

## TRICK OF AN ESQUIMAUX DOG.

One day, in feeding the dogs, I called the whole of them around me, and gave to each in turn a capelin, or small dried fish. To do this fairly, I used to make all the dogs encircle me until every one had received ten of the capelin apiece. Now Barbekark, a very young and shrewd dog, took it into his head that he would play a white man's trick. So every time he received his fish, he would back square out, move a distance of two or three dogs, and force himself in line again, thus receiving double the share of any other dog. But this joke of Barbekark's bespoke too much of the game many men play upon their fellow beings, and, as I noticed it, I determined to check his doggy propensities; still, the cunning, and the singular way in which he evidently watched me, induced a moment's pause in my intentions. Each dog thankfully took his capelin as his turn came round, but Barbekark, finding his share came twice as often as his companions, appeared to shake his tail twice as thankfully as the others. A twinkle in his eyes as they caught mine, seemed to say "Keep dark, these ignorant fellows don't know the game I'm playing. I am confounded hungry!" Seeing my face smiling at his trick, he now commenced making another change, thus getting three portions to each of the other's one. This was enough, and it was now time for me to reverse the order of Barbekark's game, by playing a trick upon him. Accordingly, every time I came to him he got no fish; and although he changed his position rapidly, three times, yet he got nothing. Then, if ever there was a picture of disappointed plans—of envy at misfortune—it was to be found on that dog's countenance as he watched his companions receiving their allowance. Finding he could not succeed by any change of his position, he withdrew from the circle to where I was, and came to me, crowding his way between my legs, and looked up in my face as if to say, "I have been a very bad dog. Forgive me, and Barbekark will cheat his brother dogs no more. Please, sir, give me my share of capelins." I went the rounds three times more, and let him have the fish, as he had shown himself so sagacious and so much like a repentant prodigal dog.—[Captain Hall.]

SOME interesting statistics as to the geographical distribution of health and disease have been published. According to these, the chances of longevity are greatly in favor of the more northerly latitudes. Near the top of the scale are Norway, Sweden, and parts of England. Of cities, Vienna stands the lowest, and the highest is London. A cool or cold climate, near the sea, is the most favorable for longevity. While formerly, one out of every thirty of the population of England, France and Germany, died in each year, now the average is one in forty-five. The chances of life in England have nearly doubled within eighty years.—[Flag.]

—It is temper which makes the bliss of home, or disturbs its comfort. The home is in the forbearing nature, in the yielding spirit, in the calm pleasure of a mild disposition, anxious to give and receive happiness.

## ABSTRACT

Of Meteorological Observations for the month of April, 1865, at G. S. L. City, Utah, by W. W. Phelps.

## MONTHLY MEAN:

| Barometer out of repair. |                       |         |
|--------------------------|-----------------------|---------|
| Monthly Mean.            | Thermometer open air. |         |
| 9 a. m.                  | 2 p. m.               | 9 p. m. |
| 30°                      | 40°                   | 40°     |
| Monthly Mean.            | Thermometer Dry Bulb. |         |
| 7 a. m.                  | 2 p. m.               | 9 p. m. |
| 30°                      | 42°                   | 41°     |

The highest and lowest ranges of the Thermometer, during the month, in the open air, were

Max. 76° Min. 20°

The amount of snow that fell during the month measured  $\frac{1}{4}$  inches, and the amount of snow and rain water measured  $\frac{5}{16}$ , which is 40 over an half inch of water upon the whole surface. The prospect for plenty of water for irrigation is fair; perhaps to overflowing, as the total amount of snow that has fallen among mountains and canyons, since last November, comes very near 12 feet upon an average.

## MONTHLY JOURNAL.

1. Hazy and warm.
2. Hazy with a wind storm.
3. Cold, snowy and windy, north.
4. Clear and cold.
5. Cloudy and cold.
6. A.M. snowy; p.m. cloudy.
7. A.M. snowy; p.m. cloudy.
8. Cloudy and snowy.
9. Cloudy.
10. Cloudy and snowy.
11. Cloudy and cold.
12. Clear.
13. do
14. Cloudy and snowy.
15. Clear.
16. Cloudy with rain.
17. A.M. clear; p.m. hazy and cloudy; night snowed.
18. Cloudy, snowy and cold.
19. Cloudy, cold and stormy.

20. Clear and cold.
21. do do
22. do do
23. Clear and hazy.
24. do do and warm.
25. do do do
26. Cloudy.
27. Clear.
28. Partially clear and warm.
29. Clear.
30. do.

## Married:

In this city, April 21, by Elder Robert L. Campbell, Mr. JOHN STEWART, of this city, and Miss EMMA E. HOPE, late of Burbage, Wiltshire, England.

## Died:

In Smithfield, Cache co., April 21, of a lingering illness and final consumption, ROBERT THOMPSON, aged 30 years, 2 months and 7 days.

Deceased was born Feb. 14, 1829, at Alston Moor, Cumberland, England, where he embraced the gospel. He emigrated with his parents to Nauvoo, in 1841, and arrived in G. S. L. Valley in 1847. His faithfulness to the Latter-day Work is known to all personally acquainted with him.—[Com.]

In Provo City, April 8, WILLIAM, son of Jessie and Mary Jane Bennett McCauslin, aged 14 years and 9 months. Also, April 12, GEORGE ALFRED, son of Jessie and Nancy Allen McCauslin, aged 2 years, 4 months and 6 days.

In Nephi City, April 5, EMILY, daughter of James Thomas and Louisa Belliston, aged 9 years, 5 months and 17 days.

[Mil. Star please copy.]

In Nephi City, March 28, of apoplexy, GEORGE GREGORY, son of John and Ann Wilkey, aged 7 years and 12 days.

[Mil. Star please copy.]

In Logan, Cache co., April 16, SARAH ELIZABETH, wife of Wm. Goodwin, aged 28 years, 10 months and 28 days.

[Nebraska papers please copy.]

In Farmington, Davis co., May 2, AUGUSTUS FARNHAM, aged 39 years, 11 months and 12 days.

Near Richmond, Cache Valley, March 21, of apoplexy, MARGARET, wife of Joseph Bate-man, aged 69 years, 9 months and 17 days.

[Mil. Star please copy.]

## New Advertisements.

## LOST

BETWEEN the lower end of the 17th and 19th Wards, a BREAST PIN, with gold back, open center, set round with Garnets. The finder will leave it at the DESERET NEWS OFFICE, and be rewarded.

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## ESTAYS.

I HAVE in my possession the following described ESTRAY:

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One dark 4 year old COW, underbit out of right ear, crop off left, top sawn off both horns, and has a calf with her.

The above OX was brought to me last November, and if not claimed will be sold by auction in 21 days from this date, with other cattle that have been previously advertised.

D. McALLISTER, Pound Keeper,

Mill Creek Ward

May 3, 1865.

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CASH & PRODUCE TAKEN.

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C. STOKES.

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E. R. YOUNG.

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## NOTICE.

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## WOOL CARDING.

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| Casto Racheline     | Mitchell Mary    |
| Carter Della E      | McKenny Augusta  |
| Chase Libbia        | Pack Mrs W E     |
| Coak Elizabeth      | Phillips Morgan  |
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T. B. H. STENHOUSE, P.M.

G. S. L. City, May 9, 1865.