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DELEGATE RAWLINS'S SPEECH.

In social, political and commercial interest to the people of Utah at the present time no subject is so prominent as the statehood question. All classes, parties, vocations and sects watch eagerly for the news from Washington and wait anxiously the report of the various proceedings upon the bill for Utah's admission into the Union, now pending in the Senate after having passed the House of Representatives almost unanimously. The daily dispatches have given a necessarily brief but not altogether unsatisfactory synopsis of the debates, and to have these now in full as they have come by mail would not only be vain but probably tedious reading. One effort, however, deserves a place in local history as journalistically made from day to day, and that is the great speech of Hon. Joseph L. Rawlins, Utah's Delegate in Congress. We present it today, and ask for it a careful perusal from every reader.

Words of commendation need not be multiplied at this time—they have already been bestowed in these columns heartily and deservedly. As one of the incidents, however, we will be pardoned for mentioning—perhaps unnecessarily, too—that no reader can fail to notice the warmth of the reception accorded to Utah, the encouragement given her champion, the glee with which the discomfiture of her antagonists was received, and the cheers that greeted every rally in her favor. Time was—and not so long since, either—when congressional feeling was the exact antipodes of this; when friendly words fell upon cold and unsympathetic ears, and when an outburst and interruptions like those of Mr. Morse and others would have made the very ceiling ring with approval and applause. We note the change with sincere gratitude, and congratulate all the participants—the speakers, the objects of their remarks, Utah, the Nation and the spectators' gallaries—upon the improvement. *Tempora mutandur, et nos mutamur in illis.*

AS TO SCHOOL UNION.

The News in its last issue published a second letter from President Harrison on the question of uniting the University and the Agricultural College. The gentleman endeavors to explain the discrepancy between his statement and that of President Northrop concerning the experience of Minnesota on this question, by suggesting simply that "it cannot appear strange the university authorities are pleased with such a union, for they have the funds and the profit of them." Replying to which, we have to say it would appear not only very strange but very lamentable indeed, if the presiding officer of a great educational establishment like the University of Minnesota should advocate and maintain a system contrary to the experience of leading educators and against the best interests of the people that support it, merely to gratify a petty ambition. The thought that this could be the measure of honor among educators of the East is most repugnant, because we would also have to infer that the same rule would apply in Utah; and this of course would utterly destroy the force of the argument our esteemed correspondent has been making. We think it is far safer to insist upon accepting President Northrop's statement in good faith and estimating it according to its experience in such matters. This will furnish a good basis for accepting also his opinions and conclusions of Eastern men and processes. While allowing to all men a share of the work usual to human nature, we can still feel it is not any fair for the progress of the race when honor of a unique sort is really shown to the same moral category as cowardice shows.

The News has no disposition to suppress any opinions that may be brought forward on behalf of Logan and the Institution. It is not a live question we are discussing. It is one which will interest not only a large money expense to all the taxpayers of the Territory, but numerous other interests quite as general and quite as important. Hence, the views pleaded, that "the speaking has been made a public issue by those connected with the University," is not, in our view, any excuse at all. There has been no public issue made on the question of locality in any sense whatever by anybody in this city, so far as we are aware—certainly not of this paper. The proposition made by the News, and afterwards by President Kingsbury, was that to operate the two institutions in separate localities and under different management was an absolute waste to the Territory of many thousands of dollars. We believe the amount was roughly estimated at $20,000 a year, which would be saved by the union and without in any degree impairing the usefulness of the two institutions in their respective locations. If this is true it is paramount over the question of the seat of the agricultural plant at Logan and should be disposed of without being confused with local interests here or there. If it is not true, the plain business of the opponents of the proposition is to prove its fallacy with evidence. But we believe the whole trend of the arguments from every standpoint—not excepting President Stalker's—has supported the view that the union ought to be effected, and when we especially demand is that it should be effected without reference to the seeming sacrifice that might be necessary.

