

LOCAL AND OTHER MATTERS.
APOLOGY.

AN unfortunate accident, causing a breakage to our press, has unavoidably delayed the printing of this evening's issue of the News. We trust our subscribers will overlook the inconvenience arising therefrom.

THEATRICAL.—This evening we hope to see a crowded house, for Mr. Graham is a very popular and rising comedian, and the bill of fare is rich in variety and of unusual attractiveness. Go, everybody, and see spiky burlesque, sparkling comedy, with recitation and dance.

THE MAILS.—A. W. Street, Esq., P. M., courteously informs us that Wells, Fargo, & Co. have resumed carrying the mails. This will be gratifying intelligence to the public. They took the eastern mail this forenoon at 11 o'clock, and the western this afternoon at half-past 1. On and after tomorrow the mails will leave at the usual hours, the eastern at 6.30 a.m., and the western at 6 p.m.

Mr. Graham as Jack in the Water at his benefit.

FISH CULTURE.—Brigham Young talks sensibly in his public counsel to young men. He tells them to marry at once, and make a home, be it never so homely. Amongst other details, he says to those who have dowsing water, make for yourself a pond, and stock it with fish; and you will have food that costs nothing to raise, that neither rust nor crickets, nor caterpillars, will destroy. Let every man in California who can command water follow this sage advice. The fish crop that might be raised from the artesian wells now flowing, would, without being a tax for tillage, supply an abundance of food as healthy and nourishing as any animal meat. We are happy to note that artificial fish culture has been started on a good scale among the lagoons and small ponds in the Sierras, and in the sheets of water about our city. There is no cultivation that brings richer returns, with almost no labor and no risk of failure.—*Alta California.*

A "Roland for an Oliver," at Mr. Graham's benefit.

FAREWELL BENEFIT.—Miss Alexander takes a farewell benefit on Thursday evening, when the "Pride of the Market," and the "Unprotected Female" will be presented, with the reading of "Widow Bedouin" by Miss Louise, a song by Mr. Hardie, and a dance by Miss Louise and Miss Sussie between. This makes much variety and great attraction. Miss Alexander retires from the stage after Thursday night.

"Little Jim," a beautiful recitation, at Mr. Graham's benefit.

SPRINGTOWN SANITARY.—We have received a communication from Bishop Olsen, of Springtown, speaking in warm terms of the late visit of President Young and company. We publish the subjoined extract, for the benefit of those who might wish to settle in that locality:

"It was remarked by those distinguished brethren that we needed an increase of settlers, which we felt to endorse, and we wish to invite, through the columns of the DESKERT NEWS, all who desire to get homes to come to Springtown, where they can have a city lot and a reasonable amount of farm land for the cost of surveying. Our facilities are of the very best. We have an abundance of building and fencing timber easy of access. A man with a team can cut and haul a load a day. We have also an abundance of fire wood and we expect to survey upwards of 100 city lots after conference. We also invite mechanics and those who wish to put up machinery, as several very good sites can be had within the limits of our town."

The Drum Polka, by Miss Louise and Miss Sussie, at Mr. Graham's benefit.

IMMENSE CORN YIELD.—In the Rocky Mountain News, of the 2nd, we find the account of an immense yield of Australian corn, on the farm of A. H. Miles, on Cherry Creek, two miles from Denver. The land on which the corn was planted is a black sandy loam. It was plowed eighteen inches deep; and the rows were furrowed three feet apart with a shovel plow. The corn was dropped four to five kernels in a hill, from eighteen inches to two feet apart. It was cultivated but once with a cultivator, and was not irrigated.

It was planted on the 25th of May, and cut on the 29th of November. On such soil, and with this cultivation, it is certified and sworn to, that the yield was one hundred and fifty-four stocks to the acre, and an average stock on being husked, yielded one hundred and fifty pounds. This would give two bushels and ten pounds of shelled corn to the stock, at seventy pounds to the bushel, and allowing ten pounds for shrinkage, the one hundred and fifty-four stocks would yield three hundred and eight bushels to the acre. As considerable doubt seems to have existed in Denver and neighborhood concerning it, the truth of the statement is sworn to by five men. The acre taken as an average was one in a field of forty acres of similar corn.

Miss Olive dances a Sailor's Hornpipe at Mr. Graham's benefit.

VIRGEN, KANE CO.—Bro. Nepht Johnson, of Virgen, Kane County, who arrived in town yesterday, from the south, called on us this morning, and in a conversation with him we gathered the following items: The fruit crop was very heavy this season; the cotton crop was light through Kane County; the wheat crop was tolerably good; but the corn crop was damaged to some extent by the grasshoppers. These insects paid them the visit, and did considerable damage before they took flight and left them. The town of Virgen is being removed to a new location on higher ground, to avoid the washings away to which they have been subject. Last winter they suffered considerable loss from the rise of the river Virgen during the rains. The prospects for next season are good.

[COMMUNICATION.]
To the Public of Salt Lake City and vicinity.—It has been announced that I take a Farewell Benefit on Thursday evening, Oct. 15th. As many enquiries are being made relative to the cause, permit me to say that, wearied with long and continued labors upon the stage, which have impaired both physical and mental health, it becomes necessary to seek rest and a withdrawal from further public efforts. With kindest respect to the Public and personal friends, very respectfully,
SARA ALEXANDER.
Salt Lake City, Oct. 12, 1893.

MAGICAL.—Professor Rosco, Magician and Prestidigitator, is in town having arrived from the East. He may probably have an opportunity of appearing before our public. We understand he does the blood-curdling Indian ketchick.

ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES
BY STAGE.

From the East—John Lapold, B. F. Crockett, J. S. Tins, E. H. Woodman and lady, H. M. Grant and lady, Joseph Bourke.
From the West—Thomas White, Mrs. Oake, O. C. Huntly, R. B. Parrett, E. F. Winslow, G. E. Pumphrey.
From the North—Jas Brown, A. W. Meeks, Geo. H. Bender, Nat. Ireland, C. Hill, F. Hopson, E. Barker, J. Connelly, A. Hase.
To the East—General A. E. Sires, W. H. Wetzel, C. B. Fenwick, A. H. Lord, C. O. Kinslow, C. E. Kinslow, J. S. Harrison, J. H. Ewart, O. Beadell, G. A. Dunn, Wm. Arts, J. T. Jones, B. T. Her.
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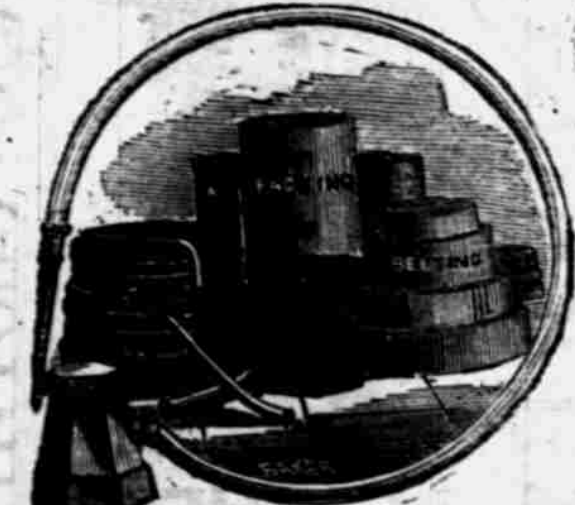
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