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THE UTAH COMPANY.

The people of this Territory are to be congratulated on the organization of the great Utah company, particulars concerning which will be found in another column. The magnitude of the properties involved, the objects of the corporation as set forth in its articles—above all, the names and influence and reputation of the chief stockholders, are a sufficient assurance that in the Utah company the Utah people are to have a strong, staunch friend, and the new State a potent factor in the promotion of its material prosperity.

To the stranger unfamiliar with the aims and methods of the leaders of the people who settled Utah, it will doubtless seem strange that the First Presidency of the Church should embark in an enterprise so immense as this and assume temporal horizons and responsibilities of such tremendous weight. Not so, however, with those who have watched or have been identified with the strong practicality of the "Mormon" religion. From the very beginning its leaders have inculcated by precept and example that temporal salvation was essentially a part of the Gospel. If they preached godliness on Sunday and in their family circles and public assemblages, they also taught and labored for the liberal building up of Zion. They served the Lord not only in tabernacles and temples, but also in redeeming the deserts, beautifying their abiding places, developing and utilizing their resources, sustaining one another, and contributing to the support and comfort and happiness of the whole. Hence they were ever foremost in building canals and mills and factories; were the promoters of explorations and colonies wherever the opportunity for settlement was inviting; were ready to give of their time and influence and counsel and means to any and every enterprise that promised good results to the community at large. Thus they have been failures to the people in more than a spiritual sense; and the benefits of their parental care are seen in Utah and the neighboring states today, and would be still more visible had their advice and example been more closely and continuously followed.

As to the Utah company, therefore, while its principal stockholders are identified with it as individuals and not in the capacity of the First Presidency, their purposes will be understood and appreciated as in direct line with the policy alluded to. No man will venture to impugn the motives that have actuated them. For months and months the matter now consummated has been engaging their attention. Recognizing the responsibilities that rest upon them as leaders, they could not feel justified in folding their arms supinely and allowing things to drift, without at least an effort to bring about a change for the better. Hence of duty impelled them to use their influence, their credit and their means to advance the community's interest. No speculative inducement could have brought them to accept the cares and burdens thus voluntarily assumed. But full of faith in the resources of our Territory, hopeful of the encouragement and support of the people, conscious of the necessity that is every day apparent for a radical change in our position of dependence — we might almost say of industrial serfdom—they have conscientiously and courageously faced the situation. Some one had to do it; some one had to lead out, to devise ways and means for furnishing employment, to institute measures of temporal deliverance, to rescue the community from the vassalage in which conditions have placed it. Who could better attempt it than those men—those life and work in the public interest have been before the people, whose high unselfishness and integrity are above suspicion, whose names are a synonym for honor and justice, and in and for whom every one who ever met or heard of them has the utmost confidence and esteem? No wonder the organization of the Utah company has made a profound sensation and has been received with joyful enthusiasm by the business community at large. It opens to view larger possibilities and achievements of the highest character, and means much more to the material advancement and welfare of Utah than any present observer can tell.

Just what enterprises will first be put under way may not now be stated. It is impossible to a scheme of such magnitude to present in the outset an accurate forecast of the details of the work. But time will rapidly develop them, and as fast as practicable will allow they will be presented for public inspection and approval. This much, however is sure: whatever shall be done will be in the interest of the people, and in every beneficent result that shall be accomplished, they and all of them will be entitled to share.

PROTECTING PROPERTY.

The news brought in the dispatches regarding the destruction of sheep in southwestern Colorado will be accepted as an evidence of the incapacity or unwillingness of county and state officials to protect property rights in that part of the country. If the officers were doing their duty there would be found no excuse for the wholesale butchery of sheep, and the perpetrators of the bloody work would be hunted down and punished. It is not difficult to comprehend that individuals who would, in the spirit of revenge, kill four or five thousand sheep belonging to sheer people, would not hesitate greatly in wreaking bloody vengeance on the owners of the animals if opportunity offered. Whoever has been guilty of this wholesale slaughter, committed without a shadow of justification in the law and in line with the secret work of the assassin, is an enemy to public peace and safety, and officers who would connive at his escape from the penalty of the law belong to the same category.

It may be urged that the sheep owners have overrun the ranges, to the injury of the cattlemen's interests. Suppose that were true, it does not afford any excuse for the cowardly work of which the cattlemen are said to have been guilty. If they have sustained an infringement of rights, they had a legal means of redress; but by their recent action they forfeit any claim to public sympathy. The fact that they have taken it upon themselves to drive out the sheepmen by such means argues that they have neither law nor justice on their side, or they would have invoked these instead of adopting the methods of the border ruffian.

It is to be hoped that for the fair name of Colorado the officials there will come from their apathy and sift this matter to the bottom, bringing the culpable parties to justice. Whether cattlemen, sheepmen or others are at fault, they should be made to realize the supremacy of the law, and the fact that it is a guaranty of a republican form of government in America that individuals shall not be deprived of property without due legal process. To more than one way this guaranty has been set at naught in the Centennial state. With this latest striking instance, the honor of that commonwealth is at stake to call a sharp turn in affairs, that Colorado lawlessness may not become a by-word in the country.

THE GOVERNOR IS RIGHT.

