

AN EXTENSIVE FAMILY IN VIRGINIA.—We learn from our friend, A. Scatterday, of this city, who has just returned from a visit to our neighboring County of Wetzel, of the existence of a most remarkable family in that neighborhood.

Mr. S., in his peregrinations over the county, observed that in almost every precinct there lived three or four families by the name of Morris, and having some anxiety to learn the extent of the family, made inquiry, and was directed to the mother of the whole tribe for information, having been previously told that she still lived, though upward of 94 years of age.

Mr. S. interrogated the good old lady, politely and gently, and succeeded in ascertaining that she was the mother of 25 children, 21 sons and 4 daughters. She has 121 grandchildren, 118 great-grandchildren, and 1 great great-grandchild, all (with the exception of five dead—two girls and three boys) now living in the one neighborhood. One of her sons has 16 children, one 12, and another 11. One of the girls is the mother of 12 children, and another of 13; all the rest of them produced between five and seven.

One of the sons who is now quite an old man, lives within seven miles of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, but never saw a railroad track until a few days ago.

The father, grandfather, and great-grand-father of this whole kingdom of Morris, died at the age of 77, twenty-one years ago. The 25 sons and daughters all lived to be grown up men and women.

We venture to assert that this universal family stands without a parallel in point of fruitfulness. The old lady was sorry to say that two of the girls were never married, and that three of the boys were similarly unfortunate. They are represented to be quiet, inoffensive people, entirely free from the small vices which usually beset humanity; there are no drunkards in the family, and few of them make use of profane language. Their conduct and course of life is invariably characterized by honesty, uprightness and strict integrity.—[Wheeling Intel.]

PEDESTRIAN FEAT.—At 2½ o'clock on Tuesday morning James Lambert completed his task of walking 1,000 miles in 1,000 consecutive hours at Boylston Hall, Boston. He commenced at 10 a.m. on Tuesday, July 28, having walked one mile in every hour for nearly 42 days. His fatigue two weeks since was so great that even his friends abandoned all hope of his success. Within the last few days that weariness and stupor has greatly increased; and in walking his mile, after being aroused from slumber only by great exertion, he would stagger and exhibit other signs of extreme lassitude. He was in this state upon the completion of the last mile. It is said Lambert will receive about \$2,000 as the result of this affair. The parties betting against him are New-Yorkers, and they have had present in Boston two representatives who alternated in "seeing fair play."

Editors.—"Of all employments there is none that so taxes the mind, temper, and flesh, as that of editing a paper—none that requires a rarer tact, a sound judgment, a more constant application, a quicker wit, or a kinder heart. A choleric temper could never succeed as an editor; nor a narrow-minded man, nor an ignorant one, nor a nasty one, nor an unforgiving one.

An editor must turn himself inside out to the public. He cannot be a hypocrite any more than a husband could be a hypocrite to his wife. He must expose himself in all he does, as much in selecting the thoughts of others as in publishing his own, and the better way for him in the outset is to begin frankly. Whoever succeeds tolerably well as an editor is something more than an ordinary man, let his contemporaries think of him as they will."

LONG COURTSHIPS.—"John, how does it happen that you, who tried so hard to get your wife through a long and hopeless courtship of four years, now that you have won the prize, seem to care so little about her?" "Why, boss, I'll tell you, I've heard of a man who wanted to jump over a stone wall. He took a good start and ran a mile, and when he got up to the wall he was so tired that he had to lie down and go to sleep by the side of it. Now, I loved my wife so hard and so long before I could get her, that I found my love had all run out when I had her fast."

A CLERGYMAN LAID UP FOR LAZINESS.—The Western Recorder, a Baptist journal published at Louisville, Ky., makes the following novel announcement:

"One D. D., converted from the Dutch Church, a man of sound learning and undoubted piety, now stands excluded from the Baptist Church because he is lazy!"

