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The President and assistant presidents of the P. E. Fund Co. are very much pleased to be able to publish the following named persons as having settled their emigration since October 6, 1877:

Adams Samuel 1861	Hansen Nicolene 1866
Thomas " "	Niels Rasmussen " "
Joseph " "	Anne Christian " "
Hyman " "	Maria Katrina " "
Ashman John 1864	Reaton Francis " "
Ann " "	A. " 1868
Isabella " "	Hay Margaret 1875
John Thos " "	Iving William 1863
Eileen " "	Jorgenson Jor- " 1863
Harriet " "	Jorgen Jr. " "
Ann Wil- " "	Niels " "
Arneson Marile 1863	Anders " "
Andersen Ingrid 1869	Jorgenson " "
Brough George 1852	Anne Marie 1874
Burton William 1854	Karl James 1854
Jane " "	Ann " "
Eliza " "	Eileen " "
Rima " "	Laird James 1856
Kate " "	Mary " "
Rosina " "	Joseph " "
Barton John 1862	Edward " "
Bale Israel " "	Elizabeth " "
Emma " "	Lofgren Anders 1868
Bromley Celestia " "	Malin Madeline 1866
Chatelain Pierre 1856	McKay Joseph 1859
Clarke Miriam 1861	Martha " "
Chislett James 1862	Mary " "
William " "	Eileen " "
Carl Ann 1864	Jane " "
Christensen Neils " "	Ethel " "
Peter " "	Mrs David Fisher " "
Cooper Matilda 1866	Francis Smith " "
Carlson Jorga " "	Vineur A. dreaa 1861
P " "	Meier Elizabeth 1863
Anne E " "	Moller Adolph " "
Elise " "	Peter " "
Caroline " "	Fritz " "
Carl " "	Montgomery Ag- " "
C ombs J M 1875	nes " "
Christianson " "	Melling J. seph 1861
Emma " "	Mikkelsen Chris- " "
Davis William 1855	ten " "
Lucy " "	Moore Ernest 1874
Mary " "	Oakey Thomas and " "
Lydia " "	family 1866
Sarah " "	Openshaw Levi 1864
Elizabeth " "	P " "
Henry " "	Parry John 1863
John " "	Parsons Stephen 1872
Ann " "	Quarm Sarah 1868
Jane " "	Rich Joseph C 1867
Dolder Lisette 1864	ollins Ann 1863
Densley Daniel 1866	Buff Eliza 1872
Sarah " "	Soar Henry 1862
Samuel " "	sears John 1874
Ann " "	Smith Samuel 1866
Dan " "	Joseph D " "
Dent Jemima 1868	Elizabeth " "
Bliz J " "	Mary " "
Fogg Samuel 1866	Taylor Mary 1858
Betty " "	William " "
Farnsworth Jas " "	Jesse " "
Go's Frederick 1862	Turner Sarah 1864
C. rolina " "	William " "
Gage William " "	Tagerborg An- " "
Rachel " "	ders 1869
Leah " "	Bendigna " "
Hurran James 1857	Johnanna " "
Eliz " "	Hilda C " "
Mary " "	Williams Evan 1853
Emma " "	Mormon Al- " "
Sarah " "	ma " "
Geo Reeder, " "	Mary Ann " "
surety " "	Mormon Al- " "
Hogenson Chris- " "	Whitworth James 1861
tian 1859 " "	Worthington Hen- " "
Halliday George 1864 " "	ry 1863
How & Holman 1866 " "	Whitworth Sarah " "
Hansen Maria " "	Harriet " "
K " "	

Local and Other Matters.

FROM TUESDAY'S DAILY, APRIL 6.

Sharp.—There was a sharp frost last night. It is not improbable that some of the fruit germs were killed by it. This morning there was a thin coating of ice on standing water.

E. S. Report.—Through misunderstanding of the secretary, the Relief Societies report of the Salt Lake Stake was not read at the last Quarterly Conference, and as many are desirous of seeing a financial statement it will be furnished to the DESERET NEWS and Woman's Exponent at an early day for publication.

Museum.—Fine rotten-stone has been received from Mr. Graves, of Provo, it is likely to be a marketable article. Fine copper ore specimens have been received from Mr. O. P. Rockwell. A fine pair of "Cat-eye" Owls (*Bubo Virginianus*) have been removed to more congenial quarters at Lindsey's Gardens, on the north bench of the city.

