

portrait of the great savant Alexander Von Humboldt. The work is published at one dollar a year,-decidedly cheap, and promises to be very useful.

Thursday

minstrel troupe, one of the very best in the people, generally, have had a satiety of the Parsley. drama, and a few feasts of good music will no doubt be generally acceptable.

PINTO,-"Quilp" writes from Pinto, on the 27th ult., that the weather had been very pleasant all winter, and that the mountains contained little snow. The people of Pinto, Pine Valley and other localities have had a guard of twelve armed people had suffered a good deal from sick-

County, of the 25th ult., we learn that the residents on the Rio Virgin have had fine rain and are now very busy sowing wheat and preparing for an early planting of crops. There were no grasshopper, egra laid last fall, and it is hoped that the early crops will mature before the grasshoppers can reach there from the north. The promise of a goodyruit crop is very excellent. The people enjoy good health and are diligent in the discharge of their duties.

PARADISE, CACHE COUNTY. - Bishop David James, writing from Paradise, on the 4th inst., says:

"I am happy to say that a good spirit prevails in our settlement. The brethren asve enjoyed themselves well this Winter. What with theatricals, a few parties and with our usual interesting meetings, our time has been fully occupied. I am proud to say that no spirit of apostasy has manifested itself in our settlement as yet. We have a population of over 400 persons in this precinct, and during the last three years I am not aware of a single charge being preferred before our magistrate, and during the same time only two cases (and those only trifling ones) have been brought Hunter's. before the Bishop to act upon. The snow is not all gone; but we are preparing to put in a large crop this season, as but few grasshoppers' eggs were laid here last fall."

STATE OF THE WEATHER .-- By Descret ant, thermometer at 50; Kanarra, cloudy ening storm; Scipio, wind is blowing a gile, disagreeable, roads good; Mauti, cloudy, wind blowing cold; Ephraim, cloudy and windy, roads good; Mt. Pleasant, very cloudy, appearance of storm; Fountain Green, very cold and windy; Nephi, cloudy but pleasant, been snowing a little; Mona, cloudy, been snowing some this morning, looks like clearing off; Pay-Provo, snowing fast, very cold; American Fork, cloudy, snowing; Wellsville, snow about five inches deep, but pleasant over-

