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THE BULWARK IN THE WAY.

THE New York Evening Post has the following suggestive paragraph: by virtue of religious belief, and each much drivel; but it the danger is may yet be seen on London trying to cross it on planks. the connivance of the whole community, male and female. How lieve, the sooner the Amandment could a Legislative Council deal is adopted the better for that pure may jurisdiction, empowed to punish polygamy upon such proofs as it chooses to consider adequate, and unfattered by the roles of evi dence, commonly so called. It is to this we must come, if we mean to put down polygamy by force, but everyone as yet, is afraid to propose

The obtuseness of the Post is as dense as its anti-polygamy desires are 1 or linute. Is it not obvious that the promoters of the scheme for a Legis lative Commission expect to obtain from that body enactments for the establishment of just such tribunalwith just such dangerous powers as those suggested by the Post.

The plain purpose of the villains who have started this scheme and are working, it up in the public mind, is to harass and plunder the "Mormona" under cover of the forms of law. There are laws enough making the practice of polygamy criminal, the complaint is that they cannot be enforced. Proof of the offence must be had before convic then, and conviction must precede pun shoent And such evidence a is necessary in any properly co. stitu ed court is not easy to obtain against leading "Mormons," who are the objects of radical aversion and who it is thought could be financially phiebotomized. But if by some legislative hocus pocus this can all be changed, and court om ise a established and empower ed that the ordinary rules of evi dence usy be set aside, and hearsay, rumor, and the alleged admissions of the accessed can be taken in the place of proof, what will be easier than conviction and what more cer But there is one thing that th

Post has not taken into account and which stands in the way both o courts and commissions and even of Congress itself, when such unscrupulous propositions as those of the Post are seriously entertained. I is an instrument called the Constitution of the United States, and not only the law-making, but the judi cial and executive departments of the government are restrained by its provisions and forbidden to de many things which demagogues, bigots and tyrants are anxious to

The time may come, and we be lieve it will, when that sacred guardian of human liberty will be ignored and rejected by men in power. But the nation is not yet sufficiently "advanced" to submit to such desecration. And when it becomes possible for the Supreme Law to be stamped upon by the rulers without an uprising of the people, the "Mormons" will be in such a condition that they will be able to endure the shock and, as predicted by their martyred Seer, will bear aloft the heaven inspired instrument and save it from destruction. Meanwhile those who would punish "Mormons" without a fair trial by a jury of their peers impartially selected, and who, to destroy "Mormoniem," would set aside all just and republican methods (of government and of jurisprudence, will see confronting them at every twist and turn of their sinuous course, the bulwark set up by "the founders of this republic, the palladoim of human rights, the safeguard of every citizen, no matter what may be his creed or condition.

ROSECRANS' AMENDMENT.

LAST evening we published, under the heading Roscorans' Folly, the ern cities, the principal western cities and California. full text of the bill he proposes to introduce in the House of Representatives for an amendment to the Constitution forbidding polygamy. On this subject the New York Sun has the following remarks:

"The Revised Statutes of the United States already prohibit polygamy in any Territory or other place over which the United States have exclusive jurisdiction. The crime is called bigamy, although the definition is broad enough to em-brace polygamy. The Supreme Court has declared the law to be constitutional, and has decided that those who make polygamy a part of their religion are not exce-led from the operation of the statute.

Insemuch, therefore, as the high-set judicial tribunal in the land haalready expressly determined that Congress now has power to prohibit pinral marriages in all places under the exclusive dominion of the Unitof States under the Constitution, as it is, we see no reason for amending Constitution as proposed by There is law enough against poly gamy already. The difficulty is in

those offered by the Naws when the matter was first broached. But there is another view of it which should be considered. The promoters of she agitation against the "Mormons," and some of the old women in trowsers and pious ladies in petticosts, claim to be in great wishes of the delegation.

O'Donnell.

The President's reply was satisfactory to the delegation. He said the Department of State at ence telegraphed Minister Lowell to obtain all possible foromation regarding O'Donnell's elitization elitization, and he could, with propriety, to further the wishes of the delegation. those offered by the Naws when the O'Donnell. fear lest polygamy should over- A Red hot Editorial-promuell's whelm the country. According to their pretences, the social customs of fifty millions of people are in danger of being everturned by the system advocated in a community of a hundred and fifty thousand.

CHICAGO, 8.—The Citizen, whose editor, John B. Fanerly, member of Congress; aided in originating the Painell tund, and the large fund which was used in defence of O'-Donnell, contains a leading editorial Monogamy is put in peril by polygamy. If something desperate is
not done, and done at once, "Mormontem" will overspread the land,
and the institutions of great "Chrisdeclares. O'Donneil's killing of and the institutions of great "Christendom" will be place I in jeopardy!

