

EVENING NEWS.

Wednesday, February 4, 1880.

LOCAL AND OTHER MATTERS.

New Dress.—The Dresser News to-day don its new dress. Our new outfit of type, etc., is from our own foundry.

Bishops' Meeting.—The regular meeting of the Bishops and Ward authorities will be held to-morrow evening, at the Council House, at 6 o'clock.

Assisting.—Judge Emerson is assisting Chief Justice Hunter to dispose of the business of the Third District Court. The former is attending to the criminal docket, while the latter is working at the civil cases.

Lecture.—Next Friday evening at 7 o'clock, C. R. Savage will deliver his entertaining lecture on "Thirteen Thousand Miles by Sea and Land" through the Mutual Improvement Association of the 11th Ward. Public invited.

Dead.—A private telegram received in this city this afternoon, from Coalville states that Joseph M. Cain, who has been sick for about a month with typhoid fever, expired at that place at 12 o'clock last night. The remains will probably be brought to this city for interment.

Reform Rally.—A good sized audience assembled at the Federal Court room, last evening, to hear the opening of a series of temperance lectures by Dr. McKenzie, of Boston, who is making a stay in our city for the purpose of striking a few blows against the demon of intemperance that has crept into our midst. Success to your labors, Doctor, in all such directions.

Jetting by the Way.—From a letter written by our traveling agent, Brother William Bramall, at Fountain Green, Sanpete County, on the 1st inst., we learn that the good people of the south are experiencing some of the coldest weather they have ever known in that locality. Wells over 12 feet deep to the surface of the water, had frozen over. Diphtheria was prevalent in Sanpete.

The same phenomenon in frozen wells is being experienced in Utah County.

"Junction" Items.—Mr. Thomas Fenimore, of this city, was arrested yesterday on an indictment for bigamy, found by the grand jury of the Third District Court, in November last. Mr. H. has been aware of the finding of the indictment ever since it was presented, and so is not taken by surprise. He goes to Salt Lake City this morning with his attorneys, Messrs. Richards and Williams.

At nine o'clock on Monday evening there passed away from this earth one of its sweetest creatures—Mrs. Martha Walker, wife of Joseph Walker, and daughter of Bishop Christopher Layton, of Kayaville. The departed was only 19 years of age, yet she had from childhood possessed the affections and admiration of a host of friends.

Another Bubble Burst.—The old Potter number case has, at last, been disposed of. After being harassed for years, the defendants Jacob Hoffman, Jackson Redden, William Smith, Alma Eldredge, James Livingston and Joseph Belin, charged with killing the horse thief, the Potter, have been set at liberty. On the case coming up in court, this morning, for the "forty-eighth" time, it was ascertained that the plaintiffs had no testimony to offer; whereupon, the jury consulted and returned a verdict of not guilty; and the defendants were discharged.

Two Miles of Music.—That famous instrument, the organette, threatens to overturn the established methods of musical nomenclature, and literally convert the divine art into scientific "sweetness long drawn out." This morning Mr. Calder informed us, with words of sobriety, that he was just in receipt of two miles of the perforated music, and that if his customers would call on him at his place of business, he would be glad to "take their measure" for a set of waltzes, quadrilles, polkas, schottisches, lancers, popular and classic airs, in fact everything in that line, from "Rifare" to perfection. Take your organette with you, and get a full winter suit.

A Good Entertainment.—The Twenty-first Ward Meeting-house was crowded last night, on the occasion of the entertainment given by the Theatricals of that Ward, for the benefit of the meeting-house. The first part of the programme consisted of songs, duets, etc., and was well rendered, while the performance of "Ten Nights in a Bar Room" was all that could be desired. The performers acquitted themselves admirably in every respect, giving entire satisfaction to the audience, as was evidenced by their repeated and hearty applause. The Theatricals have reason to be proud of the success of this entertainment, and the meeting-house committee will feel correspondingly grateful for the proceeds.

