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SPREAD OF MORMONISM. Mormonism is living itself in America, and becoming exceedingly defiant. Some years ago, in consequence of the very aggressive action of the central government, and of its determined effort to uproot and destroy polygamy, the sect suffered a reverse.

There has, in the interval, been a revival of the religion, and it has its missionaries at work at several points in America. Canada has a number of Mormons, but they are said to be carrying themselves carefully and to be abstaining from polygamy whatever they may think of it as an article of faith.

The leading apostle is J. H. Smith, who, at a meeting in New York city, alleged that he was a witness to the inspiration of the Book of Mormon. 'The spirit of God,' he said, 'has declared to me the truths contained in this book. Mormonism as here set forth cannot be overturned by any human agency. Its influence is constantly broadening, and day by day the prophecies of its founder are being fulfilled.'

It is amazing many things have been given the dignity of revelations, and to what base uses they are put! Mormonism has been called a child of the devil, and its work in Utah merits this great distinction!

LAND PURCHASE BILL. The Imperial parliament is not finding any favour with the Irish party because of the new Land Purchase bill, much as it is intended to be a help towards the relief, eventually, from landlordism.

The defect of the measure, from the tenants' standpoint, is the non-compulsory nature of it. It provides that when the landlord and two-thirds of his tenants were willing the land can be purchased, and divided, the money in the transaction being for the time being borrowed from the government, and to the limit, at any one time, of \$15,000,000.

Eight years after the establishment of the Encumbered Estates court over 8,000 sales had taken place in Ireland, and the land represented a value of \$115,000,000. In 1896 another act was passed. It was meant to facilitate the transfers of land, and it has failed in this, since only five hundred sales have been recorded and they have represented but \$2,500,000.

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adopt the compulsory principle, the hands of the landlord will one day be forced. In nine years of the present time the second statutory term of fifteen years, for which judicial rents have been fixed, will have expired, and Irish tenants will be entitled under the Gladstone Land Act of 1881, to apply to have their rents fixed for the third time.

THE SLAVE AS TEACHER. The Germans have a colony which covers fifty thousand miles square in Africa. It is called Togo, and lies on the north coast of the Gulf of Guinea, and about 1,500 miles from Liberia. It contains soil very suitable for agriculture, and the Germans, in their wisdom and necessities, appealed in 1900 to Booker T. Washington, the founder of the Tuskegee institute, in Alabama, for aid and advice.

The result has been entirely successful, and recently Mr. Calloway came to America, and at Tuskegee engaged several young graduates of the institute in which he received training for service as overseers of agriculture in Togo. Two of these teachers are said to be able 'to trace their lineage back to the slaves who were picked up by a Portuguese slaver from this very coast, and they landed in Togo with a sense of triumph.'

A new future is being opened for the Tuskegee institute, which is the creation and development of one of the most remarkable men of this age. It seems only a few years since Booker T. Washington awoke to the consciousness that he was a slave, and heard his mother, herself a slave, praying over him, as he lay on his bed of rags on a clay floor, that she and her children might be made free.

The Bag Carrying Habit. The omnipresent bag is, after all, one of the most sensible fads in which the fashionable woman has elected to indulge herself. Its usefulness is plain and appreciated, and its beauty is of the kind that appeals to any woman.

German Girls. The German minister of public instruction says that the government is willing, as an experiment, to permit girls to attend the gymnasium for the purpose of preparing to be admitted to universities as guests.

Modern Bad Form. Nowadays, men when talking to women lounge and sprawl, and cross their legs, and keep one hand in a pocket while they shake hands with the other, and shove their partners about in the 'Washington Post' and wallow in the Kitchen Lancers.

Quiet In The Klondike. 'There is something in the atmosphere in the Klondike that makes men very quiet,' said a man from up in the frozen region. 'The habit is acquired. I suppose, in tramping, when the altitude makes it necessary to use all your breath for breathing, and leaves you none for talking, the result is that men talk very little. They become almost speechless, and will sit about at night, each thinking his own thoughts and allowing his fellows to do the same.'

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given \$18 a week and the fullest confidence of the directors, and the other day he walked off with \$36,000. It pays to be honest, says somebody. So it does. In this case the directors were not using the honest thing by underpaying a man for the responsibility he was expected to carry.

If Rev. Mr. Bland were a leader of men, if what he said had to reflect their minds as well as his own, perhaps he would be somewhat less jaunty in his political opinions. The preacher can afford to be very patriotic occasionally. What he says is personal and neither makes nor un-makes the policies of governments.

The Christmas story of wholesale bribery and affecting several prominent people in America, is declared to be made out of whole cloth. Christmas is said by the Danish consul in the case to be working his government for a big fee, and to get it he alleges that he had to engage in wholesale corruption. It is a fine scandal all the same.

POINTED PRESS PARAGRAPHS. The Great People. Ottawa Citizen. When the municipalities rise in their might and come down to Ottawa even the Bell telephone monopoly's wires get crossed.

No Stagnation Here. Belleville Ontario. The news of an increase in the country's revenue for the last nine months of almost two million dollars is most gratifying. There is no stagnation under Laurier.

Has Another Alias. Belleville. Dullman, who attempted to dynamite the Welland canal turns out to be Luke Dillon, a noted Fenian. Dullman or Dillon, it doesn't matter which. His name is Dennis now.

Opposition Leader's Cant. St. John's Telegraph. R. L. Borden is facing two ways. He favors protection and yawns for an imperial protector. In spite of his avowed policy, if it comes to the test he will probably prefer 'a cant towards Biddy.'

