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EDITORIAL NOTES.

New Orleans merchants are not satisfied with the carrier system, which has recently been adopted. The city is widely scattered and the force of carriers insufficient for prompt delivery. Whereas, before the carrier system went into effect, business men sent to the office for the mail, which was deposited in private boxes; they now have to wait in many instances, several hours for important letters. A protest has been sent to the department.

It is said that perhaps no State in the Union furnishes a more varied record of criminal statistics than does Kentucky, yet it is usually difficult to obtain this data when required. The Cloverport News publishes a monthly calendar as follows:

Total October killings, 30
Total September killings, 27
Total killings for two months, 57
The record for November is not yet complete.

The comet of 1912 is said to be visible to the naked eye, but is yet quite indistinct. In the course of a few weeks it will come distinctly into view, and will be seen in the northwest. It will reach its perihelion on the 25th of January, and will be seen at its best soon after the holidays. The brilliant moon will interfere with its clearness until after the second quarter. It is hardly probable that the blazing tail that graced the comet of last year will be seen in the present instance, though great uncertainty attends the movements of these celestial bodies. There seems a disposition to break up in the body of the comet, that may or may not be followed by disintegration or dispersion into meteoric showers.

That wonderful power—electricity—is now being applied in England to the manufacture of cotton. At the Othman Industrial Exhibition, Messrs. Howard & Boulough, of Acricington, show a variety of machines for the preparation of cotton for the spinning frame, which are fitted with the patent electric stop-motion, which positively prevents a careless operator from making bad work. Should the attendant of one of these machines attempt to start it while the material in process is imperfectly arranged or incomplete, the guiding rod is jerked out of its or her hand, and the machine will not move. As it is essential to the production of good yarn that the cotton fiber should be straightened and elongated with systematic regularity, the utility of this machine will at once be seen.

THE CASES AGAINST THE COMMISSIONERS.

FIVE of the cases brought against the Utah Commissioners for illegally depriving certain citizens of the elective franchise, which were submitted in October last to the Third District Court, were to-day decided by Judge John A. Hunter in favor of the Commissioners. This gives an opportunity now to appeal these cases to the Supreme Court of the Territory, whose jurisdiction will be looked for with interest by all classes of citizens in this Territory.

EL MAHDI'S ADHERENTS HEARD FROM.

THE dispatches note another victory for El Mahdi. The militant adherents of that phenomenon characteristically vigorous in their onslaughts, their victories being in the nature of either practical total annihilation of their opponents. A force of 700 men said to be the flower of the Egyptian army has been this time almost entirely wiped out. The proclamation of a holy war is among the probabilities of the near future, and altogether the situation in the East is assuming a serious and formidable dimensions. The "False Prophet," as he is called is having matters pretty much all his own way in the present phase of the Egyptian difficulty.

THE PLACE TO BEGIN.

THE following editorial on the question which is once more made prominent before the country, and which engages the attention of leading journals in religious and political circles, appears in the Galveston News, and is worthy of general consideration:

"Congress can keep Utah in the territorial condition as long as the institutions of the Mormons are objectionable, and perhaps after all experiments it will be found that there is no better way and no more rightful way than to let the Mormons stay in their own place. The marriage law of some States is so flexible that consecutive polygamy and polyandry are quite easy. Congress has no power to prevent this. Marriage is a civil contract so far as State law is concerned, and there seems no reason why, in dealing with a Territory, Congress should not consider it solely as a civil contract, and hence accept the sort of a contract that the people of a territory would generally prefer to make, provided that no individual shall be deprived of any natural right. There is apparently no room for the Federal government to play any heroic part in the matter, unless it is to reverse its general theory and its line of procedure, become still further an alleged Christian missionary institution, and favor to produce in Utah what it has neither the right nor the power to produce in the States—a condition of general observance of the Christian idea of monogamous marriage. In fact, in Utah, if it were successful in producing an external change, it could not reasonably hope to make the change fundamental. It can affect form and ceremony and legality, but can it with laws, police and soldiers, wipe out concubinage among a people where the men are anxious to keep concubines and the women are willing to enter that relation? It might try the experiment if deemed a proper one, and begin with Washington City."

A PRECIOUS TRIO.

PROCEEDINGS instituted in the courts by some of the prominent creditors of the now notorious Rev. G. M. Pierce have brought some queer developments to light. The evidence adduced showed that other individuals had taken a hand in the fraudulent business.

