

but with a pad fastened around their horns, and pressing against their foreheads, they were pushing the resistance from the beam end of the plow. Inasmuch as the bovine race fight by pushing, it being the position that develops their utmost strength, this may, after all, be the most sensible way of harnessing oxen. Now let some American invent an improved pad for the ox to butt against; and he might develop the idea so far as to utilize the kicking energy of a mule.

We observed from the window a long line of French cavalry horses that were being trained and exercised. Their tails were cut short, a fashion, I observe, quite common in France and England, and coming into use in America. It is a cruel fashion for horses have a right to their tails to fight flies; besides, the ceaseless agitation of the caudal extremity is necessary to the health of the vertebrae. The bobtailed horse will in time become discouraged and cease to wag his tail, and this disfigurement will react upon the health of the animal. No horse should be deprived of the usufruct of his tail. I find that I am at the bottom of the page without having written about Geneva. There is nothing much to write about except fine views of the Alps and Mount Blanc. The city seems to be about equally divided between watch factories, music-box factories, mosquitoes and hotels.

C. A. S.

P. S. Speaking of hotels, the one that I wrote about, in this letter, is at 29 Rue Caumartin. I would like, if possible, to defend Americans, for whom, especially, the proprietor, Demailly, has laid his snares. A great historian says, and he knows as much about it as anybody, that nations have no hereafter. I am afraid it is so with hotels, and that if this one escapes temporal punishment it will never receive its eternal, infernal deserts. Please send the proprietor a copy, and oblige.

C. A. S.

## Arizona Mission.

SAN JOSEPH, Yavapai Co.,  
Arizona, August 9, 1878.

Editors Deseret News:

I have just returned to this place from a visit to the Apache Indians, having been invited by some of the brethren who came down to Sunset to spend the 24th of July, and to find out how the Indians felt towards our people. I started from this place on the 25th ult., in company with Bro Ebenezer Thayne. We traveled up Silver Creek for three days; passed a good many ranches, some of which are occupied by our brethren and some by the old settlers. We traveled about 80 miles up Silver Creek; then left the main road that goes to Camp Apache and traveled west eight miles through a country covered with pine trees and plenty of grass. We then came to a beautiful valley, where there is a splendid spring of cold water. There are some 20 families of Saints in this valley. They have commenced to locate a city, and have named it Forest Dell. There is room for a great many more families. The corn and everything looks well. Brother Cluff presides over this valley, and he is anxious for more of the Saints to move here this season. Anyone wishing to locate in Arizona would do well to come and see this valley. There are many other valleys in this part of the country which could be taken up. After remaining in this valley four or five days, Brother Thayne and myself started for Camp Apache. On our trip we visited several of the Apache Indian camps. We found that one of their chief men could speak Spanish very well. We gathered some of the Indians together and began to explain the Book of Mormon to them; they seem to be very interested. They were very mannerly and paid great attention to what was said. I have never seen a better spirit manifested in any Indian camp. We left them feeling well. They wanted us to come and see them again.

Your brother in the gospel,  
LLEWELLYN HARRIS.

## A Dodge That Didn't Work.

BEAVER, U. T.,  
August 17th, 1878.

Editors Deseret News:

There was an incident occurred at the election in Beaver precinct,

overlooked in my report of the 8th, wherein "Caesar outdone Caesar." It was a regular "boomerang," and came home with the exactness of that wonderful instrument. And if anything was wanting to establish the potency of the secret ballot, the deficiency was supplied. The secret ballot, however, like the illegal marriage law of 1862, and the "Poland bill," the Liberals clamored for, but did not exactly want, did not exactly meet their wishes.

Your readers will recollect the putting of the name of William Stokes over the name of P. T. Farnsworth, Jr., for sheriff. This was done by printing the former name singly and independent of anything else, then with mucilage or some other adhesive substance it was placed over the former name on a portion of the People's Tickets, so as to cover it up. The title of "sheriff," of course, was made to apply to William Stokes on such tickets.

After closing the polls the judges emptied out the ballots for canvass when, lo and behold, a number of the slips, I know not how many, refused to endorse the "Liberal" dodge and wouldn't stick—they slipped off. The "Liberal" judge thought they should be counted for his party. That they were stuck on to the People's Ticket with that view, all must admit, but the said judge was unable to say what particular tickets they fell from, or who polled them, and the People's judges were equally in the dark. Hence, with all their sympathy for the lost cause, they were unable to help their brother judge out of the dilemma. If discovered in the envelope with the ticket no one could swear that it belonged to or ever had been on it, as the law forbids any mark to be placed upon the envelopes to designate whose vote they contained.

The result, as to parties political, would of course have been the same as I understand the People's Ticket was ahead, independent of those votes, but had it been otherwise, our very "Liberal" friends will see that they would have given the election to the People's candidate by the very means they used to defeat him. My dear "Liberal" friends allow me to suggest a little closer application to the study of your pet subject, the secret ballot.

DANIEL TYLER.

## New Way to Collect Gold.

OGDEN, Aug. 15, 1878.

Editors Deseret News:

I have discovered a new plan for collecting gold from the earth, and although simple will win every time, if tried as herein specified, so that the prospector need have no doubt of any place he desires to prospect, for if gold or silver is there he will surely find it.

Instead of the old iron pan used generally by miners, take a new six quart pressed tin pan, pour into it half an ounce of quicksilver, which will stick to the tin, and in the ordinary way wash the gravel until satisfied for the test. Clean out the pan of all sand, and let the water dry off, then, with a small rubber, clean off all the silver, you can and strain through buckskin, and behold your malum hard enough to roll up in balls, but as it contains more or less tin from the pan, to drive off, heat in a crucible or iron ladle until red hot, when you will see the color of the metal collected.

Query—How can the above process be superior to the old way? Simply by keeping the quicksilver in a fast position, and instead of the sulphate scum collecting on the surface of the quicksilver, thereby forming a dirty covering as is generally the case in the old way. The shaking of the sand naturally keeps the silver bright, so that all the fine gold is immediately attracted to it and becomes amalgamated in it; also, the bright tin assists the mercury to hold the gold, so much so I am doubtful of a single speck washing off; I don't see how it can, when by the old way nine-tenths of the fine float gold would pass over the quicksilver covered with that dirty scum and wash away. Gold will be found in this way where it has been supposed it did not exist, and the same pan will answer for several times, and big paying too.

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