED.

Three Persons Fall Over a Dam Into the Ogden River.

"A kiss for oranges tonight, papa," said the two bright little girls of Mr. W. G. Wilson yesterday morning when he left his home in Ogden Cañon to go to Ogden.

He gave the kisses, promised to bring the oranges, and off the little ones went light-hearted to play. The kisses were the last that papa got from his little darlings, for they now lie in the cold embrace of the mad waters of the Ogden River.

The most sorrowful case of drowning reported from these parts for many a day was that which occurred in Ogden Cañon yesterday afternoon about 4 o'clock, resulting in the death of Mary Belle Wilson, aged 7 years on the 9th of the coming May, Emily Wilson, aged 5 years, daughters of Mr. W. G. Wilson, and George Newby, of Pleasant View, a young man aged 21 years.

The particulars are as follows: Hyrum Perkins, who has for more than seven years been in the employ of Mr. Wilson, had constructed a boat, some weeks ago, which he used for crossing the river above Wilson's mill dam, in Ogden Cañon. The little children were nearly always with him, and he had frequently given them rides in the boat forward and backward over the river. Mr. Newby, who had only on Wednesday been employed by Mr. Wilson, gave Mr. Perkins to understand that he was somewhat familiar with handling the oars, and so was taken into the boat with Mr. Perkins and the children. In returning from the opposite side of the river Newby became excited owing to the swiftness of the current and would not obey Perkins' orders to let his oars rest, so that the boat might cross in safety without being carried down over the dam. The river has raised very much since the rains, and before Perkins could get the boat to shore the stream had carried it to the brink of the mill dam, and it went over with all on board into the whirling waters below. Mrs. Wilson, who had gone to look for her children, arrived just in time to see them go over the dam into the river. Perkins being used to the waters managed to get ashore after doing all he could to rescue the children. He says he saw Newby standing in the water after the boat had gone over, but while his attention was directed in his attempt to rescue the children, Newby slipped and the strong stream carried him under and he also was drowned. The feelings of terrified mother can better be imagined than told.

A telephone message was immediately sent to Ogden for Mr. John L. Wilson, a brother to W. G., and a messenger dispatched to inform the father of the fearful fatality. He had left Ogden at 4 o'clock on his homeward journey, was met in the mouth of the cañon and informed that an accident had taken place at his home.

"What is it?"

"An accident has happened."

"For God's sake tell me what it is!"

"One of your little girls has fallen into the river!"

"Then she is drowned!"

"Yes, both your little girls are drowned!"

The terrified father hastened home and with the assistance of many kind friends who came from Ogden and other parts spent the rest of the day in searching for the missing bodies, but their efforts were in vain.

At 9 o'clock a Standard representative visited the residence in the cañon and found the parents prostrated with grief over the terrible occurrence which took from their home two little ones.

The children were healthy, robust and strong, never having known a day's sickness. They have four children, the two youngest which are now left to them being boys.

"I cannot think that my little girls have passed away from my own premises; I think they are caught in the rocks close by," said Mr. Wilson; "in fact," he continued, "I cannot realize that they are drowned. I picked up their little hats on the bank of the river, and I have them in the house. Why, it was only last night when I got home that they got out of their little beds to tell me a little simple tale of their day's play; and here tonight they are gone from us."

Mrs. Wilson is inconsolable with grief over her bereavement. The young man Newby has been in Pleasant View for some time, and has relatives residing there, Mr. Sam Berrett being his uncle.

Mr. Hyrum Perkins, who escaped, is overpowered with grief over the sad affair, and has often repeated the wish that his life might have been taken instead of the children's lives.

A searching party headed by Joseph Clark, Esq., in making arrangements to catch the bodies at Clark & Eccles' mill dam in this city, came across the body of an unknown man about 9 o'clock last evening, but none of the three drowned in the cañon had been found. Mr. Clark, assisted by a number of others, last evening placed a wire net across the river by the bridge, hoping if the bodies should come so far they might be caught.

Mr. Wilson and family will have the sincere sympathy of the whole community in this sad and irreparable loss.—Ogden Standard, 27th.

Robbed.

