LOCAL AND OTHER MATTERS.

THEATES. The bill for to-night compri-"Rocambole," "A Case for Court," with , jance from Mr. M. Williams between the on Monday night the great Royal Yeddo apanese Troupe will make their first ap- tracts will show-

FIRE AT BRAVER .- A dispatch, received on night, by Deseret Telegraph, gives parmars of a fire which occurred there on hursday evening. Lack of space, howprevents our giving it in full. Three pay macks, a quantity of straw, and the mis, coralls and stable of Robert Wiley wors destroyed. The damage done would sub out to over a thousand dollars.

THEY MISTARE-The Omaha Heruld os not think, agreeme people do, that Mormoniam" will die early. It srys-Those who think that the Church of the star Day Saints will die with its ablest ong oracles and representatives, mistake a deep-seated and far reaching hold with this remarkable fanaticism has upon

By Descret Telegraph.

AND CARLON.

Parties. Oct. 20. - Arrived here at one sand souls. make p.m. Line up within eight miles this place to-night. Will be completed Plachs by Monday or Tuesday. The ample are more than ever anxious for its empletion. Weather very warm and oads terribly out up with dust and ruts. A. M. Musser.

to Important Case In, the Alderman's Court.

ace not authorized by law, being in conravention of the City Ordinance for the guistion of meat markets &c. Mr. Smith, counsel for the defense, after ome preliminary remarks, presented the slowing motion to dismiss the com-

Inritory of Utah, County of Salt Lake, Sure Jeter Chinton, Alderman of the Surporation of Balt Lake City, and Ec-Tustion of the Peace. ball Lake City,

l'as Lannan.

The above named defendant makes speal appearance in this cause, and moves at the complaint in this action be dismised, and, for ground of motion shows: That the ordinance of said corpor non of Salt Lake City, upon which said implaint is founded, was created by the the Common Council of said corporation: that the right to legislate, exercised by said orporation in the premises, is unauthor-Second-That the judicial powers assumed

n this case by Jeter Clinton, as alderman said corporation, are not authorized by Let of Congress, nor by any authority inlegated by Congress through the "Or-ganic Act" of the Territory of Utah. Third-That to hear, try, and determine his case requires the exercise of judicial powers; that neither such power nor auhority has been conferred upon said Jeter

Clinton by Act of Congress, nor by any authority delegated by Congress.

Fourth—That the exercise of judicial anctions by said Jeter Clinton, by virtue on, is without warrant of authority in the orders to legislative powers delegated by Congress to the Governor and Legislature of the Turritory of Utah.

FULL-That the office of Ex-officio Jusice of the Peace is unknown to the law. Nicth-That the said Jeter Clinton has no urisdiction if the pretended offense barged in said complaint against this siendant. That the authority to hear, try, and determine the same has not been conerred upon him. Wherefore, this defendant prays that the

omplaint herein be dismissed, and that he be lischarged. EARLL & SMITH, Defendant's Attorneys.

Judge Z. Snow, Presecuting Attorney, said that the substance of the motion has een presented in Court before and had een, very properly too, he thought, overmied, and be therefore thought it unaccessary to make any remarks on the ubject then,

After some further remarks on the part of the defense, in which an attempt was which the charge was brought was in restriction of trade and in opposition to public policy, and should consequently be sadered, void, Mr. Smith entered the folowing demurrer Territory of Utah,

ounty of Suit Lake, Seture Ister Clinton, Alderman of the Uniporation of Salt Lake City, and Reofficio Justice of the Pence. Walt Lake City

Pat Lannan.

Defendant in the above entitled cause ion of the Court, demuga to the complaint seroin; and, for grounds of demurrer,

First-That the pretended offence chargal n the complaint in this action is unthown to the common law, and to the statites of the Territory. broad-That the facts stated, taken as

rue, do not constitute any offence known o the law. That the ordinance of the coreration of Salt Lake City, defining said fence, and providing punishment there is, makes against the Constitution of the aited States, is against public policy, and restriction to trade, and therefore youd.

