

THE EVENING NEWS.

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CELEBRATION OF THE COMPLETION
OF THE UTAH CENTRAL RAILROAD.

At the meeting of the City council, on Tuesday evening last, a committee was appointed to make the necessary arrangements for the celebration of the completion of the Utah Central Railroad from Ogden to this city. The names of the members of the committee are Jeter Clinton, Alex. Q. Pyper, John Clark, Heber P. Kimball and Henry Grow. Vice-President Wm. Jennings was appointed as a committee of one on behalf of the Utah Central Company to make the necessary arrangements for the celebration on the part of that Company. He and the committee from the City Council are acting in concert. Everything will be done to make the affair all that it should be, and such arrangements will be made as the importance of the occasion demands.

One hour before the cars arrive on Monday, a salute of guns will be fired as a signal for the raising of flags throughout the city and the assembling of the citizens at the depot to witness the ceremony of laying the last rail and driving the last spike. Afterwards there will be another salute of guns, one for each mile laid, followed by music, prayer, speeches by prominent citizens, toasts, sentiments, &c. In the evening there will be bonfires, fireworks and a general illumination of the stores and public buildings throughout the city; also a Grand Complimentary Celebration Ball at the Theatre, which will be gotten up for invited guests, by the president and directors of the road.

Considering the difficulties there have been to overcome we think the President, Vice-President, Directors, Superintendent and Assistant Superintendent and other officers of the Utah Central Road have performed wonders. The labors of Bro. John W. Young have been of a character to secure him a lasting remembrance in connection with the road, for the indefatigable energy he and his corps have displayed in laying the track. The weather too, has seemed to be specially adapted for the successful prosecution of the enterprise; a more favorable season for track-laying in the winter time could not have been desired.

The completion of this road is an important event in the history of our Territory. It will greatly facilitate and increase our internal commercial relations and also draw our metropolis into much closer relation with the outside world. The influx of visitors to this city last summer, owing to the completion of the Union and Central Pacific roads, was much greater than in any previous year since our settlement here; but, during the coming spring and summer, owing to uninterrupted railway travel from both East and West, we may naturally expect to see the numbers of last season far eclipsed. This will be beneficial to the Territory in many ways. Peculiarly, its results will be desirable, but what is far better and of much more consequence, it will bring probably thousands of intelligent and reflecting minds into close relations with us and our system, and will help to break down the ignorance and prejudice that abound concerning us.

In every point of view our citizens have cause for gratulation at the completion of this the first home line of railroad. It has been consummated under difficulties unknown in any other country; but the unity of action for which our people are noted, and many years of experience in grappling with and overcoming obstacles and difficulties, have brought to a speedy and satisfactory consummation a work which we trust is but the first of a series of such enterprises, for in a few years we hope to see lines of railroad, radiating from this city, to every locality of importance, from the extreme north to the southernmost limits of our Territory, constructed by Mormon enterprise and managed and controlled, as we feel assured the Utah Central will be, so as to command the admiration and respect of all.

ANNA DICKINSON CALLED A "MORMON."

ELDER THEODORE CURTIS has revisited his native place—Danbury, Conn., where he has hired a hall, placarded the town and delivered lectures on the principles of the gospel. Under date of the 28th December, he writes that Bro. Samuel W. Richards had been there, and had delivered an excellent discourse on "Celestial Marriage," as practiced in Utah. Two nights afterwards Miss Anna Dickinson lectured. Her subject was "Whited Sepulchres." Bro. Curtis writes that he thinks her lectures will do us considerable good; for notwithstanding her abuse of the men, whom she evidently hates, in consequence, he thinks, of being disappointed sometime in love, she spoke in the highest terms of the people in Salt Lake City, and said that our morals far exceed the morals of those of any other city in the United States.

The story in Danbury is that she is a

"Mormon;" that as Bro. Curtis makes no charge for preaching, she follows and delivers a lecture for which she gets three hundred dollars, and this more than pays him for delivering his free. We understand that it is believed by a great many that she is a "Mormon;" and the Elders are frequently stopped on the street and questioned concerning it.

Elder Curtis has baptised several.

[SPECIAL TO THE DESERET NEWS.]

By Telegraph.

AFTERNOON DISPATCHES.

SPANISH-CUBAN WAR IN NEW YORK.

A Plan to Repudiate the National Debt.

A FRAUDULENT DIVORCE CASE.

POLICEMEN AIDING PICKPOCKETS.

Two Ships Collide—One of them Sank.

PRIM AND SERRANO INCLINED TO SELL CUBA.

NEW YORK.

Peabody's Remains En Route.—The New Minister to China.—Spanish Cuban War.—Fraudulent Divorce Case.—Police-men Denounced.

