

LOCAL AND OTHER MATTERS.

THEATRE.—To-morrow evening the Theatre will re-open for the fall and winter season, with the new sensational drama by A. D. Bell, Esq., of the San Francisco Bulletin, entitled "The Captain of the Vulture," or "Millicent's Husband," in which Miss Annie Lockhart and the full dramatic company will appear.

The Management announce that this piece will be followed in quick succession by the principal novelties and sensations of the day.

THE DESERET UNIVERSITY RECOMMENDED.—B. A. M. Frothingham, Esq., correspondent of the *Scandinavian Post*, a paper published in New York, writing from this city, gives the following sketch of our University:

"I have also visited the Deseret University, the only High School in the Territory. There are classes in the several scientific as well as in philological and commercial studies. What astonished me most is the simple and easy system on which the instruction is based.

"I feel under many obligations to Professors Park and Bergman for their courtesy towards me in giving me information in regard to the several departments of the school, as also in regard to the system and method of teaching adopted.

"Professor J. R. Park is the rector of the University. He is a graduate M. D., from New York, and is, I am led to believe, a man of marked ability and efficiency, and well versed in all the scientific studies which pertain to his position. I have no doubt that, through his and his fellow-professors' diligence and perseverance, the Deseret University will become a seat of learning that would be an ornament to any country.

"Professor B. L. Bergman, from Sweden, is a man of great learning and ability, who would be an ornament to any University in the world. He is professor in the Latin, Greek, Hebrew, French and German languages, in all of which he is well versed. Professor Pratt, Esq., M. A., at present in New York, is professor in the mathematical department.

INFORMATION WANTED.—A young man by the name of Oscar Christian Stormfeldt, a native of Malmo, Sweden, wishes to know if any of his relations are yet living in Salt Lake City. His mother, one brother, and two sisters arrived at Salt Lake City. His residence is Constitution House, 100 Jackson Street, San Francisco, California.

DEATH.—Of consumption, after a long and painful illness, in Brookfield, Orange county, N. Y., April 9, 1899, Sally Lyman Elmer, daughter of Richard and Philomela Lyman, born May 17, 1822, leaving her husband, Don Elmer, aged 81 and an only daughter and numerous friends to mourn her loss. She was the last survivor of her father's family, all of whom attained a mature age and had families. She was the sister of President George A. Smith's mother, Clarissa Lyman Smith. She has numerous kindred in Utah. Her husband, forty-five years ago, was given up to die of consumption and has remained feeble ever since, but at the advanced age of eighty-one has been able to attend to his garden the present season.

THE WEATHER.—To-day the weather in this city has been decidedly squally with occasional showers; nor have the clouds and rain been confined to this neighborhood. In San Pete, the telegraph informs us, it has been raining all day, in Provo the storm has been very severe, while in Cache Valley and in other northern parts of the Territory it has rained very hard accompanied by thunder and lightning.

DEPARTURE.—This morning Ex-Governor Wood and party left this city, en route for California and Oregon. We may just state, in connection with this, as a fragment of history, that Ex-Governor Wood was the first settler on the site of the city of Quincy, Ill., and the founder of that city, having arrived there in 1822, in a cart, wheels of which had squeaked more fellows without tires. Ex-Governor Wood may well feel proud of the part he has taken in the development of a city which now contains 22,000 inhabitants.

A WORD WITH THE MORMONS.—As the accredited organ of the Mormons (according to the *Omaha Republican* and the *Nebraska City News*) we would have a word with Brigham Young, Mr. STEPHENS of the Salt Lake Telegraph, and with Mr. CANNON of the News.

We see by late papers from that quarter that there is a good deal of strong talk out there against the Union Pacific Railroad Company on account of what is alleged to be a failure on their part to pay their indebtedness to that people. This is said to amount to a half million dollars.

Our word with our Mormon neighbors is, to advise them to hold on a little. They ought to do as our people have done, pardon much to a very early date of circumstances that have been unexpectedly forced upon the Company by conspiracies and combinations that have caused them the most damaging embarrassments. We are satisfied with the honest purpose of the Company to meet all just liabilities as early as it is possible for them to clear away the obstacles that had men have thrown in their path. Our friends in Utah should add to patience, forbearance, and to forbearance, a proper appreciation of all the facts bearing on the case, before they yield to the course they now seem to be pursuing.

The Mormons did much by their co-operation in rendering the rapid completion of the Union Pacific possible. For this, they deserved and received the thanks of the country. Let them not tarnish so good a record under any avoidable circumstances.

The above extract is from the *Omaha Herald* of the 21st ult. In reply we wish to say that the *Herald* is wrong in setting down the indebtedness of the Union Pacific Company to the people of Utah at "a half million dollars." Instead of that amount it is upwards of a million. We wish also to add, that our friend Dr. Miller need not have the least fear of the people of Utah adopting any rash measures in relation to this subject; they have given, we think, abundant evidence that they are not inclined to do so. Thousands of them turned out and labored with the utmost unity and energy for several months to accomplish the work on the road, and those same thousands have waited patiently for several months for their pay; and through their desire to be patient and forbearing with the Company in not pressing the matter of payment, have subjected themselves and the entire community to all the inconvenience arising from very great pecuniary embarrassments.

If during the time they have waited there had been any signs that the means due them would be forthcoming at an early day, they might still be inclined to hold on, as they have done; but the indifference manifested by the Company has forced them to the conclusion, that unless some such measures as are now talked of are adopted, they may wait for an indefinite period in the future, or until the Com-

pany find it perfectly convenient in every respect, for the liquidation of their claims. This matter will receive full attention at the Mass Meeting next Monday.

Married:

In this city, on Monday, Aug. 30, by President D. H. Wells, Joseph Graham and Isabella Farrell. Mill. Star please copy.

Died.

In this city, September 1st, of inflammation of the bowels, Louis D. M. Palmer, aged 1 year and 5 months; son of A. B. and Amelia Ann Palmer.

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