

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

WASHINGTON, June 11.—The Senate committee on judiciary today further considered the nomination of Melvin Fuller to be Chief Justice without any result.

CHICAGO, June 11.—A despatch from El Paso, Tex., says: Solon Humphreys of New York, for himself and associates, has about closed an important deal for the sale of 40,000 acres of land in the State of Chihuahua, Mexico, to Andrew J. Stuart and George M. Brown of Salt Lake, agents of the Mormon Church of Latter-day Saints, for colonization purposes. The sale is a portion of the Dorrall grant. The purchase money aggregates \$500,000.

ST. LOUIS, June 11.—The *Globe Democrat* published the following this morning: Depew will not be a candidate. This exceedingly important declaration is quoted from a private letter just received from New York. The letter, which is addressed to a gentleman who is one of the delegates at large from the Western States and who will be a prominent figure in the convention, explains Depew's position as this: He has satisfied himself fully by a careful inquiry, that he is not the most available for the party to nominate. He believes that he could carry New York, but he believes that his record as railroad president and corporation lawyer might cost some northwestern electoral votes. Having satisfied himself in this regard, he counts himself off the list. The letter which contains this interesting bit of news also brings information that there is no likelihood of the New York delegation acting together in support of any one candidate. Assurance has been given Depew of nearly the entire vote of the New York delegation, but all the present indications are against concentration on any one man.

It is believed that Sherman will get a dozen votes out of New York, that Gresham will get fully as many, and that the remainder will be distributed impartially. Miscock may get a few complimentary votes on the first ballot but it is certain that he will not get the full vote of the state. It seems to be pretty generally understood that Warner Miller will be agreed upon by the National Committee for temporary chairman of the convention.

BERLIN, June 11.—It is stated that Herr Scholz, Prussian minister of finance, has resigned his portfolio.

ROME, June 10.—In the Chamber of Deputies today the government made a statement in reference to the differences between Italy and Zanzibar. The late Sultan, it appears, ceded certain territory to the Italian Commercial Co., but the cession was subsequently partly revoked. The present Sultan on succeeding to the throne, wrote to King Humbert, who replied to the correspondence. The Sultan, on receipt of King Humbert's reply, neglected the customary forms, which action was intolerable. The consul was compelled to haul down the flag and demand satisfaction. The consul recommends that the satisfaction take the form of cession of territory to Italy. He adds that the presence in Zanzibar of the powers friendly to Italy is a greater reason why the should obtain satisfaction due her. After Italy shall have been satisfied she will be able to examine other matters in dispute between the two countries, notably the question in regard to the territory which was ceded by the late Sultan.

PESTH, June 10.—The Emperor Francis Joseph, in receiving the delegation, said he was satisfied with the amicable relations existing between Austria and the powers. The great military credits demanded did not mean that trouble was impending, but they were asked because the other states had augmented their forces. He declared earnestly he desired peace.

BERLIN, June 10.—It is rumored another cabinet minister has resigned and that Count von Muter will be recalled from the German embassy.

WASHINGTON, June 10.—Dr. Pepper arrived from Philadelphia at 5:10 this afternoon and was joined by Dr. Lincoln and the other physicians interested in General Sheridan's case. A consultation was held and the following bulletin issued this evening:

7 p.m.—General Sheridan's condition continues at least as favorable as it has been for three days past. Respiration is still regular; the cough and expectoration less; the heart action is improved; his nervous force holds out well, and his mind is clear. There is no present indication of any serious complications impending. His appearance is better, and he expresses himself as feeling hopeful of recovery.

CONSIDERABLY IMPROVED.

and there is again a hope that he may yet be able to get out once more. The constant fear of a relapse and another attack of heart failure remains omnipresent, however, and hangs like a cloud over the household. All the symptoms have become more favorable and the General's respiration and strength had improved so much that Drs. Pepper and Lincoln, who joined the four regular doctors in consultation about 5 o'clock in the evening, were able to make a more thorough and extensive examination of the patient than heretofore. It is understood that they found General Sheridan better in every way than on their previous visit. The history of the case has shown a constant recurrence of heart troubles and this causes the apprehension and dread that he may become

much worse at any time, but for this fact the physicians would feel quite easy. It was thought the attacks showed a more periodicity and a tendency to return every third or fourth day. Three days have now elapsed since the last attack and the doctors are anxiously watching to see if these will recur.

