

LOCAL AND OTHER MATTERS.

TO-NIGHT.—The charming English comedy of "The Soldier's Daughter" and the sparkling afterpiece of "Somebody Else" are announced as this evening's entertainment at the Theatre. Fanny Morgan Phelps and Annie Lockhart appear in both pieces.

THE PRESIDENT'S PARTY.—We learn by Deseret Telegraph Line that President Young and party held meeting at Fillmore yesterday, at one p.m., and convened the School of the Prophets at five p.m. The party left Fillmore this morning at ten minutes to eight o'clock for Kanosh or Corn Creek, where they held meeting and then proceeded to Cove Creek, where they stop to-night. The weather in that district is now very pleasant.

CHUCKING NEWS.—We are in receipt of a letter from Elder H. W. Naisbett, dated Chicago, April 26th, from which we are pleased to learn he is prospering in his business transactions, and is well in health and enjoying his labors.

FEMALE RELIEF SOCIETY.—The first annual meeting of the 20th Ward Female Relief Society was held yesterday afternoon in the ward meeting house, commencing at about a quarter past two o'clock. Considering the very unfavorable condition of the weather and roads, the attendance was large, numbering about two hundred and fifty, among whom were visitors from several wards in the city. On the stand were President George A. Smith, Elders John Taylor, J. F. Smith, J. C. Little and Bishop L. W. Hardy.

The statistical report of the Society for the past year was read and accepted. The Society was organized on the 22d of April, 1888, Mrs. M. Smoot, as Presidentess, Mrs. J. P. Sharp and Mrs. A. Savage, her first and second counselors; Mrs. S. Schettler, Secretary, and Mrs. E. Ramsey, Treasurer. A board of appraisers was also appointed, and a choir organized. The ward is divided into twenty districts, to each of which there are two visitors appointed to visit the sick and poor. They give in their reports at the semi-monthly meetings of the Society. The institution now contains 171 members.

During the year they have received in donations of money and store-pay, and produce of various kinds, \$77 94, and have disbursed, in relief to the poor and needy, \$292 44, leaving on hand a balance of \$485 52, of which \$103 is in cash. Among the articles made by the members of the Society at their meetings during the year, are sixteen quilts, forty-six yards of linen, twenty-three yards of jeans, sixty-three yards of carpet, and four suits of clothes. After the reading of the report, short, but very appropriate addresses were delivered by Elders John Taylor and Joseph F. Smith, also by President G. A. Smith; interesting and spirited remarks were made by Elder Little and Bishop Hardy. During the meeting the choir sang several pieces, and the following song, dedicated to the Society, and composed by Elder Wm. Willes, was sung to the tune of "Israel, Israel," by him and sister L. Luff:

Sisters, sisters, O, how charming
Is the work that you pursue;
Mercy and want disarming,
Many blessings come through you,
Glorious mission, glorious mission,
Which for God you have to do.
Sisters, sisters, you can never go
Where we men could enter go,
And your thoughts in mercy center,
Searching out distress and woe,
Sisters of Mercy, Sisters of Mercy,
O, what pleasure you must know.
Grateful, fervent thanks we render
Unto God for all you do,
For each act of kind and tender,
And the toll which you go through,
O, how gracious, O, how gracious
Was the Lord, for sending you,
Zion's needy children love you
For the blessings you bestow,
And God's faithful servants bless you,
In your pilgrimage below;
Never falter, never falter,
Strength on you may God bestow.
Widows, orphans' sorrows soothing,
And the aged have your care;
You're the rugged pathway smoothing,
You can chase away despair;
Noble Sisters, noble Sisters,
Heavenly blessings may you share.

Presidentess Smoot closed the meeting with a few capital observations on the labors of the Society during the past year, and those which are before them, and gave notice that on the 6th proximo, they would hold their next meeting, when preliminary steps would be taken by the members to establish among the ladies of the 20th Ward their own fashions, and to completely ignore the prevailing tastes and notions with respect to fashions imported from abroad.

The meeting was of the most interesting character, and seemed to be enjoyed by all present. It was dismissed about half past four o'clock.

