

FLOATING FRAGMENTS.

Last day of the year 1888.

A happy New Year to all!

The Equivocal of Friday is a new year.

Three more burglaries in Ogden last week.

Remember your holiday presents to the Logan temple.

"Cathello" was played for the first time in Logan, on Saturday.

James of Spanish Fork, formerly of Provo, died on Thursday last.

The thermometer this morning indicated two degrees below zero.

It's fun for the boys, but look well to your legs when you pass the sister's sidewalk.

The ninth assessment of ten percent on stock of the Provo Theatre, will be due Jan. 21st.

Several drunks and other cases of minor offenses, were disposed of in the Police Court this morning.

New Year's holiday to-morrow, the News will suspend, with other leading institutions, until Wednesday.

May and Mrs. Jennings will receive New Year's callers from noon till three p.m., at the Devereaux House.

Sullivan, the supposed murderer of a canal, at Frisco, has been arrested at St. George and taken to Beaver for trial.

Beaver expects that President Joseph F. Smith and Apostle P. M. Lyman will attend the coming State Conference in that city.

Robert Heaps, of Beaver, while visiting his parents on Christmas day at Monroe, 88 for County, accidentally shot his leg broken.

The Ogden Herald says: "Last night the famous fraternity were in a fine frolic and piled their victim on various vicinities."

James Johnson, of Provo, was arrested last Friday night for shooting a pistol and threatening to kill his wife. He was intoxicated.

Lewis Harvey, of Pleasant Grove, took copperas, mistaking it for epsom salts, on Monday last. Antidotes were administered, and he recovered.

Two butchers, one at Frisco, the other at Avon, were arrested by Sheriff Combs, of Beaver, for alleged cattle stealing in that county.

Robert Evan Stephens sends word that he will be back from the State Prison on Tuesday and Wednesday, as previously announced.

A couple of young lads brought to the office a wall and contents and some other articles which they found on the outside of the north wall of the Temple Block, to-day.

Deputy Sheriff Wm. Brown, of Ogden, arrested two Park City horse thieves last Thursday and delivered them over to Sheriff Thomas, of that latter place. So says the Ogden Herald.

James Doyle, of Alpine, was accidentally thrown from a train last Friday, between Provo and Springville. He collided with a bar wire fence and was seriously injured about the head.

A public dance at Minersville, on Christmas night, was somewhat riotously disturbed by an unsmooth and viciously intoxicated individual who carried a Winchester rifle, and threatened dire vengeance upon any one who dared to dance with his wife from whom, it is said, he had separated some three or four months. After firing a shot in the air, he fled, and a reward would considerably, he was arrested and fined.

LOCAL AND OTHER MATTERS.

Kicked by a Co.—On Friday last Brother Joseph Wadley, of Pleasant Grove, was kicked by a cow. It struck him on the upper jaw and broke the teeth and bones, and splitting other bones in the throat. His wounds were dressed by Dr. Rorer, and he is doing as well as can be expected. C. B. Harper is our informant.

Aggravated Assault.—A case came up before Justice Spiers this morning, in which O. H. M. y. Aggravated assault was charged with violently assaulting and beating an old man named M. Goldstickler, who keeps a butcher shop in this city. The row, it is said, grew out of the butcher's presenting a meat bill for \$3.37, to Aggravated for payment. The latter was convicted and fined \$10.00 and costs.

Prize Distribution.—The hearts of the children of the Tenth Ward Sunday School, were made to rejoice yesterday. The occasion was the annual distribution of prizes, \$37 of which were given away. The event of the day however, was the presentation of a prize by J. C. Wood of Independence, bound, illustrated, large family Bible to Bro. Nephi Post, teacher of the young men's class, a gift from his class in token of their respect and esteem for him and his labors.

A Chance for All.—Elder Wm. M. Palmer, who has just returned from the Northwestern States, testifies to the great good done in that region, and the invaluable assistance rendered the missionaries, wherever the DESERET NEWS finds its way. He says: "Wherever we find the DESERET NEWS, we find friends," and earnestly recommends all who feel so disposed, to send in subscription money for papers to be distributed in that mission. He is not the only one who has testified to this fact. Here's a chance for all who wish to help the Lord's work.