It appears from details elucidated in the District Court that Mr. Pierce did not, in the first assignment, turn over all of his property to the assignee not subject to execution, and numbers of names that should have been upon the list of creditors were omitted. After the assignment was made Mr. M. Kane, on a bill of sale given him by Mr. Pierce, took possession of and carried away a large quantity of books, amounting in value to several hundred dollars, being permitted to do so by T. C. Griffith, the assignee. After the service on the property of an attachment, issued at the instance of a creditor, and while it was in custody of the U. S. marshal, Mr. Griffith surreptitiously removed from the Pierce premises a quantity of valuable property, consisting of gold pens and articles of a similar description. The excuse subsequently offered by him for such an apparently fraudulent proceeding was, that he considered it would be safer in his personal possession than under the official care of the marshal. It was shown in court that Mr. Griffith was irresponsible, not being the owner of any real property, and therefore not a proper person to be selected as an assignee having the custody of a considerable amount of means in behalf of a large number of creditors.

It was broadly asserted by the counsel for Mr. Reed, a pursuing creditor, that Mr. Griffith's appointment was entirely due to his being the attorney for M. M. Kane and the Rev. Pierce, and that this triumvirate had conspired to defraud the creditors of the defaulting juron.

We were informed of these transactions shortly after their perpetration, a considerable time before the facts were brought to light in the courts, and related in these columns.

The trio who have figured so conspicuously in this disreputable financial muddle, and against whom the most unqualified aspersions of fraud have been flung, are representative of the two phases which constitute the chief anti-Mormon elements described by us a day or two ago—the religious and political. Those comprising the first are in their opposition inspired with religious hate, conceived in malice and born of jealousy. Considering the somewhat meagre character of his ability, perhaps no man of his class has been more assiduous or unscrupulous in his defamation of the Saints than Mr. Pierce. The reason for his not having been more efficient in that direction has been on account of his lack of ingenuity, his attacks being particularly clumsy, and almost invariably coupled with appeals for money.

M. M. Kane is a Federal official whose name is a synonym of rabidly against the "Mormon" people. He has been a chief among their load-bearing declaimers and defamers. And even now, when his character is tainted with merited reproach, which is nothing new, the anti-Mormon press solicits and publishes his opinions upon the existing phases of the "Mormon" question, apparently for the purpose of palming them off as weighty as a distance, when his views were he is known would not amount to as much as a puff of smoke.

The assignee, T. C. Griffith, whose suspicious conduct in the Pierce bankruptcy case has given rise to any amount of unfavorable remarks, belongs to the same piece of anti-Mormon cloth. His platform and line of utterances against concubinage whose average is so far above his moral standard that they are beyond any conception of which he is capable, have been of the most false and infamous character.

No wonder that when Mr. Beecher suggested the reclamation of the "Mormons" by the superior example of the reformed, civilized Christian "Gentiles," that he met with a "buffer." He was informed that the morality of the "Mormons" was far ahead of that of the other part of the population. Here for instance is a trio of leading lights among those who are seeking to have the "Mormons" robbed of their rights. And the most conspicuous among them, in place of being repudiated by the balance of the place and power hunting fraternity, is courted and sought, and his views may still be flaunted in the eyes of the people abroad in favor of the disfranchisement of Utah. And this at the very moment of his being enveloped in the moral fog created by a disreputable and scandalous financial transaction.

These be the regenerators of Utah.

AIDING THE ENEMY.

THE communication from "Phoebus" to be found in another part of this paper, touches on a subject of much importance to the Latter-day Saints. Of course those who are engaged in dividing our people and whose commercial existence largely depends upon "Mormon" patronage, will rail at the policy recommended and raise anew the false cry of exclusiveness and sectionalism. But what does it matter to us how much noise is made and how many objections are offered when we are in the right? To give aid and comfort to the enemies of any government is treason against that government. And it is only the enemies of the people of Utah who are discriminated against in the letter of the law. He considers it wrong, and had policy the "Mormon" people, to get the sinners of war into the hands of those persons who are continually fighting against them and seeking to destroy them politically and socially. We do not think any sane man can differ from this view of the question, and that so many do in practice what they condemn in theory, argues a low condition of intellect.

THE MORMON TRIUMPH.

It is sometimes contended that the persistent local enemies of the Latter-day Saints only demand that the laws shall be observed here as elsewhere in the United States. This plea we know to be false and insincere. The present crusade is waged, not against polygamy, but against the rights of citizens irrespective of their marriage relations. It is a scheme to destroy the power of the majority for the anticipated benefit of the minority; to break up the existing form of government and introduce one that is inimical alike to polygamy and monogamy, in the hope that the "Mormons" will go to the wall and the "Gentiles" come up to the top of the heap.

