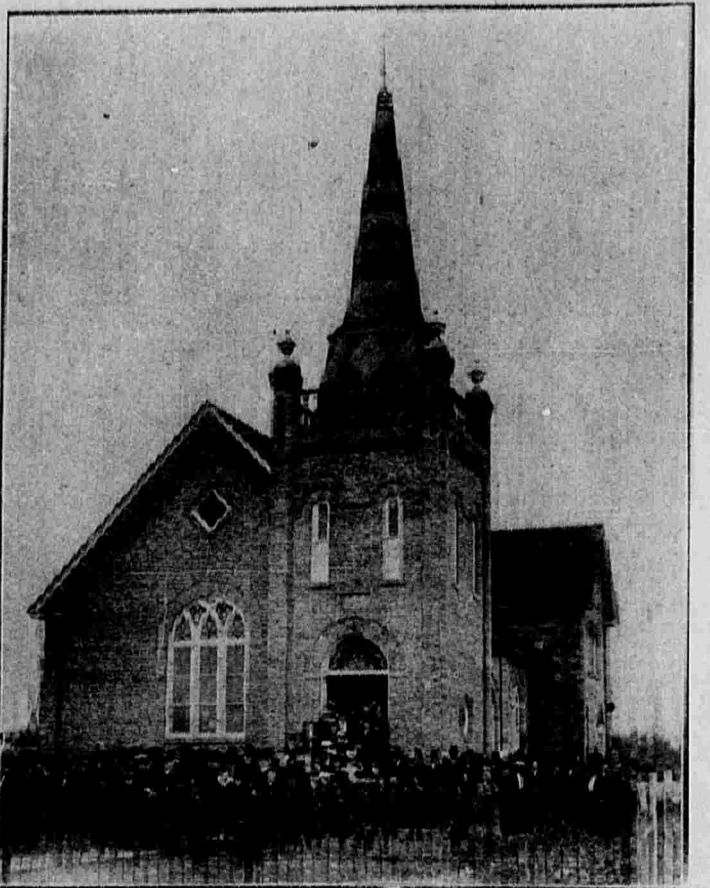


New American Fork Meeting Houses.



FIRST WARD CHAPEL.



SECOND WARD CHAPEL.

Special Correspondence.

American Fork, Utah Co., March 18.—Sunday, Feb. 17 and Sunday, March 17 were certainly red letter days in the Church annals of this city. On the first date the First and Second ward Latter-day Saint church buildings were dedicated with impressive services, and on the second date the chapels of the Third and Fourth wards were dedicated in like manner.

FIRST WARD CHAPEL.

The American Fork First ward chapel was dedicated Feb. 17, 1907, at 10 o'clock a. m., some 500 people being present. President Anthon H. Lund, Assistant Church Historian Andrew Jensen, the Alpine stake presidency, Elders S. L. Chipman, J. H. Clarke and Abel J. Evans, many of the high counselors and the bishops and their counselors of the four wards, also attended. Bishop James T. Gardner had charge of the services. The First ward choir, under the leadership of John H. Davis, furnished beautiful music during the services. The opening prayer was offered by Elder Abel J. Evans.

A brief report on the grounds and erection of the building was read by Bishop Gardner. The same shows the building and grounds to have cost \$8,416.75. The First ward was organized July 14, 1901, with C. G. Patterson, bishop, with Wm. A. Moffitt and James T. Gardner counselors. On account of other labors Bishop Patterson was released from the bishopric in February, 1903, at which time the present bishop was selected with Gen. H. Robinson and J. H. Davis as counselors.

The church building is beautifully located, has a south front and affords a grand view of Utah lake and the surrounding mountains. The walks leading to the building are nicely paved, and in all it is a credit to the ward.

The dedicatory prayer was offered by President Anthon H. Lund. Timely remarks were made by President Lund, Elder Jensen and members of the stake presidency. Miss Minnie Martin rendered a solo. A quartet was given by John H. Davis and others. Benediction was pronounced by Elder William Grant.

SECOND WARD CHAPEL.

The dedicatory services of American Fork Second ward meetinghouse were held Feb. 17, 1907, at 2 o'clock p. m. with Bishop Joseph H. Storrs presiding. Seated on the stand were President Anthon H. Lund, Assistant Church Historian Andrew Jensen, Presidents Stephen L. Chipman, James H. Clarke and Abel J. Evans, members of the high council, bishops and counselors of the other three wards of American Fork, and some few over 500 people were in attendance. The ward choir sang appropriate hymns. Prayer was offered by President James H. Clarke. Sacrament was administered, and during the passing of the same Elder Ernest Paxman rendered an organ solo.

Bishop Storrs gave a report of the building of the meetinghouse as follows:

American Fork Second ward organized July 14, 1901, with Joseph H. Storrs, John W. Chipman and James C. Wag-

staff as the bishopric. Elder Wagstaff having died in April, 1904, Elder Washburn S. Chipman was selected to fill his place. The cornerstone of the meetinghouse was laid in April, 1903; building was completed and paid for Jan. 1, 1906, at a cost of \$10,001.25. Besides this the sisters raised over \$200 and bought the organ and sacrament set. James H. Pulley was the architect, and rendered valuable assistance in the erection. The building stands on half an acre of ground, and has a large lawn in front, with hedge and ornamental trees; has a cement walk in front, and also leading up to and around the building. Report was unanimously received and ordered filed.

Counselor John W. Chipman and Ernest Paxman rendered a duet. President Lund made a few remarks, after which he offered the dedicatory prayer, which was very impressive. Margaret Chipman rendered a solo. Assistant Church Historian Andrew Jensen spoke a short while, complimenting the people on the erection of this beautiful house. President A. J. Evans offered a few words, representing the stake presidency. Benediction was pronounced by President Stephen L. Chipman.