A NEW OIL PAINT.—Said to be effectual in keeping air and moisture from surface work, and for preventing deposits of soot and dirt, is composed of eight parts of linseed oil and one part of sulphur, mixed in an iron vessel at a temperature of 278 degrees. It can be applied with equal facility to wood, stone or brick, and is much cheaper than ordinary paint.

THE BEST PAID.—A well known political economist says: "We pay best—first, those who destroy us, generals; second, those who cheat us, politicians and quacks; third, those who amuse us, singers and musicians; and least of all, those who instruct us, ministers, authors, schoolmasters and editors."

Rev. Joseph Wolfe, in an eccentric letter recently published, says that a society in London has worked nearly fifty years and spent nearly £500,000, and yet has converted "only two Jews and a half."

R. MONCKTON MILNES is a member of the British Parliament and a poet, the author of the following lines on

SMALL THINGS.

"A sense of an earnest will
To help the lowly living,
And a terrible heart-thrill,
If you have no power of giving;
An arm of aid to the weak,
A friendly hand to the friendless;
Kind words, so short to speak,
But whose echo is endless:
The world is wide—these things are small,
They may be nothing—but they may be all."

Thirty-second Quorum.

The members of the 32d Quorum of Seventies are hereby informed that meetings of said Quorum are held at the residence of George Snyder, Emigration street, 7th ward, on the first and third Saturdays of every month, at 6 o'clock p. m. A punctual attendance is requested.

Members not residing in G. S. L. City are requested to send in, forthwith, their genealogies, standing, &c., with their Bishops' certificate attached thereto.

By order of the senior President.

Address, post paid, CHAS. W. MOELLER,
Clerk, G. S. L. City.

FURNITURE.

WANTED—In exchange for Furniture—SCRIP, WOOD, LUMBER, PRODUCE, &c.
29-1 H. W. NAISBITT

KILLING TIME HAS COME!!
ALL PERSONS killing Hogs will please preserve the hair, and bring it to the Brush Factory, East Temple street. Ten cents per pound allowed for it. All kinds of brushes constantly on hand, which will be exchanged for produce, Territorial, County and City scrip, lumber, &c., &c.
39-3 G. CLEMENTS.

CITY TAXES.

I HAVE been ordered by the Mayor of Great Salt Lake City, to enforce immediate payment of all City Taxes and therefore notify the inhabitants that all Taxes not paid by the 20th inst., property will be sold to discharge the same. Bishops are requested to notify their Wards.
40-2 J. C. LITTLE,
Assessor and Collector G. S. L. City.

LOST PARCEL!

Br. A. M. Musser brought a small parcel directed to Thomas Hawkins, G. S. L. City, which was left at the Stand in the Bowery during last October Conference and taken away, probably through mistake. I would feel much obliged if the person having so taken it would leave it for me, at Amy's tin shop.
40-3 THOMAS HAWKINS.

ECHO KANYON.

STRAYED from the Big Pasture in Echo Canyon, a bright bay three year old COLT, with saddle marks on either side of back, with star in forehead and pigeon toed.

Any person giving information to the subscriber leading to the recovery of said Colt shall be amply compensated.
40-2 LEWIS HARRY, Ogden City.

NOTICE.

THERE will be an adjourned session of the County Court, for Great Salt Lake county, held on Monday, 23rd inst., at the Clerk's office in Great Salt Lake City, commencing at 10 a. m., at which time, all persons having business for the consideration of the Court can attend and be heard.

By order of the Court.

J. W. CUMMINGS, Clerk.

Per John G. Lynch, Deputy.

HATS! HATS! HATS!!

JOHN TATTON wishes to inform the inhabitants of Utah Territory that he has commenced the Hat Manufacture in the 14th Ward adjoining the New Court House east, where by strict attention to business and by the extensive knowledge he has acquired in the art, he hopes to give full satisfaction to those who will give him their patronage.

