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The Sixty-ninth Semi-Annual Conference of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints will convene in the Tabernacle on Thursday morning, October 6th, 1898, at 10 o'clock a. m. Officers and members of the Church are invited to be present.

LORENZO SNOW,
GEO. Q. CANNON,
JOS. F. SMITH,
First Presidency.

CHANGE IN Z. C. M. I. PRESIDENCY.

The late President Wilford Woodruff was president of Zion's Co-operative Mercantile Institution, hence his death made a vacancy in the official department of that corporation. This has been filled by the unanimous selection of President Lorenzo Snow for the position—a choice that is in every way acceptable, both to the stockholders of the institution and to the public at large, which is directly interested in important changes in this extensive and influential mercantile establishment.

The policy of the institution will continue the same—a policy that has been uniformly pursued for the general good of the people of this intermountain region. Z. C. M. I. is a mercantile business, and as such is expected to make a reasonable dividend on the capital invested—a feature which every intelligent person will endorse. But in its history, its present condition, and its future prospects, it is very much more than that to the people of these valleys. It is a balancing power in keeping prices down to a reasonable figure, in furnishing the public with every desirable variety and quality of merchandise, and in being the leading type of the financial integrity and capacity of the inhabitants of this section of the country.

In these essential particulars it has been and is a tower of strength to the Great West whose benefits are not to be measured even by the millions of dollars in business that its books show has been transacted, but in the priceless advantages that have come to the people at large by having the permanent reliance and assistance of a firm and moderate financial power, concentrated in the hands of those who have used and continue to use it wisely and well. It has been a potent force in stemming the tide of greed, in preventing exorbitant prices, and in opening avenues of commerce to the people at large. This highly commendable policy of the past is the fixed aim for the future, upheld as firmly by the new administration as by those that are past. May success continue to abide with Z. C. M. I., for the reason that it is thoroughly well merited.

THE AMERICANS AT MANILA.

Some of our boys who were sent to Manila probably thought that a little partiality was being shown in sending them so far away over such a dreary expanse of ocean, while others were permitted to go to the near-by islands or remain on the borders of this country. No doubt by this time they are congratulating themselves on their good fortune. Even though separated from homes and kindred by many thousands of miles, in the land of a barbarous and inhospitable race and with climatic and other conditions pretty bad for a white, they still have fared well in the matter of general health, which is by far the greatest consideration of all. None has died of disease and all are apparently in good spirits. Just compare that with Santiago or Montauk!

A Manila correspondent of the Hongkong Press, recently paid the boys a rather lofty but no doubt well deserved tribute. He declares, after spending several weeks with the volunteers at Cavite and around Manila, that he never before saw such ardent patriotism or such passionate desire for a fight. He is simply repeating the observation made by all the best correspondents at Santiago. The American volunteer is not handsome to look at; his clothes do not fit well and he has not the military air of the regular; but when it comes to fighting or hardship no one can excel him.

This reminds us that Aguinaldo has again dismounted from the high horse on which he takes a ride periodically. The demand by General Otis that the would-be dictator withdraw his forces from Manila was not very graciously received, but it has been complied with. What he and his followers have seen of the fighting qualities of the American soldiers has been an impressive and it is to be hoped useful lesson to them. They now realize, if they did not before, that they are no longer dealing with Spaniards, but with a class of men who, when they get into a battle, make short, sharp and terribly complete work of it. There is not much likelihood of trouble with the natives at Manila, at least not just now.

THE PEACE COMMISSION.

The peace commissioners of the United States are about to start for Paris, where they will meet the Spanish members of the commission and arrange for a final settlement of the accounts between the two countries they represent. They go on their important mission armed with instructions and prepared to present demands that will not be modified. What these are is, of course, not given to the public, beyond what is contained in the protocol. The policy of our government concerning the Philippines is believed to be to claim Luzon by the right of conquest and to acknowledge the sovereignty of Spain over the rest of the group on condition that no part of the archipelago shall be sold or ceded to any other country without the approval of the United States. With regard to Cuba it is understood that Spain will be required to relinquish all claims to any participation whatever in the establishment of a government over that island.

