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SALT LARE CITY, - MAY 1, 1901.

IT CANNOT BE "IGNORED."

The anti-"Mormon" paper, published In this city, is not content with its wilful distortion of the remarks made by Apostle Brigham Young, at the Cache Stake conference, but continues its incepresentations with additional malice and sneering inuendoes. There is nothing in the language attributed to c speaker, even as reported in the Thibune, which warrants the deduction Crawn by that paper, that he would precess a bribs under any circumstanc. es. Both by faire headlines and by libollous carloon, the Tribune has purpossity maligned the gentleman whom it persists in tampooning and vilifying. After its third effort in that direction,

it now asks, "Would it not be more charitable to ignore the matter?" If that is the proper view of the case, why does the anti-"Mormon" prevaricator continue its abuse? If it has not the common decency to apologize for its own wrong, why does it not act upon its own suggestion? We do "ignore a great deal of its villification, but this is so flagrant a case of intentional perversion of a speaker's language, that

we feel it our duty to expose it. The Tribune headed its first state-"Apostle Brigham Young tells how he could be bribed to vote for man to office." 'The report which was under that head did not state that he said he could be bribed at all. The cartoon complained of, pictured him on one side as declining a bribe, and on the other as taking it, in the form of a bag of money with the prophet's sanction. It was a vile slur alike on Apostle Young and President Snow. It was not humor. It was a pictured double lie. It was an intentional insult. A defamatory publication with patent malice. It was criminal libel. It was not justified by anything the Apostle said or was reported to have said. Here is the

ribune's own report of his words: "And if a man offered me a bribe to vote for him, I should at once decide not to vote for him, and would not do so unless commanded by the Prophet of God, who stands at the head of the

must have anticipated the final outsteeped in prejudices, full of animosity come of the rebellion, if he is any. and not over scrupulous as to their where near as intelligent as he is renethods of procedure, as long as they norted to be. When he, too, shall have can succeed in keeping themselves in ecome theroughly convinced that the public view and their friends at a reasonably high water mark, only make a American invasion was a godsend to is people, he will become useful in the nuisance of themselves wherever they wilding up of a free government uner the Stars and Stripes, and he ams to have grasped the possibilities

efore him in this direction.

The work in the Philippines is pro-

gressing all right. When Americans

and natives can labor hand in hand for

he benefit of the country, the world will

given a beautiful demonstration of

he power of American civilization, to

ransform chaos into order, and to ele-

ate people to the highest level. And

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What shall it profit a man if he

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Priesthood meeting of the Salt Lake

Stake of Zion, on Friday, May 3, in the

They may be firing no cannons in

An extensive Nihilist plot is alleged

The President is just reeling the

Having been in Washington, seen the

President and studied American in-

Assembly Hall, at SEVEN p. m.

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Imagine then, if you

A missionary should be full of zeal for the honor and glory of the Master; he should respect and love the peopl to whom he addresses himself; he hould be disinterested, not expecting is reward in this life; he should be a scace-maker, and not ready to join aby movement for strife and contention that agitators may stir up; he should

love truth more than his own life, and rebuke falsehood, even when indulged in by his own political friends. If our eastern friends have an army

of such missionaries, send them along. There is room for them in Utah, though the state is morally, and otherwise, in the first ranks of the slates. But missionaries without the true mission-7 spirit can do less here than in other

laces. Where the light of the sun bines in spiendor, artificial lights make ut a sorry impression. To the absurd nd some Ulah clergymen and teachhave taken upon many public quesns is due much of their failure in the past, though they would like to

use the blame on the perversity of the ople. OUT OF TIME AND PLACE.