The Woman's Bill Rejected.—H. F. 51, to amend section 43 of the Compiled Laws, so as to give women the right to hold certain clerical and ecclesiastical offices, was discussed at some length in the House yesterday afternoon. A motion to strike out the enacting clause was then put and carried, and the bill was rejected. H. F. 1, the bill to remove the political disabilities of the women of Utah, still remains upon the table, subject to a call for its further disposition at the hands of the House. Those who spoke in favor of the passage of H. F. 51 were Messrs. Penrose, Jacques and Lyman; those opposed, Messrs. Grover and Smith. The discussion was extended and very interesting. The vote on the rejection of the bill was not full on either side.

City Council.—Proceedings at the City Council on Tuesday evening, February 3rd, 1880, Mayor Little presiding:

A petition from Thomas Jones was received, asking to be refunded the sum of \$5 for a lot in plat H, Salt Lake City survey, purchased from the City in the year 1867, and afterwards included in the military reservation of Fort Douglas. Granted; money ordered to be returned to petitioner.

A petition was submitted, signed by Richard Brimley and 56 other residents of the Fourth and Fifth Bishops' Wards, representing that being aware of the great amount of snow already deposited in the mountains, and the probability that more will yet be added, and in recollection of the sad experience of former years, they had begun to entertain fears for the safety of their homes. The petitioners therefore asked that the good work of widening and strengthening the banks of the canal in the vicinity of petitioners' lands, which was left uncompleted last year on account of deep water, be now continued and prosecuted to completion, and thus secure many homes from the destructive floods which will probably come if the banks of said canal are left in their present insecure condition. Petitioners also called attention to the fact that in grading Seventh South Street, the street supervisor had omitted to gravel the two blocks west of the railroad track, which were in as much need of repair as any other blocks on said street. The petition was received and the supervisor instructed to attend to cleaning out said canal and grading the blocks referred to, as early as practicable.

A complaint was made that certain persons had been engaged in cutting away the embankment of the canal in the southwestern portion of the city, and had greatly endangered the property of the residents in the neighborhood. This matter was referred to the city marshal, with instructions to inquire into the facts in the case and report to the council.

The committee on the Jordan and Salt Lake City Canal submitted their report of expenditures made for work, etc., during the month ending January, 1880. The amount expended on account of the January estimate was \$10,183.50. In consequence of frosty weather but little new cross-sectioning had been done. The work on the seven miles already contracted was progressing favorably and some of it was nearly completed. Referred to the committee on finance.

The following bills for the month of January, 1880, were presented and allowed: Marshal's expense bills, \$487.75; expenses of the Fire Department, \$141.15; gas for street lamps, for City Hall, Fireman's Hall and City Jail, \$1,104.70; city jailor—boarding prisoners—1,329 meals at 11c., \$135.19; guarding water tanks in City Creek Canon, \$30; janitor of the City Hall, \$15; medical attendance at City prison and other services in Marshal's office, \$30; A. Gould, agent, two car loads of coal, \$158.10.

A statement was made by one of the committee on ways and means to the effect that he had not been able yet, on account of the absence of the other members of the committee, to make a satisfactory report upon the petition of the Sisters of the Holy Cross, asking an appropriation to their hospital, and the petition was therefore returned to the table for future consideration.

An appropriation of \$10,000 was made to the Jordan and Salt Lake City Canal, to be drawn upon the order of the committee on construction. Adjourned to next Tuesday evening at the usual hour.

Weather Report.—We are indebted to the Deseret Telegraph Company for the following report, received at 11 a. m., to-day:

