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ADMINISTRATION.

In another part of this issue is a communication over the non- de nlume of "Curiosity." Our view in relation to the statements made by Secretary Editor Deseret News; Thomas to our reporter and his agree exactly. In the interview it appears as Secretary of the Utah Commission that If the President had made a voluntary President Cleveland was so communistatement regarding the character of the communications between himself and Hons, George Q. Cannon and John T. Caine. This would be an extraor-T. Caine. This would be an extraordinary proceeding on the part of a the part of the Chief Executive eviand Came was evidently that It is not the enforcement of the law that is complained of, but the illegal, able to give it. tycaunical, and outrageous methods that are resorted to under cover of its pretended administration and execution. The President has promised to usurpation of power were so comshee the matter his earnest considera- pletely overthrown, and probably Pres tion, and to act upon the result of his / tion, such to act upon the result of his Delegate Came is now at home, and investigations. Should be become 1, as well as many others of your thoroughly conversant with the subpeet, and act conscientiously upon thformation to the extent of his official power, that is all the relief that can be expected from him. However unjust or intrinsically bad may be the Edmunds act, the honorable gentlemen who waited upon President Cleveland in order to enlighten him on the infamous manner in which officials of the Editor Deseret News: government pretend to enforce it, know well that the power to annul it does not rest with him. They and the called smallpox and it carried off nine teconic whose interests they repression of our best citizens and came near - ated, however, have a right to expect that, so soon as he becomes sufficient-It familiar with the facts, he will take steps to prevent the breaking of law under a shullow pretence of antoreine. under a shallow pretense of enforcing

It. They have a right to expect that | cohabitation. Our principal persecu-It. They have a right to expect that when men are prosecuted under the law, that it will be in due course of and in accordance with the forms of law. President Cleveland would certainly

The United States District Attorney of Arizona has stated unreservedly that all the accused brethren who decline well, no matter whether they have committed the latter offense or not. This outrageous proceeding is for the purpose of forcing the brethren to plead guilty to the lesser charge, that they produced death. may be run into prison, rather than take the risk of being convicted, contrary to

law and evidence, of the greater offense, and be sentenced to a long term of incarceration. NEW YORK, 12 .- Stocks strong and

### PRESIDENT CLEVELAND AND THE COMMISSION.

SALT LAKE CITY April 10, 1885. bears of last week, who rushed to cover

I learn through your interview with the

market gradually became duil, weak and irregular. Lake Shore was promi-nent for its decline to 59%, while gran-gers were pretty well held. At 11 o'clock prices for most of tae active list do not differ materially from the cative as to impart to the Commission the remark he had made to Hon. John opening. Markets Excited.

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excited. First prices generally 5 to 5 higher, and further advances were made

gentleman from whom it appears to be dently pleased the Secretary and innext to impossible to draw information regarding his intentions upon any matter of public interest. We are also where President Cleveland has been so safe in stating that the two gentlemen confidential. I frankly say to you that who visited Mr. Cleveland, made no the Secretary's statement that he application to him for relief in the sense did impart to them the substance of his conveyed in the interview. It is not conversation with our Delegate. Presito be supposed for a moment that they dent Cleveland has thus far obtained to be supposed for a moment that they made any request of him to prevent the enforcement of the law. They know that one of the main duties of the Chief Magistrate is to see that the law is strictly and impartially enforced. ing the condition of affairs in Utah, he would express himself as unqualifiedly The leading object of the visit to as described by the Secretary. In fact the President of Messrs. Cannon in this interview, Mr. Thomas himself is credited with saying that the President expressed his intention to "give the side of the question the question at issue thorough consid-represented by them should be heard. the circumstances he has been placed in, he undoubtedly has not yet been The Utah Commissioners needed

some comfort after the decision of the U. S. Supreme Court in the election cases, in which their tyranny and sold up to 36% for May; Pork 12.50 for May; Lard 7.05 for May. ident Cleveland gave them a little taffy readers, would prefer to hear from him whatever President Cleveland said to

him than to have it given to us through free selling, but there was strong buythe conduit of Secretary Thomas. CURIOSITY. n . June -----THE SITUATION IN ARIZONA.

