

# **EVENING NEWS.**

Saturday, Nov. 24, 1883.

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## **FLOATING FRAGMENTS.**

No Theatre to-night.  
 "A soft answer turneth away wrath."  
 Look out for highwaymen these dark nights.  
 The Lake is rising as the wet weather advances.  
 The western sky bore a peculiar reddish tint last evening about sunset.

Religious services in the Assembly Hall to-morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock.

The District Telegraph system is expected to be in working order within 30 days.

"Romany Rye" at the Walker Opera House next week. A big attraction for Thanksgiving holidays.

Bullion and Boyan announce that they have a full line of the latest novelties in millinery and fancy goods.

A laborer named Fielding in the rear of the Opera House last evening, was kicked by a horse and his arm dislocated.

Variety concert in the Fifth Ward last evening. Drama, Farce and Music. New scenery, new music, new stage.

The city seems infected with thieves and rogues of every description. But the police are active in ridding them.

The Second Quorum of Seventies will meet in the 15th Ward meeting house on Monday evening at half past 7 o'clock.

A dance will be given in the 7th Ward Assembly Rooms next Wednesday evening, under the auspices of the Brass Band.

Geo. M. Scott & Co., dealers in iron, steel, stoves, tinware, miners' and blacksmith's tools and a full line of hardware have a new ad. in this issue of our paper.

The Eighth Quorum and the scattered Seventies of the 12th and 13th Wards will meet in the 12th Ward Assembly Rooms, on Monday, the 26th inst., at 7 o'clock, p.m. W. B. Douglass, Clerk.

Donelson Brothers offer at cost, for thirty days, their entire stock of dry goods, notions, shoes, etc., previous to their removal into their new quarters at No. 68, Main Street, S., opposite Herald office.

The City Collector has commenced levying upon property to enforce the payment of delinquent taxes with cost of process. Now let all delinquents step up and settle and save themselves further trouble and expense.

We are requested by Bishop H. H. Sperry to announce that to-morrow (Sunday) evening, Elder John Nicholson will deliver an address in Fourth Ward School House on "How to Teach the Doctrine of the Gospel to the Young." Young men are especially invited.

The 21st Ward Dramatic Company have had some elegant costumes made for the performance of the "Denouement" and the "Omni-bus" to be produced next Monday and Tuesday evenings. They have spared no expense to put these pieces on the stage in good style, and anticipate eclipsing all former efforts to please.

By an error in the copy furnished us the date in the published notice of the birth of the latest male addition to the family of Mr. and Mrs. John Alford was stated as Feb. 22d, instead of November. The mistake has not seriously affected the youngster, who is a healthy lively little fellow—an extra fine specimen of infantile humanity. Long may it wave.

"From Vienna to Constantinople" is the subject of Rev. F. T. Lee's lecture at the Congregational Church (Fourth Ward) Hall, to-morrow evening. A bird's-eye view of Vienna will be given, the three day's trip down the Danube, and a four day's journey across Bulgaria by native conveyance will be given. Also some account of the Bulgarian people, their manners and customs, and the work that American missionaries are attempting in their behalf. The public cordially invited.

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# **CACHE COUNTY EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTE.**

LECTURES BY ELDER C. W. NICHOLSON AND APOSTLE MOSES THATCHER.

An interesting lecture on the subject "Should Land be Private Property?" was delivered by Elder C. W. Nicholson, at Logan, on last Friday evening, under the auspices of the Cache County Educational Institute. The view of the speaker, the Journal says, was that under a truly theocratic government, a higher and a better condition of happiness and prosperity was attainable under a system that made land public property; but that such a system would not do under any of our present earthly governments.

On the following night a packed audience at the Logan Hall listened to a lecture by Apostle Moses Thatcher who took as his theme "The Reformers." The speaker, in his well known pleasing and instructive style, traced the history of reform from the earliest ages, presenting Jesus of Nazareth as the grand center, around whom all other reformers who went before or came after him must cluster, and included in the list such illustrious names as Abel, Seth, Enoch, Moses and other ancient prophets, as well as those who followed Christ and opposed the supremacy of papal tyranny.

