

FLOATING FRAGMENTS.

Bishops' meeting on Thursday evening.  
Home Missionary meeting to-night, at 7:30.  
Brother David M. Stuart, of Ogden, was in town to-day.  
The Idaho Democrat has ceased to exist. It had a somewhat dreary life anyway.  
Meeting of the Salt Lake Stake Board of Trade on Friday evening, at the Council House, at 7:30 o'clock.  
The hitherto healthy house-fly is being seized with sickness. This is a sign of an early spell of cool weather.  
The Brigham Young College, at Logan, will reopen on Monday, September 4th, with Miss Ida J. Cook as principal.  
Brother R. C. Camp, of Wallburg, is in town, on a purchasing trip for the co-op. store of that thriving settlement.  
Police officer Wm. Calder is just recovering from a severe spell of sickness, and looks like the shadow of his former self.  
Regular monthly Priesthood meeting of Salt Lake Stake at 11 a. m., in the Assembly Hall, on Saturday, Sep. 2nd.  
Mr. John W. Lowell has lost a red Irish setter, female dog. He will pay a reasonable reward for her recovery. See advt.  
Intelligence of the most desperate and horrible murders continues to come in from New Mexico. They are of almost daily occurrence.  
The chandeliers for the 18th Ward Latter-day Saints' Chapel have arrived. They were ordered from the east through Z. C. M. I., and are very handsome.  
H. C. Smith has instituted a suit in law against W. A. Mathew, the plaintiff sum in dispute being \$20 cents. The cost of proceedings will probably reach \$50.  
A couple of new reflecting lamps are being attached to the front of the Salt Lake Fire Brigade fire steamer. They are placed on the engine to prevent damage in falling into "chuck" holes in the darkness.  
A Nashville woman who had been slandered by a young man attached to the youth in the street with a butcher knife, backed away until he ran, and, says a local paper, "conducted herself like a perfect lady throughout the affair."  
Another change has come about with regard to eating, in favor of the prominence of the fork over the spoon. Ices, jellies, blancmange, charlotte and many other dainties, formerly conveyed to the mouth with a spoon, are now carried there with a fork.  
The mayor of Chicago is always referred to by one of his titles as "Hizzonor, the mayor." This, in Chicago, is supposed to be too awfully funny for anything, but the people there nearly kill themselves laughing every time they see it.—*Er.*  
At Alamosa, Colorado, boys named Reed quarreled last Tuesday, when one, a boy about nine years old, picked up a rifle and fired at the other as he was running into the house, missing the boy but hitting a little five-year old girl, Stella Reed, inflicting a terrible wound, the ball passing clear through her.  
Recently, at St. Charles, Bear Lake Valley, William Wilkes jumped into a well to rescue a favorite puppy from drowning. He must be partial to dogs to manifest so much heroism in the canine cause. There are a few bakers around Salt Lake he can have and welcome, so far as we are concerned.  
Cheyenne Sun: "Morton Frewen's agent recently purchased 10,000 head of cattle of a Montana stock grower near Helena, which he will put on his Powder River range. Mr. Frewen has organized a cattle company that will throw all others into the shade. It is his intention to have a herd of 50,000 head." Mr. Frewen is the proprietor of the meat packing establishment at Sherman, on the U. P. R. R.

LOCAL AND OTHER MATTERS.

Drawing.—Mr. Geo. M. Ottinger, teacher of drawing at the D. S. S. S. University has a class of between 40 and 50 students, who are reported to be making rapid progress in the art.  
Temporary Change.—During the temporary absence of Sister E. B. Wells, editor of the *Woman's Expositor*, her talented daughter, Miss Emma Wells, will have charge of the office of that journal.  
Plentiful Crops.—Robert Jones, of Heumerville, Summit County, informs that in that section of the Territory excellent crops of grain, hay and vegetables have been realized, and the people are rejoicing in the midst of plenty.  
Will Resume.—By postal card from Mr. H. B. Scoville, of Ogden, mailed at Omaha, we learn that he will re-commence the manufacture of brooms at his factory, on or about the 5th of September.  
An Essential Matter.—As the second volume of our esteemed contemporary the *Bear Lake Democrat* is drawing to a close, it very truly remarks that it requires more than merely taking a paper to properly maintain it, paying for it being an essential part of the programme.  
New Residence.—Isaac Jennings, Esq., has purchased the corner lot on South Temple Street, immediately east of the Eagle Gate, and has commenced the erection of a handsome residence. It is an excellent site for a dwelling and has the advantage of being central.  
Muddy Water.—A good deal of trouble is still experienced at the water works on account of the continued descent of mud in City Creek. The fire tanks on the outer edge of the city are considerably choked up with sediment and will have to be cleaned out soon.  
Birthday Anniversary.—From Miss Catherine Lewis, of St. John, Malad Valley, we have an account of a surprise party given by the Relief Society to President Lewis J. Lewis, in honor of the fifty-seventh anniversary of his birthday. The ladies also tendered him a gift as a mark of esteem. The details are very lengthy for publication.

