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### LOCAL NEWS.

FROM TUESDAY'S DAILY, MAR. 11.

**Carp and Trout.**—Dr. Crockwell has just received letters from parties in California, having young carp and California trout eggs. Parties desiring either can learn all the particulars by calling on or writing to Dr. Crockwell.

**Well Again.**—We were right pleased to receive a call to-day from Mr. C. E. Dallin, the sculptor, who has been quite ill at the home of his parents in Springfield. He is in the city again, and sufficiently recovered to resume work at his studio on Wednesday.

**Election Certificates.**—Certificates of election have been issued to the following municipal officers elect of Logan City:

R. R. Campbell, Mayor; James L. Stewart, alderman; Thomas Irvine, alderman; Wm. Wafeson, alderman; Thomas R. Cardon, alderman; Anton Anderson, alderman; Aaron Farr, alderman; O. C. Ormsby, alderman; Fred Turner, alderman; George F. Benson, alderman; James Adams, alderman; Joseph Quinn, recorder; George Hymer, treasurer; Michael Crockston, marshal; Richard Yeates, assessor and collector.

**Sudden Death.**—This morning at a quarter to 6 o'clock, a young man named Dan Braby, a resident of the Tenth Ward, suddenly died. He was taken sick twenty-four hours previously, and complained of pains in his legs and at the same time was feverish and vomited freely. He finally succumbed at the time above mentioned.

The cause of his death is unknown, and even the physician, Dr. Benedict, is undecided upon this point. There is no suspicion, however, of anything wrong in the matter. The deceased was aged about 22 or 23 years, was recently married and was the son-in-law of James C. Woods. He died at the residence of his father, Edward Braby. The announcement of the funeral will appear later.

**High Water and Deep Snow.**—The weather in Southern Utah, according to the accounts of Messrs. Meyers and Schofield, agents for Z. C. M. I., who returned yesterday from a business trip through that region, is alarmingly severe. The road in Ash Creek Cañon was recently washed away, just above Bellvue, and the mail coach, in trying to cross, nearly lost one of its horses. Other teams were washed down by the flood some distance, but no fatalities are reported.

The snow was so deep that but nine miles were traversed in three days, and in going from Harmony to Panaca our informants were obliged to dig their horses' feet out of the snow, in order to turn about and retrace their way to the point from which they started, as they feared to risk the consequences of an attempt to reach their destination.

**Commendable of General McCook.**—Repeated efforts were made yesterday, by some of the subordinate officers and others at the Fort, to have the soldier Manning (one of the trio that committed the assault on Marshal Phillips and Officer A. Smith, Saturday night) released from custody. Calls were made through telephone, at intervals during the day, by one person and another, but the Marshal persisted quite properly in paying no attention to them, and sending back word that when General McCook's wishes were known in regard to the matter it would be time enough for him to act. At length the General came to the telephone, and on the Marshal's asking him what he should do with Manning, the General replied, "Hold him." He was therefore held, and tried this morning for disturbing the peace and resisting the officers, and fined \$25 and costs.

**Gazetteer and Business Directory.**—R. L. Polk & Co., publishers, 150

Dearborn Street, Chicago, have commenced the canvass of the States and Territories of Colorado, Utah, New Mexico, Nevada, Arizona and Wyoming, with the intention of publishing a Gazetteer and Directory fully representing the mercantile, manufacturing and professional interests located therein.

The work will contain a complete business directory of every city, town and village and the names and addresses of mill owners, country merchants, professional men, etc., who are not located in villages, also lists of government and county officers, census statistics, times of holding courts, names of postmasters, postoffices, express and telegraph offices, incorporated companies, with amount of capital, justices of the peace, hotels with rates per day, newspapers, their politics and day of issue, besides much other information useful to all classes of business and professional men.

A descriptive sketch of each place will be given, showing location, population, distance to different points, the most convenient shipping stations, the products that are marketed, stage communications, trade statistics, bonded debt, the nearest bank location, mineral interests, the price of land and the inducements offered to settlers. Mention will also be made of the churches, schools, libraries, and societies located in each place.

A classified directory, comprising lists of all trades, professions and pursuits in the States and Territories wherein the name and postoffice address of every person in each line of business may be found, will be an important feature of this publication. The work promises to be the most extensive publication of its kind ever seen in this part of the country. Forty-two men are now at work in Utah alone, gathering up the required data. Mr. W. L. Grant, manager for this Territory, called in yesterday. The canvass has been going ahead for three months.

FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY, MAR. 12.

