

THE United Order has issued a sickly looking sheet to represent its interest.

THE Union and Central Pacific trains were several hours behind time yesterday.

DANCES were quite numerous on the streets last evening. Its all for the Fourth.

WORK has been suspended for a short time on the Pueblo and Salt Lake railroad.

THE Methodists have sent to Boston for a large organ, which is expected to arrive before the dedication of their new church.

A NUMBER of our citizens will leave the city this morning for Alta. The rush will take place to-morrow and Monday morning.

PARTIES going to Alta, should remember that the train on the Utah Southern leaves Salt Lake at seven o'clock in the morning.

THE *Herald* folks come out savagely on brother Tooby. He is only a thousand miles away, however, and they are perfectly safe from harm.

THE long-drawn out Beecher scandal has at last come to a close, resulting virtually in clearing the skirts of Henry Ward and Elizabeth. Now let the ragged edge take a rest.

THERE were but thirty-two deaths in Salt Lake, during the month of June. This is a small per cent. and indicates that ours is one of the healthiest cities on the continent. Invalids abroad, will please make a note of this fact.

THE rules regulating the water ditches are to be printed in circular form and distributed around the several wards. By strictly observing these regulations, no citizen will have reason to complain of the scarcity of water for irrigating or other purposes.

QUEEN is making frequent allusion in his advertisements to the great fraud perpetrated upon him by the Profit and the one eyed pirate of the Wasatch range. He gives Brigham credit for forty wives, all of whom were admitted free to the circus.

WE are in receipt of a complimentary from the *Omaha Bee* to assist it in sending up a balloon on the Fourth. As we shall be at Alta on that day, watching the lofty flight of THE TRIBUNE'S great American eagle, we shall forego the pleasure of a visit to Omaha.

IT is estimated that "Yours in Krist" and the lesser priestly thieves have stolen lumber to the value of \$3,000,000 from the Government.

They are now gnashing their teeth and swearing in the Deseret alphabet at the Government officials for putting a stop to their thieving games.

A SILVER CITY MAN whose wife has applied for a divorce has relates his troubles to the editor of the *Times*.

"You see, sir, the old woman has 'plied for a divorce; but that's not what makes me mad. I don't mind about that--I don't care about the divorce--but you see, sir, she wants to get *antimony* out of me, sir--she wants to get *antimony* out of me!" And he

rushed out of the office to see his lawyer. That's what ailed the Profit of the Lord. But he wouldn't ante up the antimony.

"Who is that?" asked a guest at the Townsend House, the other evening, pointing at a forlorn looking figure crouching away back in a dark corner. "That", said the gentleman,

"is the late bishop, who has been officiating as Governor for Brigham Young for the past six months. The low business used him up--effectually buried him alive--and he hasn't a friend in the city. His is only the fate of many more who have gone before him, and is a warning to all jick Mormons."

WE learn from the *Republican*, that George Alfred Townsend has returned to his home in the East, after a brief and unsatisfactory connection with St. Louis journalism. Having played

out as a correspondent in consequence of his venality and mendacity being exposed, he undertook the editorial management of the *St. Louis Times*.

But he soon sickened of the task, and the journal above named thus explains the cause:

While he remained he labored faithfully and ably, as the columns of the *Times* show, but the load he sought to lift proved too heavy and he was forced to abandon the attempt. All the discredit of the affair naturally falls upon the one who held out illusory promises, and who, as Mr. Townsend says without reserve, deceived him in respect to the status of the *Times*.