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UTAH AND THE MESSAGE. ment about Utah. He announces

ment. It has evidently been pre-pared with great care. All the prominent national topics are treat-ed of to some extent, and many re-commendations are offered which will doubtless receive due consider-ation from Congress. The absence of all attempts at flowery language, and the plain, straightforward man-ner of approaching every subject touched upon, are distinguishing features of this able state paper. To the neople of this Territory.

To the people of this Territory, the case, he is given to the method- always reserving to myself the right To the people of this Territory, the case, he is given to the va-that portion of the message referring to polygamy will be of the greatest interest. It has been the custom interest. It has been the custom interest. It has been the custom interest. It has been the custom

marriage system which exists in tures in the message, some of which Utah, at the opening of each Con- will displease the people of the West his motion the present chief clerk gress for a great many sessions and gratify the people of the distinctly appointed as a democrat It has been exalted into a national East, and others that will be apquestion by the ill-advise land intem- proved by the whole country. But perate zeal of its opponents. Proper- we have not space to discuss them (applause,) probably because this is ly it is but a local matter, being con- at present. President Arthur has the first place where the example fined within the limits of this Terri- disappointed the prophets of evil tory and having no bearing upon who predicted disaster to follow his tory and having no bearing upon who predicted disaster to follow his our political life. The country was nation: I affairs. But President Ar-thur has found himself, like several growing rapidly in the confidence of great parties at the presidential elecof his predecessors, in a position re-quiring him to take official notice of in still further advancing him in the hamber republicans and democrats a subject which, but for the facti- public estimation.

tious importance which has been attached to it by zealots, would not be likely to figure in the politics of the United States.

streets to-day that the seat of Dele-The whole country has been work gate to Utah had been awarded to ed up into great excitement over the simple fact that a small the person not elected. This has lines is always exposed to harsh crit-community in one of the Territories not been confirmed up to the hour icism, no matter how proper his believe in the rightfulness, under certhe person not elected. This has tain religious regulations, of having prove to be correct, it should cause more wives than one at the same uo particular apprehension. The time, and that a portion of the people carry their belief into prac.lcal The contest is consequent effect. This has been magnified upon it. The dispute of to-day and distorted by sectarian [reachers and a few reckless persons with designs on the property and positions of the leading "Mormons," one side of the subject being held up to public view while the other has been studiously kept down, until the most absurd and incorrect ideas concerning it have obtained and now pass for acknowledged facts, and the head of the nation finds himself so beleaguered by excited anti-polygamists, that he is compelled to notice the object of their mania in his address to Congress upon national affairs,

subvert of unsettle them may prove a serious matter to many more peo-ple than these against more the them the of executive trust. The new President ought to be alded by all prop le than bos igned. And it will legislative co-op les of widence and out the general hd that r

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be found that rules of widence and enacts onts specially framed to work in but one direction; may be turned in other channels and produce effects never intended in the original departure from vene-rated rules and principles. The concluding sentence in the President's remarks on this ques

the Tenth Ward Square, petitioned for a remewal of the lease for one year, on the same tern s and condi-tions as formerly. Referred to the President's remarks on this ques of Representatives should be held tion will not greatly please those who are at the bottom of all the excite? ment about Utab. He appounces A communication from Jam UTAH AND THE MESSAGE. THE message of President Arthur, a portion of which we putlished last evening, is concluded in this even-ing's issue of the NEWS. It is a voluminous but statesmanlike docu-ment. It has evidently been pre-pared with great care. All the pared with great care. All the

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The city attorney submitted his report for the quarter ending Nov. 20th, showing the status of the city's litigation during that period, etc. Referred to the committee on ways and m

ITY COUNCIL

Mr. Wm. P. Rowe, Granted.

