

prominent "Mormon" is the object of sectarian or political malevolence. Brother Taylor has not incited any insurrection or rebellion against the United States or its laws or authority. A so-called law of the Territory of Idahe was passed at the last session of dash. the Legislature, providing for a test oath designed to exclude all "Mormons" from the franchise. That it is unconstitutional and void no lawyer alty. Falsehood is patriotism, that we have heard of privately entertains a doubt. A test case before Judge Hays on this question has been argned but not yet decided. Whether he sus-with the Mormons!" is the battle cry tains the law or not that will make no and he who shouts it till he is hoarse is' difference to the position of Elder a stalwart and a hero. The loya Taylor. He is charged with urging the Hibernian from Belfast is of the same monogamous "Mormons" to vote at genus as the loyal "Mormon"-eaters the coming election. He had a right to of Salt Lake. When sputtering venom, do so, whether the law is valid or invalid. The acceptance of their votes ceiving the public, abusing their neighis a matter to be decided by the judges of election and the courts against the "Mormons," they are not when brought to a itest. We hope the Idaho "Mormons" will because they are simply "showing their endeavor to vote to a man, if they are not polygamists. In urging them to this course no law of the United States is violated, neither is anybody incited to rebel against the laws of the United THE negotiations now in progress bethe elective franchise by all the "Mor- regard to the Cutting affair are govmons" of Idaho, no law of any kind is erned by the following, which is Arti-

foilows:

territorial. What then is the object of this vex- in 1848. It is not very encouraging to stious prosecution? It is a politi- those firebrands in Texas and elsecal dodge for the purpose of intimidating the "'Mormon" voters and all who take part in the politics

to prevail if the monogamous "Mor-Fear of the "Mormon" vote has been expressed in all the Republican organs this city has published repeated warnings and Jeremiads on the probable custing of the "Mormon" vote this understood in the light of these facts.

Idaho will not be intimidated by such subterfuges, in the smallest degree. They should struggle for their rights by all legitimate means. The rascals who have stolen a march upom them are quaking in their boots. The "Mormon" vote means a Democratic victory and a total Republican defeat in Idaho-If the party that has been sustained by that vote does not now stand by the citizens against whom the diabolical plot has been made, to deprive them of their undoubted rights, it deserves to be wrecked, as it will be in the coming election. To deprive a voter of the franchise because of his membership in any religious body, is rank heresy in

combatants without arms; of free as any other that has been seen by lunching on viands purchased with money begged and badgered out - of decent and industrious individuals; of buncombe, billingsgate and balder-

PAR WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH LINE. To assail the "Mormous" is loyalty; to defend them disloy-AMERICAN. w LATEST BY LIGHTNING. calumny devotion to country, and bragging is bravery. The bigger The Ohio Democratic Convention. Tolodo, 18.-The Democratic State Convention assembled at 10:30 this Convention assembled at 10:30 this norning. Hon. E. B. Finley, of Buyrus, was made permanent chairman.

uttering libels, dealing out slander, debors and acting the ruffian generally ower in the Senate. He anathematized the republican majority of the to be charged with anything improper, Supreme Court for having prostituted

loyalty."

NO RESORT TO REPRISALS.

States. In advocating the exercise of tween this Government and Mexico in violated, whether it be national or cle 21 of the treaty between Mexico and the United States, that was ratified

> where, who declare themselves uncompromisingly "for war:"

who take part in the politics "If, unhappily, any disagreement of Southern Maho. Ex-Marshal Du-bois has been laboring with unabated governments of the two republics, energy, and spending the money gained whether with respect to the interpre-tation of any stipulation in this treaty in fees by his diabolical crusade against or with respect to any other particular the "Mormons," for the purpose of securing the position of Delegate to Congress from Idaho. He has staked his all on the hazard of this die. He is likely to get the Republican nomina-tion. But the Democratic vote is sure to prevail if the monogamous "Morship in which the two countries are mons" are allowed to go to the polls. now placing themselves, using for this end, mutual representations and pacific negotiations, and, if, by these means, they should not be enabled to come to of the Territory. And the Tribune of an agreement a resort shall not be had on this account to reprisals, hostility or aggression of any kind by the one republic against the other until the government of that which deems itfall. If the "Mormons" vote, Dubois is a dead duck to all intents and pur-poses. To prevent this he and his associates are now bending all their en-ergies. The animus against Apostle Taylor for urging the "Mormons" to stand up for their rights, can be easily less deemed by it altogether incom-But we hope that our friends in patible with the nature of the difference or the circumstances of the case.'

> PLAYED OUT. MR. BASKIN, the "Liberal" ambassa-

dor to the seat of government, puts the best face he can upon his record of unaccomplished intrigues. He cannot point to anything but barren results. Yet he wants to try 'it again. That is not surprising. He managed to have a pretty good time on the money that foolish people donated, for his "mission," and would like to "try it over." In an int-rview with an Omana Her-

ald reporter he prophesied the sure passage of the Tucker bill next winter.

