SALT LAKE THEATRE. there were still left in the Territory that they oppose our marriage sys-33,176 persons who could take the tem because it threatens the moral-country. EVENING NEWS. 33,176 persons who could take the oath arranged by the Commission. Of this number about 20 per cent. were anti-"Mormons;" and 80 per cent, were "Mormons," Did the people of the United States expect that the great majority of the peo-ple of Utah would stay away from the polls and allow a few political tricksters to grab all the local offices? If they did, they have learn-ed that we were not such idios as they supposed. It is stated in your The Chief Justic Extraordinary Attraction ! Important Conference Announcement! Lord Coleridge and members of the New York Bar, are now in the city and have accepted an invitation to hear Duff's standard opers, "Heart and Hand," this evening. AT FOUR O'OLOCE. THE-RINTED AND PUBLISHED BY THE UNION SQUARE DESERET NEWS COMPANY THEATRE CO. CHARLES W. PENROSE, EDITOR. ed that we were not such idiots as they supposed. It is stated in your leaders of August 30, that "the wily leaders of the church have elected every officer in the territory." This is not true. The afficers ware elect-ed by the majority votes of the peo-pie. It will be disimed that the people were compelled to vote at the dictum of the church leaders; but this is incorrect. Every man is at liberty in Utah to vote for the man of his choice, independent of the dictum of any one; to prove this we have only to refer to the fact that the law provides for a secret ballot, and no one dictates the voting. The Edmunds bill has falied to COMMENCING ON TURSDAY LATEST TRANS - ATLANTIC DIS. SEPT. 25, 26, 27, 28 PATOMES. fept, 24, 1883. Monday. Fatal Explosion at Weelwich - War TURSDAY BYRNING, Rockets Projected Five Miles. LONDON, 24.—The rocket factory at the arsenal at Woolwich, near London, exploded to-day. Many buildings were destroyed and the SEMI-ANNUAL CONFERENCE TO THE PRESIDING OFFICERS, ELDERS AND SAINTS. loss of life was serious. WEDNESDAY & THUESDAY EV'GS, The Explosion at Woolwich wa caused by a fire in the main build-ing which included the labratory buildings, this was destroyed witi-in half an hour after the fire broke out. It contained an immense A PARISIAN ROMANCI The Semi-Annual Conference FRIDAY EVENING, FRENCH FLATS. ter-day Saints will be opened at 10 o'clock a. m, on Friday, the 5th day Usual Prices of Admission. number of wer rockets which were filled with destructive missiles. The and Reserved Seats 25 cents extra. voting. The Edmunds bill has failed to accomplish that for which it was designed; although the people of Utah, unjust and unconstitutional as they esteem it to be, have been extremely cautious not to obstruct its enforcement. So unpopular has it become among its chief promoters that the thought of it has nearly the same effect mean them as an emof Ostober, 1883, in the Large Tab. Free List to be Suspended. latter fiew in all directions, many being projected to and falling upon, and on the other side of, the river ernacle in Salt Lake City. en vain. It is there; and is known and let read by all men; it is corrupting and as corroding the life's blood of the na-te tion. Did you ever hear the pulpit or press clamor to Congress for special legislation to suppress these evils—to cut these "sores out of the body politic," even if they were obliged to step over the limits set to their jurisdie-diction? Did you ever hear an edi-Box Office Open Monday, Sept. 24th at Th JOHN TAYLOR, GEORGE Q. CANNON, FLOWERS PRESERVED JOSEPH F. SMITH. WITH THE EMBALMING PROCESS by LOUIS DAVIS. Rooms-Fifth South, between Fifth and Sixth East Streets, SALT LAKE CITY. Der Orders can be left with John Reading. 253 1m First Presidency of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day same effect upon them as an em-U. S. OFFICIALS. The following statement is from W. J. HOOPER, REPLY TO THE CHATTANOOGA time of the explosion have been found. Bome of the war rookets your issue of August 30th: "The government officers who go to Utah "TIMES." for say the supporters of these svils must "eventually be shot and bayo-netted to death?" **BOOT AND SHOE MAKER** THE Times published at Chattanoo-ga, Tennessee, has recently con-tained some editorials on "Mor-monism" very bitter and aggressive in their character. Elder B H were projected a distance of five miles; one went through the wall of the arsenal and another struck the 48 SECOND SOUTH STREET, You say this is not signestion of reli-gions liber'y. Whether marriage with you's a religious question or not, we cannot say; but it is part of our re-BALT LAKE CITY, UTAH. artillery