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our wives and children to a tevel with your vivilization; to be cursed with your deprofessional artists advertise their dens of nurder among us; to swarm, as you glo, ith pimps and harlots and their parahoredom, and all the pestiferous effects if debauchery; to be involved in debt and rime, forced upon us; to despise our-elves, be despised by our wives, children and nends, and to be despised and carsed of od, in time and in eternity. This you fler us and your religion to boot. It is ue you tell us you will "ban it" our bans are a myth; you would open e flood gates of crime and debauchery, fanticide, drunkenness and gambling, d practically tie them up with a strand a spider's web. You cannot stop these you would you have not the power. e have, and prefer purity, honor, and a par conscience, and our motto to-day is, as ever has been, and I hope ever will is kingdom of God or nothing,

Respectfully, JOINS TYLES

## LOCAL AND OTHER MATTERS,

NABBATH MEETINGS. - Elders 13 Sloan and John Taylor addressed the gengregation in the morning.

In the afternoon, Elder Theodore Curtis, a returned missionary, Hishop Harrington, Woodruff occupied the time.

tained and the prominent seenes being excellently arranged and played.

This evening Mr. Graham takes his benefit, as we have before announced. As an & Vichimself deservedly very popular. tims," the piece first presented this pyenwithout growing tedious, it has some very rulers. laughable scenes, among which that one where Joshua presents the strong-minded who has reclaimed an acre of desert land Miss Grane with a pair, if pants, perhaps in this Territory or intends to remain a the most amusing.

The song by Mr. Harris after the connedy, "Capding Ginks," is a laughable thing, and solicited and as in duty bound your memis new here.

The farce is also new, and will include in the cast Mr. Graham, Mrs. M. A. Ronfley and Mrs. DeBar. The bill throughput is an excellent comedy, and an appropriate nne.

Professor Careless is underlined for a benefit on Wednesday night.

LECTURES.-We understand that the loth authorizing the President to send enough of Ward in this city commenced its fecture the army to Utah to enforce the laws against

who held a mass meeting on the 3rd inst., on the subject. Hon. H. C. Haight was NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. elected chairman of the meeting, Jacob Miller, Secretary, Speeches were made by 1870. the Chairman, also by Col. Stayner, Job Z.C.M.I. COLUMN. Welling and Thomas S.Smith, Esq., setting forth the objections, to the measure preposed by the bill. These objections were bauchery; to be forced to countenance subsequently embodied in a memorial to infanticide in our midst, and have your Congress, which in less than half an hour was signed by 227 of the citizens. The following is a copy of the

## MEMORIAL.

To the honorable the Senate and House of Representatives in Congress assembled: Whereas a memorial has been presented - Whereas a memorial has been presented to the United States Senate, purporting to be from the inhabitants of Utah, asking for that portion of Utah Territory lying north of latitude 41, to be attached to Idaho. Your memorialists would there-fore respectfully remonstrate against said northing and against any action of Congress petition, and against any action of Congress tending to the division of the Territory in the manner indicated therein.

We removed to and settled this Territory and reclaimed its deserts expressly for the purpose of living under its laws and institutions, which extend freedom of faith and every constitutional right, with low taxes and a wise and judicious expenditure of the same, both in county and Territorial administrations. And we do most heartily protest against being transferred like serfs of semi-barbarous lands from a Territorial government of our choice to that of our golden browed neighbors.

The laws of Idaho are particularly adapted to a mining community, while those of I tah are strictly in accordance with our agricultural habits.

The inhabitants of Davis, Morgan, Weber, Box Elder, Cache and Rich counties are substantially farmers and are heart from American Fork, and Elder Wilford and soul in concert and action with the residue of the people of Utah, to which they belong, and to transfer them without THEATERCAL,-On Saturday night 5 The their consent to another jurisdiction by buke's Motio' was repeated successfully, the various characters being again well sus-a tree and constitutional government.

The last annual message of the acting governor declares Utah to be free from debt, which statement in fact is only a repetition of the statements of his predecessors for years, and we have every reaeccentric comedian Mr. Graham has made son to believe that this change would increase our taxes more than double, and burthen us with a debt that we had no hand time, the piece first presented this even-ing, has been played here before, but it is a good while since; and it is one of those comedies that could be repeated frequently we like very well as neighbors but not as We sincerely doubt whether any man

> permanent resident desires this change. Your favorable action on this is earnestly orialists will ever pray.

