

FLOATING FRAGMENTS.
 General Howard is in the city.
 Hqs. Moses Thatcher is down from Logan.

Brother C. O. Card, Sup't. of Logan Temple, is down from the north.
 Mrs. W. B. Preston, who has been down from the north on a brief visit, returned to Logan to-day.

Stephens' classes all meet in the Large Tabernacle at 6 o'clock on Saturday evening. They are requested to take paper and pencil with them.

This morning Frank Edwards, the "bad man from Park City," who made a fuss in the Senate restaurant and gave officer A. Smith some trouble, was fined \$10 and costs.

This morning W. Webster was fined \$20 and costs for a brutal assault upon his wife in the Banquet building, which is becoming a notorious place for den of infamy.

Postoffice Inspector Smith, who is associated with the free delivery system, is in the city investigating the necessity of establishing that species of service here. Should it be decided favorably, an ordinance making the numbering of buildings compulsory would be necessary.

The London *Lancet* tells how to cure a sore throat. As soon as it is felt put directly over the spot a fly blister the size of your thumb nail. Let it remain for six hours, at the expiration of which time directly under the surface of the blister may be seen the felon, which can be instantly taken out with the point of a needle.

A doctor tells this cheerful tale of the experimental school of medicine. A woman came to a prominent physician and asked for a remedy for her husband's rheumatism. The doctor gave her a prescription and said: "Get that prepared at the drug store and rub it well over your husband's back. If it does any good come and let me know. I've got a touch of rheumatism myself."

"See here, sir," exclaimed a Philadelphia grocer, bristling up with righteous indignation at the milkman made his morning call, "I should like to see you explain your charge, and while you are at it, I found in my coffee cup this morning, got there." "Don't know, I'm sure," said the milkman, "unless you explained your coffee with the same sugar you sold me yesterday."

LOCAL AND OTHER MATTERS.

Contemplated Improvements.—A number of improvements are about to be made in connection with the Thirteenth Ward Assembly Rooms. The vestry at the rear, which is now but one story, will have an upper one added for the purpose of providing a suitable hall for the use of the Relief Society. It is also contemplated to put an iron railing in front of the grounds, make a nice lawn and plant out a number of trees, and altogether to render the surroundings more inviting and attractive than at present.

Wants Work.—Brother John R. Powell came here in January last, from the neighborhood of St. Louis. He has not been able thus far to obtain regular employment, having only secured work a few days occasionally. He would like to get something to do of a more permanent character. He is a good hand at working in a vegetable or market garden, having been in that line for six years. He was also employed ten years on the O. and M. R. R. road, seven years of that period as a time keeper. Anybody who can give him employment can hear of him at this office.

Theatre.—"The Great Divorce Case" was superbly performed last night to a small but appreciative audience in the Theatre. It was preceded by a pretty little one-act comedy entitled "Withered Leaves," in which some finished acting delighted all lovers of the art who were present. Mr. Chas. Wyndham and his company are really talented and uncommonly good actors, and notwithstanding the heat of the season, the depletion of funds caused by the Barrett engagement and the Thomas festival, we are led to marvel that the first class company, with comedies of a high order of merit, does not attract the play-going public of this city. We advise patrons of the drama to go to-night and see "Brighton."

A Diversity of Charges.—The young man who was arrested the other day for creating a disturbance on the Utah and Nevada Railway train running between here and Black Rock, was before Justice Spiers to-day. For assaulting Mr. Jacobs he was fined \$30; creating a disturbance of the peace \$10; and for assaulting U. S. Deputy Marshal Greenman he was sentenced to imprisonment for five days. He was also bound over in \$300 to keep the peace toward the people of Utah generally, and Mr. Chas. Jacobs specially, besides having to pay all costs of proceedings. This runs up a very heavy bill, but doubtless the Court in its decision took into consideration that a disturbance upon a train is a much more aggravated character than the same kind of conduct under ordinary circumstances.

Wants Them Wiped Out.—The editor of the *Salida, Colorado, Post* is evidently a man of parts. He has a very nice measure about him. He says:

"The growth of Mormon colonies in Colorado should receive the attention of the next General Assembly of the State of Colorado and some method should be adopted to wipe them out."

This mild-mannered man gives no proper reason for the necessity of the wiping method, and offers no suggestion as to what kind of a method should be used. People who exhibit the trusty, thrifty, solid, substantial traits of the "Mormon" people are not easily wiped out, and if the mild editor wishes otherwise let him wipe his own face. It takes a large, substantial, and covetous lot of thriving colonies. The mild editor may be a tolerably good fellow, but he should learn to think before he scribbles and save himself from appearing in a foolish light in the eyes of the sensible.

