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THE AMNESTY OATH FOR REPENTANT FOLYGAMISTS.

UNDER the operations of the Ed-Commission which it created, a person who has been a prast loal polygamist but has abandoned plural fam-My relations, or has from any cause plural family relations and has correct.

plural family relations and has correct. neither repented, recanted nor changed his mental condition in any glag for amnesty to the consideration of all candid people. And those way. Thus the present monogawho cannot see that it has been meant this for a prophecy. If so, we mist who has "gone back" on polyg. Who cannot see that it has been meant this for a prophecy. If so, we descent to the same parent tree. He carefully prepared with a view to preventing every decent "Mormon" for its realization. And, mark it, esteemed one of the foremost of the true to his convictions and his fam- from gaining the benefit of the Governor, the surest way to bring sect in that locality. He pressed me ly contracts. The law therefore, as Sixth section of the Edmands law, about prosperity and power and in- to accept an invitation to attend a ily contracts. The law therefore, as Sixth section of the Edmands law, about prosperity and power and in-noted religious service, to be held in at present construed, offers no induce-must be suffering from some disease crease to this latter-day work is to a few weeks at Lancaster City, but ment for persons in plural family of the visual organs. However, it does relations to change their mode of tile.

But, it may be said, the law authorizes the President of the United States to grant amnesty to offenders

before the passage of the Act, on such conditions and limitations as he may think proper. Just so. And

it has been quite a question as to what conditions and limitations the ernor Murray and party reached President might require of appli. San Francisco a Chronicle reporter cants for amnesty. This is now set. was sent to interview them. Followtled, and the form of an oath to be ing is the account of the conversataken by such suppliants for pardon tion with Governor Murray as it

has been prepared. It was origin. appears in that paper: "What is the status of the Mormon ally framed, so we are credibly in-

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I being dist days every, do dopose and say: That I have not been in the practice of bigamy or polyga-my since the day of is that I am not now a bigamist or polygamist, that I have not since the day of nor do balleve in, advocate, or in any way hold or countenance the practice of in any way up-hold or countenance the practice of bigamy or polygamy, and that in the future I will do all lean to oppose the Morgon church in its efforts to oppose the Morgon church in its efforts to oppose the laws, and obstruct the due course of justice, and that I will not vio-inte any law of the United States.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this A.D., 185

EVENING NEWS, level, and as for the "Mormons," | to think that the more opposition to matter what might be the temp! and oppression, the ations offered or the penalties threat- seal and determination enes, they would as soon think of be the result, and, therefore, putting their right bands into a fur- the greater spread of "Mormonism,"

nace of fire as subscribing to sn oath against their 1 elief, to say nothing of the other hamiliating and arbit-rary requirements. We know of one case in which the cath is likely to be taken if it is not already on file. The cringing pleater for par-don has a legal wife living in a dia-

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ton has a legal wife living in a dis- and original as could be expected of The late deceased Dr. Benjan

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Dr. Benjamin Musser, for over forty year

taut is will and cohabits with an-other. 'He just aches for an office, There is an improvement in the of Mussers settled in Pennsylvania and knowing that he cannot gain Governor's "interview" over the some 200 years ago, and one among the support of those whom he once eastern variety of the same species, the great number of distinguished UNDER the operations of the Ed. the support of those whom he ones canted variety of the same physicians, of the same name, munds law and the rulings of the called breihren, he is ready to do He has not stuffed the Coast re- who have earned encomlums anything for the support of porter with the story he told in the innumerable for their skill and the so-called "Liberal" faction East that "a Chinese girl twelve a ccess as pratical physicians in hopes of support from that quar- years old, if married to a Mormon and surgeons in the counter. He is just the kind to come could vote in Utah." That would in the interests of suffering human ceased to practise polygamy, is in down upon his abdomen and take be a little too tough even for ity. A few years ago I had a very the same condition of political non-entity as one who continues his it can be made to appear technically were not aware that "the most fer-religious and social topics with the eminent M. D. at his fraternal

tile spots in the United States were home in Strasburg. His ceti-Sixth section of the Linking and the sector of the Linking and the sector of the visual organs. However, it does interpresent it, oppress it, fight it, and seek to "strip it of authority." and seek to "strip it of authority." By this means it will be pushed into prominence and forced into that vigorous action which will result in the full attainment of its anticipated victory. TALES.

