

with them, as far as is right and proper, so that we may show them the excellency there is in the knowledge of God; not to get down to their level, but keep ourselves to ourselves.

We ought to consider the nature of our high calling. Those very people who are our most devoted enemies, and who pour out a flood of lies about us over the nation, drowning the moral sense of the people thereof—know our goodness, and it is only one thing—our great pretended objection to us—viz., our religion.

Now, then, we ought to understand that our labors and our conduct individually and collectively are open before the world, our conduct and attitude as a people before the nation, should be according to the dignity of our position, that the nations of the earth may see and know we are true to our God, to our professions of faith, and that we are honestly pushing forward the kingdom of God. This should be the spirit of the whole people. We should be ready to make any sacrifice, and discharge every obligation necessary for the advancement of His kingdom.

These are some of the reflections that have passed through my mind during the days of this conference. I hope, while we have been together, that all have been benefited by the instructions that have been given; fed at the table of the Lord with such a feast that you can go to your homes like giants refreshed with wine.

I testify that this is the work of God in which we are engaged, that it is true, not only true, but the more I see of it, the more I sense that it is true, and may confidence in its power and influence is, that it will triumph over all things—all powers and influences not ordained of God. The more the clouds lower, the more vivid the lightning, and the more rumbling the thunders, the more does it show to me that the coming of the Lord is near at hand; that He is bringing these things about as fast as we are prepared to receive them. We ought, therefore, to strive for an increase of faith, strength and ability to know the will of the Lord and to do it; for those who love Him are they that know His will and do it.

The sum of the whole matter is, that having found the straight and narrow path that leads to the tree of eternal life, our only safety is in seizing hold of the rod of iron, which is the word of God, and clinging to it through all the dark, misty and troublesome experiences we may be called to pass through; and that if we do this we shall find ourselves eventually partaking of those fruits which will bring to us eternal life, with joys supernatural.

May the blessing of Israel's God go with you to your homes. May you feel refreshed and strengthened; feel stronger in the truth than ever before. If you should feel tried more than you ever have been, go to the Father in secret and tell Him your troubles, and He will be pleased to make manifest that which you desire to know, to give you more than you ever received heretofore. Notwithstanding that our prospects seem dark in many respects, yet I assure you the Lord has not turned His face away from us. He will manifest His presence from time to time to all those who diligently seek after Him. May His blessing be upon your families, your flocks and herds and all that has been given unto you. May he give unto us a right frame of mind that we may teach transgressors His ways and sinners be converted unto Him. The world has treated with contempt the efforts of the Saints; yet He has given unto us the treasures of eternity, shown unto us many principles of salvation that pertain not only to the living but to the dead. I rejoice that so much is being done in temples, thus creating a union with the dead as well as with those that are around us, and this sphere of work will increase until we are one with the Church of the First Born and the spirits of the just made perfect.

Oh! that God will preserve us in the truth, that when we are done with our work in the flesh we may be prepared to go hence and be re-united with the fathers and rejoice in a fulness of rest and glory with the redeemed. That this may be our happy lot I labor and earnestly pray, in the name of Jesus Christ, Amen.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

NEW YORK, April 12.—The hydrographic office report received today states that large quantities of ice off the Newfoundland coast were rapidly drifting into the steamer routes. Captain Dawson of the steamer *Portia*, which arrived yesterday from Newfoundland via Halifax, says that he was blocked in the ice at Newfoundland with other vessels for three weeks. Continuous strong east winds packed the ice so close to shore that from Signal Hill, at the entrance to the harbor, giving a range of view of over sixty miles, no open water could be seen, and during that time the ice was so solid that he walked over four miles to another vessel. His vessel was set free by a westerly breeze, and it passed thirty icebergs in as many miles. The steamer *Austria* got wedged just as the *Portia* cleared out. Her captain reported, upon arrival in Boston yesterday, having passed forty icebergs between St. John and Cape Race.

CHICAGO, April 12.—The Master Brewers publish an advertisement today quoting the resolutions adopted Tuesday to the effect that if the boycott placed on them by the workmen

of this city is not removed before the 16th instant they will proceed to reorganize their working force, inviting the men who desire steady work in the breweries to register their names at headquarters. At ten o'clock today 300 applicants for work registered their names and addresses. The secretary of the Master Brewers said if the boycott was not removed by Monday they will proceed to weed out the malcontents and fill their places. The men who work in the breweries show symptoms of alarm at the action of the employers, and many manifest a disposition to rebel against the Central Labor Union and take the disposition of the trouble into their own hands.