N. B. WANTED—Beaver, Otter, Fox, Wolf, Hare Skins and Lamb's Wool, for which he will pay good prices
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NOTICE.

IT IS NECESSARY that I should close my business as speedily as possible. I therefore ask all persons who are indebted to the late firms of J. M. Horner & Co., Hooper & Williams and W. H. Hooper, to come forward and pay their debts.

I have given much indulgence to the persons who owe me, and I truly hope this notice will be responded to. I will receive in payment the following: First: cattle. Second: grain, hay, hides and pork; but shall expect all persons who have cattle and no money, to pay in cattle.

I hope this call will be attended to without exception.
39-2m WM. H. HOOPER.

The People's Store, East Temple st., Open again.

WM. NIXON takes this method to notify his old friends and patrons that he is AT HOME AGAIN in his old stand, as above, and would be pleased to have them give him a call, (and particularly those who know themselves indebted to him by note or otherwise.)

Grain, Pork, Cows, Cattle, Firewood, or good Hay, will be received in liquidation. The subscriber hopes that all interested who are able, will now come forward and settle without further notice.

A small lot of goods for sale. Also a few two horse wagons and six sets double harness on hand to exchange for cattle or grain; cash will not be refused.
38-4

TO ALL THE SAINTS.

WANTED: Hay, Oats, Peas, Beans, Butter, Eggs, Fox and Wolf Skins and Cash; for LIKENESSES, at the Sign of the



Open on TUESDAYS, THURSDAYS, and SATURDAYS.
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NOTICE.

OWING to the absence of so many of the citizens who were indebted to the late firm of Livingston, Kinkadee & Co., they were unable to make collections of debts due them. To accommodate both parties we advanced Mr. Bell the means for the same, and the debts have been transferred to us. We therefore earnestly request such as know themselves indebted, as above, to call and pay the same. Cattle will be received, 39-2m WM. H. HOOPER.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

JENNINGS & WINDER, are prepared to kill beavers for private families at their public Slaughterhouse. Persons wishing can have them cut up ready for salting and taken home. Charge for killing, \$1, or will take the hide and pay \$1.50.

JENNINGS & WINDER'S

New Meat Market is on the corner North of J. Cain's.—Meats of all kinds and of the first quality always on hand. Also Pork and Bologna Sausage, dried Beef, corned Beef, Lard, Tallow, pickled Tongues, &c., &c.

JENNINGS & WINDER'S

Tannery and Leather business continued at the old place. The best price paid for hides of all kinds.

N. B. The above firm would be glad if those persons indebted to them would call and settle forthwith, and any having claims present them and take your pay. 34-1

THE DESERET NEWS.

WEEKLY:

PRINTED ON WEDNESDAY DELIVERED ON THURSDAY.

TERMS—\$6 PER ANNUM.

OFFICE—P. O. BUILDING.

LIST OF AGENTS:

G. S. L. County.

A. O. Smoot	-	Kanyon Creek Ward.
Reuben Miller	-	Mill Creek do
Archibald Gardner	-	do
Milo Andrus	-	Big Cottonwood Ward.
Andrew Cahoon	-	South Cottonwood "
Joseph Hammond	-	do
Isaac Ferguson	-	do
Silas Richards	-	Union.
J. Gueney Brown	-	Draper.
Samuel Beaulon	-	West Jordan.
Daniel R. Allen	-	Jordan Mills.
McGee Harris	-	Fort Herriman.

Cedar County.

Allen Weeks	-	Cedar Valley.
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Utah County.

D. Evans	-	Lehi City.
Leonard E. Harrington	-	Lake City.
T. J. McCullough	-	Lone City.
W. G. Sterrett	-	Pleasant Grove.
D. Carter	-	Provo.
A. Johnson	-	Springville.
J. L. Butler	-	Spanish Fork.
C. B. Hancock	-	Payson.
James Holman	-	Santa Quin.

Juab County.

