

## LEFT HANDED. SCHOOL PUPILS.

Subject Which is Being Seriously Considered by Principals and Teachers Here.

TO BE SPECIALLY DISCUSSED.

There are 281 Pupils Who Write with The Left Hand and Five Who Use Both.

"The Left-handed Pupil" is a subject which is now being seriously considered by the principals and teachers of Salt Lake City schools, and will be the special topic for discussion at a meeting of the principals in the near future. Ways and means of overcoming that custom, which is found to exist among the pupils here to quite an extent, will be food for serious thought among those interested in school work for some time to come.

### LEFT-HANDED WRITERS.

Some very interesting statistics have been collected by City Superintendent of Schools Christensen in relation to that subject. The reports received from the various schools show that there are 281 pupils, not including the high schools, who write left-handed and 430 who throw left-handed. These figures show that a great work has been done in breaking pupils of using their left hands in writing. In nearly every instance those who throw left-handed would write left-handed also unless broken of the custom. So inasmuch as the number who write left-handed is only a little over half the number who throw left-handed, it is seen that much progress has been made in teaching the pupils to write with their right hands.

### OUTGROW HABIT.

There are 174 boys and 107 girls who write left-handed, and 264 boys and 166 girls who throw left-handed. Another interesting fact is that as the pupils grow older they overcome the habit. This is proven by the figures which show that in the beginners' grade in all the schools of the city there are 39 pupils who write left-handed, while in the eighth grade in all the schools there are only 11 who use their left hand in writing. The statistics also show that in 16 instances the left-handed custom is due to physical defects of the pupils.

### AMBIDEXTROUS PUPILS.

There are five pupils in the schools who can use either their right or left hand in writing and seemingly equally as well. Following is a table showing the number of left-handed boys and girls in each school in the city:

Name of School	In writing.		In throwing.	
	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.
Bonneville .....	5	3	5	4
Emerson .....	9	2	10	3
Franklin .....	9	9	20	16
Pemont .....	8	4	14	7
Grant .....	20	11	23	14
Hamilton .....	13	11	15	16
Jackson .....	13	11	15	16
Jordan .....	1	1	3	2
Lincoln .....	5	3	2	2
Longfellow .....	5	2	4	2
Lowell .....	5	8	23	21
Ninth .....	3	1	3	2
Oquirrh .....	9	8	13	5
Riverside .....	5	1	2	4
Sumner .....	3	4	17	4
Twelfth .....	2	1	4	3
Training .....	9	3	13	7
Utah .....	1	1	3	2
Union .....	12	6	19	14
Wasatch .....	9	4	22	13
Washington .....	11	7	12	14
Webster .....	15	9	13	18
Whittier .....	2	2	5	3
Bryant .....	4	2	5	3
Totals .....	174	107	264	166

The following is a table showing the number of left-handed pupils in the various grades:

Grades.	In writing.		In throwing.	
	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.
Beginners .....	24	15	26	21
First .....	24	15	26	21
Second .....	35	21	40	16
Third .....	19	7	39	24
Fourth .....	25	15	32	26
Fifth .....	16	10	35	13
Sixth .....	11	6	25	11
Seventh .....	5	3	17	18
Eighth .....	6	5	24	13
Totals .....	174	107	264	166

### A THOUSAND STUDENTS.

Attendance at L. D. S. University Surpasses All Previous Records.

The attendance at the Latter-day Saints' university this year is very gratifying to the trustees of the institution and to the friends of education in general. The enrollment to date is 1,022, an increase of 150 over the enrollment at this time last year. The high school, normal and preparatory, which last year numbered 400 at this date, now enroll 435; the business college, which last year had 258 at this date has now 375; the business night school shows an increase from 97 to 111. The only regular classes which show no increase are the preparatory, which is about the same as last year, and the missionary, which has but 16 this year as compared with 116 last year at this time. The above totals do not include any of the children's classes, such as the kindergarten and the singing class. The special students are fewer in number this year owing to the fact that the Relief society training class for nurses, including special physiology, has not convened this year. The three large new buildings, the gymnasium, and the Lion House are all fully occupied by the various school departments. The chemical, laboratory and the wood shops are the most recent additions to the facilities.