## DIED.

SHAW-While on a visit to its grandparent in South Cattonwood Ward, Aug. 7th, of congestion of the brain, Albert Henry, son of Albert and Encodel Elizabeth Shaw, aged 8

Funeral from residence of parents, 17th Ward, Wednesday, Aug. Sth. at 6 p.m. Friends are invited. CHICAGO, 7.—The Tribune says: The conflict between the Union Pa-cific and Denver & Rio Grande, re-

HEYWOOD-In the 17th Ward of this city, ganding the California passenge after an illness of three weeks, Mrs. Mattie business, is becoming more serious every day, and it is generally be-lieved that open rate war between the two roads will break out before Heywood, wife of B. B. Heywood, aged 28 The time of the funeral has not yet been

decided, owing to a relative in California who many days have passed. A few weeks ago the Denver & Rio Grande has been communicated with not having been beard from.

gave notice that passengers for Call-fornia, over its line, would have the privilege of visiting Denver and Leadville free of charge. This it WANTED. CHAMBREMAID, LAUNDRESS, PAN-try girl, and three waitresses. Apply at 122 Waiker House. was learned was done in retaliation for the Union Pacific running fast trains between Omains and Ogden,

and allowing passengers to visit Salt Lake City free of extra charge. ESTRAY NOTICE. HAVE IN MY POSSESSON : Now the Union Pacific hits back by

announcing that passengers for California, over its line, will also be in head, no brands. If said animal is not olaimed within ten

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"No, I do not. If administered to its nose is will fail short of checking its grow have no reason to think that polygamy formasic will fail short of the that polygamy formasic any shore it went into effect."

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> Attest my hand and the Great Seal of the Terri-tory of Utah, this...... A. D., 188... L.B.

A. D., 185... Bee'y of Utah Territory. It will be seen that the person who craves forgiveness must in the first place have ceased the practice of plural marriage, at least since the passage of the Edmunds law, for the power of the 'President to grant annesty only extends to those "guilty of bigamy, polygamy or un-lawfol cohabitation" before the pas-

sage of that act. This is rather funny, as the offences of polygamy

and unlawful cohabitation were for the first time constituted crimes under the laws of the United States by that very Act, and were therefore not orimes until after its passage. The Act of '63 was against "bigamy," and the Act of '82 says that these who "hereafter" do thus and so are gulliy of "polygamy" or "unlawful cohabitation," as the case may ba. Section Six, which provides for amnesty to those who were guilty before the passage of the law, thus contradicts Sections One and Three, which define the offences hamed, make them crimes and

provides for their punishment. After the applicant has sworn that

he has not been guilty of a practice since the day it was made criminal by law, he must next swear that he does not "believe in, advocate or countenance the practice of bigamy or polygamy." Tais is a plain and

direct interference with that free- panaces for the complaint which dom of opinion and of speech which afflicts the anti-"Mormon" stomach. the requirements of actual settlers. is guaranteed to all people under the The Legislative Commission is Mur- 1t also indicates that the public Constitution, and has been support- ray's cure-all-his one patent medi- lands remaining in the Southern ad and maintained by the Supreme cine for all the imaginary evils of neglected, are randly coming Court of the United States. In the "Mormonism," "If I had the under famous decision on the Reynolds appointment of such a Council." ent includes most the "Mermons" had the right to be-be wield that much-coverad baten to reast to be to wield that much-coverad baten to reast to be to wield that much-coverad baten to reast to be to wield that much-coverad baten to reast to be to wield that much-coverad baten to reast to be to wield that much-coverad baten to be to be to wield that much-coverad baten to be to b lieve in the doctrine of plurality of of authority, Mr. Murray. It would tories: Dakota, Florida, Kansas, wives, that no law could be passed be a pleasant and prefitable pursuit Nebraeka, Oregon, Washington and infringing upon that right, and that for you and a few selected friends Wisconsin. As compared with the it was only when their belief broke to enact and execute laws for this out into "overt acts against peace Territory, make it hot for the "Morand good order," that the secular

law could interpose restraint. Bat this is not all; the suppliant never get lean again for life, wouldn't Church in its efforts to oppose the Republicans. laws," etc. What this means it is not very easy fully to define. But Utah does not show how a Legislathe spirit of the intent is obvious. tive Council would "strip the head It is designed that the person suing of the Church of his authority," so for anneaty shall become an apos- that "the tail would succumb." tate from his former faith, if he is What would the State do to control

