

Pleasant Grove Department

FROST CAUSES DAMAGE TO FRUIT CROP

The cold wave and frost which we have felt keenly the past week, has caused considerable damage to the fruit crop of our vicinity, as well as other places.

Reports from various orchard owners are to the effect that it is not definitely known just how great the damage is. A positive fact, however, is that the apricots and cherries are badly damaged and many of the peaches, but it is thought that there will be a fairly good crop.

The pears and apples were also frosted quite badly, altho the plums are not hurt, whatever.

Edwin Cragum of London, reports from there Thursday as follows: Apricots, 75 per cent killed; 50 per cent of the sweet cherries killed; slight damage to peaches—25 percent of the early ones killed; 10 to 15 per cent of the late ones; apples appear to be uninjured.

BUSINESS TRANSACTED BY CITY COUNCIL

At the regular meeting of the City Council Saturday evening, the following business matters were taken up:

Water certificates were transferred from C. A. Gamett to Albert Besant, Gardiner ditch; Clara Olsen to Alf. John and Bruce Harvey, Mill ditch.

The matter of insurance on council chamber was left with the committee on public property, with power to act. Matter of insurance on City Hall was left with chairman of claims. Road supervisor was instructed to notify people who flood roads to desist or arrest them.

Baby Chicks Being Killed by Rats

It is learned from some of the citizens that the rats are killing many of their baby chicks. On Tuesday of this week Jas. D. Thorne lost 300 baby chicks in one night. As a warning to many who are purchasing chickens, they are advised to see that their coops are made rat proof.

At the last legislation \$600 for poison was appropriated and anyone is entitled to a portion of this, free of charge, by applying to the State Dept. of Agriculture.

Mutual Play Successful

"Professor Pepp" presented by the First ward M. L. A. last Friday evening, certainly was a success. The opera house was filled to its capacity and everyone was well pleased with the entertainment.

Every member of the cast played up to their part splendidly. The play was repeated with equal success in the London Amusement hall Wednesday of this week.

"Wasatch" Chosen As Name

At a meeting last Thursday evening, "Wasatch" was chosen as the name for the Commercial club. The giver of the name was Victor R. Larson.

The membership drive has been delayed one week, due to not having secured the membership cards. It will commence, however, the first of next week, and any one wishing to join may call at Hedquist Drug No. 4 or see any of the officers.

NOTICE

See Carl M. Nielsen for furniture repairing and light carpenter work. One block east of Pleasant Grove Merc. Co.

Ride a Bicycle

SAVE TIME SAVE MONEY SAVE HEALTH Economy begins at home; that's why no home should be without a bicycle. C OWEN DRAPER, NOW

DEATH OF MRS. LYDIA ADALINE FLETCHER

Mrs. Lydia Adaline Fletcher, passed away quietly last Thursday evening, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. H. Homer, Jr.

Mrs. Fletcher has been ill for about two months with Bright's disease, but the immediate cause of her death, which came suddenly, was heart failure.

She was born in Bainbridge, New York, Oct. 14, 1845, where she lived the greater part of her life. Later she moved to Washington, where she made her home with her son, Wm. F. Fletcher. But during the past six years both she and her husband have made their home here in Pleasant Grove, with their daughter, Mrs. Wm. H. Homer, Jr.

During the earlier part of her life, Mrs. Fletcher was engaged in teaching school for twenty one terms.

She is survived by her husband, John Fletcher, one son, Wm. Fletcher, Jr., one daughter, Mrs. W. H. Homer, Jr., and nine grand children, all of Pleasant Grove.

Funeral services were held at the Manila ward meeting house, Saturday at 2 p. m.

The first song was rendered by a quartette. Prayer, Alma Radmall. Vocal duet, Sadie Beck and Nettie Warnick.

The speakers were Wm. Homer, Sr., Joseph Larson, Roy West, and Bishop H. B. Warnick.

Other musical numbers were vocal solo, Mrs. Partridge; vocal solo, Mrs. Ora Chipman; male quartette, and the closing song, "Farwell All Earthly Honors," by the choir.

Benediction by Otto Nielson.

COMMUNICATION AS TO INCOME TAX

Representative Jas. D. Thorne has received a communication from the Logan high school as to a debate, whether an income tax really is the most feasible way to taxation, and to give his view, for or against such a tax.

