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LOCAL NEWS.

FROM TUESDAY'S DAILY, APRIL 6

Another Burglary.—This morning, about 6 o'clock, the D. & R. G. W. station at Bingham Junction was broken into by thieves and a quantity of goods stolen. Word was sent to the City Marshal, and officers left this city immediately to investigate, and this afternoon succeeded in arresting the three burglars and bringing them to this city.

Petty Larceny.—Yesterday afternoon Matthew Casey, one of the burglars arrested on Sunday morning, had a trial before Justice Pyper on a charge of petty larceny, in stealing a Winchester rifle from H. E. Phelps. A verdict of guilty was given, and Casey was fined \$100, in default of the payment of which he will work on the gravel beds for 100 days.

More Crusade Work.—Yesterday Brother Nicholas H. Groesbeck, of Springfield, was called for trial in the First District Court at Provo. After the impaneling of the jury, the defendant was called as a witness, and testified that the ladies named in the indictment were his wives, and had lived with him as such during the time named in the indictment. The jury returned a verdict on two counts in the one indictment for cohabitation, and sentence was fixed for April 13th.

Court Proceedings.—In the Third District Court to-day, in the suit of Abernethy L. Williams vs. Mountain Chief Mining Company, judgment was ordered for plaintiff.

Union Trust Co. vs. Summit County Railroad.—plaintiff asks for indemnifying bond.

F. W. Jennings vs. John Neil; dismissed for want of prosecution.

Henry Cumberland vs. L. Oviatt; referred to E. T. Sprague to take testimony and report findings.

Out of Jail.—Last night three of the soldiers engaged in the disturbance on Second South Street, on Thursday last, were released from the city jail, their fines having been paid. Those liberated were Meyer, Gulney and McNamara. Walsh, the leader who attempted to "run the town," was left to serve out his fine.

Sergeant Kaemmer, one of those who battered the penitentiary guard, Burton, on the street car, a few days ago, was released from imprisonment this morning, at the request of the Fort authorities. Kaemmer's case was considered by his commanding officer, and he was reduced to the rank of private because of his conduct. This punishment was considered ample for the offense, as besides being a disgrace it materially reduces Kaemmer's pay, and on this representation Mayor Armstrong commuted the sentence imposed. General McCook and the officers at the Fort do not in any way countenance disorderly conduct on the part of their men.

A Successful Trip.—Brother Joseph Bull returned night before last from a very successful business trip to the east in the interest of the Deseret News. During his absence he visited Chicago, St. Louis, Cincinnati, Pittsburgh, Philadelphia, Baltimore, New York, Boston, and other principal business centres, and also spent one day in Washington, where he had a chance of observing the extreme animosity entertained by many Congressmen for the Latter-day Saints, as well as the noble efforts which are being made by Utah's delegate to stem the tide of opposition to the interests of his constituents, which appears just now to be overwhelming. His trip has extended over a period of seven weeks, and he is glad he has home once more. While absent he purchased for this office one of the best two-revolution book presses, possessing all the latest improvements, which will be a valuable acquisition to the machinery of what is already one of the most complete as well as the oldest printing establishments of this western region.

—Near the end of week before last, the little eight-year old daughter of Mrs. Hulda Naylor, of Kamas, Summit County, was taken suddenly sick, and lived only till Saturday night. The little girl, whose name was Birdie, was described as being an exceptionally bright and intelligent child, and her death almost drove her mother, brothers and sisters to distraction. Arrangements were made and the funeral took place on Wednesday last. While the mother and friends of the family were absent at the cemetery, performing the last sad rites over the remains of the little girl, the gloom was being made still denser for the grief-stricken mother at home. After the funeral procession had left the house, Clarence, Mrs. Naylor's oldest boy (15 years old), walked into the parlor, and seeing a flask containing a liquid of some kind, thought he would taste it. He took two swallows from the bottle, and the next second broke into the kitchen and told the lady to charge what he had done, and asked what was in the bottle. The flask contained carbolic acid, and the unfortunate boy only survived one hour. The kindest of neighbors and friends are doing all in their power to smooth the terribly disturbed pillow of the frantic mother, but all sympathy is too light to calm a breast that is as deeply moved as that of the sorrowing mother.

FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY, APRIL 7

Battered.—Montpelier is the only place in Bear Lake Valley in which saloons are to be found, and there it would seem these concomitants of modern "civilization" have an unrestricted run; at least there seems to be no difficulty about those who are fond of the "ardent" being able to indulge their appetites on the Sabbath day. A week ago last Sunday a row occurred at a saloon at that place in which a young fellow, who, by the way, was sober at the time, but was unfortunately caught in bad company, was terribly beaten by a lot of drunken companions.