The Master Brewers yesterday received a dispatch saying the resolutions adopted by the United States Brewer's Association will be upheld and carried out to the letter. It was signed by the Chicago and Milwaukee Brewer's Association.

NEWARK, April 12.—A labor mass meeting was held tonight, and the journeymen brewers were pledged financial aid in case they are locked out by the boss brewers.

ST. LOUIS, April 12.—The jury in the case of David Walker, chief of the Bald Knobbers that has been on trial at Ozark, Missouri, returned a verdict this afternoon of murder in the first degree. James Matthews, Wm. Stanley, Amos Jones and C. C. Simmons, were sentenced by the court. Stanley and Jones got twenty-five years in the penitentiary, Simmons fifteen years, and Matthews was released on \$1000 bail.

BRADFORD, Pa., April 12.—The passenger train on the Erie Railroad which left here at 4:25 this morning, collided with a freight train at a point six miles below the city. The 120 cars of which the freight train was composed, together with the two engines, were piled up in a shapeless mass. The engineers and firemen of both trains saved their lives by jumping, but the passenger engineer was severely, though not fatally, injured. None of the passengers sustained fatal injuries.

FLAGSTAFF, A. T., April 12.—A Chinaman, Wee Yung, was fatally shot at Fairview Station on the Atlantic & Pacific Railroad this morning by the accidental discharge of a pistol as he alighted from the train. His valise, in which was a 44 Colt's, was thrown on the platform, the concussion discharging the pistol. The bullet passed through his abdomen. The coroner's jury rendered a verdict of accidental death.

ST. PETERSBURG, April 12.—An explosion occurred today in a powder factory on the line of the St. Petersburg & Moscow railway. Seven men were killed and many injured.

ST. PAUL, April 12.—The water in the Mississippi passed the danger line for the people living on the flats on the northwest side of the river at 2 o'clock this morning. One or two families moved out yesterday, but before daylight this morning a number found it necessary to vacate. The water rose two feet between 2 and 9 o'clock this morning. At 8 o'clock the water stood thirteen feet at the Signal Service gauge. It rose this afternoon at the rate of three quarters of an inch per hour. Danger from the flood on the flats west of Dakota Avenue, is also imminent.

NEW YORK, April 12.—Mrs. Diss De Barr, her husband "General" Diss De Barr, Benjamin Lawrence and his son, Frank Lawrence, who were arrested last night for conspiracy to defraud the septuagenarian lawyer, Luther B. Marsh, through pretended spiritual manifestations, were arraigned in the Tombs this morning. Lawyer William P. Howe appeared against the prisoners on behalf of the relations and friends of Marsh. He said he appeared for the prosecution in the interest of public morality, and also to protect that notorious respected citizen, Luther B. Marsh, from the delusion under which he is now held by this adventuress and swindler, who calls herself the daughter of Princess Editha Lolo Montez and Countess of Langfeldt, but who was no more that person than he was. Marsh, he continued, had said that if it can be shown that she is not the person that she pretends to be, the "spell" would be ended. "I hope," he concluded, "that Mrs. Diss De Barr will go upon the stand and let me have an opportunity of cross-examining her."

He then produced a copy of an affidavit made by Mrs. Diss De Barr in 1870, in a complaint made by her against Victoria Woodhull, who she accused of retaining \$6000 worth of diamonds and bonds she had entrusted to her for safe keeping. In this affidavit, Mrs. Diss De Barr calls herself Editha Gilbert Montez, and it is for the purpose of proving she claimed this to be her name that it is offered. The examination was adjourned until this afternoon to enable the prisoners to secure counsel.

When the case was called this afternoon it was again adjourned until Wednesday next on account of the illness of her lawyer. Judge Kilbreth fixed the bail of Mrs. Diss De Barr and her husband at \$5000 each and the Lawrences at \$2000 each. In default of bail they were locked up in the city jail. Lawyer Marsh did not appear at the hearing.

Inspector Byrnes says Mrs. Diss De Barr has in her possession letters from many prominent business and society men, in which she is termed "Angel Annie" and similar terms. The letters if published, he says, would create the liveliest sensation.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., April 13.—The construction train on the Kansas City,

Memphis and Birmingham Railway was wrecked sixty miles west of here at 1:30 last evening. Four workmen were killed, one injured fatally and nine others seriously hurt. The train was backing at a high rate of speed when it struck a cow and was derailed.

