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TERMS IN ADVANCE.

## LOCAL AND OTHER MATTERS.

FROM TUESDAY'S DAILY, MAY 14.

**Blanks.**—Blank forms for county liquor licenses can be obtained at this office.

**The Next Company.**—The next company of emigrants from Europe will leave Liverpool tomorrow.

**Death of Elder John Parry.**—Telegram from C. O. Card to President Taylor states that Master Mason of Logan Temple, John Parry, died at noon to-day. Funeral on Saturday at 10 a. m.

**Delayed on the Way.**—A communication from J. W. N., of Salina, has come to hand, but having evidently been delayed on the way, the matters to which its contents refer have become too remote for publication now. We hope he will write again.

**Another Suicide.**—According to the *Utahian* of Saturday, intelligence had reached Beaver of the suicide, at his ranch, near Tibbetsdale, Garfield Co., Utah, of G. A. Smith, the quadron, who met with an accident last winter by being thrown from a horse. His leg was, as a consequence, amputated by Drs. Strong and Christian, of Beaver. Melancholly, superinduced by his crippled condition, is supposed to have impelled him to commit the rash act. He is supposed to have taken a dose of rat poison.

**Rice Cultivation.**—When Brother H. P. Lindsay, of Burke Co., North Carolina, arrived in this city, in the early part of last month, he brought with him a quantity of the very best quality of seed rice, with a view of having it raised here. It has been already demonstrated that rice can be produced in Utah, although what has been obtained has not been of a superior quality. The cultivation of this cereal in this section is worthy of consideration, and we trust that a fair experiment will be made. The seed rice brought by Brother Lindsay can be had at the 15th Ward Co-op. store, at 15 cts. a pound or 2 pounds for 25 cts.

**Indian Hostilities.**—By letter from Brother David P. Kimball, written at St. David, Cochise County, Arizona, and dated May 7th, we learn that John Fife, son of Brother William Fife, was shot and wounded in the left arm and thigh, by hostile Indians, a few days previous. The communication does not state the extent of the injury sustained by the young man.

The same letter says: Three trains have been organized with agents to make and fill contracts for hauling coke and timber to Bisbee and wood to the mill companies, with a capacity for timber and coke of 120,000 pounds and wood 30 cords per trip. Each company will have night herders and be well armed. We feel that no harm will come if we take the counsel which has been given for years to be on our guard.

**It Was a Meteor.**—Mr. Alexander Clough gives us additional information regarding the singular phenomenon of last Wednesday, which was seen and heard by many people, and has been before mentioned in these columns. At 10.30 a. m. on the day named, Mr. Clough was standing on the shore of Great Salt Lake, about three miles west of Farmington, when he distinctly saw a large meteor passing through the air from north to south, apparently only about one mile distant from the earth. When about on a line with the position the sun is in at noon, it exploded, there being three or four

very loud reports, terminating in a rattle or roll resembling thunder. While the noise lasted a long line of vapor or smoke ran out in zig zag fashion, marking the course of the meteor, an explosion occurring at each angle. Other persons who were with Mr. Clough at the time observed and heard the peculiarities of the phenomenon as described above.

## CALLED HOME.

DEATH OF ELDER EVAN M. GREENE.

Elder Evan M. Greene, while journeying from Salt Lake City to Escalante, Garfield County, U. T., departed this life at Clover Flat, Grass Valley, Plute County, at 1 o'clock p. m., on the 2nd day of May, 1882. A heavy cold, terminating with severe pains in the breast and bowels was the cause of his sudden demise. For many years he had been a great sufferer from frequent attacks of sickness, but for the last year of his life he enjoyed better health than perhaps during any former year.

Deceased was the eldest son of John P. and Rhoda Y. Greene, and a nephew of the late President Brigham Young. He was born December 22nd, 1814, in Cayuga County, New York; and became a member of the Church in 1831; was numbered among the intimate and faithful friends of the Prophet Joseph Smith, and has ever been an able teacher, both in words and deeds, of the true religion of Jesus Christ.

From an early date in the history of the Church, he held the position of a High Priest; and was ordained a Patriarch in 1873, in which calling he has ministered with power and efficiency to the rejoicing and consolation of many in Zion.

He was the father of eighteen children, nine sons and nine daughters, and of these, six sons and six daughters, with many grandchildren and great-grandchildren, are living to whom he leaves the priceless legacy of a most exemplary career and spotless reputation.

Brother Evan M. Greene, was well known among the Latter-day Saints, whose burdens and labors, privations and trials, he has valiantly shared, almost from the beginning, and among whom he was universally respected and beloved.

## AFTER THE STOCK STEALERS.

SHERIFF TURNER AND AIDS IN A FAIR WAY TO BREAK UP A BAND OF THIEVES.

