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FROM TUESDAY'S DAILY, APRIL 19.

**Mr. Varian Resigns.**—C. S. Varian, the law partner of the ex-District Attorney, who has held the office of assistant district attorney, has sent in his resignation to the Department of Justice.

**Continued.**—At the request of Mr. Dickson, in the Third District Court to-day, the cases of the People vs. Albert Bates, and the People vs. S. A. L. Ludwig, were continued for the term, as the defendants had not been arrested.

**Look on This Picture.**—The Southern Utah Times thus flings its "baner" to the breeze.

**GENTILE CANDIDATE**  
For Member of the  
LEGISLATURE;  
HON. ALLEN GREEN CAMPBELL,  
Of Beaver County, Utah.

**Dismissed.**—The two cases of the People vs. Richard Hook, one for assault, and the other for assault with a deadly weapon with intent to kill, were dismissed in the Third District Court to-day, on motion of Mr. Dickson. The reason given was the inability of the United States Marshal to find the prosecuting witness.

**Probate Court.**—Business in the Salt Lake County Probate Court yesterday:

In the matter of the estate of Thos. Perry, deceased, inventory and appraisal filed.

In the matter of the estate of Edward King, deceased, an order was made appointing Arlie Warren administrator.

In the matter of the estate of Enoch Reese, deceased, John H. Reese was appointed administrator.

**Welcome Home.**—Brother Christopher Gardner, recently released from the Detroit House of Correction, where he had served a term of ten months imprisonment for obeying a law of religion, writes under date of the 14th, expressing his gratification at again being among his brethren and friends, and speaking in detail of his experiences while in bondage. The treatment received was not altogether bad, in fact it was generally good, and one of the officials testified at leaving that each of the ten brethren locked up there had fully merited the kindness extended. "Brother Gardner bears a strong testimony to the truth of the Gospel, and we are glad to be able to record the facts herein stated.

**The Homicide.**—The Park City Record gives the following account of the homicide at Echo, Summit County, for which Mr. Vincent has been held to await trial on the charge of murder:

"It appears that Sam. H. Vincent, formerly agorcerer of Evanston, but now ranching a few miles this side of there, on Wednesday missed a pair of blankets and a pair of rubber boots, and suspecting a middle-aged, well-known tramp named Smith or Frankland, of the theft, followed him to a point down Echo Canon on the Union Pacific to within a few miles of Castle Rock. Here the tramp was overtaken by Vincent, who ordered him to deliver up the stolen property. This he refused to do; some hot words followed and it is said by eye witnesses that the tramp snapped without effect, a pistol at Vincent, who then leveled a rifle at Smith, and let him have the contents in the bowels. The tramp happened about 4 p. m. Wednesday and the tramp died about 11 in the evening.

**Artesian Water.**—The driving of artesian wells is becoming quite an important business in this city, and will undoubtedly, in the near future, very materially increase the present somewhat limited supply of water in this vicinity. It has been demonstrated that there are many subterranean streams and reservoirs here that only need tapping to bring considerable quantities of water to the surface. Quite a number of persons are devoting their attention to this business; among the latest are Messrs. Angell and Hawkins, of this city, who have one of the best devices for this purpose that we have seen. They have recently been very successful in driving wells in the Sixteenth Ward, where they can go down about one hundred feet a day, though it is not always necessary to go to that depth. We observed one there the other day only seventy-five feet deep, which was flowing about seventeen gallons per minute of clear soft water, and the drill was down about sixty feet on another well near by, and working very rapidly. They were using one of William J. Silver's three horse-power upright engines, which works to a charm, and a double-action force pump, with three inch cylinder and forty-five strokes to the minute, with a 400-pound hammer, lifted from three to six feet stroke. The main pipe contains a smaller pipe with a drill at the lower end with an opening of a quarter inch through which the water from the pump is thrown down with great force. The machine was designed and constructed by the Angell Bros., with the assistance of machinists on the iron works, and is without doubt, one of the most successful apparatus for obtaining artesian wells in Utah, as it has repeatedly succeeded where others have repeatedly failed.

**PROVO POINTS.**  
This morning the wife of A. O. Smoot Jr. (daughter of Isaac Bullock) died of malarial fever. It is quite a calamity to the family. Six small children are left motherless and the husband deprived of a kind, loving wife. Many mourn the loss of so estimable a woman. The funeral will take place Wednesday morning at ten o'clock.

