

FLOATING FRAGMENTS.

Mr. John Hagell is dead.
Edward L. Curtis, of Idaho, has been nominated for Secretary of Idaho.

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The 15th Ward Mutual Improvement Association will hold a joint meeting to-morrow (Tuesday) evening, at 7 p.m. It will be an interesting occasion.

Tomorrow evening, in the Temperance Reform Club Hall, next to Opera House building, Mrs. Black will deliver the address of abstinence.

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The time of the District Court was taken up to-day in an effort to get a jury for the trial of the murder case of the People, etc., vs. Welton.

When we went to press five jurors were lacking to complete the panel.

The Tabernacle Choir purpose joining a social reunion to-morrow evening, the 6th instant, commencing at 8 o'clock, in the Social Hall. A few invitations have been issued to past members of the choir and particular friends. There is no question but they will have a pleasant time.

LOCAL AND OTHER MATTERS.

Call's Speech.—The columns usually devoted to editorial matter are occupied to-day with Senator Call's speech on the new deficit bill introduced by Senator Edmunds.

St. Nicholas.—The latest number of St. Nicholas is a splendid one both for reading matter and illustrations. It is not excelled by any juvenile magazine in the world. Published by Scribner & Co., New York.

Emigration.—The dates for the departure of companies of this year's emigration from Europe have been fixed as follows:

The first company will leave Liverpool April 15th; Second, May 10th; Third, June 20th; Fourth, August 29th. All the companies will sail on the S. S. Nevada.

Personal.—Mr. Sam. Brown, lately an attaché of the Walker House, leaves to-morrow morning for Evanston to take the position of steward of the Mountain Trout House in that city. During his stay in Salt Lake Mr. Brown has made many fast friends and we wish him success in Wyoming.

An Honest Man.—Brother John Hagell, a gentleman well and favorably known in this community, died at 5:20 o'clock last evening. He was an upright, honest man. We are able to make this statement advisedly, based on an intimate acquaintance of many years.

Complimentary Benefit.—This evening, at the Opera House the complimentary benefit entertainment to Dr. D. B. McKenzie will be given. The play selected for the occasion is "Pygmalion and Galatea," in which the accomplished actress Miss A. Adams will appear; also Mr. John S. Lindsay and others.

The Services.—The funeral services over the remains of Brother Frank Torrey were held in the Eighteenth Ward Chapel to-day. The building was filled with relatives and friends of the deceased. Consolatory and instructive remarks were made by Bishop Hardman, Elder Bertch and Elder T. Spencer, of Pleasant Green, and Bishop Keeler and Elder John Nicholson. The remains were followed to the cemetery by a large cortege.

Cows Poisoned.—Some time since Brother James P. Freeze purchased some desert smelting works in Salt Cottonwood, near the State Road. Having some valuable horned stock in the vicinity, they were put into the old buildings and fed there. Recently they gave symptoms of serious illness, and between Friday and Saturday last three of the animals died. It appears that the hay fed to the stock had come in contact with some of the mineral dust in the old smelter, causing them to be poisoned. The aggregate value of the three cows is nearly four hundred dollars.

Funeral Services.—The funeral services over the remains of the late Hattie E. Hooking were conducted in the 21st Ward meeting house, yesterday afternoon, at one o'clock, Bishop Andrew Burt presiding. The opening prayer was offered by Elder Wm. Bayless, after which Elders Wm. Edgington, R. F. Neelen and W. L. N. Allen addressed the assembly. The benediction was offered by Bishop A. McRae. The singing exercises were rendered by the members of the 21st Ward Sabbath school under the leadership of Brother Thomas McIntyre. The house was crowded, a large number being unable to gain admittance. A large cortege followed the remains to the cemetery.

The Harrisons.—It will be seen by a theatrical advertisement that the Harrisons are coming this way and will appear at the Theatre. This will be good news to the lovers of genuine genteel fun. The Boston Herald says:

"Photos" shows the work of a man well acquainted with all the tricks of the stage, and one who knows just what places an audience. It is one constant theme of clever acting, humorous incidents, charming melody and artistic mimicry, and is presented by the cleverest of all companies of the kind, the Harrisons, is one of the pronounced successes of the season. The consummate acting of Alice and Louis Harrison and their admirable company stamping it the brightest success of the season. The company have played "Photos" over 1,000 nights in all the leading cities of the Union.

