

LOCAL AND OTHER MATTERS.

THEATRICAL.—Last night there was a moderately good house at the benefit of Miss A. Adams. The beautiful drama of "Camilla's Husband" was well played throughout, and elicited considerable applause.

At the close of the piece Miss Adams was called before the curtain and bowed her thanks to the audience. Mrs. L. Careless sang "Beautiful Isle of the Sea" in her usual charming style, and received an encore. Mr. St. Ledger's exhibition of parlor skating was capital, and showed that he is a most accomplished "skater." Miss Clive's dancing was a treat to the lovers of terpsichorean exercises; she was deservedly encored. Miss Lockhart's recitation of Mary Queen of Scots, alone, was worth the price of the entertainment, and received hearty applause.

To-night a dramatization of Boucicault and Reade's great sensational novel of "Foul Play," will be presented, in which Miss Western will personate Helen Rolleston, and Mr. Herne, Joe Wylie, Mate of the "Prosperity."

They will be supported by the full strength of the company.

MEETING OF THE REGENT.—On Monday evening a meeting of the Chancellor and Board of Regents of the University of the State of Deseret, was held at the office of President Young, at which meeting Elder Orson Pratt was authorized to proceed to New York as the representative of the Board, and superintend the publishing of the Book of Mormon in the Deseret Alphabet. It is intended to publish the Book in one volume for family use, and also to publish it in three parts for the use of the schools in the Territory, the whole forming too cumbersome a volume for class use. Elder Pratt informed the Board that he was engaged in transcribing the Book of Doctrine and Covenants into the Deseret Alphabet, and expected to have this labor finished in five or six weeks.

FOUND DEAD.—About six o'clock this morning information was received at the City Hall, that the body of a man was lying, with his head "down stream" in the irrigating ditch in North Temple or Jordan Street, very near the Northwest corner of the Temple Block. On the arrival of the police officers the body proved to be that of John V. Long, Esq., so many years a resident of this City, and well known as a reporter, and, latterly, as a lawyer. His face was somewhat swollen, and, at first sight, it was difficult for his most intimate acquaintances to recognize him. About an hour after he was discovered, H. S. Bellet, Esq., City Coroner, held an inquest on the spot. The Jury failed to find any marks of violence on the body, except a slight bruise near one of the eyes, and after hearing the evidence of Messrs. S. C. Case and K. B. Walker, who were among the first to see the body as it lay in the stream, they returned a verdict that deceased came to his death by drowning. His body was then conveyed to his home.

How sad a finish to a life that might have been so useful!

NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS.—Gen. R. T. Burton, Collector of Internal Revenue taxes for the District of Utah, gives notice to the tax payers of Salt Lake and Davis Counties that the excise and income taxes for 1908 and the special tax for 1909 are now due, and that those who have not paid the same, will be at his office at the Court House, in this city, to receive payment until the 25th inst., after which date costs will be added as prescribed by the law.

A MISTAKE.—In yesterday's notice of an accident on the U. P. R. R., it was stated that it occurred at Bear River. This is an error, it should have read Green River.

LEFT FOR THE SOUTH.—President Brigham Young, accompanied by President Joseph Young, sen., and Elders George Dunford, John Squires and O. P. Arnold, left this city about a quarter past eight this morning, on a visit to the Southern settlements. It is probable that the President will stay a day or two at Provo, and there be joined by several other gentlemen from this city, when the party will start for St. George.

The President arrived at American Fork a 2:25 p.m.

NEW HARMONY.—By the courtesy of President George A. Smith, we are enabled to present our readers with the following extracts from a letter of Mr. John D. Lee's, dated the 30th ult.:

"I have been closely engaged for two months past, erecting a fish pond and enclosing a lot with a stone wall and planting it with mulberry trees. I have already spent one thousand dollars in this direction. Thus far fish culture has proved a success with me. My pond is nearly one hundred feet square, neatly walled with rock, and the earth recovered to the depth of four feet and a half, the bottom of which sand with occasional springs bursting up through it. The water is pure and cold, and I have stocked it with mountain trout, which I brought in barrels from Pine Valley. A number of the fish are a fine lot. I have planted my trees this spring on soil composed of granite debris. I am the first, and as far as I am acquainted the only man who has entered into fish and sericulture in this country. A few evenings ago, we held a mass meeting of the citizens of this place, at which about one thousand dollars were subscribed towards opening a Co-operative Store. A committee was appointed to draft a constitution and bye-laws, and other measures taken to enter into business with energy. The grasshoppers are as numerous around here and about Tokerville as the sand; but my faith is that they will not do us much harm if we do right, as the ravens and crows are already devouring large quantities of them."

POLICE.—John Hiram, for drunkenness was fined \$10.

Hanson McKnight for immoral conduct was fined \$25. Not having the "wherewith" he is working it out on a city grading contract.

Died:

In Spring Valley, March 23d, of typhoid fever, Adah Artimena, daughter of Joseph and Sarah Elizabeth Miller, aged 15 years, 3 months and 7 days.

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