Get Out Your Pencils. Life. A young girl, five feet two inches in height, weighing 114 pounds, can wait three hours straight without stopping, while a young man, five feet nine inches, weighing 190 pounds, can wait only thirty-two minutes. How many partners averaging 170 pounds, will the young girl exhaust in an evening of eleven hours, allowing twenty minutes for refreshments.

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AFRAID TO COME ASHORE. THINKS IT IS MUCH SAFER TO KEEP AFLOAT.

An Old Sailor Who Has Figured Out the Chances of Death Ashore and Afloat—Too Many Accidents Ashore.

Bangor, April 2.—It is difficult to make a landman believe that there are people who consider themselves safer afloat than on shore, but there are many such in Maine, and Jake Tozier, of Herring Gut, is one of them. It is said that Jake has been on shore but once in ten years, not counting short walks up the pier or occasional clam-digging trips.

For years Jake was cook and hand of the schooner Alligator, and when she was piled up on Ragged Island, he immediately shipped in the Early Bird, in which he has sailed in ever since, living on board of her while she has been hauled up winters, as snug, he says, as a clam at high tide. 'The reason I don't go ashore more,' said Jake, putting down the newspaper in which he had been studying the details of a railroad accident, 'is that I don't want to die afore my time comes. Why, you can't take up a paper without reading of something terrible that's happened ashore—just look at that, will ye!'

Just you look her through," said Jake. "That's on the last page and over here on the next page you'll find that six or seven was all ground into oaks by a train jumping off the track, and it's that way all through. I've counted up and I find in that one paper where sixty-three people has been roasted and crushed and slaughtered in one way or another, and not one of them lost to sea. There's lots of bad men ashore, ma'am. You'll find in that 'ere paper where fifteen men and women has committed suicide and seven committed suicide and not one of them suicides is a sailor man—not one.

Yes, sir, I tell ye it's awful what ways there is to get killed ashore that ain't to be fell in with on the water. Even if ye're drowned to sea, ye ain't cut all up first, like them people in the tumbels was all crashed to pieces and then drowned with scalding steam. I ain't no scholar, but I read the papers and the more I read the certainer I am that a man to be safe has got to keep 'n' land's much's he can. You pick out any man you want to and I'll show ye doctors' if I get him afore I'm drowned, and when I do go I'll go whole, so's to come on deck shipshape, and Bristol fashion when Gabriel blows his horn.'

A FAMILY ROMANCE. Husband Finds Wife After 24 Years—Strange Story. Allen's Own, Pa., April 2.—S. M. Gillman, of Philadelphia, and his wife, have met again at Emmaus, Lehigh county, after being separated for twenty-four years.

In 1877, while Gillman was hunting work in New York, his wife living in Philadelphia, he says, he received a letter from his father-in-law, saying that his wife had died and she in turn was told that her husband was dead. Gillman says he lost his reason and spent eighteen years in an asylum.

His wife married Harvey Dambert, of Emmaus, where the couple now live. When Gillman left the asylum he inherited \$50,000, and at once began a search for his wife. He has offered Dambert a large part of his fortune to return his wife to him.

Auto-Photography By Birds. Birds are made to take photographs of themselves by the ingenious device of an English photographer. A piece of fat is placed at the end of a wire electrically connected to the shutter of a camera. Timid birds, like the song thrush, will approach the bait and pick it up and at once the shutter is moved by this action, and an instantaneous exposure obtained. To get photos of nocturnal birds the fat is arranged to light a little magnesium as it releases the shutter.

Circus Opens in New York. New York, April 2.—The circus has come to town, and New Yorkers, young and old, are awaiting a chance to feed the elephants. In Madison Square Garden to-night, the Forepaugh-Sells organization opens for a sixteen days' engagement. Although there are many gossies never shown before in this country, the circus cannot remain longer in New York, as the management has decided to go as far as San Francisco this year.

International Peace Congress. Paris, April 2.—The eleventh international peace congress opened at Monaco to-day and will continue in session through the week. Nearly all the countries of Europe are represented by delegates.

Killed By Head Hunters. London, April 2.—The Star's Singapore correspondent says the coast town of Kuching, in the Western part of British North Borneo, was recently attacked by head hunters from Dutch Borneo. Twenty residents of the town were killed.

Latest Fad In Note Paper. Paris, April 2.—The latest luxurious fad of Parisians is note paper with flowers, stalk and shadow, painted in water colors, and the blossom artificially embroidered in colored silks. The novelty is the invention of Stenle, a designer of theatrical costumes.

Life Of A Locomotive. An ordinary railway engine will travel about 1,000,000 miles before it wears out.

SUNLIGHT SOAP. If your Grocer cannot supply, write to LEVER BROTHERS LIMITED, Toronto, sending the name and address of your grocer, and a trial sample of Sunlight Soap will be sent you free of cost. REDUCES EXPENSE. Two washings entail LESS STRAIN ON THE NERVES Than one washing with impure soap.

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Army Board Favors This For Service Uniforms For Soldiers. Washington, April 2.—A service uniform for the army, to be similar in color in all grades, will be recommended by the army board. The present blue uniform will not be entirely dispensed with but one of khaki color is favorably considered. No material change is contemplated in the uniform of the officers. Fit Reform suits, in black and blue serge; fit guaranteed, \$10 and \$12, at Jenkins'. See Jenkins' Umbrellas. George Jenkin, Zanella cover, steel shaft, wooden edge, guaranteed fast black, \$1. Ebenezer W. Seane, barrister, Chatham, died suddenly.