

stake convened in the Assembly hall Sunday at 10:30 a. m., Elders Richard W. Young and counselors presiding, There was a good representation of members and the stake Priesthood in attendance. Prest. John R. Winder of the First Presidency, and Elder George Albert Smith of the Apostles quorum were also present.

The choir and congregation, under the direction of Prof. Charles J. Thomas, sang the hymn beginning, "O say what is truth," and the opening prayer was offered by Elder Samuel G. Spen-"Earth with her ten thousand cer. flowers," was sung by the choir.

brief opening address, presenting statistics and reports of the various quorums and auxiliary organizations of the stake, showing the same to be in a thriving condition and fullly organized. April 1, marks the anniversary of the organization of the stake, and up to the present the High Council had had no occasion to sit as a Church court, The council is divided into committees, each assigned to special work among the quorums and auxillary organizationg

President Young reported that considerable advance had been made in the organization and efficiency of the various quorums of Priesthood. He referred to some changes during the year. Nelson A. Empey, deceased, had been succeeded by Franklin D. Platt as Bishop of the Thitteenth ward; and after a long service as Bishop of the Twelfth ward, Hiram B. Clawson, had been released and Thomas D. Williams ien to succeed him.

Elder John M. Knight of the Stake presidency, presented the general and stake authorities of the Church, all being unanimously sustained.

Elder Thos. A. Clawson, president of the Religion class work, reported that association now fully organized in all the wards of the stake, and in a flour-isling condition, with energetic work-ers engaged in the good cause. The speaker gave a brief outline of the work in this organization, namely the training of young Latter-day Saints in the practical duties of Church members, Elder Young briefly illustrated the need of more religious instruction, and

quirement now made of the -wo in the Sunday school and one each in the Primary and Religion class-was none too much considering class-wag none too much considering its importance. Bishop M. S. Woolley gave a very comprehensive report of conditions in the Twenty-first ward, which is now made up of 239 families, with a total of \$91 souls, only 5 of whom are without recommends. The Priesthood organiza-tions are complete and in good working order. The auxiliary organizations are also in a thriving condition, and the ptople generally increasing in good works, with a spirit of harmony and works, with a spirit of harmony and food feeling prevailing. Elder Matthonihah Thomas briefly reported the condition of the Young Men's Mutual Improvement associations of the stake. There are 7 organizations, with 50 officers, and 11 members on the Seneral board. The average attend-able for the season has been 55 per cent of the enrolment. Improvement char-acterizes all the organizations.

times past." The speaker paid high tribute to President Brigham Young, the leader of the Pioneers. That he was a great man, there could be no doubt. He it was who directed the efforts of his peo-ple. He it was who overcame great ob-stacles, who founded a great empire under the most adverse circumstances. And in wresting sterility from the soll, that his people might obtain a livell-hood, he manifested a wisdom little less than divine and greater, perhaps, than that exercised by men who professed that exercised by men who professed more. The speaker defined "Mormonism" as being a high form of altruism, the Gos-pel of love and peace to all men. It was not a temporal religion in the sense that it sought to establish a monarchy of its own, but it had for its object the uplifting of fallen humanity and the unifying of religious thought. It was not seeking conquests in the commer-cial or political world, but rather way its mit the conquest of truth, and the salvation of the children of men. Elder King pleaded for greater toi-erance within and without the Church. This would tend to bring about the unity desired, and to eliminate the harshness and discord now altogether to prevalent in our midst. "Mormons" and Gentiles alike were proud of this state and its splendid resources. They were proud of the men and women who need to the solar the solar the solar there be a more blessed people than the people upon earth, nor should people of this church. Those who knew them knew differently and therefore would not be influenced by such charges, The bitternesse of the past should be buried forever, said the packer. Then peace, contentment and happiness would be ushered in and that take her place among the fore-mast of the commonwealths of this and the place among the fore-many of the commonwealths of this and the take her place among the fore-mast of the commonwealths of this and. that exercised by men who professed more

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ELDER GEORGE A. SMITH.

Elder George Albert Smith expressed his pleasure in listening to the reports given, and spoke briefly of the need among the people of appreciation of the faithful labors of the Church work-ers. The reports given by those officers who have reported imply a great amount of arduous labor, which is not apparent on the surface, and this work about be acknowledged and encreat uld be acknowledged and appreci-d by the people. Referring to some atad by social affairs of the people, the r deprecated the growing tend-o give extravagantly elaborate Speaker. weddings, which often impoverish the families who indulge in them. The same strictures were applied to expen-sive funerals, when loved ones are laid to rest. to rest

PRESIDENT JOHN R. WINDER.

