must renew and keep up the vital force, by hybridizing with varieties not akin. Of course the season has much influence in developing this weakness; but other things being equal, those who renew their seeds often and get the best, have the best crops, and have valuable seeds to sell. Care in selecting the best ear of corn and the best seeds, will improve the kind. Generally, farmers plant what small, unripe potatoes are left in the Spring, or buy cheap ones for that purpose, and get their seed corn, often two or three times in one season, from an open rail pen, and sow their mixed wheat after it sprouts and heats until it will hardly germinate at all. Such are those who often grumble at hard times, poor crops, rust, smut, etc. and hang it up to dry in the Fall, and to save or procure seed wheat from a distance; and it costs money to get the best seeds, but it pays.

PROCLAMATION.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT Utah Ter., Salt Lake City, March 6, 1869. To whom it may concern:

Know ye, that whereas, by virtue of authority vested in the Governor of Utah Territory by an act of Congress, entitled "An Act relating to the District Courts of Utah Territory,"approved July 27, 1868, the Governor of said Territory having appointed the second Monday of March of each year on which to hold the first term of the District Court of the third Judicial District of said Territory, and designated Chief Justice Wilson as the Judge for said Judicial District, and

Whereas, it having been made known to me that the said Chief Justice Wilson is absent from the Territory, and that such absence will be continued beyond the time of the present year so appointed by the Governor for holding the first tern of said court of said year,

Now therefore, I, Edwin Higgins, acting Governor of said Territory, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the act of Congress aforesaid, do hereby appoint the Fourth Monday of April, A. D. 1869, at 11 o'clock, a.m., as the day and time for holding the first term in said year of the District Court in and for the third Judicial District of said Territory.

In testimony thereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the great seal of said Territory, the day and year

first above written.

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EDWIN HIGGINS: Acting Governor Utah.

NEWS FROM HEBRON.—Brother John Pulsipher, writing from Hebron, Washington County, on the 16th ult., says "We are getting along quite comfortable and happy in our small settlement. We are few in number but they are very good people; we increase in numbers and the Lord is blessing the country for us. When four of us located here six years ago, as stock raisers, we supposed the place good for nothing else on account of scarcity of water. Now we number upwards of one hundred, do considerable farming, and water is increasing faster than we can use it. We are moving out of our fort on to our city lots in the pleasant town of "Hebron" lately located on Shoal Creek. Our Indian neighbors are peaceable. The winter so far is fine and pleasant, cattle are fat. The health of the people generally is good.

Meetings and schools are well attended, especially the Sunday school. The little souls rejoice much in their annual presents of books as a New Year's gifts.

Father Pulsipher's health is good; he stands it well for one that has passed through what he has. He was 79 years old last June, and is a hard-laboring, active man yet and is raising another family of young children."

Good for father Pulsipher!

品的自身社会。 SMALL Pox.—We were told, a day or two since, by Major D. B. Huntington, Indian Interpreter, that he had heard a report of the death of an Indian Child from small pox, at the Point of the Mountain. The Major was by no means certain of the truth of the report, and we are of the opinion that his information was not very reliable. If the reports, which have been circulated in our contemporaries, from various quarters where the small pox has been raging, be at all reliable, the Indians seem to be favored with a remarkable exemption from the attacks of this terrible malady. The Territorial Enterprise, published at Virginia City, Nevada, where the ravages of this disease have been somewhat severe, says:-"It is rather singular that not a single Indian has thus far during the winter taken the smallpox. Both squaws and bucks are numerous about the town and are constantly poking about in all sorts of narrow lanes and by-places, yet somehow they have thus far escaped the scourge which is being so severely felt by the whites. A great number -perhaps all now in this vicinity-were vaccinated some three months since, since which time they appear to have no fear of Heating Stoves.

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small-pox. In conversation with one of their head men, the other day, he told us will see all the Piute boys get up and dust d-d quick.' The measles broke out among the Piutes some two years since at Pyramid Lake and swept away whole families, hence their great fear of the disease. They inquire almost daily whether the measles have broke out in town. A case of measles would cause a grand and general stampede of the Piutes now encamped about

Since the above was written we have been informed by Dr. Clinton, the City Quarantine Physician, that the Indians have informed him that the child referred to above is one that was sick with the erysipelas when he visited their lodges on the hill, near the old city wall, when it was reported It is some trouble to gather seed corn a short time ago that they had the smallpox among them. I have well and a

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