MESA CITY, Arizona, April 6th, 1885. Juni

### Appointments.

Eighteen months ago to-day we were WASHINGTON, 13 .- The President made the following appointments to-day; To be consuls of the United States-Charles T. Russell, of Connecbeing scourged by a loathsome disease To-day nine of our dcary be-loved brethren; men of integrity, and States-Charles I. Russell, of Confide-ticut, at Liverpool, England; A. Hal-ler Gross, of Pennsylvania, at Athens, Greece; Wm. W. Long, of Texas, at Hamburg, Germany. Henri Vignaud, of Louisiana, Secretary of Legation at charged with polygamy and unlawful

this place has ever hadsince it wasset- to be placed

this morning attending the taking of upon the streets seems to be that the had a standing it the Church, did not food. The cancer in the throat was suppurating. The General seemed no weaker than yesterday and during the peaceful settlement of the difficulty. revelation on plural marriage all the accused brethren who decline to plead guilty to unlawful cohabita-tion will be indicted for polygamy as well, no matter whether they have comtoration of mucus was accomplished without difficulty, as the General was nourished, now, the Senator be-lleved ne would survive until the New Senator be-lleved ne would survive until the Russian securities are quoted at \$2%. 1.30 p. m.—Consols have fallen to \$4<sup>4</sup> for both securities. 3 p. m.—Consols date fallen to 1.30 p. m.—Consols have fallen to 1.30 p. m.—Consols hav gradual course of the cancerous disease 3 p. m.-Consols 94% Bought the America.

#### 33 Sir Peter Lumsden's Report. NEW YORK, 13.-The employees of the

National line of steamships state that LONDON, 13.-Instructions have been telegraphed to Sir Peter Lumsden to transmit to London as quickly as posthe English government has bought the America outright, paying £250,000 for able his report and that of Captain | formation you have? Yates of the conflict on Kushk river.

At the various military and naval stations the preparations for war continue to be vigorously made.

### Dead.

in early dealings, the upward move-ment being aided both by buffs, who were buying for long accounts, and by Admiral Sir George Sartoris is dead.

### A Momentuous Question.

at the opening. The excitement sub-sided after the first half hour, and the LONDON, 1 p.m .- The Cabinet meet-, summons for which was issued polygamy. Passed. esterday, is now in progress. Nothing known positively in regard to the haracter of the deliberations, but the war question is believed to be absorb-ing the attention of the ministers, and polygamy or unlawful conabitation. he result of the council is awaited with anxious cagerness.

### **Cessation of Hostilities.**

CHICAGO, 13, 10.15 a.m.-The grain market was excited and buoyant again LONDON, 13 .- Dispatches from Hano ay the Chinese forces in Tonquin have this morning. Speculators discerned eccived orders to cease hostilities. signs of war in the fluctuations of Eu-British Grain Market. glish cousols, and wheat rose two cents over the closing figures of Sat-LIVERPOOL, I3.- Closed 3.30 p.m. Wheat demand good, new 2 winter is 11d firm, ditto spring 7s 10d firm, Flour demand good, si 8d firm. Reurday, first sales being 90 's cents for May. There was another rally to 91, when the price broke to 90%, and cipts of wheat for the past week from now is at the opening figures again. Private cables are very warlike in tone Atlantic ports, 19,500 quarters, Pacific and predict an open declaration of war by England within the next two days, with the possibility that the question might be brought to a direct issue in the Commons this evening. Outside ST. PERERSBURG, 13. ports, 51,000 quarters; from other He Says He Expected a Night Attack ST. PERERSBURG, 13.- The Official panied in numerous cases by more bad Messenger to-day publishes a further communication from Gen. Komaroff regarding the recent battle between crop reports as the result of the freezing weather for the past forty-eight hours, Russians and Afghans on the Kushk on the subject of polygamy in public but the Afghan war cloud over-

wheat in comparison. May advancing to 48%, an advance of 2% over Saturon the Russian lines Gladstone Explains the Delay in day and remains at that figure. Oats

LONDON, 13.-Gladstone in the House of Commous this afternoon stated that Markeis. the Government, upon receipt from Russia of General Komaroff's expla-CUICAGO, 13 —In the absence of any definite news from London as to the Russo-Afghan situation, wheat fell off from its highest point about 1% under nation of the Penidea incldent, tele graphed Sir Peter Lumsden for infornation as to the correctness of the Russian commander's justification of ing to the close and it closed 15 higher his conduct in attacking the Afghans. than yesterday; 87% cash, 89% may, Gladstone also announced the government had received a full re-Corn declined 1% from top figures, port of the communications which had closing steady, 1 cent over Saturday; 46 cash, 65, May, 75, June. Dats were steady at 355, May, 55 bassed between Earl Dufferin, British Viceroy of India, and Abdurrahman Khan Ameer of Afghanistan, in the councils recently held between them at Rawal Pindi. These communications

the Premier added, were entirely satisfactory to the government explaining the delay of the government in reaching a final decision with Rusin. Gladstone said that the report of the Russian officers who took part in the Penjdeh battle, and those of the English officers who witnessed the engagement, differed so materially in sub-

Faris; Augustus Jay, of New York, Second Secretary of Legation at Paris. Inquiry. This is proceeding now and

A supreme Judge Wishes to Return Washington, 13.—Justice Andrew Wylie of the United States Supreme Court of the District of Columbia, has notified the President that he desires to be placed upon the retired list. to be placed upon the retired list.

