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STAKE CONFERENCE SENSATIONS.

The News has had occasion to point out that sensational and untrue reports of Stake conferences are furnished to some of its contemporaries, with the result that there is more amusement of a foolish and sometimes vicious character, since it is based on a misstatement or misunderstanding of the facts. We pointed out that with reference to the recent Blake conference at Provo this sensational inaccuracy was given considerable play. At the Tooele conference also, it was included in and given even broader scope, as it has been in the reports furnished of several ward conferences. Cache Stake was brought into the same line of reports concerning the meetings at Logan. There the Stake clerk came out with a prompt denial of the principal misstatements published here. His letter appears in the Tribune of this morning, and reads:

Editor Tribune—In your special from Logan, appearing in the issue of May 4th, there are some discrepancies which convey a wrong impression of what occurred and do an injustice in some men whose names are mentioned. The voting on the recent declaration was as full and hearty as the writer has witnessed on any occasion in our Stake conferences. The opposition vote, as I counted it, numbered five, but I learned there were two behind me under the gallery who also voted in the negative. The estimate given by your informant was at least double the actual opposition vote. Your correspondent was misinformed as to the action before the High Council. Of the three mentioned as voting against the manifesto, George W. Thatcher and A. P. Rich Jr. did not vote either way, while A. O. Barber voted for it.

There was also an error as to the cause for not presenting the Stake authorities. It has not been the rule for several years in this Stake to present them more than once, or at most twice a year. All the authorities were put before the conference in February; it therefore would be unusual to present them again at this time.

Trusting you will give this publicity in the interest of fairness, yours truly,

J. E. WILSON,
Clerk of Stake and of High Council.

LOGAN, May 5, 1896.

We refer to this matter now so that readers of the News may save another suggestion as to the perverse character of the reports referred to, and the unworthy motives which inspire them. There has been a great deal of raving and ranting through some of the papers over conditions which have had no existence except in imagination awakened by these incorrect and overdrawn reports, and then only through deductions of an extreme and unreasoning character. The whole thing will almost down after a while, when the folly of those who have been shouting to ward off apparitions of their own creation will be made manifest.

Some people have become so wedded to the practice of misrepresenting the Mormons that they cannot lay it aside except for a little while at a time, and these are making most of the present opportunity to revel in the mire. We should like to point out to them something better, if they would heed; but if they will persist in following the beer course, they must abide the consequences. People of fairer judgment and more honorable methodism will soon cease to be agitated by the noise and exhortations for which there is no occasion whatever. Abraham Lincoln's remark about letting the people is apropos to the present situation; and the sensation mongers who attempt the deception will not be gainers thereby in the long run, since truth and the good sense of the people are against them.

BILL AND WOLCOTT.

It is just possible that when Senator Hill of New York put through with Senator Wolcott of Colorado in the United States Senate debate on Wednesday, the Colorado senator felt as if he had been "monkeying with a buzz saw." The result was to rise in point of a tender character in the name of good taste and decency, he probably will not quite whether it did that or whether he violated the rule which the sole Colorado invoked. In brief, as Mr. Hill was regaling the Senate with some newspaper correspondence of Senator Pettigrew of Dakota, whose Mr. Wolcott objected, and was "called off" by the senior New Yorker who the reminder that Mr. Pettigrew had been in the habit of reading such articles the day before, and therefore was merely getting a dose of his own medicine, then Mr. Wolcott's interest in him was functionally reduced when" by Mr. Hill's reference to the Colorado senator's speech on the Mexico matter.

Whatever view one may take of the resolution that was under debate, it cannot be denied that Senator Hill had the better of the method, both as to the right of the case and the way he prosecuted it, when it comes down to the quality of personal attitude that has been furnished by it. It was a disgrace to the Senate that the mention of a nationality such as the Jews would evoke hooted it was a credit to senators to refuse a line of debate that called for their sympathizers to indulge in such unseemly proceedings; and the criticisms and abuse of a personal character heaped upon President Cleveland and others in the Senate chamber and elsewhere is a proceeding in which possibly no one can take no pride. The country would be much better off if a similar spectacle never should be witnessed again in its legislative halls.

That the policy of the administration is regarded by many people as deserving of severe censure none can deny; and that it is the inviolable right of senators and others to apply that censure to the full extent of their powers is equally plain. But this furnishes no justification for the hard names and vituperation resorted to, and the criminal offenses charged against men in high places in the nation. The public acts of President Cleveland and others in official position may be by his political opponents regarded and assailed as the blight of an absurd or a ruinous policy; but when it comes to charging the chief magistrate of the nation and his associates with theft, robbery, conspiracy, and other crimes which should lead to jail persons guilty of them, it is going altogether too far, because the accusations cannot be substantiated in a court of justice. Men may be honest and earnest even in following a bad policy, and there can be no question of the President's integrity in carrying out the administration policy, be it good or bad. Senator Hill's retaliation in this instance ought to be a lesson to the entire Senate and mend its ways in the matter of personal abuse.