A few days ago a man named H. Howell arrived in this city from Salt Lake on his way north. Stopping over in town he called at a saloon on Fifth Street, leaving his money with the bar-tender for safe keeping. When he desired to leave he asked for his money, which was given him. It consisted of two one-hundred-dollar bills, which he carelessly placed in his vest pocket. He states that he went to sleep at some time during his stay in the saloon, but cannot tell whether before or after his money had been taken. No trace of it could be found until yesterday morning. Suspicious pointed to Bill Hunt, an individual well known in the saloons as one who never had more than a quarter of a dollar at a time, as the guilty party. He was spending money freely, inviting the boys to drink, even having the impudence to invite his victim to drink at his own expense. The officers were notified, and they made inquiries at the banks, where they learned he had changed the stolen money. He had changed one bill at the First National and the other at the Commercial Bank. He was at once placed under arrest. His conflicting statements as to how he came in possession of so much money are considered evidences of his guilt, he denying the charge of having changed any money at the banks. When arrested, \$16.75 cents was all the money found on his person. What he had done with the rest is not known. His case will come up before Justice Dee today.—Ogden Standard, April 27.

A Body Found.

Yesterday afternoon while Messrs. Joseph Clark and Lester Moore were engaged in searching for the bodies of Mr. Wilson's children who were drowned yesterday, he made a horrible discovery. Some little distance above the Ogden bridge he found the body of a man lying in the edge of the water. He at once sent word to the officers and Officer James Brown and Marshal Ballantyne at once proceeded to the spot. The body was taken out and brought to the undertaking establishment of Messrs. Larkins & Linquist. The deceased appeared to be a foreigner and seemed between 45 and 50 years of age. He was dressed in a dark suit, had a large full face and a black beard. The body appeared to have been in the water two or three weeks, the features being almost unrecognizable. No clue was found on his person to identify him, nor has any clue been received from outside sources. No marks of violence could be found, and it is supposed that he had fallen in and been unable to save himself, or that he had thrown himself in with suicidal intent. It was not known late last night when he would be buried. The remains will be exposed for identification this morning.—Ogden Standard, April 27th.

AN ACT

Providing Bounties for the Destruction of Certain Animals and Birds.

SEC. 1. Be it enacted by the Governor or Legislative Assembly of the Territory of Utah;

That the several county courts within the respective counties in this Territory, are hereby authorized and empowered, by an order made of record upon the minutes of such county court, to offer and pay rewards for the destruction of wild animals and English sparrows, within their respective counties, not to exceed one dollar each on lynxes, grey wolves and wild cats; 50 cents on coyotes; five dollars on mountain lions and bears; two cents on jack rabbits and ground squirrels; ten cents on musk rats, minks and weasels; five cents on gophers, and one-quarter of a cent on English sparrows, as hereinafter provided.

SEC. 2. The person or persons who shall hereafter kill any of the above-named wild animals, or said birds, in order to receive the reward mentioned in section one of this act, shall produce the head or scalp of such animal with ears attached, or the head of such bird before the county clerk in and for said county aforesaid. It shall be the duty of such county clerk to diligently examine such person or persons, and such other witnesses as said county clerk may deem proper, on oath or affirmation touching the time, when, and the place where such animal or bird was so taken and killed, and the circumstances thereof. If upon such examination the county clerk shall be satisfied that such animal or bird was taken and killed by the person or persons producing the head or scalp thereof, within the limits of the county for which said county clerk is qualified to act, he shall immediately cause such head or scalp to be destroyed, and shall issue a warrant on the treasury of such county for the reward offered in accordance with the provisions of this act, to the person or persons producing such head or scalp; provided, that any person or persons must present not less than three hundred scalps or heads of jack-rabbits and ground squirrels, or not less than one hundred heads of English sparrows, at any one time, to entitle him to the reward offered in accordance with the provisions of this act.

SEC. 3. The county clerk of each county shall keep a true account of the moneys paid out under this act, and

the number of each species of animal or English sparrows for which bounties have been paid, and whenever the amount so paid reaches the sum of fifty dollars or more said clerk shall present said account sworn to by said clerk as being true and correct, to the Territorial Auditor, who shall draw his warrant upon the Territorial Treasurer for one half of said amount, which shall be paid by said Treasurer out of any moneys in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated and for the same to said county.

