

pire, the reign of Louis the Eighteenth and of Charles the Tenth, the Orleans Dynasty, the revolution of 1848, the Second Empire, the Commune, and lastly Mr. Thiers' presidency.

Baron de Waldeck spent twenty years of his life in America, where, in a thorough exploration of the numerous and celebrated antiquities of Mexico, he made some extraordinary discoveries. He has announced his intention of shortly publishing in Paris a scientific work in three volumes, in which he will make known to the world his archaeological discoveries at the ruined city of Palanque, the Otulum of the Spaniards. He will demonstrate, by his discoveries, that the civilization of Ancient Egypt was a mere imported product of the civilization of Ancient America, that the new world is in very deed the old one, and that the hemisphere called by us *old* is simply the new one.

Hence the vast importance of Baron de Waldeck's next publication. When published I shall take pleasure in making your numerous readers acquainted with a portion of its contents.

Respectfully,

LOUIS A. BERTRAND.

Great Salt Lake.

MUSEUM, SALT LAKE CITY,

April 7, 1874.

Editor Deseret News:

DEAR SIR—Will you kindly find space for the following respecting the Lake, with a view to inform many inquirers and to obtain further information.

From 1850 to 1858, generally up to 1858, persons could pass over to the Church Island, since which time the waters have gradually been rising.

There are fluctuations in depth at different times of the year and in different years; also fluctuations arising from the wind, at times, causing a difference of several feet in depth.

Steamers now pass over the "bar" over which men and cattle passed, by wading, ten years ago. There is now a depth of about twelve feet at this point.

Land formerly owned by Messrs. Baker, Rushton and others, in the aggregate amounting to thousands of acres, is now completely and constantly submerged.

Dr. Park, the principal of our University, has kindly offered to assist me in placing a graduated pillar as a Lake-meter. Has any one any knowledge of a pillar having been placed by the Lake at any time for such a purpose? Or can any one furnish any other facts regarding the Lake?

Communications addressed to the Museum will be thankfully received.

Respectfully,

JOSEPH L. BARFOOT.

Sunday School Teachers' Association.

OGDEN CITY,

April 4th, 1874.

Editor Deseret News:

DEAR SIR—In accordance with a resolution passed by the Sunday School Union of Weber County, I respectfully submit the following for publication, and kindly ask you to give it space in your paper.

The subject of education is constituting an important adjunct in the government of our leaders, and, in accordance with the old adage, "As with the priest so with the people," is finding its way to every parent; so that Weber County is exhibiting a degree of advancement, in providing measures for the mental improvement of her children, that is scarcely equalled in any county of our Territory.

During the past two years, several new schoolhouses have been erected, and seated with the most improved furniture, while the walls, also—no longer barren—are adorned with Guyot's and Camp's outline maps, and the teacher finds the universe in microcosm in the shape of globes and tellurians, on his desk.

Our day schools have been crowded to overflowing, and the subject of education has formed the principal topic of conversation with most of the family circles during the long winter nights. It has been gratifying to a lover of learning, to visit friends and neighbors, and instead of finding the young spending their valuable time in useless games, to find them busily engaged with their lessons for to-morrow. And now as Winter is casting off her

armor of frost, and joyous Spring is again donning herself, with her robe of green, and the happy songsters, flitting from twig to twig, call the farmer to the field and the student from the schoolroom,—the Sunday school teachers are preparing to instruct the children on the Sabbath day,

"In their tender nonage while they spread
Their springing leaves, and lift their infant heads,
Indulge their childhood, and the nursing spars."

For this purpose a convention has been called to consider such topics as would best promote the interests of the Sabbath schools, of which the following is a concise report—

The Sunday school teachers met, pursuant to a call by Prest. F. D. Richards and Superintendent Richard Ballantyne, at the Second District school house, on March 21st, 1874. After singing and prayer, speeches were delivered by various members upon different topics pertaining to the advancement of our Sunday schools. All seemed to realize the necessity of introducing more efficient measures in our schools, in order to awaken a greater interest in the minds of the children than had been manifested heretofore. The remarks of the speakers were delivered with great earnestness, and the Spirit of God testified to the truth of the sentiments. One day being found insufficient to do justice to the many important items under consideration, the convention adjourned to April 3rd, at the same place.

SECOND DAY'S PROCEEDINGS.

The convention was announced in session by the chairman, Richard Ballantyne, who, after singing and prayer, presented a list of topics to be discussed by the members. The most prominent were as follows—The best method of conducting Sunday schools; the kind of talent to be employed; the proper literature for libraries; the circulation of the *Juvenile Instructor*, and the promotion of music, both instrumental and vocal. Addresses on the foregoing subjects were then delivered by Thomas Wallace, Prest. T. A. Hammond, and Bishop Walter Thomson; all of them exhibited careful consideration and much reflection, which gave credit to the speakers.

On motion and second, the assembly unanimously resolved itself into a Sunday School Union, and elected the following officers—

Richard Ballantyne, President; David M. Stewart and Thomas Wallace, Vice-Presidents; Richard A. Ballantyne, Secretary and Treasurer; and your humble servant Corresponding Secretary.

The following resolutions were unanimously adopted—

1.—Resolved that the President of the Stake, the Bishopric, the presidents of the several districts, the superintendents and officers of Sunday Schools, be invited to become members of said Union.

2.—Resolved that the officers of said Union constitute a Board of Directors, and are empowered to transact such business as shall be for the best interest of the schools.

3.—Resolved that the Corresponding Secretary communicate with the Territorial Sunday School Union, relative to the compilation and publishing of a history, for the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, suitable for the use of the Sunday Schools, and also the publishing of a more simple catechism.