He came finally to Joseph Smith, the prophet of the last dispensation, and after giving a sketch of his career, closed with the following eloquent peroration:

"He came when unbelief had waxed uncaring and religious practices unobserved. The world was full of spiritual idolatry; men drawing high unto God with their lips when their hearts were far from him. God instructed Joseph and enabled him to look beyond the show of things and stand firmly on the very heart of things.

An earnest deliverer—a prophet, priest of the Most High—he placed with the eye of a seer the insinuating and semblance of things. Seeking not the suffrage of the world he held his glorious stand regardless of the outward look of it.

He unveiled the hypocrisy of the age and struck a fatal blow at mental idolatry. United Mohammed, he found no gods 'of wood and wax,' but blind leaders of the blind teaching the people to worship a teaching, passionless myth which they could not see.

Touched by the inspiration of a real God, the Almighty, living Father, a flood of light, divine, truth eternal, came into the world through that unlettered boy. Unaided by the wisdom of the world he taught astronomical, geological, physiological and philosophical truths, leaping with a single bound beyond the then known demonstrations of scientific research.

For him and through him, the veil of eternity and showed him things, powers, principalities, and lives ever lasting! At his word darkness fled away, and the victory of Christ over death, hell and the grave was revealed. By faith he rent the veil between the living and dead, comprehended the power of the gospel to save even beyond the grave and talked with God face to face.

He testified of the personality of God and of the brotherhood of Jesus Christ. He gave us the history of dead nations, brought to light the mission of the Redeemer on this continent, and explained the authority of the priesthood. Banning from the minds of men the horrors of hell, he conferred keys of kingdom and sealed for time and eternity. Poor, despised, persecuted, hated, how weak, weaker than a child seemed the Church of God when he organized it a half century ago. But that weak thing has become strong because it is a true thing. It was thought despicable, laughable then; but nobody can manage to laugh at it now!

The world was blind, as the world has always been; but he saw cities, villages, hamlets, farms, springing up in these mountain valleys. He saw the stakes of Zion strengthening and her cords lengthening; and though testing the malice of a corrupt generation, his eye was single to the glory of God.

Chastely, bravely, he met the unjust of this age, for to him the mission disturbed a race of malice that since has known no rest. Standing upon the heart of things, looking the world and the devil straight in the eye, how nobly he grandly he beat down spiritual idolatry, while dispelling the darkness that covered the earth and gross darkness that beclouded the minds of the people.

Firm as the granite of the everlasting hills he stood amid the tumult of oceans as they were lashed into foam, and every upon the reefs of prejudice everywhere around him. Faithful unto death, God hath given him the crown of life, while we enjoy the fruits of his unselfish labor.

Let us hold sacred the memory of the world's great reformers who stand as beacon lights along the shores of time, for to them under God, are we indebted for the freedom we now possess.

Among them, after Christ, stands foremost, the great modern Prophet, preeminent, the head of the last dispensation, the founder, under God's direction, of the universal kingdom over which Christ shall reign forevermore.

Many of the leading companies in England for their largest bills, use hand work only. Mr. Anderson is an expert in this work and theatrical companies, going eastward can now find in Salt Lake City a man who is able and willing to supply them with wall bills of any size, no matter how large.

Dead Bodies Found.—The following special to the News reached this office at 8 p.m.:

FRISCO, Utah, 1883.

The body of an old man was found this afternoon near Frisco, in such a decomposed state as to be beyond recognition. The body was almost entirely consumed by bugs. It is supposed to be the remains of an old man who was subject to drink, and that he wandered off in an intoxicated condition and perished.

The body of an Indian squaw was found in a well this morning. She had been there for some time and in some way missed her footing, fell in and was drowned.

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# **PERSONAL.**

President A. O. Smoot came up from, and returned to Provo to-day. J. A. Merchant, of Peoa, Summit County, called in to-day. He reports good health in that locality.

J. Miller, County Clerk of Davis County, was down from Farmington this morning.

Jas. E. Williamson, secretary of the Leeds Co-operative Store, is in town on business connected with that institution, and will spend two or three days.

Bishop Nephth Packer, of Springville, was in town to-day. He left for home this afternoon.

The Romany Rye.—The Philadelphia Times says:

The dramatic event of the season in New York was the production of the first time of "The Romany Rye." This play was witnessed by a crowded house and the manner in which it was received indicated that it achieved a popular success. "The Romany Rye" can be favorably compared with any of the other melo-dramas that have been produced in this country since the revival of taste for this sort of thing a few years ago. From a scenic point of view it is superior to any of them, even "World" or the "Lights of London."

