

By doing this, and appointing committees to act for all, there will be little danger, of what many fear, that undue advantages will be taken of them by cattle and produce dealers at Kansas City and elsewhere. Should impositions be attempted, by deputing certain individuals of shrewdness and good judgment to go to the towns a little removed from the river borders and make the requisite purchases, sellers will soon find it for their interest to deal justly and act uprightly; and none but fair prices will be demanded. *In these cases, as in all others of doubt, take counsel of the Company's Agents; as your and their interests are not antagonistic.*

MODES OF COMMUNICATION.—All Letters sent to the care of Samuel C. Pomeroy, Esq., Kansas City, Mo., will be forwarded, as opportunities offer, to the individual's address. Those intended for Lawrence, Topeka, or Leavenworth, K. T., may be addressed direct, as a Post Office has been established at each of these Places. In cases requiring more speedy communication, advantage can be taken of the *Telegraph*, as an Office is established at Kansas City, by means of which intelligence may be speedily conveyed to, or received from, all prominent points throughout New England, the Western, Middle, and Southern States.

COMPANY'S AID.—To correct an error that extensively prevails, it is well to state, what may be inferred from our introductory remarks, that the Company furnishes *no direct pecuniary aid* to individuals. Its main objects are not eleemosynary or *charitable*, in the ordinary acceptation of the word,—but *philanthropic*. It has not the means to assist, nor, had it, could its officers devote the requisite time to investigating the merits of individual cases; these must be left to the care of the local auxiliary Leagues, which are recommended, if they extend a helping hand, to *aid, not by gift, but by loan.*

The Company's means have been, and if continued to them, will be, employed to encourage the formation of settlements, and to advance the prosperity and pro-