

FRAGMENTS.

THREE Jersey bulls for sale. See advt. HOME missionaries will visit the county...

MRS. BASSETT AND THE GRAND JURY.

THE COURT DOES NOT RULE DIRECTLY ON THE ISSUE, BUT THE TENDENCY IS AGAINST THE WITNESS. In the Third District Court to-day...

THE SCHOOL REPORTS.

P. L. Williams Wants the County Superintendents to Report to Him. County Superintendent Stewart Moves to Dismiss the Writ of Mandamus.

JUDGMENT RENDERED

IN THE CASE OF THE BEAR LAKE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS. By telegram from Blackfoot we learn that judgment has been rendered...

Coffee John's Challenge! CAN OYSTERS, WARRANTED THE BEST, Only 50c Per Single Can! IN LOTS OF 12 CANS, 45 Cts.

SALT WATER FISH, WHOLESALE AND RETAIL. SEND FOR TRIAL ORDER. Respectfully, COFFEE JOHN,--John A. Fitchette.--Sole Proprietor.

COHN BROS. Have the pleasure to announce that their Fall Importations having arrived, they invite inspection of their

Elegant FALL Novelties Dress Goods, Combination Suits, New Plain Fabrics in the Latest Colorings, Fancy Velvets, rich Silks and Plushes, and the very Newest Styles in DRESS TRIMMINGS.

HOT FROM THE LOOMS! 500 Pairs New Blankets, 100 Shawls, 100 Indian Blankets, 100 Pes. Dress Flannels, 50 Pes. Linsey Sheeting, 100 Dozen Ladies' Wool Stockings, 100 Dozen Children's Stockings.

BLANKETS & FLANNELS Are also offered at VERY LOW PRICES. A very Large Stock has just been received. 100 Pieces of LADIES' MUSLIN UNDERWEAR

R. K. THOMAS. Eagle Emporium. FALL 1886! UP STAIRS CARPETS! CLOTHING! CLOAKS! DOWN STAIRS

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DRY GOODS, TRIMMINGS, NOTIONS, HOSIERY, CLOTHING, GENTS' FURNISHINGS, CARPETS, BOOTS and SHOES, ETC., ETC.

Suited to the needs of the Territory, and instead of the old practice of waiting till the season is nearly over to make especial offering of Bargains, we have adopted an Entire New Policy...

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The Largest Carpet Dept IN THE CITY! ALL MAIL ORDERS RECEIVE THEIR BEST ATTENTION.

R. K. THOMAS. F. AUERBACH & BRO. OUR Fall Novelties ARE BEING RECEIVED DAILY!

FIRST COME, FIRST CHOICE! Our Assortment of Novelties for Fall will be the Largest and Most Attractive ever shown in this city.

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LOCAL NEWS.

THE OFFICE CASES.—A motion has been made before the United States Supreme Court to dismiss the appeal taken in the cases of the Territorial Auditor and Treasurer. It is made on the ground that the court has no jurisdiction, and is expected to be heard sometime next week.

Surprise Party.—On Wednesday evening, October 20th, a surprise was given to Sister Mary White, president of the Evanston Ward, it being her 50th birthday. About 20 of her brethren and sisters went to the house very quietly and surprised the inmates completely. The evening was spent in singing and dancing for a time; lunch was then served, after which all returned home. Sister White was made the recipient of some very nice presents.

Going to Provo.—The Provo Theatre, a fine place of entertainment, has not of late been used much by local talent, for the reason that traveling combinations have crowded it out. On Friday and Saturday evenings of next week, however, the home people will make the deck again. The old-time favorite comedian and character actor, Phil Margetta, assisted by Miss Nellie Colebrook, J. C. Graham, W. C. A. Smoot, William Brown and the excellent home company of Provo, will present the "Lancashire Lass" in fine style. They can do it well.

Funeral.—The funeral of the infant son of Brother W. R. Jones, whose death was announced in the News of last evening, will take place at the parent's home, 415 West 8th Street, to-morrow, Sunday forenoon, at half past 11 o'clock. Friends of the family are invited to attend.

Yesterday at Park City, Brother Jones received a telegram, forwarded by mail from Coeville, stating that a child was very sick, and asking him to return home at once. He took the express from Park City this morning, and not until reaching Ogden did he learn of the death that had occurred in his home.

Daly's "Vacation" Co.—This excellent company will give only two performances, Thursday and Friday evenings next, in the Salt Lake Theatre. Of their appearance at the Tabernacle Opera House, Denver, an exchange has the following: "The play abounds in humorous dialogue and ludicrous incidents, and is, in many respects, an improvement over the play as presented last season. It has no plot, but is merely a 'pleasing mosaic of nonsense.' The story is given by Messrs. Thomas and William Daly, in the second act, elicited frequent bursts of applause. The story is new and excellently rendered; and the jokes which are frequently interspersed do not detract from the use of a 'chestnut bull.' Miss Lizzie Daly, as 'Priscilla Plush,' a lady of the old school, is a great success. Her dancing in the second act, in the Cape May Squire, fairly took the audience by storm."

Parry's Monthly Magazine.—The first number of Vol. 3 of this popular periodical comes to hand greatly improved in appearance and in the character of its contents. Its readers will find much pleasure and profit in its perusal. The articles present a pleasing variety of prose, poetry and fiction, all well selected. True to its mission of cultivating a taste for good literature, its first article is on the timely subject of "The Choice of Books," giving, among other points, a suggestive list of the best books for perusal. H. W. Naisbitt contributes an interesting poem, "The Beautiful City of God." The new departments—"Educational," "Scientific Revivings," and the "Monthly Summary of Current Events," are valuable features of the Magazine. The excellent illustrations, interesting poetical selections and pleasing short stories, make up an attractive number. It is the intention of the publishers, early in the volume, to illustrate by fine engravings the beautiful scenery of Utah and the Rocky Mountains.

