A HAPPY BIRTHDAY.

A Provo Citizen's Fiftieth Anniversary —Other Items.

PROVO CITY, Utah, Dec. 8, 1894.—Winter with its white mantle is with us. Quite a number of the inhabitants are sick, mostly of fevers. Some few deaths have resulted, but with the sudden change in the weather we trust sickness will disappear. George H. Hayes, of the Fourth ward, lost a beautiful little daughter on the 7th instant, aged five years. The funeral took place today.

Moroni L. Pratt, of the First ward, celebrated his fiftieth birthday yesterday. The family invited in a number of his relatives and friends. Mrs. Pratt had prepared a sumptuous dinner, which was partaken of with a relish. Many were the congratulations extended Brother Pratt on attaining his fiftieth mile stone. Letters were read from their absent children full of blessings to their honored father with wishes of "many happy returns of the day." The evening was pleasantly spent in games, songs, speeches, etc., concluding with the reading of "P. P. Pratt's 50th year" and "Response" by John Taylor.

Miss Louise Jaques, the unfortunate young lady who was run into by a runaway team here last week, is suffering from the effects, being terribly shaken up and bruised. Miss Jaques had been an invalid for seven long years through an accident, and until through the blessings of the Lord and the great faith of herself and the Elders, been so far restored as to be able to walk and ride out, when this terrible mishap occurred. She is the daughter of a widowed mother and the circumstances altogether call out the sympathies of the good people of the town and especially the immediate neighborhood.

Mother Graves, widow of the late Daniel Graves, is lying very ill at her home in this city. D.

Idaho Items.

SHELLEY, Idaho, Dec. 8.—Nov. 14 was about the coldest day of the season. It was as cold as at Franklin, and that is about going to the Arctic region.

Louis R. Christensen, son of Brother C. A. and Sister W. M. Christensen, now in his 13th year, met with a serious accident by a fall from his horse. When he arrived home medical aid was in order. Dr. Jones, of Idaho Falls, came, when much blood was taken from the young man's head. He lay unconscious for some days, and as to his recovery, it was at first doubtful. After lying here at Shelley for some days he was conveyed home by his mother to her residence at Smithfield. He is improving now.

Old Boreas has played on his pipes this month of November. On the 21st was a 45-miles per hour gale. Ships running before the wind would be under very little sail in such a gale, and ships with a headwind would be lying to under the lee clew of the main top sail, with plenty of sea running over both fore and aft, and the "swing" would soon find out the weak parts of the stomach of those not used to ocean life.

Friday, the 23rd, Presiding Elder J. F. Shelley had a pleasant call from President T. E. Ricks and Counselor W. F. Rigby, who were on their way to Riverdale to attend the Blackfoot meeting on Sunday. The brethren looked and felt well. Brother Rigby gave an interesting account of his mission in England. We had some good instructions from Brother Ricks, and after a good night's sleep and a good repast they left on their journey.

The Shelley and Basalt folks turned out well to meeting on Sunday last. There will be much good done among the folks at Blackfoot, for many are honest in heart.

The health of the folks around this valley is pretty good.

There have been between forty and fifty carloads of potatoes shipped from Shelley this fall.

Brother Erickson is building a commodious four-room house. Brother Heber Childs is building. Brother Harvey has built a nice house and our comfortable district school house is nearly finished for the young ones. One more family has moved here and taken up land.

Thanksgiving Day was a splendid day, warm and calm. Giving our thanks and gratitude for our crops we also give our gratitude for the lovely day. We did not require two head-lights, a light on each knee, and a torch light in our hand to show us to our next door neighbor's, as in a London fog. Our air is pure.

I will here mention that I celebrated interesting eighteen Thanksgiving Day at the residence of Elder J. F. Shelley, of some thirteen children all sitting around the table, partaking of roast beef, vegetables, cake, pudding and other good things and all crowned up by Theodosia Shelley, a daughter of Elder J. F. Shelley, now in her twelfth year of her age.

Nov. 30 at the dawn was beautiful, and the month went out serene and calm. December came in most beautiful. Monday, the 3rd, was the coldest of the season, but dry and cloudless, but I expect there will be many changes in the weather before the end of the year.