A GOOD GIFT.
 A HIGH MAN DOES A COMMENDABLE DEED.

We have accidentally stumbled upon something that Brother Parsons Little has been doing. Seeing that it is connected with a matter of a more or less public character, we take the liberty of telling it without asking his permission.

Some time since, he called upon Bishop Atwood, and (counselors Empey and Platt, of the Thirteenth Ward, of which he is a resident, and informed them he wanted to put up some houses for the worthy poor in that locality. Accordingly the site was selected, being at the rear of the Assembly Rooms, and the building is now in an advanced stage of progress. It is in the form of a neat, substantial block, the ground measurement of which is 58 by 25 feet, and two stories high, the material used being brick, with stone foundation. The structure will contain sixteen rooms, divided into several tenement residences with independent entrances. The ceilings are lofty and everything about the building will be substantial and good.

Brother Little hands over the building to the custody of the Bishopric of the Ward, as a free donation for the benefit of the worthy poor to be housed in that connection by them in whatever way they may see proper. The gift does honor to his head and heart, and will stand as a lasting monument of his benevolence. This is one of the many proper uses to which means can be put, and of a character to cause the people long after he has been gathered with the unnumbered dead.

A Mournful Tale.—This morning Thomas Mantle called at the police office and told a somewhat sorrowful tale. He was on his way a short time since from Ashley's Fork, Emery County, to this city, when he had to stay over for a while at Midway, on account of sickness. His son, aged 19 years, was some distance behind him driving a wagon and yoke of oxen. In crossing the Duchesne River the wagon and oxen were carried down stream and everything lost out of the conveyance. The animals and vehicle however, were got out on the same side of the river at which they entered. The young man left the team and hastened to Midway to acquaint his father with the accident. In the interim the oxen strayed away and involved a hunt of two weeks before they could be found.

Father and son subsequently came to this city with the horse-team and wagon, and Mantle the younger, being apparently somewhat verdant, last night traded off to Mr. Thomas Showell, one of his father's horses for one that was totally worthless. As Mr. Mantle was ready to start back with freight he called at the police office to see whether Mr. Showell could be compelled to take back his useless animal and give him his own, he having had no hand in the trade.

The Promised Water Supply.—The development of the proposed water supply for the residents of the North Bench proceeds, and every feature thus far is encouraging. When it reaches the people for whom it is designed, it will be one of the most commendable improvements ever made by the city, being in the nature of a boon to a large portion of the population. The movement is not only popular among those whom it is intended to directly benefit, but is generally so throughout the corporation. It will enhance the condition of a considerable part of the city, and convey comfort and convenience to a large body of people, and for that reason will be one of the things accomplished during the Mayorship of Mr. Jennings, which he will always be able to consider with a goodly degree of satisfaction. We have heard him personally express his pleasure at the near prospect of the relief that will be afforded to the residents of the North Bench by the promised water supply, and this feeling is heartily shared by the committees of the Council, and the officers of the city who have the matter directly in hand, and the corporation fathers generally.

Not the Regular Hackmen.—Yesterday a hackman approached a representative of the News and remarked—"I think you're a little hard on us hackmen. It isn't the regular hackmen that lie to, stuff and tell big anti-Mormon yarns to strangers; it's the liverymen that do that." In speaking of facts in this connection that have come under our observation, we have done so in a general way, alluding to the drivers of all hired vehicles of the class in question as hackmen, but did not intend our statements to apply where they did not belong. We are aware that a number of the regular hackmen are respectable and truthful men. To such we had no reference, and we believe the man who accosted us was right and that the livery men are, as a rule, the parties who "stuff the strangers," many of whom appear to be only too willing to be imposed upon by the Munchausenisms of the Jesus.

The Cache Excursion.—Bishop F. Keeler and Counselors of the Sixteenth Ward, accompanied the excursion party from this city to Cache on Tuesday. The Bishop says it was a fine company, and the journey was very pleasant, plenty of accommodations being afforded by the officials of the U. C. and U. & N. Railroads.

The Bishop visited the Temple at Logan, going over it all, and was delighted with its appearance and all connected with it. Several people of his ward journeyed that he was going north, handed him various sums to take as offerings, aggregating \$65.00, which he handed over to the superintendent of the noble structure.

