

Correspondence.

SALT LAKE CITY, May 13, 1870.

Mr. Editor:—It has been a surprise to me why the "Local" has not interviewed some of the distinguished arrivals something after the style of the interviewers east when a Mormon arrives there, in this sort of catechism.

1. Are you married?
2. How much?
3. Have you any private arrangements?
4. Does your poor wife like it?
5. If so, can she be interrogated, as we wish to see her?
6. Have you any children at large, if so, how many, how provided for, by what name called?
7. Are you free from taint and blemish?
8. What are your views relative to the decrease of families east and its effects at large? &c. &c., to the end that perhaps our bookmakers and lecturers might get up some sensations out here as an offset against the filth and slang of the sensational lectures east and west.

We are free in the discussion of the great marital problem. We court the inquiry of the world and are gratified to-day that God has begun the controversy spoken of by Isaiah, between the nation and us. All nations are looking for the decision of the Supreme Judge, who will at the proper time and place give the verdict in favor of His servant Joseph Smith, and He will vindicate the honor of His revealed will, despite nations, and apostates of every hue and shade.

ITEM.

SYNOPSIS OF A LADIES' CO-OPERATIVE RETRENCHMENT MEETING.

Held in the Fourteenth Ward Assembly Rooms, on the 13th inst.

The meeting was called to order by Mrs. M. J. Horne, when Mrs. Margaret T. Smoot was unanimously chosen President of the meeting, and Mrs. Eliza S. Dunford, Secretary.

The choir sang "On the Mountain Tops appearing." Prayer by E. R. Snow. Singing.

The minutes of the last meeting were read by Mrs. Elizabeth Goddard, and accepted by the meeting.

Pres. Mrs. Smoot made very appropriate opening remarks, and invited the sisters to occupy the time in speaking, which was responded to by Mesdames Chapman, Hailstone, Hampton, Farrer, Hook, Tompson, Horne, Goddard, East, E. Pratt, M. A. Pratt, Higby, Lovesey, M. B. Young, and McAllister.

A variety of subjects was spoken of, including table and dress retrenchment, home manufactures, union and concert in action, economy, diet, the proper cultivation and training of children, instruction in regard to stillness and proper decorum in places of worship, on showing due respect to the ordinance of the Lord's Supper, by removing the gloves when partaking of the sacred symbols, and also that the bread and cup should be taken in the right hand.

A suggestion was made that a general Ladies' Co-operative Store be established by the united efforts of all the Female Relief Societies in the city, the stock to consist entirely of articles of homemanufacture. Some twenty home-made hats and bonnets were exhibited on the heads of those present, with a decided expression that the number should be multiplied.

On motion, the meeting adjourned to Saturday, May 28th, at 2 o'clock.

Singing—"Behold the Mountain of the Lord, etc."

Benediction by Mrs. M. J. Horn.

MISS SUSIE YOUNG,

Reporter.

BISMARCK—HOW HE LOOKS.

He seems to wear wonderfully; he does not look a whit older than he did in 1860, before his political fight had begun. He is the most prodigious worker, next to Pietri, Napoleon's Chief of Police, in Europe. They say that Pietri hasn't averaged more than two hours' sleep per day for many years; and it is a mystery when Bismarck reposes. He used to entertain company at his dinner table until 9 or 10 in the evening when he was organizing for his fight with Austria; and then turned into his "armor cabinet," to reappear only at sunrise for his modest breakfast. Old King William tried to keep the night sessions with him, but could not even stand two consecutively.

Go and sit in the galleries in the Reichstag, the North German Parliament, any day during the session, and about 2 P. M., you will see a sudden flutter and turning in the busy assembly; a slight lull, as if every one stopped to draw his breath. This little tribute of respect always marks the arrival of a tall, elderly, awkward person, clad in military uniform, with the star of authority hung upon his breast, and a plain sword dangling ungracefully beside his long legs. Sometimes he brings in a portfolio himself, but he is generally followed by two somnolent gentlemen in black, who groan under the weight of accumulated papers. His face is a curious mixture of humor and sadness; it is in perpetual unrest; the eyes sparkle and burn, and the lips are now compressed, now wide open with an air of humorous satisfaction. He is bald where Uncle Ned of famous memory was, and down his forehead, noble with the development of genius, run two deep furrows, which, when contracted into the snarl of thought, give him an expression as wicked as Machiavel, as crafty as Mephistopheles. He quietly makes a low bow, then, without glances either to the right or left, sits at the minister's desk, in his humble corner seat, and seems entirely oblivious that there are human beings near him. You may be sure that that man is Bismarck; if from time to time he irons out his face wearily with his hands, as he studies a long document, or if by chance some unlucky member, attracting his disdain, calls his mind to the fact that he is in Parliament, then he starts to his feet like a war horse, and talks with great grace and ease, always rapidly, always briefly.—Boston Journal.

Died.

At Beaver, April 12th, of lung fever, Emma Avalina, daughter of Joseph and Elizabeth Betenson, aged 5 years, 4 months and 18 days. Mill. Star please copy.

BARNUM'S LECTURE.—For shrewd, practical suggestions, concentrated business admonitions, hard sense, admirable advice and sound reasoning, we have heard few efforts from traveling lecturers that would begin to compare with that delivered by Mr. P. T. Barnum on Saturday night. While making no attempt at ornate oratorical display, he kept his audience closely attentive and keenly interested during the entire time of delivery. To young men starting out in life the dollars paid to hear the lecture would be one of the best investments they could make; while the sound and sensible advice given, backed up by earnestness and apt, often amusing, illustrative anecdotes, made it valuable, pleasing and instructive to all who heard it.

REACHED HOME.—A paragraph received this morning, from Chicago, per W. U. Telegraph line, says:

"Governor Shaffer, of Utah, arrived at his home in Freeport, Ill., this evening, having been summoned on account of the serious illness of his wife. He reports everything quiet in the Territory and expects to return in a few days."

ADVERTISING.—It would have paid the business men of this city, who were not present at the Theatre on Saturday night, to have attended and heard Barnum's hints, views and facts on the use of printer's ink. The value of advertising, of striking out of the beaten path in seeking to attract public attention through the columns of the newspapers, and of persistently keeping before the people the value of special articles offered for sale, were pertinently set forth, and illustrated by various telling anecdotes that carried with them convincing force. The manner in which one New York man made a fortune by the sale of cough-candy, and the way in which Barnum himself made his Museum a centre of attraction and gave it a world-wide notoriety, and this by a judicious and liberal employment of printer's ink, were not the least attractive portions of his lecture. It pays to advertise liberally.

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Salt Lake City, March 1, 1870.

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" " Black Foxes,	50
" " Weasels,	5
" " Minks,	5
" " Martins,	5
" " Bald Eagles,	20

If the above are furnished by one party I will add \$85

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J. P. MEIK.

HOMOEOPATHIC FRACTITIONER.

Salt Lake City, April 1870.

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Box	Jennie Osborne
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Parcel	Boyd Redner
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Salt Lake City, Apr. 21, 1870.

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