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EVIL TIMES.

WE are living in strange times The Government of the United States was established for the purpose of securing civil and religious liberty and equal rights to all the people under its jurisdiction. It but their hypocrisy is disgusting was founded in honor, integrity in the sight of beaven, and should and truth, and these virtues shone brightly in the illustrious men who fought, bled and labored to build it up as a bulwark against fraud, oppression and wrong.

After the lapse of a hundred years we find the powers invested in the legislative body for the perpetustion of the above named objects, being prostituted to effect the very reverse, and employed for the destruction of the principles which they were intended to maintain inviolate. Special legislation is passed against an "establishment of religion," and more is contemplated of 1859, 45,000; the Schleswig-Hollooking to the overthrow of jury dence, with the object of further in- Italy in 1866, 45,000; the Mexican rights and equitable rules of evifringement upon religious freedom. Then a law is being burried through Congress in order to make party capital, discriminating against a certain race who happen to be unpopular, and this in utter contravention of a solemn treaty entered into with the Government of that race at the solicitation of this country, which proposes to repudiate its own contract. And now a petition, which appears in the Cherokee Advocate, has to be presented from the Cherokee, Choctaw, Creek, Chickasaw, and Seminole Indians, asking that Congress will not violate the treaty made with them in regard to certain lands secured to them by the provisions of said treaty, but which are now coveted by the superior race, bills having been introduced for the opening thereof to be seized by white men.

Treatles made in conformity to the Constitution are, by the pro-

tempts against our social system. and scorn and despise the hypo-PUBLISHED DATEY, SUNDAYS EXCHPIND, AT crites who incite them. They are not content with the entelegram. actment of laws against what we consider an essential element of our creed, but would break down every safeguard which the jurisprudence of ages has thrown around persons accused of crime to insure a fair and impartial trial, regardless of the consequences

which may ensue to society at large, in their eagerness to break up an ecclesiastical system which has Witness-This telegram I know nothing about shown itself proof against argument, ridicule, misrepresentation, Governor Tilden Sct. Yet Subper-

and mobocracy. Their greed, vinmned. Mr. Springer, of the Potter com-mittee, says: Governor Tilden has dictiveness and spite are criminal; render them despicable to every honest man and woman on earth.

COST OF MODEEN WARS.

WAR has cost the nations im Must be Inspected. mense sums of money besides mil-WASHINGTON, 5 .- The Secretary mions of human lives. The followof the Treasury has issued a circular to the collectors of customs in-structing them that in no case will live animals be permitted to be shipped from their respective ports fowing summary of the expenditure of blood and treasure in senseless strife during the ilast twentyfive years, is taken from the Gazuntil after inspection with reference to their freedom from disease, and ette de St. Petersburg:-"The Crimean war, 750,000; the Italian war the issuance of a certificate show-ing that they are in preper condi-tion of health. stein war in 1864, 3,000; the war between Austria and Prussia with Woman's Suffrage YANKTON D.T., 5 .- A bill granting the suffrage to women pas the upper house of the legislat expedition, 60,000; the Franco Prusaian war (1870-71), 215,000 (Gervesterday. many 60,000, France 150,000); the Dauble Tragedy. Do Turco-Servian war, 25,000; the Russo-Turkish war, 600,000; and the war of secession in the United

francs, or £700,000; the Austro-Prussian Italian war 1,650,000,000 francs, or £65,000,000; the Mexican expedition 100,000,000 francs, or £40,000,000; the Franco - Prussian 12,500,000,000 francs or £500,000,000; the Russo-Turkish war 6,250,000,000 francs, or £250,000,000, and the American civil war, 37,000. 000,000 france, or £1,509,000,000 sterling. Thus the total cost of these

"Matters tes buy London witness i never sent any such elegram. agent inform Spain and J. O. News. [Signed] W."

ented and unanimously sustained. Elder John B. Thatcher gave a brief statement of the labors of the home missionaries.

Apostle L. Snow, having arrived by the afternoon train, remarked that he was pleased at hearing such good reports, and felt to report from his side of the mountain, that notmittee, says; Governor Tilden has not been subponned, and I have my doubts whether he will be. This, however, does not make any material difference, for in any case we shall give him the opportunity of appearing before the committee, and it is not likely that he will miss the golden chance, if I know him right. more trials would come upon them, all of which were necessary for our salvation.

Sunday, 10 a.m. After devotional services, the clerk presented the general autho-rities of the Church and the Stake, who were unanimously sustained. Apostle L. Snow addressed the Saints, occupying the forenoon, shewed the proper regard we should have for temporal things; that a certain amount of exclusiveness was necessary to our preservation; that the fascinations of the ball room often belowd the minds of our young sisters to such an extent that they participate in the dance with those unwisely permitted into such associations who were not of CHICAGO, 5.-A terrible double such associations who were not of tragedy occurred at Wrightsville our faith, and who entertained feelvillage, southern Illinois, on Mon-day night. Charles E. McAuliffe, people; also referred to the late de-

States, \$00,000. This gives a grand total of 2,584,000 lives sacrificed. The estimated expenditure on these wars was as follows:—The Crimean war cost 8,500,000,000 francs, or £340,000,000; the Italian [1859] 1,-500,000,000 francs, or £60,000,000,the Schleswig-Holstein war 175,000,000 francs, or £700,000; the Austro-

GREAT BRITAIN. Reduction Refused,

LONDON, 5.—Drury Lane Theatre closed, last night, the performers refusing a reduction of wages.

Bishops H. Hughes, of Mendon IMMENSE

The translation of the telegram is, however, given: "Matters ar-ranged by the returning board. The agent will inform Haskell and

The agent will inform Haskell and telegraph the news." Chairman—Oa the same date there was another telegram sent from this place and from the same person, reading: "Haviog Bath hold on till Cuba till York or April or May be little

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Benediction. l p. m. Devolional services and adminis-FOREIGN. tering the sacrament. Assistant Superintendent of Sun-day schools, Elder O. C. Ormsby, presented the annual report of Sun-day Schools of this Stake of Zion. President M. Thatcher remarked