and means. The following bills for the month of November were presented for ac-tion and allowed by the Council: City marshal's expense bills City marshal's expense bills, \$283.48; expenses of fire department \$136.05; 221 street lamps furnished with gas, lighted, extinguished and kept in repair one month, \$920.83; gas to city buildings, \$76,65; city jailor's bill for boarding prisoners for one month, \$223.44; medicines and medical attendance to prisoners, \$87.75; henter City Hell and essist

medical attendance to prisoners, \$87,75; janitor City Hall and assistant jailor, \$60; collector of dog tax \$20; James Shelmerdine, balance as he is also eminent due for services as weigh master for month, 40e,

Appropriations were made as fol-lows; To the Descret National Bank was unanimously made acting secre tary. The graceful deed is a cheer to pay three months' interest on a corporation note for \$5,000, \$75; to the mayor's contingent fund, \$100. ing sign which affords me pleasure should be set against that common scrambling for office that disfigures to the credit of road and street aocount, \$1,000; to the watermaster's contingent fund, \$500; to waterworks count, \$500.

On motion of Alderman Raleigh the recommendation of the committhe recommendation of the commit-tee on streets and alleys, made in their report of November 30th, upon petition of Fred Bollwinkle, which provides for the purchase and sale of dertain parcel 1 of land on the north and south sldes respectively of Apri-cot Street, plat E, was referred to the committee on public grounds, with instructions to carry said re-commendation into effect. confront each other with like numbers. The committees are now held by the other party. From my stand-point it would be unwise to disturb this condition of things, and I do no propose to engage in any struggle that look. to that object. As our colitics are organized, the public man who steps outside his party. commendation into effect.

Adjourned for one week.

Historical .- The History of Neparties enforces a rigid discipli vada, a work of 680 pages, illustrat-ed with numerous engravings, is defined and a state of the second st prove to be correct, it should cause no particular apprehension. The seating of the Delegate is not final. The contest is consequent upon it. The dispute of to-day turns upon the question of who holds the certificate. If it is decided that Murray's false document given to tory of Utah is, however, not equaled in thrilling interest by that of any Murray's false document given to is not a virtue if it means a dogma- and a rellable work delineating. it would be priceless We hope yet to see such a book published. Its production looks to us like a duty to posterity. The nearer events are depicted to the time they transpire, the fresher and more reliable and nuthentic must be the record. Vennor says we may expect vari able weather in December. That settles it. Now all those people who have been luxuriating in our beautiful British weather will please take notice that they cannot have rain aud clouds and moisture and mud and rubbers and umbrellas quite all the month.



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President Arthur had to say something on the polygamy question, or he would have been assailed from natches.

every quarter whence the voice of religious bigotry arises in the land. stands the facts no better than many others who descant upon the subject. He has no reliable informtion that the law of 1862 is being violated to any extent in Utah. He. has merely accepted as true a common rumor. Those who circulate it admit that they have no means, of determining whether their stories are true or false. They go on repeating them all the same, the pulpit and the press catch up the story, it is wafted upon the wings of the lightning, it is forced upon the attention of Congress and the President, and statements are made con corning it in official documents which would be found extremely difficult of proof.

The President complains that the law has in very rars instances been enforced. Whose fault is that? Certainly that cannot be consistently laid at the door of the "Mormons." If officials have been tardy

and inefficient, let the blame rest where it belongs. He also states main until the end of the present that polygamy is the "corner stone" fiscal year. It is reported to night that Kirkwood has also been informed by the President that of the "Mormon" Church, which shows that he has not been correctly ne desires him to remain. Frelin informed. The "Mormon" Church huysen and Brewster are to be Se existed for many years without polyetary of State and Attorney Gengamy. Indeed, correctly speaking, poeral, and the Treasury having been lygamy is not now and never has filled, this makes up the comple been even a tenet of the "Mormon" ment of the cabinet.

faith. Our religious system of marriage is different altogether from It is evident that the repul that which is known in the world cans are determined to the matter of the admission of as polygamy. But setting that consideration aside, our plural wife Southern Dakota inte the Union. Senator Windom and Saunders have system is not and has not been the introduced bills for this purpose, both "corner stone" of the Church. It eing substantially the same. Saun has become an essential part of our dors is chairman of the committee on Territories, and all bills other features of our faith. Its on other features of our faith. Its opponents have forced it into promi Speech of Senator Davis nence and given it that position in In the Senate to-day when Ed the public mind, while it is in reality but one of the constituent parts viding for the continuance of co of our ecclesiantical institution, not

of our ecclesiastical institution, not ohief nor of greater importance than many others. The settlement of members of our Church in other Territories besides Utah, referred to by the President, should be a matter of no "apprehen.