RIVERDALE.—Our correspondent "Ammon" informs us that on the morning of the 21st a landslide occurred near John W. Young's old camp, which took all the day to clear away. This detained Elder Orson Pratt and the missionaries accompanying him until seven o'clock last evening, when they passed on all well. The Railroad Commissioners passed Riverdale during the week. Messrs. Calder & Co. are busy putting up their temporary depot to receive freight. Messrs. Megath & Co. have also located there, and are doing a heavy forwarding business.

NEPHI.—Elder Samuel Pitchforth writing from Nephi on the 21st inst. says: "On Monday afternoon the 19th inst., we had the pleasure of welcoming to our city President Brigham Young and his distinguished company, the smiling faces of the Saints showed that our beloved President, the Twelve and the chief elders in Israel were ever welcome. At 4 p.m. the people assembled in the meeting-house and listened to able and instructive discourses from President Young and Elders Woodruff and Cannon; the Word of Wisdom, Co-operation, the necessity of the people becoming self-sustaining, and union and concord and spiritual things were the subjects treated on.

The weather, at present, is more like winter than spring, and we fear our fruit will be injured. I have nothing startling to report."

RETURNED.—Bro. Edward Stevenson, who left this city on the 17th ult., in company with Bro. Ezra T. Clark, for Fond du Lac, N. Y., for the body of Brother Clark's son, Ezra J., who died last July, while returning from a mission, arrived in this city last evening. Bro. Clark and Stevenson have been successful in accomplishing the object of their journey, and have brought back the remains of Brother Ezra J.

They left Chicago last Saturday afternoon, and arrived at Wasatch on Tuesday afternoon, having been away three days and three hours accomplishing the journey. The remains of Bro. Ezra J. will be interred at Farmington on Sunday next.

THREATENED INDIAN RAIDS.—By Deseret Telegraph Line we learn that three friendly Indians, just in to Beaver, from east of the Sevier, state that they saw the Ute Indians collecting there in large numbers; they state that eight different bands have joined, and intend making raids on Parowan, Beaver and Round Valley immediately.

CONTUMPTIBLE.—Packages of goods, frequently arrive from the East in this city, having, in addition to the address of the parties to whom they are sent, disgustingly obscene, and profane phrases inscribed upon the wrappers or cases in which they are enclosed, and this, too, in good calligraphy, proving that while the dirty scribbles who are guilty of such meanness are among the vilest of the vile, they are not among the most ignorant and illiterate. Such conduct is beneath contempt; and they who are guilty of it are a disgrace to their mothers, and deserve a severe caning.

TIGHT ROPE PERFORMANCE.—We understand that Professor De Housse will give another of his excellent performances on the tight rope, tomorrow afternoon, near Faust and Houtz' stables, during which he will cook a dinner in a common cook stove on the rope. See his advertisement.

PROVE.—Bros. J. B. Milner, and J. L. Nuttall of Provo dropped in to see us this morning. They report the wholesale Co-operative store in that city is doing a heavy business, and another, a retail branch, has been opened during the week. The whole people are resolved to make it a success, the sisters even are zealous in taking shares. Crops look well and a few grasshoppers have made their appearance.

CAUGHT.—About two o'clock this morning a notorious character by the name of James Watkins, a transient, was arrested in the eastern part of the city by one of our city police with a roll of harness that he had stolen a few hours previous from Mr. J. A. P. Blockwood, also some buffalo robes and a saddle blanket which he had stolen from the barn of Mr. B. H. Young, last evening. There are also other articles at the police station which have not yet been claimed. This same individual was arrested about ten months ago on a charge of being connected with the robbery of Wells, Fargo's coaches in Echo, and has been in custody at Camp Douglas until about six weeks since. He now has quarters in the city prison, and further action will be taken on his case to-morrow.

(Special to the Deseret Evening News.)
By Telegraph.

CONGRESSIONAL SENATE.

Washington, D. C.—The Senate rejected the nomination of Sanford, for Minister to Spain, to be replaced by Jones, Belgium; and E. W. Roberts, Register of the Land Office, at Marysville, Cal. They confirmed S. A. Hurlbut, Minister to Bogota, and S. A. Hudson, to Guatemala, and Wm. H. Wadsworth on the Mexican Commission.

