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the events themselves, except in a very

few instances. The prophetic office never was that of a soothsayer. The

duty of the Prophet is to declare the

will of the Almighty, to explain the

Divine law and lay its precepts upon

the hearts of the people. The predic-

tions of the prophets of the Lord as

to pending calamities, very often are

conditional, and if those concerned re-

pent, the threatened disasters are

HOW MUCH MORE?

care, the one who has quietly given of

his substance to the poor and needy in-

overlooked.

York Evening Post, has uttered a warn-DESERET EVENING NEWS Corner of South Temple and East Temple Streets, Sait Lake City, Utah. Horace G. Whitney, - Business Manager. One Tear 50.00 Eix Months 5.35 One Months 5.35 One Month 75 Saturday Edition. Per Year 2.00 Bemt-Weckly. Per Year 2.00 Correspondence and other reading mat-ter for publication should be addressed to the EDITOR. Address all business communications and all remittances: THE DESERET NEWS, Bait Lake City, Utah. selves, in the case of those who return to settle, to buy small freeholds, and build homes.

ern Italy, where the workmen migrate for six or eight months and come home to pass the winter, it is spent in idleness or worse. The tavern gets most of their money. Drunkenness has inreased enormously, venereal diseases are in some places epidemic, crime abounds, and the percentage of insane from alcoholism mounts year by year. Yet the great torrent of emigration pours, not from the north, but from the South. Until recently the Southern

tle, the Tribune seeks relief in hysteria. and abuse. On Saturday this paper called attention to the fact that the Knockers' organ was setting its hardened face and waning influence against the educational interests of the city, while its editors and managers were meeting in secret with the deficit-making members of the "American" council, in the vain hope of "pointing a way out," and that in these secret considerations the party appeal for help was given preference, over the public schools, which are in sore distress for the lack of funds. It may be said in this connection that their need is not based upon any squandering of money or mismanagement, but upon the growth of the city, which has of late, been so'rapid that the present building facilities are wholly inadequate to accommodate the number of children who apply for admission.

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FALSEHOOD ! LET US SEE!

Like a habbling gossip confronted and

confounded with evidences of her tat-

(In Advance:)

The Organ, manifestly hurt, not at what it had done, but like the thief. because it was found out, declares that what the "News" said was false, and asks for the proof of its offending. Well, out of its own mouth let it be judged. Recently a committee of the educational forces of the city called upon the various newspapers and laid the situation before the editors. The Tribune was included in that visitation. Following the enlightenment it received. and while the "American" council administration, with the editors of the Tribune was busy trying "to find the way out" of the deficit maze in which it was groping, and commenting directly upon a relief measure before the legislature, it said:

"The pretense is that the teachers should have more pay; but there is not the slightest assurance that the teachers as a class would get more pay with the added levy, though probably some favored ones in the force would be benefited in the partiality of the board. WE REGARD THIS WHOLE RAID upon the taxpayers as more political than otherwise, and have not the slight-est confidence in the good faith of those propose the various measures of affliction.

This is sentence for sentence, and word for word what a scribe of the sheet said in the editorial columns of the Organ on Wednesday, Feb. 6. So much in the way of proof upon that phase of the subject. Is it not complete and conclusive? The Organ next asks with much concern as to the whereabouts of the address upon the necessity for the proposed bond issue and declares that it has not seen the same. Perhaps not, but for its information we cheerfully volunteer the statement that it was printed by all of the Salt Lake dailles, itself included, and that by turning to its own files of the column, page see that address in full. It is in the form of a letter, over the signature of Superintendent Christensen, to the committee on buildings and grounds. The absence of the names of the members of the board of education does not imply that the document has not got official sanction, for it has. That should satisfy the Organ on point No. 2, but it won't. "And finally," the Tribune says "since the 'News' has inflicted its ignorance and mendacity upon the pub lic, we would like to have it explain the connection which it suggests between teachers' wages and a bond issue for building purposes." On that point the "News" did not make, or attempt to make, a "connection." but we may say in reply, that the building of new school houses, by special bond issue or other means, and the increasing of teachers salaries, are both infinitely more desirable than to empower the incompetent peanut politiciaus of the "American" party to impose a greater tax burden on the people, simply that an unnecessary deficit shall be wiped out for the sole benefit of the discredited crowd that created it

ing which should attract attention on both sides of the Atlantic. What does it mean, he asks, that emigration from Italy has grown from about 100,000 in 1876 to 726,000 in 1905, with no signs of diminution? It means, he replies, that Italy is confronted by an agrarian question which dates in one form or another from Roman times. He describes the pros and cons of emigration. It cannot be denied, he admits, that emigration brings many quick returns. Last year Italians sent or took back to Italy savings amounting to \$\$0,000,-000, by which their families are enabled to rise above penury, or they them-