WARSAW, N. Y., April 13.—Robert Van Brunt was hanged in Warsaw jail this morning for the murder of his sweetheart's half brother, Will Roy, October 6, 1886. He was a member of the Salvation Army.

FLORIDA, N. Y., April 13.—Two dwellings were burned last night. Mrs. Bird and her babe, who occupied one of them, perished.

FERGUS FALLS, Minn., 13.—Nels Olson Holmgren was hanged here at two o'clock this afternoon for the murder last May of his employer's daughter.

NEW YORK, April 13.—Dr. Agnew is still seriously ill with peritphitis. Dr. Sands, who performed the operation on Conkling, will today perform an operation on Agnew, who was one of the consulting physicians in the Conkling case.

Dr. Sands said this morning that Agnew is now much nearer to death than Conkling.

WASHINGTON, April 13.—Mrs. Grassie G. Bulkley committed suicide last night by taking poison. Mrs. Bulkley was the only daughter of Judge Curtis J. Hillyer, and her elopement with a young Bulkley some months ago caused quite a sensation. She separated from him after the marriage and went to her father's house. A few days afterwards she went to live with him, and after a short time returned to her parents.

ST. JOHNSVILLE, April 13.—The First National Bank was robbed between 12 and 3 this morning. Entrance was effected through the back window. The burglars blew off the vault and safe doors and carried off not less than ten thousand dollars in cash, eight hundred and twenty dollars in unsigned bills, a gold watch and chain, valued at one hundred and seventy-five dollars, together with other jewelry left at the bank for safe keeping. No trace of the burglars has been discovered.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., April 13.—Lee McElroy, a colored youth, 15 years old, this morning stole the three-year-old child of Robert Hoskins, a well known business man, while the little one was playing. A search was instituted and the negro was found hiding with the child. He said he intended to hold the child for a ransom. The neighborhood was greatly excited over the event, and but for the extreme youth of the offender, he would have been lynched.

FALMOUTH, Mass., April 13.—A disastrous forest fire started this noon. It is burning very fast with a strong wind, and the village of Toticket is in great danger. At 1 p.m. the fire was not yet under control.

NEW YORK, April 13.—At 1 o'clock this afternoon while two Longshoremen were employed in unloading lumber from the ship *Glen Quinn*, lying at the foot of Harrison Street, Brooklyn, the ship suddenly took fire and also ignited the pier. The fire gained considerable headway before the firemen arrived, but at 2:45 o'clock the fire was under control. The origin of the fire is unknown, nor can it be learned who is the owner of the vessel. The damage to the pier and contents is estimated at \$100,000. Three firemen were slightly injured.

BOSTON, April 13.—At a fire in 135 and 150 High Street this morning, an explosion of gas occurred, burning three firemen probably fatally, and three others seriously.

NEW YORK, April 13.—The following particulars were received tonight from health officer Smith concerning the steamer *Newport* from Aspinwall with eleven cases of smallpox on board: "Arrived this morning seven days from Aspinwall with 70 cabin and 23 steerage passengers; 11 persons were removed to the hospital, some with smallpox. All persons on board have been vaccinated. The exposure has been such that the detention of the crew and steerage passengers and a portion of the other passengers will be necessary. The surgeon of the steamer having been one of the first persons attacked the supervision and detection of subsequent cases was necessarily imperfect."

SAN FRANCISCO, April 13.—At Emeryville today Louis Hanson, whose wife recently secured a divorce from him and afterwards married J. C. Gardner, went to the hotel where they were stopping and in a fit of jealousy shot them both. He then turned the weapon on himself and fell to the floor dead. Gardner and his wife may live.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., April 14.—Mrs. Eliza Thornburg, aged 74, and quite wealthy, was found dead in her room at Jeffersonton, this county, this morning. In attempting to start a fire with coal oil, her dress caught fire. She was so badly burned she died before any one learned of the accident.

GLOUCESTER, Mass., April 14.—The schooner *James A. Garfield*, from the Banks, reports lost four of the crew, named John Goodwin, Joseph Martin, Alexander Jameson and John Corrie, while they were tending trawls.

