

BOUNTIFUL BRIEFS.

Get your clothing at the Bountiful opera house. tfn

C. R. Jones cleans and presses clothing. Prices reasonable.

Different kinds of hanging lamps at E. Thomas'.

Several cases of smallpox have developed in the South ward.

County Superintendent Whitesides was visiting schools in the West ward on Thursday.

Evan Jones and family left for Mercur on Wednesday. They expect to live there this winter.

Dr. Gleason was in town on Monday. He says that Miss Orla Coltrin's case is not smallpox.

Patriarch Israel Barlow has been quite sick with bronchitis but when last heard from was a little better.

The schools of Dist. No. 2, which were shut down a week or two on account of smallpox, started again Monday.

Thomas Eggett has found some lead ore in a ledge of rock on his place near the mouth of Mill canyon.

You could not buy your wife anything for Christmas that would please her better than one of E. Thomas' carpet sweepers.

From a newspaper clipping sent home by Elder Edmund Barlow, from Wilmington, Delaware, where he is laboring, it appears that the newspapers of that city are treating the elders well.

We announced last week that James D. Buckland was improving but he suddenly took worse and continued until Sunday evening when he passed away.

John Lawson and C. L. Sessions have found what they believe to be copper glance ore in one of their mining claims in the hills east of here.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stahle of Evanston, Wyoming, are spending the week in town visiting relatives. Mr. Stahle is one of Evanston's sheepmen.

Some of the residents near the center of town complain that their chicken coops have been robbed lately. This is the third year in succession and about the same time of the year that they have had this kind of experience.

Telegrams have just been received announcing the death of one of Mrs. Charles W. Stayner's brothers in Butte who died of pneumonia and the death of one of Mr. Cash's sons of Smithfield, Cache Co., Utah.

The O. S. L. Ry. Co. is replacing their old wire fences on both sides of their right of way with substantial new five-wire fences. The fencing gang reached Bountiful this week and are working to the north.

Superintendent C. R. Jones says it was the intention to have held the annual Sunday school review on the 23rd of this month but owing to quarterly conference being held in Kaysville on that date. It may be held December 30th.

The December number of the Improvement Era contains several interesting articles on historical, religious and scientific subjects. Dr. John A. Widtsoe contributes an article on air. John V. bluth writes on "Infant Baptism and the sacrament."

We received Bulletin No. 72 and four maps from the A. C. College this week. Both the bulletin and the maps are devoted to the alkali lands between the Jordan River and Saltair. All who have land that contains alkali will no doubt be interested in this bulletin and can get a copy by sending a postal card to the Ex-

periment Station, Logan, Utah.

Taxpayers whose names appear in the delinquent list in this issue must make payment before Monday, Dec. 17, at noon, or there will be additional costs of sale to pay. The advertising cost is 25c on each tax notice or description. Money may be sent to the county treasurer by postoffice order or check, with safety, care being taken to send 25c extra for each time a name appears in the list. After Dec. 17th the additional cost will be \$2.25 on each description. tfn

Monday a sheep entered William Riley's residence from the back door passed through the kitchen and jumped out through the bedroom window. It broke out a pane of glass but did not damage the sash any. It will cost the owner of the animal a half a dollar for keeping such a four-legged trapeze performer. The sheep was being driven along the road when it left its master to perform this overt act. He has no doubt since converted the animal into mutton as the owner is a butcher.

Some of our readers in the northern settlements have complained because they do not get their Clippers until Sunday or Monday. This is not our fault nor the fault of any of the postmasters. This is brought about by the way the mail is exchanged in the different towns of the county. All the offices except Woods Cross exchange mail with the seven o'clock train in the morning and it exchanges with the ten o'clock. We have asked the chief railway clerk to grant us the privilege of taking our papers to Woods Cross and putting them on the first train in the morning ourselves and then our readers in the north end of the county would get their papers Saturday morning. We have, however, not yet received a reply.

Manager Rampton informs us that Lincoln J. Carter's Fast Mail Co. will appear at the Bountiful opera house, Monday evening, Dec. 10th. Tickets will be on sale Saturday, Dec. 8th. The melo-drama given by the Lincoln J. Carter Co. will no doubt prove to be a very interesting play. A freight train with fourteen cars, a lighted caboose and a full sized locomotive, with engineer and fireman will cross the stage in the most realistic and noisy manner, while later in the play a great Mississippi river steamboat, with bells and whistles and engines in full operation, moves and explodes with terrific force. A magnificent scene of Niagara Falls, by moon light with real mist, as seen from the suspension bridge will be presented. A special car is used to carry the scenery. The company numbers twenty people.