The steamer *Monarch*, with the remains of Peabody, arrived at Madeira on the 30th ult.

The *Times* attributes the unfortunate situation of Spanish affairs to Prim's obstinacy and infatuation, and regards a peaceable issue from the present trouble as almost impossible.

NEW YORK.—A Washington special says that ex-Governor Lowe is on his way to this city, and next Saturday will start by rail for San Francisco, and on the first of next month will sail for Shanghai to assume his duties as Minister to China. He has received full instructions to carry out, faithfully, the provisions of the Burlingame treaty, and especially to be prompt and firm on the question of protecting American citizens and property in the celestial empire.

A private letter from Madrid says that Prim and Serrano are both inclined to favor the sale of Cuba to the United States, but are fearful of the effect on the Spanish people, who are bitterly opposed to it.

The Spanish-Cuban war in this city waxes hot. The Spanish Consul and Senator Deconto, editor of a Spanish paper, have received anonymous notifications that they will be assassinated.

Senor Roberto, Spanish Minister at Washington, is also to be put out of the way by two well-dressed emissaries, who are to decoy him into a dark corner. According to *El Cronista*, the Cuban Junta has arranged all this bloody work in secret session; and in the meanwhile the successful departure of another expedition for Cuba, with plenty of arms and powder, is reported.

The remaining gunboats belonging to Spain were expected to get off last night, a war steamer following for the purpose of taking care of Cuban cruisers.

A fraudulent divorce case came before Judge Cardoso yesterday. John Gowan left this city in May last, and went to Pittsburg; when he returned he found that he had lost his wife during his absence. Mrs. Gowan having applied for a divorce. The case had been tried, three witnesses swearing to Gowan's having violated the marriage vow with one Lizzie Smith, residing at No. 114 Allen Street. Gowan introduced proof before Judge Cardoso that no such person as Lizzie Smith at No. 114 Allen Street ever existed, that he was not guilty of the alleged infidelity, and had never been served with notice of the action, as required by law. Judge Cardoso reserved his decision.

The ship *Shakespeare*, which arrived to-day from Hamburg, collided last night at East Barge with the schooner *Adelaide* from New York for Baltimore; the latter immediately sank. The crew were saved.

On Tuesday Justice Dowling proclaimed in open court that he knew policemen who were in the habit of abetting pickpockets and sharing the plunder. Judge Bosworth, President of the board of police commissioners, yesterday addressed a letter to Dowling, requesting the names of such policemen, and if found guilty he promised that they would be summarily dismissed. The Justice sent a verbal reply, stating that he did not wish to be complainant.

WASHINGTON.

Lopez an Outlaw.

WASHINGTON.—Information has been received that the provisional government recently organized by the Allies in Paraguay, besides abolishing slavery and declaring Lopez an outlaw, has issued a decree declaring the monopolies, which were established by Lopez to spoliate the wealth of that Republic to his own profit, abolished.

IOWA.

Fatal Accident.

DUBUQUE.—W. McLaren, a carpenter and builder, aged about sixty years was killed this evening on the trestle work of the railroad track, a freight train passing over him.

KENTUCKY.

Damage to the Tobacco Crop.—Reputation Plan Discovers.

LOUISVILLE.—The damage to the tobacco crop in Kentucky is greater than was at first reported.

The *Gazette*, to-morrow, will publish the substance of the sworn statements made in it previously by Houston King, of Elliott, Ky., before Colonel Hoagland, United States detective. King declares that there is in existence a secret society, the object of which is to repudiate the public debt. The members propose to accomplish this by purchasing genuine plates of the greenbacks and bonds, and then flooding the country with copies of the original. Five million dollars, King states, have already been sent throughout the country. The organization is said to have twenty millions in its possession. The society was organized in December 1865, and was subsequently reorganized in September last. All the papers in the matter are now in the possession of

Secretary Boutwell. King was formerly a colonel in the rebel army, and has been, until lately, the clerk of Elliott County court, which position he resigned to attend to this business. The attention of the Government was called to the existence of this organization six months ago by a United States officer in this district.

ILLINOIS.

The Strikers not to be Re-employed.

CHICAGO.—The situation of affairs in relation to the telegraphers' strike continues unchanged; the office here is supplied with a full force of operators, and is continually receiving new applications for positions. The officers of the company here are entirely confident of their ability to fill the places of all the strikers with competent men, and declare that it is their intention to re-employ none of those engaged in the movement.

MISSOURI.

More about the Telegraphers' Strike.

