

BY TELEGRAPH.

AMERICAN.

PORTLAND, Or., 4.—The total loss by the late conflagration aggregates \$1,159,675, and the insurance \$231,050. The companies losing are the Imperial, of London, \$80,000; Liverpool, London and Globe \$41,250; The San Francisco Fireman's Fund and the San Francisco Union, San Francisco, \$90,000; Phoenix, of Hartford, \$20,000. A card from the property owners of the burnt district proposes to widen the streets ten feet on either side, so as to prevent the spread of fire in future by the increased distance from house to house, also to beautify and improve property. Hon. Ben. Holliday proposes to assist the people who are sufferers, and he asks Portland's wealthy citizens to aid him in his endeavors. He will give tools to workmen, help to furnish building material and, when needed, money. He calls upon the mayor to ask for aid from large cities east and west. When our wealth and our means of recuperation are considered our loss by Saturday's fire is greater than Chicago's.

NEW YORK, 5.—Arrangements for the forty-second exhibition of the American Institute are nearly completed. The directors propose to receive articles from farmers, manufacturers, inventors and others for exhibition. The exhibition will be formally opened September 10th, and will remain open to the public till November 15th. The exhibition will be a greater success than its predecessor.

The forest fires on Long Island are now burned out. The losses have been very heavy, and generally fall upon poor, hard-working people. Many families, whose homes have been burned down, and their property destroyed, have been compelled to apply to the authorities for relief.

Three cases of sun stroke occurred yesterday.

The coal merchants deny the report that a combination has been formed to raise the price of coal, but they admit the existence of a certain understanding among interested parties, the apparent object of which is to add on to the price of coal ten cents per ton per month, until November or December. They have planned it so as to reach the highest market price just as winter sets in, when the demand will be the greatest.

The scaffolding in front of a house, No. 127 Second Street, fell yesterday p. m. Philip Snyder, of 125 Columbia Street, and John Weigate, of 598 Fifth Street, were severely injured. The former lies, it is thought, fatally injured, the latter sustained a compound fracture of the leg. The men were taken to the hospital.

The Tribune, to-day, publishes in large type a list of members of the last Congress, and the place of residence of each senator or representative, and the record of his doings in regard to the drawing of the back pay. Editorially it takes occasion to again denounce the pay outrage, and says that republicans, democrats and liberals are alike stained with it. It urges the mass of voters to rise above party, and show that they consider common honesty in public affairs a more important matter than party success.

PITTSBURGH, 5.—The great wrestling match between Edward Low, champion of England, and Michael Tierney, of this city, for a purse of \$1,000, which was to take place to-day, is postponed.

WASHINGTON, 5.—Various railroad companies leaving this city propose to have their representatives appear before the appropriation committee of Congress this coming session, relative to an additional allowance and compensation for the transportation of the large amount of mail matter, which was forwarded during the three months prior to the abolition of the franking privilege.

Yesterday p. m., some vandal entered Old Christ Church, in Alexandria, famous as the place where Washington worshipped, and turned the furniture upside down, destroyed the music, saturated the cushions and prayer books with oil, and removed the silver plate from the Washington pew, besides committing many other depredations.

HALIFAX, 5.—Brown has agreed to row Biglin for \$1000, allowing the latter \$250 for expenses. The time has not yet been fixed.

LOCAL AND OTHER MATTERS.

FROM TUESDAY'S DAILY, AUGUST 5.

MISSIONARY APPOINTMENTS.—In response to an invitation from a number of citizens of Bingham Canyon, Elders Milo Andrus and Isaac Groo will preach there on Sunday the 17th inst.

DULY QUALIFIED.—The constable elect for Bingham precinct was brought to town last night on a lumber wagon in a peculiar condition. The County authorities think that he is sufficiently qualified.

CORRECTION.—The notice in last night's News of the "Missionary appointments," stated that missionaries had been invited to preach at Brigham City, on the 7th inst. It should have read, Bingham City, Bingham Canyon, on the 17th inst.

RED ASTRACAN.—A large specimen of the Red Astracan apple, mature, rosy and beautiful, from the orchard of Mr. Lorenzo D. Young, in Sugar House Ward, was shown in this office this afternoon. It is one of the earliest of the season.

A FREAK OF NATURE.—A gentleman who resides in the 17th ward informs us that he owns a cat that brought six kittens to light the other day, all of which latter are joined together at the Siamese twins, and that they are all alive.

THE BRITISH MISSION.—The following is from the *Millennial Star* of July 15th—

APPOINTMENT.—B. W. Carrington is appointed traveling Elder in the Leeds and Sheffield Conference, until otherwise directed.