The Logan Journal has stepped out of its way to champion a gentleman who

useds no advacate to plead his cause, rol to find fourt with the Deseret News thout oversion. In the Journal of April 30, the leading editorial takes up a matter that made some stir in this city on April 19, This is now rather stale news, to begin with, Discussion over it has been dead for many days in Salt Lake, and might as well have

been buried for all time. f our Logan contemporary will go suck to the file of the Tribune of April 19. It will find the origin of the complaint, and then by reading what the Descret News really said on the subset on April 20, it will find that both its ampionship and its attack are out of lace as well as out of time, and that ts effort has been entirely misplaced. As to the "bad taste" imputed to the 'News," we will leave the readers of the Journal to decide which paper has lisplayed the most "arrogant egotism and folly," particularly after the dis-

overy that the "News" made no atempt to "set up its judgment in a mater pertaining to music." We are of the opinion that "going off half cocked," to use a popular expression, is ot halfas foolish as firing a full blast at in imaginary object ten or a dozen days after the real bird has taken its Hight

The Journal has simply stirred up a defunct dispute without understanding its origin or merits, and without knowing whom it is assailing, in its mistaken chivalry and erroneous imputations. A little discretion is often better than too much valor.

THE NEWS FROM MANILA. When Aguinaldo surrendered, it was reely predicted that the rebellion in every day. And most of this comes out the Philippines would soon collapse, of the scanty earnings of working men and that prediction seems to have been who have a hard struggle for the neceserified by the subsequent reports from sarles of life. Coming generations, the seat of trouble. The latest news when society is reconstructed on the extended account of the proceedings of from Manila is to the effect that a lines of equity and justice, will read the conference and of the remarks of number of prominent insurgents have with amazement about the barbarous surrendered, and that there is virtualconditions of the present world, and the y but one more chief in the field, whom ignorance that suffered nations to be ur officers are anxious to catch, and as held in subjection to the insatiable Mo to him, it is not believed he can be loch of militarism. taken alive, on account of the many rimes he has committed. With the leaders of the rebellion surendering, the establishment of peace and orderly conditions will proceed casm is by a writer in the Christian Inapidly. The Filipinos, as they become telligencer, who evidently finds it diffiequainted with American sentiments cult to explain why so many people and methods, will readily fall into line. absent themselves from Sunday meetlome of them already now express ings, though they always are on hand their choice of American officers for amusements and social gatherings. preference even to natives. Thus the he says: Army and Navy Journal copies a letter com a native who commends the action

ditutions, will the Cuban delegates on their return to Havana take to the Wood?

> The state department will inform Venezuela that Minister Loomis's conduct meets with its full approval. And further, Venezuela is to be warned. In other words, Venezuela must not get "gay."

> Mr. Cudahy of Omaha refuses to nake any deal or compromise with the villians who kidnapped his son. In taking this stand he will have the sympathy and support of the American people, and should have it, for he does them a high service.

Dr. Morrison, the London Times correspondent in Pekin, thinks that Gen. von Waldersee's punitive expeditions are doing more harm than good. This has long been the common opinion of people. The sooner the foreign troops are withdrawn from China the better it will be for everybody.

he enormous expenses incurred by Great Britain on account of the mill-Colorado has restored capital punishnent. This has undoubtedly been done ary operations in South Africa. For that reason the Chicago Tribune draws because of the burning of the negro at a comparison between the cost of that Victor last winter. But it is very very doubtful if the crime at Victor war and the cost of other great camwould have been avoided even had paigns, and finds that so far it is comthere been capital punishment in the state. A mob bent on lynching knows The greal struggle between the North no law and very soon becomes the and South in this country cost one side

6,200 million dollars, and the other side, 2.000 million dollars more, without Queer must have been the sensations ounting the sums paid in pensions afof that Walla Walla man who returned ter the wat. That is the most expennome and found that he had been offive war of record. The Franco-Pruscially declared dead and buried. Even sian war cost the combatants 2,500 milthe usual laudatory inscription on the ion dollars and the Crimean war cost headstone could hardly have compensated him for the shock to his feelings.

