FORTY-SECOND ANSUAL CONFER-

ACCORDING to adjournment of Tuesday, April 9:h, the Forty-second Annual Conference of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints will re-assemble at the New Tabernacle, Salt Lake City, to-morrow, April 14th, at 10 o'clock a.m.

By President GEORGE A. SMITH,

I AM gratified in the enjoyment of the privilege of continuing our conference, and rejoice in the instructions and testimonies We are very well aware that it is but of the elders which have been given dur- You undertake to thrash anything into ing the two days past. There are a few subjects I feel anxious to lay before the brethren and sisters. I should be glad, had I strength and opportunity, to explain many things more minutely. I feel that many things more minutely. I feel that

the Territory for doing our business, the Territory for doing our business, poperative mercantile and manufacturing institutions, co-operative herds, and others in agriculture which have done much to facilitate our progress and supply our facilitate our progress and supply our an waits. The work is hared on memocod, though we have demonstrated to a certain-ty their practicability and success where-al-ty their practicability and success where-in the thrilling spectacle of a man in-serting his head in the Hon's mouth. There given you some of my views in There given you some of my views in them closely. The education of our children, them closely. The settle menagerie of the performances consists in the thrilling spectacle of a man in-serting his head in the Hon's mouth. Whittle essayed this, and placed his head between the jaws of the brute, the lion uttered an Whittle essayed this, and placed his the dot between the jaws of the brute, the black of the black of the brute, the black of the black of the brute, the black of the black of the black of the black of the brute, the black of t







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thousand, if I am rightly informed; and no doubt, with the means which they possess, they are enabled to get up excellent

schools. It appears to be a portion of the policy of the national government never to do any-thing for schools in a Territory. When a Territory becomes a State the policy of Congress, in years past, and it will proba-bly continue to be so in years to come, has been to extend liberal privileges and im-munities, in the donation of lands and of the per cents from the sales of public lands within the State for educational pur-poses—the anpport of common schools and the per cents from the sales of public inds within the State for educational pur-cess-the support of common scheols and niversities. This parsimonious policy to-rards Territories may be an enlightened in a support of my life I may not be possidered a proper judge. Suffice it to ty, however, that so far as legislation for fucation is concerned, or any encourag-tent or assistance extended from the failed States to the people of the Territor-a, their children must be related in a statement togrames. The result is that whatever regress is made or improvement attained these directions in the Territories is due stiraly to the energy, enterprise and enthready to the energy, enterprise and en-thread of the inhabitants the bardy oneers who break the ground, make the ads, fight the Indians and create the

The report of the Superintendent of Com-mon Schoels for this Territory goes to show, not only that there are about thirty thou-and school children, but that they have stended school a greater portion of the time than is sometimes reported in the new States, and in some of the older ones, where they have all shandvantages grauted by the general government. This speaks well for the ploneers of Utah, it is a preud record, and one of which the Latter-day Saints may justly boast. It is true that most of our schools are simply primary to supply a portion of the ex-extend some little aid to the sot, that all may have the priv-ing to school. A general free can has not been inaugurated, nan who will cooly, deliberately consider the condition, associ i winely consider the condition, and one, and changeable nature of the go ment of our Territory will see the wi m of not entering upon such a syste till it can be done under the regulation tinges which a State governmenting. At least that is my j nt on the subject, though we have at for the oscablishment of a gener of system now. I want to say to this, that perhaps there a where such a system might i with advantage; but if it was generally throughout the Territor ald wish to av they are in unicas t a satisfied, not withstanding this good that there is a very great necessity minds of many people to be stirred relation to the education of their on the building of good, healthy, ventilated school-houses, and the ng of the children to school; provid. in a new country, going into a school-

was nothing on the face of the earth that seemed to hurt their feelings more than to feel that they had lost the confidence of

their preceptor. This was simply the re-sult of cultivating reasoning powers in the minds of the children, and I am happy to any there are many such teachers now in

I will say a few words in relation to normal schools. As I said before, we have had nothing to encourage primary schools had nothing to encourage primary schools but what we ourselves with our bone, sinew, energy and enterprise have done. So it is with the more advanced branches. The Descret University has made efforts to establish graded schools for the education This has been done by small establish graded schools for the education of teachers. This has been done by small appropriations from the Legislative Assem-bly and Salt Lake City and county; but the great mass of the work has been done by individual enterprise. There are many at the present time in Utah, who have been thus educated, who devote the winter sea-thus educated.

thus educated, who devote the winter sea-sob, and many of them the summer, to teach-ing schools. The energy of Superintendent Campbell in introducing suitable books and apparatus, and to improve the condition of our schools has been commendable; and the Timponagos branch of the University of Deseret, at Provo, one at St. George and several others established in the Territory for the education of teachers have had their good effects. But their effects are limited, compared with what they might be, and I am sorry to say that several' of our young men have been under the necessity of going to obtain an education, which it is desirable we should have the facilities to give them here. Brethren and aisters, take this mat-ter to your hearts, for it is one of the great missions of the Latter day Saints to do all in their power to educate the rising generation and to teach them the principles of eternul truth. I have had the pleasure of visiting a THE CONFERENCE .- We hereby remind verybody that according to previous adournment, the Forty-second Annual Confarence will meet at the New Tabernacle to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock. All who want good instruction and to enjoy a hea-vooly spirit should attend.