The further consideration of the San Juan treaty has been deferred until December next.

The Senate, to-night, confirmed M. W. Blake, Attorney for Montana; also all the Indian agents, mainly quakers. A. H. Gross, Attorney for New Mexico, was rejected.

Nye, in making a personal explanation, sarcastically replied to Sprague's allusion to him as a charlatan and harlequin; he also defended the Senate, the legal profession and the reputation of General Burnside and the Rhode Island soldiers. He spoke nearly an hour.

Chandler briefly eulogized the bravery of Gen. Burnside.

Abbott spoke at some length in a similar strain.

Morton also commended Burnside. Sprague took the floor and read a manuscript speech, reiterating his former charges against monopolists and their defenders in the Senate, referring with special bitterness to Anthony. He compared Nye's attack to the barking of a puppy encouraged by the presence of a mastiff. He read complimentary letters addressed to him by the National Board of Trade, and many individuals throughout the country.

Brownlow and Cameron vindicated Burnside. The Senate then went into Executive session.

When the doors were opened Abbott rose from his seat and said the words of Sprague in reference to the "puppy and the mastiff" were offensive, and declared his intention to ask Sprague if he applied the term "puppy" to him, if so he announced his intention to demand full retraction, and if that was refused he should ask satisfaction outside the Chamber.

Sumner called Abbott to order on the ground that Abbott had declared his intention to violate the law.

The President decided that words were not necessary for such a declaration. Abbott reiterated his statements. Finally, the motion of the Executive session was carried, and Carlisle was confirmed Minister to Stockholm without a dissenting voice; Pile was rejected 25 to 21.

GENERAL.

San Francisco, 22.—The new board of commissioners appointed to examine the C. P. R. R., has returned; they report that the road is finished to Monument Point, leaving a gap of sixty-five miles between the two roads, making eight hours' staging. It is expected that the last rail will be laid this week and the entire road opened to general business May 10th. The Company intend to lay ten miles of track to-day, thus surpassing any previous day's work in track-laying. The Central Company have purchased the track of the Union Pacific west of Ogden, a hundred and forty-two miles of which is graded. The transfer is already made.

Travelers report that the road lately made by the Union and Central is excellent. Passengers arrived here last evening, seven and a half days from Chicago, six and a half days' actual traveling time.

The confirmation of the mint officers by the Senate causes intense indignation among the business men of this city, who had protested with one voice against the removal of the present incumbent on commercial grounds, as well as honesty and efficiency. The fires in the Gold Hill mines are not yet extinguished. The Yellow Jacket mine is closed; preparations are making to deluge it with water. Eleven men deserted from the English flag ship *Zealous* yesterday. The Republican convention in Washington Territory met at Vancouver yesterday, and adopted the platform of the last National Convention. Chicago L.

Garfield was unanimously nominated for Congress.

Late advices from Kodiak Island report unusual quantities of ice and snow. Troy.—The lower portion of the city is inundated; several piles of lumber have been carried away. The storehouse of the Glenn's Falls Lumber Company has been set on fire by the water slacking 1,600 barrels of lime; it was totally destroyed. A boom above Glenn's Falls was carried away, 40,000 logs being set adrift; the loss is very heavy.

Boston.—The stockholders of the Union Pacific railroad met to-day, and adopted several amendments to their charter, when they adjourned till to-morrow for the choice of officers.

Washington.—Private dispatches announce the death of Capt. Henry A. Wise, at Naples; he was formerly chief of the ordinance bureau of the navy department.

New York.—The Committee on nominations has reported the following officers for a national board of fire underwriters: President, James M. McLean; Vice President, L. J. Prudie; Treasurer, J. S. Harris; Secretary, W. Connor. After a long debate a resolution was adopted, that the sense of the meeting was that ten per cent. commission on gross premiums be allowed to agents, and five per cent. to brokers, with no rebate whatever. A resolution was adopted that no company be allowed to take risks under the tariff rate.

The mails west, via Albany, are detained on account of the freshets; there is no detention on the Erie. It is stated that in a day or two a yacht will be dispatched from here to Cuba, on a mission from the government to ascertain the exact position of affairs. It is the belief that a heavy storm is brewing, which may occasion much trouble yet.