Our Sunday school was the best attended since I have been in this ward. Our statistical report shows [illegible] and [illegible] of children members of the Church and many nonmembers. There has been much interest taken in this place lately.

Basalt and Taylor wards had a happy Thanksgiving Day. The dicourse of Elder A. H. Cannon at Blackfoot, on Sunday, has been and with many was is giving much satisfaction among the people at Blackfoot.

The river is getting well filled with ice. Two or three more nights will [illegible] a good road for the boys to go across to get a few dollars for Christmas in hauling good cedar firewood. [illegible] LORENZO.

Utah Forestry Association.

A circular letter signed by the president of this society has just been issued [illegible] forth its objects and urging united effort in attaining them in this. The letter is as follows:

This society was organized on the 28th of February last, and has for its object directly, the promotion of such means as will secure for Utah a judicious preservation and care of her native forests and the cultivation of trees wherever they will be useful, and indirectly, by these means, to aid in the preservation and economic distribution of her water supply for irrigation.

It must be apparent to every one that the future prosperity of Utah depends largely on securing these objects, and that they cannot be so well reached as by a united effort on the part of those most interested in their benefits. It is proposed, therefore, to organize branch society associations in the several counties of the Territory that will secure citizens most concerned and best able to observe the facts and encourage the influence necessary to promote the society and effect the important results it has in view.

To aid in giving direction and definite purpose to the proceedings of such local organizations and at the same time to show more specifically the aims of the association, the following list of topics for more immediate consideration is submitted:—

1—To gather knowledge of every kind and from every source relating to forestry, and to preserve the same in the form of a bureau of information on the subject.

2—To distribute this knowledge wherever needed throughout Utah.

3—To investigate and learn the real extent and condition of the native forests of Utah.

4—The extent and causes of their spoliation.

5—The effect of such spoliation on the amount and distribution of water flow.

6—The favorable and unfavorable chances of renewing forest growth on lands denuded from any cause.

7—The effect of pasturing sheep and cattle about the head waters of irrigating streams.

8—The propriety of securing from the general government forest reservations about the headwaters of the principal streams of Utah.

9—The extent of tree culture in Utah and the kinds of trees planted.

10—The possibility of cultivating successfully areas of timber trees in different parts of the Territory.

11—The propriety of cultivating trees along irrigating canals.

12—How to make most profitable the observance of Arbor Day.

13—Constitutional and legislative provisions needed.

These propositions, and others pertaining to the general and local field of forestry and tree planting as may be suggested by members, will be appropriate subjects for consideration, for discussion, or for action at any general meeting of a society.

Will you not interest yourself at once in the organization and support of a branch forestry association in your county?

Address communications to
JOHN R. PARK, President,
Salt Lake City, Utah.

Says the Denver News: Neil Heston has harvested from fourteen acres of bottom land, a few miles below Montrose, Colo., 17 carloads of potatoes. These at 50 cents per 100 would return him $110 a car, or $1,870 gross. This is a cash return of $133.57 per acre.

Mrs. A. C. Medlock
Orleans, Ind.

Good Reason for Faith

Cured of Scrofula by Hood's

[illegible]

My Appetite Improved,

[illegible]

Hood's Sarsaparilla Cures

[illegible]

Hood's Pills [illegible]

Broom Hotel
OGDEN, UTAH.
Rates—$1.50 to $3 per day. Special rates to regular boarders. Free sample rooms, electric light, steam heat, centrally located, 3 blocks from depot.
[illegible] Proprietor.

We Know of Nothing that Can Compare with the

Graefenberg Pills

As a FAMILY PILL.

They are actually mild but exceedingly effective.

THE BEST HEADACHE PILL.

GRAEFENBERG

An infallible remedy for all FEMALE COMPLAINTS. Price $1.50 per bottle. CURES WEAKNESS, NERVOUSNESS and GENERAL DEBILITY. This remarkable preparation is the only reliable remedy for the distressing diseases of women. Sold by Druggists. Graefenberg Co. 111 Chambers St., N.Y.

CATHOLICON.

Sold by Z. C. M. I. and all wholesale druggists.

Graefenberg Co.
111 Chambers St., N. Y.

IVORY SOAP 99 44/100% PURE

DON'T ACCEPT IMITATIONS.