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MAN PROPOSES EUT GOD DISPOSES .--- We find the following item going the rounds of our exchanges, no doubt published for the consolution of the Saints.

"The Committee on Territories of the House of Rapresentatives will report a bill ward in this city estimateneed its pecture polygamy, and, if sufficient force could not season about two or three weeks since, and be spared from other duty, then that he the 2d Ward last Menday evening, and in- shall except into the service a sufficient purpose; and the property of convicted Mormous, or those who have fled from the Territory, can be leased or sold for the temporary relief of such of their families as are eft destitute by breaking up the Mormon system.



tend to give week's lectures through the number of volunteers to accomplish that winter. At the loth Ward School-house, tomorrow Tuesday evening, Elder Dames McKnight is to deaver a lecture upon "The Pacific Railroad, and its effects." We would be gratified at hearing of every

Ward following the example of the 2d and 10th Wards in this respect, and thus open up a source of intelligence and benefit for the citizens. There are number of brethren in this city, who, upon a little solicitation, would get themseives ready to occupy a the realization thereof. short time now and again upon some topic that would edily their fellows, and thus help on the cause of knowledge and trath. We are ever ready and willing to give publicity to the same, if there respective cominittees will only notify us of when, where and what these free lectures are to be.

WE ARE GLAD TO HEAR IS .- The wires brought us the following dispatch this morning:

Now York, 7.

The Mormon mission is being pushed forward with all the energy possessed by its leaders, in the vicinity of Freehold, Patchogoue, Center City and Henmstead. On Long Island, during the earlier part of the week, favorable accounts of Gen. Burtou's work were given, out-door meetings for preaching were held three times a day. More preachers have been sent to the mission from Utah, and are looked for to-day. Elders and priests are traveling and preaching in every village and town situated within a circuit of seventy inlies of Freeport. At Williamsburg, yesterday, Elder Jackson, from Utah, preached to a large congregation.

Norice .- All members of the 2ad Quorum of Seventies are requested to report their names and places of residence to R. R. Anderson, President Young & office, before the 1st of March, 1870.

MICHIGAN .- We have received a communication from Elders W. H. Lee and (i. D. Grant, from which we learn that they have been preaching in the States of New York and Michigan, and expect to gather a few saints from those parts in the spring. At the date of writing-January 25th-they were both well and were then at Kalamazoo, Michigan.

FIRE-Last evening, between seven and eight o'clock, the residents of the 2nd Ward were startled by the unusual slarm of "hre." Immediately there was a rush in the direction whence the dry profeeded-an adobie house, the residence of an old couple named Rickard. It was found that the bed and other articles | in the house were in flames. Brother Rickard and his wife were nowhere to be found; but measures were immediately taken to extinguish the flames, and, with great difficulty, a portion of the roof and the bare' walls of the building were saved; but every article of furniture in the dwelling was consumed. This is a very unfortunate event for the poor old people, and the Female Relief Society of the Ward, to which we are informed Mrs. Rickard belongs, will have a tine opportunity for the exercise of their humane exertions.

"THE TEANS-ATLANTIC."-This is the title of a new weekly magazine, published Te conclude with for the first time in this city. Morton's Celeorated Farce, in 1 Act, entitled at Philadelphia, at four dollars per annum. It consists, wholiy, of choice selections from HUKATIO THUMAS SPARKINS foreign literature. Each number contains Horatio Thomas Sparkins, Mr. J. C. GRAHAM thirty-two pages, stitched in a neat wrap-

That's how it is to be done; We feel thankful we have been told before hand, for we at any rate have become acquainted with the intention, if we never have to endure

When very young we used to be amused with the story of a certain Simple Simon who among other exploits endeavoured to catch birds by putting a little salt on their tails; we fancy the framers of the bills to entrap the people of Utah, will be just as successful in catching "Mormons" by their legislation, as Simon was in catching birds with his salt. As the old saying runs "those who live the longest will see the most," but we have no hesitation in stating our opinion that those who expect to lease or purchase the homes of "convicted" or absent "Mormons," will show greater simplicity than ever Simon manifested, and if they live to the age of Methusaleh they will be disappointed in the realization of such

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