This splendid play will be produced at the Walker Opera House four nights, commencing on Tuesday evening, Nov. 27; also Thanksgiving matinee Thursday.

Music.—Hundreds of ladies and gentlemen in this city are desirous of learning to sing from the notes at sight, and many have spent considerable time and money trying to acquire that accomplishment, but the great difficulties associated with the established staff notation have discouraged them. To such, and all others desiring to learn vocal music, Prof. A. C. Smyth offers an excellent opportunity of speedily becoming proficient in the art. He claims, and no doubt can prove all he asserts about the matter, that those who study the Sol-fa system can obtain a thorough knowledge of the staff notation in one-tenth the time they would have to devote if they pursued the old, or absolute pitch, method; also that they can learn to sing—the most difficult music correctly, in a remarkably short time, when it is printed in the Sol-fa characters. He will open a class in the Fourteenth Ward Assembly Rooms on Nov. 26th, at 7.30 p.m.

Lectures by Dr. Shipp.—A private lecture given by Dr. M. B. Shipp, in the Fourteenth Ward Assembly Rooms, last Wednesday evening before a number of gentlemen of this city, present by invitation. It was listened to with deep interest. It was well delivered and gave great satisfaction, and at the close, President Willford Woodruff made a motion, which was seconded by Elder Joseph E. Taylor, to the effect that the lecture be heartily endorsed by those present, and that Dr. Shipp be sustained in his proposal to deliver it in the various Wards of the city, and the settlements of the Territory. The motion which was carried unanimously, was accompanied by the expression of a hope that Brother Shipp would meet with hearty encouragement.

Agreeable with his intention Dr. Shipp has secured the use of the Eighteenth Ward Chapel for next Monday and Tuesday evenings. On Monday night, at half past seven o'clock, a free lecture for both sexes will be given by Drs. M. B. and Maggie C. Shipp on the subject: "Life and its Vicissitudes, from a Physiological Standpoint," illustrated with anatomical charts; and on the following night a lecture for males only will be delivered by Dr. M. B. Shipp at the same hour and place. The admission to Tuesday's lecture is 50c.

A Dastard Wretch.—Yesterday afternoon a little six-year-old daughter of Mr. Spencer Clawson was returning home from her father's store on Main Street when she was accosted by a big burly ruffian who made improper advances to her telling her that her mother had given him leave to kiss her, and offering the child money to go away with him. The little one was badly frightened and almost fainted away, but just then there came by another girl, several years older, a relative of the younger one, who took her by the hand and led her home.

The villain who had insinuated her, next met and spoke in a similar strain to a little girl named Florence Esaki, patting her under the chin and endeavoring to entice her. She also repelled his vile advances and fled. He then encountered two small girls near the Garde House. There he succeeded in tempting them, they in their innocence agreeing to accompany him when the police, who had got wind of the affair, appeared upon the scene and took him into custody.

In the meantime Mr. Clawson's little girl had reached home and related to her mother what had occurred. The latter immediately telephoned to her husband, who instantly left the store and happening to come upon the police having seized a cane and broke it over the ruffian's head.

The trial of Pat Landers, the wretch arrested yesterday for enticing little children for immoral purposes, is set for eight days hence.

Elder William M. Palmer, President of the North Western Mission, is about to return to the field for a short time.

An incontinent fire this afternoon at the Eagle Foundry, west of Walker Brothers, was put out just after the alarm was given.

Miss A. A. Adams wishes the rumor corrected that she is about to retire from business. That lady contemplates no such action, as long as her many friends continue the liberal patronage her establishment now receives.

LOST.—At the residence of Wm. J. Lloyd 15th Ward of this city, John Lloyd, of Astoria, in the 6th year of his age, after an illness of several years.

His family residence was in Newton, Iowa, which he left on the 1st inst., to pay a visit to his brothers, of whom he had four, and two of his children, all residents of this Territory. He arrived in this city on the 24 inst., alone which time he had been confined to his room until the time of his death.

Friends of the family are invited to attend the funeral services, which will take place to-morrow, 25th, at the place of his demise, at 10 a.m. Friends of the family cordially invited.—[Cont.]

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