A MAN FOUND DEAD.—The following came by Deseret Telegraph:

Fillmore, 4.—A boy, a resident of Meadow Creek, reports finding a man dead, last evening, somewhere on the hills east from Meadow settlement. The flesh was off his hands and face, and the supposition is that he is some truant, as no resident of any of the settlements in the vicinity is missing. Some of the citizens of Meadow have gone out to-day to find the body.

SUMMER COMPLAINTS.—There is considerable sickness among children just now. This is about the time of year when summer complaints appear among the little ones. Parents and guardians of children should be careful to see that the latter do not eat unripe fruit and that they do not partake too lavishly of fruit that is ripe, as many cases of bowel complaints are traceable to neglect in this matter. The bodies of children should be washed frequently during the hot season.

DEPARTED THIS LIFE.—We learned last evening, too late for notice in yesterday's issue of the NEWS, of the death, on Sunday night, of Elder Orinus E. Bates. He had been afflicted for some time with an internal disease, but his friends had not the remotest idea that he would leave them so soon. Elder Bates was long connected with the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, and was much respected.

MINIATURE BALLOONS.—Cheap John, First South Street, has been "turning an honest penny" to-day by utilizing the gas supplied by the City Gas Company for other than lighting purposes. He took to inflating those little ten cent, transparent globes used as toys for children, and selling them as balloons at two-bits each. They have been going off like "hot cakes" and have been sent up into the air, through which they ascend very rapidly.

THIRD DISTRICT COURT.—James F. Woodman vs. Stephen H. Goddard. An order was made confirming the sale made by the special master in chancery. A. C. Russell, James T. Hoyt, of Cal., and Joseph C. Hemmingsworth, of Kansas, were admitted to the bar.

The Lavinia Mining Co., vs. John Tierman et al. A motion was made to dissolve the restraining order made by the Chief Justice.

OGDEN.—The Junction of yesterday has the following:

"Last Saturday night there was a disgraceful scene at the depot. A number of rowdies, attracted by the circus, assembled around the saloons and places of business near the depot. Entering the Chicago Bakery they commenced a disturbance. While some were engaged in diverting the attention of the proprietor of the house, others jumped over the counter and robbed the till of thirty dollars. They helped themselves to the good things displayed at the bar, without paying for value received. A fracas ensued between J. McKenzie and Charles Engelmann, when the invaders were summarily ejected from the premises."

"Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Brown invited their friends to a picnic yesterday. Everything went off happily until a slimy snake was discovered furtively seeking their baskets, where ample provision had been made for the party. The ladies screamed, and the camping ground was removed elsewhere. The snake was killed, and measured about two feet and had seven rattles."

RATHER LATE.—We have just received, from Clarence Jackson, of Long Valley, front Carmel, Kane County, an account of the manner in which the good folks of that place celebrated the 24th of July, which we would have published had it arrived sooner, but it is getting too late to insert such communications now. The day was duly honored at that place, however, and the citizens had a time of rejoicing.

Here is the concluding portion of Brother Jackson's letter:

"Our prospects in this isolated part of the country are not very flattering at present, crops being very late. The season, thus far, has been very dry, having had no rains. The creek seems to diminish every day. There will be but half a crop raised here this season."

"We have meetings regularly every Sabbath and our day and Sabbath schools are both well attended. Brother Israel Hoyt presides at this place. The health of the people is generally good; peace and good order prevail in our midst. The people mourn the loss of our departed friend, President Joseph W. Young; he has left us, but his works do and will follow him."

EDUCATIONAL.—We understand that the University commences its seventh academic year on Monday, the 25th inst. Prepar-

ations are being made to increase the faculty by engaging a corps sufficient to administer mental pabulum adapted to the capacity of the advanced pupils of the Territory who may be seeking to take a preparatory course to enable them to enter the regular courses, normal, scientific, or classic in the University.

We also understand the question is under discussion of starting from a lower standpoint educationally than heretofore. There is a system known as the Kinder Garten in vogue in Germany, and to a limited extent in the U. S., wherein amusement and instruction are combined, which contemplates taking the child at three or four years and laying the educational foundation. Many novelties are inaugurated, that are, after a few years abandoned, but those who have tried the system for years are its advocates, and so far as we have read in relation to the matter we consider it a useful system. We cannot begin too young to put our children on the right track.