Mr. Thorne is very much in favor of an income tax, as he thinks it is the most just way of taxation. He, himself, introduced an income tax bill at the last legislature, but in the shuffle at the last days it was impossible to get it out of the shifting committees hands. However, he is in possession of about thirty telegrams, favoring an income tax, which gives a good idea of the sentiment of the people of Utah, and he hopes whoever is nominated and elected to the next state legislature will be pledged to an income tax law, as our taxes are unjustly fixed on a few.

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Mrs. Sarah Atwood spent the forepart of this week in Salt Lake, attending conference and visiting relatives.

Miss Rachel Carey who has been living with Mrs. Ellsworth left this week for Salt Lake, where she will make her home for the present.

Mr. Bruce L. Allyn is visiting his parents in Chicago, Ill. During his absence Mrs. Allyn and children are staying with Mrs. Allyn's father, Mr. H. L. Clark.

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The husbands of the members of the Young Mothers' Club, entertained their wives at a social, held in the Thornton club room, Thursday evening. Dancing, games and refreshments were the main features of the entertainment.

Among those who attended Conference Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Dial, Mr. and Mrs. James D. Thorne, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Swenson, Mr. and Mrs. Ole Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Winfield Clark, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Wadley, Mr. and Mrs. William Hone, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. H. Walker, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Bigler.

MT. TIMPANOGOS CROWNED WITH GLORY

Mt. Timpanogos, the highest peak of the Wasatch range, constantly before us, and towering 11,957 feet above sea level, has an everlasting growing throng of devotees. On summer days blithesome companies make arduous pilgrimage up its verdant and flowering steep to the glacial snows of its summit.

Do we appreciate this most wonderful peak, so very near to us and of which we have advantage?

For the myriad years that measure its existence, the glacier of Timpanogos has been fortified each winter against the vertical rays of the summer sun. Each spring sees it full and white and smooth as the face of a youth. Each autumn its countenance is lean and lined and shrunken like that of an old man, while at its feet Emerald lake attests the life drain that the sun has exacted.

Until February 19, 1916, a year of exceptionally snowfall, it is doubtful if human foot had ever trod the top of Timpanogos in winter. Dr. Dean R. Brimhall, now residing at 1370 Butler avenue and Dr. LeGrande Hardy of the New York City hospital, both then residents of Provo, climbed it on that date, after making several preliminary reconnoitering trips in January of the same year.

It was again climbed Feb. 10, 1917 by Dr. Hardy, then a student of the medical school of the U of U, and Louis Brandley, a student of the B. Y. U. Dr. Brimhall was at that time a student in Columbia university.

The third and latest ascent was made on Feb. 12, 1921 by Dr. Brimhall, Joseph Nelson, Hillton Stewart and Lynn Wakenfield.

While the ascent of the Mountain in summer time, the strenuous, is not dangerous, except for the last stretch over the face of the glacier and along the "Caveway of the Gods" to the highest peak, it is an undertaking of never absent peril in winter.

Bread and cakes at H. L. Clark's.

Wendell E. Thorne spent part of this week visiting in Salt Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Thorne were Salt Lake visitors Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Cutler spent Wednesday in Salt Lake.

See the "I. C. S." window display in the Anderson building, Main street, Pleasant Grove. 2-21-pd.

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Best linoleum, \$2.00 yard at Pleasant Grove Merc. Co.

Mrs. Maude Peterson was a Salt Lake visitor Tuesday.

Mrs. Bessie Wright spent Sunday in Salt Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Niels Fugal attended conference in Salt Lake Sunday.

Miss Josie Smith of Provo was the week end guest of Miss Grace Hillman.

All kinds garden and field seeds at H. L. Clark's.

Miss Winnie Harrington of Salt Lake is spending this week here.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Alma Kirk spent the week end with relatives in Salt Lake.

Mr. Geo. Wells of Bingham canyon spent the week end visiting with friends here.

Mrs. Starley and Mrs. Ben Benson were Provo visitors Monday on business.

Mrs. Harvey Holman of Bingham canyon visited with relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Jensen were Salt Lake visitors the first part of this week.

Miss Utella Hawley of Onias spent a few days here this week visiting with Miss Florence Nelson.

Mrs. A. E. Cobbley, Misses Grace Cobbley and Thora West were Salt Lake visitors Sunday.

