

to these spirits who perhaps had by that time had become more sober-minded, and were more willing to listen to and obey the gospel than when it was preached to them about twenty-five hundred years before. To-day men are trying in hypocrisy to correct imaginary evils among this people, while they themselves were wallowing in filth and corruption. "Woe to such men who fight against God and His work for God will fight against them! They shall suffer worse than those they imprison for obeying the laws of God, and this fact will be apparent in the due time of the Lord when it shall come to pass. God had gathered the Saints together that they might learn His ways and walk in His paths. But there were some corrupt men who were opposed to this object. The Saints were prosecuted for doing right in marrying wives and supporting and providing for them and their offspring, but women of ill repute were protected and fostered by such men as persecuted the Saints and who were too righteous (?) to own them. Unconstitutional means were being used against this people and by and by the Constitution of this nation would be torn to shreds and would have to be sustained by the people of God, and it was for the Saints to prepare themselves for the great work that would devolve upon them at that important time.

The choir sang an anthem.  
Conference adjourned to 10 a. m. March 14th, 1885.  
Benediction by Prest. C. W. Penrose.

#### EMERY STAKE CONFERENCE.

The Quarterly Conference of the Emery Stake of Zion was held at Huntington, November 29th and 30th, 1884.

There were present on the stand President C. G. Larsen, O. Seely, Rasmussen Justensen, members of the High Council of Emery Stake, Bishops of the different wards and Counselors, and Presidents of quorums.

Singing by the Huntington choir.  
Prayer by President Justensen.

Singing.  
President Larsen made a few remarks on punctuality; hoped that the Saints would observe this throughout Conference and at all times. He showed that the Saints in Emery Stake had been blessed exceedingly since our last Conference, and the Lord would still continue His blessings if we would do our part and keep His commandments. Advised the Saints to take care of their grain, for the time would come when it would be needed, and that not far hence. Exhorted the Saints to faithfulness.

Brother O. W. Warner, Counselor to Bishop Stewart, gave a report of the Moab Ward. Health prevailed in that ward, and everything was prospering, although they had some outside element to content against.

At the afternoon services the Bishops gave reports of the different wards throughout the Stake; all were in as prosperous a condition as could be expected in a new country, and all were increasing in numbers.

Prest. Larsen spoke a few words in regard to a full organization of the different Associations throughout the State. Spoke in regard to the Bishops giving recommends to parties they were not acquainted with; also on Temple donations; said the Saints were blessed at all times when we lived up to these things; said the Lord would fight our battles if we would do His will and keep His commandments.

Prest. N. T. Guymon, Sen., gave a report of the Seventies of Emery Stake. Spoke in regard to some of the prophecies that were made by the Prophet Joseph Smith, a great many of which had come to pass; some had yet to come to pass, but were in a fair way according to the signs of the times. The time was not far distant when those who would not take up arms against their neighbors would have to flee to Zion for safety.

Prest. Jos. W. Moore reported the High Priests Quorum of Emery Stake.

#### Second Day.

The congregation was so large they could not all get in the house, this being the largest conference held in Emery Stake.

President Larsen said he could see necessity of the Saints in Emery having a Stake House to hold Conference in, and hoped that they would not feel too poor at some future time to build one.

Elder P. A. Childs reported the 1st Quorum of Elders of Emery Stake, Elder John L. Brasher, reported the 2nd Quorum of Elders, Supt. Peter Johnson reported the Sabbath Schools of Emery Stake which were all in a thriving condition.

President Larsen spoke a few words on Sunday schools, showed what the Sunday School Union was doing for the cause of God.

President O. Seely spoke on the blessings we were in possession of.

President Justensen made a few remarks on the responsibility resting upon the Latter-day Saints.

Father Stevens, of Ferron, spoke on the early rise of the Church, told how the Prophet Joseph gave him a mission a short time before his martyrdom and that was to preach the Gospel to all mankind, and said testimony was that this was the kingdom of God set up in these last days, never more to be thrown down or given to another people.

Elder Mathew Caldwell made a few remarks on the labor of the Mormon Battalion.

Father Day said he had been in the Church a long time, and never had felt to waver his belief in this Gospel and wanted to endure to the end.

Elder William Black said we had had testimony from the aged the middle aged and the young, all testifying to this work. But this was not enough, we must continue in the good work and endure to the end to gain the reward for the faithful.

Elder Lot Rowe, of Mount Pleasant, said he always felt willing to do as the servants of God required of him.

#### Afternoon Services.

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered, after which, Father Joseph Allen spoke on the early rise of the Church and the persecutions he had passed through in those days; knew this work was true and never would be thrown down.

J. K. Reid then read the statistical report of Emery Stake, also presented the General Authorities of the Church also the local authorities of the Stake, who were sustained unanimously.

Elder Erastus Curtis spoke on the early days of the Church; said in listening to the aged brethren that had spoken, it made his heart rejoice in the Gospel of Christ.

Elder Wm. Howard urged the Saints to be faithful in all things.

President Larsen exhorted the Saints to look well to ourselves in regard to our salvation, both here and hereafter, and remember our obligations to one another, asked for the blessings of God to rest upon us as a people, in the name of Christ.

Singing, and benediction by N. T. Guymon, sen.

J. K. REID, Clerk.

#### FROM THE FOUR WINDS.

Wealth legitimately acquired is valuable, and it is only valuable when thus acquired.

In France wood sells at the rate of a third of a cent a pound, or as much as corn in Kansas.

One true friend adds more to our happiness than a thousand enemies to our unhappiness.

The mane of the late Emperor Napoleon's charger, "Hero," 33 years old, hangs to his knees.

The ignorant man hath no greater foe than his own ignorance, for it destroys where it liveth.