Rigid treatment has been prescribed with the hope of warding off any threatened attacks. Should the General go 48 hours longer without the return of heart trouble, it is believed he will have a good fighting chance to get well.

EAU CLAIRE, Wis., June 10.—A wind storm, appearing to originate in the Chippewa pinery, yesterday afternoon, moved to the northwest and struck the line of the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha Railway, near Chetek village, 49 miles north of Eau Claire. Chetek lies on the margin of Lake Chetek, where the cyclone struck the lake. A funnel-shaped waterspout of immense proportions formed and went over the lake with great rapidity, taking up the water with a noise like the escape of an immense volume of steam. The storm passed near Chetek and the wood country beyond, uprooting trees and scattering all before it.

FORT GATES, Dakota, June 10.—The greatest tempest ever known in this part of Dakota passed over this point early yesterday morning. Houses were blown down, fences lifted up and hurled through space for miles; trees torn up by their roots and borne along for several rods, Indian tepees picked up and demolished. The wind came up while the people at the fort, and in the vicinity were sleeping, and the first intimation they had was the removal of their roofs from over their heads. With the wind came heavy thunder and vivid lightning. Ten minutes after the storm broke it began to rain in torrents, causing immense damage by washouts in the new made gardens and the wheat and corn fields. Several persons were killed by lightning and falling debris. Those so far identified are Shell King, the celebrated Indian Chief and Ussion, a farmer living two miles south of here, who was found dead in his field a half mile from the point at which his house was located. His building was completely wrecked. Dat Mariski, a girl 13 years old, living at a settlement six miles south, has not been seen since the storm struck that point and it is believed she was blown into the river and drowned. Search is being made for her body. It is feared that many others have been killed. The loss in this vicinity will amount to many thousands. That among the Indians is especially severe, as hundreds of them had everything they had swept away by the wind. At Grand Forks it had been raining incessantly for 48 hours, flooding cellars and the business portion of the city, and making streets impassable. To add to the general demoralization the sewer burst on Demers' Avenue, flooding the basements to the depth of five feet and destroying furniture and perishable goods.

LIVINGSTON, Montana, June 10.—McBride, the defaulting postmaster, has not yet been apprehended. His defalcations will reach six or seven hundred dollars. He was formerly connected with the Northern Pacific Railroad office here. He has left his young wife to shift for herself and has probably gone to Canada. He was treasurer of the Knights of Labor, and is short to that order \$300. He stopped at Helena and is said to have paid all his bills by giving his personal check on the bank at this place for whatever amount he obtained, having no funds to meet them. Postmaster Curtis of Helena was taken in for quite a sum.

BANGOR, June 10.—Last night just as the train was starting on the Bangor & Boston road, the engineer was signalled to stop as Jeremiah G. Sinclair, postal clerk, was taken with a severe hemorrhage. Sinclair was taken to the hotel in an omnibus but died on the way. It was then ascertained that death resulted from a wound in the breast. The only persons known to have been with young Sinclair in the car are the postal clerks, Sellon and Haynes, who were subsequently arrested and confined in separate apartments. It is rumored that Haynes made a statement implicating Sellon as the one who perpetrated the deed.

LONDON, June 10.—The Duchess of Edinburgh has been robbed of a quantity of jewelry. The articles have been stolen from her baggage between Cordova and Granada.

DENVER, June 10.—One of the most disastrous fires that ever visited Trinidad started late last evening. After a hard fight, the fire department succeeded in getting control of it, but not until the Commercial Hotel with seven or eight business houses had been consumed.

LOWELL, Mass., June 10.—A tenement house burned here tonight. Eugene Vallerand, aged 18, Peter Vallerand, 8, and Delia Vallerand, 5, perished. Another of the family and another occupant named Boisvert were fatally hurt.

OMAHA, Neb. June 10.—The steamer *General Terry*, from Bismarck, Dak., with 500 men of the 5th Regiment bound for Texas, struck the old pier above the Northern Pacific bridge, and sank in shallow water near the shore about half a mile below this city, this evening. All the passengers went ashore on gang planks but the clothes and household goods of the officers and men went down. The loss is estimated at \$25,000.

The *Helena* of Omaha, which contained the rest of the regiment will

continue down the river while the *Terry* passengers will continue their journey by rail.