**Read It.**—We publish to-day an article from the Boston Index. Without endorsing all the sentiments of the writer, we consider it a well written and candid statement of the Utah situation from the standpoint of the writer, and commend it to the attention of the thoughtful.

**Whiteley.**—Mr. Isaac Beal Whiteley, Chief Constable, Uitenhage, South Africa, desires the address of his sister Sarah, or of any of the family, who may be in Utah; or information with regard to their death if not living. Address Mr. Whiteley at Uitenhage, or George Reynolds, Box B, Salt Lake City.

**The Biddlecome Murder Trial.**—The trial of Joseph Biddlecome for murder in the first degree, which has occupied so much time and attention in the District Court of late, has at length reached a stage which might be denominated the "beginning of the end." The examination of witnesses and adducing of evidence has closed, and the arguments of counsel have commenced. E. T. Sprague argued the case for the prosecution this morning.

**"Patti Crazy."**—San Francisco has gone Patti crazy. The great diva, according to present arrangements, only sings once in that city—to-morrow evening. Every ticket is sold, and speculators are now at work disposing of their purchases at a premium. Previous to the opening of the sale a line was formed to the box office for 24 hours, and as high as \$12 was offered for a place in the line. A great many were unable to procure seats, as they were all engaged before their turn came to buy.

There is every probability that Patti will have to sing in the Bay City before her return East, and a lengthening of the engagement of Her Majesty's Opera Company in that place is also very likely. The Patti concert in the Tabernacle will be given early in April, immediately preceding Conference.

**A New Invention.**—We had the pleasure last evening of inspecting a new invention in steam engines, the result of the combined ingenuity of Messrs. Sudbury, Whitehead and Sudbury, of this city. It is a perfect working model, built on a small scale, but having a six-horse power. It was on exhibition at Z. C. M. I. boiler room, at the rear of the main institution, where it was manipulated by Mr. Whitehead and examined by a number of practical mechanics and others.

The points which render it entirely new as an invention, are in the valve movement and the opposition direction of the cranks. The valve is single-acting, and yet produces this opposite action, a result never before obtained in the same way. The valve can be placed on any engine.

The advantages claimed for it are speed, durability and steadiness of action, and consequently an increase of power. It is stated that a speed of 2,000 revolutions per minute was attained last evening, and that a locomotive engine could be constructed on

this basis, which would run three miles a minute, with more steadiness and less friction than an ordinary locomotive can run twenty-five or thirty miles an hour.

The idea of the invention originated ten years ago, with Mr. Samuel J. Sudbury, and the engine has been constructed by his nephew, Leo Whitehead, an expert mechanic, and a native of Utah, born in Ogden. The engine on exhibition was made at home in a month's time, but could be constructed at a regular machine shop in a week. A patent has been applied for. Also for a self-acting boiler feeder and a founder's clamp, the former Mr. Sudbury's invention and the latter Mr. Whitehead's.

### THE ALTA VICTIMS.

THE BODIES TO BE BROUGHT HERE FOR BURIAL.

A meeting was held last evening in the Federal Court House to devise means for the removal of the bodies of the Alta snow-slide victims from that place to this city for burial. Captain J. C. Morrill was chosen chairman, and J. T. Bateman secretary. Twenty-eight men enrolled their names as volunteers in the venture and a committee of five were appointed to receive donations of money for the same purpose.

It was stated that thirty men from the stone quarry in Little Cottonwood, would be furnished by Superintendent J. C. Livingston, who had kindly offered their services. Weather and all things permitting, the party from the city will start from the D. & R. G. depot to-morrow morning at 7 o'clock, and if not then, as soon as the scheme is thought practicable.

The party will go by rail to the end of the track, eight miles this side of Alta, and from there will make a trail to Alta, and then decide on the best means to be used in conveying the bodies to the railroad.

The party is under the direction of Mr. George Collins, Superintendent of the mine where the fatality occurred. The names of the city volunteers, whose expenses are to be paid by the finance committee, are as follows:

A. Rainey,	George Wright,
George Rainey,	George Brand,
Samuel Sleeman,	Thomas Howarth,
John T. James,	C. Dickinson,
Alfred Yates,	Thos. Mitchell,
Cornelius Johnson,	W. Brandt,
R. Burrows,	C. A. Carlgren,
P. A. Olsen,	A. Ledingham,
J. A. Anderson,	Joseph Jones,
C. J. Petersen,	F. Beck,
Fred Cullinan,	Joseph Giacomini,
H. C. Wallace,	John Burrows,
George Collins,	Albert Thomas,
Samuel McQuoid,	W. H. Colbath.

