

The insect known as the cotton cushion scale, which we have before alluded to as fast becoming general in California, and causing a great deal of alarm there among fruit growers, is liable, if reports be true as to its transmission and propagation, to also find its way to this Territory unless the utmost care be taken in the matter of importing fruit and especially trees from that State. Here is what a Sacramento paper says about its introduction into that city, where it was not known until this year, and the facility with which it spreads: "The white cotton cushion scale insect has at last been firmly established, and is now naturalized in Sacramento, to our shame be it said. If nothing is done by the City Trustees by ordinance and inspection immediately to exterminate this enemy of man, we will not long have surplus fruit to dispose of. These insects will be all over town. They prefer the orange, but will eat anything vegetable and increase rapidly, and as they emerge from their parent shell hundreds must fall to the ground and make a new colony in the next tree they come to. Its transmission is very easily explained. Anyone coming in contact with an infected tree is liable to carry with him scores unknown to himself, as they are in infancy imperceptible to the naked eye. The leaves infested by them can be carried by winds; animals passing by the trees will spread them everywhere, and if we are no more energetic in this matter than our southern neighbors the beauty of Sacramento will soon be a matter of past history."

Numerous observations have shown, Emmerig, a German scientist, that bees, otherwise gentle and harmless, become exceedingly irritable and excitable on the approach of thunder storms; and he thinks that their conduct may be taken as reliably indicative whether a storm is impending over a certain district or not. In a succession of instances, the barometer and hygrometer foretold a storm, the bees remaining quiet, and no storm occurred; or the instruments gave no intimation of a storm, but the bees for hours before were irritable, and the storm came. With regard to rain merely, the barometer and hygrometer are safer guides than bees; but in the case of a thunder-storm the indications of the bees appear to be more trustworthy.

The advertisements in some of the English church papers read oddly to Americans. The traffic in livings still seems to be brisk. The presentation to the rectory of Crayford, with well-timbered pleasure-grounds and a net income of nearly \$5,000, can be had for \$42,500. Yalding, near Maidstone, yields \$11,500, and is quoted at \$80,000, "subject to the life of the incumbent, in his 81st year." For a \$7,000 living in Yorkshire, \$75,000 is asked, but there is "a prospect of immediate possession"—i. e., the aged clergyman who was put in to keep the place warm is dying. It would be improper to sell a place in the church, so a feeble incumbent is appointed and the succession to him is sold.

The arable land of Egypt is about equal in extent to the State of Rhode Island. The White Nile, issuing from Lakes Albert and Victoria Nyanza, is broad and deep, never rises above a few feet, and supplies the permanent source of the river of Egypt. A tributary of the Nile, coming from the mountains of Abyssinia, brings such vast quantities of soil with it that it is slowly raising the bed of the river, as well as extending it on each side. On the plain of Thebes the soil formed by deposits has in 3,500 years encroached upon the desert a third of a mile, while the ruins of Hieropolis, in the Delta, which once stood above the reach of the inundation, are now buried in a mud deposit to a depth of nearly seven feet.

For a copy of the *Commonwealth* containing the excellent article from the pen of "A. E. G." we are indebted to Dr. E. B. Foote, Sen., of New York, whom we have found to be a gentleman of liberal views, and the possessor of a heart of surpassing kindness.

#### SCHOOL SUPPLIES.

School Books, all kinds, Maps, Charts, Globes, School Desks, Blackboards, Slatings, Call Bells, Map Pointers, School Registers, at lowest wholesale rates. At Dwyer's Book Store, Salt Lake City, Utah.

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THE BEST SALVE in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetters, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box.

FOR SALE AT Z. C. M. I. DRUG STORE.

#### A WALKING SKELETON.

Mr. E. Springer, of Mechanicsburg, Pa., writes: "I was afflicted with lung fever and abscess on lungs, and reduced to a walking skeleton. Got a free trial bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, which did me so much good that I bought a dollar bottle. After using three bottles, found myself once more a man, completely restored to health, with a hearty appetite, and a gain in flesh of 48 lbs." Call at Z. C. M. I. Drug Store and get a free trial bottle of this certain cure for all Lung Diseases. Large bottles \$1.00.

