

matters of conjecture, and much calculation, however ingenious, must be purely inferential; whereas the age of the Bo-tree is a matter of record; its preservation has been an object of solicitude to successive dynasties, and the story of its vicissitudes has been preserved in a series of continuous chronicles, among the most authentic that have been handed down by mankind.

## CORRESPONDENCE.

### MORE OF THE DOINGS ON THE 24TH.

The following reports of celebrations on the Twenty Fourth of July, were received too late for notice or publication last week, and altho' a little out of season in this fast age we concluded to insert them in this number lest those concerned might consider themselves neglected:—

#### TWENTY-FOURTH AT OGDEN CITY.

At 4 o'clock, a.m. Firing of cannon. Raising of flags. Rolling of drums.

At 5 o'clock the Martial and String bands under command of Capt. R. D. Sprague, chief of music, accompanied by two companies of Life Guards, commanded by Col. D. Gamble, proceeded through the principal streets of the city, playing and firing, at intervals, appropriate salutes.

At 9 o'clock the procession was formed on Union square, under the command of Major McGaw, marshal of the day, and his assistant Lewis A. West, in the following order:

- 1.—Company of Life Guards, commanded by Col. D. Gamble; banner—"Our rights—we'll defend them."
- 2.—Young man bearing the Marshal's flag—motto, "Order, heaven's first law."
- 3.—Martial band, with banner.
- 4.—String band; banner—"The thousands of Ephraim."
- 5.—Committee of Arrangements.
- 6.—Company of Battalion boys, commanded by Major L. Clark; banner—"Ram in the thicket."
- 7.—Company of Pioneers, commanded by Capt. R. E. Baird; banner—"Our mountain home."
- 8.—High Priests, under direction of C. R. Dana; banner—"Pillars in the house of God."
- 9.—Company of Silver Greys, commanded by Capt. Luman Shirliff; banner—"Veterans of Deseret."
- 10.—Bishops and Councilors, under direction of Bishop E. Bingham; banner—"Fathers of the people."
- 11.—Twelve young men, under direction of Wm. Burch, Esq.; banner—"Zion's strength."
- 12.—Twelve young ladies, under direction of Miss L. A. Abbott; banner—"Daughters of Deseret."
- 13.—Seventies, under direction of G. W. Brimhall; banner—"Heralds of salvation."
- 14.—Officers of the Weber County Agricultural and Manufacturing Society, under direction of Joseph Hall, Esq.; banner—"Let the adorning of your bodies be the workmanship of your own hands."
- 15.—A wagon drawn by four horses, driven by E. C. Richardson, Esq., loaded with implements of husbandry and sheaves of grain; banner—"Peace and Plenty."
- 16.—Elders, under direction of S. Maloney; banner—"Elders of Israel."
- 17.—Twelve boys, under direction of E. Freeman; banner—"Zion's Hope."
- 18.—Twelve girls, under direction of Miss E. Bunker; banner—"Virtue our mother's pride."
- 19.—Police, commanded by Capt. Green Taylor; banner—"Terror to evil doers."
- 20.—Priests, under direction of John Folker; banner—"We prepare the way."
- 21.—Sabbath school children, under direction of F. A. Hammond; banner—"Students in the science of theology."
- 22.—Teachers, under direction of Thomas Wadsworth; banner—"Blessed are the peace makers."
- 23.—Day School children, under direction of Mrs. S. Shirliff; banner—"We love to go to School."
- 24.—Deacons, under direction of Mr. Thomas; banner—"They that would be great let them be servants of all."
- 25.—Company of Life Guards, commanded by Cap. James Owens; banner—"God and our rights."

At 9 1-2 o'clock the procession left the square, followed by a multitude of citizens, passed down first West street to North street, thence to Main street and halted at the residence of Mayor Farr, when he and his suite were received and assigned a position between Nos. 3 and 4 in the procession, which then moved down Main street to the Tabernacle, where the procession and citizens were seated in order.

Prayer by the Chaplain of the day—Patriarch James Lake.  
Music by the String band.  
Firing of cannon. Music by the Martial band.  
Oration by Gen. J. Hunt, orator of the day.  
Firing of cannon.  
"Hail Columbia," by the band.

The following toasts were then given:  
The Life Guards—They were at Echo, may

they ever be found faithful to the cause of truth.

Daniel H. Wells—Chief of Zion's hosts, may his future battles ever be as bloodless as his Echo victory.

Utah—The cradle of liberty; never mind, Uncle Sam; should you choose, we can rock it alone.