The finance committee are as follows:

Chas. Read, Louis Martin, John S. Scott, Martin Harkness and Henry C. Wallace.

FROM THURSDAY'S DAILY, MAR. 13.

**Architectural Design.**—A very fine design for the Brigham Young Academy's new building to be erected in Provo during the coming season, adorns the show-window of Dwyer's bookstore. It is a front elevation with grounds, constructed on the scale of  $\frac{1}{4}$  of an inch. It is the work of Don Carlos Young, architect, of this city, and does the gentleman credit.

**Resolutions of Respect, etc.**—A committee of the Y. M. M. I. A., of Nephi, Juab County, composed of the following: Israel Bale, Silas L. Jackson and Richard T. Schroder, have drafted resolutions of respect and grateful recognition of the services of W. S. Connell, James Paxman and Isaac Gadd, in aid of the above named association. The young men last named, it seems, are about to leave home on missions.

**An Interesting Meeting.**—Last night there was quite a representation of the stockholders present during the deliberations of the Board of Directors of Zion's Benefit Building Society. The meeting was very interesting, a number of matters being discussed and disposed of, and a considerable amount of valuable information presented to the condition, modes of conducting, prospects and advantages of the Society. It is one of the soundest and most thoroughly co-operative enterprises in the Territory.

**Gone to the Jury.**—The case Joseph Biddlecome, charged with murder in the first degree, was closed so far as the arguments of counsel were concerned, this morning. After Judge Sprague had concluded speaking for the prosecution last evening, the case for the defence was argued by J. G. Sutherland and J. R. McBride, followed by W. H. Dickson, for the prosecution. He concluded his argument this morning, and at 10:30 o'clock, both sides resting, the case went to the jury, who, having been instructed by Judge Hunter, retired to consider upon a verdict. Up to the hour of our going to press they had not returned.

**A good Place to Board.**—The Spencer House, situated on the State Road, between Second and Third South Streets, facing east, is unexcelled in this city as a family hotel. Special attention is paid to the wishes of the guests, and for genuine homely comfort and a first-class table, with every attention and convenience that can be reasonably required, we can commend the Spencer to visitors and regular boarders. It is kept quite select and yet the terms are very reasonable. When our friends come in from the country and need a stopping place, we invite them to patronize Claudius V. Spencer, and assure them that they will find his house, grounds, accommodations and cuisine unexceptionable and satisfactory in every particular. See advt.

**The Patti Concert.**—A dodger is in circulation to the following effect: Her Majesty's Opera Company and Madame Adelina Patti will positively appear in one grand concert, on a date to be shortly announced, at the Tabernacle in Salt Lake City, with the artists of the opera the Chorus and the Orchestra, Signor Arditi, conductor.

The concert will take place at about the time of the Conference, to give everyone coming to the city reduced railroad fares and a chance to hear the world's greatest artists at the most popular prices, \$1.00, \$1.50 and \$2.00.

Money sent for reserved seats, at \$1.50 and \$2.00, by registered letters or Post Office order, addressed to W. A. Rossiter, Salt Lake Theatre, will entitle the sender to the best choice.

**Obsequies.**—The funeral services over the remains of Elder James Shields, of South Jordan, took place there on the 5th inst., when the congregation which was large and sympathetic, was addressed by Bishop Gardiner, of West Jordan, (where the deceased formerly resided and was baptized at eight years), and by Bishop Holman of Sandy, Counselor John Y. Smith, of the Third Ward in this city, and by Bishop Bills, of South Jordan. The funeral cortege numbered 64 vehicles.

The deceased attained his 36th year on the 11th of last October. He was the son of George and Jane Shields and was born in Johnston, Renfrewshire, Scotland. He emigrated to Utah when he was but six years of age, and resided, since reaching his majority, at South Jordan. He leaves a family with thirteen children. He died on the 2d of March, of inflammation of the bowels.

Millennial Star please copy.

**Third District Court.**—Proceedings before Chief Justice Hunter on Thursday, March 13th, 1884.

People etc., vs. Joseph Biddlecome, murder in first degree; attorneys, jurors and defendant present. Argued by W. H. Dickson for prosecution. The Court instructs the jury and they retire in charge of a sworn officer of the Court.

United States vs. James Stewart, a felony; defendant withdraws plea of not guilty and pleads guilty. Sentence fixed for Monday the 17th.

Wm. H. Dickson takes the oath prescribed by law as United States Attorney for Utah Territory, and presents his commission from the President of the United States, before John A. Hunter, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the Territory of Utah, and Judge of the Third Judicial District in and for said Territory.