#### HOME MADE GOODS.

John C. Cutler & Bro., agents for the Provo Woolen Mills, Hooper & Eldredge Building, Salt Lake City, have the largest and most complete stock of home-made woolen goods ever offered in the Territory, and at prices that defy competition, being greatly reduced since last season. Our stock consists of Plain, Twill, Dress and Shirting Flannels, White, Red and Colored Linseys, Waterproof, Jeans, Tweeds, Cassimeres, Blankets, Yarns, Single, Double and Shoulder Shawls, Linsey and Flannel Sheetings, Wool Batting, etc. We are also manufacturing 1,000 dozen Men's and Boys' Socks and Children's, Misses' and Ladies' Stockings from our ALL WOOL YARNS. Also Men's all wool Overshirts, Undershirts and Drawers.

We put no shoddy in our goods, which have gained the reputation of being the best for the money ever offered in Utah.

It will be to your advantage to call and see our goods and prices before buying elsewhere. Goods for sale at wholesale and retail.

JOHN C. CUTLER & BRO., Agents Provo Woolen Mills, No. 55 East Temple St., South Store, Hooper & Eldredge Block. s&w

#### THOUSANDS SAY SO.

Mr. T. W. Atkin, Girard, Kan., writes: "I never hesitate to recommend your Electric Bitters to my customers; they give entire satisfaction and are rapid sellers." Electric Bitters are the purest and best medicine known, and will positively cure Kidney and Liver complaints. Purify the blood and regulate the bowels. No family can afford to be without them. They will save hundreds of dollars in doctor's bills every year.

Sold at fifty cents a bottle at Z. C. M. I. Drug Store.

#### Warning!

It is not to be wondered at that most Americans are dyspeptics. Swallowing ice cold drinks on a hot summer day does the mischief. Why then not add ten drops of *Angostura Bitters*, the world renowned tonic of exquisite flavor, and thus avoid all danger of cold in the stomach.

#### DEATHS.

ROBERTS.—In the 14th Ward of this city, August 9th, 1885, after an illness of eight days, William C., son of Wm. C. and Anna M. Roberts; born July 31, 1884.

WOOD.—In Minersville, Beaver Co., Utah, August 9, 1885, of membranous croup, Hannah Marcella, daughter of Ann E. and Wm. Wood, Sen. Born May 24, 1883.

TURPIN.—In Taylorsville, Salt Lake Co., August 10, 1885, of pneumonia, Ann Turpin, (formerly Mrs. Cowdell) relict of the late Wm. Turpin; born in Mirfield, Yorkshire, England, July 29, 1818; baptized June 2, 1850, and emigrated to Utah in 1863. She died strong in the faith.

Mill. Star please copy.

MCDUFF.—In this city, Aug. 11, 1885, of Paralysis, after 3 days illness, Ellen McDuff; born in Chesterfield, Derbyshire, England, June 19, 1813; baptized in 1848, came to Utah in 1864, since which time she has lived in East Bountiful and Salt Lake City.

Mill. Star, please copy.

HUGHES.—In the 11th Ward, Salt Lake City, Tuesday, August 11, 1885, Olive Elizabeth, daughter of Francis D. and Ellen Hughes. Aged 5 years, 5 months, and 10 days.

THYBERG.—At Smithfield, Cache County, August 9, 1885, of liver complaint, Annie M. Otterbeck, wife of Fredric B. Thyberg, born January 12, 1854.

PEEL.—In Mt. Pleasant August 5, 1885, of old age, Henning Pedersen Peel. He was born February 26, 1799, in Poulsgaard Bornholm, Denmark; baptized into the Church November 10, 1851, immigrated to Utah in the fall of 1852, and had been a resident of Mount Pleasant from its early settlement. He was a faithful Latter-day Saint, honored and respected by all who knew him. For the last three years has been deprived of his sight, and the last year of his hearing. He was on his sick-bed only one day and a half before he died, and fell asleep like a child.—[Com.]

