

Murderer Steenberg's Brain.

Yesterday afternoon, an autopsy of the body of Sam Steenberg, the murderer, was held by Drs. Vanderveer, Balch, and Ward, in the presence of a numerous representation of the medical profession. The fine physique of the man as he lay upon the operating table previous to the use of the knife was commented upon—five feet seven inches in height, 44 years of age, chest measuring 39 inches, head and muscles of the entire body finely developed, weighed 184 pounds, body well proportioned and nourished, notwithstanding the confinement of the past few months. The tape measure registered 23½ inches around the skull at the largest part, the measurement of Ruloff's being 24½ inches. Steenberg's measurement across the shoulders was 17½ inches. The brain weighed 50 ounces; Ruloff's weighed 56 ounces; Cuvier's brain, which is the maximum brain, weighed 65. Webster's, 64; Abercrombie's, 63. The minimum weight brain is 20 ounces. The average between the maximum and minimum is 42 ounces, while the general average of mankind is 50 ounces. Notwithstanding this large measurement around the brain, the upper lobes of the brain were very small, as in Ruloff, and the lower part large, showing him to have been merely an animal. The skull of the negro had an average thickness of one-quarter of an inch, being very uniform, with no thin places, making it really a thick skull. The crest of the skull was deeply indented. All over the surface of the coating of the brain were marks of chronic inflammation, which has been deemed in some criminal cases as affecting the mental action, and is a very interesting scientific inquiry.—*Albany Argus*.

Woman's Sphere.

A man wants in his house a woman, something soft, gentle, loving and restful, something to protect and cherish, that is dependent upon him. He wants to have in his home baby voices, little restless feet and tenacious little fingers grabbing at his whiskers and hair. He wants to go to his home and find there soft, rustling, trailing garments, curls, perfumes, soft, sweet, loving words, kisses and embraces, a warm, throbbing heart to lay his weary head upon and be lulled to sleep, forgetfulness of the outside world's vexations, trials, troubles. The man who has perfect heart-rest, content, true, pure womanhood in his life, is armed each day afresh to fight the world and to defy its heaviest blast. A man don't want to go home and find there only another pair of pants, a coarse masculine voice and habit of thought, a stone to lay his head upon, and find there no rest. No! A woman's greatest right, her true vocation, is to be a wife and mother; but to be this she must be thoroughly educated—brain-trained, qualified for the duties of a wife—for, as the child inherits its brains, or mental force, its heart or love-nature, gentleness and tenderness, from the mother, and only its constitution or physique from its father, it is absolutely necessary that every woman should be educated, trained and drilled, as fully fitted and prepared for the position, the great responsibility of wife and mother, as a lawyer, doctor or minister is for his, and the sooner the world and all of us thinking, earnest women accept and act upon this idea, this theory, the better it will be not only for us, but all future generations, both men and women.—*Correspondence Chicago Tribune*.

At dinner the host introduced to the favorable notice of the company a splendid truffled pheasant, amid murmurs of admiration. "Isn't it a beauty?" he says. "Dr. So and So gave it to me—killed it himself." "Aw, what was he treating it for?" asked one of the guests.

A Frenchman was once sitting by a hammer at the songs in a theatre. "The brute," "the animal," he muttered to himself. "Sir," said the hammer, "do you mean me?" "Heaven forbid," he replied. "I am complaining of the tenor, whose noise prevents me from hearing you so clearly as I should have wished."—*N. Y. Herald*.

MARRIED.

At Cheyenne, W. T., May 4th, 1878, by Rev. Mr. Sanders, of the Congregationalist Church, MISS KATE FREEMAN, of Cheyenne, to MR. L. D. SWIGART, of Ogden, U. T.

BORN.

On May 1st, at noon to the wife of Mr. J. Alford, a daughter.

In the Twenty-first Ward of this city, this morning, May 7th, 1878, to Ida May, wife of Zachariah Saril, a daughter. All are doing well.

DIED.

At Richmond, Cache County, April 20, of pleurisy, lung fever and consumption, after a sickness of five weeks, LEAH, wife of Samuel Ekersley, aged 43 years, 12 weeks and 1 day.

She leaves a husband and nine children, including two boys, six months old. She lived in faith, and died in hope of a glorious resurrection.

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At Holden, Millard County, U. T., of pneumonia, April 26, 1878, RICHARD JOHNSON, aged 58 years, 10 months and 16 days.

