THE EVENING NEWS many other religionists, as a strict-PUBLISHED DAILY, SUSDATS EXCEPTED, FOUR O'CLOCK. DAVID O. CALDER. EDITOR AND PUBLISHER. Saturday, . . May 5, 1877.

SPECIAL CONFERENCE.

A SPECIAL CONFERENCE for this Stake of Zien will be held in the New Tabernacle in this City on Saturday and Sunday, May 12th and 13th. The Latter-day Saints rite or ceremony, may, "by parity from the surrounding districts who of reasoning," he claimed to be becan make it convenient are invited yend the constitutional prohibitory

to be present.

BRIGHAM YOUNG. JOHN W. YOUNG,

First Presidency of the Church

NEWS OF THE DAY

.....Fewer pension agents,Oakey Hall and family. The press on the extra se sion. ... Another correspondent of th

London TimesRussia wants to borrow,

.....Strasburg to leave Russia. Minister Simon and Italy.Fire at Sangnoit, \$75,000.

......Fire in New York, \$25,000. .City of Brussels and Cana dian Catholic pilgrims overduy. day, and seventeen inches in one

day and night.

.Failure in New York.First western cablegram

.... Arrangement for Decoration Day.

Pinney, the defaulting navy clerk, in San Francisco.

...A murderer executed at Cedartown, Ga.

..... Philadelphia wool market. Apology demanded for out- fully, and the Constitution exrage to American consul at Acapulco.

woman found dead at Newark. The extra session, and de

partmental lack of funds. Another expedition after Sit-

ting Bull. ... Fire at Marion, O., \$49,000.

.. A Chinese murderer executed at San Francisco.

... Wellington mining troubles Prisoners captured and miners issue thereof, unless the provision evicted. More Indians surrender.

Ty religious exercise, act, ceremony, or ordinance and therefore as coming under those things which Congress is constitutionally forbidden to prohibit freedom in. For this very anflicient reason, then, it is rightly contended that Congress has no authority to enact laws prohibiting the free exercise of marriage in Utah, whether it be monogamous or polygamous.

But in their blind zeal, shallowminded persons, like the editor of a religious exercise, or a religious purview of Congress. These hasty

persons forget that Congress is expressly permitted by the constitu thy tion to make laws prohibiting and the punishing acts which deprive other gious act or not.

If a man commits murder, and calls it a religious act, he deprives his victim of life without due process of law, which the Constitution expressly forbids. if a man deprives another man

of liberty without due process of law, and calls that a religious act, the former does that which the Constitution expressaly forbids. If a man robs another man of money or property, and calls it a

making any law prohibiting his them to discharge their several freedom in that religious act.

If that man marries another wife, as a religious act, he thereby deprives no person of life, liberty, or

freedom in such religious exercise.

mons, Congress is perfectly competent to pass a law sustaining marriage, whether monogamous or polygamous, and the

PREST. BRIGHAM YOUNG On the occasion of the Dedication of the Temple Site, at Manti, Sanpete County, Wednesday, 12 o'clock m., April 25th, 1877.

PRAYER

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Washington special says the pen-O GoD, our Father who art in heasion agents have been reduced to ven, even the God of our fathers Abraham, Isaac and Jacob, and of eighteen. The Pacific coast will have one. The amount of salaries the | rophets and the holy men who and fees now paid is \$428,000 pe annum. The aggregate reduction days, we present ourselves before the Christian Advocate, straight-way jump to the silly conclusion of Jeaus Christ thy Son, our Sav-that any act which may be called iour, who is the Saviour of the pensioners then paid through the world, for the purpose of dedicat-ing this spot of ground whereon we expect to erect a temple to thy most holy name, in which to re-ceive the ordinances of the holy priesthood, which thou hast res-tored in these the latter-days. Where the ordinances of the holy priesthood, which thou hast res-tored in these the latter-days.

