

FRAGMENTS.

HON. JOHN SHARP went south on this morning's Utah Central train.

There are two cases of scarlet fever at No. 102 Tenth East Street, the children being aged three and five years.

GENERAL CONFERENCE will be held in this city in October next, commencing on Thursday, the 6th.

FRANK MAYO fills in the week, all but one night, after the fireman's concert at the Theatre Monday evening.

A PARTY of Union Pacific excursionists, enroute to California from Iowa, will arrive in this city to-morrow evening.

OGDEN claims to have had halibut larger than pigeon's eggs during the storm there yesterday afternoon.

SEVENTY-FIVE California excursionists arrived from the west to-day. They will stop over in Salt Lake one day, and then continue the trip eastward.

The New York Firemen will arrive on Sunday evening by special train. They will be met and escorted down from Ogden by a delegation from this city.

The Home Dramatic Club will produce "Lights of London" in the Salt Lake Theatre about Sept. 20th.

All the desirable seats in the first circle and most of those in the parquette were sold yesterday, indicating that the audience in attendance on the concert this evening will be a large and select one.

The game of baseball which was to have been played between the National and Rural at Washington Square on Saturday, is off for a short time, owing to the latter club being unable to appear on that date.

The arguments on the civil jurisdiction of United States commissioners under the Edmunds-Tucker law, which were to have been made before Commissioner Norrell to-day, have been deferred till Saturday.

T. J. POTTER, vice president and manager of the Union Pacific, and Mr. Monroe, chief of the company's freight department, are expected to reach this city by Saturday evening, to wrestle with the question of freight rates.

It is vaguely rumored that a prize fight has occurred or is about to occur at Tintic between two high-class prize fighters. This incident, in connection with the immediate enlargement of the penitentiary, is significant.

A COUNTRYMAN left his team unattended in the street to-day and the animals started off on their own account. The outfit was espied by a policeman, who took it to the City Hall, where the owner was required to pay \$1 for his carelessness.

This evening, Wm. Penn Nixon, editor of the Chicago Free Press, in company with several other Chicago journalists, is expected to arrive in Salt Lake. The party have been visiting the Pacific Coast, and on their homeward trip will spend two or three days in Salt Lake.

They have a curiosity around the Brown in the shape of a fly-catching mouse. He makes his home near one of the windows, and may frequently be seen between the blind and the glass capturing his prey.—Ogden Herald.

This morning, Sarah Hands Lee commenced suit before Commissioner Norrell against Edward Brain, for \$250. The plaintiff alleges that she is owner of one-seventh interest in the brickyard operated by the defendant, and that she is entitled to the amount claimed for the use of her share of the soil. The defendant entered a demurrer to the complaint and the case will be heard on Wednesday next week.

On Tuesday morning an aged lady was crossing the tracks at the depot to board the Utah and Northern train. She caught her foot in the rails and it became fixed. After vain attempts to release the number the lady's shoe was undone and the foot was drawn out, just as the Park City train came thundering into the depot. It was a narrow escape for the lady, and but for the assistance rendered by a depot official the result might have been serious.—Ogden Herald.

JOHN WILLIAMS was before Justice Piper on Tuesday, and paid a \$10 fine for drunkenness. Last night he was drunk in the street by the police, too drunk to realize anything that was going on, and was carried to the city jail to sober up.

This morning the Police Court, and got off again with a fine of \$10. On this occasion, however, he will work it out with the chain gang, as an effort to raise the money among his friends was futile.

The case of lawlessness against Emily Passey and John Williams number two—as he is called to distinguish him from the individual of the same name who frequently asserts to the charge of drunkenness—has been continued at the request of Attorney Whittemore, for the defense, until Saturday next. The reason assigned for the delay is the desire to secure the presence of James Weiler, of Bingham, whom the couple claim married them. If the claim be true, it is likely that several cases of violating the Edmunds-Tucker law will grow out of the present prosecution.

Hurt By a Fall.

On Wednesday at Brigham City, Wilford Chatterton, a brakeman, slipped from a Utah & Northern train while in motion, and received severe injuries along his right side.

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A JOBBING CENTRE.

What Salt Lake Business Men Say This City Must Become.

OPENING A DEFENSE AGAINST RAILROAD DISCRIMINATION.

On the call of the Chamber of Commerce, they gathered in their hall last evening about one hundred business men, merchants, mining operators and capitalists, who assembled to unite in a movement against the discrimination of railroads which prevent this city from becoming the commercial center which its advantages and surroundings naturally tend to make it.