These figures prove that Great Brit-It took twenty years for Rip Van Win-In, so far, has paid out less than onekle to be forgotten. It took just two tenth of what the war of rebellion cost years for Mortimer Montpetit to be the United States, but to the 700 million forgotten. But then this age is so offars paid by Great Britain should be much more "rapid" than was that in dded the mormous financial loss of the which dear old Rip lived. Boers, and when that is done, it will

In the April number of Truth's Reflex, be found that this war, considering the published at Kansas City, Mo., the annumerical strength of the conquered nouncement is made that that missionpeople and the size of the armies enary publication now is no more. For gaged, is the most costly affair of the over two years it has been in the field, kind ever indulged in. The fact is that a witness for truth and righteousness, wars become more and more expensive and it has performed a good work. We ith every new improvement of the regret to see it leave the journalistic ngines of destruction. In time it will field, though undoubtedly this has been seem impossible to make war on acdetermined upon after mature considerount of the heavy cost it will entail. ation of all the circumstances. As will It now costs over \$800 to fire a single be remembered, the Southern Star, shot from one of the largest guns, and which was published at Chattanooga, the equipment of ships and soldiers is Tenn., has also retired, after a well perproportionally more expensive than formed mission.

An interesting point in this connec-Once again it is said that the insurtion is, that the civilized world now rection in the Philippines is practiowes 30,000 million dollars for the war cally over, and this time it appears to operations of the past. How much be so, though one can hardly yet\_detereasier would be the burdens of life, if mine whether or not it is like the boy's this enormous debt were wiped out, old cry of wolf. Be that as it may, it and the energies of mankind could be now looks as though the great question devoted to the pursuits of the works of would now be, what it was under beace! No wonder that the best men in Spanish rule, that of the friars and all ages have been looking forward to their holdings. In the past this was time, when the engines of destruction the cause of very much trouble and shall be turned into implements of may and probably will be again. How production; reason must some day preto handle the question is a great probvail and bring about that much delem and it may have to be done through the Catholic church. It appears that As it is, the world not only carries the Archbishop Ireland is representing the burden of past conflicts but pays vast Vatican in the matter, but as what he

this decision, a wife married in New York and later resided in Kentucky was forced by her husband's misconduct to return to her old home, the supreme court holds that the court in Kentucky retains jurisdiction and car divorce them, though here Chief Justice Fuller and Justice Peckham, while admitting the general rule, insist that the husband's misconduct enabled the wife rightly to resume her domicfle in her father's house. The decision of the ederal supreme court on these cases, oming as it does after a series of decisions in our state appellate courts, may be taken to establish as "settled law" that a husband or wife can not, for purposes of divorce, change his or her

New York Herald. The federal supreme court does not

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leny the right of one state to dissolve the marriage tie on easier terms and conditions than another. There is no doubt, however, that the law as thus aid down makes valid western divorce ess easy and more uncertain than i has hitherto been popularly assumed The obvious and the only effective remedy for this deplorable con-dition of affairs is, as the Herald has often pointed out, a uniform system of

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marriage and divorce in place of the orty-five state laws, many of them cose and conflicting, that now prevail. Baltimore American,

Congress has long been importuned to act in the premises, and the agita tion to induce the several states, in the absence of federal legislation, to enac uniform divorce laws is incessant. such efforts have been futile, and the number of persons who are divorced in one state, and, in the eyes of the law of another, still married, is con-

stantly increasing. These decisions by the supreme court are, therefore, op-These decisions portune. RECENT PUBLICATIONS.

Young Woman's Journal for May opens with a brief sketch by Prof. Evan Stephens, of Verdi. "Education of the Blind," is an illustrated arti-cle by Sara Whalen. It is very enter-taining. Prof. Willard Done contrib-utes a short story, "Her Service," and Mrs. R. E. Little writes about SIr Wal-ter Sect. Past I & Boul continues his ter Scott. Prof J. H. Paul continues his nteresting discussion of "Philosophy of the Beautiful," and then follows con-"Philosophy tributions on various subjects by Au-gusta W. Grant, Marba, Susa A. Talgusta W. mage, Phillis C., Sara Hodson and oth-ers. There are also "Lessons in Cook-ing," by Leah Dunford Widtsoe and and some hints on household topics. There are a couple of pages of editor-lals, a "page for officers of the Y. L. N. M. I. A., "Book of Mormon Les-sons," etc. It is a most excellent number.-Salt Lake City.