There is something about this system called "Mormonism" which renders orthodoxy powerless in its attack; and which is too mighty for either parsons or politicians to cope with. And if it is left alone I;

Now, if there is any truth in these surpless and "awful warnings," is it not wise to make some provision against the threatened at no crime to maintain iniquitions resulte? And what more proper abjectly when forces superior to her than a constitutional provision own are applied to make her quallagainst the practice which it is fear-ed will become universai? If, as is 17th, and if the Irish race failed claimed, polygamy is spreading to save him it must not through the Territories, what is fail to avenge him. The editorial to hinder it from running over the further declares that England shows States? General Roscrans, in this no mercy and that Ireland will not light, does not appear such a dotard | England points to her ships and her after all. Of bourse if there is no cannons, Ireland may point, and dread of polygamy being adopted soon, to the wreck of the Parliament building and the ruins of St. Pauls, much drivel; but it the danger is may yet be seen on London Bridge wives as he can maintain through mone" would have the country be-Heve, the sconer the Amendment with such a state of things as this? society which now exists in the LATEST TRANS-ATLANTIC DIS What is wanted is a court with sum. States, and in which there is no departure from the path of virtue and no violation of the marriage vow.

THE WAR-SRECK SPREADING

THE speck of war in the East which suddenly burst into a flame when ral ports on the east coast of the army of Hicks Pasha was anni-hilated, bids fair to develop into a vall among the troops. conflagration. The news from Egypt is of a threatening character. as the victory obtained by El Mahdi is, as might have been expected, proadening his influence and swelling the bulk of his forces. It appears that the latest acquisitions to El Mahdi's army are supplied wi h rifler of the most approved pattern. These with the armamen sobtained by the utter extinguishment of the force under Hicks Pasha, will make the nordes under the "False Prophet" no inconsiderable enemy to an army undertaking his subjugation The uprising in Egypt makes one hing condected with the subject onspicuously apparent-that country totally incompetent to manage itwn internal affairs. No sooner is he Arabi By deficulty settled than another equally, and perhaps ider that chronic interposition on their part in the settlement of Egyptien internal disturbances is an

that British occupation and permafairs will be the most effectual reme pacific condition in the land of the to-day's issue. tain then punishment or blackmall? Nile. British rule with a native The pupils of Brother Evan Sie modus operandi of that government in the pursuit of the extension of torial dependencies.

The other great powers of Europe The other great powers of Europe Co. No. 1, are requested to meet at would doubtless object to John Ball the Fireman's Hail on Monday obtaining such an increased foot hold in the East, as a thorough ocsupation and management of Egypt would give to Great Britain. But the overwhelming interests of that country would not admit of her permitting any other nation to have a hand in the Egyptian pie, unless she perhaps might permit France to inert the tip of her little finger.

The eyes of all Europe have longing gase East, and the question of the predominance of power in that part of the world has never reached anything like a settlement. Encroachment in that direction is a settled ment in that direction is a settled prevents its souring on the stomach. policy with Russia, and to check- Just try a bottle, and you will never mate her attempts in that line is as want to be without it in the house much a part of the policy of the as a family medicine. Sold at Z. C. other powers. It is a most conspic uous bone of contention, and the eccentricities of El M-hdl are likely to re-open the question and make and formidable complications. The ultimate result may possibly be the opening of a general European conflict of arms.

BYTELEGRAPH AMERICAN.

LATERT BY LIGHTNING.

Pere Hyacinthe Coming. Bosron, 8—Pere Hyacinthe and family have arrived. At a public meeting on Sunday night he will deliver an address. It is then his intention to wisit a few of the east-

NEW YORK, 8 -Bank statement, reserve decrea s \$1,528,224, banks now hold 4,630,750 in excess of the

A (auard for Political Purposes, AUSTIN, Texas, 8 .- Referring to recent report sent out that a suit would be brought in the United States Court of Claims to recover the value of a aves emancipated durng the war, says Governor Ireland: Attorney General Templeton and several prodinant lawyers were consulted by a reporter and they scout the idea that Texas has any more claim on the Federal government than any other Southern State and say the scheme is a very foolish one and that if anybody is engaged in it, which is regarded as doubtful, it is for political purposes.

Recevered. New York, 8 —Senator Anthony has fully recovered and gone to Washington.

6'Donnell and the President There is law enough against poly amy already. The difficulty is in the enforcement."

WASHINGTON, 8—A large congressional delegation called upon the President to-day, and presented a petition praying him to exert his influence to secure a respite for

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EVENTAG NEWS, will overrun and revolutionize every Irishman in a British court of law and never contribute, or advocate the contribution of any more money longer show any, and that while outside of Utah, his opposition is so and suggests that a New Zealander

FOREIGN. PATCHES.

The Death Penalty.

Berne, 8 .- Canton Valais has de cided to restore the death penalty as a punishment for murder. Bombarding Badaga: ear.

Paris, 8 - Admiral Galiber te'e graphs that the fleet destroyed seve-

Galveston, 7.—The "News Dallas special "ays: The Mill-Iron Company will consolidate with the Conmental Company the first Tuesday in January. The combination re-

Washington, 7 .- Representative Payson, of Illinois, will on Monday introduce a bill for the forfeiture of 50,000,000 scres of unearned land grants, heading the list with 15,000,-00 acres claimed by the Texas Pa

Boston, 7.—The President of the Workingmen's Association of Lynn calls for a national convention of the National Workingmen's party, and the nom nation of candidate for President and Vice-President.

Washington, 7 .- Senator Hill o Colorado, will not reply to Merrill's attack upon ellver at once, but will wait till some bill comes up for ac ion. He will probably have his till more formidable opens. Pro the p oposition of Garland to redeem the trade collar. first opportuniny in the debate upon

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