the last wife having been a witness of the first marriage. Miles was ar-rested, and his trial took place under a new code, then recently anopted in Utah, which was so construed as to exclude Mormons from the jury in this case "

the statement entirely incorrect. vidual, is a sound one, and should to the public. And here is the conclusion by the be universally understood. The states Get same paper, drawn from the Court's Spanish Government took the

down Mormonism, but the progress made is so slow that we do not wonder that good people in the east get discouraged."

The intelligent editor is as much at sea in regard to the effect of the decision as to the facts in the case. But he is not any worse than an-other leading writer, on a Boaton paper, who says:

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the government. The Sun says: Who are these "bri-PROOF OF CITIZENSHIP.

to exclude Mormons from the jury in this case." We need not explain to our read. ers how terribly the facts are here muddled and misstated so as to make the statement entirely incorrect.

Miller Getting Troublesome.

decision: "The other important point decid-ded by the Supreme Court yesterday is, that a second wife cannot be made to testify against her husband in regard to his marriage with his first wife, or vice versa. As wives will very seldom consent, to testify against their husbands, under any circumstances, this decision is not of much consequence. Every opinion like this is a step towards breaking down Mormonism, but the progress "The State, State, Department to the state, State, Department to the state, State, State, Department to the state, State, State, State, State, State, Department to the state, State, State, State, Department to the state, State, State, Department to the state, State, State, State, State, Department to the state, State, State, State, Department to the state, State, State, State, State, State, Department to the state, State, State, State, Department to the state, State, State, Department to the state, State, State, State, Department to the state, State, State, State, Department to the state, State, Department to the state, State, State, Department to the state, S The World's Washington special Bolto F J Berks E / Binokhur Berts C B aakin Bruce A Brant B W Bunnell S G Binzzard M contrary rule. As was stated in our dispatches of April 23d, "The State Department holds that in determining the question of citizenship, naturalization papers, regular in form and duly issued by a compatent tribunal shill be taken. Baken W P peedily considered. A TERRIBLE CATASTROPHE.

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ing certain facts-like a second brood of children, for example - prima facie evidence of unlawful relations, is the first thing needed."

their sage advice as to the proper course to be pursued, being ba ed upon error, is worthless and out of proof thereof. This declaration from place.

The editor just referred to, com- significant. menting upon the exclusion of "Mormon" jurors says:

"This is very important, since it removes one of the chief obstacles to the conviction of Mormons for polygamy, the presence of Mormons on juries and their uniform refusal to convict, no matter how strong the evidence may be."

Again he is very much mistaken. "Mormon" juries have been accused by newspaper men of refusing to went in for the old stag and an ap- The Evening Journal's informa convict, but the records of the propriation. This is the very way ton is that about 50 persons were courts here prove beyond cavil that missed official meets the serious action is that about 50 persons were to get a true statement of the facts Courts here prove beyond cavil that the charge is untrue. The only man that has served out a sentence under a charge of polygamy was con-victed by a "Mormon" jury. "Mormons" have been convicted of various offences and "Gentiles" ac-quitted by "Mormon" juries, as the records show. The repetition of these stale slanders is dishonorable in those who furnish information to the public. We do not complaid be-cause editors and other persons sup-posed to be acquainted with public questions do not inform themselves questions do not inform themselves shirk the responsibility for quadrup-on the subject of "Mormonism." If ling the contract price of the mail on the subject of "Mormonism." If fing the contract price of the final the Eighth Ward of this city, April 127, about it, or to be misled by design-ing knaves, that is their affair. But whose States or Territories these is under the fighth ward of this city, April 127, is under the fighth ward of this city, April 127, is under the fighth ward of this city, April 127, is under the fighth ward of the fighth wa ing knaves, that is their affair. But we have the right to ask that they cease from disseminating falschools about the "Mormons," and stirring up popular and congressional ani-mosity agai st us, all based upon misconceptions as to our true char-acter and principles and upon the false statements of unscrupulous anemies. And we ask them to reflect a lit-says, "All this talk about rings and enemies.

tle upon the injustice of the mea- corruption comes from diagra sures they seek to inaugurate in the sures they seek to inaugurate in the trial of a "Mormon" for polygamy. In the first place all the officers of build on himself and some contrac-The the farst place all the officers of the Courts he care opposes to the ac-cused person and influenced by a strong desire for his conviction, blased against him with the bitterness which influences opponents on blended religious and political prin-ciples. Next, the jury is to be packed against him. No one is to be permitted to zerve on it unless to is opposed to the accused in the same way as the Judge and the court officials. In the very nature of things here, such jurons will be anti-"Mormons," prejudiced against the defendant. Then the evidence is not to be necessarily direct. The axistence of a number of children

the evidence of neither of his law as it is in common sense. When recently washed away, was capsized and all the passengers, to the num and all the passengers, to the num ber of about 50, with but one excepconcedes, scarcely possible to convict for polygamy in U ah under existing laws. A new law of evidence mak, with the law affecting his case, and of \$150 and was promised at a cost papers, complying in all respects with the law affecting his case, and of the Court, he cannot in reason be held responsible for any failure of held responsible for any failure of way to school on the west side. The One instructor of the people tells duty that may occur on the part of accident occurred in mid-stream but cave y them that a man's second wife can-not testify against him, the other says neither of his wives can do so. facie evidence that he has complied They are both wrong, and therefore with the law, and of his citizenship, ways all morning, and it was not

so high an authority is valuable and the middle of the stream, when it Dodge W H capsized suddenly. The passengers, of whom probably 33 were little

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