ST. LOUIS.—The strike among the telegraphers here has not materially disturbed or retarded business in this section. Six hours after the strike, this office was competently manned, not only with a full force of first-class operators, on duty, but the superintendent of this district has men to spare who will go to any point where their services are needed. The strikers publish a card to their handling the telegraph company severely, charging them with a design to reduce their salaries generally, and thereby make the operators bear a portion of the cost of the war between themselves. Privately, the strikers acknowledge that their action was premature, but being taken, they will stand by it regardless of consequences.

FOREIGN NEWS.

ITALY.

Ecumenical Council Discussion on the Syllabus.

ROME.—In the Ecumenical Council yesterday five Bishops participated in a discussion on the Syllabus. Cardinal Cafarelli has been elected prefect of the congregation of studies in place of Cardinal Von Ruesch.

WEST INDIES.

Rumors about Salnave—Generals protest.

ST. THOMAS, Dec. 30, via Havana, 5.—It is reported that the Cacos have besieged Port Au Prince and have made a breach in Salnave's lines. On December 22nd, Salnave retreated to Fort Pelion when he fired the magazine and with his fourteen sons retreated. Another report is in circulation that Salnave has fled to St. Domingo and claimed the protection of president Baz.

Generals Luperon and Cabral have published a protest against the sale of the Bay of Samana. They are bitter against Baz.

SPAIN.

The Crisis.

MADRID.—The Cortes have suspended their sitting in order to leave Serrano unfettered in treating the ministerial crisis. The ministry will probably remain in office for the present, to attend to routine business.

Correspondence.

The following letter is from Bro. Wm. Bringham, now on a mission in the East, to Bro. W. H. Kelsey, of Springfield:

CHICAGO, Dec. 25th, 1869.

Wm. H. Kelsey.—Dear Bro.—In accordance with my promise to you when I left, to write you, I embrace the present opportunity. Mr W. Riter and myself arrived here on the 23rd, in good health and spirits. We have had very stormy weather much of the time since we left home. The people have received us very kindly thus far, but they do not manifest a disposition to embrace the principles of the Gospel. With very rare exceptions, they seem to be prompted more by a spirit of curiosity, and look upon it as a matter that they are not particularly interested in. We are talking almost incessantly, and we flatter ourselves that we are at least doing some good. This city is one of the finest, and is said to be one of the wealthiest west of New York. Dr. Crookwell has been here about one month. He is well and in good spirits and enjoys his mission. Young Dr. Ormsby is also here, a student at the medical college. We are to have a new Governor for Utah, by the name of Shaffer, from this State. He is spoken of as being a very good man, but you must remember it does not take much to make a good man here. If he is only a political trickster he is all right.

There is considerable of an effort made in Congress to devise some way by which they can put down polygamy, but my faith is that they will not succeed. I have not talked with a single man after explaining the matter to him but who has been opposed to Congress having anything to do with it. The labor of converting this generation to the principles of truth looks like a big work and it does look as though it never could be done until the Lord comes out in His wrath against them and sorely vexes the nations. There is a most splendid field here for some of the bright and shining lights of Springfield to display their talents. I think perhaps they might profit by a little intercourse with the world down here; it has a tendency to make a man liberal in his views. I had almost forgotten to say a Happy Christmas to you all. We expect to leave here on the 27th for Cleveland, Ohio, and to arrive in New York about the 10th of next month.

May God bless you all.

WM. BRINGHAM.

HOME-MADE FURS.—We were shown to-day a set of ladies' beaver furs, which had been made up by Sister McIntyre, wife of Bro. Thomas McIntyre, one of the employees of this office. The furs appear to be as nicely gotten up, and look equally as well, as most articles of that kind that are imported from the East.

This is a branch of home industry which ought to be encouraged. This Territory abounds with furs of the finest description; in fact they are exported in considerable

quantities from our northern countries to the East, to be made up into manufactured goods, some of which probably return here and are disposed of to the people. This is not as it ought to be; we have not only the material, but also the necessary skill to get up as cheap and as handsome furs as those imported from the East.

FROM THE MUDDY.—Brother G. Leavitt, writing from West Point, on the Upper Muddy, December 20th, says:

"We have just finished our School House, and had one meeting in it; school commences to-day. There will be about forty-five scholars. The house is sixteen by twenty-six feet, with four twelve-light windows. We have sown quite seventy-five acres of wheat at this place. The weather is dry and cold and the health of the people is good."

"OUR OWN PARTY."—Under this heading unique invitations were extended by the committee of arrangement to the "first assembly to convene in the New School House," in the Twelfth Ward, on Monday evening last. The party consisted of the heads of families of the Ward, with a few invited guests. About one hundred and fifty invitations were issued. The number present was something in excess of three hundred; and, although the hall was well filled, there was no crowd, and every person had opportunity of sitting.