### HAD TOO MANY DUCKS.

Gus Holmes Fined for Having More Than the Statutory Number.

The Los Angeles Express of Tuesday last contains the following concerning a well known Salt Lake:

"Gus S. Holmes appeared before Justice Austin this morning, pleaded guilty to a violation of the game law by having in his possession in one calendar day more than fifty wild ducks, and was assessed the minimum fine, \$25, which is paid."

"At the banquet tendered the visiting

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bankers Oct. 25, which was served in Mr. Holmes' cafe, wild duck occupied a prominent place on the menu. This fact attracted the attention of Deputy Game Warden Pritchard, and he began an investigation. As there were about 250 guests at the banquet, and one duck generally is allowed to each plate, it was figured out that to fill his menu properly Mr. Holmes must have violated the law, and a complaint was sworn out against him.

"In court Mr. Holmes said from the reading of the law he clearly was guilty, as he had that day more than the statutory number of ducks in his possession, but the violation of the law was wholly unintentional on his part. His steward had purchased the ducks in small quantities from commission men until he had secured a sufficient number to fill the order and the ducks had been served at the banquet. This was the extent of his offending, and he thought the minimum fine should be imposed, he promising not to violate the law again.

"Justice Austin agreed with Mr. Holmes. A fine of \$25 could be imposed for every duck in excess of fifty, but in this case the minimum penalty of \$25 would be imposed for the whole number."

### QUITE ROMANTIC.

Lieut. Wells Will Wed the Girl Who Nursed Him to Health.

News of a pretty little romance has just made its escape from the quiet precincts of St. Mark's hospital in this city. It bears with it the announcement that after an acquaintance of two weeks Miss Pancha Kate Gilson, a nurse at the institution, and Lieut.

Hewitt Wells, a patient who has been under her care for the time stated, and who were total strangers to each other until the time the young man was taken ill, have agreed to share each other's joys and sorrows and to embark upon the sea of matrimony at a date to be hereafter more definitely announced.

Miss Gilson comes of a well known Utah family, and is the daughter of Samuel Gilson, known throughout the west as the discoverer of glisnolite. Lieut. Wells is 35 years of age and a civil engineer by profession. He served in the United States army through the Cuban campaign as a first lieutenant of the Twenty-third infantry. He is a graduate of Ann Arbor and of Columbia universities, and comes of one of the best known families of Michigan.

### CANVASS COMPLETE.

Council Meets Monday When Election Certificates Will be Ordered Issued.

Only two changes were made in the returns from the Fifth precinct by the city council last night in the canvass of the returns from that precinct. The work of canvassing is now complete and the council will meet on Monday night at 7:30 o'clock and foot up the tally sheet. A report will then be made to the council in regular session upon the result of the canvass and the same will be approved. City Recorder Nyström will then be authorized to issue certificates of election to the successful candidates. In the canvass of last night, Neuhauzen lost one vote in the Forty-seventh district. He was given 175 votes, but

## PRISON OFFICIALS ARE EXONERATED.

State Board of Corrections Files Its Report of Break With Gov. H. M. Wells.

TRUSTIES RECEIVE ATTENTION.

Board Specially Mentions the Valuable Services of Four Convicts Who Assisted the Guards.

The state board of pardons has filed its report with Governor Wells in relation to the recent outbreak at the state prison. The prison management is exonerated from blame for the break and the guards and officials are highly commended for the fearless manner in which they prevented a wholesale delivery of prisoners. The board also invites attention to the valuable services rendered by Prisoners A. A. Robertson, C. L. Maxwell, J. C. Schuckers and J. D. Douglas during the break, and they are recommended to the board of pardons for clemency. The report follows in full:

Salt Lake City, Utah, Nov. 13, 1903. To Gov. Heber M. Wells, Chairman State Board of Corrections:

Sir—We have the honor to report that in conformity with your instructions, we have investigated the outbreak of certain convicts from the state prison, which occurred Friday, Oct. 19, 1903, and submit for your information the result of our labor.

In the course of our investigation, which covered a period of one week, we have examined the prison officials and guards, interrogated the convicts who were directly or indirectly concerned in the attempted escapes, and made frequent and careful inspection of the prison premises with the object of determining, if possible, where the blame should be placed for the occurrence in question and to prevent a recurrence of the same.