Reckless Deputies.—As an additional incident connected with the recent raid of deputy marshals in Bear Lake Valley, some particulars of which have been already published, we learn that after leaving Paris and while on their way to Montpelier the three deputy marshals called at the little Scandinavian village called Ovid, where they made some inquiries about the Bishop and searched his house for him. Seeing a young man start off from the settlement on horseback soon after their arrival, they evidently took it for granted that he was going to warn somebody of their presence and called upon him to stop. The young fellow paid no attention to their demand and rode on, and the result was, that they fired three shots at him, none of which, however, took effect.

Successful Examination.—On Saturday afternoon, April 24, the annual commencement exercises of Dr. Ellis R. Shipp's school in midwifery were held at her office, No. 18 Main Street. The examining board of physicians were Drs. Richards, Bower and Harrison.

Very successful and creditable examinations were passed by the following named ladies: Paulina Lyman, Parowan, Iron County; Anna E. Lyman, Oak City, Millard County; M. E. Clark, Farmington, Davis County; Rebecca R. Hillyard, Smithfield, Cache County; Amanda Harrison, Mill Creek, Salt Lake County; Theresa Pearson, Salt Lake City.

It is gratifying to know that some of our sisters are being awakened to the great advantage of having the towns and villages of the Territory well supplied with skillful nurses and accoucheurs, and we think great credit is due the Relief Societies which have interested themselves in this direction, and would recommend other organizations to follow the example.

Mrs. Shipp expects to open a class within a few weeks for the instruction of mothers in the duties of maternity, and not specially for practitioners in midwifery, but next October will organize another class in obstetrics similar to that whose studies have just closed.

The Geneva Nurseries.—Mr. J. A. Goodhue, general western agent for the Geneva Nurseries, who has been located in this city for about a year, has just received and is now distributing nine car-loads of choice fruit and ornamental shade trees, which have been ordered principally for the Territory. The trees are tied in small bundles, the roots securely wrapped, and then they are packed in large strong boxes for shipment. They arrived here in splendid condition, looking as fresh as if just taken from the soil, and the agent says very few die—not more than five per cent. The trees are not as large as native plants of the same age, but the roots are much larger and when transplanted the trees make rapid growth and will bear the second year. There is already a large number of trees from this nursery in the Territory and the agent has many testimonials from those who have them, to the effect that they are giving good satisfaction.

The nurseries, now covering about five hundred acres, are located near Geneva, New York, and have been established forty years. Every possible precaution is taken in the dissemination of varieties, so that a person ordering is sure to get what he orders. The variety is unlimited and embraces all classes of fruit, shade and forest trees, ornamental shrubs, etc.

Mr. Goodhue is now located here and intends to make this city the centre of the Western agency. He will take orders from now on for shipment next season.

The Bingham Junction Burglars.—As mentioned in last evening's News, Officer Calder was successful in securing three of the thieves who committed the burglary at the D. & R. G. W. station house at Bingham Junction yesterday morning, and brought them to this city yesterday afternoon. Before midnight Officer Burt had two others of the gang lodged in jail—Wm. Kelly and — McFarland. The first three gave the names of John Kelly, John Smith and Thomas Connor. On Tuesday night four "hard looking cases" went to the D. & R. G. W. round house at the Junction, where they lay down to sleep. After awhile one of them got up and asked for a drink of water, and was shown where the cup was. A little later all of them left, taking the cup with them. Early next morning the station was broken into and a ten-gallon keg of wine, \$1 in silver, a \$10 silver certificate and a \$50 note, drawn in favor of A. J. Cushing, of Sandy, stolen. Officer Calder and Watchman Daniels, of the D. & R. G. W., went south and succeeded in arresting the three mentioned, who had partaken freely of the wine, part of which was also captured. The other man, William Kelly, with a companion, was discovered through having attempted to pass the check in this city. At one place McFarland presented the check, and upon being recognized and told that his name was not Cushing, as he stated, replied that that was his name before he got into some trouble in Oregon. The two men last captured were taken in that well-known resort of thieves and low characters—Fitzgerald's den, under the Wasatch corner. The parties will probably have an examination to-morrow.

Bear Lake.—Brother James E. Hart of Bloomington, Bear Lake Co., Idaho, who is down attending conference, reports that when he left home a few days since the snow was 16 inches deep on the level at Bloomington, and two-and-a-half feet deep at Georgetown, farther north. However, the frost was not severe, and with an abundance of feed for their stock the people were prepared to await the arrival of spring with composure. On the whole the winter has been a mild one in that region, the harvest storms having occurred during the month of March.

As an illustration of the difference that is occasionally experienced in the temperature in that region, Brother Hart mentions that whereas there is now practically no ice on the lake, two years ago on the 14th of this month he drove a band of horses across the lake from St. Charles to Wolf Creek, which is situated on the opposite side of the valley, without the animals breaking through the ice.