THE ELECTION.—We herewith give the result of the voting yesterday, so far as the returns had been counted up to three o'clock this afternoon:

COMMISSIONERS TO LOCATE UNIVERSITY LANDS.—J. Van Cott, Four Precincts of Salt Lake City, 1997; North Jordan, 53; Brighton, 16; Sugar House, 61; Bingham, 22; L. S. Hills, Four Precincts of City, 1998; N. Jordan, 53; Brighton, 16; Sugar House, 61; Bingham, 22; John Rowberry, Four Precincts of City, 1998; N. Jordan, 53; Brighton, 16; Sugar House, 61.

COUNCILORS TO THE LEGISLATURE.—W. Woodruff, four precincts of city, 1997; North Jordan, 53; Brighton, 16; Sugar House, 61; Bingham, 22; W. Jennings, four precincts of city, 1994; N. Jordan, 53; Brighton, 16; Sugar House, 61; Bingham, 22; W. H. Hooper, four precincts of city, 1997; N. Jordan, 53; Brighton, 16; Sugar House, 61; Bingham, 22; John T. Calve, four precincts of City, 1997; N. Jordan, 53; Brighton, 16; Sugar House, 61; Bingham, 22.

SELECTMAN.—E. M. Weller, four precincts of City, 1998; North Jordan, 53; Brighton, 16; Sugar House, 61.

CONSTABLE FOR BINGHAM PRECINCT.—John McIntyre, 29 votes.

CORONER.—Geo. J. Taylor, four precincts of City, 1993; North Jordan, 53; Brighton, 16; Sugar House, 61. Very few scattering votes were cast.

By Deseret Telegraph.

Big Fire at Ogden.

OGDEN, 5.—A fire broke out at three o'clock, this morning, in Higginbotham's drug store, on Main St., which spread rapidly to the stores adjoining and before the flames could be arrested ten or twelve buildings were destroyed. They were mainly small frame buildings.

The principal losers are Fred Levy, dry goods; Zion's Co-operative, hardware; Mendelsohn, dry goods; Henuiger, dry goods; Baker, groceries, and Higginbotham, drugs; all except the latter saved a large portion of their stock, although more or less damaged by mud and water. The loss is not yet estimated. Insurance light.

A man, named Clark, fell from the roof of a building, and was severely injured.

The fire was in the block occupied by the main business houses of the city, and nothing but the heavy rain of yesterday prevented its entire destruction. It is supposed to have started from phosphorus in the drug store.

FOUNTAIN GREEN, Aug. 5, 1873.

One hundred and seventy-five votes were polled here yesterday, all for the people's ticket.

INCIDENTS OF THE STORM.—The storm of yesterday was much more severe in some parts of the City than in others. The upper part of the 24th Ward was visited by a small tornado, just strong enough to give the people there an idea of the terrific and destructive character of phenomena of that kind. Some murky looking clouds were seen to meet in the south eastern part of the city and to assume the shape of a large column, which whirled and rushed through the air, going in a northerly direction. This whirlwind or tornado touched the ground on the bench, also in the north-east part of the 12th Ward, and severely shook some of the houses principally south of the main water ditch in the former ward, but was most destructive a few blocks north of that point. It caught the east end of the residence of widow Simmons and demolished the chimney, took up a quantity of slabs composing a shed belonging to Mr. John Balu and whirled them in mid air, threw down a number of outhouses around that locality, carrying some of them a distance of half a block. The roof of a back kitchen belong to Mr. K. Knight was carried away. Some of the people in the neighborhood were very much frightened.

The storm also did considerable damage on the 19th Ward bench. It appears that a cloud must have burst by coming in contact with the adjacent mountain, as a torrent came tearing down in the vicinity of Mr. W. J. Silver's workshop, and did a good deal of damage to several orchards, especially to that of Mr. Plant, blacksmith, upon which a large quantity of build ings were carried. We are also informed that the water flooded his house and damaged a large amount of his effects. The workshops of Mr. Silver were also flooded, those who were inside at the time having to make their escape as best they could.

The banks of a number of water ditches in various parts of the city gave way and flooded the streets. Planks and bridges across the ditches were torn out and washed away.

In the 12th Ward the elevated water tank on the lot where Hon. Thos. Fitch formerly resided, was blown down, also several trees in other lots, while houses trembled and furniture clattered.

Since writing the above we have learned that a partial constructed rock house belonging to a Mr. Johnson, which was situated in a gully on the 19th Ward Bench, was swept entirely away by the flood.

U. S. LAND OFFICE PATENTS.—All persons interested should read the following—

U. S. LAND OFFICE.

SALT LAKE CITY, U. T., August 4th, 1873.