Among the subjects treated on in the May number of The American Mother is "The Advisability of Childrens' Parties." and what kinds are best suited to the welfare of the little ones. Most parents will like to see what is said on this topic.—Ann Arbor, Mich.

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maddest beast in all creation.

The Logan Journal, which gives an the speakers, thus reports the Apostle's statement on this subject:

No community on earth presents such a solid front to the enemy as does that of the Latter-day Saints. I love the Gospel and it regulates my life, it governs my business, my politics and in everything else is my guide I want you to understand I will not vote for corrupt men in any place. I would rather vote for an upright Gentile than a corrupt Latter-day

"If a man offered me a bribe I should think a screw was loose somewhere, and I would not vote for him under any consideration unless directed to do so by the Prophet of God. Now I am not advising you what to do. I am just telling you what I would do." by the Prophet of God.

After communicating with the clerk of the conference, we obtained the following from the official report of the proceedings: Apostle Young remarked

"Among the last things President Woodruff said to the speaker was to vote for good men, and put honest men in office. 'For one I will do that as in office a part of my religion. Our lives and all we have depend upon the observance of the commandments of God."

We further interrogated our Logan correspondent who was present at the services, and he replied that the specker said:

"I would not vote for a dishonest man for money. I would not vote for him unless counseled to do so by the Prophet of God; and that he would never do."

These reports from different sources vary a little in phraseology, but they onvey the same idea and a similar impression. We find no fault with either of them . The blame is attached to the false headlines and lying cartoon in the Tribune. Nothing was said, according to either report, that justified the statement that the speaker would accept a bribe for his vote or for anything else. There is no use in trying to dodge this issue.

It is a common trick with the Tribune to put in its headlines something altogether foreign to the body of the article over which they appear. It deceives hasty readers. They pay attention to the falsehood thus conveyed, and do not stop to read the accompanying matter which would expose the untruth placed in big capitals. No doubt the paper that indulges in that kind of deception would like this matter ignored, but it will not be allowed to crawl out of the hole it has gone into by that or any other sort of a subterfuge.

### MORE MISSIONARIES, THEY SAY.

Dr. Paden, it seems, is of the opinion that more "missionaries" is one of the crying needs of Utah. That, from a sectarian point of view, is no doubt true. But it is also true that unless has sent out a profusion of manifes-"missionaries" are imbued with the right spirit, no number of them can do any good here, any more than elsewhere.

f the people of two provinces, that pelioned for American office holders. le says in part:

"It seems sad, that having risen thinst Spain on account of the abuses, ies and prevarications of bad Spanabuses which were always or rly always committed with impunsome of our fellow countrymen who ay exercise public functions should it abuses and derive gains which ot even the worst Spanlard did. If countrymen continue conducting emselves in such an infamous man-

er, we will petition-we, the crushed ansacs, exploited and robbed-that Americans shall hold the offices, to the st municipal judge and the lowest po-minan of the municipality. I did not diress myself to the Filipino press, cause it is a political partisan for the

itual benefit of the Filipinos, and ishes for the sake of patriotism to ep silence and suffer resignedly the bberles and abuses which the funcmaries, who are natives of the coun-7, may desire to commit. To the gen-1 masses it matters nothing the narace or color of those who innand, as has been demonstrated by inhabitants of Tayabas and Romthat which is of importance is those who govern, be they even govern with zeal, with rectitude nd with honor!

This sentiment may not yet be genal but it will be, as the moral and tellectual superiority of the Amerions becomes generally known. It is y actual experience that the Filipinos must learn that Americans are not

Spaniards. The complaints made are probably but too true. For centuries the Fillos have been given the impression that offices were held merely for the purpose of robbery. Officers as agents t the people were unknown in that suntry. The abuses committed by na. ve office holders are but a natural onsequence of previous training. They indicate what might have been expected, had the insurrection proved suc-

Wall Street, but they are making a ceasful. As for Aguinaldo, he seems to be takboom that is heard round the world. ng a consistent course. He is studying the English language and Amerito have been discovered in Russian can government. He confesses that he Poland. Whose plot is it, Russia's or is now ignorant of the true situation in the islands, although formerly he the Nihilist's? tos, telMng his followers all about the speeches off. But this is not to be sinister designs of the Americans. He wondered at, seeing that the adminisdisclaims any participation in engagetration is on wheels. ments against the conquerors, and that

Missionaries who come to a country, is probably true, as from the first he

sums merely for the purpose of mainhas done or expects to do is still practaining peace. Europe's "peace" costs tically unknown, it is entirely too soon the people something like \$3,000,000 to pass judgment on it.