The Weber County Agricultural and Manufacturing Society—The stepping stone to wealth, prosperity and independence.

Music by the String band.  
Speech by Mayor Farr.  
Firing of cannon.  
Music by the Martial band.  
Speech by Elder John Taylor.  
Firing of cannon.  
Music by the bands.  
Benediction by the Chaplain.

After which the procession was reformed and, passed up Main street to Union square, when the Marshal of the day returned his hearty thanks to the several officers for their promptitude in carrying out the order of the day. After which the citizens generally sat down under a large and commodious bowery, which had been prepared for the occasion, and heartily partook of a sumptuous dinner. They then moved the tables out of the way and the people indulged in music, songs, dancing, etc.

During the day peace, order and the most perfect union of feeling prevailed without a note of discord in the multitude.

At night there were social parties in various parts of the city, all of which was conducted in the most perfect order, and all appeared to be satisfied, rejoicing in the spirit of peace.

Committee of Arrangements: Gen. C. W. West, Hon. Judge A. Farr, Capt. E. Bunker, Capt. J. N. Goodall, William Kay, Esq., Thomas Thomas, Esq.; Walter Thompson, Secretary.

#### TWENTY-FOURTH AT HEBER CITY.

The day was ushered in by the firing of musketry under the direction of Capt. Zemira Palmer.

At 1 p.m., on the arrival of Elder William Wall, presiding officer of the Saints in Provo valley, he was saluted by a discharge of firearms, and he made a short speech to those present in reply to the salutation.

At 1 1-2 the citizens assembled in the spacious meeting house recently erected and, after being called to order by Prest. Wall, the choir sang a Pioneer song, "Hail ye mighty men of Israel;" which was followed by prayer by Elder John M. Murdock, dedicating the house as a place of worship and a house of learning.

The choir sang, "Come, come ye Saints." A lengthy address was delivered by Elder Norton Jacobs, one of the Pioneers of '47, in which he reviewed the past history of the Saints, their journeyings, persecutions, and referred to their present prosperous circumstances; also spoke of the blessings promised to them, which they would obtain by obedience to the commandments of God.

Choir sung, "We are true born sons of Zion," which was followed by an address by Father Sessions, of the Mormon Battalion, in which he related the sufferings of that brave band of patriots, and portrayed the benefits and blessings that had resulted to the Saints from the sacrifices they made.

An appropriate song was then sung by Z. Palmer, followed by an appropriate speech by Prest. Wall.

At the close of each speech salutes were fired.

The services of the day were closed by prayer, and the balance of the afternoon and evening was spent in dancing, interspersed with songs, recitations and other social amusements and recreations.

JAMES McNAUGHTON, Reporter.

#### TWENTY FOURTH AT MOUNT PLEASANT.

The day was ushered in by several volleys of musketry from companies of infantry, commanded by Captains Amasa Tucker and Jefferson Tidwell, who continued firing at intervals throughout the day. A spacious bowery had been erected for the occasion, under which the citizens, old and young, assembled en masse at 9 a. m.; where the proceedings were conducted throughout the day, after the following

##### PROGRAMME:

Congregation called to order by the Marshal.  
Choir sung, "Our Natal Day."  
Prayer by James R. McLennan, Chaplain.  
Choir sung, "The Might with the Right."  
Oration, "The Pioneers," by Elder Duncan McArthur.

Music, by "Hanson's Quadrille Band."  
Comic Song by Asa S. Hawley.  
An Address by Elder J. R. Ivie.  
Music by Quadrille Band.  
Song by Mrs. M. Clements.  
An Address by Augustus Neilsen.  
Music by Quadrille Band.  
Comic Song by P and N. H. Burroson.  
Regular Toasts, Sentiments, &  
Song by Yens Yorgensen.  
Music, Quadrille Band.  
Song, by Asa S. Hawley.  
Choir sung "Salvation to our God."  
Benediction by J. R. McLennan.

At 12 1-2 p. m., an intermission of one hour, when the congregation reassembled under the bowery, and sat down to a liberal repast.

Immediately after dinner the centre of the bowery was cleared for dancing; which, with an intermission of one hour for refreshments in the evening, occupied the time till 12 p. m.,

when the assembly was dismissed with benediction by Bishop Wm. S. Seely.

The entire proceedings throughout the day and evening were characterized by the utmost harmony and good feeling.

The following are a few of the toasts offered:  
Land of Columbia—May the day soon come when righteous principles will again be established and the "Lion of the Lord" roar from East to West.

Mount Pleasant—May she become a plant of renown in the midst of the cities of Israel; noble and daring in all her deeds of righteousness.