President McCornick presided, and after calling the meeting to order, briefly stated its object. Secretary Forthman then read the report of the Chamber of Commerce committee on railroads, as follows:

The President and Board of Trade.

GENTLEMEN:—We our committee on railroads, beg to submit to your consideration the following: We find that the freight rate on coal from Ogden to Salt Lake City is \$1.00 per ton, while the rate on coal from Salt Lake City to Ogden is only 75 cents per ton.

The report here gives a long array of figures showing how Salt Lake City, as a jobbing point, is discriminated against by the railroads.

"We desire to call your attention to the outrage practiced on the commodity tariff over the line of the Denver & Rio Grande to Salt Lake.

From being a natural business center, and after having unaided built up prosperous business points in every direction, by the action of the railroads all our natural advantages are being neutralized, and we are slowly becoming isolated.

The following supplemental report of the same committee, relative to rates on ore and bullion, was next read by the secretary:

Rates of freight on ores over the Union Pacific Railway and branches to and from the following points:

From Salt Lake to Kansas City, \$11 per ton; Omaha and Council Bluffs, \$10; Denver, \$7; Ogden, \$5.

WEBER'S TREASURERSHIP.

The Minority Candidate Taking Steps to Get the Office.

The question of who is entitled to the office of treasurer of Weber County is being forced to an issue. It is well known that a number of votes were cast for Mr. Wm. Farrel, but he refused to accept the office.

The judge quietly informed Mr. Smith that he must refuse to accept the office, as it is a public office, and he cannot do so without a majority of the votes.

On Friday, the 26th ult., Tex White, who was hauling ore from the White Tail Deer mine to the copper smelter, discovered the dead body of a man lying face upward about two and a half miles from the town of Bisbee.

The Immigrants.

A private dispatch received in this city states that the company of immigrants en route to Utah arrived in New York yesterday.

COMMERCIAL.

"None, therefore, be it and it is hereby Resolved, That in view of the facts cited, that this Board authorize the President to issue instructions to the Superintendent to close down the mines and mills as soon as the present supply of salt and fuel now on hand is consumed, and whether consumed or not, to close down the works on October 1st, 1887.

A Southern Pioneer.

The friends and relatives of Brother Joseph McRae, son of Bishop McRae, will be pleased to learn that he is in the city.

When a native in China is bitten by a mad dog, and symptoms of hydrophobia present themselves, the poor fellow will be taken to a public house, and there, chained up by his ankles, will die.

WAR DEPARTMENT, SIGNAL SERVICE U. S. ARMY.

DAILY WEATHER BULLETIN.

Table with columns: PLACE OF OBSERVATION, THERMOMETER (Maximum, Minimum, Mean), WIND (Direction, Force), and STATE OF WEATHER.

COAL! Sells, Burton & Co. PLEASANT VALLEY, ROCK SPRINGS, ALMY. ANTHRACITE. Mixed Nut, ROCK SPRINGS NUT, Alma Nut. COKE, CHARCOAL, WOOD, Etc. Office, 143 MAIN ST., S. L. City.

F. AUERBACH & BROTHER. DRY GOODS, ETC.

F. AUERBACH & BRO. THE LATEST AND CHOICEST DEPARTMENTS. DAILY ARRIVALS OF FALL GOODS!

Table with columns: Name of commodity and Price per unit.

F. AUERBACH & BROTHER. STEEL FRAME BINDERS! 30,000 having been Sold during the harvest of 1886.

D. M. OSBORNE & CO., Are again to the front with their STEEL FRAME BINDERS!

COATE'S LOCK-LEVER HAYRAKE! A Combined Hand and Self Dump.

D. M. OSBORNE & CO. THE RUTLAND SLATE ROOFING! PERFECT PRESERVATION OF IRON, TIN & SHINGLE ROOFING.

FALL and WINTER GOODS! Visitors Surprised! Buyers Delighted! WE ARE THE LEADERS IN THE LATEST STYLES AND THE GUIDING STAR FOR FALL BARGAINS! STAPLE & FANCY DRY GOODS, FANCY GOODS, DRESS GOODS and NOTIONS.

BOOM UTAH BY SUSTAINING HOME ENTERPRISES! SOLOMON BROS. & GOLD ARE MEN OF LARGE EXPERIENCE AND MAKE THE MOST SUBSTANTIAL BOOTS AND SHOES.

H. DINWOODEY RICHEST WALL PAPERS. THE BEST FURNITURE.

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