When we look at the amusing falsehoods and abominable slanders which are spread abroad throughout the land, and the iniquitous schemes which are devised to "Mormonize" the "Gentiles," emanating from Utah, and receiving support from men who have made what means they possess out of trade with the people against whom they are plotting, we marvel at the folly displayed by those who thus give aid and comfort to the enemy. It is simply sharpening the weapons aimed against their own existence. It is furnishing ammunition to be fired against themselves. It is worse than suicidal, and looks like the policy of lunatics, rather than of sensible and rational beings.

BY TELEGRAPH.

FOR THE NEWS THESE MEMORANDUMS ARE
AMERICAN.

LATEST BY LIGHTNING.

Senator Jones on Political and other issues.

CHICAGO, 10.—During the course of conversation yesterday with a reporter, Senator Jones expressed the opinion that this country was evidently verging toward hard times. The reporter asked:

"What is your opinion of the political situation?"

"Charles's election of course means the democratic party committed to tariff reform in future. I was glad to see it. It will cause a healthier state of politics, this dividing of the parties on a live issue, than to have gone into another presidential contest with simply offices at stake, or on war issues; sectional issues are dead. No portion of the Anglo-Saxon race in this country, will ever consent to the negro socially or politically where he may be in the numerical ascendancy, and the rest of the country will have to come to understand this and the sooner the better. Do you suppose all the power of the U. S. could ever be made to the people of the Pacific Coast territory, the Chinese, supposing the latter were naturalized and outnumbered the white? It is always in politics a question of force, the greater force is bound to get the supremacy. The ballot simply represents certain forces and if it does not represent the greater force it amounts to nothing. Realizing that they are the greater force morally, intellectually and physically, the whites of the north will never surrender the balance of the negro majority."

"Whom do you favor for the republican nomination next year?"

"No one particular man, but I am half a dozen good men from among whom to choose. I think President Arthur is thoroughly acceptable. The feeling on the Pacific Coast in regard to this question is not as yet mature."

Secretary Folger's view.

WASHINGTON, 10.—In the absence of Secretary Folger, Assistant Secretary New is Acting Secretary of the Treasury. Secretary Folger is suffering from an attack of biliousness and his physician has advised him to remain away from the office for a few days.

Republican Caucus.

WASHINGTON, 10.—The caucus of republican Senators was well attended, Mahone being present. The report of the caucus committee upon membership of the Senate committee was adopted. Following are the changes: Chairman of the majority of committees on foreign relations, Miller, vice Windom; Manufacture, Riddleberger, vice Conger; Post-offices and post roads, Phillips, vice Ferry; Penalties, Mitchell, vice Platt; Mines and minerals, Wilson, vice Miller of Iowa; Improvement of Mississippi River, Van Wyck, vice Mitchell; Transportation routes, Aldrich, vice Harrison; Sundry branches of civil service, Cullum; Nicaragua claims, Hills, vice Davies of Va; Public buildings and grounds, Mahone, vice Coffey; Sherman and Wilson were placed on the committee of foreign relations. Miller of New York, fills the vacancy on finance. Frye holds the place on the commerce committee. The remaining changes are unimportant.

Senator Edmunds was not present, but the following letter from him was read:

To my republican brethren: Senators, Gentlemen:—At the close of last session, when a large number of republican Senators were elected, I had no voice in the selection of the president pro tempore, and when none of those in office were elected, I was chosen for the place, and did me the great honor to place me in that office. Had your range of choice been as great as it now is, your doubt might have been your choice, as he would have been mine. Difficulties then existing are now relieved, and I gladly hasten to return to your hands the unembarrassed disposition of the trust the Senators imposed on me; and I invite you to proceed to elect another president pro tempore of the same Senate. With grateful thanks for the unsought proof of confidence shown me and with a wish to be relieved, I am, Sir, your obedient servant.

(Signed) O. A. EDMUNDS.

The caucus postponed motion on the letter for the reason that Senator Anthony has not been sworn in the present term, but informally determined that when the time for action was reached, Senator Anthony will receive the nomination of the caucus for the presidency of the Senate. The motion was carried to consider the question of electing officers of the Senate in caucus on Thursday.

Revising the Reduction.

LANCASTER, Pa., 10.—The Pennsylvania Iron Company has notified the public of a 10 per cent. reduction, to take effect on the 15th inst. It is probable that the works will shut down, as the workmen refuse to accept the reduction.

Found Dead.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., 10.—Francis J. Patterson, coal dealer was found dead in his barn with his skull fractured. John Martin, Joe F. Bree, white, and Thomas Harkett, colored, were arrested on suspicion.

Fatal Railroad Wreck.

RAVANA, 10.—The fast mail train ran into the Brunswick and Western train at Waveross. The Western Union Telegraph Office was demolished and several employees had a narrow escape. A negro boy was killed.

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ITS CAUSE AND CURE.

BY AN ENGLISH PHYSICIAN.

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