The people of Bloomington, who number about 80 families, are manifesting commendable enterprise by preparing to erect a tabernacle to hold public meetings in, which will be 40x60 feet in size, two stories high, with two towers on one end and a vestry on the other, and will cost \$10,000. Excavating for the foundation is now under way, and it is expected that the work will be prosecuted continuously until it is completed.

St. Charles contains at least one man who evidently does not aspire to become an office-holder under the Government. E. T. Shaffer, an independent citizen of that place, was recently notified that he had been appointed to supplant E. M. Patterson, the present postmaster, but Shaffer immediately wrote to the department at Washington declining the honor, and saying that he knew of nothing to disqualify the present incumbent, nor anything against the character of the "Mormon" people generally, although he had lived among them for a number of years.

Interesting Scrap of History.—On the 20th of January last, Bishop Frederick Kessler, of the Sixteenth Ward of this city, attained the allotted age of man—"three score years and ten"—and on that day had his photograph taken to send to his relatives in the States. We were shown one of the pictures to-day—a most excellent likeness—and read on the back of it a brief sketch of the Bishop's history, written by his own hand, containing a number of interesting items, which we asked the privilege of copying.

He states that he was born in Meadville, Crawford County, Pennsylvania, January 29, 1816, and at the age of five years was left an orphan. He worked as a millwright five years, and in the year 1825 removed to Iowa, in which

State, as well as in the States of Kansas and Nebraska, he built the first flouring mills ever known there. Altogether he built mills in ten different States. He was intimately acquainted with the Prophet Joseph Smith from the year 1839 until his martyrdom, was baptized in June, 1840, in Nauvoo, and was present when the Prophet deposited the original manuscript of the Book of Mormon in the cornerstone of the Nauvoo Mausoleum.

He often viewed the record of Abraham, which was written by the patriarch's own hand upon parchment in Egyptian characters, which record was in possession of the Prophet Joseph Smith, and a portion of which, as translated by him, is to be found in the "Pearl of Great Price." He also saw the Egyptian mummy upon which the record was found. He assisted in building the Nauvoo Temple and received his endowments therein, and was mobbed from Nauvoo in the spring of 1846, losing all his property, worth several thousand dollars. He built the ferry boat at Council Bluffs by which the Saints crossed the Missouri River and assisted in ferrying them over. He arrived in Salt Lake City October 1st, 1851, and was appointed a Bishop April 6th, 1856, since which time he has presided over the Sixteenth Ward of this city. He concludes by announcing himself as the father of fifteen sons and fifteen daughters.

FROM THURSDAY'S DAILY, APRIL 8

Indicted.—Yesterday afternoon, Angus M. Cannon, Jr., was arrested on two indictments, one alleging conspiracy to assault Mr. Dickson, and the other battery on the District Attorney, and was required to furnish \$500 bail on each charge.

\$1,500 Bonds.—This morning, Martin Gurn, of Sugar House Ward, who was arrested some time since on a complaint charging a violation of the Edmunds law, was again arrested, an indictment having been found by the grand jury, alleging cohabitation with more than one woman as wives. He gave bail in the sum of \$1,500 to await trial in the Third District Court.

Amputation.—Bishop Seddon, of the 5th Ward of this city, whose foot was crushed beneath the wheels of a car of the gravel train some time since, underwent a second surgical operation on Tuesday morning last, when two of his toes were amputated and a number of bones taken out of the foot. Although he is suffering considerable pain, he is doing as well as could be expected considering the nature of his injuries.

Bound Over.—Yesterday afternoon four of the men arrested for complicity in the burglary at Bingham Junction were taken before Justice Pyper, and were held in \$3,000 each to await the grand jury's investigation. Not being able to find bondsmen, the four—John Kelly, Wm. Kelly, John Smith and Thomas Connor—were sent to jail. The other party arrested, Robert McFarlane, was examined in the justice's court this morning, and was placed under \$1,000 bonds to await further investigation. Still another character was implicated, a fellow known as "Freelch."

Sudden Death.—We learn with regret that Brother J. P. Wright, of Paradise, one of the pioneers of Cache County, and for many years a resident of Draper, in this county, where he now has relatives living, died very suddenly on Monday last. He was working in his garden during the forenoon, and while so engaged, was taken with a sudden pain in his stomach, which all the kind efforts of his friends were unavailable to relieve. He died about three o'clock. He was well advanced in years, and could not have been expected to live much longer in the ordinary nature of things. He was a most exemplary man and was greatly respected by all who knew him.

