

LOCAL AND OTHER MATTERS.

THEATRE.—"Macbeth" was very finely rendered last evening, the characters with very few exceptions, being well represented. The combat in the last act between Macbeth (Chaplin) and Macduff (Lindsay) was very effective. Miss Lockhart's Lady Macbeth was without exception the best presentation of that character that has yet been presented to a Salt Lake audience.

To-night Blinzer's beautiful play of "The Lady of Lyons," will be given, on which occasion Mr. G. D. Chaplin will appear as the Duke of Orleans, and Miss Annie Lockhart as Pauline. Mrs. De Bar, from the Eastern theatres, will make her first appearance as Madame Deschappelles. This lady has the reputation of being the best representative of her line of characters in this country. The management of the theatre are now making more than ever to deserve the patronage of the public. In addition to their excellent stock company, and Miss Lockhart, they have now secured the services of Mr. Chaplin, Miss Annie Ward and Mrs. De Bar, all artists of excellent reputation in their respective lines; and henceforth, entertainments of far more than ordinary excellence may be anticipated by the play-loving public.

The successful comedy of "School" is in active preparation and will shortly be produced.

ONE MORE.—Hendrix and Westover have just received a splendid new thrasher and cleaner, of "two horse railway power," designed to assist in economizing what little grain has been preserved from the ravages of the grasshoppers in the South.

SEXTON'S REPORT. For June, 1899, Males 14, females 14. Of these, adults 10, children 24. Died of the following causes as reported:

Inflammations 11; measles 3; fevers 3; heart disease 2; water on brain 2; killed accidentally 2; drowned 1; group 1; consumption 1; cancer 1; marasmus 1; still-born 1; dropsy 1; puerperal convulsions 1; total interments 34.

JOSEPH E. TAYLOR, Sexton.

GEN. HANCOCK AND STAFF AT HELENA. General Hancock and Staff arrived at Helena City on the 25th ult. and, judging from the account in the "Herald" of the 25th, the reception given to the party by the citizens of Helena, was of the most cordial if not enthusiastic character. A train of carriages and a cavalcade of horsemen met the General and party about five miles from, and escorted them to the city. At four o'clock in the afternoon the party partook of a sumptuous dinner provided for them and a few of the leading citizens and representatives of the press, at the Kan-Kan Restaurant, after which they rode to the Fashion Race Course and the Hot Springs. In the evening at about ten o'clock a salute from thirteen twelve-pound howitzers was fired in their honor, which was followed by serenades, responded to by speeches from Gen. Hancock and the leading gentlemen of his party.

CIRCUS.—There was another large attendance at the Circus last evening; several new acts were introduced during the performance, of which the acrobatic feats of the Lowanda brothers and the double act of Clarinda and Martin Lowanda, of the Shepherd and Shepherdes, were very finely executed. To-night an entire change of performance will be given.

FUNERAL OBSEQUIES.—The funeral obsequies of the wife of Brother Henry C. Fowler, took place this morning at his residence in the 20th Ward. President Geo. A. Smith and Elder Joseph F. Smith were present, and made addresses suitable to the mournful occasion. We deeply sympathize with Bro. Fowler and his family in their heavy bereavement.

STREET PROCESSION.—Dan Castello's circus and menagerie will make a grand street procession on Saturday morning, July 2nd, between 10 and 11 o'clock, and give two performances; the first to commence at 2:30 p.m., the second at 8 o'clock p.m., on the above date, which will positively be the last day of exhibition in Salt Lake city.

NO LECTURE.—Owing, we suppose, to the attractions at the Circus, the attendance at the 13th Ward Assembly Rooms, last evening, was so small that Col. E. Z. C. Judson, alias "Ned Bundline," did not feel warranted in giving his proposed lecture, which, for the present, is postponed. The Colonel has not, on this account, left in disgust, but informs us that he intends remaining here for several days longer.

IMPORTANT.—SILK WORMS AND ORANGE LEAVES.—We were shown to-day, a number of cocoons spun by silkworms fed exclusively on the leaves of the Orange. The cocoons were sent to President Brigham Young by Bro. Samuel Cornaby, of Spanish Fork. In a letter accompanying them Bro. Cornaby says: "The eggs were brought from England by Bishop Thurber on his return from his mission in 1896. In 1897, the number of worms being small, they were fed on mulberry leaves, but the two past seasons they have been fed exclusively on Orange orange leaves. The worms appear to be healthy. We have about five thousand this present year, and have had none die up to the present time." (28th ult.)

The cocoons are of large size and good color, and, with the exception of the above, being, perhaps, not quite so fine, seem fully equal to cocoons spun by worms fed on mulberry leaves.