DESERT LAND PATENTS.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,
 Salt Lake City, Utah,
 June 25, 1883.
 The following Desert Land Patents have been received at the U. S. Land Office, and are now ready for delivery to the proper parties:

Of Byron W. Brown, 30 Thos. H. Holt, 60 Paul Bess, 30 James Goss, 70 Wm. F. Nebeker, 301 David No. 29, 70 Harrison Sowers, 302 D. W. Grant, 70 Wm. F. Nebeker, 301 David No. 29, 30 Oscar Williams, 120 Wm. Bond, 30 Abel W. Adams, 120 Wm. Bond, 30 Hopland Mathews, 120 Wm. Bond, 30 Thos. Bond, 120 Wm. Bond, 30 Jacob Gledhill, 120 Wm. Bond, 30 J. E. C. M. Hob, 120 W. H. Gampton, 30 Geo. Eastman, 120 W. H. Gampton.

Through Pullman.—On and after Sunday, Pullman cars will be run right through between Salt Lake and Omaha, on the U. P. and U. C. roads. At present they only reach Ogden. This change will be quite an accommodation to a large proportion of the traveling public.

Reduction of Fare.—By advertisement in another part of the paper it will be seen that the D. & R. G. Ry. Co. will, on July 1st, until further notice, make a reduction of from \$4 to \$7 each on first and second-class passenger tickets to Pueblo, Denver, Omaha, Council Bluffs, Pacific Junction, Kansas City, and all points East.

SPECIAL BUSINESS NOTICES.

THE DENVER AND RIO GRANDE RAILWAY TO THE PLACUERS SERVICE OF THE NATIONAL HOLIDAY.
 In arranging your programme for the coming Fourth of July celebration, if it is your intention to visit some cool and shady retreat in the country, do not lose sight of the fact that on the line of the Denver & Rio Grande Railway greater attractions are offered in the Grand Canyons, Groves and Lakes than on any other line in Utah. At all stations on the Denver & Rio Grande Railway will be placed on the Fourth of July, good to return on or before July 10th on all passenger trains at one fare for the round trip. Conductors will sell tickets on the trains from stations where there are no agents. F. C. Nims, Gen. P. & T. Agent, Denver. Henry Wood, Gen. Supt. E. A. Mudgett, Gen. Act. Pass Dept. Salt Lake City.

TO THOSE WHO WANT!
 You must put in your orders soon for the Case Agitators to get them this year, as the supply is likely to be exhausted early, as it was last year. The record stands thus: We sold 20 in 1878, 35 in 1881 and we already have 35 orders for this year. Send in your orders or you will be too late. Don't let any man deceive you by the assertion that he has nearly as good a machine as the Agitator. The Agitator, as is well known, will out-thrust them all and clean and save every kernel. THE JOHN W. LOWELL WAGON CO. d & w t f

That feeling of languor and debility that follows physical exertion, removed by using Brown's Iron Bitters.

OFFER OF SECURITY, INDemnITY AND PROTECTION.
 Messrs. Tanner & Richmond, agents for the Denver & Rio Grande Lightening Cable, have located in this city, with their offices in the first basement south of Postoffice, Wash-burn block, and are prepared to do work on short notice. The public will please observe that this cable is in all respects far superior to any lightning rod used here before. This cable is made of fine separate tubes, the inner surface being of zinc and the outer of copper, which gives this cable a combination of two of the best metals known as conductors. Then the pipe tubes are twisted together by machinery, which gives it strength and stability; it is also continuous, which completes its perfection. Above all, these gentlemen construct all work on the circuit system, which is strictly in accordance with scientific principles, as laid down in the Agricultural Report of 1859, which will give absolute protection to both property and human lives. These gentlemen come well recommended. Below is a list of parties whom they did work for in this city: Wm. O. We the undersigned had work done by Messrs. Tanner & Richmond, and heartily endorse the system of construction: Hon. W. H. Holliday, Holliday Opera House. J. T. Holliday, Holliday Opera House. Trobrey Bros., Wholesale Grocers. A. M. Watkins, merchant. J. Bath, Brewer. A. G. Dunn, Treasurer of Albana County. Charley Clark, Clerk of Albana County. Also agents for the Racine School Furniture Co., and the Champion Fence and Creating Co., of Kenton, Ohio.

We notice that John C. Cutler, agent of the Provo Woolen Mills, is preparing for a big trade this fall, receiving much larger quantities of all kinds of Home-Made Blankets, Flannels, Linseys, Shawls, Yarns, Cloths, Waterproof and other Woolen goods, at his store, 24 East Temple street, Salt Lake City.