An Infernal Machine.—About 8 o'clock this morning a boy engaged in Newcomb's photograph gallery on Second South Street, found on the stairway leading to that establishment an innocent-looking starch box which, upon examination, was found to have a hole in one side of it, with a partially consumed candle projecting from it. On opening it, the thing was found to be a veritable infernal machine. In the centre was a three pound hard bucket almost full of some substance supposed to be an explosive, while surrounding it were chips, paper and sulphur to fill the box up and all saturated with kerosene. The candle had evidently burned for some little time, but just after the flame had reached the box and commenced to burn the wood it had been extinguished by some means. Who placed it there or what the motive, has not yet been found out, but the deputies are investigating the affair.

Released from the Pen.—To-day Brothers D. E. Davis, Chas. Seat, Andrew W. Cooley and Isaac Groo were brought down from the penitentiary, they having served their full term of imprisonment and 30 days extra because of the fine imposed upon them.

The first three were released upon taking the required oath, but Mr. Groo, when being examined as to the amount of property owned by him, stated that he had an interest in a ranch in Wyoming valued at \$500, the title to which had not yet been perfected. This, it was claimed by the District Attorney, was not exempt from execution, and after hearing the question argued, Commissioner McKay took it under advisement, and at 4 p. m. had not rendered a decision as to whether Mr. Groo could be released without payment of the fine or not.

All of the brethren are in the best of spirits, and, of course, are pleased at again being at liberty, as we are to greet them, after having been immured in prison for refusing to renounce a principle of their religion.

Two others, C. L. White and John Connelly, will be released to-morrow.

Fatal Accident.—A fatal accident occurred at a small station on the line of the Utah Central, in Millard Co., last evening, the following particulars of which were sent by Mr. J. E. Clinton, the agent on that division, to the general office in this city:

"Last night No. 1 train stopped at Neels as usual, south of the tank, as they do not take water there, only when really necessary. Just before the train was ready to start (a strong south wind was blowing), the engineer concluded he would not have water enough to carry them to Black Rock, so rang the bell to back up to the tank. Just at this time Henry McCordell, foreman of section 37, was coming in with a hand car, and it is believed from the evidence that his little boy, four-and-half years old, saw his father coming and ran to meet him, but just got behind the coach, which knocked him down, and run over his legs close up to his thighs, cutting one entirely off, and leaving the other hanging. The poor little fellow only lived 35 minutes."

The parents of the child were witnesses of the sad scene. They do not feel to blame anyone for their child's death, realizing that it was entirely accidental. The remains were brought to this city and buried this afternoon.

Bad Blood.—This morning a trial which was held in the Police Court, revealed a very unpleasant state of feeling between a couple of business men in this city. On the complaint of Jas. Lucas, green grocer, J. L. May, assayer, was arrested yesterday, charged with disturbing the peace of the complainant. The evidence taken at the trial showed that about a month since Mr. May, having made some purchases from Mr. Lucas, was presented with the bill, but replied that he had no money at the time with which to settle. The answer as taken by the collector to Mr. Lucas licensed the latter to the extent that he received the bill and sent it to Mr. May, who considered it an insult and called on Mr. Lucas, when some hot words ensued, May expressing himself as desirous of castigating Lucas. On Tuesday the two met in Mr. Wright's barber shop, and the quarrel was renewed. May tendered the amount of the bill, but it was refused, and each applied some vile epithet to the other, when they were separated, and Lucas related his side of the story to the officers and made affidavit against May. After hearing all the testimony, the Court discharged the defendant, as the charge had not been proved, and the complaining witness was as much to "blame as was the accused."

Court Proceedings.—In the Third District Court to-day, in the suit of Rose Griffiths vs. F. D. Clift, the motion for a new trial was denied, and 30 days' stay of proceedings allowed in which to perfect an appeal.

In the case of the People vs. Frank McDonald, indicted for burglary, it was ordered that defendant's witnesses be subpoenaed by the Marshal.

David E. Walker vs. Lewis B. Rogers; plaintiff asked for judgment for costs upon the verdict, and defendant objected. The Court ordered that the costs be divided between the parties, and that judgment be entered according to the verdict.

United States vs. Frank Treseder; indicted for bribery; demurrer submitted and overruled; ordered that the defendant appear on Monday next for arraignment.

The People vs. B. Y. Hampton, conspiracy, etc.; motion of bondsmen to surrender, heretofore submitted, denied for the reason that no copy of the undertaking, and no certificate of the officer to the surrender, had been produced to file with the order. Ruling excepted to by counsel for bondsmen.

The grand jury came into court and reported three indictments under United States laws, and one under Territorial statutes.

Philip Steinhart vs. Fanny Davenport; judgment by default entered as prayed for, on motion of Attorney S. H. Lewis.

The accounts of the United States District Attorney were approved by the court.

The suit against the bondsmen of Fanny Davenport was taken up and argued by Mr. Dickson.