Mr. Dickson asked: Do you believe

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-Yes.

upon the Church? A.-I believe it was never given.

Andrew Cowan believed in polyga-

had never had two wives at a time

since being summoned to attend

on this jury, members of the Church

had spoken to him, but not in relation to his course as a juryman, nor made

aux such intimation; he would not

obey any counsel of the Church to

shield any one in the practice of plural

Jacob T. Sherck did not believe in

polygamy in any shape, and was passed. This gave eight jurors, as follows:

George Barton, 182 James Howells, 137 Chas. E. Mitch 53 W. P. Noble, ener, 24 Thos. C. Hull,

The following names were then

drawn from the box, and these living

43 Jacob T. Sherck.

marriage. Passed.

15 J. K. Gillespie.

160 Stephen Beard.

137 Chas.

-Would you call the attention of MAUBURY & OVERTON'S your fellow jurors to any breach of th law in Tooele, for instance, Apostle Lyman, and impart to them all the in-Grand Dramatic Company.

Will present Frank Harvey score at MELO (101/180 V Mr. Howell was as willing to indict for , that as any crime, and would consider any one who believes and practices it



by side with the most powerful sermon we ever heard." - Glas. ow 1/. Stephen Hunter believed polygamy

was light. Excused. Jas. K. Gillespie did not believe in MARIE PRESCOTT.

CHARLES C. MACHURY & CHARLES OVERTON

IN THE CASE.

AMUSEMENTS.

SALT LAKE THEATRE.

April 14th, 15th and 16th.

my, and was excused. Thomas C. Hull believed polygamy was wrong: In the absence of a law prohibiting it, it would be morally wrong; that no such revelation was Bar Prices as nemit. If a Onice, opens, Ionday, April Lab, at Lemma.

ever givet to the Church; he would convict as readily as for any crime; would furnish all the evidence he could to the jury, and would keep the de-liberations of that body secret. James Dunn, Stephen Beard did not believe in polygamy; was in fellowship in the LICHAV Church : polygamy was morally wrong ;



Consignments. in private he had never set his face against the law, or condemned the teaching and practice of the Church; a man should be punished for obeying the law; would indict a man for that practice, even if he were the President of the Church; had not read the epistle of the Presidency recently published, and had no anywerstion shout it.

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and had no conversation about it; it USE was not right to shield the authorities of the Church: he would seek to bring Daggett's Roll them to justice; would impart to the jury all the knowledge he had in relation to a breach of the law, and call their attention to any such violation he might have a suspi-

FOR TRIMMING DRESSES. tion of and would furnish the names of

witnesses; would enforce this law as EXTRA WIDTH, vigorously as any other; would keep secret the jury proceedings ; had sometimes attended the Church meetings;

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protests made him expect that the Af hans contemplated a night attack

Meaching Conclusions.

shadowed all other contingencies and trading was based almost solely upon the issue between Russia and England. The foreign grain markets have re-sponded to the rise here which was a strong sustaining feature. The corn market took even a stronger tone than

ve any intimation that he would decline to give relief of that character, neither is it reasonable to suppose that | Southern Utan, have been made Marhe would foreshadow any course on his shals and they are doing the sneaking part that would tend to sustain a class and dirty work, crawling around private houses at nights, prying into fami-iy affairs and making themselves a public nuisance. These low-down crea-tures have employed the Lamanites and also hire little children to help them out in their degraded designs. They have of unscrupulous adventurers who are pushing an extreme and cruel crusade against a much maligned and injured people is order to forward their own out in their degraded designs. They have political schemes subprenaed almost every man, woman

