

### WASHINGTON NOTES.

From the Washington correspondence, Jan. 20, of the New York Herald—

The records which were fatal to Caleb Cushing cost \$75,000. The vouchers for the last nominee that are expected to secure the confirmation of Mr. Waite cost the government \$16 25, money expended to ascertain if he voted for McClellan in 1864.—N. Y. Herald.

The most disappointed man in Washington is Vice President Wilson. He came on here thinking that he could persuade the President to nominate Judge Rockwood Hoar as Chief Justice. But when he called at the White House and said, "I suppose that the name of Judge Hoar has been brought to your notice, Mr. President?" Grant grumly replied, "Yes, a good deal has been said in his favor and a good deal against him." This so disheartened Mr. Wilson that he dried up and left. The next day he returned and sailed in more explicitly for Judge Hoar, but Grant merely suggested that it would be useless for him to nominate another man unacceptable to the Senate, and again the Vice President was made aware that while his suggestions, when he used to be President of the Senate, were prized, his suggestions as Vice President were unheeded. He will return to Boston and go to work on his health and his book again.

From the Washington Star, January 19—

Mrs. Heinman, agent of the Pennsylvania Woman Suffrage Society, was before the committee on Territories this morning, in opposition to the proposed abolition of woman suffrage in Utah, and also to the proposition to extend the common law over the Territory. Mr. Carey, district attorney of Utah, explained that the provision was not designed to abrogate any law or decision of the Territorial authorities, which had improved the legal standing of women, but simply to have the same guide to interpretation which prevailed in Territories not conquered from Mexico. He exhibited a provision in the Poland bill which clearly stated this, and Mrs. Heinman made no objection thereto after examining it. Mr. Carey subsequently stated that the main object of the pending bills was not to attack either woman suffrage or polygamy, and that they would forego both if necessary to gain their point—larger facilities for the execution of United States laws. Mr. Whitney, a lawyer of Utah, was also heard on this latter point.

From the Washington Star, January 20—

The House Judiciary Committee room was crowded this morning with ladies and gentlemen favorable to woman suffrage. Miss Susan B. Anthony sat at General Butler's right hand, and acted as lieutenant to that officer in managing the proceedings. The basis was General Butler's bill, introduced yesterday, to strike the word "male" from the qualifications for voters in this District. Miss Anthony first presented Mr. Francis Miller, counsel for Mrs. Sarah J. Spencer in the cases lately decided adversely by the Supreme Court of this District. Mr. Miller referred to the report of the majority of the committee three years ago, in which the ladies were referred to the courts. He said the Supreme Court of the District had since decided that women had the right to vote, but that this right could not be exercised except by the aid of express legislation. For this legislation they now returned to Congress. He then proceeded to repeat the legal argument heretofore published in the Star.

Miss Anthony next presented Mrs. Spencer, the plaintiff in the suffrage test case, who alluded to the fact that 600 citizens of the district had last week signed a petition for the legislation now asked, and stated that she knew personally that a large part of the most enlightened and cultured ladies in the district desired the elective franchise. With reference to the argument that "the bad women would all vote," she said that statistics made by men showed that the "bad women" were mostly too young to vote, and were, at all events, a very small fraction of the population.

Miss Anthony next presented Mrs. Lockwood, a practicing lawyer of this district, who said, even

if the legal argument was bad the equitable one for suffrage was good. Her father did not represent her when he voted the democratic ticket, her brother did not represent her when he refused to fight in defense of his country, her husband did not represent her when he sided with the Whig party. She loved and respected them then and now, but none of them represented her. She would not occupy the committee's time, but, rejoicing in the enfranchisement of the colored man, she appealed to their sense of justice for the political liberty that they had given to him.

Miss Frances Ellen Burr, of Hartford, next addressed the committee. Her delicacy and native modesty led her to speak in a very low tone, and as our reporter was at the opposite end of the room, he couldn't understand a word. The committee, however, evidently did.

Miss Phebe Cozzens took the floor, and though the members were by this showingsigns of weariness, she was attentively heard. She pleaded for the suffrage as a matter of both justice and expediency.