PROFESSIONAL.

RICHARDS & RICHARDS,
Attorneys at Law.
Rooms 311 to 315 McCornick Block.

JAS. H. MOYLE,
Attorney at Law,
Rooms [illegible] Constitution Building, opp. Z. C. M. I.

I. M. WADDELL, & THOS ADAMS,
Attorneys at Law and Land Attorneys.
[illegible] McCornick Block, Salt Lake City

YOUNG, YOUNG & MOYLE,
Le Grande Young, Richard W. Young, Oscar W. Moyle.
Attorneys at Law,
Deseret Nat. Bank Bldg., Salt Lake City

RICHARD B. SHEPARD,
Lawyer.
37-40 Commercial Block.

J. F. CORKER, PATENT ATTORNEY. [illegible] Salt Lake City.

CHAS. M. CANNON,
Dentist,
Rooms 406-7 Constitution Building

H. L. LOVE, DENTIST.
Metal Plates, Crown and Bridge Work. Office, 304 McCornick Block.

DR. J. B. KEYSOR & BRO.,
Dentists,
Rooms 2 and 3 Scott-Auerbach Building, 1st floor, 164 Main St.

DR. J. THOMAS,
Surgeon Dentist,
16 Main St. All work guaranteed. Anaesthetics Administered.

Chas. W. Stayner,

LAWYER,

McCornick-Richards Building,
First South Street, Salt Lake City

ESTATES.

Heirs and others having an estate to settle should consult Chas. W. Stayner. He has had an experience of over twenty-five years as attorney for estates. Wills drafted and estates settled. Office McCornick-Richards Building, Salt Lake City.

LAND CASES.

Persons having land contracts, or whose patents are delayed, should consult Chas. W. Stayner. He has just returned from Washington, where he has been conducting a successful practice in the General Land Office. Congressional work attended to. Office McCornick-Richards Building, Salt Lake City.

Correspondence solicited. Send stamped envelope for reply.

DEEDS AND MORTGAGES
Conformable to Latest Territorial Statutes For Sale by the
Deseret News Publishing Co.

NEW EDITION OF THE LATTER-DAY SAINTS' HYMN BOOK
For sale by the Deseret News Pub. Co.
PRICES: 35c TO $1.85.

Deseret National Bank

U. S. DEPOSITORY — SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH.

CAPITAL $500,000. - SURPLUS $500,000.

Directors: L. S. Hills, Pres't. Moses Thatcher, Vice-Pres't. Wm. W. Riter, George Romney, Jas. T. Little, John C. Cutler, James Sharp, Henry Dinwoodey, D. H. Peery, Frank W. Jennings, John R. Barnes, John R. Winder, E. [illegible]

H. S. Young, Cashier. SAFE DEPOSIT BOXES FOR RENT

Wilford Woodruff, President. Geo. M. Cannon, Cashier.

CASH CAPITAL - - $200,000
CASH SURPLUS - - $100,000

Zion's Savings Bank & TRUST CO.

No. 1-3 East Temple Street.
Salt Lake City, Utah.
Established 1873. Incorporated 1882.

—DIRECTORS—
Wilford Woodruff, President.
Geo. Q. Cannon, Vice-President.
Joseph F. Smith, George Reynolds,
Angus M. Cannon, Heber J. Grant,
James Jack, Lorenzo Snow,
T. G. Webber, Francis M. Lyman,
H. B. Clawson, L. John Nuttall,
George M. Cannon.

Safety deposit boxes in our burglar proof vault for rent at very low rate.
Open for deposits Saturday Night until 8 o'clock.

NATIONAL BANK OF THE REPUBLIC.

Frank Knox, President.
J. C. Karrick, Vice-President.
Ed. W. Duncan, Cashier.
CAPITAL PAID IN $500,000.

Banking in all its branches transacted. Exchange drawn on the principal cities of Europe.
Interest paid on time deposits.
Directors—Geo. A. Lowe, Emanuel Kahn, Judge J. G. Sutherland, H. L. A. Culmer, W. E. Smedley, G. S. Holmes, Frank Knox, J. C. Karrick, Ed. W. Duncan.