The Irish National League in

Is now kept at the old Pitts' property, on important order looking to the exchange of eastern and western soldiers, with a view to more effecetween Fourth and Fifth South, west side. tive work. Repairing to the of By This animal is the finest pedigreed Jersey Bull in this locality. d fice of the secretary, Mr. Lovejoy explained the scheme, as he had done

explained the scheme, as he had done before to the president, but was met by a flat refusal. "But we have the president's order, sir," said Lovejoy. "Did Lincola give you an order of that kind?" said Stanton. "He did, sir." "Then he's a d-d fool," said the irate secretary. "Do you mean to say the president is a d-d fool?" asked Lovejoy, in amazement. "Yees, sir, if he gave you such an order as that." The bewildered congressman from Il-linois betook himself at once to the president and related the result of his conference. "Did Stanton say I was a d-d fool?" asked Lincoln, at the close of the recital. "He did, sir, and repeated it." Thoughtfully nursing his leg, the president said: "Well, Stanton generally means what he says, and is nearly always right. If he said BY TELEGRAPH. the convention on the return of democratic supremacy to the country and rehearsing the work done by the present administration. He then made a strong arraignment of the republican legislature, especially the seizure of and is nearly always right. If he said I was a d-d fool, I suppose I am."-

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their high power to partisan powers. AN ALLIGATOR FEASTS ON A TRAMP. Last week a man, presumably a tramp, knocked at L. P. Thursby's door about He made a lengthy review of state matters and was applauded heartily. At nine o'clock at night, after the family had retired. Mr. Thursby struck a match and responded to the call. The man stated that he had walked lifteen the conclusion of Chairman Finley' speech, the committee on rules was reported and adopted. John Mc-Sweeney, of Woester, then reported the platform. The platform was niles that afternoon to take the night greeted with intense enthusiasm and boat bound north and get left and wanted to stay over night. Thursby adopted unanimously with loud cheers, handed him a key and pointed to his barn, stating that that was the best he could do for him. Not until after Mr. Thursby had retired some time did he think of the ten-foot alligator his boys TOLEDO, 18.-The platform adopted by the Democratic State convention to day, congratulates the country that the party of the people has been re-stored to power, and that the promises of its leaders and hopes of its followhad in the barn for the entertainment ers are being realized. It expresses sincere sorrow at the loss to the counof strangers next winter, and worried considerably about the man. As soon as he dressed he hurried out to the try by death of Durbin Ward and

SNOOKS.

Samuel J. Tilden, the latter who was for many years leader of the democrabarn next morning to see about the man. He found the door locked, with the key turned on the inside. He forced a side window open, found the cy of America, and who was honestly and fairly elected President of the United States. The resolution also deeply laments the death of Hendricks, McLellan, Horatio Sey-mour and General Hancock. The alligator in its usual corner, but the man was missing. The evidence gathered seems to point to the destruction of the man during the night, as the animal ate nothing whatever platform reaffirms the principles laid during the next few days. Nothing can be heard of the man and it is bedown by the national convention on the tariff question and demands a thorough and just revision of the ex-isting tariff laws. The policy of pay-ing out the surplus revenues is heartlieved he came to an untimely end that night.

ily approved. The platform demands that both gold and silver as establish "What other business do you follow "What other Dusiness do you follow besides preaching?" was asked of an old colored man. "I sells chickens." "Where do you get them?" "My boys fetch em<sup>2</sup>in." "Where do they get them?" I doan know, sah. I's allers so busy wid my preachin' dat I aint got no time to ax. I was gwine to incoming de ndder day but a 'tiyal come ed by the Constitution shall be mainained as the basis of our money system and denounces the attempt to change the measure of values; from gold and silver to gold, as an act of nonstrous injustice. The action of the democratic House in restoring to the public domain near inquire de udder day, but a 'vival come one hundred million acres of unearned

and granted by the republican Con-The other night, on an Arkansaw gress to railways, and the alien land rairoad train, a passenger called the conductor, and asked: "Are we on time?" "Yes." "Gad. Are we on the track?" "I don't know, but!'ll go forward and ask." He went away, and returning, said: I am informed that we left the track about five miles ownership bill is approved. The reso-lutions express sympathy with Ireland in her great struggle for home rule. The action of the republican members of the Ohio State Senate is denounced as usurpation, and belief in the integ-rity of the democratic members of rity of the democratic members of the State Senate is declared, The course of Henry B. Paine, as U. S. back. We are now running on the county dirt road, and if we don't meet senator is endorsed, and the action of the Republican Senate of the United a wagon we'll be all right. You see that there is a big bend in the road States, with respect to the charges made sgainst that senator, heartily ap-proved. Resolutions were also deack here, and we save time by taking short cut.

"let's don't be engaged any longer."" "What's that for?" he inquired with some surprise. "Oh, I'm tired, and besides it was

"Oh, I'm tired, and besides it was only a sham engagement on my part anyway. Here's your ring. "Don't trouble yourself about the ring, Clara, It is only a sham diamond anyway. I bought a half dozen for three dollars, just to use in little emergencies like this. Good by; don't tell any of the other girls about the ring, please, and he went out.--Merchant Traveler.

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