B. Y. COLLEGE.

The Closing Exercises Held in Logan on Thursday.

LOGAN, June 10, 1897.—The 19th annual commencement exercises of Brigham Young college were held this afternoon in the Thatcher opera house. It was an immense affair, and reflects great credit on the board of trustees, the faculty, the graduating students and all concerned. The house was crowded from pit to dome, while on the stage, which was decked with a wealth load of the most exquisite flowers, were seated the board of trustees, with the exception of W. B. Preston, who could not be present, members of the faculty, the graduating class, numbering twenty-four souls, Hon. Moses Thatcher, Dr. Karl G. Maeser, Hon. L. R. Martineau and other prominent citizens of Logan. Hon. Richard W. Young of board of trustees delivered a very able and eloquent address to the students graduating. Hon. Brigham Young, president, presented the graduates with their certificates.

The following graduates were then presented with diplomas and each received one or more beautiful bouquets: James Henry Ainsworth, Lewiston, Cache county; Dashiel McArthur Bickmore, Paradise; Nellie May Hawks, Lola Jane Hatch, Mary Catherine Helme, Della Vera Ferguson and Charles Bitter, Logan; Hyrum Gwendell Hubbard, Willard, Box Elder county; Mattie Howell, Wellsville; Earl Peter Jensen and Leslie Jensen, Brigham City; Olive Karr and Lionia May Telford, Richmond; Anna Eliza Larsen and Mary Price Oldham, Paradise; James Paul Moroni and Joseph Nelson, Mantua, Box Elder county; Joseph Morgan, Bennis, Idaho; George Morris Mathews, and John Edward Johnson, Oneida; Willow Tree, Bear River, Bingham county; Bertha Smart Parkinson and Lorenzo Fayette Hale, Franklin, Idaho; John A. Sheldon, Sheffield, Carbon county; Moses Alonzo Pond, Pocatello, Idaho.

Dr. Karl G. Maeser then conferred degrees, in behalf of the board of education of the Church, of bachelor of didactics on Professors Todd, Linford, Miller and Swenson of Logan, and J. E. Hickman of Preston, Idaho; he then delivered one of his characteristic addresses.

The musical part of the program was grand and beautiful indeed. The opera house orchestra rendered two fine selections, and Messrs. Easton and Lomoreaux gave their grand duet Vengeance. *M.*

An Excellent Institution.

The catalogue of the Latter-Day Saints College for next year is just out, and forms a neat pamphlet of 56 pages. The school year is extended to begin on September 13, continuing till June 9, 1898. Several lines of work are offered, including a four years' high school course; a four years' normal course (both commencing with the ninth grade); a college course, leading to the degree of Ph. B; a two years' kindergarten training course, open to those young ladies who have reached the age of 18 and completed at least two years of high school work; a commercial course, consisting of twelve, business training and stenography; a twelve month course in vocal and instrumental music. Theology forms a prominent feature of all courses.

All the members of last year's faculty are retained, with the exception of Professors chamberlin and Gibson; the first named leaves on a mission to Tahiti, the latter for post graduate at Cornell. The teachers retained from last year are the following: William Done, D. B., theology and history; Joseph Nelson D. B., business branches and mathematics; John M. Mills, D. B., Book of Mormon, Hebrew, phonography; John J. McClellan, B. M., music; Levi E. Young, B. S., English; Bertha Wooley, ladies' work, modern languages. These need no introduction to the people of Utah, their very efficient work in the past being well known. The following additional teachers have been secured: Jed F. Woolley, B. L., who has just completed his course at the University of Michigan, and has had considerable teaching experience before going east, will conduct the work in pedagogy, and give some of his time to the work of history and theology. Returning to Utah, fresh from his association with the advanced teachers and new educational ideas and practices of the east, Brother Woolley will make the normal course of the college equal to any. Arthur T. Dalley, who has also spent the past few years at Ann Arbor, and has gained considerable distinction in chemistry and other branches of science, will have charge of the science department of the college. Arthur Shepherd, the boy musician who has been making great progress in the Conservatory at Boston, will assist Professor McClellan in the music course. Matthew A. Miller is taking a special course in business training at Quincy, Illinois, and will assist in the commercial course.

