

## DESERET EVENING NEWS.

Thursday, February 13, 1896.

## SPLENDID OPENING.

The Mutual Improvement League Gymnasium Thrilled with Visitors Last Night.

The promoters and officers of the Mutual Improvement League were pleased beyond expression last night over account of the success which attended their efforts in the grand formal opening of what is expected will be the greatest institution of its kind in the Intermountain West. It indeed it is not easily satisfied by that distinction.

From the time the doors of the building swung on their hinges at 7 o'clock to admit the van guard of callers until 10 o'clock, the lobby, galleries, bath and dressing rooms were thronged with friends and patrons of the new institution. It is estimated that from 1,500 to 2,000 visitors inspected and admired its equipments and surroundings during the evening.

Splendid vocal selections were given by the Cannon Guitars and Mandolinists. Miss Barnes' class executed a series of novel athletic exercises; the classes of the Misses Taylor and Putnum who did old school work, while the various classes gave work in their respective classes gave an exhibition that showed appliances. Mr. Pyper and Miss Johnson respectively gave vocal and instrumental selections, and the singing of the Misses Pyper, Whitney, and Finch was much enjoyed.

## THE FAMOUS SEXTUPLET.

Machines that is to be used in a Rally-way Race to be exhibited.

It is stated that Mr. Frank T. Fewer, manager of the Fowler Cycle Manufacturing company, expects to be present at the cycle show this week. He is going to give at the Tunnel beginning on the 19th inst. He will have with him the noted strengthener. This is the wheel that created such a sensation at the Chicago and New York shows. It is built especially for the purpose of making the wheel wider. The New York Cyclist's last trial, "the King of the State Express" and will be preceded by six of the fastest wheelmen in the world. It is expected to make better time than the famous engine which has record of running in 10 minutes. The machine is reported to be a marvel in bicycle construction.

## Golden Rule Bazaar Fire.

At 8 o'clock last evening a fire was discovered in the basement of the Golden Rule Bazaar, at No. 227 South East Temple street by a citizen who was passing. He saw smoke rising from the basement so he immediately turned to an alarm, to which both departments quickly responded and to a fireman who had two streams of water playing on the bazaar. But before an entrance could be effected a large amount of the goods in the bazaar were consumed. The stock consisted entirely of notions and is covered by insurance. The loss is estimated at \$1,000.

## Microscopical Society.

The next regular meeting of the Microscopical society of Utah will be held Friday, February 14, 1896, at 8 p.m., at the University of Utah. Following is the program:

—Lecture address on "Microscopy, The Food and Wool Manufacture of Mammals," by F. A. Steiner.

—"The Microscopic System of Plasia," Dr. C. A. Whipple.

—A question and answer session.

The public is invited.

A. E. BROTHWOOD,  
Secretary.

## For Moral Lepers.

To the Editor:

Judge Wanger recommends the banning of prostitution and the setting apart of a portion of the city, within which this evil shall be confined, it being necessary "in measure" to sustain this evil "for the protection of our wives and daughters."

In the following islands where a capital offense is kept in check is a certain island, there to remain for life. Now, by way of suggestion, instead of "setting apart a portion of the city," how would Antelope, or some other island, do, for this class of trade? And I am sure as much as the curse placed upon the serpent was that "the seed of the woman should bruise his head," I would further suggest that in order to further protect our wives and daughters, we hint that the law should decree a strict and treated accordingly.

Yours,

E. H.  
SALT LAKE CITY, Feb. 11, 1896.

## AMUSEMENTS.

Bess Anna Eva Fay's First Performance at the Theater.

There was a much aroused and interested audience at the theater last night to witness the initial performance of Miss Anna Eva Fay. The measurement of the enthusiasm was considerably delayed an account of the unwillingness of geologists present to step on the stage and demand a cushion to cushion. The pianoforte was by the fair author, but the pianoforte was being sold a series

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of experiments were made which far exceeded the expectations of those in attendance. One of the performers representing the audience on the stage was Mr. William Anderson, a professional master of the black art, and afterwards expressed himself in words to the effect of: "I am the man in whom the fates were performed."