4.—Resolved that libraries form an invaluable accessory to Sunday Schools, and that all schools, not yet provided with one, should take immediate measures in that direction.

5.—Resolved that this Union give a Musical Festival to all the Sunday Schools in the county, any day between the 15th of May and the 15th of June, said day to be determined by the Board of Directors.

On motion and second, the meeting adjourned to April 24th, at the same place.

L. F. MONCH,

Corresponding Sec'y.

Shocking R. R. Accident.

OGDEN CITY, April 7, 1874.

Editor Deseret News:

About eleven o'clock this morning a boy, fourteen years of age, named Israel Weston, son of Simon Weston, went down to the depot to collect coal. While there one of the U. P. Company's engines came

along, when the boy attempted to jump on the "cowcatcher" while the engine was in motion, with the intention of taking a ride. In this attempt he was thrown off the locomotive, and, falling across the rail, the engine passed over him and the body of the boy is most fearfully mangled. Both his legs are broken in two places—at the thighs and near the feet. The bones are sadly crushed and protrude at considerable length through the flesh. The right arm near the shoulder is also terribly mangled, through which also the bones protrude. The bowels are very much bruised and discolored, but not cut. He is a fearful sight to see, and furnishes a melancholy example of such rashness as he attempted.

The boy was promptly taken home, and Dr. Brown was immediately called in to assist the sufferer. The doctor informs me that there is no hope, and that nothing can be done to save the life of the unfortunate child. He believes that death will ensue within twenty hours after the occurrence of the accident. He could amputate the mutilated limbs, but this would not help the sufferer; and, as he fully believes the wounds are fatal, he advised the afflicted parents to let the child die with his limbs on. This is what the boy most earnestly desired.

The father, Mr. Simon Weston, with his family, arrived in this city with the last company of emigrants last fall, from Leicester, England. He has been working since that time at his trade as a shoemaker, but he is at present in indifferent circumstances. As soon as the sad event was known his shopmates commenced a subscription among themselves to assist their afflicted fellow-workman in his distress, which is very timely and will be appreciated.

SEMPER.

REPORTED GOLD DISCOVERIES ON THE YELLOWSTONE.—Since the summer of 1873, and at regular intervals, discoveries of gold in paying quantities have been reported from the tributaries of the Yellowstone River in Montana. The latest exciting news from the undeveloped auriferous deposits of the Territory is contained in a letter addressed to the *Bismarck Tribune* by a resident of Bozeman, Montana. According to this communication, the new Eldorado is the Tongue River Valley, about midway between Bozeman and Bismarck. In February a large expedition was organized at Bozeman, composed of over one hundred men armed with needle guns, and three pieces of artillery, with plenty of grape and shell. Other expeditions are forming, which will increase the number of miners and explorers near Tongue River to 200. The original discoverer says he sank shafts in two gulches and one bar, and from eleven buckets of dirt got \$6.60 of coarse gold. The expedition mentioned carries provisions sufficient for each man six months. They go determined to make a permanent stand and hold the country, if possible. Many business men are preparing to transfer their business to the mines in early spring.—*St. Paul (Minn.) Press.*

WASHINGTON NOTES.

Speaker Blaine has never had a ruling reversed by the House.

Speaker Blaine is reported to have said that the present is "easily the laziest House" within his Congressional memory.

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NOTICE.

TERRITORY OF UTAH,
County of Tooele:

In the Probate Court, in and for said County and Territory, October 25th, A.D. 1873.

HON. JOHN ROWBERRY, Judge.

E. S. Foote,
Frank Foote,
Amanda Gibbs,
Plaintiffs,
vs.
Thomas H. Warren,
Defendant.

Writ
of
Attachment.

The People of the Territory of Utah,
To the Sheriff of Tooele County,
Greeting.

WHEREAS, the above entitled action was commenced in the Probate Court in and for said county and Territory, by the plaintiffs in the said action, to recover from the defendant in the said action the sum of two hundred and fifty-eight dollars and seventy-five cents (\$258.75) and costs of suit, the necessary affidavits and undertakings herein having been filed as required by law,

Now, therefore, you are hereby commanded that you attach and safely keep all the property of the said defendant within your jurisdiction not exempt from execution, or so much thereof as may be sufficient to satisfy the said plaintiffs' demands, as above mentioned, unless the said defendant give you security by the undertaking of at least two sufficient sureties in an amount sufficient to satisfy such demand besides cost, or in any amount equal to the value of the property which has been or is about to be attached, in which case you will take such undertaking and hereof make due and legal service and return.

Witness the Hon. John Rowberry, Judge of the Probate Court of Tooele County, this 27th day of October, A.D. 1873. Attest my hand and the seal of said Court the day and year last above written.

RD. WARBURTON,

Clerk of said Court.

By virtue of the above and foregoing writ of attachment, I have, this 28th day of November, A.D. 1873, attached all the right title and interest of Thomas H. Warren in and to one certain mine known as the J. nette mine, situated in Tooele mining district, Tooele County and Territory aforesaid, said interest consisting of five hundred and fifty feet. I also delivered a copy of attachment to Mr. E. S. Foote, who I found in possession of said mine, and filed a copy of writ of attachment with R. Warburton, County Recorder of Tooele County, with description of property attached the 28th day of November A.D. 1873. A true copy of the original on file.

W. H. LEE,
Sheriff of Tooele County
Territory of Utah,
Tooele County.

To Thomas H. Warren defendant in the above entitled and foregoing action—You are hereby summoned to be and appear before said court within 40 days from the date of publication hereof, to answer said complaint.

Witness my hand and seal of said Court, this 2nd day of March, A.D. 1874.

R. WARBURTON,
Clerk of Probate Court,
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