The World says Oakey Hall's family positively assert that Hall neither communicated with his

We approach thee as thy children, hy servants and handmaidens, to family nor any of his friends since his departure in any manner what out thanks unto the, in name of Jesus Christ our ever, and a private letter from Jennings to a friend of the ex-mayor DANIEL H. WELLS, First Presidency of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints.

ity has beheld amiss in us-our sins and follies and misspent time, and accept of our gratitude and our thanksgiving for this blessed privi-lege, for we do esteem it a privilege above any that our fellow men have enjoyed, even all the nations of the earth that have lived and ceive them or to see any of the American newspapers. His family are well to do. Hall took but little money with him, so far as known and will probably attempt to sup port himself in London. Whether the State or city will institute pro ceedings against him upon the statements made by Tweed will depend upon the action taken passed away, generation after gene-ration, without the Gospel and the ordinances of thy holy House, touching the release of the prisoner. which we now enjoy. We ask thee, our Father, in the

The Press on the Postpo the Extra Semion. name of Jesus, to bless and pour

out thy Spirit upon us who have come up before thee, and upon thy The World's Washington special thinks the extra session is put off till October because the President is timid over the possible revolt religious act, the former does that who call upon thy name in sincerwhich the Constitution expressly forbids him to do. But if a man marries a woman, But if a man marries a woman, against his Southern policy amon

the Republicans. The Tribune's Washington spe cial says the session is postponed to give the business of the country a and does it as a religious act, he thereby deprives no one of life, liberty, or property, and the Con-stitution prohibits Congress from making any law prohibiting his chance to revive, and to avoid the heated term. No political consideration had any weight with the Cabinet.

The Times' Washington specia ays business men are unanimous We ask thee, Holy Father, to receive our thanks, and to accept of against a summer session, and this ruled the Cabinet. No political

reasons had any weight. The *Herald's* Washington specia says the malcontents in the Repub us at this time, that what we do and say may come up before the property, either lawfully or unlaw-fully, and the Constitution ex-pressly prohibits Congress from passing any law prohibiting his dedicate the spur of the meuntain lican party, Blaine and Butler, and their followere, are flanked by thi call. Furthermore, the State elec-tions in twelve States will have inof which it is a part, and we dedi-cate the mountain itself and the tervened to allow of an exp Though Congress is thus forbid-den to make any law prohibiting marriage as a religious exercise, whether monogramous or polygaof popular opinicn on the Presi dent's policy. Already remon strances are pouring in against the postponement, and a strong effort will be made to induce the Presigardens and orchards-cause that the same may be blessed, that it may dent to change the date to the one supposed to have been originally bring forth in abundance for the sus hosen for the extra session. The Sun's Washington special tenance and comfort of thy people. We also dedicate unto thee the says at the White House one set of reasons are given for the change issue thereof, unless the provision prohibiting Congress from making any law respecting an establish-Act of Congress could be of little if any positive value, for that which the Constitution expressly allows hardly needs further supporting by an Act of Congress, the constitu-tional prevision, where properly reask thee, in the name of Jesus no votes. Hayes did not dare to spected, being an all-sufficient Christ thy Son, that theu wilt hide face an extra session barren of suc-cess and full of possible defeat, as guarantee of the liberty of the up the treasures of the earth, that cess and full of possible defeat, as eitizen. tion of the country. Wilt thou, O Father, role and overrule in this? But we say not our will, but thy will be done. We do humbly pray while do not after that those wilt preserve thy people from the inducements which these perishable things offer, which are hable to decoy the minds of thy Saints from the principles of the holy Gospel, that they go not after the things of this world, and cause that these things may not come in the things may not come in delay unconstitutional that these things may not come in delay unconstitutional. their path to tempt them or lead them astray; but that thy people may live in these valleys to glorify thy name, and to rear their chil-drea in thy fear and in the knowl-\$25,000 Fire The furniture store of H. J. Farsington was damaged by fire this morning to the amount of \$25,000. edge of thy Gospel. Wilt thou, O Lord, bless each one now before thee, and bless the Failure.

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ifax, N. S.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Francisco fears a water -San famine.

sometimes cause hydrophobia. -The champion slanderers of this city are engaged in circulating east and west reports of an incipi-

ent rebellion in this Territory What will be the next weak invention?

