

THE EVENING NEWS.

Monday, December 6, 1899.

LOCAL AND OTHER MATTERS.

SABBATH MEETINGS.—In the morning the congregation was addressed by Elders W. King and Harvey H. Cluff, two missionaries who have been called to go to the Sandwich Islands. They bore testimony to the truth of the work in which they are engaged, and to the shielding arm of the Almighty which has been over this Church from its commencement to the present time. They felt well in the work and hoped they might be honored instruments, in the hands of God, of doing much good to the unfortunate inhabitants of the Islands on which they have been called to labor.

Elder Joseph F. Smith followed in a very interesting discourse, in which he narrated some of the incidents of his own and the elders' labors on the Sandwich Islands, the reception of the gospel by the inhabitants, the manners and customs of the people, the nature of the climate and many other matters of interest. He also dwelt at some length upon the prevalence of evil effects, which are everywhere apparent among the people, of certain diseases which were unknown among them before the introduction of so-called "Christianity," casting some very severe but deserved strictures upon those who have cursed the people by introducing their damning and corrupt practices on the Islands. From an old man, a native, who said he recollected the visit of Captain Cook, Bro. Smith learned what the old man affirmed was the true story of Cook's death and its cause. The aged man stated that it was in consequence of Captain Cook's sedition of the daughter of one of the principal chiefs, his acceptance of divine honors, the people worshipping him as a god, and the corrupt behavior of his men that he was killed and that the story generally received was not a correct one.

In the afternoon Elder Geo. Q. Cannon delivered a discourse relative to the truth of this work and the legality of the appointment of President Young. His remarks were reported and will probably be published shortly.

THEATRICAL.—The excellent bill provided for Saturday evening was quite a success. In the "Female Detective," Kate Denin had a first rate opportunity of displaying her remarkable powers as a versatile artist. The ease and grace with which she assumed the five characters which she personated were indicative of a high order of ability, and coupled with the specimens of her tragic acting which we have had the opportunity of witnessing, stamp her as an actress of the first order. Her singing on Saturday night was very sweet and impressive. The acting of Mr. Lindsay, as "Barry Mullison" was well conceived, and sustained the reputation which he has gained as a very fair actor. "Phobus Rockway" and "Lodvic Stuyvesant," two steady gentlemen, fond of appropriating watches, snuff boxes and any little article that "comes to hand," and who are acquainted with certain nobles at Bow Street and other Police Courts, were very well done by Messrs. Graham and Harris. The shadow-like appearance of the former gentleman was highly suggestive of a six months' turn of the "lunatic asylum." Mr. Hardie as "Tracy" was very well done. Mr. Jones as "Mr. Clawson," "Madame Ritzdorf," by Mrs. De Bar, and Miss Platt's "Una," were very creditably played.

In the farce of the "Lost Child," "Phil," created a perfect uproar of laughter among the audience with his comicalities. As "William Jones," the distracted father of "My Child," he was afforded an excellent opportunity of displaying his rare powers as a comedian. He was well sustained by Mrs. DeBar, as "Mrs. Wm. Jones," Mr. Lindsay, as "Tom Chadwick," and by Messrs. Crowther, Thorne, Miss Platt and the rest of the corps in the remainder of the characters.

"Gisippus," by Messrs. Harris and Hardie, was very well done, and was as laughable as ever.

The patrons of comedy will be afforded a fine opportunity of gratifying their taste for that class of plays by the excellent bill provided for this evening. The curtain will rise with the three-act comedy of "All that Glitters is not Gold," with Kate Denin in the part of "Martha Gibbs," Mr. Graham as "Stephen Plum," Mr. Hardie as "Mr. Arthur Lusk," and Messrs. Margotta and Thorne as "Toby Twinkle" and "Jasper Plum." The other characters will be sustained by the company.

The performance will conclude with "An Object of Interest," in which Kate Denin will appear as "Fanny Gribble."

SUICIDE.—Last Saturday morning, at about half past 7 o'clock, a man named Richard Hall, working at the woolen factory of A. O. Smoot & Co., shot himself in the head with a revolver, the ball entering on the right side close to his ear, causing instant death. An inquest was held on his body, and a verdict of partial insanity returned by the jury.

DEPARTURE OF MAILS.—Until further notice, mails going East and West from this Office will close at 9 o'clock p.m. Mails will be sent from East and West at 10 o'clock p.m.

A. W. STRAIN, P. M.
P. O. Salt Lake, Dec. 6th, 1899.

"THE AMERICAN STOCK JOURNAL."—We have received the December number of the American Stock Journal, a monthly, containing thirty-two large double column pages devoted to farming and stock breeding, containing regular departments for the practical farmer, dairyman, stock breeder, wool grower, and poultry keeper, etc., etc., published at one dollar per year, by N. P. Boyer & Co., Parkersburg, Chester Co., Pa. This journal, in addition to other excellent features, pertaining to the farm, dairy and stock raising, has a veterinary department, in which questions on all diseases of accidents to horses, cattle, sheep, swine, or poultry, are answered free of charge. The publishers of the Stock Journal say that, wishing to place a copy of the journal in the hands of every farmer, planter, stock breeder, etc., in the country, they have put up 100,000 packages, containing specimen copy, large illustrated show bill, a premium list, and one of the following twenty-five cent books: "Horseman's," "Dog Breeder's," "Sheep Breeder's," "Dairyman's" or "Poultry Breeder's" Manual, which they offer to send free and post-paid to all who apply for them.

ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES BY STAGE.

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J. H. Ridge; Mr. C. Grinnel and child; Geo. W. Thomas; A. Toponoc.

Departures for Territories.
J. K. Trombo, R. McComb; Mrs. Lillister; J. Conley and wife; D. McMillan; W. Naylor; J. F. Gilmer; M. J. Waters; Dana Russell.

Selected Poetry.

For the DESERT NEWS.

A WORD TO OUR FRIENDS IN THE EAST.

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'Tis Jehovah bids us warn you,
Of the dangers of your way;
His dear voice and counsel scorn you?
List, believe ye, and obey!

Lo! we call you, kindred, brethren;
Ye, who are of Israel's fold,
Join the sacred gospel gathering—
Let no power your steps withhold:
Gather up, you are invited,
By the chosen and their Head,
Where the faithful are united,
And by Jesus Christ are led.

Where the "Mormon" Pilgrims rested,
With no longer cause to roam;
For a season unmolested,
Exiled from their native home!
Plundered, prey'd upon and driven,
To an untamed wilderness,
With no covering but heaven,
And no friend but God to bless.

Where the prospects now bear witness,
To the wisdom of their ways:
Any portray the heaven-born fitness
Of their homes in these last days;
Up, to where the crystal fountains,
Gleam with gems of life and health;
Gather ye unto the mountains,
Rich with consecrated wealth.

From the paths of strife and blindness,
Which the nation long hath trod;
In the voice of love and kindness,
In the name of Israel's God,
We call you—We beseech you,
May the warning be of use?
May the Holy Spirit teach you?
Ye are left without excuse!

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

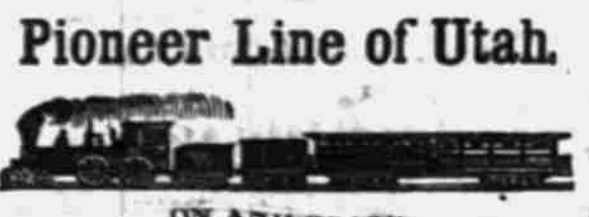
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