A Deplorable Accident.—A deplorable accident happened at the Lexington mine, Butte City, on Monday morning, by which Alfred Richards was instantly killed, and James Clark and J. A. Williams were seriously injured. These men and John Truscott were at work in the stope, east drift, 200 level. The hanging wall of the vein, about 15 feet above them, peeled off and came down with crushing force. The four men were driven through the scaffolding, a distance of six and a half feet, to the level below.  
In the fall Truscott caught Richards, but at once discovering that he was dead, turned his attention to the rescue of the other two from their perilous position.  
Clark's right leg was found to be broken just below the calf, but he was not otherwise injured.  
Williams sustained a fracture of the right hip, and his left shoulder, side and cheek were badly bruised. The miner gives the details of the accident.

Serious Accident.—The *Territorial Enquirer* gives particulars of an accident that occurred last Saturday at Pleasant Valley. It appears that a young man named Peter Grant was trying to break in a wild goat in a corral. Another horse was also running about, dragging a rope. The rope finally got entangled around the legs of the horse the young man was riding. In its efforts to free itself from the rope, the horse fell, throwing him violently to the ground, his head striking a rock. He was rendered insensible.

On Sunday morning Dr. Pike was telegraphed for. He took the noon train for Pleasant Valley, and on his arrival found young Grant still unconscious, in which condition he remained until the departure of the doctor on Monday morning.

Dr. Pike fears that the base of the skull is fractured, in which event, the chances are that he will not recover.

"Contributor."—The last number of the *Contributor* is before us. Here are the contents: Sermons and writings of the Prophet Joseph. XI. Gift of Healing. Mormon Polygamy and Christian Monogamy. VIII. Moses Thatcher; A Trip to Denmark. De Vallibus; Inconsistencies of Modern Christianity. Jos. A. West; Journey to Palmyra, Z-nobis; How we are saved. O. F. Whitney; Intoxicated Geese; The Echo Canyon War, IX. Yavuz; Russians and Jews. Selected; "Absens" Beppo; Time in Prophecy. Jos. L. Townsend; Editorial: Roll and Record; The Restoration, I. E. H. Anderson; Only One Fault; Association Intelligence; Answers to Questions.

Registrar Appointed.—Judge E. D. Hoge has, we are informed, been appointed by the Utah Commission, registration officer for Salt Lake County, and has qualified for the position. All that the people ask or have any reason to expect of Mr. Hoge, is that he will perform his duty squarely and manfully, with a due regard for the rights of the people as far as the law and prescribed rules will admit. We have no reason to believe otherwise than that the registrar will amply fulfill this anticipation.

Missed His Man.—Last Sunday evening, about 7 o'clock, the citizens of Butte were startled by a pistol shot near the corner of Montana and Broadway. Officer Lytle had arrested a man named Nick Ayers, who was charged with assaulting a Chinaman at Walkerville on Friday last. They were on the way to jail and Ayers concluded he did not want to go, and started to run, when Mr. Lytle fired at the prisoner in order to scare him, which it did not do, and he kept on running, and was finally captured by Marshal Smith near the Grand Central Hotel.—*Butte Miner.*

Death of Major Wingard.—Major C. W. Wingard, paymaster U. S. A., located at Fort Douglas, died at his quarters at 4:30 this morning, from exhaustion. He had been ailing for some weeks past, but his death was not looked for so suddenly. The body will be kept until Saturday next, to give time for a near relative to arrive from Butte, Montana, upon which day the funeral will be conducted at the Fort. The interment will be made in the military cemetery.

Connected.—Some time ago we mentioned that the Telephone Companies of Ogden and this city were running an independent line of their own between this city and Ogden, each company erecting poles and putting up wire half of the distance. The line was completed to-day and wire connected, so we are now on speaking terms (telephonically) with the Ogdenites.

A Social Gathering.—There was a social gathering at the residence of Mayor Jennings last night. Besides the members of the Mayor's family, a large number of invited guests were present. The affair was in compliment to Mr. William C. Jennings, son of the host, previous to the departure of the young gentleman for Harvard, to resume his educational studies.

Ladies' outings.—This afternoon Sisters M. L. Horne and E. B. Wells left for Beaver to attend the Relief Society conference of that Stake and visit the branch associations in the settlements of the county.  
To-morrow Sister Zina D. Young will leave for the north and join Sister E. R. Snow Smith at Brigham City, when both will proceed to Logan to attend a ladies' conference.

Information Desired.—To know the whereabouts of Margaret Morbey, wife of Thomas Morbey. She came to Utah from England in the fall of 1872. Any information concerning her whereabouts will be gladly received by her brother, William Robinson, of Harrisville, Weber Co., Utah.

Meat Packing Establishment.—Marsh & Cooper are about to erect an extensive meat packing establishment near Lemhi, similar to that of Mr. Frewen at Sherman. It will have a capacity of 500 dressed hogs and 2,000 sheep. In connection with it will be a manure house.

Lost Boy.—Yesterday afternoon William F. Silver, son of Mr. William J. Silver, left his home in the Nineteenth Ward and has not since been heard of by his anxious parents. Information that will lead to his restoration to the family will be gratefully received by Mr. Silver, who will also with pleasure pay a reward for such intelligence.

