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PROVO, UTAH, - JULY 20, 1894.

### A Broken Leg.

Alma Stewart, a boy of 13 years, son of Lewis Stewart, of the Second ward, had his leg broken through the house he was riding on raising and falling on the boy's leg. The fracture was reduced by Dr. Allen.

### Notes.

The county court is in session as a board of equalization.

The Second ward Sunday school had a very pleasant outing on Wednesday.

Three couples are licensed to marry: Hilaiel M. Warner, of Fillmore, aged 27, and Hester Mabel Pratt, of Provo, aged 22; Leonard H. Jackson, aged 22, and Julia Adams, aged 21, both of American Fork.

Jasper Davis has been arrested by Deputy Sheriff Hall on the charge of forgery. The complaint was sworn to by Sarah Williams, and charges Davis with signing the name of Maria Davis to a deed with intent to defraud several minor heirs of the Davis estate.

Samuel Carter, charged with disturbing the peace of his aged grandmother, by firing a pistol in close proximity to her house and threatening acting in a contagious and indecent manner, was fined $10 by Justice Wedgewood. The case against Percy Carter was dismissed.

The Democrats celebrated somewhat early on receiving the national news. The effort, as one of disappointment to better, seems to have been relished by the people. Mayor Robinson has appointed a committee consisting of seven gentlemen to arrange for a celebration on July 21st. The committee is the subscribers are W. N. Dusenberry, J. C. Graham, J. D. Jones, A. Pedersen, W. H. King, J. E. Booth, Evan White and Reed Smoot.

Deputy Sheriff Nelson has returned from Toledo, where he has been with two men guarding R. G. W. railway property and preserving peace, during the last two weeks. Of course disturbances at Toledo were not in the line of A. R. U. action, he reports that five will be returned to their old positions, one of the five, however, receiving a few weeks lay off on bad conduct. The other places have been filled by new men.

### "Esther" Boddington.

ORMON CITY, Utah, July 13, 1894.—Esther Marinda Boddington was an octogenarian. She was the daughter of William Reynolds and Ann Holyland. She was born December 21st, 1809, and was therefore in her 85th year. She was born at Dunton Bassett, Leicestershire, England. At the age of seventeen she was married to William Boddington. He was an agriculturist and stock raiser. He had an independent income at the time of his marriage, but unfortunately he lost money invested in a law suit over a few feet of land which resulted in the loss of his money—the lawyers and the parties divided the spoil. About 1842 they removed to Birmingham, where they opened a meat market. In the summer of 1852 Sister Boddington was baptized into the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints. From that time onward her house was continually opened to the Elders, many of whom at this day speak with gratitude of the hospitality they enjoyed under her roof. She kept "her loom string" ever on the "outside," and the servants of God knew they were always welcome to such cheer as her circumstances afforded. On July 14, 1871, her husband died, leaving her a widow to struggle and fight the battle of life the remainder of her pilgrimage on the earth.

In June, 1880, she bade farewell to her native land and came to Utah, arriving in Ogden the same month, where she made her residence until her death. Here she labored for her living and by frugality and economy saved sufficient money to build a four room brick dwelling, which she improved from time to time, and which is now left to her heirs. When she closed her mortal career the estate was not invested to the amount of a nickel. She always lived within her means.

She was industrious, frugal, and true to her convictions as a Latter-day Saint, and died in full faith, and with confidence that in the resurrection of the just she will come forth again to inherit the earth.

The funeral services were held on Sunday, the 15th inst., Bishop Robert McQuarrie presiding. Those who took active part in the obsequies were Bishop McQuarrie, Elders Joseph Hall, C. H. Greenwell, W. H. Wright, Tuss, Morey and W. G. Child. The speakers dwelt upon the good deeds of departed and her devotion to the work of God and her liberality to His servants while preaching the Gospel in foreign lands.

She was the mother of six sons and five daughters. Seven of these preceded her to the world of spirits; one son and one daughter are still residing in England. She had eighteen grandchildren and 8 great-grandchildren.

Yours truly, JOSEPH HALL.

### The Funeral at Levan.

LEVAN, July 15, 1894.—In a thunder storm, crossing the valley Sunday, July 13, about 5 p. m., lightning struck and killed Erick Petersen Jr., as stated in the NEWS. It appears that Brother Petersen went to the field to water his grain, taking his two sisters with him, with the intention of stopping all night. Not coming home Monday morning, the family became uneasy and went to the field, where he was found by his brother, lying with his feet in the water ditch, the victim burned from his body, and the body nearly turned to a crisp.

The funeral took place on Tuesday, the 17th, at two o'clock. The meeting house was really were entirely too small to hold the people assembled. Bishop Walker, Isom Gunnell, and Johnny Rasmussen, of Levan, spoke words of comfort to the mourning family. Bro. E. Petersen was an honest, industrious and highly respected young man. The corpse was followed to the graveyard by fifty-one wagons (counted) with people. Bro. Wm. Partridge dedicated the grave and the earthly remains of Bro. E. Petersen were laid in the tomb, there to sleep until the morning of the resurrection. May the comfort be his young wife, his aged parents, and all who are called upon to mourn on him.

WM. BROWN.

### SPRINGER HOLIDAY, JULY 24TH.

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