

and applied for a grant of nine leagues bordering Clear lake, but the grant was not completed when the Mexican war broke out and he eventually lost it.

"In 1850 we went to Humboldt overland and shipped our things by water. We sold our stock on our lake ranch from which the town of Kelseyville took its name, and received only \$13,000 down, and never got the rest, consequently our trip to Humboldt did not turn out as profitably as we expected. We assisted in starting the towns of Eureka and Arcata. In 1851 I returned to our place in Sonoma. I came through by water, and my husband went through to Shasta and down the Sacramento with Colonel McKee an Indian agent. I came down on a little boat called the Sea Gull.

Starting for Mexico to buy cattle the Comanches attacked Kelsey's camp in Texas, and Mrs. Kelsey says:

"They succeeded in catching my girl because her dress got entangled in the brush. She was twelve years old. The other girl reported that she could hear the blows and her screams as they struck her.

"We all returned to camp and heard the girl's story, but did not find my girl, as she had recovered sufficiently to wander around in search of help. We found her next day, and my anguish was horrible when I discovered that she had been scalped and was partially deranged. My husband and seventeen men followed the Indians 200 miles, but never caught up with them. My husband died in Los Angeles in February, 1888. My daughter died in Fresno when she was eighteen from the injuries she received six years before."

These comments are made by the *Examiner* correspondent:

"Mrs. Kelsey, though burdened with years and poor, has all her pioneer pride unimpaired and asks for nothing, but as one who knows her said when she set out for her mountain refuge:

"The generous men who have made their fortunes in the Far West, and were enabled to do it by the risk of lives such as hers, might well extend their generosity sufficiently to enable that modest old heroine to live in a comfortable cottage and free from want and care during the few days that are left to her."

LOGAN LETTER.

The relatives and friends of Father John Irvine, of the Second ward, united on Friday evening last in giving him and his wife a surprise. They trooped in in a body just before the old people were going to bed. It was a thorough, but welcome surprise. The invading party went provided with music, picnic and everything necessary for the spending of a pleasant evening. The time was spent in eating, playing cards, music, games, and in listening to the reminiscences of their host, who was one of the pioneers of Logan.

Little Georgie Caine, son of John T. Caine, Jr., met with a somewhat serious accident on Saturday. Some older boys were coasting down a steep hill near the Agricultural college, and they allowed the little boy, who is only about four years of age, to take a sled, and go down the hill also. He

was unable to control or guide it, and ran against a tree at the foot of the hill. He was thrown against the tree with great violence, and received a blow that knocked him senseless. He was picked up and conveyed to his home and Dr. Snow summoned. The doctor found that, although the skin on the forehead was not broken, the muscles underneath had separated, leaving quite a cavity. It was not certain either that the skull was not fractured. The little fellow's condition was much improved on Monday, and it is fully expected that he will recover.

The newly organized Home Dramatic company of Logan have made arrangements to produce *The Two Orphans* here on Monday evening, March 6th, in the Thatcher opera house. Although most of the members of the company are amateurs, those taking leading parts have been on the road many times. They are not going to "try it on the dog" first, but have engaged the finest opera house in the metropolis of Cache for the initial performance. The costumes prepared for the occasion are gorgeous.

P. G. Erickson entered complaint on Saturday against E. S. Kimball, for fast driving. Kimball and his brother were trotting a race, and met Erickson close to a bridge. The horse Kimball was driving could not well be stopped in such a short distance, and dashed by so close to Erickson's team that one horse's foot was cut by the runner of the cutter. Kimball explained that he told Erickson he would furnish the necessary medicine to cure his horse, and lend him an animal to use in the meantime. On hearing this explanation the justice dismissed the case, after cautioning Kimball against fast driving.

The entertainment given in the Seventh ward on Saturday evening for the benefit of the Sunday school, was a thorough success. The musical portion of the entertainment was excellent, the tableaux were brilliant pictures, the recitations were well rendered, the farce carefully rehearsed and the financial returns eminently satisfactory.

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OGDEN ITEMS.

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At the city council meeting last night the committee on claims reported claims amounting to \$2137.07 and they were ordered paid. A communication was received from Auditor Beardsley, calling attention to the defects in the new license ordinance. Referred to the license committee and the city attorney. As it now stands the ordinance does not repeal all of the old license ordinances. The Salt Lake & Ogden Gas, Electric Light & Fuel Co. presented an ordinance enlarging the franchise heretofore granted the Ogden Gas, Light and Fuel Co., so as to allow the furnishing of heat and motive power through the streets and alleys of Ogden, as well as the lighting power. Referred to the committee on laws with the city attorney added. Committeeman Stone presented an ordinance requesting that all the appointed officers of Ogden City be filed by property holders. The

ordinance passed its first and second reading, and was referred to the committee on laws with the city attorney added. The matter of the boarding of prisoners caused considerable discussion, Chairman Restall taking part. Chairman Restall moved that the cost be reduced, but his motion was not seconded. Councilman Gill of the special committee reported everything satisfactory. The prisoners' board matter was referred to the police commission to report in one week.

Yesterday was a very busy day in the Fourth District court, at the opening of the February term, Judge Miner on the bench. The following grand jury was empaneled: J. R. Elliott, for man; T. W. Jones, O. P. McDowell, J. Henry Taylor, J. H. Sparger, A. A. Wenger, I. N. Hayden, J. J. Sullivan, C. N. Strevell, James Pitt, W. S. Morton, J. W. Ramey, A. W. Warren, James Morning and Robert Lancaster. Judge Miner's charge embraced instructions regarding all crimes, especial attention being called to libel, blackmail and embezzlement by public officers. The reading of the charge occupied about twenty minutes.

His honor sustained the demurrer in the case of G. R. Belsap, sheriff, vs. Weber county, the suit being for extra compensation for extra work done. The motion for a new trial in the damage case of Sarah Woods et al. vs. the Central Pacific Railroad Co. was granted, unless the plaintiffs in three days agree to a reduction of the verdict from \$12,000 to \$600, in which case the motion is denied. The damages were awarded for the death of the plaintiff's husband and father, who was killed by the railroad.

WOMAN'S SUFFRAGE ENDORSED.

The following is an extract from the *Northwestern Live Stock Journal* of Cheyenne of the 17th inst: Yesterday afternoon Mr. Hurd, of Evanston, introduced the following joint resolution and it passed the house unanimously, as it will most likely the senate today. The *Democrat* takes pleasure in concurring and seconding a demand for the universal enfranchisement of women.

The resolution is as follows:

Be it resolved by the second legislature of the State of Wyoming:

That the possession and exercise of suffrage by the women in Wyoming for the past quarter of a century has wrought no harm and has done great good in many ways; that it has largely aided in banishing crime, pauperism and vice from the state, and that without any violent or oppressive legislation; that it has secured peaceful and orderly elections, good government and a remarkable degree of civilization and public order, and we point with pride to the facts that after nearly twenty-five years of woman suffrage not one county in Wyoming has a poor house, that our jails are almost empty, and crime, except that committed by strangers in the state, almost unknown, and as the result of experience we urge every civilized community on earth to enfranchise its women without delay.

Resolved, That an authenticated copy of these resolutions be forwarded by the governor of the state to the legislature of every state and territory in this country, and to every legislative body in the world; and that we request the press throughout the civilized world to call the attention of their readers to these resolutions.