**FIRST DISTRICT COURT.**

**People vs. Joe Young** (Indian boy), charged with the murder of Wm. Gibson, Jr., a young man, near Moab, Emery County, January 10th, 1887. The prosecution, by Mr. Miles, opened the case, saying that it would appear in evidence that prior to January 10th the deceased and the defendant had had several quarrels; that on that evening the deceased and defendant went to the corral together; then some two shots were heard. The deceased was found about 100 yards from the house lying upon his face, with a bullet hole in the back, cutting the spinal column. The defendant escaped and it was a week before he was arrested. The defense will claim a justification, that it was in self-defense. They admit the killing.

Wm. G. Gibson was being examined at close of mail.

**MORE PETIT JURORS.**

**SUITABLE MATERIAL FOR THE EX-DISTRICT ATTORNEY.**

To-day the venire for additional petit jurors, made necessary by the action of the Third District Court yesterday, was returned, bringing in the following:

James L. Ellison, Evan Morgan, John J. Wood, Henry Carrigan, E. H. Nelden, J. M. Harvey, M. W. Banks, Abraham Hanauer, J. W. Darling, Frank B. Shelley, W. A. Rhodes, L. M. Morrison, Arthur Lowe, Wm. Glassman, Samuel H. Gordon.

Mr. Morgan was called and answered the usual questions. To Mr. Dickson's inquiry, "Do you believe plural marriage to be a Divine law?" he replied, "Yes, sir."

Mr. Dickson—Are you willing to take an oath that you will, not, at any time hereafter, obey that Divine law?

Mr. Morgan—I cannot conscientiously do so. You are asking too much.

Court—You will not swear that you will not, at any time hereafter, obey the revelation on polygamy?

Mr. Morgan—I cannot conscientiously do so. You are asking too much.

Court—You are excused.

Mr. Morrison was not a resident of the district and was excused.

Each of the remaining jurors stated that they did not believe a plurality of wives right, and were not questioned further. Those accepted under this condition were Messrs. Ellison, Wood, Carrigan, Nelden, Harvey, Banks, Darling, Rhodes, Lowe, Gordon, Glassman, Hanauer and Shelley. The last three named had never paid taxes, and the taxable property possessed by the last two consisted of a watch apiece.

The jurors then came forward at the

call of Clerk McMillan and subscribed to the test oath.

The first case tried before the jury was that of the United States vs. Ernest Williamson, James Blowers and John Watrin, on the charge of stealing government property.

FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY, APRIL 26.

**Two of the Three Acquitted.**—The result of the trial of John Watrin, Ernest Williamson and James Blowers, in the Third District Court yesterday afternoon, on a charge of stealing government property, was that the jury convicted Watrin and cleared Williamson and Blowers. The offense was committed in August last, when the three above named and two others—G. W. Davis and J. Cleveland—made a break from the penitentiary, but were recaptured.

**Registrars.**—The Utah Commission appointed the following deputy registrars yesterday, for Box Elder County: Malad, E. R. Chase; Box Elder, W. H. Boothe; Willard, John McCannan; Calfs Fort, Thomas W. Wheatley; Deweyville, John Gernert; Mantua, Wm. Boothe, Jr.; Plymouth, Lee Owsley; Portage, W. H. Anderson; Promontory, A. H. Perry; Carlew, M. D. Ochiltree; Terrace, A. A. Player; Kelton, George Rodgers; Park Valley, Jerry Baker; Bear River, James P. Anderson; Grouse Creek, M. K. Parsons.

**Court Notes.**—To-day's proceedings in the Third District Court:

Court gives notice that, setting of civil cases will be made to-morrow at 10 a. m. The attendance of members of the bar is requested.

The People vs. Fred Newell, house-breaking; continued to May 4th.

The People vs. Robert Briscoe; receiving stolen property; verdict of not guilty.

The People vs. Duncan McDonald and Herbert A. Blade, prize fighting; plea of not guilty withdrawn, and one of guilty entered; sentence set for Saturday, April 23, at 10 a. m.

**Probate Court.**—Yesterday's proceedings in the Salt Lake County Probate Court:

In the matter of the estate of Wm. Counsell, deceased, Arthur Parsons, John P. Isaac and Mark Earnshaw were appointed executors.

The marriage certificate of Robert L. Scannel and Louisa Welcker was filed with the clerk. The ceremony was performed by Rev. R. G. McNiece.

Emma Jennings and John Cardwell were married by W. L. N. Allen on the 18th inst. The certificate was filed with the clerk of the court.

In the matter of the estate of William Ashman, deceased, Mary Ann Ashman has been appointed administratrix.