At 3 p.m., the hour appointed, the hall began to teem with people; and "when music arose," the aged, middle-aged, and young went forth in the dance joyously. During the evening, several rare comic and sentimental songs were sung; and brother John Gowan recited "Ethereal Calvary," a poem of a boy. It is confidently asserted that everybody present, even the most inveterate dancers, satiated their terrestrial appetites. At 3 o'clock, a.m., the festivities of the occasion closed with benediction by Counselor M. G. Atwood.

It is a singular, and interesting fact, that this is the first public party ever held in the Twelfth Ward; in all probability not the last, now that the Ward has so capacious a house at its disposal. This was the first of a series. To-morrow (Thursday) evening the young folks have a party; and on Friday following, the little folks. The fact is understood, there will be a party for the Ward generally, and their friends.

President Young accompanied by Hon. Jos. A. Young, H. S. Eldredge, H. B. Clawson and Elder Geo. Q. Cannon honored the assembly with their presence for a short time. The presiding bishopric was represented by Col. J. C. Little, Bishop Hunter being unavoidably detained.

This is one of the most substantial and commodious school houses in the Territory; being 70 feet in length, forty feet in width, with a height of ceiling some 20 feet. The stage is 20 by 40 feet, bearing a main floor of some 40 by 50 feet. On this spacious area, twelve couillions have ample room for their evolutions.

The foundation was laid in the fall of 1862, and though its completion has been long delayed, the citizens of the Ward may justly feel proud of the result of the patience, perseverance and liberality, which have brought the noble edifice to its present creditable appearance. The plastering and seating will be finished, we are informed, at an early day. Some \$12,000 have been already expended upon it.

We most heartily congratulate Bishop Hardy, Counselors Snellgrove and Atwood and their co-workers, and trust they may reap such returns for their investments in this structure, in a general increase of faith, brotherhood and good works in the Ward as shall prove not only profitable to them, in every point of view, but also serviceable to the interests of the kingdom of God.

The Bishop, while upon his mission to the States and during his absence from home, will assuredly derive additional joy upon the announcement of the opening of the new school-house.

Died.

At Unionville, Summit County, December 21, 1869, of disease of the spine, Milton, son of Oliver and Sarah Jane Harmon, aged 3 years, 3 months and 11 days.

In the 10th Ward, in this city, on the 29th of December, nine days after a confinement, Ana Hansen, wife of Samuel J. Davidson, aged 23 years and 22 days.

Deceased was a native of Denmark.

At Smithfield, December 2nd, 1869, of obstruction of the bowels, Ephraim, son of Alfonso P. and Zilpha Raymond, aged 3 years, 4 months and 2 days.

At Smithfield, December 8, 1869, from the effects of a fall on ice, Robert Franklin, son of Robert A. and Euphemia Bain, aged 5 years and 4 months.

At Polk City, Iowa, on the 23rd ult., of paralysis and general debility, Brother Alvaro Beebe.

Deceased was born May 3rd, 1850, and joined the Church September 14th, 1869.

At Lehi, on the 27th ult., after an affliction lasting nearly seventeen years, Ira, son of Ira and Zilpha Willis, aged 19 years, 8 months and 5 days.

At Cedar City, December 19th, 1869, at 2 a.m., of cold on the lungs, George William, infant son of James and Mary Davis, from London, England, aged 1 year, 1 month and 23 days.

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In this city, on the 3rd inst., of general debility, Martha McCree, the relict of Thomas McCree, formerly of Liverpool, England, aged 77 years, 9 months and 23 days.

Deceased was baptized in 1850, in the Liverpool branch, and emigrated to New York with her husband in 1855. While residing in that city, she buried her husband, and subsequently, in 1860, she emigrated to Utah. She died in full faith.

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In this city, in the 11th Ward, January 1, 1870, of inflammation of the lungs, Sarah Rebecca, daughter of Nathan and Rebecca Mends, aged 5 years, 7 months and 16 days.

Samuel Roberts Teasdale, son of S. P. and Rebecca A. Teasdale, aged 5 years, 10 months and 15 days.

The funeral will take place on Friday at 2 p.m. Residence—20th Ward.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

THE undersigned having been appointed, by the Probate Court for Salt Lake County, Administrator of the estate of Miss Annie Lockwood, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present the same immediately, and those indebted will come forward and settle.

R. J. GOLDING, Administrator.

Office at the Court House.

Salt City, Jan. 6, 1870. 38-1W

Special Notices.

TO STUDENTS IN MATHEMATICS.—A splendid opportunity is now offered to students in Mathematics to attend a series of Lectures on that important branch of study, to be given by Bro. C. L. ERICZON, in the 19th Ward School House, Commencing January 7. For time of lecture see advertisement. d38-3

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