The testimony thus adduced does not seem to indicate that any serious criticism of the immediate prison management would be just or deserved.

Attention is invited to the fact that the presence of ladders in the inner court of the cellhouse would not have aided the prisoners in escaping had they not first secured weapons with which to overpower the guards and secure their keys. We have directed the removal of these ladders to a place inaccessible to prisoners. Aside from this we are of the opinion that due care has been used by the officials of the prison in the conduct of the institution, and that it would have been practically impossible for them to have prevented the outbreak under the circumstances.

With a view, however, of making the retention of convicts within the prison walls as certain as possible we have directed certain improvements to be made in the existing system of electric bell alarms, in the arming of guards, in the separation, by means of small mesh wire screens, of convicts from visitors and in the clothing of first-grade prisoners, the latter change reducing the chance of ultimate escape. We have also instituted other changes and improvements in the service, public welfare.

In conclusion, we desire to state that

## THOUSANDS OF WOMEN ARE SLOWLY DYING FROM CATARRH.

Now is the Time to Guard Against Catarrhal Diseases.

SPECIAL NOVEMBER ADVICE.  
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Miss E. Harris, 185 Wisconsin street, Milwaukee, Wis., writes: "I wish all suffering women could know the value of Peruna to restore their health. When you are sick with a complication of troubles the average physician is not able to diagnose and prescribe correctly, but if you will take Peruna you can be sure that you have the right medicine for a run down condition which we women are so apt to get into. It certainly braced me up and improved my health to a great degree, and I can certainly recommend it as a very reliable medicine for women and their troubles."



Miss LOUISE BERTSEL

One of the Many Beautiful Women Restored to Health and Usefulness by Pe-ru-na.

During the first cold days of November the mucous membranes are not hardened to the change of temperature. The warm weather has necessarily softened the mucous membranes and they do not afford the protection to the internal organs that they should. Hence it is that catarrh finds easy access to the throat, lungs, stomach and especially the pelvic organs.

During the month of November people



Miss E. HARRIS.

Miss Louise Bertsel, 194 Second street, Brooklyn, N. Y., writes: "My health was excellent until about six months ago, when I seemed to have a collapse from over-doing socially, and the doctor ordered an entire change of scene and climate. As this was an absolute impossibility at the time, I had to try and regain my health in another way, and was induced by a friend, who gave Peruna such a good recommendation, to try Peruna. I cannot tell you the condition of my nerves when I began to use it. The least noise irritated me, and I felt that life was not worth living, but Peruna soon changed me into a well woman, and now I do not know I have nerves."—Louise Bertsel.

should especially guard against exposing themselves to cold. There is no better prevention in the world than the daily use of Peruna. At least one or two doses should be taken daily to insure the internal organs against falling a prey to the ravages of catarrh.

November is the month of first colds. Thousands of people during this month catch cold from which they scarcely recover at all during the winter.

Peruna is an infallible safeguard against colds. Anyone who has proper regard for health and happiness should not neglect the precaution which is within such easy reach of all.

Mrs. E. Maher, 14 A St. Christopher St., Montreal, Can., writes:

"I caught a severe cold last summer sleeping in a draught which went from my head to my lungs, and caused a serious catarrhal condition."

"Among the many remedies prescribed and tried none seemed to take hold of my case as the first dose of Peruna did. A three weeks' use of the medicine three times a day entirely rid my system of catarrh."

"This winter I caught another cold, and before it got such a hold on my system I took a few doses of Peruna and the cold disappeared as if by magic. I feel that I owe your medicine a great debt, and sending my thanks to you is but a slight return for the benefits received."—Mrs. E. Maher.

A Case of Catarrh of the Pelvic Organs Cured by Pe-ru-na.

Miss Emeline A. Haberkorn, 2251 Gravel Ave., St. Louis, Mo., writes: "For over two years I was troubled with catarrh of the pelvic organs. I heard of Dr. Hartman's book 'The Ills of Life,' I read it and wrote to the doctor, who answered my letter promptly. I began taking treatment as soon as possible. Tongue cannot express how I suffered with my stomach, and I also was troubled with catarrh of the head. I didn't feel like myself for a long time. So began taking Peruna. I have taken four bottles, and now I cannot praise it enough."