President John R. Winder briefly commended the reports given, as show-ing a statifying condition of affairs ex-ising in the Ensign stake. He par-ticularly felt to bless and encourage the sisters of the Relief societies for their faither interactions among the faithful ministrations among the

"Hark! ye mortals, hist, be still," was the concluding hymn. Benediction was pronounced by Bishop Maxwell, and the conference adjourned till 2

AFTERNOON SESSION.

he afternoon session was held in Tabernacle, with a large attendance Elder William H. King as the

The choir sang the hymn: Prayer is the soul's sincere desire, Uttered or unexpressed.

Prayer was offered by Elder Joseph

choir sang the anthem:

Lift up the Voice in Singing.

Elder William H. King was the speaker. He began by expressing the spirit of weakness he felt at being called upon to speak on this occasion. This factors because more than a be This feeling became more keen as he considered the cosmopolitan nature of the congregation before him. "Mor-monism," said he, was a religion that for years had excited the attention of the civilized world. Some had been wont to look upon it as a delusion and a snare, while others could not but feel that there was something more a snare, while others could not but feel that there was something more behind it than at first appeared. Its adherents claimed it to be of divine origin, and called attention to the fact that its principles were the same as those taught anciently by Jesus Christ. Philosophers admitted that no religi-ous organization could stand unless it were founded upon some principle of truth. Taking this, then, as a basis. "Mormonism" justly claimed the at-tention of the world, for it had stood for years the most vigorous test ever applied to any religious organisation upon earth.

Elder King referred to the early his-tory of the Church and the restoration

nation The choir sang the anthem: "Rouse O ye Mortals," and the benediction was pronounced by Elder Joseph S. Wells.

HEREDITY

The influence of heredity cannot, of The influence of heredity cannot, of course, be successfully disputed, but it can be minimized or entirely overcome in some cases by correct food and drink. A Connecticut lady says: "For years while I was a coffee drink-er I suffered from billous attacks of great severity, from which I used to emerge as white as a ghost and very weak Our family physician gave me vard

weak. Our family physician gave me various prescriptions for improving the digestion and stimulating the liver, which I tried faithfully but without perceptible result. He was acquainted with my family history for several gen-varions back and once when I telefad erations back, and once when I visited him he said: 'If you have inherited one of those torpid livers you may always suffer more or less from its inaction. We can't dodge our inheritance you

know.

know.' "I was not so strong a believer in heredity as he was, however, and, ba-ginning to think for myself. I concluded to stop drinking coffee, and see what effect that would have. I feared it would be a severe trial to give it up, but when I took Postum and had it well made, it completely filled my nead for a hot heverage and I gray very for a hot beverage and I grew very fond of it.

"I have used the Postum Coffee for three years, using no medicine, and the change has completely cured me During all that time I have had abso During all that time I have had abso-lutely none of the billous attacks that I used to suffer from, and I have been entirely free from the pain and debili-tating effects that used to result from them. The change is surely very great, and I am compelled to give Postum coffee the exclusive credit for it." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. There's a reason. Look for the little book. "The Road to Wellville," in each pkg.

any mineral taken out and sold. The Florence Mining company is em-powered by the same bill to select one square mile of mineral land, 640 acres, within 60 days, and to pursue the same course as that prescribed for the Raven Mining company. The Flor-ence Mining company. The Flor-ence Mining company obtained a pros-pecting license early in 1902, good for 10 years, with the privilege of lo-cating one square mile of land. This area has never been increased. The royalities to be paid the Uintah Indians, through the secretary of the interior, on all minerals taken under the leases of the Florence and Raven Mining companies range from 8 per cent on ores netting \$30 a ton or less to 15 per cent on ores netting over \$125 a ton.

The Best Cough Syrup.

S. L. Apple, ex-Probate Judge, Ottawa Co., Kansas, writes: "This is to say that I have used Ballard's Horehound Syrup for years, and that I do not hesitate to recommend it as the best cough syrup I have ever used." 25c, 50c, \$1.00. Sold by Z. C. M. I. Drug Dept. B

CONFERENCE TONIGHT.

Lesser Priesthood of Salt Lake Stake In Sixteenth Ward.

The Lessey Priesthood of the Salt Lake stake will hold a conference in the Sixteenth ward meetinghouse tonight, at which the following program of addresses will be carried out:

1. Maintaining Order in Places of Worship-Carl Burton or Joseph H. Taylor or Quince Nichols, Jr., Four-teenth ward.

dom-Benjamin F. Howells, Fifteenth ward Duties of Priests-Clarence R. Op-

Can Be Overcome in Cases.