Another.—On Friday afternoon between three and four o'clock, a little daughter of Brother Grow, aged between 12 and 18 years, was on her way down town, when she was accosted by a big burly ruffian at the northeast corner of the Temple Block, who exposed his person in the most indecent manner and grossly insulted her. She exclaimed, "ou nasty low brute," and fled to the Temple Block, where she found her father and related to him what had happened. He at once started out in pursuit of the fellow, and it would have been a sorry day for the watch if the brute parent had succeeded in finding him. As it was he had to desist. It is not time some of these cowardly brutes were taught a lesson they would remember.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

The congregation at the Assembly Hall yesterday afternoon, was first addressed by Elder Wm. M. Palmer, who returned on Saturday evening from a little over a month's absence in the Northwestern States. He described his recent travels, referred to the magnitude of the work of the Lord now taking place, to the precious blessings enjoyed by the Saints and the lack of appreciation manifested in regard to them. Then dilated upon the literal fulfillment of the ancient prophecies in the work that is being accomplished, even to the very place—the Rocky Mountains—in which it is now established. He quoted copiously from the scriptures in support of what he said, touched upon Church organization, and showed how far the ancient form had been departed from by the Christian world, bore an impressive testimony to the eternal durability of God's kingdom, and closed by invoking the blessing of God upon his hearers, that they might remain faithful to the end.

Apostle H. J. Grant, the next and closing speaker, gave a very interesting account of his travels since the 9th of October, through the settlements of the Saints in Colorado, Arizona and New Mexico. He joined Apostle Brigham Young at Colorado Springs, and the two from there proceeded in company. The speaker described the temporal and spiritual growth and progress of the people, gave some interesting facts in relation to the work being done among the Lamanites, spoke of their friendliness for and confidence in the good intentions of the Latter-day Saints, and of conversions and baptisms that had lately taken place among them. He stated that the spirit of reformation was among the Saints in the South, and the could not help contrasting the spirit with which they were imbued with the Mammon worshipping spirit of the world. He closed by expressing the hope that he and all the Saints would be true and faithful to the work of God in which they were permitted to have part.

A Montana Murder.—The Miles City Press says that about 8 o'clock on the morning of the 24th inst., William F. Goggin came into town and informed the authorities that a man had been killed at his house, up Tongue River. Judge Ogden hastily empaneled a jury and proceeded to the scene of the murder, and there found the body of a man named McCarty, an old timer of the town, who led a precarious life, doing odd jobs. Owing to the unreasonable hour the jury did nothing there, and the body was brought to Miles City, and the inquest was proceeded with two days later. A representative of the Press interviewed Goggin and from his rambling talk made out as nearly as possible that he was in town on Monday, bought a jug of whiskey and started for his ranch at about three o'clock, carrying the whiskey with him. McCarty was stopping at the ranch and Goggin said they were going to have a big Christmas spree. According to Goggin's statement when he reached the house he saw blood on the doorsteps, and inside lay McCarty all bloody and with four holes in his head, probably caused by bullets from a pistol. The man was quite dead. Goggin was in a state of intoxication bordering on mania, and coolly proceeded to cook and eat his supper, and then lighting four candles in the shack, proceeded to town to bear the horrible news.

Reduced Price of Coal.—The Union Pacific Railroad Company are now furnishing Red Canyon coal to their agents at Logan at a rate that enables the latter to sell it at \$9.25 per ton by the car load, or \$8.75 per single ton at the yard. This is a reduction of only \$1.25 per ton, not enough to shut out Pleasant Valley coal. The latter is worth a third more than Red Canyon, and is still able to compete with the railroad and make wages.

We do not know that we are sorry the railroad did not make a greater reduction in the price of coal. As long as they keep up the price our idle teams can find profitable employment. Our public must inevitably reap the advantage of this railroad discussion. If that advantage does not come in the form of cheap fuel it must come in the form of profitable employment for our idle teams. There is no change in the price of any other kind of coal than Red Canyon.