T. B. Foote	-	Salt Creek.
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San Pete County.

Geo. Peacock	-	Manti.
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Millard County.

S. P. Hoyt	-	Pilmore.
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Beaver County.

P. T. Farnsworth	-	Beaver Creek.
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Iron County.

T. Lewis	-	Parowan.
I. C. Haight	-	Cedar City.

Washington County.

J. D. Lee	-	Fort Harmony.
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Green River County.

I. Bullock	-	Fort Supply.
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Tooele County.

J. W. Cooley	-	Grantsville.
Hezekiah Mitchell	-	E. T. City.
Lysander Gee	-	Tooele City.

Davis County.

John Stoker	-	Stoker.
Wm. R. Smith	-	Centerville.
James Letthead	-	Farmington.
Samuel Henderson	-	Kaysville.

Weber County.

O. W. West	-	Ogden.
Thomas Dunn	-	North Ogden.

Box Elder County.

Salmon Warner	-	Nor. Willow Creek.
Samuel Smith	-	Brigham's City.

Cache County.

Peter Maughn	-	Cache Valley.
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Malad County.

James Frodsham	-	Fort Malad.
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For California, Oregon and Washington.

D. M. Thomas	-	San Bernardino.
Geo. Q. Cannon	-	San Francisco.

For Canada and the States and Territories East of the Rocky Mountains.

H. S. Eldredge	-	St. Louis.
Morrison Office	-	New York City.

For the British Isles, Europe, Asia, Africa and Australia.

Millennial Star Office	-	Liverpool.
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ADVERTISING.

(Ten Lines, or less, constitute One Square.)

REGULAR ADVERTISEMENTS:

One Quarter Column, (three squares or less) for each insertion	: : : : : \$1.50
Half Column, (seven squares or less) each ins.	3.00
One Column, (fourteen squares or less) "	6.00

SUNDRY ADVERTISEMENTS:

One Square, each insertion	: : : : : \$1.00
Two Squares " " " " " "	1.50
Three " " " " " "	2.00

Thus upward, with a half dollar to the additional square for each insertion.

BOOK, JOB AND CARD PRINTING

Executed to order in this office; and having received some important additions to our stock of

Job and Ornamental Type,

We are prepared to do work at reasonable rates, and in the most approved style.

BOOK-BINDING

In all its branches carried on in connection with this Office. Send in your orders.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

TO ADVERTISERS.—Advertisements to insure insertion in the current number must be handed in on Monday.

ROPE AND TWINE.

W. A. McMASTER, Rope, Twine, Lasso, Girth, Broom and Weavers' Twine Manufacturer, 11th Ward, informs the public that he will break and dress Hemp and Flax, or spin any of the above named to all who wish, on cheap terms, &c. 27-1

J. L. HEYWOOD.

HAT, Cap and Muff Manufacturer, 17th Ward. WANTED in exchange—all kinds of Furs, Sheep and Lamb's wool; also all kinds of produce, Country and Territorial orders.
21-1

SHEEP, CATTLE & HORSES

WILL be taken by us on Bingham Creek south to herd or raise on shares, at the usual rates, length of time immaterial with us. We shall prepare to feed our stock when necessary during the winter.
(7-1) BLAIR & BROTHER.

Brand Sheets! Brand Sheets!
NOTICE is hereby given that the Brand Sheets, now neatly bound, can be had by calling at the President's Office, price \$1 cash or wheat at cash price taken in payment. Persons having cattle estrayed, or those purchasing, will find it to their advantage to have the Brand Sheets by them for reference.
H. B. CLAWSON,
Recorder of Brands.

49-1

W. BALLAN,

WATCH-MAKER, respectfully informs the inhabitants of Great Salt Lake City and vicinity, that he intends carrying on his business in the house formerly occupied by A. L. Hale, North Temple st., 17th ward, and will warrant all work done by him to give satisfaction, as he understands his business in all its branches. Jewelry neatly repaired; charges very moderate.
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ENGRAVING SHOP!