CITY OF MEXICO, via Galveston, April 14.—One of the walls of the former convent of San Bernardino in this city, which was in process of demolition, fell in yesterday, burying many workmen in the ruins. So far, three dead bodies have been recovered. Fifteen or twenty persons were wounded more or less seriously.

MOOREHEAD, Minn., April 14.—The Red River still continues to rise steadily at the rate of one inch and a half an hour. Several houses on the point are submerged, and the occupants forced to leave. The river has risen twenty feet in all. It is reported that the railway bridge at Wappetown, Dakota, was carried away this morning.

HUON, Dakota, April 14.—News was received this morning that a prairie fire did great damage twelve miles south yesterday afternoon. Several farmers lost their barns, sheds, cattle, grain and hay.

MINNEAPOLIS, April 14.—The Big Sioux River has overflowed its banks and done considerable damage in the vicinity of Sioux Falls, Dakota. The Illinois Central Railroad bridge east of the city has been carried away; also, the Milwaukee bridge at Keyes, eighteen miles north. Over 2000 feet of Milwaukee track at Elk Point have been carried away, entirely cutting that place off from communication with Sioux City. The river is still rising, and it is feared much more damage will be done.

KANSAS CITY, April 14.—A *Times* special from Albuquerque, New Mexico, says it is reported that a train containing thirty horses of "Lucky" Baldwin's stable, has been wrecked near Peach Springs, Arizona, and several of the most valuable horses badly injured.

WASHINGTON, April 14.—A unanimous vote today the House committee on elections decided the contested election case of Nathan Frank vs. John M. Glover in the ninth Missouri district in favor of Mr. Glover, the sitting member. Two republican members of the committee were absent from the meeting.

An order authorizing the most extensive movement of troops of the regular army that has occurred since the close of the war was issued from the headquarters of the army yesterday. It involves a change in station of troops from no less than ten of the forty regiments and in most cases full regiments are to be moved. All the troops that have not had a change since 1880 are involved. The main object of this extensive change is to concentrate regiments at larger posts.

WASHINGTON, April 15.—The weekly weather crop bulletin says: The weather for the week has been favorable for growing crops in all agricultural districts. Reports from the southern states show it was favorable for cotton and cane, and that small grain crops have been affected favorably. The season is probably ten days late in the middle Atlantic States and from 15 to 20 days late in the northwest where seeding is progressing slowly.

WASHINGTON, April 15.—The train which left New York on the Pennsylvania road at 12:30 this morning was wrecked by a collision with an engine in the Philadelphia yards. The engineer and fireman and several passengers were badly injured.

The collision occurred on an elevated track in the Philadelphia yard and was caused by a misapprehension of the engineer of a light engine, who understood that the passenger train had gone by, and started out on the main track. Both engines and four passenger cars were turned over and badly smashed. None of those injured are in a dangerous condition. Fred. K. Hayzelden, Honolulu, received a severe cut on the head.

BERLIN, April 15.—It is learned through reliable sources that Emperor Frederick wanted to extend amnesty to all socialists and to recall those who have been banished, but that Bismarck dissuaded him from doing so.

CHICAGO, April 15.—A special from Creston, Iowa, says: The fast mail on the Burlington road collided with a freight train near here this morning. The fireman of the freight train was instantly killed. Engineer Bouch, brakemen Gibbons and Miller, and engineer Carpenter of the mail train were badly bruised. Two mail cars were thrown down an embankment and totally burned together with a bridge near which the accident occurred. The mail clerks were rescued. The wreck is said to have been caused by the freight train running past a station where it should have side tracked.

LONDON, April 15.—A dispatch from Calcutta says that the damage caused at Dacca by a recent tornado, amounting to 100,000 rupees and that 112 bodies have been recovered from the ruins and over 1000 persons, more or less injured are in hospitals.

NEW YORK, April 16.—At 8 o'clock this morning Dr. Hartly, said in an official bulletin, that there was no material change in Conkling's condition, whose pulse and temperature were about the same. The patient slept for four hours during the night and was asleep at 8 o'clock. Conkling took a good deal of nourishment during the night.

At half-past twelve o'clock Fred. Grant came out of Conkling's apartments. He said: "Everything in the house looks bright and smiling today. Mrs. Conkling looks as though she has lost a great weight of trouble from her mind. She is infinitely relieved by the good news imparted by the doctors. Mrs. Conkling and Mrs. Oakland are looking remarkably well considering the troubles through which they have passed and I am more than delighted to witness such a state of things."