Missionaries.—The first company of missionaries will leave Ogden on the 7th of May. These destined for Europe, with that party, expect to sail from New York on the 14th of May.

It is expected that the second company will leave Ogden on the 21st of the same month, and will

sail from New York on or about the 28th.

Changed Hands.—The Utah Western Railroad has changed hands. The agent of the bondholders, who are eastern capitalists, has taken possession of the road. There will be little if any change in the running and management of the line, at least for the present. Mr. W. W. Ritter has been appointed agent in charge of the property for the new proprietors.

Incendiarism.—There appears to be an incendiary element in Provo that needs prompt looking after. Not long since the lumber yard of Messrs. Smoot and John was set on fire. Yesterday we had the news of the burning, at an early hour the same day, of a portion of the premises and entire stock of merchandise of Mr. W. G. Mills. We hope the perpetrator or perpetrators of these acts of diabolism will be discovered and punished.

A Bold Thief.—Yesterday afternoon a tall, dark man called at the house of Bishop Weiler, in the 3rd Ward, while the family were absent. He asked the hired girl if the Bishop was in, and was answered in the negative. He then walked to the cupboard, deliberately opened the glass door, emptied a number of pieces of silver currency out of a tumbler into his hand, said: "It's all right, and walked off. It wasn't all right, however, for he was a thief and walked off with the Bishop's money. Fortunately the amount was only about two dollars.

The General Conference.—The influx of people from the several States of Zion, in attendance at the Conference, was exceedingly great. On Sunday, especially in the afternoon, the assemblage was very large. Every available foot of standing as well as sitting room in the Tabernacle appeared to be occupied, the aisles being all filled. The number of people present was estimated at from twelve to fourteen thousand. Most of the people from the country have returned to their homes, and the streets of the city, which have been thronged with living streams of people for several days past, have comparatively assumed their usual quiet appearance.

Water Question.—The people residing on the bench north of the 18th, 20th and 21st Wards are making another appeal to the City Fathers for a water supply. A petition has been numerously signed and will be presented to night. They renew the request made several years ago for the privilege to construct a ditch from City Creek, to convey to the bench the surplus water from that stream. Some years since they had a survey made for such a ditch and the cost estimated, which was placed at something under \$1,000.

The north bench people have petitioned long and loud for the needed supply of water, and it is to be hoped that the oft repeated appeals will, ere long, meet with an adequate response. The health and general wellbeing of the people of that dry locality depend upon their obtaining the much needed boon.

Concrete.—There's nothing like concrete for sidewalks. We believe this material is bound to supercede all other. It appears to be better adapted for the purpose than anything else. A good deal of it is being laid and much more about to be.

The disregard that is paid to the grade of the sidewalks in the central part of the city is a matter of regret. The unevenness resulting from each property holder suiting the grade in front of his premises to his own notion is not only disagreeable to the eyes, but very frequently to the toes, because of the numerous places against which they get stubbed.

It would be a good thing if a uniform grade for sidewalks was established and it were conformed to by all parties concreting or laying other materials upon them. Perhaps it could be done if the City Fathers were to take the matter in hand.

Whooping Cough.—In response to the invitation for remedies for this disease, which has attacked a great number of children in this city, we have received two recipes. One is given by Brother M. B. Wheelright, of Ogden City, which is a Burgundy pitch plaster placed between the shoulders. It is made

by sprinkling a small quantity of Burgundy pitch and then spreading with a hot knife over a piece of sheepskin or buckskin, about the size of the palm of the hand. Bro. Wheelright says it is a certain remedy.

The other is given by Bro. W. J. Silver, of this City, who says:

"In England it has been the practice for many years to take children so afflicted to the lime purifying rooms of the gas works, and I am informed that some companies in order to accommodate the public have built rooms for the reception of children and their nurses and charge a small admission fee therefor."

We are told that many children in this city have obtained relief by breathing the fumes at the Gas Works.

Silver Reef Ores.—The curator of the Museum has received from Judge Barbee, a valuable collection of silver ores from the district first brought into prominent notice by the discoveries made by that gentleman. A white sandstone, containing organic remains, is rich in "Horn Silver;" this is from the Barbee mine. Specimens from the Buckeye, the Gishorn of Silver Reef, are remarkable for richness in silver as well as singularity of appearance. Specimens of ochreous ores from the McMullin mine and from the Kenner, are very curious. Altogether the specimens of the Silver Reef ores are likely to cause a complete revolution in the theories advanced by geologists in relation to silver deposits. The views of Professor Gunnung, who lectured on geology in this city recently, are most in harmony with the facts revealed by recent discoveries in the argentiferous mud and silver sandstone districts of southern Utah.