The busybody labors without thanks, talks without credit, lives without love and dies without tears.

The burning of a little straw may hide the stars of the sky, but the stars are there, and will reappear.

A religious sect has been discovered in the Crimea one of whose tenets is to kill all who disbelieve its doctrines.

The greatest sleight-of-hand performers were Jews—Hazlemeyer, Hartz, Heller, Jacobs, Phillippe, Herman, Adrian and Blitz.

It is much easier to find a score of men wise enough to discover the truth, than to find one intrepid enough, in the face of opposition, to stand up for it.

A gigantic earth worm has just been sent from Cape Colony, Africa, to the royal zoological society of England. It is 6 feet 5 inches in length and thick accordingly.

Two steamers sailing from New Zealand with cargoes of frozen beef have caught fire in their freezing chambers, presumably from the volatile liquids used to produce the cold.

It is a great misfortune to have a fretful disposition. It takes the fragrance out of one's life, and leaves only rank weeds where a cheerful disposition would cause flowers to bloom.

To enter safely into the married state, the contracting parties should understand human nature, and above all, their own dispositions, and then compare them frankly and candidly.

Hood's "Song of the Shirt," written in 1845, excited a strong sympathy for working women of the lower classes, and smoothed the way for their admission into occupations that had hitherto remained closed to them.

An address to Charles II., who was noted for his ready wit, prayed that his majesty might live as long as the sun, moon and stars should endure. "Faith," said the king, "if I do, my successor will have to reign by candle light."

Large numbers of dried and smoked lizards are imported by the Chinese physicians. They are used in cases of consumption and anamia with considerable success. Their virtue seems to lie in the large amount of nitrogenous compounds and phosphates they contain.

A lady thought it would look interesting to faint away, at a party, when one of the company began bathing her temples and head with vinegar, upon which she suddenly started up and exclaimed: "For heaven's sake, put nothing on that will change the color of my hair!"

The ears of the African elephant are said to be much larger, in proportion to the size of the animal, than those of the Indian species. Baker, the African traveler, says that he has frequently cut off an ear of one of these animals to form a mat, on which he has slept comfortably.

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Washington, 13.—The conferees upon the bill for the forfeiture of the Atlantic and Pacific land grant held a final meeting to-day and disagreed. The House conferees refused to assent to any provision which would send the question to the courts.

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#### ORDER.

In the Probate Court, in and for Salt Lake County, Territory of Utah.

In the matter of the Estate of Ernest I. Young.

Order appointing Time and Place for Settlement of Account and Discharge.

ON READING AND FILING THE PETITION of William Asper, Administrator of the Estate of Ernest I. Young, deceased, setting forth that he has filed his final account of his administration upon said estate in this Court, and that the same has been duly audited, allowed and confirmed; that all the debts and expenses of administration have been fully paid, and that a portion of said estate remains to be divided among the heirs of said deceased, and praying among other things for an order of discharge from further duties as said administrator.

It is ordered that all persons interested in the estate of the said Ernest I. Young, deceased, be and appear before the Probate Court of the County of Salt Lake, at the Court Room of said Court, in the County Court House, on the 26th day of December 1884, at 11 o'clock a. m., then and there to show cause why an order should not be made allowing said final account and discharging said administrator, according to law.

It is further ordered that the Clerk cause copies of this order to be posted in at least three public places in this County and published in the *DESERT WEEKLY NEWS*, a newspaper printed and published in Salt Lake City for at least three weeks prior to said 26th day of December, 1884.

ELIAS A. SMITH,  
Probate Judge.

Dated November 26th, 1884.

TERRITORY OF UTAH,  
County of Salt Lake, ss.

I, John C. Cutler, Clerk of the Probate Court in and for the County of Salt Lake, in the Territory of Utah, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of an order appointing time and place for settlement final account and discharge of administrator in the matter of the Estate of Ernest I. Young, deceased, as appears of record in my office.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court, this 26th day of November A. D., 1884.

JOHN C. CUTLER,  
Probate Clerk.

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#### LEGAL NOTICE.

In the Probate Court in and for Salt Lake County, Territory of Utah.

In the matter of the Guardianship of the Estate of Ernest I. Young, Loui C. Young, James T. Young, Ray Young and Leo Young, Minors.

IT APPEARING TO THE JUDGE OF this Court by the petition filed in this Court by Sybella W. Young, Guardian of the Persons and Estates of Ernest I. Young, Loui C. Young, James T. Young, Ray Young and Leo Young, Minors, praying for an order of sale of Real Estate, that it is necessary to sell the whole or some portions of the Real Estate belonging to said minors for the purpose of raising means for the support, maintenance and education of said minors.

It is therefore ordered by the Judge of said Court, that all persons interested in the estate of said minors, appear before the said Probate Court on Tuesday, the 30th day of December, 1884, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, at the court room of said Probate Court, at the County Court House, in the City and County of Salt Lake, Territory of Utah, to show cause why an order should not be granted to said Guardian to sell the real estate belonging to said minors for the purposes mentioned in said petition. It is further ordered that a copy of this order be published for at least three successive weeks in the *DESERT WEEKLY NEWS*, a newspaper printed and published in said City and County.

ELIAS A. SMITH,  
Probate Judge.

Dated November 26th, 1884.

Territory of Utah,  
County of Salt Lake, ss.

I, John C. Cutler, Clerk of the Probate Court in and for the County of Salt Lake, in the Territory of Utah, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of Order appointing time and place to hear petition to sell Real Estate in the Guardianship of the Persons and Estate of Ernest I. Young et al, minors, as appears of record in my office.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court, this 26th day of November, A. D., 1884.

JOHN C. CUTLER,  
Probate Clerk

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