In the matter of the estate of W. A. McMaster, deceased, an order was made appointing time and place for hearing application to sell personal property and directing notice to be given.

**FIRE IN LOGAN.**

**ZION'S BOARD OF TRADE BUILDING BURNED.**

The News is advised from Logan by our correspondent "Gebault," that on Monday night, the 18th, Zion's Board of Trade building was burned to the ground with a great deal of its stock of wagons, buggies, machinery, etc., at an estimated loss of from \$25,000 to \$30,000, covered by about \$15,000 insurance. It is supposed the fire originated in the roof, from a defective flue. The manager and book-keeper of the institution worked until near eleven o'clock on their books in the office, and had, during the evening, a good fire in the stove. The fire was first seen emerging from the roof at the east end of the main building; as there are no alarm bells the only alarm that was given was shouts of "fire!" and this sound was first heard at about half past eleven. Had it not been that a dance was going on near by, it is probable that there would have been nothing saved. The boys left their partners to get home as best they could, and all ran to the burning building, where they went to work regardless of themselves or their best clothing to get out what they could, and they succeeded in saving several thousand dollars' worth of merchandise; but not a vestige of the building remains.

Our correspondent wishes he could say something creditable of the water-works there, but concludes on the contrary, that there is a sad neglect somewhere. There might be a good force of water that could be used to some little purpose if attention were given to it by the proper persons. It seems that a dilapidated hose was attached to a hydrant that stood near by, and after a great deal of time and trouble a stream was got sufficient to fill a tub about as fast as it could be used by a bucket brigade.

They had rained the night previous, which saturated everything, pretty

well, or they might have had other losses, as burning shingles were seen to fly off several hundred yards and light on the tops of barns, sheds, etc. There was no wind to speak of, which was a good thing, as the tithing barn and Fourth Ward store stands about 40 feet from where the fire occurred.

**A SEVERE ACCIDENT.**

**CAUSED BY A HACK BEING OVERTURNED.**

Shortly before six o'clock last evening a hack in which were four ladies was returning from the cemetery, and when turning out to South Temple Street was capsized and two of the ladies injured, one seriously. The party had been attending the funeral of an infant child of Mr. John Watson, of the Sixth Ward. After the burial services were concluded, the carriages started homeward. A gentleman on the vehicle behind the one to which the mishap occurred remarked to the driver that the man in front would do some damage unless he drove down the hill more carefully. The remark had scarcely been made when the driver of the hack in front, whose horses were going at a high speed, reached South Temple Street, and reined his animals up on a short turn. So great was the momentum and so sharp the curve made, that instead of the vehicle keeping the road, over it went on its side. The horses became frightened and dashed down the street at a gallop, while the inmates of the hack were screaming for assistance.

Mrs. Johnson, an aged lady, who resides in the Fifth Ward, and Mrs. Louisa Green, of the Sixth Ward, were on the under side. Mrs. Johnson was struck and received several gashes about the head and face, besides being somewhat bruised. None of her injuries are, however, considered serious.

Mrs. Green was more unfortunate. The carriage window was open, and when it went over, her head and left arm went through on to the hard ground. Here she was kept by the weight of two other ladies on her, and dragged along the road for a considerable distance before the animals were checked. When she was picked up she, as well as Mrs. Johnson, was covered in blood and was unconscious. Mrs. Green suffered several severe contusions about the head, and her body was bruised and wrenched considerably. Her left hand was caught under the vehicle and the flesh literally scraped from the back along its entire length. The palm of her hand was also torn out, and there is some question as to whether the hand will be saved even in its maimed condition. Dr. Benedict, however, gives some hope. She is otherwise badly shaken, and being a delicate woman, what the full effect will be cannot now be ascertained. Her sufferings last night and to-day were excruciating.

**THE WORK IN AUSTRALASIA.**

**SEVERAL RETURNED ELDERS RELATE THEIR EXPERIENCE—A GREAT WORK AMONG THE MAORIES, ACCOMPANIED BY MANIFESTATIONS OF THE POWER OF GOD.**

Wednesday last we had the pleasure of meeting several Elders who have returned from a somewhat extended mission among the Maories of New Zealand. They left this city on the second of May, 1884, and arrived in this city yesterday, coming on the D. & R. G. Railway at 12 m.