The interview between the Commissiand child to appear at the above mension and the President was heralded to the country through the associated press as soon as it occurred. It was is costing us a great amount of means to stand up under such pressure, and those who are not of us seem to feel it evident that these gentlemen took is some pains to get something before the country that would break the effect of as keenly as we do. We feel that we are being persecuted we feel that we are being persecuted all on account of our religion and all Latter-day saints are trusting in God Supreme Court. That tribunal decided that although their office | and looking to him only for deliverance is purely ministerial, they usurped Weacknowledge the hand of God in and exercised both legislative and all things and can see good effects reindicial functions. Having been severe-Judicial functions. Having been severe-ly snubbed by the Court of last resort, they evidently manifested considerable come and it will not be long ere the unxiety to exhibit to the country some thing that would produce the impression that they are all right with the out His Spirit on those that are being son that they are all right with the matter imprisoned for obeying his laws and is keenly scanned the claim looks ex" keeping his commandments. ceedingly slim. In order to credit their representation as a whole, it would be more or less needful to believe that there is a hitch between the BY TELEGRAPH. Administration and the Supreme Court. So far as the Associated Press dispatch, and the statements of the Secretary are concerned, they will be taken pretty generally for their real

value by thinking people. They constitute a piece of transparent "court | The War in Central America said to plaster," deftly stuck over the ugly wound made on the nose of the Utah Commission by the recent Supreme

Courrelectsion.

THE CRUSADE IN ARIZONA.

By courtesy of a gentleman residing in Arizona, we are in receipt of some particulars in relation to recent court procoordines in the Second District of that Territory. The Court opened at Phosms on the 6th inst., Judge Pinney presiding. The polygamy and unlawful toward forcing the States into such a collabilitation cases being at the head of union the ender, those of James T. Wilson and tharles I. Robson were thefaitst called. The former, charged with unlawful cohabitation, pleaded not guilty, and the latter, against whom indictments had been found on both charges, reserved his answer until the following day. Hon. Thomas Fitch, who is operating with the counsel for the defence, arrived at Phoenix on the 6th. After consultation it was agreed, the prosecution consenting, that Charles I. Robson and Oscar M. Randolph, the just received do not confirm the statelatter having been similarly indicted, row and, although this is Sunday, should plead guilty to the lesser nothing can be seen on the streets, but charge, on condition that the greater soldiers and cannon. They were accordingly arraigned on the afternoon of the 7th and plead guiltys

The court, before passing judgment, gave the accused an opportunity of expressing themselves regarding the position in which they were placed, and they gave a brief explanation regarding their religious convictions.

Judge Pinney stated that he believed in the perfect honesty of the statements of the prisoners. He also said that the might be bad, but that it should be ob-

fine.

ted [I'wo of these persons, Deputy Jos. Justice Wylfe is 71 years of age. Bagicy and Riley Morse both men from

NEW YORK, 14. - Eight five-story material parts of England's communihouses in 62nd Street, near Tenth Av-etus, fell ins this afternoon, burying the men employed there. Many of the workmen are believed to be killed, and the cation sent on the day of the receipt of news of the bat-tle. Mr. Ellis Ashmead Bartlett, conservative, asked if government had been informed that the Rossians had advanced to Murghad River. Gladti e cries of the injured are heard be-neath ine debris. Up to 4:30 p.m. ten persons had been stone replied that government had not taken from the ruins. They were ser-iously, but not latally, injured, and were removed to a hospital. Gaugs of man are at work on the debris, as it is inclusted that many others of the work-memerate are still buried in the rulus. The buildings were erected bact winter, and were reported by the building department as unsafe. The workmen were engaged in repairing the defects in a hores at the time.

Cheers for the Prince and Hisses for

sand sulting from this crusade and all are . . . FOREIGN. chaff will be blown to the four winds. LATEST TRANS-ATLANTIC DIS-Our constant prayers are being lifted PATCHES. up to God our heavenly Father to pour Affair on the River Kushk.

> S. F. KIMBALL. -----

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### AMERICAN. SUNDAY'S DISPATCHES.

## be Ended.

WASHINGTON, 12.-Senor De Peralta, ister from Costa Rica, has received a dispatch from the Costa Rican Min-ister at the City of Mexico, who says that the Central American trouble is

ettled. The dispatch gives no details, ut Peralta assumes the fact that Honuras having entered the already strong alliance of the States of Costa Rica, Nicaragua and Salvador, and the deter-mined attitude of the Mexican Gov-ernment against the Barrios project of compelling a anion of the Central American States, have convinced the Cost of the States of the Central an energetic summons to evacuate the left bank of the Murgahab, as far a Guatemalan Government that it is the better policy for them to take no steps

### Arrested for Embezzlement.

TORONTO, 12.-C. E. Beebe, book-ceper of Shindler & Co., Portland, on, has been arrested here, charged with the embezzlement of several thousand dollars

### Reported Battle with Riel.

WINNIPEG, 12 While no reliable inormation can be had to-night from dispatch to the British government justified Gen. Komaroff's action; and that even Gladstone has shown praiseworthy anxiety to atone for the ungracious words about Russia, which ment. More troops go West to-morfirst escaped him. Komaroff's Backing.