barracks. Mork. Repairing neatly done. d 308 3m The Dark Continent in their character. Elder B. H. Roberts, who is associated with Elder John Morgan, as his assistant in the Prosidency of the Bouthern States Mission, wrote a reply to those articles, but the Times editor ungraciously refused to publish it, showing that he was unwilling for both sides to be heard. The letter cannot say; but it is part of our re-ligion, whatever other people may think about it. It is said, however, that if you grant our claim to this being a "religious institution," that orime of any nature could be prac-ticed, and the offender set up a plea that he was merely practicing his religion, and that he should not be punished. In this connection we are generally referred to the "Sut-tee of India" and the action of fa-natics murdering their oblidren in the name of religion, etc. You point us to "plurality of husbands is wrong does it follow of necessity that plu-rality of wives is a orime? The for-mer is destructive to the principal A letter from Henry M. Stanley, African explorer, was read to-day before the British association for the advancement of science, in which he urges that Great Britain should NOTIOE. proclaim a protectorate over the Congo country. THERE WILL BE A MEETING OF Stockholders of the Iron Manufacturing Company of Utah held in President John Taylor's office, Cotober 4th, 1883, at half past twelve (noon), for the purpose of electing one President, one Vice-President and five Directors, and to transmot other business pertaining to the Company. dift JOHN C. CUTLER, Secy. Pacific Patriots. DUBLIN, 24. - Meetings of the Irish National League which were permitted to be held at Bandon near showing that he was unwilling for hoth sides to be heard. The letter has been forwarded to us, also the editorials which prompted the com-munication. Elder Roberts is a young man who was raised in this Territory, among the "Mormons," and we give place to his letter to the exclu-sion of other matter, chiefly on this account. We like to encourage the Cork, and at Talow, County of Waterford, yesterday passed off in an orderly manner. A government reporter was present at each gather-PROFITS is our Motto. FOR SALE CHEAP. rality of wives is a trime? The for-mer is destructive to the principal object of the union of the sexes-the production of offspring; the lat-ter promotes it. The enemies of the early Christians say: "In their se-early Christians say: "In their se-early christians their custom the sector of A FEW CHOICE BUILDING LOTS, commanding a beautiful view of the oity, City Creek water, situated 25 rods north of the 18th Ward Chapel, Walnut St. Apply to DAVID P. ANDERSON, d tf lst house west of Chapel. TO BUILDERS AND OTHERS! account. We like to encourage the continue in office, and keep up any young men of our people, and we appearance of decency. It is true that some U. S. officials young men of our people, and we are pleased to see how well Brother Reberts understands and is able to defend the position taken by the Church of which he is a member, on many of the important questions which have for some time been agitated in this country. The articles in the Chattanooga I will sell a nice Bailding Loton NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION to murder a male infant in order that Mrs. Carey. my property in the Eleventh Ward, for a reasonable figure. It is situathey might use its flesh and blood London, 24 .- The steamer Garth NOTICE IS HERBBY GIVEN .THAT the firm herstofore existing under the same of Evans & Lewis, Merchants, "West End" Store, corner First South and Fifth West, is ihis day dissolved by mutual con-sent. All unsettled accounts of said firm will be adjusted by H. F. Evans, who, will continue in business at the old stand. H. F. EVANS, T. P. LEWIS. Sait Lake City, Sept. 21st, 1393. in commemorating the sacrament of Uastle, from Cape Town, with Mrs-Carey and other witnesses of the murder of James Carey, has arrived in commemorating the sacrament of their Lord's Support." Suppose such had been the practice—or even should be now the practice—or even fanstical sect, would that justify us in abolishing the sacrament by law or force, as it is administered by orted about half a block South of the New Catholic Hospital, and the same distance from the First South At Pascoe & Burns' Kilns, 20 Cents per Bushel. Delivered in Salt Lake, Street Car Line. Property in that locality is likely to increase in value, as it has in the Eighteenth and Twentieth Wards, and is therefore thodox Christian? Certainly not. The former is asrociated with mur-The Expelled Bishops Sait Lake City, Sept. 21st, 188 a good investment.