MILWAUKEE, June 10.—Marquette, Michigan, advices say: Reports received from thirteen places in the upper Michigan peninsula agree that last night's storm was unprecedented in the severity and amount of rainfall. No approximation of damage is yet possible. Houses were undermined and in some cases swept away; culverts and bridges were destroyed, and miles of fences and sidewalks were swept away. Although several railroad culverts were destroyed, no accidents occurred; but travel is generally delayed on the peninsula roads.

CHICAGO, June 10.—A dispatch from Port Huron, Mich., says: There is no question that the breaking up of opium smuggling at this point will scatter the largest gang of crooks in the country. It is said that there is \$13,000,000 backing them. Yesterday another important arrest was made. Charles Sanders, who kept a storehouse for opium on the Canada side, was arrested by Inspector Lynn, who, with Agents Mitchell of Chicago and Husey of New York, has been working the case since September, 1897. Several times they had their men in hand, but something always happened so that they could not make a strong case.

Inspector Lynn had followed Charlie Labelle, now under arrest at Indianapolis, from below Port Huron to Smith's Creek, where he shipped five cases containing one thousand pounds of opium to L. Winters at Indianapolis. He then took train for that point and was arrested the following day. His best points of shipping were Imlay City, Emmett, Smith Creek and Toledo. Over \$300,000 worth of stuff has left this point since last September. Their operations were confined to this point only. L. F. Sanders, arrested at his store on the river bank, is from the northwest. He followed mining in Idaho until six years ago. Charles Sanders is from Hamburg. Before he became crooked he was employed on lines out of New York. He was on the steamer *Republic* where he became acquainted with Charles Labelle. Both were quartermasters. They met an opium merchant who brought them west to Victoria, British Columbia. There their operations were too closely watched and they moved to Sarnia. Last September both opened stores on the bank of the river with a small stock of groceries as a cover for their necessary shipping. Labelle has given information of their operations that will send them to prison. All of Sanders' men were put under \$50,000 bonds.

WASHINGTON, June 11.—A bulletin issued at 10:30 o'clock this morning, says: General Sheridan has had a good night, coughing but little and expectorating without difficulty. The pulse indicates satisfactory heart action. His breathing is still irregular. An improvement in appetite continues.

NEW YORK, June 11.—Charles Cross, a jockey, who was thrown from his horse at the Jerome Park races, died from his injuries tonight at the Manhattan hospital.

LONDON, June 11.—A Berlin correspondent of the *St. James Gazette* telegraphs that the Emperor is distinctly worse and has lately suffered severe pains. The correspondent also says that a hole has been discovered between the windpipe and the gullet, and the taking of food thereby is made dangerous.

POTSDAM, Forenoon.—The Emperor passed a good night. The difficulty in swallowing which has troubled him for a few days past has not quite entirely disappeared. His appetite is better.

The Emperor will rise at 11 o'clock. Dr. McKenzie, in the presence of Drs. Wegener, Krause and Belben, yesterday inserted a new silver canula.

MARQUETTE, Mich., June 11.—The reports from the Peninsula giving accounts of the great storm of Saturday show that the storm was heavier near Lake Linden than elsewhere, although the country for a hundred miles each way was visited. The storm burst like a waterspout at Calumet. A large quantity of water poured into the Calumet and Hecla mine before the miners could be protected. At Portage the entries to quarries are stopped being full of water. The damage at Lake Linden is estimated at \$50,000. Basements are flooded and railway communication cut out by washouts. The people of Norway, Mich., have reason to be thankful for the rain, however, as the fire of Saturday would not otherwise have left a building standing; as it was forty-seven buildings were destroyed. There are but two stores left in the city and the town has scarcely any provisions whatever.

Pueblo, June 4.—Last night a party of Italian laborers arrived on the Santa Fe railroad. One of them was lying or walking on the track in a drunken condition and was run over by the cars and had an arm crushed. The other Italians becoming enraged threatened to kill the engineer. He fled, but they began firing pistols at the cars and in all directions. Policeman William Schurtz, hearing the firing, approached one of the gang named Carmena Picardo, who fired a Winchester rifle twice at the officer, but missed him. Schurtz at the same time drew his revolver and fired, shooting Picardo in the thigh, making a bad flesh wound. He was arrested and taken to jail. Angelo Vanelli, the one who was run over by the engine, had his arm amputated and is in the hospital.