not depart from it: they never promise success without repentance and obedi-But there is another side. In northence, and if they are inspired to speak of the future, their predictions come true. By these criteria it will always be possible to distinguish between true and false prophets, It would be of interest to know just how much money has been spent in vain by anti-"Mormons" upon the fight

against Senator Smoot. Dr. Iliff was quoted some time ago as having said Italian did not emigrate; some said he in a lecture back east, that the sum of was too lazy, others that he was too four million dollars had been used in servile from long maltreatment. But the warfare against "Mormonism." about ten years ago the annual emigra-The Smoot case has cost the governtion from the South rose to \$2,335; in ment at least fifty thousands dollars. 1905 it had more than trebled, and last How much it has cost the instigators year the number was probably 250,000. of the crusade will never be made pub-While districts have been depopulated: lic by them. The announcement has at Marsico Nuovo 6,000 out of 11,600 been made that the insane persecution have gone, at Pignola 3,900 out of 6,400. will be continued. That means that Farms lie idle. The very community more money is to be wasted. At preswhich not long since was on the verge ent thousands are dving in Russia and of starvation from having too many millions in China, for want of a piece mouths to feed, now runs a similar of bread. How much more humane risk from not having hands to till its and praiseworthy would it not be to apply some of the money for the saving

It is well to be reminded of such of life instead of the defamation of facts. Emigration creates its problems fellowmen! On the great day, when as serious as those of immigration. The the books shall be opened and each governments ought to come together one shall be required to give an account and agree upon some measures of muof his management of the portion of tual benefit. the Master's property entrusted to his

WHERE DOES THE MONEY GO?

fields.

spired by brotherly love, will be better Driven to bay in its defense of the off than the one who has devoted his astounding deficits in the various funds means and energy chiefly to the cause of the city, the "American" organ prints of hatred. the following with a lot of other fic-

Easier said than done-giving a white "The police department shows a shrinkage in revenue, because of the failing off in gambling licenses, for that is what it amounted to under Mayor elephant away. Kuropatkin had a tale unfolded and now the Russian government will twist Morris.' it for him. Without any intention of defending

the Morris administration, or its man The President is exactly right when ner of imposing heavy and regular fines he says, in effect, that athietics should upon the gambling element, and its be a means and not an end. official conduct with regards to other forms of vice, it may be said that the "Harry Lehr ought to be marked 'ex-

records show that the city got the hibit 22' before being turned loose upon money during its regime. They make helpless Europe again." says the Washna such disclosures now, and as the ington Herald statement that the present administration does not permit gambling is all Frederick T. Gates, Mr. Rockefeller's variance with all the facts, the natural representative, says that Rockefeller query is, what becomes of the money does not and never did control the that gamblers are always so willing to Standard Oil company. pay for protection privileges in any city? Of course, the McWhirter ten Kentucky is going to try Caleb Pow-

ers again. Evidently the Blue Grass thousand dollar robbery, and the tapping of unsophisticated Chinese restate believes that if at first you don't sort keepers of twenty dollar gold convict you should try, try again. pleces and new suits of clothes, is all proof that no Salt Lake policeman A German professor claims to have would be able to tell through what

renders his verdict,

sideration by any jury.

needs of the day.

ernment?

automobiles are beyond all aid.

discovered that every metal has a smell. channel it drifts or into whose pockets If he had said smelter instead of smell it finally makes its way. The very people might have believed him.

Does not paying ten cents for the privilege of getting a work of fiction from the Free Public Library make the Free Public Library itself a fiction?

Mayor Dunne has been re-elected mayor of Chicago, which fact does not seem to bring municipal ownership

Evelyn confided to him the time they sat up all night alone together and talked it over, then Mr. White's son is equally justified in going crazy at reading the repetition of it, and his in-sanity might prove as fatal to Thaw as Thaw's did to the elder White. No jury in the country would convict young White, if Thaw was let go and then get shot.

