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GENERAL CONFERENCE.

The Seventy-fourth semi-annual conference of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, will commence on Sunday, Oct. 4, 1903, in the Tabernacle, Salt Lake City. A general attendance of the officers and members of the Church is invited and desired.

JOSEPH F. SMITH, JOHN R. WINDER, ANTHONY H. LUND, First Presidency.

CHANGE OF PAST DAY.

The last Sunday of this month, Sept. 27, will be observed as fastday in the Salt Lake Stake of Zion, on account of the General Conference occurring on the first Sunday of October.

ANGUS M. CANNON, JOSEPH E. TAYLOR, CHARLES W. PENROSE, Stake Presidency.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CONFERENCE.

The general conference of the Deseret Sunday School Union will be held at the Tabernacle, Salt Lake City, Sunday evening, October 4th, at 7:30 o'clock, and the attendance of all officers and teachers is desired.

JOSEPH F. SMITH, GEORGE REYNOLDS, JOS. M. TANNER, General Superintendency.

Y. M. M. I. A.

The Stake and ward officers of the Y. M. M. I. A. and the ward missionaries of Salt Lake Stake will hold their annual convention in Barratt hall tomorrow at 10 a. m. and 2 and 8 p. m.

IRRIGATION CONGRESS.

The best of all the sessions of the National Irrigation Congress adjourned, sine die, on Friday evening. The Twelfth session will meet in one year at El Paso, Texas.

GRATIFYING CONCLUSIONS.

The Deseret News is much gratified to learn that the Oregon Short Line is ready to accede to the reasonable wishes and demands of the people of the west side of the city, who felt that they would be injured by the closing of certain streets, because of the building of the Grand Union depot across South Temple street on Third West.

The speeches made and the papers read were of a very high order of merit. They were eminently suited to the occasion, and showed familiarity with the subjects presented, and were all worthy of publication and preservation.

WHY ROME FELL.

A contributor to the New York American discusses the subject, "Why the Romans lost their empire." That is an interesting topic, not only as an historical fact, but as a practical lesson for the present time.

The resolutions adopted were in the main admirable and suited to the purposes of the Congress. The amendment by which the sections demanding the repeal of the stone and timber act, the desert land act, and the commutation clauses of the homestead act were expunged, and Congress was requested to amend those laws so as to prevent the abuses that had attended them in the interest of syndicates, monopolists and speculators, and preserve them for homesteaders and actual settlers, proved a beneficial change in the majority report of the committee on resolutions, and rendered unnecessary the minority

report. The expunging of clauses in the resolutions that touched upon irrigation matters now pending before the Supreme Court of the United States, was also a wise step by the Congress. The most cordial feelings were entertained by the delegates toward each other. The contest for the next session of the Congress was carried, on good-naturedly, and when El Paso, whose delegates put in their work before the Congress opened, and pushed on to victory, gained the day, the decision was made unanimous with hearty acclamations.

There was a remarkable number of representatives—fine looking and able men from a great many parts of the Union. They were all favorably impressed with what they saw and heard. Many of them learned some things about Utah that they had never heard or thought of before. The honor and respect shown to the pioneers in irrigation, the leading spirits in the settlement of Utah, was very gratifying, and was bestowed honestly, ungrudgingly and fervently.

The awarding of the Clark cup for the best fruit exhibit to Idaho was a surprise and a great regret to many. It showed, however, the unsafety of trusting too much to appearances. That the Utah display looked far the best, was in the greatest quantity and variety, contained many altogether unique features and appeared to surpass all others, was universally conceded. But alas! for outside show! The worm lurked in the heart of so many specimens that the prize was lost, and Utah horticulturists were taught a lesson that they should remember and profit by.

The Congress will be of great benefit to Utah. Ogdens is to be congratulated on the manner in which it handled the big affair, its hospitality will become famous throughout the country. Senator Fred. J. Kiesel, President L. W. Shurtliff, Mayor Wm. Glasmann, Mr. McClurg, Mr. Beardsley, Angus T. Wright, and all who were prominent in the work received well-deserved encomiums for their splendid endeavors. All Utah is pleased with what has been achieved, and the visitors will return to their homes with kindly feelings and good wishes for the people of the pioneer State in practical irrigation.

THE BEET SUGAR AWARDS.

The award of Mr. Havemeyer's \$500 loving cup to the best growers of Utah is specially gratifying, and it will do much to relieve the disappointment felt for the loss of the fruit exhibit prize. There are several phases of the decision in the beet sugar contest which make it of special interest. One is that the winner should come from the comparatively new beet growing districts in the Bear River valley, this being only the second year that beet culture has been engaged in there, while in other counties of Utah, the industry has been going on for 12 years or more. Another equally surprising, is that the prize should have gone to Utah at all, since one of her competitors was California, where the beet sugar industry has been thriving for 30 years past.

The high quality of all the beets submitted to the tests is something that our farmers should find special satisfaction in. Mr. Rhodes' samples from Garland scored 93 out of a possible 113 points; the Utah Sugar company's beets, also from the Garland fields, second in the award, won 92, and the third winner, the Austin Bros. of Rexburg, were accorded 88. With such results as these, it is not too much to expect that the new and rapidly growing sugar industry, will amount to all that has been claimed and hoped for it, in the development of the intermountain regions.

TO DOCTOR THE SICK MAN.

It now appears that Russia and Austria are contemplating a joint occupation of Macedonia, in order to prevent the outbreak of a war between Bulgaria and Turkey. If the interested powers consent to this arrangement it will, no doubt, be done. And Europe will make all possible concessions to prevent a war. For a war between the two powers would be regarded as a calamity. No matter how it went, it would be looked upon as the beginning of a dangerous crisis.

Turkey objects to the proposed occupation. The Sublime Porte understands that such occupation would mean the loss of the province to the Turkish empire, forever. It would simply mean the division of it between the two occupying powers. The intervention, it is said, officially, would be only long enough "to restore order"; but experience teaches that that means permanent, for there can be no order under Turkish misrule. Egypt was lost that way; and Cyprus and Crete. Turkey has experience enough to know just what temporary occupation of a province means, and will consequently protest against such a proposition concerning Macedonia. And if the other signatory powers take the same view as Turkey, Russia and Austria will be politely told that their services are really not needed.

Then, the slaughter will continue, until the public, sick of tales of horror, will demand interference to stop the carnage. Russia has cause to interfere. She has lost two consuls, through Mohammedan fanaticism, and it was also reported that a Russian monastery in Jerusalem had been attacked and the inmates murdered. Russia, more than any other power, has been provoked to interference, but unless the proposed occupation is made a joint affair, by all the signatory powers, it is to be feared that peace will not be restored.

ON RELIGIOUS TOPICS.

Kansas City World. "All persons must work their way into heaven just the same as they work their way to the top of the ladder on this earth. No deadheads go to heaven; they go the other way." Such is the statement made by an eminent divine of New York City in a recent Sunday sermon. "No deadheads can get into this life depending on the efforts of others, is entitled to a chair in the celestial abode. If a man wants to pierce the clouds and land in among the angels, he must work his way there; he can't slip in on the guarantee that he is a good fellow; he must show that he has been a hustler while he was a dweller on this sphere of universal toll. The minister who is the author of this broad statement is pretty near right."

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