WALLWORK.—At Santaquin, Utah County, August 5th, 1885, of diphtheria, Joseph Abraham, son of Andrew and Ann Wallwork; aged 11 years, 1 month and 10 days.

ROSENBAUM.—Morris D. Rosenbaum dropped dead at Mink Creek, Oneida County, Idaho, Aug. 8th, between 2 and 3 o'clock p. m. Had been complaining of pain in his left side for several days. According to evidence, the coroner's jury returned a verdict of death, resulting from heart disease. He was born July 11th, 1831, in Prussia, Kingdom of Bavaria, Fardon. He came to America when about 19 years of age. First heard the Gospel in Carson Valley, and came to Utah with returning Carson Valley missionaries. Was baptized March 27th, 1858, in Salt Lake City; moved south with the Saints the same spring; went through the House of the Lord in 1859. In the spring of 1860 he joined the Fifth Quorum of Seventies till 1863, when he joined the Fifty-eighth Quorum.—[Com.]

San Francisco and New York papers please copy.

STARK.—At her residence in the 3d Ward of Brigham City, August 11, 1885, of heart disease, Mrs. Mary Miner Stark, wife of Paul Stark, and daughter of Andrew and Inger Miner.

She was born December 8, 1838, in Landskrona, Sweden; joined the Church in the year 1859, and emigrated to Utah in 1861. She was for several years second counselor to the President of the Female Relief Society of Box Elder Stake, and President of the Relief Society of the Ward in which she resided. She was held in high esteem by all her co-workers. Her funeral took place on August 12th, 1885, and was largely attended.

CUMMINGS.—In this city, August 15, of bronchitis, Mrs. Hannah T. Cummings, relict of the late James W. Cummings; born in Leeds, Yorkshire, England, Jan. 6, 1825.

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Apply by letter to XXX, Spring City, Sanpete County, Utah. s55 It

#### ESTRAY NOTICE.

I HAVE IN MY POSSESSION:

One light grey HORSE, 8 or 9 years old, black mane and tail, brand resembling J on left shoulder.

If not claimed will be sold Thursday, August 20th, at one o'clock, at the Estray Pound at Manhi.

J. J. HANSEN, District Poundkeeper.

Manhi, August 10, 1885.

#### ESTRAY NOTICE.

I HAVE IN MY POSSESSION:

One chestnut-sorrel HORSE, 3 or 4 years old, brand resembling V K on left hip.

One bay MARE, 2 or 3 years old, branded

on back part of left thigh.

One brown MARE and COLT, 4 years old, brand resembling n on left shoulder.

One blue MARE and COLT, 7 or 8 years old, branded 5 R on left thigh.

One dappled-grey HORSE, 3 years old, branded JR combined on left thigh and shoulder.

If not claimed by August 25th, 1885, will be sold at 9 o'clock a. m., at the Nephi Estray Pound.

PETER SUTTON, District Poundkeeper.

Nephi, August 15, 1885.

#### SUMMONS.

In the Probate Court in and for Salt Lake County, Utah Territory.

Harriet Gray, Plaintiff,

vs.  
Peter Gray, Jr., Defendant.

The People of the Territory of Utah send Greeting:

To Peter Gray, Jr., Defendant.

YOU ARE HEREBY REQUIRED TO appear in an action brought against you by the above-named plaintiff in the Probate Court, of the County of Salt Lake, Territory of Utah, and to answer the complaint filed therein within ten days (exclusive of the day of service) after the service on you of summons—if served within this county; or, if served out of this county, but in this district, within twenty days; otherwise within forty days.

The said action is brought to obtain a decree from this court dissolving the marriage contract existing between said plaintiff and you, on the ground of desertion and wilful neglect to provide plaintiff with the common necessities of life, and plaintiff asks for the care and custody of their children, issue of said marriage. And you are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer the said complaint as above required, the said plaintiff will apply to this court for the relief prayed for and cost of suit.