LONDON, April 16.—Matthew Arnold, the noted poet, scholar, critic and theologian, whose recent article on "Civilization in the United States" attracted marked attention, died suddenly today in Liverpool, from heart disease.

The Independent Party.

On Thursday last, at Franklin, Idaho, an important meeting of the leaders of the Independent party was held. Hon. Wm. Badger, of Bear Lake County, was chairman of the meeting. The meeting was attended by representative members of the party from different localities in Southern Idaho, among whom were John Donaldson, Jenkin Jones and Horton Haight. With matters of interest to the party discussed at the meeting, was the question of voting.

The following resolution was offered and unanimously carried:

Resolved, That it be considered the sense of this meeting that there is nothing in the Idaho test oath to prohibit any person from voting or holding office, provided he is a citizen of the United States, of the proper age and is qualified as to residence, and who is not a bigamist or polygamist, or who does not teach, or advise the practice of polygamy, or plural marriage, or any other crime.

ESTRAY NOTICE.

I HAVE IN MY POSSESSION:

One brown MARE, about 4 years old, brand resembling 26 on left thigh, small white spot in forehead.

If said animal is not claimed and taken away within ten days from date, she will be sold to the highest cash bidder, at two o'clock p. m., April 21, 1888, at the estray pound. J. H. KENNEDY, Poundkeeper.

Aurora, Sevier County, April 11, 1888.

ESTRAY NOTICE.

I HAVE IN MY POSSESSION:

One gray HORSE, about 5 years old, white in face, branded something like 2 on left thigh.

If not claimed and taken away within ten days will be sold to the highest bidder, at the Lehi City estray pound, on Tuesday, April 24, 1888, at 2 o'clock p. m.

MICHAEL VAUGHAN, Poundkeeper. Lehi, Utah County, April 14, 1888.

ESTRAY NOTICE.

I HAVE IN MY POSSESSION:

One bay HORSE, 7 or 8 years old, white spot in forehead, white on nose, Branded L with a bar under it on left thigh, vented on left hip.

If damage and costs on said animal be not paid within ten days from date of this notice, it will be sold to the highest cash bidder, at the Huntington estray pound, at 10 o'clock, on the 21st day of April, 1888.

Dated at Huntington Precinct, Emery Co., Utah, this 11th day of April, 1888. J. F. WAKEFIELD, Poundkeeper.

ESTRAY NOTICE.

I HAVE IN MY POSSESSION:

One bay MARE, 6 or 7 years old, white spot on nose, branded with a diamond on right thigh.

One brown MARE, 4 or 5 years old, brand resembling 8 on right thigh and vented on shoulder, and a brand resembling 2 on right thigh.

Which, if not claimed and taken away on or before the 24th day of April, at 10 o'clock a. m., they will be sold in the estray pound in Levan, to the highest cash bidder. Levan, Juab County, April 14th, 1888.

AUGUSTUS SHEPHERD, Precinct Poundkeeper.

ESTRAY NOTICE.

I HAVE IN MY POSSESSION:

One black MARE, 3 or 4 years old, both hind feet white, branded MP combined on left thigh. Also

One bay MARE, 9 years old, strip in face, branded resembling JS on left thigh, illegible brand on left J shoulder.

If damage and costs on said animals be not paid within ten days from date of this notice, they will be sold to the highest cash bidder at the Nephi estray pound, at 9 o'clock, on the 23rd day of April, 1888.

Dated at Nephi Precinct, Juab County, Utah, this 13th day of April, 1888. PETER SUTTON, Poundkeeper of said Precinct.

ESTRAY NOTICE.

I HAVE IN MY POSSESSION:

One white COW, about 4 years old, brand resembling HY combined on left ribs.

One red HEIFER, about three years old, brand resembling HY combined, on left hip.

One red line-backed COW, white under belly, 8 or 9 years old, brand resembling HK combined on left hip, under slope and crop off left ear, tip of left horn broken off.

One speckled HEIFER, 2 years old, roan head, brand resembling HK combined on left ribs, hole in right ear.

One blue roan HORSE, 8 or 10 years old, saddle marked, brand resembling 2 on left thigh, also brand resembling H on left shoulder.

Which, if not claimed before will be sold April 23rd, at 1 o'clock p. m., to the highest bidder, at Mayfield estray pound.

F. J. CHRISTIANSON, Poundkeeper. Mayfield, Sanpete Co., April 13th, 1888.

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