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"WHOSO sheddeth man's blood, by man shall his blood be shed, for in the image of God made he man." This is the divine law. It was declared by the Almighty when Noah and his family came forth from the ark after the deluge, and commenced the work of replenishing the earth, then cleansed from pollution by the baptism of water.

This law has never been repealed by competent authority. The Almighty promulged it, no inferior power can annul it. Human governments have generally adopted and enforced it, recognizing death as the only adequate penalty for murder. Of late years there has been an attempt to substitute for it, life-long imprisonment. But this proceeds from a weak sentimentality rather than a true sense of Twenty-first Ward Company will justice. Pity for the culprit prevails over society's claim for pre-

Lootfor for his life," is a scriptural saying, the truth of which is borne out by in the beginning, the home human experience. "While there of is life there is hope." The dread of on which the actors will be a violent death is greater than any parsons of irreproachable characterrors of imprisonment. In the ter, a place in , which vice will be latter there is always a chance of escape. It is not the inevitable. A an educator and elevator as well as tender hearted Executive may at a house of amusement of the people. some time grant a pardon, and a Home products, home manufacbare probability at least exists for escape in some way. But the sentence of death rigidly enforced, carries with it a strong deterrent to the human animal too apt to be governed by passion and too prone to despise principle.

In those States or countries which have tried the abolition of capital punishment, the new mode has not been found to work woll. The number of homicides has rapidly increased there, and statesmen who were formerly in favor of the sentimental mode have changed their opinions and joined the ranks of the advocates of the

penalty. We bolleve death they are right, and see no reason whatever why man should attempt to change the law that the Eternal information relative to the alleged

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and they will make all the entertainment of that class that we could reasonably require. The appear at the Theatre on Saturday

The Times, commenting on the onu Francisco calculation and divorce calendar, says: They show at what a high pressure people there live. They have as a rule no repose, no regular method, no wholesome self-discipline. Life is emotional, sen-sational, carnivalities. All the in-habitants from the lowest to the night. Let us support them by our "All that a man hath will be give encouraging home talent make our Theatre what it was designed to be the moral drama, a stage dist habitants from the lowest to the highest, from the poorest to the most prosperous, look to some incky venture for the golden reward of spasmodic effort, and when balked of their sims and hopes they impulsively throw off the life which, for the moment, seems un-endurable. What San Francisco needs for a healthful development is the acceptance of the idea of regular work, with proportions to contemned and virtue sustained, tures, home talent, should be fos. tered by the Latter-day Saints. This is in accordance with our reregular work- with proportionate compensation and the relinquishligion, and is prompted by the soundest principles of social and ment of faith in convulsive and



EXTRA SESSION. SENATE. WASHINGTON, 16.—The Presi-dent pro tem. laid before the Senate a message from the President of the United States in reply to the reso-lution of the 7th inst., requesting

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machinery is used only in the nor-thern States, and is supplied from San Francisco. English machinery is good, but he considers American better for gold and silver mines. untrue. But can any sincere be-liever in the Bible and in the person and ministry of Jeaus Christ, read the account of his visit to the Nephites on this continent, after The "I fmes" on the San Francisco

his crucifixion and resurrection in Palestine, as given in the Book of Mormon, and believe for one mo-ment that a corrupt and designing impostor, or set of impostors, could have concocted and palmed that account in the world? Permit me to quote

Permit me to quote what has long been considered a strong argu-ment in favor of the truth-in the main-of the New Testament: "Bad men could not, and good men would not have written it, un-

If you do not object I may here-after add some reflections as to the "divine authenticity?" of the "Book of Mormon" as a whole, though they may not concede with your