The buildings at 145 and 253 w First North street, which were used during the year just past will be retained; they have proved ample and convenient. The library and the collection of scientific and scientific apparatus have been considerably enlarged, excellent facilities being offered for all lines of scientific and literary work. The commercial school is also provided with the very best fixtures.

The special departments of ladies' work, the boys' club, gymnasium, athletics, will be conducted as in the past. All courses are based on the highest educational principles, and the claim is safely made that in addition to the theological training and religious influence, the college offers as good courses and does as efficient work as any institution of equal grade in the State.

This institution can be highly commended to the people of the State, its privilege, representing as it does the whole intermountain region, is a sufficient evidence of its popularity and efficiency. While no attempt is made to rival any other institution, yet the aim is to give as thorough and valuable courses as can be found elsewhere, to the young people of the various stakes. The minimal fee of $10 charges for all regular high school and normal work, gives the advantages of the school within reach of all. All indications point to next year as the most successful and satisfactory in the history of the college.

Snowflake Stake Conference.

To the Editor:

The regular quarterly conference of the Snowflake Stake was held in Snowflake ward, commencing at 2 p. m. Sunday, May 23, 1897, and ending at 4 p. m. Monday, May 31st. One meeting was held on Sunday and two on Monday, besides Priesthood meeting held on Sunday evening.

The Stake presidency were all in attendance; and the other Stake organizations, as well as the wards were all well represented. A few visitors from the St. John's Stake were also present. We enjoyed social spirit prevailed. The speakers dwelt largely upon the first principles of the Gospel, and the use of Liquor by Church members in the Stake while very limited was severely censured.

The general and Stake authorities were sustained by unanimous vote.

The Bishop's reports indicated a fairly contented and prosperous condition in the various wards.

Arrangements were made to extend the Home Missionary Service to some of our adjacent non-Mormon towns.

L. M. SAYANS,
Clerk of Conference.

ALBERTA STAKE CONFERENCE.

Reports by, and Advice Given to the Saints in British Columbia.

To the Editor:

The quarterly conference of the Alberta Stake of Zion convened Sunday and Monday, May 23 and 24 1897.

There were present the Stake presidency, High Council, Bishops and representatives of the various wards, and a large attendance of Saints.

After the opening exercises President Card called upon the Bishops of the various wards, who gave a favorable report generally of the condition of the Saints throughout the Stake.

Elder Neils Hansen, who had been laboring in the Manitoba mission, gave a report of his labors in the region about Starle and Brandon, and testified of the blessings of the Lord upon the Elders in their efforts to spread the Gospel in that land.

A letter was read from Elders Merkley and May, who are in Winnipeg, Manitoba, striving to make an opening there, but on account of ignorance and prejudice, have so far met with comparatively little success, but are full of faith and hope for the future.

The different quorums and auxiliaries were then reported by their representatives, showing an increase in numbers, and a satisfactory condition generally, the members being alive to their duties, and making fair progress in their efforts to obtain a knowledge of the principles of the Gospel.

The general and local authorities of the Church were then presented, and sustained by unanimous vote of the congregation.

Elder B. Williams of the Stake presidency then addressed the Saints upon the necessity of being continually guided by the Spirit of the Lord, and not allowing the business affairs of everyday life to distract the minds from things of the kingdom; also spoke of the importance of keeping sacred the obligations we owe to the Lord in keeping the law of tithing, and to each other in the matter of fast offerings, and called attention to the counsels of the servants of the Lord in regard to abstaining from an excess of drinks and other things injurious to mind and destroy the body.

Elder John A. Woolf of the Stake presidency followed, enjoying the influence of the Lord and been in our midst during our consistence, reminded the Saints to unite in pleading with the Lord to send the gentile tithe upon the land, that success may attend our labors. Instructed the Elders to avoid making comparisons when speaking to the Saints, and preach the pure principles of the Gospel; impressed upon the mothers the need of training their children in the ways of the Lord.