The company have made the gradual announcement, that in order to supply Cache Valley with fuel, Red Canyon coal has been temporarily withdrawn from the Salt Lake market. The magnitude of this action cannot possibly be appreciated by our citizens until they call to mind the fact that Red Canyon coal is being taken from a market where it brings but \$3.50 per ton. We never before so vividly realized the truth of the old adage, "Corporations have no souls."—Utah Journal.

Third District Court.—Proceedings before Chief Justice Hunter, on Monday, Dec. 31, 1888: Russell & Co., vs. J. O. Knowlton; defendant allowed thirty days to answer or appeal from order.

Lucy J. Hill, vs. Alex. S. Hill; defendant entered special appearance by attorneys Sutherland & McBride, and filed motion to quash service, and proceedings stayed until first day of February term.

Chas. F. Blandin vs. M. M. Hill; time for defendant to plead is extended to and including January 15, 1889.

John W. Knight et al., vs. Richard Grant; judgment for plaintiffs as prayed.

M. E. Cummings, administrator, vs. James T. Little et al.; trial before the Court. Plaintiffs rest. Defendants offer no testimony. Submitted on briefs.

County adjourned till Wednesday, Jan. 2nd, 1889, at 10 a.m.

PERSONAL.

Apostle Moses Thatcher is in the city.

Arthur Stayner, Esq., was down from Farmington to-day.

Apostle Heber J. Grant arrived home from the south yesterday morning at 8 o'clock. He visited the settlements of the Saints in Colorado, New Mexico and Arizona.

Joseph A. West, Esq., representing the mercantile firm of Richards Brothers, Ogden, is in the city. He is superintending the settlement of the firm's business, which has been turned over to Z. C. M. I.

Elder Wm. M. Palmer arrived home on Saturday at 7 p.m., from the Northwestern States, bringing with him twelve souls, emigrated from that region. Elder John E. Booth, his assistant in the presidency of the mission, and all the other Elders, are in good health and spirits. Conferences held in Minnesota and Indiana were better attended than ever, and some honest souls were enquiring after the truth.

New Year's Theatricals.—To all appearances the Home Dramatic Club are to have full swing on New Year's day in the matter of theatricals. The Club has never asked anything but "a fair field and no favor," having been amply able from the first to hold its own against any attraction either local or imported, but it looks this time as if Fortune had made them her peculiar care in shutting out all competition.

The "Life of an Actress" will be put upon the boards with the full strength of the company, ably supported by a choice filling in of local talent. Messrs. Wells, Spencer, Cummings, and all the popular favorites are cast in parts particularly adapted to them, and with such strong support as Messrs. John S. Lindsey, B. S. Young, Miss Edith Chawson and others, the play is bound to have a boom. Seats began selling this morning at a lively rate, both for matinee and night performances.

Wanted.—The latest received issue of the Millennium Star, contains the following:

Information is wanted regarding Agnes Miller, who emigrated from Glasgow to Utah upwards of 20 years ago. Address her sister Jane Miller (or Fogo) 184 McLean Street, Pleasanton, Glasgow, Scotland, who will be glad to hear from her.

Also Robert Newton, 227 Shaw Road, Oldham, Lancashire, England, wishes to learn the address of Mary Allen and Hannah Niel, daughters of Joseph Niel, late of Albert Mount, Oldham. They emigrated to Utah with a Mr. B. Goddard.

News of the present whereabouts of Mary Gray, who emigrated to Utah from Frederic in the year 1874 is desired by William Williams, 33 Pilton Street, Tredgar, Monmouthshire, Great Britain.

SPECIAL BUSINESS NOTICES.

Blank Books.—At one-half the usual price at the Pierce bankrupt sale. Call at once for bargains.

LOST FAITH IN PHYSICIANS.—There are innumerable instances where cures have been effected by Scoville's Sarsaparilla, or Blood & Liver Syrup, for all diseases of the blood, when the patient had been given up by physicians. It is one of the best remedies ever offered to the public, and as it is prepared with the greatest care, as a specific for certain diseases, it is no wonder that it should be more effective than hastily written and carelessly prepared prescriptions. Take Scoville's Blood and Liver Syrup for all disorders arising from impure blood. It is endorsed by all leading professional men.

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