People, etc., vs. Rudolph Smith, robbery; motion for a new trial argued by S. W. Darke, for defendant, and by E. T. Sprague, for prosecution. Submitted. Motion overruled. Exception. Prosecution moves for sentence and judgment, and the sentence of the Court is that defendant be confined in the Utah penitentiary for two years.

### ALARMING ACCIDENT.

A WAGON LOADED WITH ROCK DESCENDS THE MOUNTAIN SIDE—

A HORSE KILLED AND TWO MEN NARROWLY ESCAPE.

A singular accident which might easily have had a more serious termination, happened yesterday morning about ten o'clock, on the slope of the bench south-west of Ensign Peak. It appears that teams have been in the habit of loading up with rock on the bench, and then descending a "short cut" leading down the backbone of one of the narrow ridges in the vicinity of Red Hollow, to the wagon road below.

Several wagons accomplished the feat successfully on Tuesday, and yesterday morning, at the time above mentioned, there were two teams on the mountain side, one on the bench above belonging to a Mr. Stanford, and another in the gulch below owned by Mr. G. F. Atkins, both of whom were engaged in putting on their respective loads.

Mr. Stanford having finished that part of the job, started down the ridge, when the brakes of his wagon, being insecure, slipped past the wheels and crowded the loaded vehicle upon the horses. The heavy weight was too much for the animals to keep back, and

the momentum of the wagon increasing every instant, they were speedily overpowered, and the vehicle being diverted from its course, was hurled down into the gulch almost immediately opposite the wagon of Mr. Atkins.

Mr. Stanford had luckily jumped off some distance above, and Mr. Atkins, seeing what was coming, left his team just in time to escape the falling mass. It struck the bottom of the gulch about four feet away from his team, which was well peppered with the flying boulders and the horses so badly injured as to unfit them for immediate service.

But it fared far worse with the Stanford team. In their flight down the hill the tongue of the wagon was broken, and a piece of it ran into and instantly killed one of the helpless beasts, as it lay struggling under the rock-laden vehicle to which it was attached. As soon as practicable, another team was obtained, and the two wagons, minus their loads, were dragged out of the gulch and down into the road below.

It was a narrow escape for the drivers, and the only thing surprising in the matter is that in view of an opportunity for a fearful catastrophe, the result was so comparatively insignificant. Our informant is Mr. J. H. Van Natta, of the 19th Ward, a resident in the vicinity where the accident occurred.

### He has no Objection.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind.—The Hon. Daniel W. Voorhees, United States Senator from this State remarks: "My opinion sir, I have no objection to giving. I suffered from rheumatism of the back, used some St. Jacobs Oil, which gave me instantaneous relief and finally cured me completely. I think it is a remarkable remedy, indeed." His candid and courteous expression carries weight.

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Physicians are often startled by remarkable discoveries. The fact that Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption and all Throat and Lung diseases is daily curing patients that they have given up to die, is startling them to realize their sense of duty, and examine into the merits of this wonderful discovery, resulting in hundreds of our best Physicians using it in their practice. Trial Bottles free at Z. C. M. I. Drug Store. Regular size \$1.00.

C. H. Lewis, druggist, of Cedar Vale, Kansas, writes: "I have sold 'Prickly Ash Bitters' for the past seven or eight years, and consider them one of the most reliable proprietary medicines I handle, as is evinced by the continual increase in sales and the almost universal satisfaction which attends their use." d & w

## VARIOUS QUACKS

Who—Each with his own Pet Scheme—Cultivate the Field of Human Nature.

There have always been quacks:—legal quacks, theological quacks, scientific quacks and medical quacks. Some of them are bland, oily fellows who argue and smile the world into believing in their favorite bit of humbug. Others are pompous and pretentious parasites. But they make it pay. Men seem to love to be swindled, stipulating only that it shall be neatly done.

The dear public are equally liberal to the electric and magnetic fraud. This fellow is a genius in his line. He will put a magnetic belt around your waist, a magnetic necklace under your chin, or fit you out with an entire suit of magnetic clothes, warranted to serve the purpose of ordinary garments, and at the same time to cure all diseases, from whooping-cough to hasty consumption.

Most of these have no more electric or magnetic power about them than resides in woolen blankets or in girdles of sackcloth. Only when applied by an expert is electricity of the slightest use as a medicinal agent, and even then its value is grossly overstated. What is the strongest possible presumptive evidence in favor of a particular remedy? Clearly that it should have been prepared by responsible persons of acknowledged skill in the treatment of disease.

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