

bigamy, and United States tro been brodght to Sait Lake City to aid the Marshal in the arrest and safe keepsupposed to have been insided for bigamy, Judge McKean sends for a large number of troops and environs Sait Lake City with them, to aid that officer in making arrests. Had the Marshal been resisted, or his suthority disputed, before this arbitrary course had been adopted, there would have bean some excuse for it. As it is, it looks as if it was done to provoke collision and bring on civil war. We have always been opposed to Mormon-ism, and especially to its infamous dogma of a purality of wives which is, in reality, a relid of barbarism and believe it should not be telerated by a civilized government; but we are op-posed to the exercise of unnecessary arbitrary power in its suppression Polygamy has been tolerated by the in the Territory. The most noted of the bigamists, who promulgsted it and preached it every Sunday, have been suingized and petted by the sivil and suingized and petted by the sivil and military officers of the government, until the advent of Judge McKean, who proposes to abolish it by the bayo-net in a fortnight, or provoke civil war. It is admitted by all that polygamy and the Vormon religion must soon pertah in Utah and the United States. It is admitted that, sloce a large gener-ation of people in Utah have growp out of the finatitution, some considera-tion for that class should be entertained; that the innocent offenring of even a that the innocent offspring of even a that the innodent offspring of even a corrupt and criminal practice, should not be morally damned and cast down to eternal infamy at one fell awoop; but that the thing should be condemn-ed and required to perish in good time. Those in autoority who failed to do their duty at the start, and tadility al lowed the uniawful and munatural practice of contempt to what almost presides of polygamy to exist, almost from a time to which the memory.et man runneth not to the contrary, have, no right now to suppress it, in the Jul fries style, and at the expense of civil war; at least, lot them wait until the Mormons commit the overt act-realst-ance to peacable and legal arrest.

from a letter by Elder Albert Carring. citizens, are completely burned, with mouning.



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