SALT LAKE TEA STORE.
 Everybody goes to the New Tea Store where they are selling at wholesale and retail the finest selection of Tea, Coffee and Spices to be found in this city. To those people trading with us we sell sugar at the following low figures: 8 lb. Granulated \$1.00 8 lb. Beet Sugar \$1.00 8 lb. C. M. Sugar \$1.00 Goods delivered to all parts of the city. Don't forget the place, No. 124 First South Street, opposite Market Row.

REDUCTION IN COAL!
 Rock Springs, per ton, by Car load, \$6.00. Rock Springs, per ton, at Yard, \$6.50. Red Canyon, per ton, by Car load, \$5.00. Red Canyon, per ton, at Yard, \$5.50. Weber, per ton, by Car load, \$5.00. Weber, per ton, at Yard, \$5.50. J. A. Gould, Agent.

GREEN REDUCTION IN FARMER'S FARE.
 By the Denver & Rio Grande Railway, commencing July 1st and until further notice a reduction of from \$4 to \$7 each will be made on first and second class tickets to Pueblo, Denver, Omaha, Council Bluffs, Pacific Junction, Kansas City, and all points East. Take advantage of the low rates and go East by the scenic line of America.

TANNER & RICHMOND.
 The lightning rod men are constructing the cable on the Washburn Block, which is not only a protection, but is really an ornament to the building. d 163 St. PARADES at reduced prices at DORRISON BROS.

A CARD.
 We invite the attention of visitors and the public to our stock of furniture. We think it the most complete and cheapest ever offered in the city. We have specialties in chairs, chamber suites and parlor goods. A fine line of children's carriages. BARRATT BROS.

Nerves, brain, and muscles gain strength and the power of endurance by using Brown's Iron Bitters. JUST received a car load of the finest brand of Plaster of Paris from Colorado Springs very cheap for cash. WATSON BROS., Agents.

CALL NO. 2.
 As minute men to call No. 1 did not respond, (if say as you were) Com. and Q. M. Now to all who may call I will give a fine set of Plain Teeth for \$24, or a full set of Gum Teeth for \$30. Jas. M. Barlow, Dentist, corner First South and Third West Street, 15th Ward, Salt Lake City, May 25th, 1883.

NATIONAL ORGAN SCHOOL.
 Is the latest, largest and best organ instructor yet published. At D. O. Calder's.

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 Call attention to their advertisement, and promise polite attention and lowest prices to all their patrons.

REFRIGERATORS
 AT H. DINWOODEY'S. Hosiery at reduced prices at DORRISON BROS.

Go to the Globe Bakery for your Confectionery and CAKES, where they are to be had pure and wholesome. H. ARNOLD.

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 Secretary, Mr. J. C. Selwyn, London Bank of Utah.

Brown's Sarsaparilla And Dandelion with Iodide of Potassium. Cures Scrofula, Cures Erysipelas, Cures Dyspepsia, Cures Kidney Diseases, Cures Scurvy and Tumors, Cures Chronic Rheumatism.

And all of Brown's Medicines are sold by Godde Pitts & Co., Stewart & Chislett, Moore, Allen & Co., C. M. L. East, Evans & Hoyer & A. C. Smith & Co.

DIED.
 HOWARD—At the residence of Isaac Brockbank, Eighth Ward, Salt Lake City, at 12.15 a.m., June 25th, 1883, of heart disease and dropsy, Catherine Allen, daughter of Wm. and Mary F. Howard, aged 11 years, 8 months and 4 days. Funeral from 8th Ward Meeting-house this afternoon, at 2 o'clock.

RUPTURE
 Radically Cured in a Week by W. E. TODD, A. M., M. D. PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON.

Drawing & Tracing Papers, Pens, Pencils, Ink, Liquid Drawing Inks, Moist Colors, Brushes, Round Writing Copy Books and Pens, Stationery, Blank Books, Copying Presses, Letter Boxes, Notions, COQUET, RISE BALLS, RATS AND FOOT BALLS.

Full stock of Printing Inks, Compositions, Ketches, Brackets, and other Stationery and Printing materials to be had at reasonable prices. H. F. FIMBROCK.