It is believed that considerable time will be consumed in the formation of the treaty of peace. The Spanish commissioners will find frequent opportunities to ask for permission to communicate with the Madrid government for instructions, and judging from the past, the policy of delay will undoubtedly be followed to the utmost. Ultimately Spain will yield and peace will be secured. The proceedings of the commission will be watched with interest. It will be a diplomatic battle, from which, it is confidently expected, the representatives of the United States will return crowned with laurels as bright as those which adorn the brows of our naval and army heroes.

MISERY LOVES COMPANY.

Utah is not alone in the matter of an interesting and in some respects exciting campaign. In fact, it is very much accompanied. To use a quotation from the pages of the press, there are others—several of them. The Empire state, New York, is one of the storm centers, but this is to most people a superfluous statement since that sort of thing is the rule in that commonwealth. An election in New York or a fair at Donnybrook calls for no special reference to the disturbance that has taken or will take place; this feature of the performance is never omitted.

The World asks the question as to whom the Democrats should nominate for governor and answers it (in part) by saying:

"He should be a man of the highest character and reputation, that is to say, an upright, able, high-minded man, who is also well known to the voters for his integrity and courage. He should be, as the World has said, a candidate inspiring the fullest public confidence, uniting the Democratic party and attracting some at least of the large independent vote of the State."

That man would be a pretty good citizen or official either almost anywhere; but all is not said yet. There are other qualifications:

"In the lack of any great, commanding leader, the party will need to look to character and capacity that the people can trust. With such a candidate on a sensible platform, and a campaign vigorously directed against Republican scandals at home and Republican maladministration at Washington, we believe that the victory of last year can be repeated and surpassed."

Just what a "sensible platform" may mean remains to be unfolded. No matter what it contains some members of the party are sure to regard it as sensible, and just as certainly others will pronounce it the essence of nonsense. So as to the candidate, but most of the discontentment usually disappears by the time election day comes around.

AN ANGLO-FRENCH WAR CLOUD.

Is war imminent between France and England? That would now seem to depend on whether the French commander at Fashoda on the upper Nile is there for the purpose of making trouble or not.

Rumors to the effect that a French expedition was operating in the sphere of English influence in Africa have not been credited, because the British government has notified the French authorities that that would be considered an unfriendly act. But some time ago the Khalifa sent a gunboat up the Nile, which was shelled by a white force at Fashoda. When the boat returned to Khartoum it was captured by the English and the report of her adventure reached General Kitchener.

It is now presumed that the white force at Fashoda is a French expedition under Major Marchand. If so, he will be notified that his presence there is in violation of an agreement between the two governments and that he must retreat. In case his instructions are of such a nature that he refuses to go back, there seems no possibility of avoiding a collision, since General Kitchener has orders to keep the Nile open from the Delta to the great lakes.

The situation is certainly a critical one. The internal commotion in France has reached such proportions that a war may be welcomed by the ruling classes. If so, a clash of arms in the interior of Africa might be followed by hostilities in the English channel. Already the situation is interesting enough to detract to some extent public attention from the Dreyfus case. It is believed that a conflict can be avoided only by France retreating in Africa and leaving the road open to the victorious British forces.

MURDEROUS SPANIARDS.

A great deal has been said and written recently about Spanish cruelty of her soldiers, but it appears that at home the Spanish people are not much better off than abroad. According to tourists that have visited the country, all along the highways are crosses surrounded by little heaps of stones. These mean that there a traveler was murdered, and his body was found by local authorities, buried where it was discovered, and a cross placed to mark the spot. In some mountain passes there are crosses at every few steps, and in one place in Valencia it is said there is a cross for every 100 yards of its entire length.

It is not an uncommon occurrence for a traveler to find himself suddenly encountered by a band of gypsies. His wrist is seized by a big ruffian; a woman holds out her hand and asks for alms. The traveler tremblingly draws his purse; a blow from behind fells him to the ground and the next day his body is found by the road and another cross is reared.

But it is charged that murders are about as common in the larger cities as in the country districts. This has led to the belief that there exists a secret society similar to that of the Italian Mafia, whose members can be bought for a few dollars to commit murder. In this way, numerous persons, who have for one reason or another made enemies may be removed forever by the hand of an assassin, paid for his murderous work.