THIRD WARD CHAPEL.

The American Fork Third ward chapel was dedicated on March 17, 1907, services being held at 10 a. m. with 500 people comfortably seated. There were on the stand President Joseph F. Smith and President P. M. Lyman, Elders Andrew Jensen of the historian's office, the Alpine stake presidency and high counselors and the bishoprics of the four wards of American Fork.

The choir, under the direction of Chorister Samuelita and Sister Ida Kelley at the organ, furnished appropriate and inspiring music. After the opening prayer by Bishop W. B. Smith, and the administration of the Sacrament, a detailed report was presented by Bishop J. R. Hudley which was approved and ordered filed. The following is a brief synopsis of same:

The Third ward in common with the other three wards of American Fork, was organized July 14, 1901, with J. R. Hudley, George F. Shelly and John Hunter as bishoprics. At a later date, brother George E. Abel was called as counselor upon the removal of Elder Shelly to Idaho.

The church building is located on a one acre plot of ground centrally situated. In April, 1902, excavation for the basement commenced and in December, 1905, the house was completed at a cost of \$9,099.75. The interior furnishings were presented by the priesthood and auxiliary organizations of the ward.

The services were very inspiring. A solo, "Joseph Smith's First Prayer," was beautifully rendered by Edith Hindley.

The impressive dedicatory prayer by President Joseph F. Smith, was listened to with rapt attention, he also prefaced same by appropriate remarks.

A quartet "Weary Not," by John and George Hunter and Ida Kelley and May Wagstaff, was enjoyed by the congregation. President Lyman

and Elder Jensen offered timely and appropriate remarks.

The service was one long to be remembered by those whose privilege it was to be present.

The accompanying half tons were taken immediately after the service.

FOURTH WARD CHURCH BUILDING.

The American Fork Fourth ward chapel was dedicated March 17, at 2 o'clock p. m. Five hundred and forty persons were present to witness the ceremonies. On the stand were President Joseph F. Smith and President Francis M. Lyman, also Elder Andrew Jensen, assistant Church historian, Elders Stephen L. Chipman, James H. Clarke and Abel J. Evans, the stake presidency, and bishopric of the ward, together with a number of the high council of the Alpine stake. President A. J. Evans opened with prayer. The ward choir led by John B. Miller, with Ida Harrington at the organ, rendered excellent music for the occasion. While the sacrament was passing Mrs. Ida Smith played an organ solo.

The Fourth ward chapel stands on 3 1/2 acres of choice land with a 18 rod front; 500 8-year-old shade trees, mostly hardwood, cover most of the ground, all in a thriving condition. The 60 foot front is covered with a beautiful lawn and shrubbery with climbing roses and creeping vines upon the walls; cement walks from the street to the house and on either side to the east and west doors, enhance the beauty of the surroundings. Everything around the building presents the appearance of cleanliness and order.

A brief report of the construction of this beautiful house of worship was read by Bishop Warren B. Smith, showing that the house was three years in construction, and was erected by a comparatively poor, but willing people. James H. Pulley was the architect who supervised carefully every detail from beginning to finish. The total cost of the church edifice and improved grounds was \$3,142.71, all of which has been paid.

The dedicatory prayer was offered by President Francis M. Lyman. Most excellent addresses were made by President Joseph F. Smith and Elder Andrew Jensen. President James H. Clark pronounced the benediction.

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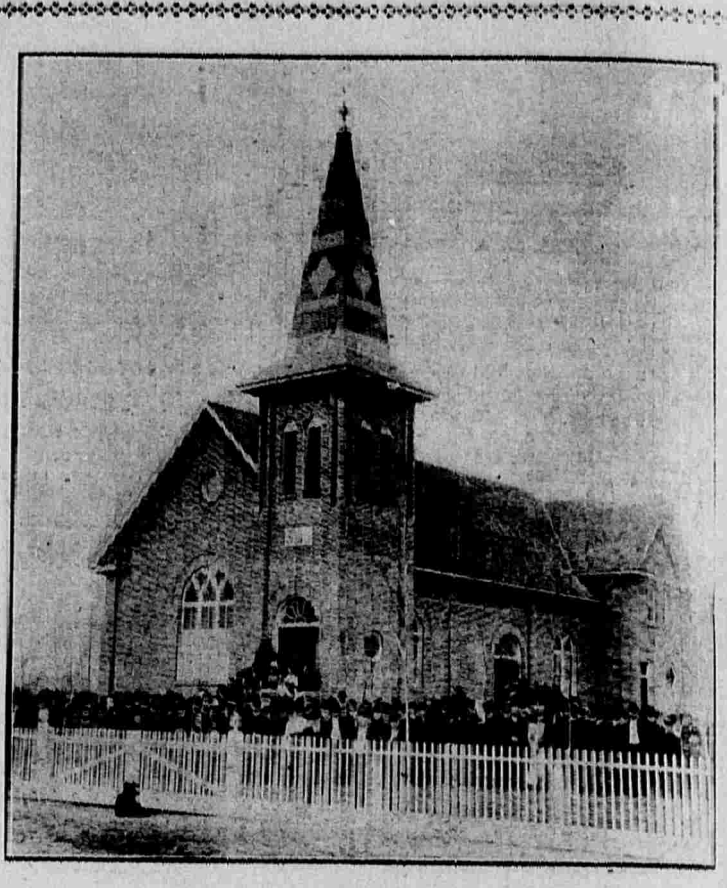
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