## GOSSIP ABOUT SENATORS.

Washington Herald. When Hon, "Fiddling Bob" Taylor presents himself before the bar of the Senate to succeed Senator Carmack hext month he will not be accompanied by his colleague, Senator Frazier. The rule is for the sitting Senator to escort his new colleague from the rear of the chamber to the Vice President's desk and stand by his side until the cere-monious oath has been administered, and then escort him back to the seat assigned him. But Messrs Frazier and Taylor are enemies of long standing, and have not spoken for years. Word has been received in Washington from Gov. Taylor that he does not want Sen-ator Frazier to perform the usual cour-tesy when he comes here to don the base and so the clarger to the will Washington Herald. averted. This is a peculiarity not to be The great characteristics of the prophets of the Lord may be summed up as follows: They speak in the name of the true God, and no strange deities; their word is in accordance with the word of God, and does tesy when he comes here to don the toga, and so that pleasant task will fall to a Senator from some other state, probably one whom the senator-elect has known a long time. A simknown a long time. A sim-condition existed when Mr. Har condition existed when Mr. Clarke of Arkansas came here to suc-ceed James K. Jones. Mr. Clarke and Gen. Berry, who retires to private life with the expiration of this Congress, and will be succeeded in the Senate by the untamable Jeff Davis, are uncom-promising enemies, and "Old Cotton Top." as Senator Clarke is called by his promising enemies, and "Old Cotton Top," as Senator Clarke is called by his

Top." as Senator Clarke is called by his idolatrous followers at home, walked to the Vice President's desk alone and took the oath. Senator Newlands of Nevada also refused to be accompanied by his then colleague, the veteran and Santa Claus-like William M. Stewart. It was widely haralded before Senator LaFollette came on from Wisconsin last year to take his seat in the Senate that he would decline the services of Senator year to take his seat in the Senate that he would decline the services of Senator Spooner, but this rumor proved to be wrong, as the two famous rivals and implacable focs marched not only peaceably, but with becoming grace the full length of the chamber to the Vice President's desk, arm in arm, while the galleries tittered and sena-torial faces beamed with merriment.



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RICHARDS STREET.

Interest new centers on the two

main events this week at the big

hampionship race. Tuesday, Feb.

rink on Richards Street, the ladies'

26, and the Mask Carnival, the 28th. The ladies' race is between Miss

Blanch Ogg of Salt Lake, and Miss

Eva Turner of Ogden, these two

young ladies raced a tie two weeks ago here; they are very evenly

matched, and the race promises r

be interesting. The Mask Carnival

will be the largest ever held in

Salt Lake, costumes for rent at the

rink. All prizes furnished by and

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to 5, afternoons, and 7:30 to 10:30

evenings.

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on exhibition in the window

These Hustling Americans.

At a recent gathering Americans. At a recent gathering in Baltimore two men from different sections of the country were discussing the capabilities of "nervous, restless Americans" for be-ing most slow and deliberate. The Marylander claimed the paim for slow-ness for the inhabitants of the Eastern Shore of his State.

Shore of his State. "It is a saying hereabouts," said he, "that if oysters had been created with legs, the people of the Eastern Shore would all have starved to death." "The folks around Mount Monadnock have a saying that beats yours," re-marked a Vermont man. "Of one man up there it used to be observed that if you were to give Hiram Higgins forty yards start, stock-still would catch him!"-Harper's Weekly.

### The Ehm Incident.

The Eim Incident. Washington was taking formal com-mand of the Continental army at Cam-bridge. He crooked him arm, placed his elbow against the historic elm and rest-ed his head on his hand. Then he ad-dressed the ill-assorted gathering of patriots. In the midst of his remarks his elbow suddenly glided from the tree and Washington completely lost his equilibrium. equilibrium.

equilibrium. "Why didn't you inform me," said the great general with dignity, "that this tree was a slippery eim?"-Perrine Lambert in Woman's Home Companion for February

Harry Thaw's California lawyer must be a brainy man: his portrait takes up twice as much room in the papers as Thaw's does.--Philadelphia Inquirer.

Presumably the woman attends regu-larly at the Thaw trial who climbed through a coal hole a few years ago to see a wedding with a thile in it.-New York World York World.

One Texas woman can tide fifty miles in one direction without getting off her own land. Imagine the predicament of a book agent making for the front gate with a buildog after him!—Washington

When She Does Not Care.



# **SPRING WEARABLES**

THE most interesting store news for the ladies refers to the new Spring Models and Styles that are now being displayed. Each day for the past month has brought us new, beautiful creations that add to the splender of the displaymaking a showing of charming and exclusive Spring Wearables for Women that will please and satisfy even the most exacting

# Ladies' Suits No woman New Coats. For ladies and misses that

choose a spring coat or suit without first seeing the collection assembled here. The Eton suit will again be a great favorite, and the hip jacket and cut-away tailored coat -form fitting-will be exceedingly popular. We are showing a large variety of models in the staple colors-browns, navies and blacks, as well as the newest designs in dainty and exquisite novelties, stripes, checks, plaids and combination cloth and silk. Also a very fashionable variety of bretelles, semi dressy

are simply idealistic in style, make-up and effect. In novelty checks and stripes, also a large variety of Coverts-loose fitting, half tight fitting and form fitting, a splendid line, ranging in price from \$6.00 to \$25.00

We are showing a very fine line of Ladies' separate Eton Jackets in Black Silk, and also a very handsome variety of black and colored Broadcloth Coats for ladies in tans, reds, browns and blacks.