The rising sensition by President Harrison "I have no desire to engage in a public controversy that places me in seeming antagonism to the interests of the University," does him credit. But, as we regard it, he need have no hesitation as to the correctness of his statements, estimates, charges and conclusions are all correct; they then are proper matter for public attention and the taxpayers can afford to be a patient spectator to a moderate amount of controversy, even if unpleasantness, if out of it all can be gleaned new and important facts concerning any institution which it does so support.

WILLIAM H. SMITH.

In the December 5th issue of the *Saints' Herald*, published at Lamoni, Iowa, appears the following statement, in which the Saints-day patrons in Utah will also be interested: "We learn by letter from his wife, Sister Susanna Smith, that Uncle William H. Smith, long the surviving brother of the Martyrs, had passed over to the great beyond, his departure occurring November 15th from his home in Osceola, Iowa. He had attained to ripe years and went to his rest as veteran do, ready for the roll call on the other side. His life was a varied one, his experiences many, and of him it may be said: 'He sleeps well after life's fitful fever.'"

Uncle William H. Smith was the 6th son of Joseph Smith Sr., and Lucy Smith. He was born in Royalton, Windsor county, Vermont, March 13, 1811. He joined the Church at an early date and was appointed a member of the First Quorum of the Twelve at the organization of that quorum. He was married to Caroline Grant, daughter of Joshua and Thalia Grant, February 14, 1833, by whom he had two daughters, Mary Jane and Caroline. In the spring of 1839 he removed to Far West, and after the mob commenced to drive the Saints away he went to Illinois and settled in Plymouth, Hancock county. In 1842 he was a member of the house of representatives of the legislature of Illinois and did good service. In 1844 he came to Nauvoo in company with several Saints from New Jersey. Here he had his last interview with his brother Joseph before he left for the East.

In later years he has held the office of Patriarch in the Josephite church, residing in the state of Iowa. He was the last surviving brother of the martyred Prophets, Joseph and Hyrum.

A PROPER TRIBE.

The City Council of Ogden performed a graceful act at its last evening session in rescinding the ordinance laying claim to the Tabernacle square in that city. Of course the claim was unjust and illegal, as was thoroughly understood by the parties when the ordinance passed, and the attempt to deprive the Church organization in Weber Stake of its grounds in Ogden for Church buildings for so long a time either the people or the officers of the municipal administration would so emphatically condemn.

The act of the Junction city assembly last evening was one of simple justice, both to the municipality and to the members of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints in Weber Stake. It conducts to the latter their lawful property rights to the square in question, and expresses the city of Ogden in an attitude of fairness toward the religious organization in the county. The effect is now closed up and dead in the sole issue. It will merely be cited again in the annals as a curious instance of the injustice and aggression to which a minority may be subjected by the mere fancy which has opposition as its motive in some quarter for parties.

SNOW, THE SAINTS.

Among the numerous crimes which poison society rather in our country as "the seething of evil," which is still to be very plentiful and certainly promoted by both the press and moral degeneration in our land, when

A San Francisco paper says of the death of the Apostle in that city: Heavily he coughed a wonder, coughed twice or thrice as the sense has to was

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St. Johns Stake Conference.

Conference was held in St. Johns on the 3rd and 4th of December, 1893, presided over by Elder David K. Udall, president of the Stake. Meetings were held in the assembly room at 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. and a Stake Priesthood meeting at 7 p.m. on the day.

On Monday meetings were held at 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. There were a few brethren present from the Snowflake Stake, of which Elders John Hunt, John R. Hulet and L. M. Savage addressed the congregation. All the Bishops of the Stake were present and reported the condition of their wards.

The people generally are feeling well and trying to live their religion. The steps in some of the settlements were quite poor this month, while in others they were fair.

The names of the general authorities were presented to the conference, and also the Stake authorities, all of whom were sustained unanimously. The statistical report of the Stake for the quarter ending November 30th was read.

The instructions given by Elder David K. Udall, E. N. Freeman, and all the brethren who addressed the conference was very timely and encouraging to the saints.

Ulric Jensen,
Stake Recorder.

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