Elder C. O. Card addressed the Saints to run out the home industry, comply with the laws of the land in keeping their Sunday free of unnecessary work, and in regard to their surroundings at home; spoke of the necessary steps being taken to assist our missionaries who are now in the field; also urged the Saints to keep sacred the Sabbath, and to give special heed to their at ing of their children, to comply strictly with the law of tithing, that the land might be sanctified unto them; he also referred to the changes authorized towards the Saints by those not of our faith.

The exercises during the conference were enlivened by the sweet singing of a choir efficiently under the leadership of Elder Andrew Archibald.

The week here being pleasant, added to the enjoyment of the occasion.

SYLVESTER LOW,
Stake Clerk.

Thin Children

Our Scott's Emulsion is giving the greatest satisfaction to thousands of thin children. Many of them are growing fat and strong under its influence. It will make them plump and ruddy. It is the best food medicine. Should be given to all children who are not growing fast.

We have a book telling you more on the subject. Send for it.

SCOTT & BOWNE, New York.

ESTRAY POUND NOTICE.

One black horse about six years old; white on nose and calon right hind foot. Can be seen at Sam Sutherland's, X on right shoulder.

If the above described animal is not claimed and taken away on or before Sunday, June 27, 1897, the same will be sold at public auction at 2 p. m., at City Estray Pound.

JOHN S. MATTOX,
City Pound-keeper.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Estate of Edward Stevenson, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE undersigned, administrators, of the estate of Edward Stevenson, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within ten months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrators, at the office of the undersigned, in Salt Lake City, in the County of Utah, said State of Utah.

JOSEPH E. STEVENSON,
EDWARD H. STEVENSON,
EDGAR T. STEVENSON,
Administrators of the estate of Edward Stevenson, deceased.
FERGUSON & JACKSON, Attorneys for Administrators.
Dated April 6, 1897.

NOTICE OF ASSESSMENT.

North Point Consolidated Irrigation Company.
Location of principal place of business, Salt Lake City, Utah.
Second South Street, East
Salt Lake City, Utah.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT a meeting of the Board of Directors held on May 12th, 1897, an assessment of fifty (50) cents per share was assessed upon the capital stock of the corporation payable on May 26th, 1897, to the undersigned at the office of the company, in Salt Lake City, Utah. Any stock upon which this assessment may remain unpaid on the 26th day of May, 1897, will be delinquent and advertised for sale at public auction, on the 12th day of June, 1897, to pay the delinquent assessment together with the cost of advertising and expenses of sale.

ARTHUR PARSONS, Secretary.
Salt Lake City, Utah.
May 26th, 1897.
Secretary may be addressed care of E. G. Ware.

ESTRAY POUND NOTICE.

One sorrel horse, little white in face, about 4 years old, branded on left shoulder like this brand (illegible) of the above described animal is not claimed by the owner within ten days from date hereof, the same will be sold to the highest bidder at 2 p. m., at City Estray Pound.

JOHN S. MATTOX,
City Pound-keeper.

NOTICE OF SALE OF COUNTY BONDS.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH A RESOLUTION passed by the Board of County Commissioners of Salt Lake County, Utah, at a regular meeting convened, and held on the 3rd day of May, 1897, a copy of which is hereby given, there will be sold at public auction, to the highest bidder, on Monday, June 28th, 1897, at 10 o'clock, a. m., at the office of the County Treasurer, in Salt Lake City, Utah, the following described bonds, viz: Twenty (20) bonds, of the denomination of $500 each, payable one year after date of issue, twenty (20) bonds, of the denomination of $500 each, payable two years after date of issue, twenty (20) bonds, of the denomination of $500 each, payable three years after date of issue, twenty (20) bonds, of the denomination of $500 each, payable four years after date of issue, twenty (20) bonds, of the denomination of $500 each, payable five years after date of issue, said bonds to be issued in accordance with the provisions of the Revised Statutes of Utah, 1898, and amendments thereto, and to bear interest at the rate of five per cent per annum, payable semi-annually at the office of the County Treasurer, in Salt Lake City, Utah, in the lawful money of the United States of America, and to be issued in denomination of $500 each, principal and interest payable at the option of the holder at said place, and