COMMERCIAL NATIONAL BANK OF SALT LAKE CITY,

INTEREST PAID ON TIME DEPOSITS.
DIRECTORS—F. H. Auerbach, John J. Daly, [illegible]

B. H. Schettler,

Who Does a
GENERAL BANKING BUSINESS
No. 60 Main Street, Opposite the Co-op, and
PAYS INTEREST ON DEPOSITS.
Invites Your Accounts.

Wells, Fargo & Co.'s BANK,
SALT LAKE CITY, - UTAH.
Established, 1852.

[illegible]

WALKER BROS. Bankers

SUCCESSORS TO THE
UNION NATIONAL BANK
Established 1859.
A GENERAL BANKING BUSINESS TRANSACTED.

THE
State Bank of Utah

Corner Main and South Temple Streets, Salt Lake City.
Capital - - $500,000
Surplus - - $50,000
Heber J. Grant, President.
Wm. B. Preston, Vice-President.
Heber M. Wells, Cashier.
—DIRECTORS—
Heber J. Grant, Abraham H. Cannon,
Joseph F. Smith, Heber M. Wells,
Chas. S. Burton, Spencer Clawson,
Wm. B. Preston, P. T. Farnsworth,
Isaac Barton.

COMMERCIAL BANKING IN ALL ITS BRANCHES.
Accounts Solicited—Large and Small.

T. R. JONES & CO., Bankers,
161 MAIN STREET.

Utah Commercial & Savings Bank.

GENERAL BANKING BUSINESS

Foreign and Domestic Exchange bought and sold.
5 per cent. Interest paid on Savings Deposits, Compounded Four Times a Year.

RAILROADS.

RIO GRANDE WESTERN.

STANDARD GAUGE.

CURRENT TIME TABLE. In Effect, Nov. 25th, 1894.

[illegible]

Ticket Office, 13 W. 2nd South.

[illegible]

UNION PACIFIC SYSTEM.

THE THROUGH CAR LINE.

Effective Oct. 7th, 1894.

[illegible]

City Ticket Office, 201 Main Street.

[illegible]

"Santa Fe Route."

Rio Grande Western, Colorado Midland, Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railways,

The only line running Pullman Sleeping Cars between Ogden, Salt Lake City and Chicago without change.

And Pullman Palace Reclining Chair Cars between Ogden, Salt Lake City, Denver and Chicago.

THE SHORT LINE.
SUPERB SCENERY.
EQUIPMENT UNSURPASSED.

Are You Going East?

If so, be sure and secure your tickets reading over the "Santa Fe Route." Grandest and greatest railroad on earth.

Leave Ogden or Salt Lake City on the evening train in order to see the most beautiful scenery in America.

Train leaves Rio Grande Western Depot, Salt Lake City, at [illegible] p. m.

Ticket office, 13 W. Second South St.
H. C. BUSHNELL, General Agent, Passenger Department, [illegible] Building, Salt Lake City, Utah.

Burlington Route

New Service.

TAKE R. G. W. RY.

Evening Train, Leaving Salt Lake City, [illegible] p. m. Connecting Daily with

Burlington Route.

Train No. [illegible] at Denver, for Omaha, Kansas City, St. Louis and Chicago. Through Pullman Sleepers, Free Reclining Chair Cars, Dining Cars a la Carte. Secure Tickets at R. G. W. Ry. Office.

[illegible]

THE
DENVER & RIO GRANDE RAILROAD

SCENIC LINE OF THE WORLD

The only line running two Through Fast Trains daily to
LEADVILLE,
ASPEN, PUEBLO,
COLORADO SPRINGS
AND DENVER.

EFFECTIVE APRIL 29, 1894.

Train No. 2 leaves Ogden [illegible] a.m., Salt Lake [illegible] a.m., arrive at Pueblo [illegible] a.m., Colorado Springs 7:31 a.m., Denver [illegible] a.m.

Train No. 4 leaves Ogden [illegible] p.m., Salt Lake [illegible] p.m., arrive at Pueblo [illegible] p.m., Colorado Springs [illegible] p.m., Denver [illegible] p.m.

Connections made at Pueblo, Colorado Springs and Denver with all lines east. Elegant day coaches, chair cars and Pullman sleepers on all trains. Take the D. & R. G. and have a comfortable trip and enjoy the finest scenery on the continent.