The first part of the entertainment consisted of cutting tricks, similar to those with which Oscar Hammerstein delighted the public on several occasions. This was followed by a series of impersonations by a very clever artist, who by his facial expressions and pantomime fairly convinced the audience that he was a master of his art. The interest of the audience was then centered in a performance which probably must be classed as chairopeancy. If such a power exists, it would seem impossible to deny that Miss Fay has the power to command in the highest degree.

The audience was asked to write questions on slips of paper distributed for that purpose. Scores of people did so, and the author of the slips turned to a female. Miss Fay was seated about in the center of the stage, surrounded and covered with a large sheet. Instantly she commenced to call out the names of those who had written the questions, and the questioner and gave brief replies. In one instance the name of a gentleman was called, who said having submitted another question by writing, but we answered him that he had been thinking of a man of that name. The questions were of a varied character, although a large per cent of them touched mining or mining property. The replies to these came with great rapidity, and the author of the question could not have been greater had he done nothing else for the past year than studying the mining possibilities of this region. Some asked addresses of absent friends and others asked to have their names engraved on jewelry. All these were legitimate questions, but no fellow was seriously troubled by trying to mix into other people's business and one or seeking compensation with the dead. Some asked if they could get married to their future marriage and one gentleman, that he would be more married than he is now. One gentleman in reply to a question from a young man, said he had been married six months and that he would have no children, although his wife would have four. That brought down the house.

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A Missionary Farewell.

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WHERE HIS FAULTS AND FROLICNES ARE GOOD SUGGESTIONS.

MOA, Grand County, Utah, Feb. 6, 1896.

To the Editor:

I have received a letter from a person in regard to an article I wrote some time ago for the News, and for other ears may not understand me in the passing I take in regard to the farmer. I want to say I am a farmer, if I am anything, as I make my living from the produce of the soil. No one underestimates the disadvantages that a farmer is placed in more than I; I don't doubt it particularly since I lost my health and have to hire all the work done on the place. What I do say is, we are getting along in the same direction as other farmers. All we can account for as one part of the basis is in the cities, and we should move in harmony. I know, if the farmer would vote in a body they would be in the minority, but there are more farmers than any other. But I do not think it would be for the good of the country for them to carry everything. Some say just

the sheepmen have more representation than they are entitled to. As a general rule most of the sheepmen are also engaged in raising stock, and are not, therefore, to be classed as the disengaged or the farmer unless they injure themselves. If the farmer suffers all the country is injured.

The greatest number of flocks in the country are not raised enough value on time. You may go anywhere through the country towns and you can find farmers sitting around stores less worth pieces and if it is a justice that you will not be compelled to pay for the same. The merchant or banker or professional man, however, may, but mostly farmers and is honest. If the merchant or banker would neglect his business, he would not be compelled to pay for the same. Every year I fail to find any time of the year when there is not plenty of work on a farm. A farmer who is at work has work done all the year round. No one does not complain of hard work, but the farmer is the only one where there is no time where he is not working. It should be noted upon the loss of something.

Parsons is a man as sincere as anything there is and takes study to understand it. There is something to learn about sheep and sheep breeding. We should gather everything we need to know about the subject, and then go to work to sell it. He should be compelled on the farm so that the life of the soil could be replaced. We should also strive to raise a better crop each year, which we can do if the right care is taken.

Will accomplish how to keep sheep so that they will be ripe and fat in the spring?

O. H. WARREN.

## Summit Stake Conference.

The Summit Stake quarterly conference convened in the Stake Tabernacle, commencing Sunday, February 9, 1896, at 10 a.m., President W. W. Clegg presiding. Various topics were discussed by Elder Almon E. Barnes and James C. Conner. All these were into rather ambiguous, but he would be more material than he is now. One gentleman in reply to a question said that he had been thinking of getting into the business of raising cattle, although his wife would have four. That brought down the house.

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