SEAL

Witness, the Hon. Elias A. Smith, Judge, and the seal of the Probate Court of Salt Lake County, Territory of Utah, this 28th day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

JOHN C. CUTLER, Clerk.

By H. S. CUTLER, Deputy.

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## Constipation

Causes, directly or indirectly, fully one-half the sufferings which afflict mankind. It is usually induced by inactivity of the liver, and may be cured by the use of Ayer's Pills. C. A. Schomerus, Great Bend, Kansas, writes: "I have used Ayer's Pills for Costiveness, with the most beneficial results." J. Windholm, Newark, N. J., writes: "Ayer's Pills cured me of chronic Constipation." Martin Koch, Huntington, Ind., writes: "Last year I suffered much from Biliousness

## And Headache

After using one box of Ayer's Pills I was quite well." C. F. Hopkins, New York City, Mo., writes: "I have used Ayer's Pills, and think they are the best in the world. They have cured me of Sick Headache and Neuralgia." W. L. Page, Mond, Va., writes: "I have been a severe sufferer from Headache. Ayer's Pills afford me speedy relief." A. J. Forster, Dauphin st., Mobile, Ala., writes: "a number of years I have been troubled with Constipation and Headaches. After trying a number of so-called Liver Invigorators, without benefit, I was at last

## Cured by Using

Ayer's Pills." Rev. Francis B. Harlowe, Atlanta, Ga., writes: "For years I was subject to Constipation, from which I suffered increasing inconvenience, in spite of the use of medicines of various kinds. Some months ago, I began taking Ayer's Pills. They have entirely corrected the costive habit, and have vastly improved my general health." Hermann Brinckhoff, jewelry engraver, Newark, N. J., writes: "Costiveness, induced by my sedentary habits of life, at one time became chronic and exceedingly troublesome. Ayer's Pills afforded me speedy relief, and the occasional use has since kept me all right." Ed. O. Easterly, Rockford, Ill., writes: "that he has been cured of chronic Constipation by the use of

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#### LEGAL NOTICE.

In the Probate Court of Tooele County, Utah Territory.

In the matter of the Estate of Reece Davis, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE undersigned, Administrator of the Estate of Reece Davis, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to Joseph Davis, at his residence in Ophir, Tooele County, Utah.

JOHN DAVIS, Administrator of the Estate of Reece Davis, deceased.  
Dated August 4th, 1885. w4w

#### ESTRAY NOTICE.

I HAVE IN MY POSSESSION:

One red 2 year old STEER, crop off both ears, branded K on right ribs.

If not claimed and taken away by August 21st, 1885, will be sold at 9 o'clock a. m. at the Nephi Estray pound.

PETER SUTTON, District Poundkeeper.  
Nephi, August 11th, 1885.

#### ESTRAY NOTICE.

I HAVE IN MY POSSESSION:

One light bay MARE, about 8 years old, white strip in face, left hind foot mangled, has got a sore in the lower part of breast, and looks like she had run over the end of a pole, is badly hurt, has on all four feet, has got a halter on, tail and collar marks, short mane, branded SJ—combined on left thigh.

If the above described animal is claimed within ten days from date, it will be sold to the highest responsible bidder, the City Pound, Lehi, at one o'clock on Tuesday, the 19th day of August, 1885.

LOREN OLINSTEAD, City Poundkeeper.

Lehi City, August 2, 1885.

#### THIRD QUORUM

ALL THE MEMBERS OF THE Third Quorum of Seventies, who have already sent in their certificates of standing, genealogy, etc., are hereby requested to do so immediately, otherwise their places in the quorum will be considered vacant after September 14th, 1885. A meeting will be held in the 14th Ward Assembly Room, Salt Lake City, for the purpose of filling vacancies in the quorum.

ANDREW JENSON, Secretary.

Address: P. O. Box 345, Salt Lake City August 17th, 1885. d s & w