Human Remains Found.—Yes, today afternoon, while some workmen were digging in the rear portion of the lot on which stands the Methodist Church on Third South Street, they discovered the skeleton of a child. The bones were in an advanced stage of decomposition, indicating that they had been in the ground a good many years.

A Damaged Hand.—On Friday morning, W. C. Walker, who was attending the saw in Van Noy & Co's shingle mill in Beaver Canyon, met with an accident which will cause him future inconvenience. The block turned on the feed gear, causing his foot to slip off the lever, releasing the carriage which moved forward, taking his right hand into the saw. By a muscular effort he succeeded in withdrawing the hand, but not before he had lost one finger and a portion of two others. Bishop Rigby brought the sufferer to this city by train, and on Saturday morning Dr. Ormsby gave the patient the necessary surgical assistance. Mr. Walker formerly resided at Egin, Snake River, but has a ranch in the neighborhood of where he was working. He is progressing favorably and will remain at the Cache Valley House for a time.—*Utah (Logan) Journal.*

Lawlessness at the Park.—There seems to be an element in Park City that are fit subjects for lynching. Wednesday morning a thief entered the stable of Charley Shields and took his horse, saddle and bridle, and skipped. About 3 o'clock some Ontario workmen met the horse and rider and had their suspicions aroused. They made known the fact and search was at once instituted. Mr. Thomas and others started in pursuit, going in the direction of Heber. In McHenry Canyon Mills got trace of his prey, and soon after espied him about 300 yards ahead. A lively race ensued, the thief making for Provo River and a thick clump of timber and brush, located on the banks. The thief's horse proved to be the fleetest, and when he reached the timber he dismounted and escaped. The horse was secured and brought back to town, having been out of the stable about eight hours. Everybody was disappointed at the escape of the thief, and it is deeply regretted that he was out of range of Mills' shot gun, as he says he fired both barrels at him. The mysterious disappearance of saddles and other articles is sufficient evidence that vigilance could do something to do here, and while we do not believe in inflicting that kind of punishment, we are confident that if summary vengeance would be meted out to a few of them, less robberies would be committed.—*Park Record.*

SPECIAL BUSINESS NOTICES.  
HOME MANUFACTURE.  
John C. Cutler, agent of the Provo Woolen Mills, is now stocking up with fall and winter goods. A full line of Cassimeres, Tweeds, Twilled and Plain Flannels, Dress and Shirting Flannels, Single and Double width Lousays, Jeans, White, Gray and Colored Yarns, Waterproof, Ladies and Childrens Woolen Stockings, Mens' White and Colored Socks, and a large stock of home-made Trunks, etc. Call and examine prices and quality, at the Old Constitution Building, Salt Lake City.

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The Universal D. J. Griffiths begs to announce that he has commenced business at his new establishment, 1227 1st South Street, and is prepared to furnish Lunches, Dinners, Suppers, &c. from 25c. to 75c. Ices, Jellies, Creams, American Iced Drinks. 4218 ft.

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FROM "THE TIMES."  
Editors Times.—The veterinary department in your valuable paper is always read by me with great interest and I value the information received from it a hundred fold more than the small amount paid for the paper. One year ago you published a letter from Dr. John Bates, relating the wonderful success he had had in curing several cases of splenic with Kendall's Spavin Cure, and his allusion to using it now in his practice for several human ailments on account of the success he has always had with it. The above statements from so prominent a Physician gave me great faith in its efficacy, and as I had been afflicted for years with rheumatism and hip-joint lameness so bad that I could hardly walk at times, I procured a bottle and as it has completely cured me I wish to proclaim it to all the world as the most wonderful discovery ever made for the benefit of afflicted men as well as for the poor horse, for which it was first used. As this remedy must be of incalculable value to the world, I write this letter to express my thankfulness to you for ever mentioning it in your columns and to ask another favor in behalf of my fellow men who are afflicted in body, that you continue to make known to the world, the great value of Kendall's Spavin Cure for both man and horse as well as least.  
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E. J. TRAVIS,  
J. T. GILMER.

CALIFORNIA BREWERY, SALT LAKE CITY, June 18th, 1882.  
This is to certify that I have used M. S. Simmons & Co's Wood and Fire Proof Paint, and I think it not only a good paint, but that it is economy to use it, as it is lasting.  
HENRY WAGNER.

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, July 11th, 1882.  
This is to certify that I have had my roof painted with Simmons & Co's Paint, and I think it a good paint, and I believe it to be more lasting than any other paint in use in Utah.  
ANDREW GERHARDT.

UTAH CENTRAL RAILWAY, SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, July 20th, 1882.  
We are using M. S. Simmons & Co's Paint on the Utah Central Railway, and consider it a good paint. We are painting our wind mills and water tanks to preserve the wood and iron. We also consider it a good paint for tin and iron roofs.  
SAML. H. HILL, P. A.

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, July 24th, 1882.  
We had M. S. Simmons & Co. to paint a part of the Wasatch Building, and believe their paint to be a good one.  
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