Departed this Life.—Shortly before eight o'clock last night Miss Emma Wells, a most amiable and accomplished young lady, breathed her last. We sincerely sympathize with her parents, President D. H. Wells and Sister Emmeline B. Wells, and the relatives generally. The shock caused by her demise, however, is by no means confined to her family connections, but extends to all who had the pleasure of her acquaintance. Her nature was so frank, generous and amiable as to cause her to be endeared to all who met her.

Deceased followed the profession of school teaching, in which she was remarkably proficient. She was associated in that capacity for several years with Miss Cook, in the seminary conducted in the Social Hall.

Some time ago she received an injury through the accidental falling upon her of a heavy book case. Since then she had been troubled with severe attacks of nervous illness, and it is believed that the effect of the accident was one of the indirect causes that led to her death. The sad news will be received with general grief.

The funeral services will be conducted at late residence, State Road, on Thursday, April 11th.

Appointments for Quarterly Stake Conferences.

Salt Lake City, July 6 and 7.
Weber and Juab, April 20 and 21, and July 20 and 21.
Tooele and Box Elder, April 27 and 28, and July 27 and 28.
Wasatch and Cache, May 4 and 5 and Aug. 3 and 4.
Summit and Bear Lake, May 11 and 12, and Aug. 10 and 11.
Morgan and Sanpete, May 18 and 19, and Aug. 17 and 18.
Sevier and Millard, May 25 and 26, and Aug. 24 and 25.
Davis and Utah, June 1 and 2, and Aug. 31 and Sep. 1.
Beaver and Panguitch, June 1 and 2, Aug 31 and Sep. 1.
Kanab, June 8 and 9, and Sep. 7 and 8.
Iron, June 29 and 30, and Sep 28 and 29.
St. George, June 15 and 16, and Sep. 14 and 15.
In behalf of the Apostles,
ERASTUS SNOW,
F. D. RICHARDS,
Committee.

Two little girls were lately prattling together, and one of them said, "We keep four servants, have got six horses and a lot of carriages; now, what have you got?" With quite as much pride, the other answered, "We've got a skunk under our b. ru."

BRIGHAM YOUNG ACADEMY.

PROVO, April 5, 1878.

The third term of the second academical year of this institution closed to-day with public Actus in the hall of the Academy, according to the following programme:

Singing by the choir, "God moves in a mysterious way."
Prayer by M. H. Hardy.
Singing, "When all thy mercies Oh my God."

Reading of the report by the Principal, Karl G. Maeser.

Remarks by Professor Milton H. Hardy.

Remarks by Professor J. E. Booth.

Remarks by Miss Teenie Smoot.

Singing, "Light by the Fire-side."

Normal department represented by Mr. J. B. Kesler.

Academical department represented by Mr. J. M. Tanner.

Theological department represented by Mr. Isaac Bullock.

Non Church members represented by Mr. Thos. Leonard.

Grammar department represented by Mr. Chas. Tietjen.

Primary department represented by Mr. Alma Greenwood.

Domestic department represented by Mr. L. Robinson.

Farwell address Mr. Canute Peterson.

Singing, "The Sea Bird."

Short and appropriate observations were made by President A. O. Smoot, Chairman Myron Tanner of the executive board, Treasurer H. H. Cluff, members, L. E. Harrington, Wm. Brighurst and Martha J. Coray, and Judge Dusenberry.

GENERAL STATISTICS.

The term commenced January 28th and closed April 5th. The next to commence Monday, April 15th.

Attendance:	Reg's	Discon	Re-
	tered	tinued	main-
Primary A & B	67	14	53
Intermediate A & B	97	33	64
Grammar	26	11	15
Academical	16	9	7
Normal	27	1	26
Total,	233	68	165

The ecclesiastical status of the students by the report of the monitor of the Theological Department is as follows:

Seventies 3; Elders 18; Priests 10; Teachers 15; Deacons 51; lay members 144; non-members 9; under 8 years of age 13. Making a total as before, of 233.