The effect of Gen. Komaroff's de e, on condition that the greater should be withdrawn, were accordingly arraigned on fternoon of the 7th and plead tailed statement which showed the Afghans provoked the recent battle has been weakened by reports received y way of Austriau telegraph stations though it can be traced to no reliable source. All the wires from the west on the Russian frontier, that Penjdeh was occupied by Col. Alikhanoff, on are controlled by the Canadian Pacific the 2nd inst. Gen. Komaroff states h Railroad Co., and telegrams from the was obliged to occupy Penjdeh in order seat of war are inspected by the offl-cers in command. Official messages to stop the pillaging of the district by Turcomans and Afghans who had are sent to the government in cipher. threatened to resume offensive opera-Much uncasiness is felt here over the

port, although the rumor is discredited by the authorities.

ted by the authorities. Not Cholera. CLEVELAND, 12.—The coroner this norning began the post mortem cxlaw under which they were convicted morning began the post mortem cx-mination of the body of the little warded according to theirrank.

mier admitted, famed to answer the

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the defects in a house at the time the accident occurred. No mortar was used in the construction of the build-ings, the bricks being held in place by the Lord Mayor.

DUBLIN, 13. - A scene of great excite-ment attended the departure of the Prince and Princess of Wales to-day for the South of Ireland. On thei route to Kingsbridge Rallway Station their Royal Highnesses passed Dublin Castle Hall; an immense crowd was assembled about the building to wit General Komaroff's Account of the tors. The Lord Mayor, John O'Connor happened to drive past the City Hall a few minutes before the royal carriage ST. PETERSBURG, 12.—The Official Messenger publishes the following teleappeared. The crowd recognized in and hissed him savagely. Mr Messenger publishes the following tele-gram from Gen. Komaroff, dated April ist: On the 25th of March, our attach-ment approached Dash Kapri. When

nent approached Dash Kapri. When in their derisive greetings. The Lord neat the bridge we saw au intrench- Mayor, unable to withstand the storm near the bridge we saw an intrench-ment occupied by Afghans. In order to avoid a conflict, I stationed my-troops five versts (a little over three miles) from the Afghan position. Negotiations with Captain Yates (a number of sir Peter Luinsden's force) commenced on the 26th, When Afghans ecame convinced that we had no in- the gathering and told them they would became convinced that we had no in-tention of attacking them, they daily drew nearer to our camp. On the 27th they dispatched against a company of ours a arcconnoitering party of three companies, with a gun and some cavalry. Next day their audacity and arrogance increasing, they occumied a high and commanding posoccupied a high and commanding pos- to the railway station They were tion on the left flank of our camp; greeted with tumultnous and prolonged made entrenchments and placed a cav-alry post in the rear of our line and a cheering.

### neket within gunshot of our forf. On he 29th I sent the Afghan commander ----

THE GRAND JURY.

### the mouth of the Kushk. He replied THE SELECTING OF THE INQUISITORS

that, acting on advice of the English, he would not retire beyond the Kushk. In the Third District Court, the list of grand jurors, made returnable this norning, was called. All were present with my detachment against the Afghan except Peter A. Burt, ex-used on ac-position, still expecting a pacific issue count of sickness. The clerk adminisount of sickness. The clerk adminis-

> Henry Heath, watchman, asked to be excused because of his duties as a pub-

The name of Jacob T. Sherck was called.

Joseph II. Grant passed the preliminary questioning. The District Attorney then asked:

have more than one wife at a time, living and undivorced?

A .- That is my teaching Q.—Do you believe it wrong? A.—Under the law, yes. Q.—Iu the absence of any law on the

-Yes. -Are you a member of the Church Q.—Are you a member of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints?

A .- Yes. Q .- Do you accept the teachings of hat Church as true?

A .- Yes, without the law of man. Q .- If you thought the law of God

ommanding men to have more than The Russian Minister of War has one wife, to be above the law of man, which would you obey, the higher law? A.—The law of man? Q.—Do you believe this law is wrong?

Q.-Do you believe it right?





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I then sent him a private letter, couched a amicable terms. On the 30th, h rder to support my demand, I march But the fire from the Afghan artiliery and an attack of the cavairy, compelled tered the oath. me to accept a combat. St. Petersburg, 12. - The Journal lic officer. Granted. The foregoing statement leaves no question of Russian aggression. That, moreover, Sir Peter Lumsden's second

Do you believe it right for a man to

ubject, do you believe it right?

One iron gray HOESE, about 8 years old, brauds resembling DR with bar over it and OP ander the D R on right thigh.

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