A. T. J. M. BARLOW'S, 1st door east of the Deseret Store, where all kinds of engraving may be done. Names engraved on guns, watches, rings, spoons, knives, &c. Public Hands and others please take notice. Any kind of available pay taken. Terms moderate.
DAVID MACKENZIE,
Engraver.

25-1

NOTICE.

THE Subscriber, having purchased the Woollen Factory at Jordan Mills, formerly owned by Mr. Gaunt, has repaired and fitted it up in good order and has it in successful operation.

Carding, Spinning, Weaving, Fulling and Dyeing done to order at short notice, and on reasonable terms.

With a new set of cards and good workmen, he flatters himself that he can do as good work as can be done in the Territory. Wool worked up on shares, if desired.
20-1 A. GARDNER.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

HAVING BEEN APPOINTED AD-MINISTRATOR of the Estate of Thomas Tennan deceased, by the Judge of the Probate Court for Great Salt Lake county, the undersigned hereby requests all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate, to come forward without delay and cancel the same, and those having demands against said estate will please file them with the Judge of the aforesaid Court, properly authenticated, as soon as circumstances will permit and within the time specified by law.
DANIEL SPENCER,
Administrator.

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ADMINISTRATORS NOTICE!!

THE undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate for Great Salt Lake county Administrators of the Estate of A. W. Babbitt, deceased, hereby notify all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate to come forward without delay for settlement; and all persons having claims against said estate will please file them with the Hon. Elias Smith, Probate Judge, on or before the first day of June, A.D., 1857.

JULIA ANN BABBITT,
W. H. HOOPER,
BENJ. F. JOHNSON,
Administrators.

Great Salt Lake City, Dec. 20, 1856.
42-1

Cows, Sheep and Herding.

I AM now keeping a herd at Santaquin (or Summit creek) and prepared to take cows and sheep on shares, or any kind of stock to herd, both summer and winter, and to make myself responsible for all losses sustained by neglect or mismanagement. I will give one half the butter, cheese and increase from cows; and one half the wool and two thirds the increase from sheep, and will deliver without expense the butter, cheese and wool as it becomes due. Our range for stock, both for summer and winter, is unsurpassed in the valleys of these mountains. Those in or near G. S. L. City having stock to let or to be herded can inquire of or leave their stock with D. T. Le Baron, Mrs. A. W. Babbitt's residence, G. S. L. City; and any one desiring to trade sheep for good work oxen can by him be accommodated.
6-1 B. F. JOHNSON.

FOR SALE CHEAP.

HOUSE and LOT in 7th Ward, a house and lot in 14th Ward—also a lot on East Ten p. st., 14th Ward; all which is desirable property. Inquire of
DR. E. G. WILLIAMS,
41-1 One and a half blocks south of Tabernacle.

LOST,

SOME days since, between my residence in South Cottonwood Ward and the mouth of the canyon, an AX, with a new handle. The finder will confer a favor by informing me of its whereabouts, or returning it.
41-1 S. D. HUFFAKER.

TAKEN UP:

ON Little Cottonwood range, near Dry Creek, a few weeks since, a dark red COW and calf, no brands visible, except the figure 8 on the near hip. Any person owning the same will prove property, pay charges and take her away.
41-1 WILLIAM ARMSTRONG.

THE PUBLIC

ARE hereby forbidden to pass and repass over the land known as Dr. Richards' pasture, and lying between the ten acre lots and Jordan river. Such as transgress this prohibition will be liable to prosecution for trespass.
BRIGHAM YOUNG,
FRANKLIN D. RICHARDS.

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STRAYED:

OUT of Spencer's pasture about the 24th of September last, a blue Steer, some white about him; large horns, and raw-boned.

Any person will be liberally rewarded who will give information that will lead to his recovery.
GEO. W. LINCOLN,
Sessions' Settlement.

41-2