The following is the greater portion of a letter from Sheriff John W. Turner, of Provo, written at Gunnison, Col., on the 11th inst., to Capt. Andrew Burt, of this city:

I arrived here on the evening of the 30th ult., in good health, and the best of spirits, and have formed the acquaintance of most of the officers here. They are on hand to assist me in capturing the Utah outlaws that have been so much dreaded by our citizens in the south. I am working very quietly and making good use of my time, and hope to be able to capture the most of the gang before I leave here.

I have just received a telegram announcing the arrest of one more of the gang at Rico, Col., and will either go or send after him in the morning, a distance of about 150 miles by coach.

I am also in receipt of a telegram asking what reward I will give for the arrest of the notorious Bangs. Mr. Brink and myself have offered \$500.00 and I expect to have him arrested in a very few days. I now have one of the gang here, and Howard dead, so you see that if I succeed in getting Bangs, one of the principal leaders, it will weaken the band.

The stolen stock have been sold to different parties, and it will be difficult to get many of them. But I shall do the very best I can in that regard. I find quite a number of the Millers' stock here, and have found two with the Church brand among the stolen cattle. As near as I can tell Selectman Miller & Sons have about 40 head among the lot. I find there has been quite a traffic in stolen Utah stock.

## POISONED HIMSELF.

ANOTHER SUICIDE AT THE OVERLAND HOUSE.

Day before yesterday John Alimida, aged 54 years, came to town from Bingham, in company with Mr. George Stringam, for the purpose of seeing his wife, who lives in the 11th Ward, and with whom he was not on good terms. His object was to effect a reconciliation, but he failed in his object. Mr. Stringam, who roomed with him, at the Overland House, on Sunday night, said he was much disturbed in mind and walked the floor till morning. He also remarked subsequently that he intended to kill himself.

He retired to his room last night and this morning was found dead in bed, there being no doubt that he committed self-destruction by poison.

Deceased was a native of Denmark and had been in Utah about thirteen years.

FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY, MAY 17.

**Recovered.**—Mr. William D. Owen, Sen., who was lately injured by a runaway team on South Temple Street, has so far recovered as to be able to resume his employment, at Z. C. M. I.

**For Europe.**—By telegram from Elder James H. Hart to President John Taylor, we learn that a company of missionaries for Europe, 21 in number, sailed from New York yesterday on board the S. S. *Adyastina*. All well.

**Sentence Suspended.**—In the District Court to-day John Nash, fourteen years old, who attempted to shoot another lad, was allowed to plead guilty to assault. The Judge suspended sentence and allowed him to go at liberty, after lecturing him soundly. The pronouncing of sentence will hang over him, and will be given providing he does not behave himself.

**Another Juvenile Victim.**—The other day a most lamentable accident occurred at Gunnison, Colorado, the town which Sheriff Turner is now making the base of his operations in hunting for cattle thieves.

Edward Beeson, aged 9 years was playing with a Smith and Wesson pistol, when it accidentally discharged. The bullet struck Freddy Kellogg, aged four years, son of Judge Kellogg, entering the jaw and lodging in the base of the brain. The unfortunate little fellow instantly expired.

**Bad Indian.**—Yesterday, an Indian named Murdock was brought before Commissioner Pearson, on the complaint of Indian agent Critchlow, charging him with stealing buckskins, the property of the Indian trader at the Uintah agency; also with selling and otherwise disposing of liquor to Indians living at the agency.

He plead guilty to the charge of selling and disposing of liquor to the Indians, and was bound over by the commissioner to await the action of the grand jury.

It will serve Murdock just right should he be indicted, tried and punished, for thus imitating the obnoxious ways of many white men. He should show a better example to the whites.

**Railroad Accommodation.**—Among the contemplated railroad events of the near future, is a special daily train between this city and Juab. It will connect with the trains leaving the junctions of the Wasatch and Jordan Valley, Bingham Canyon, Utah and Pleasant Valley, and, when operated for passenger traffic, the Salt Lake and Western, all of these companies being willing to co-operate with the U. C. R. R., in thus increasing the accommodation for public travel. One of the chief advantages of the proposed daily special will accrue to people traveling to and from Sanpete. At present they are obliged to stop at Nephi over night each way. The additional train will enable travelers to make the trip between Sanpete and this city in one day, as it will connect with the Sanpete Valley Railroad.

Mr. Cope, freight and passenger agent of the Utah Central Railroad, expects the additional train to begin running on or about the 1st of June.

## TOWNSHIP PLATS.

UNITED STATES  
SURVEYOR GEN.'S OFFICE,  
Salt Lake City, U. T.,  
May 18th, 1882.

The following township plats of sub-divisional surveys, executed by James H. Marteleau, have this day been filed in the U. S. Land Office, in this city, viz:

Township No.	Range No.
10 N.	4 E.
14 "	4 "
14 "	3 "

FRED. SALOMON,  
U. S. Surveyor General.  
E. H. HESSE, Chief Clerk.