Times are too lengthy for reproduc- Although the Times may think

Rome, 24 .- The Vatican has authorized the Catholic bishop; who were expelled from Prussia to open

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der, and is wicked; the latter is a beautiful ceremony used to call to mind the atonement made for us by our Elder Brother. While the "suttee,"child-murder and plurality of husbands may be wrong, it does not follow that plurality of wives as practised by our people is immoral. The Scriptures abound with in-stances of G:d's approval of that form of marriage. Nowhere, either in the Old or New Testament, is there a word of condemnation of it by God's servants. Those who NO GOOD CAN COME FROM UTAH still the writer knows better. You Following is the communication which the Chattanooga Times refus-ed to publish: CHATTANOGA, Tenn., Sept. Sth, 1883. Editor Chattanooga Times: Chattanooga Times: ons cranks, and that large numby God's servants. Those who practised it are held up by modern divines as patterns of faith and vir-tue. The whole Ohristian world are bulk of their new recruits." If you panting with eagerness to ao to rest in a polygamist's (Abraham's) bosom. They expect to go to the New Jerusalem, over the gates of which are written the names of Ja-Our marriages, either single or plural, are part of our religious faith; but Congress, under the lash of popular clamor, said it was not re-ligious, and passed a law to punish it as a crime. The Supreme Court, under the same influence that Con gress passed the bill, declared it constitutional. "The judges have the last guess in the matter," and we are compelled to best the pun-ishment they are pleased to inflict, if we still practice that which we mitted silently to measures that ap-pear to us destructive of our libertles; but all our actions have been lawful. We have contested in the courts every act passed against ue, that we be-lieve to be wrong. Is that "defying federal authority?" If it be, then you may expect to see it continued, for we shall legally, quietly but ganized under the supervision of the Almighty; and the Constitution

time as the reply, and as Brother point therein, quoting verbatim may prefer to put your trust in the reports of another territorial officer, there is really no who says: "The best of the necessity for copying them in full. (Mormon) men are treacher-

ed judicial functions which are not

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government for a return to their Sentenced to Death

Durban, 24,-The rebellious chiefs Mampoor and Mapych, who were defeated by the Boer General Joubert, and captured early in August, have been tried at Pretoria, found guilty of treason and sentenced to feath.

The Tonquin Turmoil.

London, 24. — A dispatch from Paris to the Zimes says: The reply of the Government of China to the memorandum of preposals by the French Government for the settle-Fronch Government for the settle-ment of the Tonquin difficulty, which was telegraphed to Pekin by Marquis Tsang, has just been re-ceived. It is said the response favors the theory of a division of the neutral zone of Tonquin. The Times' dispatch states that it is not likely

both nations.

DUBLIN, 24. - Notwithstanding the procla nation of government in the counties of Clare and Limer-

London, 24 .- Shaw, British missionary, who was subjected to in-dignities by the French in Madagascar, landed to-day, at Plymouth, from the steamer Garth Castle. He states that during the illnes of the late Pakenham, English con-

At 4 o'clock this afternoon, Mr. Derr observed smoke issuing from a basement window of the Theatre. He at once raised an alarm, and the employees rushed into the lower part of the building, and discovered an incendiary. The firemen with hoze were on the spot almost in-