WRIT DENIED.

Judge Zane Refuses to Grant a Writ of Habeas Corpus in the Case of Apostle Lorenzo Snow.

The Application of Apostle Lorenzo Snow for a writ of habeas corpus, as set forth in yesterday's EVENING NEWS, was called for hearing in the Third District Court to-day.

Mr. Shecks stated that the court was not compelled by the statute to grant a writ, but as it was the desire of counsel for the petitioner to appeal to a higher court, he wanted the court to stand in the way of a review of the case, and asked that the court issue a writ, which would prevent the petitioner from being released from imprisonment, but that the question of habeas corpus might go to the United States Supreme Court.

The Court said that while it understood the writ would be issued, it was not its duty to issue a writ of habeas corpus in this case. The defendant had been convicted in a court of competent jurisdiction, and the court had no jurisdiction to review the case, and no jurisdiction to render a judgment. For this reason he opposed the granting of the writ, and he also argued that where the petition did not show sufficient cause for the discharge of the prisoner, the writ should be denied.

Mr. Richards said the position of Mr. Varian was not well taken. In the reference to the alleged insanity of the facts shown in the petition, he cited authorities that Mr. Varian's claim had only reference to the court of last resort, and not to one from which an appeal could be taken. Counsel for petitioner had made the record that all possible doubts as to the right of appeal should be removed. It was far from consistent for the representative of the government to object to having the highest court in the land pass on the construction of the law. This representative had claimed that the defendant had been convicted in a court of competent jurisdiction, and as he chose, and then were imprisoned in a penitentiary. Now he came forward and objected to the Supreme Court passing on the question. If he was right, now should be more willing than government officers to have the question decided in his favor. If he was wrong, in passing additional judgments, that method were being illegally imprisoned, and it was only an act of justice to have the matter set right. For this purpose the writ should be granted. The Court should not try to oust the appellate jurisdiction of the United States Supreme Court by refusing the application of the writ.

Mr. Shecks stated that the only objection to the writ was that the court had no jurisdiction to issue the writ, and an exception to the ruling was taken by counsel for the petitioner. The case will be taken to the United States Supreme Court.

A Request.—For the benefit of the rising generation in particular, it has been suggested that the names of the missionaries, with the most interesting incidents that occurred while crossing the plains from here to the Missouri River, 1,000 miles, on foot, and in our previous articles published on hand cards, be published in the Juvenile Instructor.

HANGED HIMSELF.

A POLICEMAN PREVENTS A SUICIDE. This morning George Bailey, who has a long record in the penitentiary, was arrested by Officer Smith for drunkenness and disturbing the peace by beating his family. About 9:30 a. m. he was placed in a cell, and at 10 o'clock when Officer Sharp inquired of the Marshal what he should leave Bailey in until 2 o'clock p. m., the Marshal said he had better be brought out anyhow.

Mr. Sharp went to the jail and called the prisoners wanted for trial. Bailey failed to respond, and one of the men was sent after him, returning with the tidings that he was hanging by the neck. Knowing that he had attempted suicide before in the jail, and had nearly succeeded, he thought the prisoner was joking, but investigation showed that the assertion was true. There, in the cell, his feet a few inches from the floor, hung Bailey, apparently lifeless, his face being turned black by the strangulation. He was suspended by a small rope, which he had secured and fastened to an upper bunk. Officer Sharp immediately cut him down and dragged him outside. When the rope was taken off he showed signs of life and gradually recovered.

He was put back in the cell, where about an hour after, he again attempted to hang himself by the short piece of rope left tied to the bunk, but was prevented by the prisoners.

This afternoon he was brought into court and pleaded guilty to the charges against him. He informed the court that he wanted to be let out of the country, and His Honor, taking him at his word, after giving him a good lecture, suspended sentence until Monday at 10 a. m. In the meantime Bailey was set at liberty, with the understanding that if he is found within the city limits again he will receive a severe penalty.

"Some Pumpkins" and Corn.—To-day we were shown by Mr. Joseph S. Grow, a pumpkin of the Maule variety, which measures seven feet in circumference, and weighs 100½ pounds. In the wagon with it was a very fine Yankee pumpkin, and a bushel basket full of corn called the Mammoth 90. This corn matures in from 90 to 95 days after planting, grows from 11 to 15 feet in height, and produces from one to three ears to each stalk. The ears are very large in circumference and of good length, and the yield per acre is about three times that of the common corn raised in this country. The pumpkins and corn were raised in Mrs. Redfield's lot in the Nineteenth Ward, by Mr. Grow.

"Shoppell's Modern Houses."—This is the title of a unique and very useful publication, which is published quarterly by the Co-operative Building Plan Association, 11 Broadway, New York. No. 4 of Vol. 1, now before us, contains: Colored view of a modern cottage; miscellaneous notes; 51 designs for modern houses, with plans, cost, etc.; two designs for stables and carriage houses; 10 plans for the amateur house painter; landscape gardening; picture hanging, etc.; removal of slops, etc.; the habitations of man in all ages. A very useful publication; \$1 a number. Address the publishers as above.

Information Wanted.—J. S. Harrison, whose address is Tenneyson Post Office, Warwick County, Indiana, desires to hear from Alice Davis, his mother, or some of her brothers or sisters. She is supposed to be clerking in a store in this city. Her mother's maiden name was Emma Crompton, who married John Davis, who separated from her and went back to the States some 15 or 16 years ago. Mr. Harrison can give the family some valuable information.

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