A country where, in this advanced age, such conditions can exist, does not deserve a place in the family of civilized nations. It is not fit for self-government and certainly not for the government of colonies. It may not be possible to stamp out crime entirely, but it should be the aim of any government that deserves the name of government to make it impossible for assassins to band together and make murder a means of living, strewing the highways and streets of the cities with the naked bodies of their victims. Such a condition is hardly possible except where the administrators of the law are in collusion with the outlaws.

ANIMAL INTELLIGENCE.

The belief that the lower animals are controlled and directed in their movements exclusively by instinct, that used to be well-nigh universal, is rapidly giving way and promises to disappear altogether in a short time. Prof. J. M. Baldwin has an article entitled the "Story of the Mind" in the Appleton Library of useful stories, in which a great deal of careful investigation and analysis of this psychic subject are disclosed. The professor is a believer in the doctrine that not only does the brute creation think and even reason, but that mind pervades all creation and cites as proof of this the additions made to the store of human knowledge by every great law that is discovered. He substitutes probabilities for chance and claims that "what we are to understand by a chance distribution is one in accordance with law, and one of the nature of which can, for all practical purposes, be closely predicted. If the universe be pregnant with purpose, as we all wish to believe," he adds, "why should not this purpose work itself out by an evolution process under law?—and if under law, why not the law of probabilities?"

The professor holds, in support of his contention, that animals think and reason, that they are divided into two classes—perfect and imperfect. A perfect instinct enables an animal to perform intelligent acts in the processes of life without instruction or the benefit of example. Imperfect instincts are those which are but partially inherent, and require instruction or example for their development. The bird, for instance, may possess a spontaneous tendency to do certain things, such as singing, nest building, etc., but he will not be able to do them adequately or perfectly if left alone from his birth. These are among the things that he must learn how to do from other birds, and the instruction is usually imparted through example. Animal capacity to acquire and utilize this knowledge has been the field of some of the most interesting research in animal psychology, and has led to a new view of the relation of instinct to intelligence. Whether the origin of instinct is in reflex action, organic selection or in reason, as has been variously contended, it is plain to the author that mind has had a positive place in its evolution.

The subject is one that appears on the surface to be very simple, but in reality it is abstruse to a vast degree. There be those who do not concede a soul or a mind to the animal kingdom because they do not concede it to the human family; and others believe in the spiritual existence of mankind but do not extend their belief to the brutes. Let the doubters and disbelievers ask themselves this and answer it in a manner consonant with their believing—What is intelligence and from what is it derived? Is it a substance that man can create, or a condition created for all animate things by a Power superior to man?

The Tribune feels called upon to say that the remarks of a certain woman in the Democratic convention were "received with marked favor and applause by the body of the convention;" yet, the body of the convention that nominated Mr. Roberts with an overwhelming majority did not approve of those "remarks"—if figures don't lie.

Gen. Otis appears to be the right man with the army at Manila, as Admiral Dewey was with the fleet in Cavite bay. Aguinaldo wants no trouble with either of them, as they are straight American business, every time.

Now it is said the Cubans want independence because they fear the Americans. They should say that when a ship with American relief comes around. But the independence suddenly becomes dependence then.

The insurgent leaders in the Philippines are coming to realize that they need an American protectorate. Give them a little time to study the situation, and they will want to "evoke American aid."

The Duke de Veragua claims, as a descendant of the great discoverer, that the bones of Columbus should be taken from Cuba to Spain. But he has not shown that Columbus is agreeable.

Now Sagasta is the noblest Spaniard of them all. Those who howled and jeered at him are wondering why they failed to exercise discretion before the [illegible] blow came.

The French have got Fashoda in the valley of the Nile. Will the English drive them out, or will the French re-

Cubans should not be over-anxious to bite the hand that fed them. They might want to be fed again.

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As the Spaniards are to begin leaving Porto Rico within ten days, they should be given full credit for this prompt action.

Aguinaldo has addressed the Philippine congress, and said nothing. He should have no difficulty in fraternizing with American politicians.

It appears as though the Barbadoes has been in the air, if not in the swim.

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