Campbell is a valid certificate, while tic adhesion to a given idea when a bia true official statement certifying change would be meritorious. The his true official statement, certifying greatest statesmen of modern times to the facts of the election, is not a have been courageously inconsistent and have become public benefactors certificate, Campbell may be seated. But the inquiry into the merits of by abandoning mistaken policy. It the case will ensue and when the conviction satisfied me that opinthe case will ensue, and when the ions formed long ago and followed since then, were erroneous, it would not cost me a moment's thought to cast them off like worn out gar-ments, I believe them to be sound facts are made plain, only wilful trampling upon the plainest principles of justice and republicanism, will prevent the People's Delegate and so believing, I shall stand ty them as a moderator between exfrom securing the position to which he has been duly elected by almost

THE DELEGATE'S SEAT.

THERE has been a rumor on the

It pleased the majority of the Sen-ate to confer upon me the highest distinction in thiir gift. Prized as the entire vote of this Territory. Some particulars of the progress of the case will be found in our dis that honor is and ought to be, it is

It is quite probable that he under BY TELEGRAPH PAR WESTERN CNION TELEGRAPH LINE.

AMEBICAN. LATEST DISPATHUES. Reception of the Message.

WASHINGTON,7 .- The President's nessage was generally received with satisfaction Hand commendation. me disappointment was expressed that he did not more distinctly and definitely enunciate a policy. This faction, which for 15 years past in time of peace, have disturbed na-tional fellowship, that should have been restored at the close of the eeling, however, seems to be confined to those who hope for domina-tion of a faction of the party. The republicans ... generally think the civil war, shall be sllenced, this President means to entirely ignore country will bound forward in a career of grandeur and glory factions and to heal dissension , and are glad he refrained from saying that will anything that could be seized upon by either faction. The western re

silver-producing States, are not pleased at his recommendation to limit the silver coinage, but they console themselves with the bellef that Congress will not carry out that

The Cabinet.

New State.

In no other way can more perfect union which their inspired wisdom formed a disjointed confederation be preserved as a shining light of a higher civilization and as a refuge of Secretary Hunt will retain his sition, and Jones will rethe oppressed from all lands.

In the House, Haskell offered a

resolution declaring Allen G. Camp-bell, delegate-elect from Utah Terri-tory, entitled to be sworn on the prima facie case. The resolution was under discussion. A point of order was raised against it by Cox, when the President's message was received and was read, and the uestion of swearing in of the dele ate from Utah was postponed until to-morrow morning.

Happy.

Davis, when referring to his acptance of the position of Presi-nt of the Senate, manifested con-ferable indignation in alluding to

s derable indignation in alluding to various newspaper instructions that he had sold himself to the republi-cans. He was very emphatic in re-asserting that not a single word tending to commit himself to the republicans had passed between him and them prior to his accept-ance of the position. His speech has rendered the Senate officials and emphaticans hance and employees happy.

Comments on the Massage.-The

that honor is and ought to be, it is doubly valuable in my estimation because it came wholly unsought and without the exchange of a sin-gle word directly or indirectly that could by any possibility impose an obligation. This is the only answer O. S. FOWLER, will commence course of lecture, Thursday even ing, December 8th, at 8 p. m., at the shall ever make to unworthy Theatre. The professor is now mak Theatre. The professor is now that ing the last tour over this country. He is 72 years old and this is doubt-less the last opportunity to hear him lecture or profit by his experi-ence and counsel in shaping one's fu-ture for business or other spheres in minds that would measure the in-tegrity of others by their own low standard of personal honor. The day is drawing near when I shall retire from this chamber My only ambiion while here is to be instruments life. He has the reputation of read in bringing about perfect peace be-tween the north and south as the ing character as accurately as one can read print from a book. Thus day and Friday evenings are FREE TO ALL. He stops at the Walker best means of promoting the per-manent prosperity of the whole Union. When the rude voice of House.