Miss Anthony last arose, with a written speech in her hand which she seemed to have concluded to forego the pleasure of delivering, for she said to the committee that women like herself—old abolitionists—felt humiliated at being obliged to serve to the slaves they had helped to free for political liberty, and that if the committee could not see their way clear to report in favor of woman suffrage, they should at least report a bill relieving the disfranchised women of the District from taxation. She then thanked the committee and took her seat.

Mr. Potter (N. Y.) asked Mrs. Spencer if the appeal pending before the Supreme Court of the United States in her case would not afford relief, without legislation. Mrs. Spencer answered, that if the court decided favorably to her, it would enfranchise every woman in the United States.

Gen. Butler then declared the hearing closed, after one member had observed that he was willing it should go on all day.

### BORN.

In the 11th Ward, Salt Lake City, Jan. 24, to Rebecca, wife of Joseph W. Taylor, a daughter.

### DIED.

At her residence in the 7th Ward, Salt Lake City, Jan. 23rd, SARAH HAYNES, wife of John Brown, aged 43 years. Deceased was born at Cubington, near Leamington, Warwickshire, England. Mill Star, please copy.

At his residence, West Weber, Jan. 12th, of general debility, after an illness of fourteen months, BRADLEY BARLOW WILSON, aged 67 years, 3 months and 3 days.

Deceased was born Oct. 11th, 1806, in Chittenden Co., Vermont; moved with his father's family, at the age of fifteen, to Richmond Co., Ohio, where he resided till 1830, when he embraced the gospel of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints; the following year removed to Missouri, and settled in Caldwell Co. till 1838; with the balance of the Saints he was expelled, by the mob, from the State; settled in Adams Co., Illinois, where he remained till 1839; removed to Nauvoo, where he resided till 1846; shared with the Saints in the general expulsion, by the mob, from that city and State; with his family he sought refuge in Bonaparte, Iowa, till 1847; moved to Garden Grove, where he resided till 1851; moved to Council Bluffs, and in 1853 emigrated to Utah, and settled in Ogden City, Weber Co., where he resided till his death. He left a wife and a family of thirteen children, who were all present at his funeral. He had fifty-seven children and one great-grand-child. In all his trials and journeyings he was never known to falter, as a Latter-day Saint, from the principles of the gospel, and he died in full faith of a glorious resurrection.

Of moral rectitude and upright mind, A heart to all malicious promptings blind; He never quailed neath persecution's rod, But walked erect on earth and worshipped God.

Can pride or gold avert the final doom? Can splendor purchase respite from the tomb? Will glittering jewels dazzle Salem's King? Can life immortal from such baubles spring? Exhale No! he answered while atating breath Fell on the portals of the house of death. Sleep, valiant patriarch, the just and true Of all past ages shall rejoice with you. —COM.

At Smithfield, Cache Co., Jan. 16, of consumption, AUSTIN SHEPHERD MERRILL.

Deceased was born Sept. 25th, 1802, at Hartford, Conn.; was the son of Epaphros and Sarah Merrill; baptized into the Church

of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, Jan. 11th, 1837, by Elder Benjamin Sweat, at Alden, Erie Co., New York; in June following he started for Missouri, but on hearing of the expulsion of the Saints he located in Plainfield, Will Co., Ill., where he was ordained an Elder by Elder Morris Phelps, and was appointed President over that branch; in 1840 he removed to Nauvoo, where he resided until the expulsion of the Saints from that place in 1846; emigrated to Great Salt Lake in 1848; in 1860 moved to Smithfield, Cache Co., where he resided ever since; was ordained a high priest in 1861 by Elder John G. Smith; lived the life of a Saint, beloved by all who knew him, and died in full hope of a glorious resurrection.—COM.

At Easton, Weber County, Utah, Jan. 23rd, 1874, of cancer and scarlet fever, JOSEPH ANDREW, son of Robert and Rachel Gale, aged 2 years and 8 months.—Ogden Junction, Jan. 28.

At New Harmony, of dropsy, CLARISSA ALVIRA REDD, daughter of Allen and Louisa Taylor.