Washington, D. C. 22.—The President, to-day, nominated Henry M. Blake, District Attorney for Montana.

FOREIGN.

Governor Seymour, of British Columbia, has appointed six commissioners to revise the customs tariff of the colony.

Granby, Canada.—While a number of persons were congregated on the principal bridge here, watching the flood, one end gave way, when eleven persons were swept away and drowned.

London.—The projected loan to the Spanish government, of eight million pounds, was introduced on the market to-day; it is a great success. The Oxford boat crew have accepted the American challenge for a four-oared boat race in August next.

Havana.—The following is official: The news of the surrender of Villavieja Casanova and Junio, with six hundred followers, is premature; the agreement between the insurgents and the Spanish authorities is incomplete.

Paris.—The bullion in the Bank of France has increased seven and a half millions of francs since last week.

Madrid.—The universal suffrage article in the Constitution has been carried in the Cortes almost unanimously, only fourteen dissenting.

New York.—The *Evening*'s London special says, London papers comment very freely on the present state of affairs in Cuba. The *Telegraph*, a ministerial organ of moderate tone, says, in regard to the independence of Cuba, England is unbiassed, but at the same time admits that England's interests can be best subserved by Spain retaining her authority in the island. The articles do not say, however, that in any case it would be the business of England to interfere to prevent Cuban independence, but maintains that the good offices of England might prove useful to arrest the quarrel between Spain and America. It comments in severe terms on the action of the Cuban authorities in regard to the ship *Mary Lovell*, and says it may have the effect of implicating England, Spain's best friend, unless the latter country offers reparation for the insult to the United States. The article then goes on to argue that the Cubans can never willingly attach themselves to the United States.

The *London Owl*, this evening, also has a say on Cuban matters. It argues that President Grant has been mad on the subject of Cuba, and thinks England and France will declare war if America attempts to wrest the island from Spain. The *Owl* says Grant longs for a foreign war.

New York, 22.—The *Tribune's* Montreal special says an order for the withdrawal of British troops from Canada in May next, is said, by well informed persons, to be held in abeyance for a while; there will, however, be considerable changes in military stations. One change is both curious and unaccountable, the transfer of troops from Montreal to Quebec, which has been ordered.

A dispatch from London, saying that the U. S. has made a demand upon the British Government for an explanation in the case of the *Mary Lovell*, is looked upon as another speck of war. The French Canadians continue to lean for the U. S. The annexation question is still agitated with spirit.

ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES BY STAGE.

From the Territory of the Union Pacific Railroad.
W. H. Hill, S. A. Blackwell, Miss C. Nickoll, A. Remson, E. Kahn, J. Wantoe, O. H. Elliott, C. C. Willis, A. Nickel, E. W. Barron, J. Lee, Mr. Hopper, J. Davis.

To the Territory of the Union Pacific Railroad.
Mrs. W. P. Smith, R. Garber, W. McLane, N. Groenbeck and wife, Chas. Duder, Mrs. Stevenson, J. Ornstein, F. R. Knox, John Rogers, H. Bessell.

Died:

At Pine Canyon Settlement, Tooele Co., on the 19th ult., Margaret G. Smith, aged 8 years, one month and two days. Deceased was born in Paisley, Renfrewshire, Scotland. She lived and died a Christian, and was beloved by a large circle of friends.—*Mill Star* please copy. [Com.]

At Nephi on the 14th inst. of Scarlet Fever, Margaret, daughter of Edward and Hannah Jones, aged 8 years, 6 months and 3 days. Also, on the 12th inst. of the same disease, Edward James, son of the above Edward and Hannah Jones, aged 6 years, 6 months and 4 days. Margaret was well until appearances on Tuesday morning and died on Wednesday. Her little brother was only sick about forty-eight hours.

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THE Regular April Term of the THIRD DISTRICT COURT will commence on MONDAY the 26th inst., at 11 o'clock a.m., at the Court House in Salt Lake City. James W. Williams, clerk of said court, is requested to be present. J. D. T. McALLISTER, Territorial Marshal.

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