THE ALLEGED OUTRAGE.

THE COURT DECIDES THAT THE CHARGE IS NOT SUSTAINED AND ACQUITS THE ACCUSED.

On Saturday we gave a portion of the testimony in the case against Mr. N. Boukoffsky, for alleged assault upon his son. In the afternoon other witnesses were examined.

Caroline Nelson, a Swedish girl, whose testimony was interpreted, gave evidence to the effect that the accused did not hang the boy up, but merely whipped him.

Louis Boukoffsky, a younger son of the accused, stated that his brother Edward was drunk and that his father whipped him with a light line, taken from a buggy harness.

The boy upon whom the alleged assault was committed was recalled. He confessed that he was under the influence of liquor, and that his father whipped him but did not hang him up.

There was no evidence to show that the lad had been up by the neck, the court held that the allegations in Dr. Williamson's statement were not sustained, and the accused was therefore acquitted.

Assembly Hall Services.—Yesterday afternoon the congregation was addressed by Elder O. W. Penrose. He spoke upon the conflict of opinion among religiousists relative to the position which the Bible should occupy, some holding that it was a wholly inspired record, while others contended that it was inspired but in part, making reference to a prevalent view to the effect that union of opinion on religious principles was not possible with mankind, pointing to the exact oneness reached on many points by the Latter-day Saints. This was because the Church they identified with was Christ's, having been inaugurated by Him, and being pervaded by His spirit, each member receiving of the same spirit. It was shown by the speaker that the Latter-day Saints depend entirely upon the scriptures for direction, having the living oracles among them inspired by the same spirit; and that the members of the body-religious being imbued by the same influence as operated upon the inspired officers, unity of opinion and concord was the result. They had something more than the mere letter, having in addition the spirit that "giveth life." In answer to the assertion frequently made regarding exclusiveness on the part of the Saints, the speaker held that this condition was, in one sense a necessity. There could be but one true religion, and which ever differed from that which is true must be incorrect. Nothing could be more exclusive and uncompromising than the teachings of the Latter-day Saints, who dwell upon the fact that except a man be born of water and of the spirit, he could not enter the Kingdom of God. While shown to be exclusive in this regard, however, the comprehensive character of the Gospel revealed through the Prophet Joseph Smith was dwelt upon, as the speaker contended that those who did not have the opportunity of hearing and obeying its laws would have that privilege hereafter, in the spirit world, and reasoning upon the scriptures defining that position. The fact that the spirit being the intelligent part of man, was capable of learning and obeying the truth apart from the body was clearly exhibited. The present sectarian dispute over probation after death, was referred to, and the speaker contended that many of the religious controversies among religiousists of the time were the result of the teachings of the Elders of the Church, with which the Saints were acting in the world as the heaven working in the lump, their efforts permeating the whole religious atmosphere of the earth. The doctrine of baptism for the dead was also dwelt upon. The ultimate redemption of the whole human race was dwelt upon, as "perdition" was explained, and the justice, mercy, fatherhood and loving kindness of the Almighty thereby demonstrated.

BY TELEGRAPH.

THE WASHINGTON TELEGRAPH LINE.

AMERICAN.

LATEST BY LIGHTNING.

The Last of Congress.

WASHINGTON, 4.—Congress concluded its labors with the usual resolutions of respect yesterday at noon.

The Senate passed the important House bill modifying the postal money order system so as to authorize the postmaster of money order offices, under the authority of the Postmaster General to issue postal notes in denominations of \$5 and under.

This is an important bill and will greatly facilitate the business of the transmission of small sums through mails. It authorizes the issue of money orders without corresponding advices of \$5 and less to be on engraved paper and known as postal notes payable to the bearer; such notes to be invalid after three months. The holder can, after that time, get par value by applying to the Postoffice Department at Washington. For issuing a postal note a fee of three cents will be charged. This bill authorizes money orders in the denominations of \$100 or less. None for more than \$100 can be issued.

Bill Passed.