> CHICAGO AS A SEAFORT. Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Last winter four steamers were built in the lakes for the Northwestern on the Steamship Co., to form a regular freight line between Chicago and Liverpool. The first of the four, the Northwestern, has now started from Chicago for the voyage to Liverpool with a cargo of meats, lard, oil, cake, hay, machinery and black walnut lumber. The second of the fleet, the Northman, is scheduled to leave next Monday, and the other two will follow as soon as they can be got ready and loaded. It is espected the steamers will take provisions and grain across, returning with miscel-laneous merchandisc. These will be the first regular line steamers to pass from the lakes to the ocean through the Canadian system of canals, and the largest vessels that have ever been locked through the entire chain of canals.

Kansas City World.

"Many people are seemingly well during the week, but afflicted with all This use of the canals by a line manner of aliments when Sunday comes around, and on Monday they are all steamers steaming under the American flag and owned exclusively by Amerih. I really dread the ap the Lord's day, for with the cans is going to be an event in the of Canadian navigation. history canals which will be used, while built by the Canadian government at great come to many of my flock headaches, pain in the sid expense, have not so far been used by any regular line of sea-going steamers. while numbers complain uld feeling.' Sunday befor The canals have practically made really an anxious day, for ned to be absent from the return to the government, and the te a number, for the best Northwestern line is the first to course; a rushing in the fy that it will use them steadily during the six months of navigation on the of sclatica, cramps, tooth-Great Lakes. The Northwestern ves-sel which first passes through these ess of hearing, catarrh, inflammation of the mem-bago and, worse than all, canals will also be something for Eng-ishmen and Germans to look at when feeling.' Then, what great-i me the next day was that enters Hamburg, Liverpool Van Blarscom had issued to an 'at home' for that For the steamers of the Northon. weatern line will be the first to enter these ports flying the American flag, and owned solely by Americans. the fear well nigh par that but few would re-ing many of her invited

### Chicago Record-Herald.

But Chicago is destined in course of time to be something more than a lake port; that is, she will load cargoes into cean carriers in Chicago river and harbor. In fact regular communication be-tween this city and the principal European ports is to be established during the coming season of navigation as a forerunner of the great ocean tonnage that is some day to be a feature of this port. The steamer Northwestern,

For a May walk the day was ideal. which left Rush street bridge yesterday Just now Wyoming is gushing over afternoon, will be the first American steamer to go from Chicago to Europe direct. It will discharge a grain cargo at Buffalo and lighten up to twelve feet so as to pass the Welland and other The more oil that is discovered the nore agitated become the financial anadian canals and the shallows the St. Lawrence river, loading ful depth again with a cargo at Montreal There is neither war nor rumors of

### Chicago News.

With the actual opening of this new branch of commercial activity, however, the people of Chicago will find new easons for promoting every enterpris ooking to increased waterway facililes, the improvement of the Chicago river and the completion of a great navigable waterway which shall make Chicago as easily approachable throug the Gulf of Mexico and the Mississipp river through Lake Michigan, not merely a visionary suggestion that he time may come when Chicago as a treat inland seaport will be sending hips across the seas, not only through he lake system, but by gulf and canal irect to Asia, Australia and all Pacific ports. THAT DIVORCE DECISION.

Philadelphia Press. The federal supreme court holds for "matrimonial domicile," Once cre-Once cre ted, this can not be changed by reoving the residence of one partne Both must unite in a change of "matri-monial domicile." Even where, as in one case before the supreme court