The above facts will be interesting to many of our readers, and may be of some importance to the people of the Territory generally, in view of the fact that silk culture is likely to become one of great importance here.

MISS ALEXANDER IN SAN FRANCISCO.—From our San Francisco exchanges we learn that Miss Sarah Alexander, late of the Salt Lake City Theatre, was to make her first appearance at the Metropolitan Theatre, San Francisco, on the evening of Saturday last, in the character of "Marion" in "The Prince of the Market." She is advertised as "The Young Mormon Actress."

CO-OPERATION ON THE MUDDY.—E. Elmer, Esq., writing from St. Joseph on the 10th inst., informs us that a co-operative institution had been organized in the settlements on the Muddy with the following officers: Jos. W. Young, President; J. Leithhead, vice-president; a board of five directors consisting of Messrs. Starks & Elmer at St. Joseph, Messrs. Foot & Johnson at St. Thomas and Mr. Johnson at West Point, R. D. Cutler, Secretary; James Leithhead, business agent; Heber Clayton, salesman. All was peace at the time he wrote, the crops were harvested, no grasshoppers had appeared and they had just had a very pleasant visit from President R. Snow.

PAID UP.—Elder A. Peterson writing from Fairview says: "The crops here never looked more promising for an abundant harvest. We have had so much rain, thus far, that the crops have needed but little irrigation. Stock is fat, and the range splendid. The Indians are peaceable, we hope they will continue so. Our new meeting house is being pushed ahead with fresh energy. Our Sunday and day schools are well attended. Our co-operative store is a success. The Female Relief Society is proving a great blessing to the poor; it now numbers sixty members. They held their first anniversary meeting on the 14th ult., followed by a dance in the evening, the proceeds of which were for the benefit of the Society."

SANTAQUIN.—Bishop David H. Holladay gives an excellent report of Santaquin. Health, peace and prosperity prevail in the settlement. Crops are good; very little damage done by the locusts, and they are now leaving. There is every prospect of a large crop of peaches, apples and all kinds of fruit. The Indians are very quiet but very hungry.

Correspondence.

PAYSON CITY, UTAH CO., U. T.
June 28, 1899.

Editor Evening News.—The Pondtown irrigation ditch is at last completed and is a decided success, and a great agricultural achievement. It has been two years and a half in construction and over its final completion to the untiring perseverance and unwearied diligence of the Directors of the Company, of which Bro. Lynn Curtis, of Pondtown, is foreman. The ditch is eight miles long from the dam at the mouth of Spanish Fork Canyon to its western terminus. It is designed to irrigate a survey of sixteen hundred acres of land in the vicinity of Pondtown, though this season there are but three hundred acres sown. The land is of the best quality, and particularly adapted to corn, sugar cane, and roots. A thriving town is growing up on the old site of what is known as Pondtown, but its inhabitants have re-baptized it with the more pretentious, though still humble name of Salem. A new school and meeting-house has been erected there, and the general watchword seems to be "improvement."

Crops of all kinds in this vicinity look splendid—never better. If the locusts will but keep aloof for a few short weeks longer, we hope to reap such a harvest as was never known before in Payson, a greater breadth of land being in cultivation than has ever been sown any previous year. The health of the people is excellent; very few deaths have occurred among us for the past six months. With the exception of a few lazy loafers, who may be seen sunning themselves on the corners of the streets, everybody is at work, either in the field, shop, or canyon, and this being the case, of course, everybody is happy except the few aforesaid loafers.

Active measures are being taken by the leading men of the county to develop the natural and abundant resources of the country, and we are looking forward to the time, in the near future, when we shall all be rich in the good things of this life as in faith and good works.

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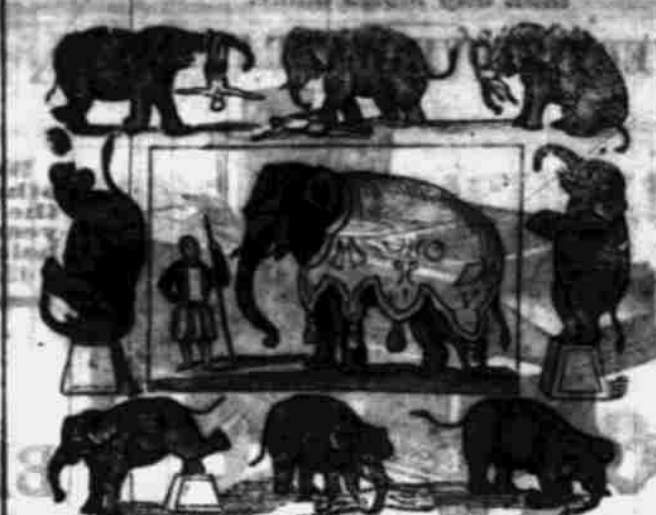
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