Deceased was the son of William and Elizabeth Johnson and was born June 10, 1819, in Brockton, Worcestershire, England. He was baptized at Coals Green in 1841, emigrated in 1843, staying at St. Louis for a short time, when he proceeded to Council Bluffs, and came to the valley in 1851. He lived the life of a Latter-day Saint, was a friend to the poor and died in the faith, leaving a large family and many friends.

At Brigham City, April 20th, of convulsions, GEORGE WINNETTA, daughter of George F. and Ida S. Gibbs. Deceased was born August 5th, 1877.

The funeral took place at Brigham City Cemetery, May 1. Among the mourners who followed were the most of the members of Prof. Fishburn's choir, who sang two appropriate songs. Patriarch W. Box offered up a prayer, and Elder J. D. Rees made some consoling remarks.

In the 17th Ward of this city, of whooping cough, May 3, 1878, LILLY MATILDA, daughter of Wm. and Matilda Thompson, aged 8 months and 1 day.

At Union Fort, Salt Lake County, April 12, 1878, of heart disease and dropsy, ELIZABETH VERBY.

Deceased was born December 10, 1805, at Monmouth, England; joined the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, Feb. 12, 1851; emigrated to this valley in 1854.

At South Church, Durham, March 28th, of small-pox, MARY, daughter of Wm. and Eliza Coulthard, aged 15 years and 11 months.

Deceased was baptized by Elder A. Galloway, Sept. 16, 1876, and died beloved by all.—*Millennial Star*.

In the Fourth Ward, Provo, on Tuesday, April 30th, 1878, MARY R., wife of Brother Robert Gillespie, of inflammation of the lungs.

The funeral took place on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. There was a large attendance of the brethren and sisters from all the wards, and comforting and inspiring addresses were delivered by Bishop J. E. Booth and Elders John G. Jones and Edward Peay.—*COM.*

In the 14th Ward, at 1.50 p.m. to-day, of acute rheumatism and inflammation of the bowels, EMILY JANE, wife of Wilford Woodruff, Jr. and daughter of Judge Elias Smith.

In Salt Lake City, 16th Ward, May 6th, 1878, of convulsions, EWEN CROUTHER, a twin boy, infant son of William and Ann Crouther, aged six months.

In this city, May 7th, 1878, at 5 o'clock a.m., FREDERICK A. NAYLOR, son of George and Fanny Naylor, born July 7th, 1877.

At Franklin Meadows, Oneida Co., Idaho April 6, 1878, of lung fever, ANTON LIND, aged 55, formerly of Levan, Juab Co., Utah. Deceased leaves a wife and seven children.

At Malad City, April 23rd, of diphtheria, EVAN MORGAN THOMAS, aged 13 years, 8 months and 6 days.

Also, at Malad City, April 30th, of diphtheria, RUTH THOMAS, aged 10 years 2 months and 4 days.

They were the son and daughter of Thomas W. and Ruth Thomas. Their departure is severely felt by their parents and a large circle of friends.

In Provo, on Wednesday, May 1st, 1878, NELLIE LOUISE, infant daughter of Robert C. and Elizabeth Kirkwood, aged 8 months and 1 day, of convulsions, superinduced by lung fever.

The funeral services took place on Thursday afternoon. Counselor D. John and Bishop M. Tanner offered consoling remarks to the bereaved family.—*COM.*

Of typhoid fever, at his residence in the 19th Ward, on Wednesday, May 8th, JOHN KAMALO, late of the Sandwich Islands.

Deceased was born January 28th, 1849, at Honolulu, Kona Hawaii, Sandwich Islands. He was baptized into the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints. Came to this city with his wife and child in 1876 in company with Elder A. L. Smith, where he has resided up to the day of his death.

The funeral services were held in the 19th Ward school-house, at 3 o'clock. Elder Joseph F. Smith preached the funeral sermon.

At Stapleton, Staten Island, N. Y., April 26, 1878, NANCY HART CHOCHERON, aged 58 years, 3 months and 20 days.

At East Mill Creek, April 17, 1878, JOHN JACOB SMITH, aged 81 years, 11 months, 3 weeks and 5 days.

He joined the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints in 1835, in the city of New York; he lived the life of a Saint, and died in full faith of the gospel.

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