Duties of Priests—Clarence R. Op-enshaw, Sixteenth ward.
4. Duties of Teachers—Dale D. Pitt or Nathan L. Smith, Seventeenth ward.
5. Assisting in the Administration of the Sacrament—Spencer P. Felt or An-drew Palmer or Franklin R. Smith, Sev-enteenth ward.
6. How to Help the Bishopric in Ward Affairs, Collection of Fast Offerings, etc.—Nephi Cummings, Nineteenth ward.

7. Importance of Attending Stake Priesthood Meetings and Stake Confer-ences-Nelson Bleak, Twenty-second ward Duties of Deacons-Albert Harter,

Duttes of Deacons-Albert Harter, Twenty-third ward.
Language and Deportment-Eph-raim E. Jeffs, Twenty-eighth ward,
Give a Description of Your Usual Quorum Meeting-Franklin L. McKean, Twenty-ninth ward.
Musical Exercises in Quroums-Thomas Reese, Center ward.

SALT LAKE CHAPLAIN.

Rev. Mr. Axton Writes Home From His New Post at Ft. Leavenworth.

Chaplain John T. Axton of the Eigheenth infantry writes a friend in this city an interesting letter from Fort Leavenworth. He says "It is the largest post in the army and in equipment for a chaplain's work it is one of the best. My chapel has every an of the best. My chapel has every ap-pointment that could be desired in a house of worship senting only three hundred people. It is of cut stone, has beautiful windows, cushioned pews, fine beautiful windows, cushioned pews, fine pipe organ, rich carpeting, a score of memorial tablets on the walls, etc., etc., and what is best, we are filling it for nearly all of the services. The Sun-day night service attracts many officers and ladies and some men, the Thurs-day night meeting gets the soldiers, the filustrated lectures get them all. My Sunday school is crowding along to-

there's a cure. Doan's Ointment never fails.

CHIN WINS FIGHT.

Salt Lake's Chinese "Mayor" Has a Right to Remain in United States.

The case of the United States against Chin Quon Chan, for many years mayor of Salt Lake's Chinatown, was concluded Saturday evening earlier than had been anticipated, and the decision of Referee Baldwin was announced in Chin's favor. Chin then returned with his wife and children to Plum alley. where he was supreme in authority for over twenty years preceding 1903, and where he has been trying to establish his right to return for a year and a

his right to return for a year and a half. The ruling of Referee Baldwin was that the certificate upon which Chin was admitted to the United States at Port Sumas, Washington, last Decem-ber was regular and binding, as it had been accepted by the U. S. officers at the port. The fact that Chin had previously been refused admission upon his return from China in June. 1903, was not a point against him, as he had not been ordered deported at that time, and had a right to go to Canada and establish his status as a merchant, which he did. Col. T. M. Fisher of Port Townsend, narrated the experience of the United States in its first attempt to keep Chin out of his Salt Lake haunts. half.

TEA

There's a time to remember, a time to forget : it is tea time; remember your joys and forget your sorrows.

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C. Schramm Has Simple Remedy That is Guaranteed to Cure the Trouble.

No one word better expresses the condition of the sufferer from weak stomach or indigestion that "misery." The stomach is weak and cannot digest the food, so that there is no appetite, there are pains and griping in the stomach and boweis, the head and back achas and the misery wees to appear ache, and the misery goes to every organ.

Strengthen the stomach and the distrengthen the stomach and the di-gestive system by the use of Mi-o-na. This is the only stomach remedy known that gives relief by strengthen-ing the stomach and digestive organs. It is this principle that makes it a certain cure for indigestion. Other medicines may give temporary relief by helping digest the food, but they do not strengthen the stomach, and that organ gets weaker and weaker all

the time, F. C. Schramm the reliable retail druggist has so much confidence in this remarkable remedy, that he guarantees a cure, or the money will be refunded. Mi-o-na costs but 50 cents a box. Ask to see the strong guarantee given with every box. MI-o-na is in tablet form and should

be taken before each meal. Other re-medies for stomach troubles and indigestion are taken after the meal, and decompose the good food you eat, but Mi-o-na used before eating strengthens Mi-o-na used before cating strengthenes the stomach, soothes and heals all irri-tation and inflammation, enriches the blood, and puts the stomach in such a healthy condition that it will take care of the food itself and there will be no pain and suffering.

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