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Mrs. N. Lee Kirk and baby of Morland, Utah, visited here Wednesday, with Mrs. Rollo Thornton.

Misses Flossie Wright and Jennie Page spent Saturday evening and Sunday in Salt Lake.

Mr. Ernest Smith returned to Manila Saturday after spending the past week here.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Page and family and Miss Ora Frampton were Salt Lake visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Harris, Mrs. Wood's and daughter Mr. Rollo Harris of Idaho visited here Monday with Mrs. Patience Archer.

Mrs. Peter Christensen of Ibapah, spent this week visiting here. Mr. and Mrs. Arno Christensen who have been visiting there, returned with her.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph S. Walker were Salt Lake visitors last Thursday. Miss Ruth Page of the L. D. S. hospital returned home with them for a few days visit.

Miss Opal West underwent an operation for appendicitis Thursday evening at the Holy Cross hospital. Last reports are that she is getting along nicely.

Mrs. O. E. Grua, Mrs. H. W. Clark and Mrs. Karl Banks, attended the banquet given for the Confederation of Women's clubs at the Newhouse hotel last Friday.

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PLACE FOR Good Clothes

Hats, Shoes, for Men, Young Men and Boys. WORK SHOES \$3.00 and up DRESS SHOES (MEN'S) \$5.00 and up DRESS SHOES (BOYS) \$3.00 and up Royal Stores American Fork Pleasant Grove M. C. ROBINSON, Prop.

Notice to Contractors

Sealed bids for the erection of a High School Building in Pleasant Grove, in Utah county, for the Alpine School District, will be received at the office of the Board of Education, at American Fork, Utah, until 3:00 p. m. Tuesday, April 26th, 1921.

Separate bids will be received for the General Contract and for the Plumbing, Heating and Ventilating combined.

Contractors in Salt Lake and North are to apply to Ware & Treganna, 610 Utah Savings & Trust Building, Salt Lake City, for plans. Contractors in Utah County and South are to apply to M. E. Kartchner, Clerk, Board of Education, American Fork, Utah, for plans.

Bonds to the amount of one half of the contract price will be required on all contracts. All applications for plans must be accompanied by a check for Twenty Dollars (\$20.00) payable to Ware & Treganna, Architects.

A certified check for not less than one percent of the amount of the bid, payable to the Board of Education, Alpine School District, must accompany each bid.

Bids will be received only on blanks furnished by the Architects or Board of Education. All bids to be sealed and addressed to the Board of Education, and marked on outside of envelope "Bids for General Contract" (or Plumbing and Heating) for Pleasant Grove High School.

The right is reserved to reject any or all bids. For further information see "Notice to Contractors" attached to the specifications.

M. E. KARTCHNER, Clerk, Board of Education. April 7th, 1921. 9-2c

Londoners Fond of Tea. Something like 500,000 gallons of tea are consumed by Londoners every day.

New York Statistics. For the various expenses of its own government, New York city spends almost \$500,000,000 a year—more than the Japanese empire. It has 1,000 theaters, 1,500 hotels and 1,000 churches. It turns out one-tenth of all the manufactured goods of the country, one-fourth of all the printed matter, and one-half of all the clothing. The annual output of its 38,000 factories is worth more than \$3,000,000,000.

Appetite Not Quite Gone. Mary had reached the stage of satiety where she steadfastly refused all offers of "a little more turkey," "a bit more dressing or mashed potato," or "another piece of bread." Nothing apparently could tempt her to eat another mouthful. Finally, however, the nuts, raisins and candies were passed. "Yes, I will have some," said Mary, and then, apparently thinking her conduct needed some explanation, she added: "I can still eat little things!"

Discovery Credited to Cattle. It was owing to cattle refusing to drink from an impregnated spring on Epsom common in 1818 that Epsom salt was discovered. Doctors examined the spring, and in consequence of their verdict all the aristocracy of England were hurrying to Epsom a few years later to take the waters.

Most Men Will Remember That. Boys know nearly as many untrue things as grown folk. Does anyone remember their saying that, "if a turtle got hold of a boy's toe it wouldn't let go until the sun goes down?"—Exchange.

Service. When you buy an article from us it is our desire that you get the maximum use from it. That is why we take special pains to give you, not only the best of our experience in instructions as to how to use it, but also the experience of others, who have used similar goods. Ask us how to use it. Tell us how it works.

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