-It is thought England will ----It is thought England will hold aloof from the European war as long as she is able to do it, and fight when she can't help it, which is soon enough for any nation or is soon enough for any nation or

war. More likely the great mistake of Germany then was that it missed

Victoria has ordered that the Albert building of Temples a matter of medal, hitherto only presented for gallantry in saving life at sea, be extended to similarly meritorious actions on land, and the first me-dals under the new rule will be given to the rescuers of the Welsh miners; that Her Majesty's Theatre and also to officiate in the same for miners; that Her Majesty's Theatre opened that evening with Titlens as "Norma" before a brilliant au-dience, the house, after having been closed a lorg time, being [resplend-ent with fresh paint and new upent with fresh paint and new upholstery, at once taking the lead of The gospel is free, its ordinan the London theatres; that the new are free, and we are at liberty to National Opera House on the em-bankment is to be completed; and for our services. that the London theatres never paid better than now.

THE "CHRISTIAN ADVO

THE R. M. Christian Advocate in the followingtional prevision, where properly re-

It is to be hoped the subject is little plainer now to the editor of the Christian Advocate.

SREMARKS PREST. BRIGHAM YOUNG, At the close of the Prayer, Dedicat-

ing the Site of the Temple at Manti, Sanpete County, Wednesday Afternoon, April 25, 1877.

WE now call upon the people, through the several Bishops who preside in this and the neighbor-

is soon enough for any nation or individual to begin to fight. —Germany and France are mutually haunted by each other's spectres. Von Moltke thinks Ger-many did not make terms hard enough for the French in the last pecting wages for his services. The neighboring settlements will send their men, and they can be changed

one of the grandest opportunities for the manifestation of magnanim-ity towards a fallen foe. —In the cable dispatches from London, April 28, to the New York *Heraid* it is stated that Queen Victoria has ordered that the Albert merchandise

THE "CHEISTIAN ADVO-CATE'S" "PABITY OF REASONING."

Wm. Foster has made an assignment; liabilities \$455,000. one now before thee, and bless the ground, this temple site, this hill and the hills and valleys round about, and the waters and the at-mosphere, and the elements per-taining to this valley, that the same may be blessed and sanctified be-fore the Lord? Give unto the ser-The First Genuine Special Cable Telegram,

CHICAGO, 5. - The Inter-Ocean this morning, publishes the first genuine special cable telegram that

fore the Lord? Give unto thy ser- has ever been published in a west-vants and handmaidens wisdom to ern paper. It is dated London, and use the gifts that thou art bestow- occupies over half a column. The

use the gifts that thou art bestow-ing upon them, that they may not dispose of their substance unwisely, but that they may take care of it and waste nothing, storing up that which thou givest them. Inspire the hearts of thy servants so that they may know how to procure the things of this earth, and to make use of the same for the building up of thy kingdom on the earth. Bless, O our Father, and pour out thy spirit upon thy people to this end,

Spirit upon thy people to this end. Preserve thy servants who may work on this building from every accident and every evil, both in handling the rock and the poles for multing no the poles for miles south of Mount Ararat, and handling the rock and the poles for putting up the scaffolding and in removing it, and also in procuring the lime and the sand, that no ac-cident may befall any of them. We ask thee, O Lord God of Is-raci, that theu wilt hold in remem-brance the wicked and ungoldly men who delight in their wicked-ness, who fight against thee and thy truth, and who feel to desuise

men who delight in their wieked-ness, who fight against thee and thy truth, and who feel to despise and deride thy holy Priesthood, and who heed not thee nor thy ways, but who delight in wicked-ness continually, and who will turn not therefrom. Have mercy upon such as will hearken unto thy coursel and repent before thee, and these who will harden themselves in iniquity and continue so to do

in iniquity and continue so to do and will not repent, remove them, out of their places that they may be known no more, and may they not have power to hurt nor injure thy servants, thy cause, or thy peo-Arrangements are making to re-ceive Gen. Grant, towards whom a warm friendly feeling prevails among all classes.

Heavy Snow at Beadwood

We also ask thee, O God, our Father, to bless our families, and thy mints everywhere, and bless the good and the virtuous all over OMAHA, 5 .-- A letter from Dead wood says snew has fallen daily. Seventeen inches of snow fell in one day and night. Prospecting is retarded on account of the cold weather.

A surveying party from Kearney to Deadwood has just arrived; dis-



