

HEAD QUARTERS NAUVOO LEGION  
 ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE  
 GREAT SALT LAKE CITY.  
 Sept. 10th. 1850.  
 GENERAL ORDERS No. 8.

I. In compliance with Sec. 6th. of "Ordinance regulating the Militia of the State of Deseret," there will be a General Muster of the Nauvoo Legion on the 10th, 11th, and 12th of October. The Regiments will form at the General Parade Ground on the morning of the 10th at 9 o'clock, ready and equipped for a Campaign of three days and subject to the orders of the Commanding General.

II. Regimental Commanders will each select and appoint from the Lieutenants of the Line, an assistant Quarter Master and an assistant Commissary of Subsistence, who shall provide wagons, teams, and camp equipage with rations for three days, and superintend the issuing of rations to Orderly Sergeants, the whole under the supervision of the Quarter Master General and Commissary General of Subsistence. To avoid delay in the movement of the Campaign, these and all other necessary preparations will be made on the evening of the 9th.

III. Capt. Conover will muster his company of Mounted Rifles in the Utah Valley. Leaving a guard sufficient to protect the Fort, he will proceed with twenty men to reconnoitre the southern extremity of the Utah Lake, and Salt Creek, and from thence proceed to the Yoab valley and inform himself of the movements of the Indians in those neighborhoods. The remainder of his company in charge of the 1st. Lieut. will proceed up the Provo Canyon, ascertain the practicability of the mountains in that region and return by way of the Spanish Fork Canyon.

IV. Capt. Canfield will muster his Light Horse, at their company parade ground, in Weber county. From thence he will proceed up the Weber Canyon, make himself thoroughly acquainted with the resorts of the Indians in that vicinity, and the country in general, and

return by way of Box Elder.

V. The officers in charge of these detachments will conduct their intercourse with the Indians they may meet, on terms of friendship, and should any property stolen from the settlements be found in their possession, it will be recovered with *gentle decision*. All movements calculated to alarm the natives, will be avoided, and unnecessary firing of guns will be prevented.

Correct minutes of proceedings with a description of the country will be kept by each officer in charge of a party and returns thereof made to this office.

VI. The officer and company musters and drills, will take place as usual at their appropriate time and place, on Saturday's the 21st and 28th inst. as provided for in Sec. 4th and 5th of Ordinance before referred to.

By order of  
 DANL. H. WELLS, Maj. Gen.  
 JAMES FERGUSON, Adj. Gen.

Wednesday, Sept. 11, 1850, 2 P. M.

The General Assembly of the State of Deseret met in joint session, on call of the Governor, in the Bowery: a majority being present, the Assembly was opened with prayer by Senator Cahoon.

A petition from D. B. Huntington, to be a licensed trader to trade with the Indians in the San Pete Valley, was read, and ordered to be laid on the table.

A bill from Thomas Tanner, amounting to \$93, for repairing guns in the Arsenal, &c., was allowed.

Petition from James A. Little & Co., for right to run a line of stages from Ogden City, through G. S. L. City to San Pete; with branch lines to Tooele Valley, &c. for five years; was referred to a Select Committee, namely; D. H. Wells, G. A. Smith, and E. T. Benson.

D. H. Wells presented a bill for an ordinance to incorporate the Perpetual Emigrating Poor Fund Company, which was read and ac-

cepted, and referred to a Select Committee of five, namely; D. H. Wells, G. A. Smith, P. P. Pratt, W. Snow, and E. T. Benson.

D. H. Wells then presented a series of resolutions to our Delegates in Washington, Dr. J. M. Bernhisel, and A. W. Babbit, instructing them to press our claims to be admitted as a State, into the Union; which were read, and unanimously adopted by the Assembly, and ordered to be sent to them immediately.

On motion, adjourned to Saturday, 14th Sept., at 2 P. M., to meet in the Bowery.

THOMAS BULLOCK,  
 Clerk of Senate.

*Messrs Reese's Notice of goods* near at hand, which we favor subscribers this week, will be read with interest by those who are in search of particular articles. We understand the goods are expected about the 1st of Oct.

*Nauvoo Bell.*—Our Friends are aware that the Nauvoo Bell was cracked during the severe frost last winter, and will now be pleased to learn, as we are informed, that it is about being re-cast, and enlarged, and we hope to hear its cheering tones again in a few days. It is a heavy undertaking for our present means, but it is confidently believed, that the iron furnace left by the gold diggers last season, when attached to the flue of the mint, can accomplish the object.

A sarcasm upon pugilistic legislators has been lately put forth in Paris. It is a caricature, in which two chimney-sweeps are represented fighting outside the Chamber of Deputies. A policeman interposes, saying, "No fighting in the streets, you blackguards! Go inside the Chamber, if you wish to do that."

*A Key found.* Call at the Post Office.