Without any malice, or levity, or anything of that kind, the News ventures to say for the great majority of the people of this Territory that in refusing to commute the sentence of death passed upon Enoch Davis for the murder of his wife, Governor West yesterday saw his duty aright and faithfully performed it. Of course there is much repugnance to the idea of shedding the blood even of a wretched murderer; but all the sympathy on hand should not be bestowed upon the condemned, a little deserves to be reserved for his victim. Besides, the community itself has a right to be rid of such characters, and the law plainly says they shall be removed. As we have examined it, there was no legal ground whatever upon which to base the recent request for executive clemency. Doubtless many who signed the petitions for such action were moved less by sympathy with the unhappy Davis or by knowledge of or interest in his case at all, than by the sentiment against capital punishment under any circumstances. All such are invited to remember, however, that it is no part of the Governor's duty or privilege to set aside or amend a statute, and that any request asking for the abolishment of the death penalty should be addressed not to the executive but to the legislative department of government.

MARS SIGNALS.

The planet Mars is drawing near to the earth and astronomers are diligently studying the heavenly orb in expectation of making discoveries of a startling nature. It is seriously claimed by some enthusiastic scientists that the inhabitants of Mars are signalling to us, while others, more conservative, deny that the planet has an atmosphere such as that it is habitable. The question is far from positively settled, unless reasoning from analogy with the earth be accepted as conclusive. Flammarion thinks that all the discoveries made regarding Mars during several years go to prove that the planet is peopled, and that the future of proof now rests upon those who deny it, and there the scientists stand.

It is no longer disputed that some very mysterious phenomena are taking place on the surface of our neighbor in space. Mr. Lowell, at Flagstaff, reported that on July 19 of this year he had seen a well cut nick in the edge of the disc and nine days later the noted astronomer Javell observed a projection like the arm of a semaphore thrown out against the dark background of the sky. It glowed with a ruddy light and was so conspicuous that it could not fail to draw the attention of an observer. It was also noted that three lights formerly discovered had disappeared. Professor Barnard of the Lick observatory then discovered mysterious shadows falling about the south pole over the vast fields covered with ice and snow. These shadows assumed the forms of geometrical figures such as squares, triangles, straight lines, etc. Coincident with these mysterious marks a big pyramid was discovered, which, if being a structure reared by Martians, might pretty have been erected for the purpose of signaling or for astronomical observations.

All these startling reports have caused astronomers all over the world to suspend their work in other directions in order to study the surface of Mars. Early in October the planet will be nearer the earth than for a long time to come, and if there are intelligent beings there who are endeavoring to attract our attention, the fact will probably be established by that time, if it is possible to do so with the instruments now at the command of science.

COREAN TRAFFIC.

The official report of Corean traffic for the three months ending with March, 1894, has just been issued. It is interesting as showing the relation of China and Japan to the hermit kingdom in a business way, and the comparative interests of each. During the term stated there were 6 sailing vessels and 9 steamers entered Corean ports from China, a total of 15; while 12 vessels of both classes cleared for Chinese ports. From Japan there were 61 sailing vessels and 59 steamers entered Corean ports under the Japanese flag, a total of 120; while these cleared from Corea for Japan, vessels of the latter nationality to the number of 112. The passenger traffic during the period reported shows that 449 passengers from China were landed in Corea, and 302 left; 1908 landed from Japan, and 803 departed. From other countries 23 passengers arrived and 20 left. This would indicate that commercially Japan is much more closely allied to Corea than is China, and consequently affords a key to the leanings of Coreans toward the mikado.

The Corean export cotton, rice, fish, hides, beans, silk, seaweed and wheat, and import cotton and woolen goods, metals, paper, provisions and a great variety of manufactured articles. English cotton and woolen goods have the preference in those classes, and American flour and kerosene oil take the lead in their division. In fact American is the only flour imported in quantity, while of kerosene oil there are in round numbers 200,000 gallons from the United States and 24,000 gallons from Russia, annually.

THE NEWS has been asked what it meant by saying yesterday that "in all probability there will be three nominees for the position of Delegate to Congress" to be voted for by the people of Utah next November.

We rather expected the question, and were pretty sure that it would come from a politician—one of the kind who think they know it all. It is strange, in view of recent experiences both east and west of us, that the "boys" should have overlooked the Populists.

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AN OPINION GIVEN.

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As to Retrenchment.

SOME ECONOMIC SUGGESTIONS TO THE "CITY DADS."

We notice that the City Council is endeavoring to fulfill their "before election" promises of rigid economy in the running of the municipal affairs of the city, which is certainly appreciated by all good citizens, and all hope they may succeed in saving many dollars to the over-burdened taxpayers. We would suggest, however, that they should avoid diminishing the men on the police force and in the fire department. This might result in the reverse of economy.

It might please the taxpayers just as well to dispose of extra sessions of the council and devote less time to discussing personal character and more time to genuine public benefits. In their efforts to stop the leakage at the spigot, we recommend that they see that the bung is securely plugged before they roll the barrel over.

There are times when all should use their utmost efforts in the practice of true retrenchment, both in public and in private affairs, and assisting in this very laudable purpose each individual may assist a community, and each community the commonwealth. So let each individual be careful to make every dollar expended be for some necessity and see that it is used when in purchasing power will be greatest, and all should try to prepare for the coming winter by providing themselves with necessary fuel, food and clothing while the opportunity exists, and before the increased demand increases price. This is especially true with regard to clothing. During this dark season we are offering some great bargains, and those who are fortunate enough to be able to anticipate their next winter's necessities by ordering a fall suit now, can save enough to go a long way towards a ton of coal or other needed necessaries.

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