SEC. 4. Any county court may at any time set aside, vacate and rescind the order, or any part thereof, offering and paying such rewards as are provided for in section one of this act, or may reduce the amounts of such rewards.

Provided, that an order be made of record to such effect upon the minutes of such court, and published in some newspaper having general circulation in said county, at least ten days before said action shall take effect.

W. W. RITKIN,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

ELIAS A. SMITH,
President of the Council.
Approved March 3, 1888.
CALSB W. WEST,
Governor of Utah Territory.

On the 18th inst., in the Court Queen's Bench, London, a verdict was returned against Charles Bradlaugh the suit planted against him by Mr. Peters, member of Parliament, for damages for libel in stating that Lord Salisbury had given Mr. Peters £25 to promote a meeting of workmen in Trafalgar Square. Lord Salisbury was called as a witness, and admitted that in 1885, secretary forwarded to Mr. Kelly, secretary of the Dock Laborers' Association, a check for £25. The purpose was to provide a free breakfast for the starving poor. He denied that he gave any check to promote the workmen's meeting held previous to the riots in Trafalgar Square. Mr. Peters testified that he never received any money from Lord Salisbury. Mr. Bradlaugh was called as a witness, but urged privilege. The judge, however, overruled him. Mr. Kelly testified that he disbursed the money given by Lord Salisbury for charity. He had used any of it for political purposes. Mr. Bradlaugh expressed regret that he had charged Lord Salisbury with giving the check to promote the Trafalgar Square meetings. He urged that as other checks had been applied his statement was not libelous. A verdict was returned awarding plaintiff £300 damages.

On Tuesday last, at Long's Cañon Colorado, Conductor Sullivan, of the Gulf road, made a misstep, falling from a car. He died in a few minutes.

DEATHS.

LOVELAND.—At Chesterfield, Biingham County, Idaho, April 9, 1888, Agnes, daughter of Anson O. and Rosetta Loveland born January 23, 1888.

NIELSEN.—In the Thirteenth Ward of this city, at 2:30 a.m., April 25, 1888, of epidemic pneumonia, Carl Nielsen; born in Sweden January 23, 1857. The deceased came to Utah in 1882.

ENGLISH.—In the Thirteenth Ward of this city, at 2:45 p.m. April 25d, 1888, of old age, Mrs. Mary Brunson English; born June 2, 1806, in Suffolk, Conn.

The deceased came to Utah in 1867, where she has since resided. She has been a widow for more than eight years, and was welcome to her. Four sons and a numerous posterity of grand-children and great-grand children mourn her departure. Hartford, Conn., papers please copy.

PAGE.—At Thatcher, Graham County, Arizona, April 6, 1888, after a lingering illness, James Page, aged nearly 71 years. He was born at Double Springs, Kentucky County, Tenn., June 15, 1811.

WATTS.—At Kanosh, Millard County, Utah, April 18, 1888, Lucy Myrtle, daughter of H. and Emma Wheaden Watts, born July 21, 1867.

Also, on April 22, 1888, Eliza Elsie, daughter of the same parents (born Oct. 1865).

BETTS.—At Mill Creek, Salt Lake County, Utah, April 25th, 1888, of whooping cough, Flora May, daughter of Matthew and Rebecca Betts; aged five weeks and the days.

Millennial Star, please copy.

RICHLY REWARDED

For every industrious person, who has made or is now making several hundred dollars a month, easy for any one to make \$5 and upwards per week, willing to work. Write me, giving your name, address, and what you want. I will send you a full and complete list of all the opportunities that are now open to you. Everything new. No capital required; you, reader, can do it as well as any one. Write to us at once for full particulars, which we will send you free of charge. Address: Atkinson & Co., Portland, Maine.

ESTRAY NOTICE.

I HAVE IN MY POSSESSION:

One brown HORSE, 3 years old, brand ED on left hip.

One black HORSE, 2 years old, coat black with brand 88 on left hip.

If damages and costs on said animals not paid within ten days from date of notice, they will be sold to the highest bidder at my yard, at 2 o'clock, on the day of May, 1888.

Dated at Ferron Precinct, Emery County, Utah, this 26th day of April, 1888.

JOHN E. KING,
Poundkeeper of said Precinct.