Deceased was born at Bridger, Oct. 3rd, 1849; was married to B. J. Redd, June 20 1866. She leaves a husband and two children, and lived a good Saint and died in the hope of a glorious resurrection.—COM.

Young men out of employment in New Orleans are advised by the *Picayune* to go into the country, buy a few acres of land and go to raising plums, peaches, figs, grapes, oranges, etc. Very luxurious advice, this is.

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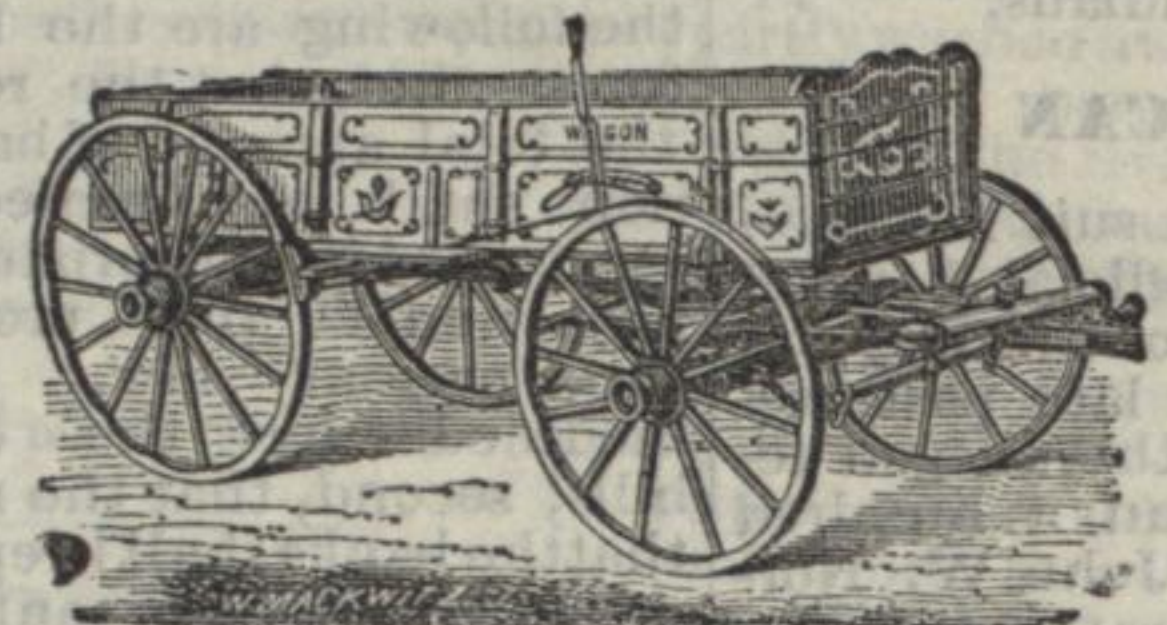
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UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,  
Salt Lake City, January 5, 1874.

A DEFINITE location having been recently made by the Commissioner of the General Land Office of the boundary lines, under the grant of lands to the U. P. and C. P. Railroads in Utah Territory, it is ordered that certain parcels of land formerly included within the limits under the temporary line heretofore established, but now outside under the definite location, be open to Pre-emption and Homestead Entries, from and after the 8th day of February, 1874, said lands being situate in Townships—

1 S 2 E, 1 S 5 E, 1 S 6 E, 1 S 7 E, 2 S 5 E, 1 N 1 E, 1 N 7 E, 1 N 8 E, 7 N 3 E, 8 N 5 E, 9 N 2 E, 9 N 6 E, 9 N 7 E, 9 N 8 E, 10 N 2 E, 10 N 7 E, 10 N 8 E, 11 N 2 E, 11 N 1 W, 1 N 2 W, 14 N 4 W, 14 N 5 W, 14 N 6 W.

It is also ordered that certain lands heretofore included outside of the temporary line as aforesaid, but now falling inside under the definite location be withdrawn from entry except the even numbered sections being held at double minimum price. These lands being situate in Townships—

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GEO. R. MAXWELL, Repl tor. Salt Lake City, Dec. 1, 1873. w44 3m