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a may justly boast. It is true that of our schools are alongly primary is, but, from what I have seen while as you many of them, I know this as you many of them, I know this of elernit truth. I have had the pleasure of visiting a god many of them, I know this of me, from a very carly period after they as you may seen that is not by the deal in our system that is not by the deal in our system that is not by the deal in our system that is not by the deal in our system that is not by the deal in our system that is not by the deal in our system that is not by the deal in our system that is not by the deal in our system that is not by the deal in our system that is not by the laws of Ubah Territory authorise to cestablish Territory authorise to do so, by a two-thirds rote of the the tory results. Otherwise the schools is the string any active set is the same of the stands of the district, and is number with the exception that taxes of the stated by the utition fees of the tain y levied to a the property in the ourse of uny travels, and I was gratified to and to supply a portion of the ex-and to supply a portion of the ex-and to supply a portion of the ex-and to supply a portion of the exlation to the principles of the gaspel as laid down in the Bible and in the revelations of the Lord, as a very large portion of the Elders. I was very gind to see it. I visit a distributed to see it. I visit be down in the Bible and in the revelations of the Lord, as a very large portion of the Elders. I was very gind to see it. I visit be down in the Bible and in the revelation of the seemed as if the people were waiting to see the lease. The excitement has par-tially died a way now and there in ave been nearly as many bablized during the last month as in the preceding two. There ecan is to be a spirit of persecu-tion mating the many bablized during the last month as in the preceding two. There ecan is to be a spirit of persecu-tion mating the many bablized during the set as the progress that has been made. I man the statement to strong the bay ong mes and set as the statement is young mes and our brethern have been sourcely bast. The mob bragged that they were not afreid of the consequences, as they had mout who would back them up and were able to shield them from the law. They were armed on the law. They were armed on the law they able to shield them from the law. They were armed on the statement to as to the celebrated Methodis camp meeting that was held in this city. Dr. Vin-out, a Methodist multimer, and two others about for the collebrated Methodis camp meeting that was held in this city, Dr. Vin-contact with Sunday school with from They told me they had visited the Sunday School in the HSM ward, and had addrassed the scholars they gave us this much credit, they were avery shally ered table. But although they gave us this much credit, they were marked as well here are were would be a their schor, and two others and they. "We were invited to attend table to shield they in the they faw well here are were available. But although they gave us this much credit, they were marked to attend they had not been they faw of the motions are followed to address the child as well here are were would be a their sch

and holding meetings to warn the peo-ple against us, but where they are most active, there appears to be more inquiry among the people, so that they are only helping us to make them think. Ani-borg conference, where so much preach-ing has been done and whence so many inday schools and we did so. We were request four or five thousand were brought together for us to talk to." And they went on and told how well they were treated; but notwithstanding that, they said they had been told from the most reliable have emigrated, has the largest number of baptisms; nearly forty during the

All the boulerence presidents are doing spiendidty. I hurdly think a better set of men could be found. They have gained the confidence of the

told the conductor this he should have to stay by it all night. "Oh no," said the con-ductor, "it is perfectly safe," "Safe," how sof "Said the traveller, "It will be stored in the morning, you need not be a but afraid, for there is not a Christian with in fity miles of here." I do not relate the sa-an insinuation upon the hypooricy of a great portion of those professing Christian with is imply upon the hypooricy of a great portion of those professing Christian with in present age. I do rejoice in reflecting that for a great many years such things as locks and bars were unknown in Utab. People bight in wagons, went about their or some very bad Mormon or somebody else might undertake to steel, for the present. I think, however, that the great moral infu-ence of the Latter-day Saints will be an abled to continue in the midst of these montains those principles of morality, thoroughly pre-sminent here from the time of our arrival to the present. Peace to the faithful. Amen.



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altrated in Fait Lake Oily, under the provisions of the laws of Congress, and of the Territory of Utah, relative thereto, for the use and benefit of the beins of the said deceased. In witness whereof I hereunto set my hand and cause the seal of said Court to be affixed this 37th day of February. { seal} A. D. 1872

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