From the report of the monitor of the domestic department it shows that the distribution of the students according to their residences is as follows:

Provo	173	Pleasant Grove	2
Springville	4	Juab Co	4
Spanish Fork	4	Millard Co	6
Payson	5	Sanpete Co	2
Salem	3	Tooele Co	3
Benjamin	1	Sevier Co	1
Sanitaquin	2	Wasatch Co	1
edar valley	2	Iron Co	1
Alpue	2	Washington Co	2
Lehi	1	Salt Lake Co	2
American Fork	7		

In the Normal Department there have been 27 students, 17 of whom have had, during the present Academical year, practical class-work besides theoretical instructions.

The Choir consists of 44 members who have had practical training twice per week under the efficient direction of Prof. James E. Daniel.

An interesting feature seems developing itself through the Poly-sophical Society, which consists of students meeting together in sections A B and C; A and B for the investigation of scientific principles and for musical organization and culture. The faculty consists of Profs. K. G. Maeser, M. H. Hardy, J. E. Booth and Miss Teenie Smoot, and Prof. James E. Daniels for the musical department. Added to these are such of the normal students as teach classes and the conducting monitors of the several departments.

The records of the faculty, of the registry of studies, theological exercises, sessions of the Polysophical Society, and the attendance roll of the Academy were spread upon the table for the visitors to inspect.

According to a certain clause in the bye-laws of the constitution of the Academy, requiring that the first and third terms close with a written examination, the following written exercises were placed before the visitors, consisting of exercises in Theology, History, Grammar, Arithmetic, Syntax, Latin, Composition, German, Geography, Zoology, Phonography, Phy-

siology, Philosophy, Algebra, Geometry, Chemistry, Book-keeping, Elocution, Penmanship, Object Lessons, etc., amounting in all to 45 sets of 10 questions each, averaging from six to seven sets per student.

Carefully prepared diagrams of 13 of the above sets of studies covering the course for the last term or two; sets of outline maps drawn from memory, and suggestive charts for the purpose of illustrating the historical thread of the Book of Mormon were all before the public, the examination papers extending from the chart class through all the grades to the higher scientific studies. Object teaching, early grammar lessons and penmanship were prominently shown by the amount and execution of the work on exhibition, even in the lower classes.

The falling from 232 to 165 was accounted for by the principal by the opening spring work, requiring a great many, in consequence, to return to their homes to assist in farming pursuits.

The Academy then adjourned till Monday morning 9 a. m., April 15th.

Singing, "Disturb not my Dream ing."

Benediction by President A. O. Smoot.

MISS CADDIE DANIELS,
Secretary.

SHORT AND SHARP.

There are lots of curious folks in this world. They encourage a young lady to devote three or four years to music "because she may have to teach it some day," but neglect to encourage her to learn anything of housework, never dreaming that she may be a wife some day.

"What do you know about the prisoner?" asked the judge. "I don't know nothin' 'bout him, jedge, only he's bigoted." "Bigoted," said his honor. "Yes, sah." "What do you mean by bigoted?" "Well, jedge," explained the witness, "he knows too much for one nigger, and not nuff for two."

A pious resident on Maple street, who has been much interested in the cremation system, yesterday said to his wife: "My dear, I wish you to remember that when the Lord calls me to my reward, I desire to be cremated, if a suitable furnace is accessible." "Yes, love," replied his spouse, "but when the Lord calls you, I think He will provide the burning."

A good story is told of a Washington belle who is noted for her wit. She is the daughter of a distinguished judge, and at a recent dinner party was seated next to a gentleman who had recently lost a case before her father, and who took occasion to refer to him in terms anything but complimentary. An awful pause in the conversation indicated that something was wrong, when he turned to the lady at his side and expressed a hope that the judge was no relation of hers. To the great amusement of those present she replied: "Oh, no; only a connection of my mother's by marriage." A laugh could not be prevented, and the gentleman came slowly to the conclusion that the judge's family was too much for him.

A FACT WORTH KNOWING.—Set a pitcher of ice water in a room inhabited, and in a few hours it will have absorbed nearly all the perspiration gases of the room, the air of which will have become purer, but the water utterly filthy. This depends upon the fact that the water has the faculty of condensing and thereby absorbing nearly all the gases. At ordinary temperature, a pint of water will contain a pint of carbonic acid gas and several pints of ammonia. This capacity is nearly doubled by reducing the temperature to that of ice. Hence water kept in a room awhile is always unfit for use, and should be often removed, whether it has become warm or not. And for the same reason the water in a pump should be pumped out in the morning before any is used. That which has stood in a pitcher over night is not fit for coffee water in the morning. Impure water is as injurious to health as impure air, and every person should provide the means of obtaining fresh, pure water for domestic uses.