EABLL & SMITH, Attorneys for the defendant. Alter further argument on both sides, Alternan Clinton announced that he would reserve his decision in the case until morrow (Saturday) morning, at ten

Giment on the part of the defense in to the infinite surprise of every-in y in court, stated, insignationly represume, that he had not read the manes under which the charge was ought against Mr. Lannan. The public the wnaistency or inconsistency of his identificating to assume that said ordinance

As various threats have recently been hate that an active crusade will be prose-uted not only against the religious but the samicipal rights of the people of this community, we deem it but justice to all to teep facts constantly before the public, hat, whatever results to the public, hat, whatever results to the public, hat, whatever results to the public, hat whatever results to the public hat, whatever results may flow from such quate, the world may know who inhay be no mintake as to who are the ene-him of peace and good order and the sow-At len o'clock this morning Alderman

inton overruled the demurrer, and the i sinck this afternoon. STAPATHY,—The Offishs Boe, speaking the "soft breathings of love and sympaby in the west towards Chicago, says Index the shadows of the Hocky Moun-ains the flowers of soul bloom unchilled unid mowy influences. Thus, at Sait Lake the though amid the agenty of a grave collical criais big with the fate of a people, he cause of human suffering finds warm-corted advocates. The Marmons, it must be conferred, like their Gentile brothran, have thus far, notwithstanding flores local this and polamical agis from the result of

trie and polamical agitation—the result of the result of t colleg-acted very gentuelly. TARR THEN FOR ALL IN ALL "R. introduction of the Washington, D. C., in put there are serious questions into the United in the processing from in Unit there are serious questions in the United States courts in Utab. It is a sense in the United States courts in Utab. It is a sense in the United States courts in Utab. It is a sense in the United States courts in Utab. It is a sense in the United States courts in Utab. It is a sense in the United States courts in Utab. It is a sense in the United States and I was

men and women are not alone concerned in this matter, but probably seventy thousand, including children; that the mothers must be pronounced adulterers, and the innocent children illegitimate? It is a question which Congress alone should have grappled with, guided by the truth that kindness, with firmness, accomplishes its work better than force, and remembering that notwithstanding the falsehoods that have been told about them, the Mormons are, in fact, saide from their foolish practice of polygamy, the best of itsens to be found in all our broad domain.

PERSECUTION STRENGTHENS THE PER-SECUTED. - The Sacramento Union, though unsparingly condemning the peculiar institution of Utah, a stitution that the property of the personal personal personal will fail to extinguish "Mormonian," in the following ex-

Every country and every age has had its troubles from religious fanaticism. The human soul is in nothing so conservative as religion; hence every new faith or ays-tem has had literally to fight its way to success, and none had a severer and more prolonged struggle of it than the precepts of Christianity, and particularly the Protestant branches of that islit. Who over reads history in the spirit of phi phy, will observe that persecution has always strengthened every new sect, and whoever, in the spirit of philosophy, ap-plies the lessons of history to the current affairs of mankind, must conclude that the very best way to help Mormonism is to treat its gross errors with a degree of harshness which the world may torture into per-

escution. We must not overlook the stubborn fact that it is not merely Brigham Young and George Q. Cannon who are on trial for polygamy. It is in fact the whole Mormon community, numbering one hundred thou-

This part of the situation hints to a wise Government the necessity of mingling policy with justice, and of treating the question rather as a political than a judicial

in the event of their having to quit Utah they would probably go to Mexico or British America. Either of those nations would welcome them, both as an acquisi tion in favor of material prosperity for whatever else they are, they are industrit meterday the case of Sait Lake City ous, frugal, ingenious and temperate and as confirmed and always reliable enemies The Charge preferred against the should not have such an enemy for a nextpatiendant was for selling fresh meat in a patience and forbearance for a few years, to door neighbor, so long as it is possible, by retain their friendship. It is to be hoped these trials may not result in giving us a civil war. We think Congress and the Government would be exercising good policy by assuming an attitude of leniency toward this fanatical people. Time can be trusted to cure the evils of their system better than force and harshness.

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