The following is a partial list of the bills passed this session: To reorganize and establish the title of the United States to the site of the military post at El Paso; to amend an act repealing discriminating duties on goods of the Cape of Good Hope; to reimburse the States of Oregon and California for moneys paid in suppression of the Modoc war and extending the time for filing claims for horses lost by officers and enlisted men; to increase the fee of witnesses in United States courts in certain cases; to amend sections 1929 and 1931, revised statutes so as to extend jurisdiction of justices of the peace in Washington, Idaho and Montana Territories; to suppress gaming in the District of Columbia; to encourage holding a world's industrial and cotton centennial exposition in 1894; to admit free of duty a monument to Gen. Washington; providing for funding of the centennial of the tenth census; the regular appropriation bill; the civil service bill; the tariff bill. The total number of bills and joint resolutions introduced in both Houses during the session of the Forty-seventh Congress is 10,690 of which 660 passed both Houses; fifteen hundred bills remain upon the session calendar of which 235 have passed the Senate reports of debate cover 10,715 pages Congressional Record averaging 1,500 words to page, total 16,000,000 words.

ATLANTA, Ga., 4.—Governor Stevens of Georgia has announced that the funeral will be the largest ever seen in Georgia. The city is heavily draped and flags are at half mast.

SPECIAL BUSINESS NOTICES.

500 pieces of Hamburg Edges and Irish Point Embroideries, also real lace in Spanish hand-run, Medecine and General. Our stock of White Lace, in Torchon, Oriental, Bra-bant, Almon, &c., is always the best in the city.

COHEN BROS.

We have just received 100 Doz. 5-Hook Harness Kid Gloves, and offer them at \$1.00 per pair.

NATIONAL ORGAN SCHOOL.

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

COHEN BROS.

We have just opened, an elegant line of Cashmeres and Groceries in all the shades, new this season, and wait your inspection.

Furniture cheap and good at Sorenson & Carlquist. See it.

Our Stock of Fine Dress Buttons for the spring trade has just been received by express, and is the most beautiful line, in both designs and colors, ever offered in this market.

COHEN BROS.

ORDER YOUR Furniture from the Co-op. Furniture Company, corner of South and West Temple Streets, opposite Salt Lake Assembly Hall.

Liver diseases, headache, and constipation, caused by bad digestion, quickly cured by Brown's Iron Bitters.

SPRING EYLES OF SHIR Hats just received by express.

AT DUNFORD'S.

WANTED A first-class Horse shoer at Naylor & Pike's.

MAMMOTH MINING COMPANY.

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

Go to P. W. MADSON'S for Cup-boards and Lounges.

OVERSHOES and rubbers at wholesale and retail.

AT DUNFORD'S.

GENTS' FURNISHING goods.

AT DUNFORD'S.

FOR SALE CHEAP AND ON EASY TERMS.

One Tiffin Well Boring Machine complete with all Shifting, Angers, Drills and other tools necessary for boring and drilling. Apply to

At Lowell & Co.'s Wagon Yard.

FULL LINES of overshoes and rubbers.

AT DUNFORD'S.

Campaign is over, and those who were up in arms against each other in the political issue now join hands and march to the drugstore for a bottle of Kendall's Spavin Cure. See advt.

We now offer our large stock of Ladies' and Children's Wool and Cotton Hosiery, at 75 cents on the dollar.

COHEN BROS., 98 Main Street.

A delayed shipment of 200 Dol-mans just received. They will be sold regardless of cost.

F. AUERBACH & BRO.

For choice Teas and Coffees go to I. G. QUINN'S, 1st South street, opposite Theatre.

For Furniture of all kinds go to P. W. MADSON'S.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

The Wasatch Drug Store will remove to the store room just vacated by Cohen Bros., No. 102 Main St., on or about the 15th inst.

Come and see us.

MOORE, ALLEN & CO.

Upholstered Furniture at P. W. MADSON'S.

Fruit, Vegetables, Poultry, etc., at I. G. QUINN'S, 1st South street opposite Theatre.

DOUGLASS BROS.

Are now offering their entire stock of WINTER GOODS at COST.

Call early and secure bargains.

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

H. ARNOLD.

REDUCTION IN COAL!

Rock Springs, per ton, by \$6.00.

Car load, " " 5.50.

Rock Springs, per ton, delivered, " " 7.00.

Red Canyon, per ton, by 4.50.

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