A. S. HUGHES, Traffic Manager, Denver, Colo.
S. K. HOOPER, G. P. & T. A., Denver, Colo.
B. F. NEVINS, General Agent, Salt Lake City, Utah.

MILLENNIAL STAR AND JOURNAL OF DISCOURSES
from 1850 to date;
TIMES AND SEASONS,
Vol. 6, 1845.
FOR SALE AT
DESERET NEWS OFFICE.

GUNPOWDER

Set him now shoot who never shot before, And him who always shot now shoot the more.

HAZARD'S "Kentucky Rifle."
HAZARD'S "Trap Shooting."
HAZARD'S "Duck Shooting."
HAZARD'S "Mining and Blasting."
HAZARD'S Brands the most reliable in the market.

Manufactured by
THE HAZARD POWDER COMPANY,
Hazardville, Conn.
Represented in Utah by—
SALT LAKE HARDWARE CO.

SUNOL!

ROBERT BONNER
Superintending the shoeing of Sunol with the Putnam Nail.

[illegible]

The Putnam Nail is the only exclusively Hot-Forged and Hammer-Pointed nail.

Look in your smith's shoeing box, if the nails have smooth edges for the whole length they are the PUTNAM, for they are Hammer-Pointed and are not sheared.

[illegible]

PUTNAM NAIL CO.,
Neponset, Boston, Mass.
For Sale by Z. C. M. I. and Branch Houses.

Sunday School and Primary.

[illegible]

First Book for our Little Friends, [illegible]
Second Book for our Little Friends, [illegible]
Intermediate S. S. Reader, [illegible]
Questions and Answers on the Life and Mission of the Prophet Joseph Smith, [illegible]
Bible Questions and Answers, [illegible]
Children's Primary Hymn Book, [illegible]
Primary Speaker, No. 1, [illegible]
The Model Roll Book, [illegible]
Class Registers, [illegible]
Primary Tune Book, [illegible]
Book of Mormon Catechism, [illegible]
S. S. Union Hymn Book, [illegible]

Missionary Supplies.

Morgan's Tract No. 1, [illegible]
" " " 2, [illegible]
" " " 3, [illegible]
The Nature Prophet, [illegible]
True vs. False Religion, [illegible]
The Gospel Pioneer, [illegible]
A Reply to "The Mormon Purgatory," [illegible]

Latest Publications.

The Life of Joseph Smith, [illegible]
From Kirtland to Salt Lake, [illegible]
Forty Years Among the Indians, [illegible]
Poetical Writings of O. F. Whitney, [illegible]
Life of Heber C. Kimball, [illegible]
Latter-day Saints Psalmody, [illegible]
Story of the Book of Mormon, [illegible]
Sunday School Hymn Book, [illegible]
Large and Small Size Bibles in Leather [illegible]
President Heber C. Kimball's Journal, [illegible]
Early Scenes in Church History, [illegible]
The Life of Nephi, [illegible]
Scraps of Biography, [illegible]
The Myth of the Manuscript Found, [illegible]
Labors in the Vineyard, [illegible]
Eventful Narratives, [illegible]
Helpful Visions, [illegible]

Noble Women's Lives Series.

Lydia Knight's History, [illegible]
Heroines of "Mormondom," [illegible]

Faith-Promoting Series.

My First Mission, [illegible]
A String of Pearls, [illegible]
Leaves From My Journal, [illegible]
Fragments of Experience, [illegible]
Jos. Smith as a Prophet, [illegible]
The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, [illegible]
The Second Coming of the Messiah, [illegible]
Analysis of the Book of Mormon, [illegible]
The Only Way to be Saved, [illegible]
Glad Tidings of Great Joy, [illegible]
Baptism for the Remission of Sins, [illegible]
Is Baptism Essential to Salvation? [illegible]
Articles of Faith, [illegible]
" " Large, [illegible]
Postage must be paid on the above.

Music.

The Improvement Association Song Book, [illegible]
D. S. S. Union Music Book, [illegible]
Primary Tune Book, [illegible]
The Psalmody, [illegible]

FOR SALE BY

Deseret News Publishing Co.