"Young Sam"—The disinherited boy that foiled his uncle: may he ever stand fast in the line of his duty.

George Farnwater, L. B. Reynolds, W. W. Morrel, N. H. Burroson, Andres Madsen, Committee of arrangements.

A. J. Forsythe, Reporter.

JOHN L. IVIE, Marshal.

#### TWENTY-FOURTH AT MORONI.

At sunrise the Stars and Stripes were run up to the top of the liberty-pole and three volleys, followed by a "feu-de-joie" were fired by the riflemen; immediately after which the Nephi Brass band struck up "Hail Columbia," followed by the Moroni Martial band, with some soul stirring airs.

The Presidency of the Branch, Committee of Arrangements, some of the principal citizens of San Pete and Juab counties and the Brass and Martial bands in carriages, proceeded through the principal streets of the city—the bands sending forth their stirring strains to welcome the joyful day.

At nine the inhabitants, with numerous visitors from Manti, Fort Ephraim, Mount Pleasant, Fountain Green and Nephi, assembled under the spacious bowery, erected for the occasion in front of the meeting house, and were formed in procession by W. P. Jolly, Marshal of the day, in the following order:

- 1st—Advance guard of ten riflemen.
- 2nd—The Martial and Brass bands.
- 2rd—The choir of Moroni.
- 4th—The Pioneers and Mormon Battalion.
- 5th—24 Fathers, with banner.
- 6th—24 Mothers, with banner.
- 7th—24 Young Men, with banner.
- 8th—24 Young Ladies, with banner.
- 9th—24 Little Boys, with banner.
- 10th—24 Little Girls, with banner.
- 11th—The citizens.
- 12th—Rear guard of twenty riflemen.

The procession then proceeded to the residence of Bishop G. W. Bradley, where he was received by an escort of riflemen and presented with a beautiful banner chastely designed, and executed by Mrs. Emily B. Spencer, accompanied with some appropriate remarks.—The escort now conducted the Bishop, accompanied by some distinguished citizens and the Committee of Arrangements, to the place assigned them in the procession, which then proceeded through some of the principal streets and returned to the bowery.

After all were seated, the services commenced by the Brass band playing "O'er the gloomy hills of darkness."

Prayer by the Chaplain, N. Higgins.

Music by the Martial band.

An oration was then delivered by Elder J. Hatch.

Soul-stirring addresses were also delivered by Bishop J. G. Bigler, of Nephi; Hon. Geo. Peacock, of Manti, and M. McCune of Moroni.

The choir then sang the following original song, composed for the occasion by Emily B. Spencer:

##### THE VALES OF DESERET.

Within the vales of Deseret  
We've found a peaceful rest;  
And here the love of liberty  
Burns in each honest breast.

With toil the bees of Deseret,  
Have beautified these vales;  
For here the hum of industry  
Hath rung o'er hills and dales.

And here from mobs and violence  
We sought our liberty;  
Among the red men's mountain homes  
We sing that we are free.

Though clouds have hung o'er Deseret  
And darkness shrouded all,  
They have dispersed and fled away—  
Sol's rays now on us fall.

And we in lovely Deseret,  
Will sing that we are free,  
And shout hosannah cheerily—  
God gave us liberty.

The whole assembly then sat down to a sumptuous feast; after which dancing and other amusements were indulged in till supper time, interspersed with songs, toasts and sentiments.

Dancing was resumed after supper and kept up with great spirit until a late hour.

Not a jar occurred to interrupt the harmony and enjoyment of the day.

GEO. SPENCER, REPORTER.

## JOB PRINTING!

We are prepared to execute, on the shortest notice, and at fair prices, every species of LETTER PRESS PRINTING:

Books, Blanks, Cards, Handbills,

POSTERS, &c., &c.,

In the latest and most approved style. We invite the attention of those desiring work in our line.

PAPER RULING

To any Pattern.....By Machinery.

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Ten Lines, or less, constitute One Square.

### REGULAR ADVERTISEMENTS:

One Quarter Column, (four squares or less) for each insertion \$1.50  
Half Column, (seven squares or less) each ins. 3.00  
One Column, (fourteen squares or less) " 6.00

### SUNDY ADVERTISEMENTS:

One Square, each insertion : : : \$1.00  
Two Squares " : : : 1.50  
Three " : : : 2.00

Thus upward, with a half dollar to the additional square for each insertion.

## Died:

In this city, August 2, of consumption, SUSAN ELIZA, wife of Elam Ludington—aged 23 years and 6 months.