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### IMMIGRATION PROBLEMS.

President Roosevelt has signed the Immigration bill. The measure is re-Hed upon to correct some of the abuses that are said to have existed under the old regulations.

If this country has its immigration problems, other countries have their emigration problems. The solution of these problems should be easier if all the governments could work together toward that end.

In Hungary the population is actuallydecreasing on account of emigration. According to a report of Consul-General Guenther, of Frankfort, German and Austro-Hungarian journals speak of be no more. The valleys of the Rocky the gradual depopulation of that coun-Official statistics show that for 1905, in Hungary, the excess of births over deaths was 150,950, but the emigration was 254,305, causing a net loss of 100,000. Of the 254,305 emigrants for whom passports were issued, 163,763 want to the United States. This depreclation is affecting conscription statistics. For example, in the Lubice town ship the draft called for 647 capable recruits to serve in the ranks and only 31 appeared; the 516 absentees had emigrated to America. Those appearing were mainly of poor quality, only 51 of the 131 being considered fit.

In Italy similar difficulties exist. There thoughtful men have commenced to consider emigration a national ca-

Prof. Pasquaic Villari, says the New

men? If not, what would have been the elected. benefit of it?

Men are by no means willing to be lieve in prognostications of evil. Just now the famous Parisian fortune-teller, Mme. Thebes, is quoted in the press as having warned the people on this side patience! of the Atlantic that in the next year or two great calamities are due here Among them are "upheavals and sinkng of the Atlantic coast line."

Mme. Thebes says:

thought is absurd!

PREDICTING CALAMITIES.

Some time ago a scoffer asked why, if

the Lord has prophets on earth, they

did not predict the San Francisco earth-

quake. Would such a prediction have

found eredence among the children of

"There will be a convulsion in the bottom of the Atlanife sending an aw-ful tidal wave to New York. I see her skyscrapers tumble and burn. The around seems to be sinking under them. I am surprised to see how many indica-tions point to cataclysms in the United States. You will have a war and lose

ates. You will have a war and lose one of your island possessions. "With so much trouble on the Ameri-n side of the Atlantic I am asking yself-if the coust of Europe may not so be affected. I fear our continent ay suffer from sudden quantities of after! I have seen disquieting signs in e hands of so many inhabitants of the part 18.8t

It may be a tidal wave that will ep both ways, to Europe and Ameri-

Mmn. Thebes was made famous brough the younger Dumas, who preended to believe in her prognosticaions, but it does not appear that her forecasts of calamities for this year has caused any stir among the inhabitanta of the Atlantic consis.

It happens that Lee J. Spangler of York, Pa., who is represented as another famous prognosticator of future vents, has also made a similar predic tion. He starts with the assertion that on a Sunday toward the close of the next year, the destruction of the world will sommence. There will then be a new beayen and a new earth, and the sea will be no more. New York will be an-

uthilated, he says. Chicago is also doomed. Boston will be suddenly submerged. The Pacific will be swallowed up in a chasm in the ocean bed, and Mountains will be swept by floods, bu those who are wise will escape in arks The bed of the Atlantic will also split open and the ocean vanish. After this reconstruction of the globe, the nations that survive will come together and live in peace. Mankind will be purified through the calamities that are immient. Thus prophesics Lee J. Spangler. There is no lack of forecasts of this kind. But what good do they do? Who believes them ? No doubt, the Almighty could, if He saw fit, inspire His servanus to forecast the history of each year, or day, even to the details of temperature and precipitation, but in no age of the world has this formed part of His government. At times His prophets have had visions of future

Motor World. In Columbus, Ind., there is the only concrete automobile radiway in the world. As yet, however, it is only a miniature, but as soon as the inventor. Rev. Z. T. Sweeney, fish and game com-missioner of Indiana, can interest suffi-cient capital he expects to build an ex-perimental line just outside the city. The plan is to build a concrete roadbed, in the center of which will be a con-crete guide rail twelve inches high. Each car will be fitted with two small auxil-iary wheels to prevent it from leaving the track. If the scheme gets beyond the experimental stage the automobiles will be built to carry fifty passengers and to also haul a trailer. INSANITY AND ASSASSINATION. Hartford Courant. events, but nearly always so obscure as to leave the true interpretation to the story that the coy and modest

Motor World.