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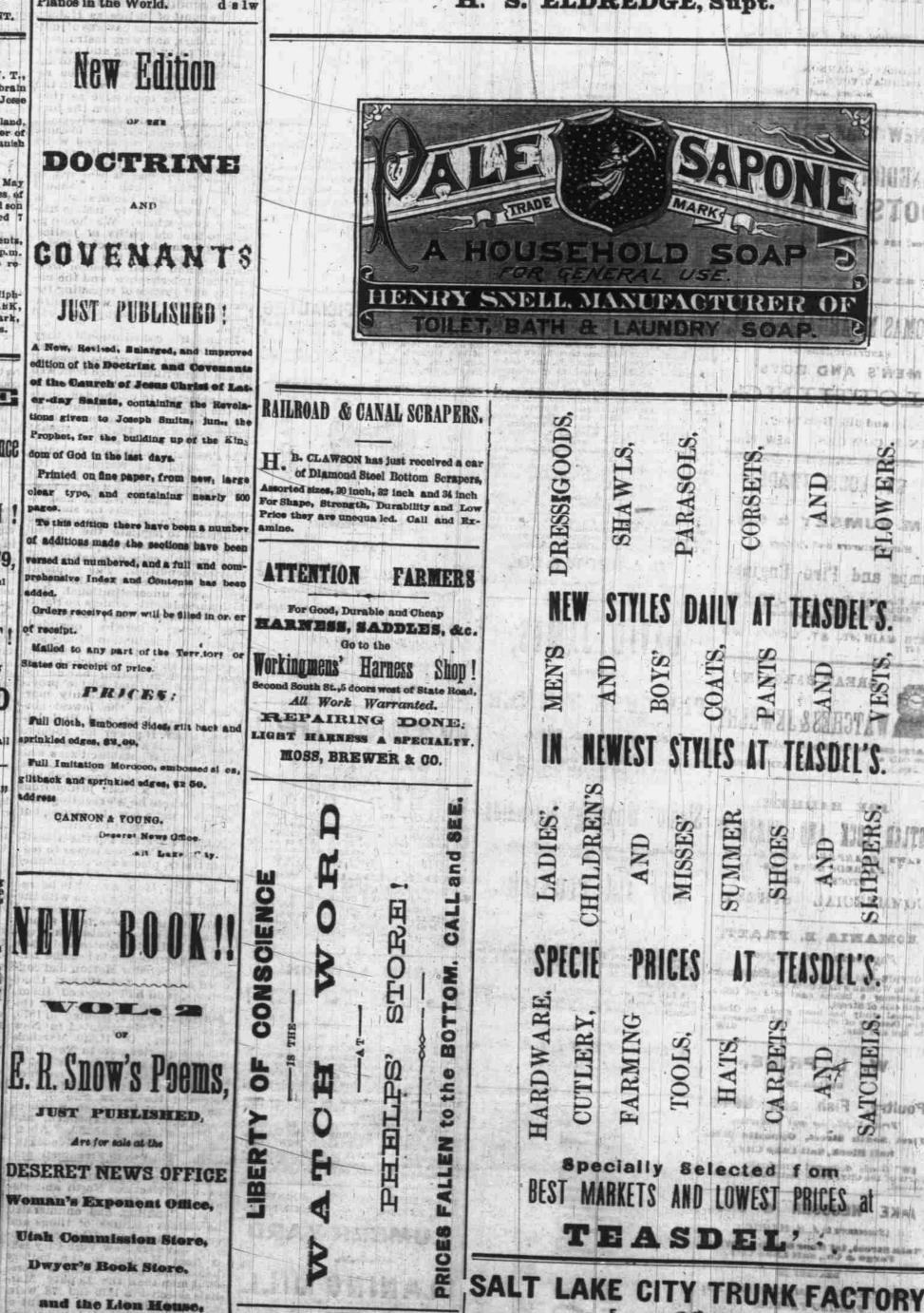




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The Constitution Suits. WASHINGTON, 16 .- The adoption of the new constitution in Cali-ornia was celebrated by the workingmen and greenbackers of this city, to-night, by a procession and serenade to the greenback members of Congress. Congressmen Weight, Ford, Weaver, Murch and Gillett responded with brief specches.

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October lith, 1857. She was daughter of John H. and Hannah Linder, of Spanish

15th, 1879, after several weeks' illness, of brain fever, JOHN WILLIAM, beloved son