"What I should advocate is a change of the form of government, and I thick it is small of the 60,000 000 of a mericanit to simad by idiy and see 15,000 of us fight the Mormons, when each of the former number is as much intrested in the matter as the inter. I say it is a shame and a disgrace. Let the people act; let then demand of their representa-tives in Congress a speedy solution of the difficulty. Let Congress pass an set abolish-ing the present legislative form of govern-ment and substituts in lieu of it a legislative free of charge. This action will of Governor. Bas a proper person to the accentitied, "An not to amend section acts: of the new ised Statutes, in reference to Baganuy, and for other purposes." Governor. give the U the advantage, and there is now no other way open for the Denver & Rio Grande to get even except to make a large reduction in rates, which of course will compel the other lines to do likewise.

## Milliary Modifications

accorded the privilege of going to Denver and Leadville and return

in Utah." "But how could a legislative council put a stop to the growth of mormonism, since the inws of Idaho. Arizona, and in fact all the States and Territories of the Pacific shops are unable to check the ovil. as is evinced by the rapid growth of the sect?" WASHINGTON, 7.-There is going to be a funny fight in army circles able to check the sect? Pid growth of the sect? "So long as there is a head of the Church t Salt Lake Cluy able to give his commands which are executed by all the followers of the hurch without questioning, whether is be is fush, Idaha or Montana, or where not, a lith, Idaha or Montana, or where not, a when Sheridan comes to Washing ton, said a war department man. Schofield, who is now at the head of the Department of the Pacific, and Pope, who is at the head of the ong the svil will remain unchecked. In ho it is, as the matter stands now, un numable. Mormonism has become an ir Department of Missouri, under Sheridan, will both try to stay where they are. Neither of them ant factor in politics. The Mormons hav arried it so far that they have their member wants to move to Chicago. Scofield is one of the biggest men, socially, on the Pacific slope, and Pope is King Bee in Kansas and Missouri.

Neither could cut a vary wide ewath in Chicago for a very long time, and neither cares to go there for that reason. Hancock is out of the fight apparently, nobody show-ing a disposition to disturb him. Sheridan will not come here until the 1st of October, but the fight against the removal to Chicago will

begin several weeks before that date. Entering upon another branch of the subject the War Department man said, "Carpet Knights who have been attached to Sherman and "But where their religion is hardly known "But where their religion is hardly known how is it that they gain proselytes, is in Ic

his staff from Chicago, and althoug

in the field.

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is is probable that several of Sher-man's clerks will be taken cars of, there are several who will have to P. O. Boz, 595, Salt Lake City, U. T. 1 Telephone communication. die 1m



missioner of the General Land Office shows something of the marvelons There is little to remark upon in States and Territories are becoming D the foregoing except the Governor's populated and the enormous dratts panaces for the complaint which are being made upon the public domain, in order to salisfy H H Z A neglected, are rapidly coming under sottlement. The state-D import-

year ending June 30th, '82, the statement shows an increase of 35,-217 in the number of entries (cash sales original homestead entries and mons," handle the taxes and wax so fat in a few years that you would timber culture entries), and 8,505, 848 in the number of scres ente But this is not all; the suppliant never get lean again for life, wouldn't The amount received from cash must then ewear that he will "do all it? But that is not what destiny has alles is increased from \$3,313,834 in he can to oppose the Mormon in store for you, most republican of '82 to 7,581,449 in 1883, or more than 128 per cent.

The Spanish Revolt.

But the would-be autocrat of



