

# STATE FAIR OF 1900 CLOSES 10 P.M. TODAY

## Movement to Make a Sunday Show Defeat- ed 10 to 4—Fair Will be Safe Finan- cially—Premiums Paid.

At 10 o'clock this, Saturday, evening, the Utah State Fair of 1899 will be closed. This was the original announcement of the board of directors, and this was the decision of the directors, by an emphatic vote of ten yeas and four nays. Last evening a proposition was sprung to open the Fair tomorrow, Sunday, and immediately found earnest advocates. The money

the pedigree of the stock had not been formally filed. This is a matter of a few days only, and does not interfere with awards. Allen Brothers took a full share of prizes on cattle and sheep, and all had the magnificent animals to merit the distinction.

The horse show, too, drew its share of interest. All others were quite as interesting as usual, and will remain so to the finish.

**MAKING PROTESTS.**  
As is usual in every fair, there were quite a number of verbal protests, in addition to those taken to the board of directors. In some instances these caused a change; in most of the others

WHAT THE SOCIETY'S BOARD SAYS.

President John R. Winder was approached on the subject by those who wanted the Sabbath made a day of entertainment at the Fair grounds. He said No, and a big No, too. The Fair was to be a religious affair, and holding on Saturday evening, and his work had been to that end. So he addressed to the directors and the document questionnaires, and the directors there-with, which was returned to the office in Secretary Sears' office this afternoon. It will be seen that the paper contains besides the inquiry, the names of the persons who voted, and the way they voted, as stated there in their own handwriting. Mr. (Freeman first voted no, but afterwards changed to

CLOSING HOURS.

Looking at the closing hours of the Fair, it is of a highly satisfactory character. The experience of this year has shown, beyond question, that the change, and these are believed to be the best, that has been decided on to remove the poultry and fat stock exhibits from the fair location about twenty rods to the north, where the better the cattle and sheep, where the space will be better utilized. The place was chosen for the change will allow the horse show and the about doubled and put into better form. This proposed change is a good one. Several others were suggested, but are yet under consideration.

W. S. Sears, secretary, No. "E. A. Smith, secretary, No."

**VOTE IS TEN TO FOUR.**

That vote settled it, four ye, one of these qualified, and ten no. Those who voted ye said they thought it would be a good thing, would do no harm, and would increase the income of the State from the Fair. Those who voted no said that six days a week was enough or any regular work, and to set an example otherwise would be injurious to the people. The expense of the Fair would not be offset by the additional receipts; that it was emphatically against the public sentiment in the State, as would be realized if a person were to ask those who would have come if the board had waited six months ago that the Fair would run on Sunday. They held that the Fair people were in duty bound to proceed in the line of health and of public sentiment, and that the proposal to open the Fair on the Sabbath day in Utah was ill-ad-

**GRATIFYING SUCCESS.**

The management of the Fair has had lots of labor and worry. They have done the work without a financial compensation—that is those who have not been engaged as clerks, etc., and taken in the gross revenue. The leading people have been successful in their patriotic motives, and have given much of their attention and energy. It is therefore gratifying to them to feel that their efforts have been attended with a good measure of success, and are appreciated by the public as in this case. They also feel to extend thanks to public men in this city, and throughout the State, to the exhibitors, to the newspapers, and to the many other persons who have given material aid and courtesies in making the Fair of 1900 such a pleasing achievement. When the State Fair of 1900 is held in October of this evening, there will be the satisfaction of feeling that the best ever held in Utah, and will stand as a powerful encouragement for further efforts in the same good line in the future.

used as a measure that would be repudiated by the people and could not receive the approval of the body of the reputable element in the community. So the Fair closes this evening, and the host of workers here, who have been well burdened for the past six days, will have opportunity for a day of rest.

**RECEIPTS AT THE FAIR.**

The attendance up to Friday night was not so great as a year ago. There were not quite 10,000 persons who paid admission on Friday—the actual number being 9,916. This was a falling off of over 4,000, for last year children's day

an immense carload but this year a number of the children came in before and after Friday, particularly today, as season Saturday attendance was "abominable" in number to the ex- pression of one of the board. It was a storm day. Today was preceded by heavy rainstorm, and the morning was cold and threatening. But the sun came

The bull which took the leading prize at the State Fair was raised by Alien Brothers of Draper, Utah. It is now owned by Mr. White, but his achievements show what kind of cattle the Alien Brothers are raising.

**MISSIONARY REVIEW**

The returned Elders of the Northern States mission will meet at the Fourteenth ward meeting house Monday, Oct. 5th, at 7:30 p. m.

The returned Elders of the Florida conference will meet at the Seventeenth

**PREMIUMS PAID PROMPTLY.**  
A new departure was made today in paying premiums, and it was appreciated especially by exhibitors living at a distance. It had been announced that premiums would be paid on the last

of the Pair, so shortly before noon Secretary Sears had posted up a large placard: "Premiuns paid now." As it went up, he remarked to a bystander, "You see, we are keeping our promise, although we have a big rush on other business." "I'll see myself," replied the gentleman, who happened to

Rabbi Reynolds will deliver a lecture in the Jewish synagogue tomorrow on which occasion the following are serving as co-moderators: the "East of the Tiber" and "The Jewish People." Rabbi Reynolds' subject will be "Ancient Civilization and the Relevance of Judaism to the Civilization of the Future."

**THE GENERAL EXERCISES.**  
Today's general exercises at the Fair were varied a little from yesterday's, a parade of many of the horses through the streets arranged for this afternoon. There were the usual interesting features of good music, athletic exhibitions, singing, etc. and Miss

The weekly report of the board of health is as follows: Births reported, males, 23; females, 13. Deaths reported—Males, 8; females, 5. Scarlet fever cases reported during the week—Four cases under three days. Total cases under quarantine, 13. No new cases of

to Allen Brothers was the note "rib-  
withheld." This caused some won-  
derment. The only meaning is that  
smallpox were reported during the  
week. Ten cases of typhoid fever were  
reported during the week, making 21  
cases altogether throughout the city.



1. *Journal of Management Studies*, 1990, 27, 1, 1-14.