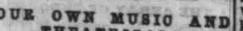
The Proposed University of Dubli LONDON, 16.-In the House of Commons, O'Conor introduced a bill to establish the University of On Survey of St. Patrick at Dublin with affiliated Relatives and friends of the family are reon Sunday, May 18th, at 2 o'clock p.m. COVENANTS colleges, making provision for fel-lowships, scholarships and exhibispectfully invited to attend_ tions at a cost of one and a half million pounds to be defrayed from the Irish church temporalties. The daughter of Henry F. and Maggie Clark, chancellor and vice-chancellor of the university are to be appointed by the lord lieutenant of Ireland



but "oursed is every one that mittee, hangeth on a tree." We were horrified at the senti-

ments uttered by one of our contemporaries a few days ago in commenting upon the fearful crime committed by Freeman, the Adventist. Torture and burning to death were advocated as proper penalties for the half-insane fanatic who plunged a knife into his dar-ling child, as he foolishly, imagined, in obedience to a divine demand for a sacrifice. The act was awful and inexcusable, and the constitution was also advocat-in the resolution was also advocat-in the resolution was also advocat-is fixed at 45,000. awful and inexcusable, and The resolution was also advocat-the law requires the life of the ed by Monroe and oppesed by homicide as a forfeit. But when the motives of the semi-maniac are determined, we think clear-eyed making a mischlevous precedent, justice will see less reason for wrath and indignation than in the act of murder through greed or ven-geance. But in any case civilized who said he would demand a vote Russia has communicated her

We believe in the rightfulness of the death penalty for solution was then agreed murder, and think it ought to be enforced, but abhor the idea of brutality and the indulgence of revenge, which ought not to enter into the decrees of civilized government nor be embodied in their execution. Let the law be vindi-



then a sufficient interval for its con-sideration would be allewed. The bill was accordingly read the first

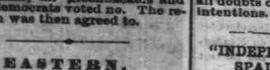
Henry J. Cross, city treasurer of Salem, banged himself to-day. Four villages on the banks of the Plattensee, in Hungary, have been flooded. The marriage of King Alfonso will take place in October or No-John. J. West was executed at Booneville, Mo., to-day, for the murder of a tramp last October.

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which might be followed by other sumptuary laws.

geance. But in any case civilized society does not call for the torture and mutilation of the offender. That is but the cry of the savage. It is barbaric, and savots of brute vengeance rather than enlightened equity. who said he would demand a vote by yeas and nays, so as to have members on record on this sulject. A motion to lay the resolution on the table was made by Biount, and it was rejected—yeas 99, nays 128. All of the affirmative votes were from the democratic side, and all republicans, all greenbackers and publicans, all a



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execution. Let the law be vindi-cated, but let stern justice and calm judgment, and not passion nor oruelty speak the doom and strike the needful blow. OUE OWN MUSIC AND THEATRICALS.

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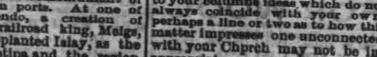
conference, provided the other cab-inets agree to it. Preliminary steps

evacuation programme, showing the evacuation will be completed before the end of July. Other advices confirm the foregoing. There is a general movement of Russian troops and a break-up of the mili-tary establishments, thus removing all doubts of the loyalty of Russia's



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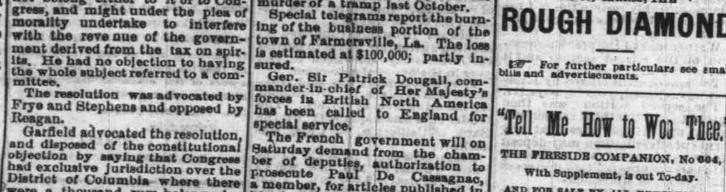
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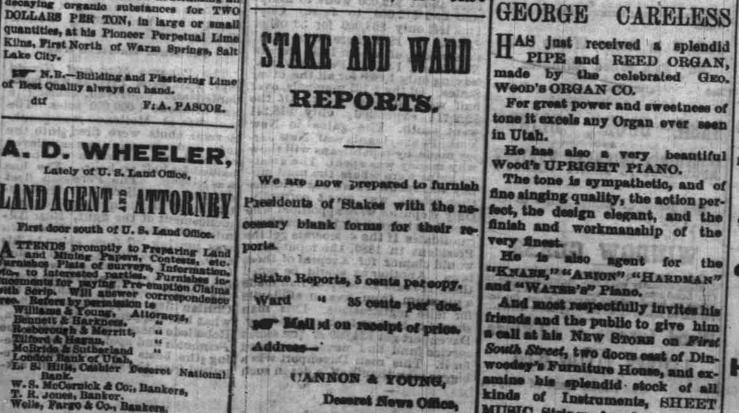
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