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Funeral at residence of parents, 7th Ward, Thursday, at 10 a. m. Friends of the family

At the residence of Mrs. M. F. G. Marrison Mount Pleasant, Sanpete County, December 34, 1881, CHARLOTTE S. HYDE, wife of postle Orson Hyde, aged 79 years, 3 month

Sister Hyde was born August 22d, 1802, at Lowerpensneck, Salem County, New Jorsey. Joined the Church in St. Louis, Mo.; was baptized by Elder Edson Whipple in 1850; and

In the spring of 1856 she left her comfort the home in the 12th Ward, Salt Lake City turing the exodus of the Saints from there ad arrived in Ephraim, Sanpete County where she lived one year, and at the organi sation of Mount Pleasant, in the spring of 1859, moved there and remained there even

Sister Hyde has lived an exemplary lite, been a true and faithful Latter-day Salut, liways trying to do good wherevor she had

She taught school in Mt. Pleasant over 21 cars, and was faithful in the discharge rare, and was futured in the cheminge of are duties. She took great pleasure in culti-rating the minds of the young who were en-rusted to her pare, and instructing them in

int, and will ultimately wear the orown.



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ine to Utah in 1852.

trusted to her care, and instruction in the the principles of life and mivation. Everyous loved and respected Aunt Hyde, as she was generally called, and her name will be held with honor and respect while

should be a matter of no "apprehen-sion" to anybody, much less to the presidency The 47th Cengress now Congress of the United States. The "Mormons" make the bass country was stricken down in the maturity ers who ever grappled with the dif-ficultics of a desert country. They months of experience in the execu-months of experience in the execuon the barren spots of the public domain in the West, and making wealth for the nation. They teep the laws of the Territories in which they penetrate and conduct thomselves as peaceable, thriffy and valuable citisens. Their success and extension are indeed "calculated to excite the liveliest interest," but the "apprehension" is all manufactured by their enomics and is a bug-aboo to excite the country still more on the "Mormon" question.

presidency The 47th Cengress now meets under a constitutional successor to the President who was only Among other comments on the essage, occurs the following: Prest, Arthur's vigorous utter-ances upon the Mormon question gives unailoyed antisfaction to the of his manifered after but four short months of experience in the execu-tive chair. These stern facts are full of admonition. They teach us how frail are human hopes and how transitory is human power. In the presence of this and instruction, am bittion may well pause and all of us may learn how vain are aspirations bition may well pause and all of us may learn how vain are aspirations to which too much of our lives are devoted. "Great as was the bereavedevoted. Great as was the bereave-ment which spread sorrow over the land and which touched this heart of every finishie, it was sanctified by the consolation that the people of all sections were brought nearer to gether by a common grief and thus eame to understand each other bat-ter through kindred emotions, bitter feelings were softened and the vioen the "Mormon" question. The President's recommendations for the modification of the law of evidence will no doubt be well weighed before action is taken. The laws of 'svidence are not founded upon the statutes of the United States, but upon well established principles of justice and equity which have become inter-woven with the jurisprudence of all English speaking peoples. To

able that the republican members of the House will solidly sustain Speaker Keifer in the position taken by him to-day in favor of Campbell, and these com-bined influences will also, it is be-lieved, be reinforced by many dem-ocratic members, whose abhorrance lieved, be reinforced by many dem-ocratic members whose abhorrance of Mormoniam will lead them to forego the possible advantago of embarrassing the ropublican speak-er, which is apparently the purpose of the opposition led by ex-Speaker Randall, so that on the whole Campbell's admission seems to be pretty well assured. SAN FRANCISCO, 7.- A suit wastituted to-day in the superio lining Co., to have assessment 7 inseinded; also for the recovery 37,000. The suit was instituted

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