Pioche, Nevada—Clear and pleasant. Panaca, Nevada—Clear and pleasant. St. George—Clear and cold. Silver Reef—Clear and mild. Toquerville—Nice and sunny and pleasant. Rockville—Clear and pleasant. Kanab—Clear and pleasant. Cedar City—Cloudy—six inches snow. Parowan—Cloudy and six inches snow. Beaver—Calm, cloudy, cold, about three inches old snow; just commenced falling again. Cove Creek—Cloudy, about four inches of snow. Light snow falling now. Fillmore—Cloudy and calm, looks like snow. Juab—New snow about two inches, still snowing very fast. Nephi—Snow fell last night four inches, still snowing. Fountain Green—Snowing and cloudy, snow about 1 1/2 inches on level. Moroni—Snowing, about 10 inches snow on ground. Fairview—Snowing, cloudy, about 10 inches snow on the level. Mount Pleasant—Very cold and snowing, about 18 inches snow on ground. Ephraim—About 12 inches of snow on ground, very cold, and by appearance will have more snow. Mantua—Snow about eight inches deep, cloudy, looks like snow. Gunnison—Snowing a little, cold and calm. Richfield—Snow about six inches on ground, cold, looks like snow. Glenwood—Snow about eight inches, cloudy, looks like snow, very cold. Mohrre—Snow six inches deep, very cold, cloudy, looks like more snow. Kayaville—Snowing, and very cold. Ogden—Snowing, about three inches snow. Brigham City—Been snowing all morning, north wind now. Corinne—Snowing a little. Logan—Snowing a little, but quite warm and pleasant. Franklin—Snowed about four inches this morning, weather warm, looks like more snow. Panguitch—Moderating and snowing a little, about 15 inches snow on ground. Provo—Snowing, snow about five inches deep. Springville—Snowing, not very cold, 12 inches snow on ground. Deseret—Cloudy and snowing a little. Payson—Snowed about three inches last night, cloudy. Silver City—Snowing, about two inches fell last night, very light snow. Alton—Snowing now, about eight inches of new snow still snowing. Bingham—Snowing hard, blowing on the bench, calm in the canon. American Fork—About six inches of snow, and still snowing. Weather not so cold as it has been.

Last of the Concerts.—The closing concert of the Carleiss Orchestra series, which have achieved such a brilliant success this winter, will take place on the evening of Thursday, the 12th inst. The preparations for the farewell entertainment are even beyond those of the two former, and predict that the last appearance of the orchestra this season, will be the capping of the artistic climax formed by the concert series. To open the programme they will render the overture to "Guy Mannering," a masterpiece introducing well known airs of the historic land of Scotland. Miss Emma White, the charming soprano, will sing, Mr. Mark Croxall will execute a cornet solo, Miss Ida Stenhouse will also render a vocal gem, and Mr. Willard Velle will perform a solo on the violin.

There are enough tickets sold already to insure a good house, and the chances are that as the night of the performance approaches, the supply will not equal the demand.

District Court.—Proceedings on Wednesday morning, Feb. 4, 1880, before Judge P. H. Emerson:

People vs. Alex. Moore, murder; application for order for subpoena for witnesses granted.

People vs. Jackson and Killian, assault; separate trial granted defendant Killian.

People vs. Adam Paul et al, Dr. Robinson murder case; defendants demanding trial in accordance with order of sitting made at September term.

People vs. H. C. Shurtliff, grand larceny; defendants demand trial at this term.

People vs. Ella Shurtliff, same.

People vs. Jackson; Patterson, cy pres for defense.

People etc., vs. Jacob Hoffman, Jackson Redden, William Smith, Alma Eldredge, James Livingston and Joseph Brim; 2 cases, indicted for murder in the first degree, jury trial; people have no testimony to offer, jury consent and return a verdict of not guilty. Defendants discharged.

People vs. Stringham; demurrer argued and overruled. Continued.

Proceeding before Chief Justice Hunter:

W. S. McCormick vs. M. T. Gibson; decree amended to include description of property mortgaged.

John A. Hughes vs. Jas. Harrington et al; dismissed.

C. R. Barrett vs. Grey Eagle S. M. Co.; McBride withdraws as defendant attorney.

Selig and Simon; demurrer to amended complaint argued, submitted and taken under advisement.

E. and P. T. Anthony and Co. vs. C. B. Savage; demurrer to the third amended complaint argued, submitted and taken under advisement.

Peter Nelson vs. O. C. Ormsby; motion of defendant to dismiss action argued, submitted and taken under advisement.

John T. Glimmer vs. A. H. Wooster; two cases; defendant withdraws demurrer; leave to file answer granted.

Nathan Tanner vs. Richard Howe; motion to dismiss argued and submitted.