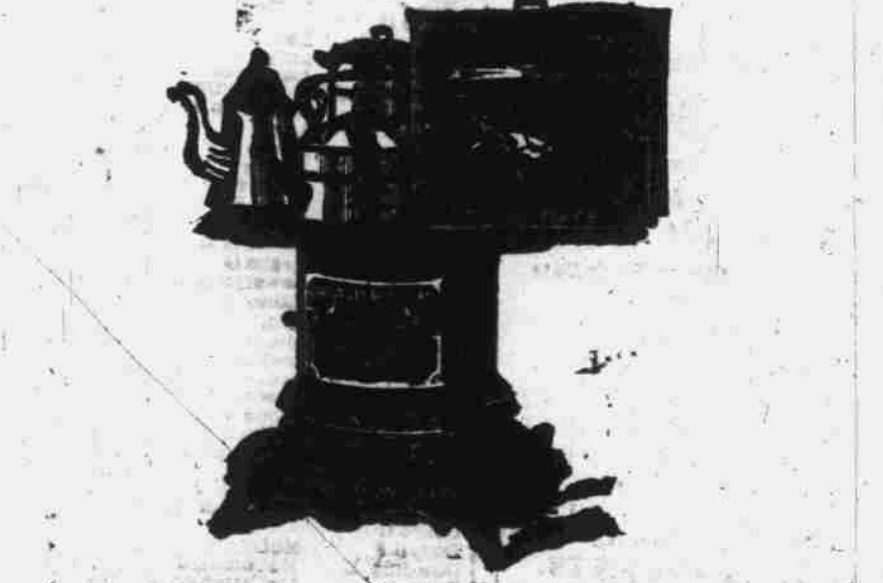
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 OIL STOVES of an Improved Pattern, with Two and Three Wicks, economical and practical.

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 TO CLOSE THEM OUT WE OFFER
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 In addition we show all the New Styles.

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 BOYS' FLANNEL WAISTS \$1.75 each. Worth \$2.50
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LADIES' WALKING JACKETS,
 \$3.75 each. Worth \$7.50 each.
MISSSES' GINGHAM DRESSES,
 \$1.25 each. Worth \$2.00.
 1,000 PIECES CHOICE PRINTS, 5c. PER YARD.
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 ARE RECEIVING CONSTANT ADDITIONS OF THE
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OUR DRESS GOODS DEPARTMENT
 Is crum full of Novelties in the best makes of Paris Cashmeres, Albatross Cloths, Drap D'Alma, Melanges, Naps Vellings, Cashmeres, Drap De'le, Batin Soulei, French and American, Satteens in Fancy, and Plain to match. Our Prices are always as LOW as the LOWEST.
OUR WHITE GOODS DEPARTMENT
 Shows an elegant line of French Nainsooks, Lawns, Organdies, Fines, Plain and Figured Mulls, Linen Diapers, Brillantes, Mirelles Quills, Bridal Quills, Cradle Quills, etc., etc., at most Popular Prices.
OUR TABLE CLOTH, NAPKIN AND TOWEL DEPT
 Is the Headquarters for Housekeepers and Hotelkeepers, not only for this City but for surrounding Cities and Territories. We import most of the Goods for this department from the best looms in Germany, Ireland and Scotland.
OUR LADIES' CORSET AND UNDERWEAR DEPT
 Is complete in all its details. Baby and Wedding Outfits a specialty.
OUR LADIES' LACE AND EMBROIDERY DEPT
 Is doing a largely increased business. The only reason we can give is the taste and experience of our European Buyer.
MORE NOVELTIES!
 Parasols, Kid Gloves, Silk Mitts and Ladies' Neckwear, just received.
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 Offers special inducements in the latest Styles of Ottomans, Goss Grain and Diagonal Dolmans, Reglans, Esgouses, Cloth and Cashmere Jackets and Jerseys of the latest Spring Shades, Black, Cheviots and Colors, Suits, Ulsters, etc., etc. We have some Single Garments in this department, which we are offering at 50 Cents on the Dollar!
OUR MILLINERY DEPARTMENT.
 Both Wholesale and Retail, carries a larger and choicer stock than ever before. Our styles are the most popular and our PRICES the LOWEST in the City.
OUR SHOE DEPARTMENT
 Is too well known to require self praise. None but the best makes are handled by us. We warrant every pair we sell, and our PRICES are as LOW as the LOWEST.
OUR CARPET, LINOLEUM AND CURTAIN DEPARTMENT
 Is steadily increasing its sales and the number of its well-pleased patrons. We bring only the best qualities and newest and newest patterns, preferring to pay a little more for such goods, to buying old stock at low prices. We warrant every Carpet we sell.
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 Contains none but the best qualities and newest styles of well-fitting Goods. Our PRICES are the LOWEST in this city. We warrant every article we sell, and make every effort to please our customers.
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