"Any one who has chronic catarrh should write Dr. Hartman. He will help any one."

"I feel grateful for what the doctor has done for me, and would not do without Peruna. I now enjoy as good health as ever. I find it has improved my health so much that I will recommend to anyone cheerfully."—Emeline A. Haberkorn. If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peruna, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis.

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## ACT II, KING DODO.



### OFF FOR SCHOOL.

Send Youngster Away Well Fed. Unless the school child has food that nourishes brain and nerves as well as muscles the child will not develop as it should.

Brain vacates away daily just like the rest of the body and must be rebuilt and the only way to do this is by the proper food selected for just this purpose. A school girl of Worcester, Mass., wrote an interesting article about her experiments with food to study on:

"Two years ago I had indigestion so bad that food did not nourish me and I lost a great deal of flesh and strength and was always suffering from trouble in my stomach. I could not study for my head always seemed clogged up. One day at school I noticed that one of the girls had a box of Grape-Nuts. I asked her about it, and from what she told me, made up my mind to try the food."

"As the result of eating Grape-Nuts three times a day in place of improperly selected food I have at last found the way to permanently cure my indigestion. Grape-Nuts food is light, delicious and digests without trouble, the heavy feeling in my stomach is gone and I have been gaining flesh rapidly ever since I made the change to Grape-Nuts."

"Not only is the improvement physical but I feel so much better and clearer in my head and I have more ambition than I have ever known before. I used to feel so fogged out in my brain and stupid and had headaches but that is all gone and now I feel like a new person."

"I am absolutely certain that Grape-Nuts helps me get my lessons, because now I can sit for hours and study and accomplish a great deal when when I was living on the old diet I would simply sit there and accomplish nothing."

"To tell the truth Grape-Nuts, as I tell all my friends, worked a miracle in my case. My mother is signing this letter to confirm all the statements I have made." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

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the canvass showed that he was only entitled to 174. In District B, Morris, Democratic candidate for councilman, gained 17 votes. The returns on election night gave him 50 votes while he should have had 97.

### S. S. CONFERENCE.

Fifth Ward Sunday School Will Celebrate its 26th Anniversary Tomorrow.

The annual conference of the Fifth Ward Sunday school, in honor of the twenty-sixth anniversary of its organization, will be held in the ward assembly room tomorrow, beginning at 10 a. m. and 6 p. m. The morning program will consist of singing, concert recitations and lessons by the kindergarten, primary and first intermediate departments, while in the evening there will be a history of the school, lessons by the second intermediate and theological departments and vocal solos by Miss Jessie Buchanan and Miss Lottie Marcroft. At both sessions there will also be remarks by general stake and ward officers. All who have ever been connected with the school are cordially invited to be present, as well as all others interested in Sunday school work, who will be made welcome.

The Fifth ward Sunday school was organized Nov. 18, 1877, with John Cowan superintendent, and Francis M. Brown and Joseph Marcroft as his assistants. Since then the school has been presided over by George Clark and D. C. Rushton, and has as its superintendent at the present time George E. Burdidge, who is assisted by Thomas C. Nuttall and Alex. Buchanan, Jr. The school has kept pace with the advance of the times and teachers at its organization to an enrollment of over 300, despite the fact that less than two years ago the ward was divided for the creation of the Twenty-sixth. It has a corps of 35 officers and teachers, who are diligent and painstaking in their efforts to advance the cause.

mention of which would, in our opinion, be unwise.

We desire to particularly commend the prison guards for the admirable manner in which they conducted themselves during the outbreak. We believe that the devotion to duty and fearlessness in its discharge, as exhibited by them on the occasion under discussion, has not been surpassed in the prison annals of the United States.

We extend our earnest sympathy to Guards Wilken and Jacobs, who were severely wounded during the affair. Your attention is respectfully called to the fact that the outbreak was futile, rendered so by the efficiency of the men on duty at the time it occurred.

It gives us great pleasure to invite your attention to the service rendered the state on this occasion by Prisoners A. A. Robertson, C. L. Maxwell, J. C. Schuckers and J. D. Douglas, and through you to recommend to the board of pardons that such clemency be extended to them as in the judgment of said board, is consistent with the public welfare.