They have been eminently successful in their labors, having been generally kindly received and hospitably entertained by the natives of that land and instrumental in adding many members to the Church. During their stay in that country they labored principally upon what is termed the North Island. Elder Amasa Aldrich, of Mount Pleasant, Sanpete, states that he had the pleasure of baptizing and assisting in the baptism of quite a large number, and that he succeeded in organizing three new branches of the Church on North Island. He also related a most remarkable manifestation of the gift of healing. It seems that an elderly Maori woman was so ill that the natives, according to their custom had placed her just outside the village in a tent by herself to die. Her son had also been notified of her expected demise and informed that if he ever expected to see his mother alive he must come at once. At the solicitation of the natives, and finding that the woman, although not a member of the Church, manifested great faith, he administered to her, when she immediately recovered, to the great astonishment of her son and others who had given her up for dead.

Elder Aldrich says they called at the Sandwich Islands on their return and had a pleasant interview with the Elders laboring there, who sent kindly remembrances to their friends and relatives here.

Elder Edward Newby, of St. Joseph, Arizona, went first to Hawk's Bay, on

the North Island, but subsequently labored in various places among twelve different tribes of the Maori people. He succeeded in baptizing over sixty new members, and assisted in the baptism and confirmation of many more. He also had witnessed remarkable instances of healing through the administration of the ordinances of the Gospel. In one instance a man was suffering from an abscess, having an opening in his hip almost as large as an ordinary teacup; he was administered to by three of the Elders, and within three weeks was completely restored to health, and had been in the enjoyment of good health up to the time of their departure for home.

Elder John W. Ash, of Logan, labored principally on what is termed the East Cape of the North Island, mainly among the Maoris. He baptized and blessed during his mission about five hundred. He also testified to extraordinary manifestations of the gift of healing. In one instance a child about two years old was afflicted with a raging fever and had suffered so long that the relatives had gathered in to see it die, but through the laying on of hands it was miraculously restored—the fever leaving it entirely within fifteen minutes from the time of the administration. Elder Ash relates another instance of this kind where a man was sick apparently unto death, being so low as to be utterly speechless; he was restored to health in this way and was able to attend meeting within 24 hours from the time the Elders took their hands off his head, and has been well ever since. Another remarkable incident in his experience was related by him wherein, owing to his having been circulated about the Elders, a powerful native, partly intoxicated, attacked him with a huge club, and made several efforts to strike him with it, but by simply holding up his hand before his assailant he seemed utterly powerless to hurt him.

Elder Edward Cliff, of Mount Pleasant, Sanpete County, left this city on the evening of April 8th, 1885, and went via San Francisco to Auckland, N. Z., where he labored four months among the Europeans, during which time he baptized five. He then went to Hawke's Bay district, which he took charge of up to the time of his return.

Elder Cliff says he did not personally baptize many, delegating that part of his work to others, but that the mission is in a flourishing condition, 640 odd members having been added by baptism in that mission during the past year. He gives an interesting account of the people there, stating that those added to the Church are mainly of the wealthier and more influential class of Maories. He states that one morning he baptized 17 of these people and added that on these occasions they all clothe themselves in pure white raiment, from head to foot, and that on this occasion they marched down to the water in single file, the tallest first, the next in size following, etc., and that after prayer had been offered up they went down into the water in the order described. He speaks highly of the faith and zeal manifested by the Saints there and states that when it became known that he was about to depart for home, many of the Maories followed him about from place to place, sometimes as far as thirty miles from their places of residence, in order to lose no opportunity of listening to his instructions up to the time of his departure.

The Elders expressed themselves as glad to go and glad to return. They enjoyed themselves much during their mission abroad, and among these strange people and although their absence in most cases has been somewhat protracted, they say they are ready to go forth again whenever they may be called.

**Raiding Salem.**—"Scribo" writes to us on the 19th saying: Deputies McLeelan, Redfield, Cuddice, Eberhart and another made a raid upon our quiet little town at 2 p. m. to-day, calling first at the residence of Brother G. F. W. Carlson and taking possession of the body of that gentleman, supposing him to be Abuzo T. Atwood. Mr. T. Carlson assured the deputies that he was himself, veritably G. F. W. Carlson, but for some time in vain, until the deputies being assured from non-Mormon sources, finally released the inoffensive Carlson, who then felt assured that he was himself again. The marshals afterwards turned up at the residence of J. J. Daves, whose premises they searched, in vain, for W. H. Kelsey, but Kelsey was wanting. They afterwards went northward in search of other victims. —Provo Enquirer.

**Young Men's Conference.**—The conference of the Y. M. M. I. Association of Salt Lake Stake will be held in the Assembly Hall, in this city, on the evening of Saturday, May 7, commencing at 7:30, at which a full attendance is desired and a representation from each association expected. Those associations which have not yet furnished the statistical report lately called for are requested to do so immediately.