A GOOD WORD FOR TURKEY.

Among the disturbers spoken of other city of distress from the interior of Turkey. The Armenians cay that the extreme destitution to which they have been brought may cause an uprising in sheer despair for a last struggle, which will end in their total extermination.

In the minds of those acquainted with the conditions under which the Armenians live, there is no doubt that they are deserving of much sympathy, but every story has more than one side, and little else the Turkish side has been heard easily in diplomatic circles. It would seem not right, therefore, to give some situation to whatever can be said on the side. It is a question in the minds of many whether the continued persecution absolutely the result of differences in opinion on religious points.

A missionary in the service, we believe, of the Seventh Day Adventists, writes to Evangelical Sentinel, a paper published in Battle Creek, Mich., that he and another missionary were in Constantinople from September 5 to October 17, during the days of the great Armenian excitement there. They had a Bible school in the home of an Armenian in Stamboul, and Armenians, Greeks and others visited the school every day. The room was on the ground floor with the doors open. Yet, he says, no attempt was ever made by any authority to molest those who frequented the place. Turkish troops passed the house every day and sometimes looked in through the windows. A few days after the excitement two persons were killed in the vicinity of the city, but more like the cities were from the Armenian church. There were many Turks present, but no one made any disturbance or gave any sign that he would like to prevent the performance of the services.

The writer further states that he is personally acquainted with a great number of Armenians who do not belong to the Armenian church, but to a sect that is known not to meddle in any way with politics but insistence the divine institution in the established authorities. These, he says, are generally protected by the Turkish authorities, if they are the objects of persecution by others. As an instance he relates that they had pitches a raid containing the last commencement, which they said in the streets of Constantinople. An Armenian engaged in this work was one day arrested and interrogated. When the interview was brought to the knowledge of the chief of police, the illiterate against the prisoner as an enemy, and to the officer who had made the arrest he said: "This is a good disposition to have distributed as soon a time as this." The conclusion is that most of the sufferings of the Armenians are added to another by the people taking a view who cause that they sometimes do.

It is no doubt true that the Turks in Turkey is largely due to the desire of the Armenians to gain independence of Turkish rule, and that, were the politics entirely a religious one, it would cause not little disorder. And while it is a source of gratification to note that not one Christian missionary has a good word to say for the Turks, the fact remains that the differences between the Turkish people and the Armenian people are of such a nature

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IRELAND'S PROSPERITY.

If the plan outlined for Ireland by John Edward Parnell, M. P. for South Meath, who is now on the Atlantic returning from this country, is carried out with vigor, it will do more toward conciliating conditions in the Emerald Isle than all the rhetorical efforts of the past half century. Mr. Parnell is a brother of the late Charles Stewart Parnell, and represents the same district that first sent the great leader to Parliament; he is a successful business man. To the New York Mail and Express representative he stated his belief that industrial progress will do more to keep alive the national spirit of his country than any specific political concession gained by parliamentary legislation; he is heartily alive to the fact that the population of Ireland has been reduced 40 per cent in fifty years. Mr. Parnell says he fully believes his brother's words that "the young men of Ireland will be the future of Ireland," and regards as a prime necessity in future national success the promotion of industries that will give employment to the many and lessen the tide of emigration. Irish parliamentary representatives, dissatisfied as they are, he says, cannot obtain from the British government any valuable industrial reforms at this time. He thinks a proper beginning must be made by the men who are following the policy laid down by the Irish independent party. With this end in view he and his colleagues have from their private fortunes established certain industries in Ireland, which give employment to several thousand persons. A continuance of this policy would enable the inhabitants of the country to attain a local prosperity that would silence much of the unprofitable political agitation which has been going on, and would be about the best thing that could happen to the green little isle.

LABOR, SHEEP AND DOGS.

The News prints today five of the new laws, all of them short, but all of general public interest. One relates to mechanic's liens, by which an employee is made to the former law, and another is to secure to employees their wages in cases of receivership; both of these acts are of special interest to mechanics and laborers generally. A third provides for the collection of damages for injuries by visitors or miscellaneous acts, and will cause a breath of relief to those who are afflicted by their neighbors' canines. The fourth relates to cheese in sheep, taking the place of a much more cumbersome law; it provides for the dipping of sheep annually to prevent disease. The fifth provides for the drawing of grass and reed leaves in the various counties of the state.

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