### TWO MEN KILLED.

Engine Strikes a Handcar at Scofield With Fatal Results.

An accident which resulted fatally to two men, occurred at Scofield last night, the victims being an Italian named Rafael Pedote and Section Foreman Stanley Gardner. It appears that Gardner and men had come up from Hale to do some trading and as they were about to return they neared the roundhouse, where the night hostler was putting an engine away. Not noticing the engine until quite close to it, the men hurriedly attempted to get the car off the track, but in so doing were struck by the engine, the Italian being instantly killed and Foreman Gardner so seriously injured that he died while on the way to this city. His body was taken to Payson, where he has a wife and two children.

### WORKING FOR HAWORTH.

Senator Smoot Induced to Intercede On Behalf of the Murderer.

Through the efforts of Senator Dooliver, of Iowa, Senator Smoot has been induced to intercede in behalf of "Nick" Haworth, who is sentenced to be executed on Dec. 11 for the murder of Thomas Sandall at Layton, and he has telegraphed to Governor Wells, recommending that Haworth's sentence be commuted to life imprisonment.

The telegram which was received yesterday from Senator Smoot, is as follows:

"I promised Senator Dooliver I would wire you today recommending a commutation of the sentence in the Haw-

### MRS. EK AT REST.

High Tribute Paid to the Memory of a Noble Woman.



THE LATE MRS. MATHILDA EK.

Above is a picture of the late Mrs. Mathilda Christina Ekstrom Ek, wife of Bishop Carl Ek, who was buried from the Twenty-fifth ward meeting-house on Sunday, Nov. 8, services commencing at 12:30. The speakers were Bishop James C. Watson, Elders A. W. Carlson, Joel Hogland, Arnold G. Glaugue, Patriarch O. N. Lillienquist, Carl Faergren, William G. Phillips, William Sanders and President Joseph E. Taylor, who spoke in the highest terms of the deceased. The house was filled to overflowing with friends and the ward choir furnished excellent music.

Mrs. Ek was born in Bjorklinge, Upsala county, Sweden, Dec. 24, 1850. Her parents were Eric Ekstrom and Margareta Helman. She received the Gospel in Stockholm, May 4, 1877, under the teachings of her surviving husband, who was presiding over that branch at the time. She emigrated to Utah in September, 1878, arriving in Salt Lake City Oct. 2, and was married through the Endowment House, Oct. 10, 1878. She was the mother of eight children, who all survive her. Mrs. Ek was a faithful Latter-day Saint, and was connected with, and an earnest worker in the Relief societies in the Sixth and Twenty-fifth wards, and through her kind and tender feeling towards the sick and the poor she gained many friends. Now she has gone to her reward. Peace be unto her memory.

### NEW LIBRARY BOOKS.

The following 35 volumes will be placed upon the shelves of the public

Library Monday morning, Nov. 16, 1903:

### MISCELLANEOUS.

Abbott—Tale of a Tour in Macedonia. Barnard—Tools and Machines. Bennett—Downfall of the Dervishes. Churchill—Samoa Umi. Dyer—Gladstone, the Lake of Grace. Fitzgerald—Bosland; Dickens' Place and Poets. Fitzgerald—Good Queen Charlotte. Gort—China. Library of useful stories: Burns—Story of the Potter. Chambers—Story of the Weather. Frankland—Story of the Euclid. Muir—Story of the Chemical Elements. Muir—Story of the Wanderings of Atona. Price—Religions. Pycroft—Story of Fish Life. Pycroft—Story of Bird Life. Rodway—Story of Forest and Stream. Ryland—Story of Thought and Feeling. Michelson—Light Waves and Their Uses. Pelew—Woman and the Common-wealth. Sedgewick—Essays on Great Writers. Smith—Temperate Chile. Watkins—Diagnosis by Means of the Blood. Weissenborn—Homeric Life. Working—Glossary of Theosophical Literature.

### FICTION.

Adams—John Bart. Doland—Dr. Lavender's People. Dixon—One Woman. Dunbar—In Old Plantation Days. Fernald—Under the Jack-staff. Lanston—Harvesters. Lessing—Children of Men. Putnam—Cirillo. Smith—Col. Carter's Christmas. Whiteing—Yellow Van.

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