Leo Hollander vs. L. Benites; motion to recall execution. Execution expired and returned. Motion passed etc.

Willis Knapp vs. Societe des Mines, etc.; demurrer to complaint argued and submitted.

A. D. Wheeler vs. Mark McKimmins; demurrer to complaint submitted without argument.

F. R. Brown vs. Bridget McGrath, etc.; demurrer to complaint argued and submitted.

Phillip Neder vs. L. Benites; demurrer confessed and leave to amend complaint allowed.

Phillip Pugsley vs. A. C. Porter; demurrer submitted without argument.

R. W. Morgan vs. T. J. McGrady; demurrer to complaint argued.

J. G. Sutherland vs. John Spriggs; judgment according to referees report.

UTAH LEGISLATURE.

HOUSE.

Tuesday, February 3, 1880, 3 p. m.

The bill amending the charter of Salt Lake City, empowering the corporation to borrow \$250,000, etc., was taken up on its third reading, and after further slight amendment, was passed.

A House message announced the concurrence of that body in the Council amendments to the bill for the organization of Jan Juan County.

The bill providing for the condemning of lands for public use, was taken up, and after the adoption of some amendments proposed by the committee on irrigation, passed its second and third readings, and was sent to the House for its concurrence.

red to the committee on agriculture, etc.

The committee on judiciary reported back, with an amendment, the bill relating to the boundary line of Rich County. The amendment was adopted and the bill put upon its passage. Some discussion ensued when the motion to pass was put and carried by a vote of 13 to 9. House adjourned.

HOUSE.

A communication was received from the House stating that they had passed a memorial to Congress, reported by the committee appointed by the Assembly to draft that memorial. The said memorial asking that Congress appropriate \$5,680, to cover the deficiency in the appropriation for the expenses of the present Assembly, were read and adopted.

Councilor Thurler presented petitions from L. G. Lang and 54 others, George A. Hatch and 17 others, and Franklin W. Young and 116 others, citizens of Platte County, asking that the county seat of said county be changed from its present location to Koonamum, and moved their reference to the committee on counties. Petitions were read and so referred.

Councilor Cliff introduced (C. F. No. 20) "A bill for an act to amend an act providing for the establishment and support of district schools and for other purposes, approved February 18, 1879," and moved its reference to the committee on education. Referred.

The following was received from the House: "The house has this day received the accompanying message from his excellency the Acting Governor. The message was read stating that His Excellency the Acting Governor could not consistently sign (H. F. 2) in its present shape, and giving his reasons therefor. He recommended the striking out of the section (7) authorizing railroad companies to own and work coal mines, and he would then be willing to sign it."

Councilor Harrington submitted the following report: "Your committee on elections, to whom was referred (H. F. No. 29), A Bill amending an act to provide for special elections to fill vacancies, approved February 22d, 1878, respectfully report that they have fully considered said bill, and report the same back, with amendments providing that vacancies in the office of probate judge shall be filled by election as well as that of justice of the peace, and recommending that the bill pass as proposed to be amended."

Proceedings in progress.

HOUSE.

A message was received from the Council, announcing the passage of C. F. No. 18, amending the charter of Salt Lake City. C. F. No. 18 was read the first time and referred to the committee on municipal corporations, etc.

A message was received from the Council announcing the passage of C. F. No. 8, to provide for condemning lands for public use. C. F. No. 8, was read first time and referred to the committee on irrigation, etc.

A message from the Council was received and read, announcing its concurrence in the memorial to Congress, concerning the per diem of members, etc.

Mr. Smith presented petition of Jas. Lovelock and 100 others, asking for an appropriation to help the Utah County Agricultural and Manufacturing Society to hold a county fair, and moved its reference to the committee on claims, etc.

Mr. Sharp presented H. F. No. 53, "A bill empowering railroad corporations to deed and mortgage their franchise and property and confirming such conveyances heretofore made and for other purposes," which passed its first, second and third reading, and on motion of Mr. Penrose passed.

Mr. Grover called up H. F. No. 27, in relation to Highways which was read the first time.

Proceedings in progress.

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