

OFFICE OF MASTER,

Mount Moriah Lodge, U. D., F. & A. Masons.

Salt Lake City, Utah, June 20, 1867.

EDITOR VILLETTE:—Some time ago an article was published in one of the newspapers, copied from the *National Free Mason*, stating that the Rev. Norman McLeod, formerly of this city, had failed to pay over to that paper certain sums of money that he had received for subscription. The facts are these: The money in question was handed to the Rev. Norman McLeod by Captain Lewis, who failed to give him a list of the subscribers at the time. For this reason alone the money was not paid over; and Mr. McLeod had written to the Captain for the subscribers names, as well as to other friends in this city. I feel it due to that gentleman, as well as to his friends, to remove all doubts in the matter, and to discharge my duty by stating that the money has been refunded to me through John W. Keir, Esq., of this city. I shall be pleased to see the *National Free Mason* make the necessary correction.

Very respectfully yours,

JAMES M. ELLIS, W. M., Mount Moriah Lodge.

BRIGHAM YOUNG'S theory is on trial in Jersey City. There is a female there enjoying the luxury of thirteen husbands.—*Chicago Post*.

Well, what of it? Ain't sauce for the goose, sauce for the gander, and *vice versa*.

A German in Belleville, Illinois, named Bertchinger, who has been in destitute circumstances, has just received the cheering news from "Fatherland" that he has fallen heir to the snug sum of three million five hundred thousand dollars.

COMPLETED.—The Kansas branch of the Pacific Railroad has been completed to Fort Ellsworth, a distance of 220 miles west of Missouri.