FROM THURSDAY'S DAILY, MAY 18.

**Telephone.**—There are now four hundred telephone instruments in operation in this city.

**A Good Man.**—Brother Simon Irwin, a notice of whose death appears in another column, bore an excellent reputation as an unassuming, honest man whom to know was to proportionately respect.

**Blooming.**—Roses are now commencing to bloom and will be "in all their glory," for use on decoration day. Last year, the earlier spring weather had brought them out so that on Decoration day roses could not be obtained in any desirable quantity.

**Gone South.**—Apostles W. Woodruff, F. D. Richards, F. M. Lyman and John H. Smith went south to-day, to attend the Sanpete Conference at Mant. We understand that the two last named brethren will also attend the Conference of Sevier Stake, at Richfield, before returning.

**Remedy for Bloating.**—Nearly every season a good many cows are killed from being allowed to eat too much green feed. A remedy for bloated cows that was first tried by a person in one of the eastern settlements of the Territory on one of his animals several years ago, has proved successful in many instances. It is simply to pour down the throat of the bloated bovine a quantity of a mixture composed of buttermilk and carbonated soda.

**Run-round.**—There is a painful complaint of the fingers known in common parlance as "run-round," or "nail-drivers," which causes considerable pain and oftentimes the loss of the nail. Here is a remedy as simple as it is effectual. Make a poultice of lime and water, and apply it to the finger; when dry, moisten it without taking it off. Never known to fail, if applied promptly, and it will always alleviate the pain, even when applied too late to save the nail. Shell lime preferred but stoneline will answer.

**Information Wanted.**—Mr. Russell Chandler, of St. George, Utah, wishes to know of the whereabouts of Sally Barrett, who was the widow of Asa Chandler, and after his death married and came west with the "Mormons."

Also of her daughter Lovina Chandler, who married William Taylor, supposed came to Utah.

Also of another daughter, Lovisa Chandler, who married Franklin Rudd, in Iowa, supposed came to Utah. Any information of any of the family will be thankfully received.

**The Comet.**—This illustrious luminary is at present approaching the sun with astonishing rapidity. It will soon become a luminous and brilliant spectacle on the horizon's verge. Seen through the telescope of Professor Frink, as inverted, it appears to be ascending in an easterly course but is really moving in the opposite direction. The comet is at present in the immediate vicinity of the constellation of Cassiopea. About 9 o'clock in the evening it will soon be seen to the left of the North Star and on a line a little below it, apparently moving in a westerly direction toward the sun. Who will be first to discover it with the naked eye?

About the Indians.—Brother David P. Kimball writes from St. David, Cochise County, Arizona:

"I have lived in Arizona nearly five years, been amongst the Mohave, Walapai, Maricopa, Pima, and Papago Indians and have yet to know of the first instance of Indians being shot down, unless they were Apache on the war path. Further, the arm of the cowboy and rustler has been against their own race. Nine tenths of the murders in Southern Arizona have been caused by a strong feud between the Earps and cowboys; also drunken rows, and the consequences of living near the line of a semi-civilized nation that cannot control its own borders, where desperadoes gather from all parts of the United States to carry on their free-booting operations. Nowhere have the Indians been treated with more respect, enjoying their rights, than in Arizona."

**Murder in the First Degree.**—The following is the closing portion of the Ogden *Herald's* account of the trial of George Catlin for the murder, in that town, of a young man named Brown. The proceedings terminated yesterday:

The prisoner is a native of Illinois. He is 30 years of age; dark complexioned, has black hair, dark-brown moustache, is stout, well-built, about 5 feet, 8 inches in height, his head inclined to baldness; his forehead is rather high but receding. He has dark eyes which appear to be fixed firmly on the objects to which they are directed. His countenance is grave, and during the trial he listened with great attention and appeared naturally much interested in the statements of the witnesses. During the charge to the jury he sat very calmly with his eyes fixed on the Court.

At 11:50 a. m., after a deliberation of two hours and fifteen minutes, the jury returned to the Court room, and each juror, being seated in his own place, the roll was called. All were present. The Court then said: "Gentlemen of the Jury, have you reached your verdict? They responded in the affirmative. The foreman, Mr. F. A. Miller, then arose to his feet and read as follows: "We, the jury in this case find the defendant, George Catlin, guilty of murder in the first degree."

Each juror was then asked separately, by name, "Was, and is this your verdict? Each responded, "Yes." At the announcement of this verdict a solemn stillness reigned in the room, and all who heard it appeared to be filled with awe, and the defendant who appeared much agitated on the return of the jury, seemed to lose the last vestige of hope when the verdict was pronounced. The sentence is deferred till Saturday.

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