The following cash patents have been received at this office from the General Land Office at Washington, and are ready for delivery on surrender of the duplicate receipts:

No. 867	in favor of	David Grant.
" 873	"	Moses Martin.
" 871	"	Jesse R. Burbridge.
" 873	"	John K. Lemon.
" 874	"	John A. Lewis.
" 875	"	Wm. I. Slagleton.
" 886	"	David Adamson.
" 889	"	George Brough.
" 890	"	Richard Warburton.
" 891	"	Wm. W. Merrill.

" 894	"	Adam B. Smith.
" 896	"	Wm. Prescott.
" 900	"	George Jensen.
" 905	"	Nelis Nilson.
" 909	"	John C. Dewey.
" 910	"	Albert W. Collins.
" 911	"	Lyman O'Keen.
" 912	"	John Hendry.
" 915	"	David Day.
" 916	"	Wm. Sharp.
" 918	"	Nathan Stoker.
" 920	"	Dan's Snerer.
" 921	"	Sam'l Cunningham.
" 925	"	David H. Crosby.
" 926	"	E. Ware alias Bates.
" 928	"	Jas. W. Carrigan.
" 929	"	Hadrock Empey.
" 930	"	Jesse T. Clark.
" 934	"	David Higgs.
" 935	"	Jacob Froerimanu.
" 937	"	Pleasant S. Bradford.
" 938	"	Volney King.
" 939	"	Jas. P. Robson.
" 940	"	Henry V. Cox.
" 942	"	Peter Huntsman.
" 943	"	Wm. H. Branch.
" 944	"	Alfred Read.
" 945	"	Wm. Lang.
" 946	"	Timothy Parkinson.
" 947	"	Oliver Bauer.
" 948	"	Joseph Page.
" 950	"	Edward Meredith.
" 952	"	James Kennedy.
" 953	"	Wm. F. Butler.
" 958	"	Wm. Poole.
" 959	"	Robt. Ashton.
" 960	"	Alexander Nicoll.
" 961	"	Allen F. Smithson.
" 962	"	Wm. C. Smithson.
" 963	"	David Charles.
" 964	"	Phillip Delaware.
" 965	"	Wm. H. Lee.
" 966	"	Wm. Pace.
" 967	"	James Pace.
" 968	"	James Harvey.
" 969	"	James Howard.
" 970	"	John Kellett.
" 971	"	Wm. Dalley.
" 972	"	Thos. Green.
" 973	"	Edmund Webb.
" 974	"	Geo. M. Pace.
" 975	"	Geo. M. Smith.
" 976	"	Henry Baur.
" 977	"	Thos. D. Roberts.
" 978	"	Samuel Pitchforth.
" 979	"	John Price.
" 980	"	Frederick John

No. 504 for the townsite of Heber City, Wasatch county.

Geo. R. MAXWELL, Register.

THE BAIN WAGON.—Messrs. Seabee & Robertson, whose advertisement appears in another column, have been greatly encouraged with the favorable reports reaching them from different parts of the Territory, and have accordingly made their arrangements to supply the famous Bain Wagons of assorted sizes this year as fast as the people can demand them. This wagon has only been here eighteen months, and now stands unrivaled with the people.

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I HAVE in my possession:
One blue roan MARE, about 10 years old, has been worked and rode, branded WC (combined) on left shoulder, colt with her.
If not claimed and taken away before Saturday, August 23d, 1873, will be sold at the Hebron Estray Pound, at 4 o'clock p. m., to the highest responsible bidder.
G. H. CROSBY,
District Poundkeeper.
Hebron, July 24, 1873. ds&wle

ESTRAYS.
I HAVE in my possession the following animals:
One bay HORSE, about eight years old, hind feet white, star in forehead, some saddle marks, branded N on left thigh.
A light brown MARE, about three or four years old, black mane and tail, branded J with half circle on top on left thigh.
If not claimed they will be sold at public sale, at the Estray Pound, American Fork, on Thursday, August 14, 1873, at 1 o'clock p. m.
WILLIAM GRANT,
District Poundkeeper.
American Fork, August 4th, 1873. ds&wle

STRAYED.
FROM Little Cottonwood, a HORSE and a MARE horse of common iron grey color, cheeks darker than other parts of it, also legs darker than the body at large, no brand on, about eight years old; when lost had a chain on his foot two or three feet long. Mare five years old, branded EB on left shoulder, or RR, not plain, color yellowish roan. Both likely to be together. Please return to Moroni Rees, Alta City. Reward, twenty dollars. s52 1

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