## New Advertisements.

### NOTICE.

PERSONS having wool at my Carding machines, in the Sugar House, are requested to call and get their rolls. As the machines will stop when the wool on hand is carded, no more wool will be taken in.  
23-3 BRIGHAM YOUNG.

### STRAYED.

SOME two or three weeks since, a blue or dark sided COW, branded on left hip, and E-SMITH on right horn. If any person knows where she is, or can be found, a favor will be conferred by reporting at this office the first opportunity. 23

### ESTRAYED!

FROM the herd boy, on Saturday, 4th inst., at the Hot Spring, a white COW, branded on the horn, D. O. CALDER. Whoever will bring the same to me will be rewarded.  
23th DAVID O. CALDER 20th Ward

### STRAYED.

A Large brown OX, branded J. BELL on the left horn supposed to be on the range between Herriman's and White's Forts. Whoever will bring him back to me, on North Temple Street, 16th Ward, shall receive \$5 reward. Any information of his whereabouts will be thankfully received.  
23-2 JOHN BELL.

### STRAYED.

FROM the 7th Ward pasture, south west of this city, since Wednesday, 1st inst., a white or gray MARE, about two years old. She has her mane partly cropped, is sway backed and is branded A on the left thigh, together with A. M. CANNON on the left front hoof. Whoever will bring the above animal to me, or give information that will lead to her recovery, shall be satisfactorily rewarded.  
23-1 ANGUS M. CANNON, 7th Ward.

### ESTRAYS.

WE have in our possession in the Sixth Ward, G. S. L. City, two stray COWS.  
One about 5 years old, horns turned in so that they nearly meet together, brocked face and branded P on right hip.  
The other, a dark red COW, left horn drooped, about 4 years old and branded E on right shoulder. Both have calves.  
23-2 JAMES WATSON, EDWARD BUTERWORTH.

GIVE US THE FRUIT OF OUR OWN HANDS, AND LET OUR OWN WORKS PRAISE US IN THE GATES.

THE undersigned has opened his factory in the 17th Ward, on North Temple street, and sells a good article of coarse and fine COMBS, at wholesale and retail, and will take every kind of produce in exchange, at Tithing Office prices; will allow for meat, wood, rolls, yarn, &c., to encourage home manufacture, fair prices.  
23-3m LOUIS BISCHOFF.

### WHEAT, OATS & BARLEY WANTED.

J. & B. F. STEWART will pay for WHEAT, Merchandise, Nails, Wagons, Carriages, Furniture, Iron, or any kind of manufactured articles out of our machine shops that we can manufacture.  
TWO DOLLARS PER BUSHEL.  
Also, \$1.25 per bushel for Oats and Barley delivered at their store at Provo or Payson.  
Also, the highest market prices paid for stock.  
Nails—25 cents per pound.  
P.S. Just received, a lot of Light Wagons, and for sale low for cash or exchange for oxen. Inquire of George Goddard, agent, G. S. L. City. 23-2

### COME FOR YOUR ROLLS.

ALL persons having wool at the Sugar House Carding mill are requested to call for it immediately as it is ready for delivery.

Those who have had bundles of rolls by mistake will please return them, and, if any consider that they have not received their due in rolls, they will oblige by calling on me for settlement, or for ever after hold their peace. I will be in attendance for one week from date.  
E. R. YOUNG.

P. S.—The party who came with an order for rolls and borrowed a sheet from E. R. Young, marked "B. Young" is requested to return immediately. 23 1

## MRS. STENHOUSE,

MILLINER, DRESS and CLOAK MAKER

### FIRST HOUSE WEST OF TABERNACLE.

Ladies who attend to their own family linen can have SHIRT BOSOMS, COLLARS, and WRIST BANDS finely stitched by a sewing machine of the latest improvement.  
Every kind of Needlework executed to order. 23-4

## FRESH ARRIVALS AT OGDEN CITY

THE Subscriber has just received a choice Lot of GOODS, consisting of

Prisms,  
Merrimacks,  
Lawn,  
Jaconet,  
Ribbon,  
Lace,  
Edging, &c.

And a general variety of other choice and

### FANCY GOODS.

Also a large lot of choice

Denims,  
Blue Drills,  
Satinets,  
Domestic,  
Hickory,  
Cottonade,

Also—School Books and Stationery.

All of which he offers to sell

### VERY LOW FOR CASH.

Forty Yoke of GOOD WORK CATTLE wanted immediately, for which a general assortment of the above goods will be paid.

Farmers, now is the time to get rid of your surplus stock and save your grain. R. BALLANTYNE, 23-6 General Tithing Store House