NEWS NOTES.

Items Gathered from Various Sources.

Pueblo, Col., June 2.—A party of cowboys today rode into the village of Stewart's Station, near the state line, and painted the town red. After a Wild West circus in the street they attacked the postoffice, rode inside and fired more than a hundred shots at everything in sight, making a pretty general wreck of the concern. Deputy United States Marshal Nutting, who came along on the Missouri Pacific railroad, was informed. He came to Pueblo, got a party to help him and went back on the evening train to restore order and make arrests.

Butte, (M. T.), June 3.—A terrible accident occurred here today in the St. Lawrence mine. While a number of miners were ascending the shaft for their dinners a cave took place, extending from the 400-foot level to the 200-foot level, and about 80 feet back from the shaft. Experienced miners have regarded the place as dangerous to work in, and some 80 miners or more have quit work in the past few days. The men who were at work on the 200-foot level at the time of the accident had all arrived at the shaft to be drawn up, with the exception of five on that shift, who had been delayed in placing some drills. The names of the victims in the cave are Sullivan, Harrington, O'Neil, Murphy and Keiloug. The men at the shaft were knocked down by the concussion and all were blinded by the dust. All the leads of the St. Lawrence connect with the 400-foot level of the Anaconda by crosscuts. From the Anaconda side the imprisoned men can be heard knocking on the air pipe. By this means some of the imprisoned miners are known to be alive at this writing. Working through the rock and dirt is difficult and the men are hampered by the limited space in which they have to work in their attempt to get to their brother workmen in the mine. The management of the mine are applying every available means to alleviate the sufferings of the injured and to rescue the imprisoned men, and the place is surrounded by an anxious crowd of people. Everything appertaining to the inside working of the mine is in endless confusion. Little or no information is obtainable this evening regarding the fate of the men. Later—All but Tim Harrington have been taken out alive. It is believed by all that he was killed, though his body has not been found up to midnight.

STAKE ACADEMY.

Closing Exercises of the Second Year.

The Salt Lake Stake Academy's closing exercises for the Second year were gone through with this morning in the Social Hall.

The Academy choir sang the hymn "I'll praise my Maker while I've breath."

Prayer was offered by Brother Jos. Nelson.

Singing, "Kind Words are Sweet Tones of the Heart."

An address in behalf of the male students was made by Ralph Cutler. He had enquired among the young men and was pleased to report a brotherly feeling existing among them.

Laura Hyde, speaking in behalf of the young ladies, stated that they were well satisfied with the efforts of the teachers to instruct them, and that feelings of friendship existed among not only the young ladies, but among the members of the whole school.

Alice Reynolds represented the theological organization, and said: Theology is the main study of the school, and it is this that supports all the rest. Our course in this has been according to that laid down in the Compendium.

The choir sang "Let every heart rejoice and sing."

Brother Willard Croxall reported excellent advancement as having been made by his classes considering the season of the year.

Brother Joseph Nelson, in charge of the preparatory department, stated that the pupils there have shown great zeal in their studies.

Brother Willard Done spoke of the progress of the academy as a whole and read the principal's report.

A vocal selection was rendered by Miss Louie Poulton.

The meeting was then given into the hands of President Angus M. Cannon, who made an address, and was followed by Elders John Cutler and N. L. Nelson, of the B. Y. Academy, Provo.

The choir sang the anthem, "Praise God in His holiness."

Benediction by Elder W. B. Dougall.

Utah County Notes.

Miss Mary Brereton took charge of the Spanish Fork Postoffice on Tuesday last.

Dykes & Doull have been arrested at Springville for selling liquor on Sunday. They will be given a hearing today. Judge Sutherland goes to Springville today to defend them.

The manuscript for the play of "The Silver King," through the courtesy of the Home Dramatic Club of Salt Lake City, has been loaned to Mr. W. C. A. Smoot, and the piece will be presented by local talent in the Theatre at an early day.

A petition is being circulated asking the city council to erect a band stand on the court house square, for the use of the silver band, which offers to give concert free gratis. The petition is being numerously signed, and will in all probability have the desired result.

S. M. Duggins was arrested on Tuesday for keeping his saloon open after the hours prescribed by the ordinance. He was given a hearing before Alderman Alexander, and this being the first case under the ordinance, upon Mr. Duggins' plea of guilty, sentence was suspended.

