have long held absolute sway, needing to be curbed by the national government, [The writer must mean the Federal judges and other appointees. They do sadly need curbing. A few jerks with a Spanish bit would do them good, and redound greatly to the public benefit,] but aside from these, a more industrious, quiet, orderly, and law-abiding community cannot be found.

From all this, you may infer that the more moderate citizens feel considerably disgusted with the senpublished elsewhere concerning the Mormon question, and this may no- ald. tify the friends of all Gentile residents here, that we take our usual sleep without fear, and pursue our vocations without interuption; and to adopt the old-fashioned way of rounding off a sentence, "we have no one to molest us or make us afraid."

The advance of the Territory in all material interests was quite large last year, and promises to be still larger this. The number of mines opened and opening is aston- aged 11 m nths and 22 days. ishing. To aid in their development capital is concentrated, smelting and other works are being constructed, and everything betokens prosperity. Railroads, generally harrow guage, are constructing in first year. every direction, and there seems to be good ground for the statement frequently repeated in the local press, that this is the richest Territory in the Union.

C. C. S. Salt Lake City, Feb. 17th, 1873. -S. F. Christian Advocate.

### Bill for the Relief of Joseph L Haywood and Others.

The next bill on the Calendar was bill (H. R. No. 2909) for the relief of Joseph L. Haywood and others, which was considered as in Committee of the Whole. It authorizes the proper accounting officers of the Treasury toadjust | copy. and settle, at a reasonable sum and on satisfactory proof, the suspended or disallowed items in the accounts 22nd of January, 1873, aged 25 years, 4 of Joseph L. Haywood, late mar- months and 5 days .- Mill. Star please copy. shal of the Territory of Utah, for compensation of guards, and provisions and supplies for same, escorting the judges to court, and guarding court-house; for compensation and supplies for aids and guards employed to assist in the execution of process, and in guarding prisoners after arrest, for payment of rent of court-room: for marshal's personal expenses incurred while serving process; and for a reasonable allowance for guarding and boarding prisoners in the penitentiary; the amount allowed not to exceed \$30,000, and to be paid from any unexpended balance of appropriations for expenses of United States courts prior to July 1, 1871, and distributed and paid pro rata among the holders of the drafts and certificates drawn by Haywood and now in the Treasury Department.

The Committee on Claims reported the bill, with an amendment to strike out "\$30,000" and insert "\$10,-000."

The amendment was agreed to The bill was reported to the Senate as amended and the amendments were concurred in. It was ordered that the amendments be engrossed and the bill read a third time. The bill was read the third time, and passed.—Report of Senate Proceedings Feb. 26, in Congressional Globe.

It seems that the Conservatives of the South American Republics are exhibiting great hostility to the Sew Everything from Lace to A newspaper Darien Canal. called La Sociedad, of Lima, demands that the four Republics of Peru, Ecuador, Chili and Bolivia should unite in coercing Colombia to resist any and every effort to divide by a canal two continents which the Almighty has joined together by an Isthmus. It tells these Republics that their very existence depends upon successfully opposing such a scheme. It warns them that their countries would be overrun with emigrants, that their products would become staples for European commerce, and that, eventually, the European nationalities would swallow up their power, their government, and their territo-

THE TERRITORIES .- Washington, Feb. 28.—Some time ago Delegate McCormick, of Arizona, in accordance with the wishes of the President, introduced a bill providing

that the Secretary of the Interior shall hereafter exercise all the powers and perform all the duties in relation to the Territories of the United States that are now by law or by custom exercised and performed LALLER by the Secretary of State. This morning Mr. McCormick moved to take from the table a similar bill from the Senate, and the House passed it. The bill now awaits the Take pleasure in inviting all those who President's signature. It relieves the Department of State from all connection with domestic affairs sational telegrams and editorials and confines it to those of a diplomatic character.-New York Her-

> OLD Texans declare that they never knew by actual experience what cold weather was before this

### DIED.

In Salt La' e ity, M reh 11th, 1873, of inflammation of the lungs, DAVID EARNEST, son of has. M. and Mary Ev ns,

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At Washington, Washington o., U.T., Feb. 5, MARTHA SPENCE HEYWOOD, wife of Joseph L. Heywood, in her sixty-

Deceased was born in Dublin, Ireland, March 8th, 1812; was baptised by Elder John . Hall, and gathered with the Saints at Salt Lake City in the fall of 1850. Went with the pioneers to form a settlement on Salt Cree', Sept. 1851. On the 18th of Nov. following she gave birth to a son, the first white child known to have been born in Juab Co. She went with the missionaries SUNDAY called to the Cotton Country in the fall of 1861, and taught school, more or less, every year until her death. She w salways consistent in sustaining the work of G d."Precious in the sight f the Lord is the death of his Saints."-Com.

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