Alma Fairchild, of Eureka, Tintic, was arrested by Deputy Marshal Bennett on Saturday, and was brought before Commissioner Hills in this city to answer to a charge of unlawful cohabitation. He gave bonds pending examination on Monday morning, when the case was investigated by the commissioner and the defendant discharged, the evidence being insufficient to warrant the commissioner in binding him over to await the action of the grand jury.

A close call for a bad wreck was experienced by No. 8, on the D. & R. G. W. this forenoon coming down from Salt Lake City. The train ran over a calf, throwing one of the coaches off the track, and the derailed car was pulled nearly a quarter of a mile before the train stopped. Passengers say it was a close call, and they are not anxious to repeat the experiment. The train was delayed nearly an hour on account of the accident.—*Provo American*, June 7.

DEATHS.

SPARKS.—At Dingle Dell, May 29th, 1898, after a short illness, Henry E. Sparks, born June 11th, 1872.—*Southern Idaho Independent*.

BOAM.—At Mill Creek, May 31st, 1898, Thomas Boam. He was born September 20, 1802, at Burton-on-Trent, Staffordshire, England, being 86 years old.

He had a family of nine children and eighteen grandchildren, and died as he lived, an honest man.—[Com.]

Millennial Star, please copy.

JOHN.—April 1, 1898, after an illness of nine months, John John; born May 29, 1818, at Llanelli, Carmarthenshire. He was baptized March 18, 1848; ordained an Elder March 27, 1853. He bore a faithful testimony of the Gospel in his last moments. The funeral services were conducted by President Williams and Elders John Thomas and Richard Morse.—*Millennial Star*.

WILSON.—Elizabeth Ollorton Wilson, wife of Jas. Wilson; born Dec. 21, 1832, at Eccleston, Lancashire, England, died May 23, 1898, at Jaab, Utah, of consumption of the bowels.

She was baptized in 1840, by Elder Heber C. Kimball, and was the daughter of John and Alice Ollorton. She left England May 24th, 1856, with her husband, father, mother and three sisters; crossed the plains in Elder Martin's handcart company, and arrived in Salt Lake City Nov. 30th, 1856. She buried her father and mother on the plains, and one sister when she arrived in Salt Lake. She lived and died a faithful Latter-day Saint, in full hope and faith of a glorious resurrection. She was a loving wife and a kind and affectionate mother. She leaves a husband, two sons and two daughters to mourn her loss.

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WINEGAR.—In Eglin, Bingham County, Idaho, from the accidental discharge of his rifle, Leonard W., son of Stephen and Lou Winegar. Born in Mill Creek, Salt Lake County, Utah, November 19, 1881; died May 28, 1888. Aged 28 years, 6 months and 9 days. He died firm in the faith.

Town and Utah papers please copy.—[Com.]

FINDLAY.—At Lake Town, Rich County Utah, after an illness of three days, on May 30, 1888, Alfreda, second daughter of Alma and Sarah Ann Becker Findlay; aged 3 years, 8 months and 11 days.


GUNDERSEN.—In the First Ward, this city, of paralysis, on June 1st, Martha Christina Gundersen. Deceased was born August 27, 1824, in Norway, where she embraced the Gospel. She emigrated with her husband to Utah in 1885, where she lived as a Latter-day Saint, and died in hope of a glorious resurrection.


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EDWARDS.—In the Eleventh Ward, of pleuro-pneumonia, Emma Edwards; born Sept. 19th, 1852, in St. Louis, Mo.; died June 11th, 1898, in Salt Lake City. The funeral services will be held at the Eleventh Ward Assembly Rooms on Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock.


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
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
One brown MARE, 7 yr's years old, branded  on left thigh.

One brown yearling HORSE Colt, branded  on left thigh.

One bay MARE, 5 or 6 years old, brand resembling  on left thigh.

One sorrel HORSE, 2 years old, brand resembling  on left thigh, with white spot in forehead.

One brown black HORSE, about 8 years old, branded  on left shoulder and on

right side of neck, and  on left thigh.

If the above animals are not claimed and taken away within 10 days from date, will be sold to the highest cash bidder, at Lake View estray pound, in Tooele County, on Monday, the 18th of June, 1898.

JOHN H. SMITH, Poundkeeper.
Lake View, Tooele County, June 8, 1898.