

EDUCATIONAL

UNIVERSITY OF UTAH.

After 25 years of faithful service, Prof. Joseph B. Toronto has resigned his position as professor of mathematics in the university. While a student of the old University of Deseret his work was so efficient that he was made an instructor in 1879. For a great many years he has been a member of the faculty. Prof. J. B. Toronto was the principal teacher in the university. Except for a few years spent at West Point and other schools in the east, Prof. Toronto has been a teacher in the university since that time. He has taught nearly all the branches of the curriculum and there are few men in the state who are his equal in history, languages and mathematics. During the later years of his work he has occupied the chair of mathematics. Prof. Toronto has been a business and mining man and will now devote his time to these. He will be succeeded in the university by Prof. James Lambert Gibson.

Many expressions of astonishment at the fine equipment at the university for college work have lately been heard from the many visitors who have been shown about the institution. This is particularly true with respect to the equipment for engineering work. It is recognized that by all those who have seen this equipment that there is absolutely no need for a Utah student to leave the state in order to obtain a first-class engineering or college education. The people of this state have just cause for being proud of the facilities and condition of their university.

The engineering faculty will be strengthened next year by the return of Prof. Lyman from Cornell university and the appointment of Gustave A. Overstrom to the new professorship in mine plant and mill design. Prof. Lyman has made a fine record at Cornell, during the past two years, where he has been specializing in civil engineering. Mr. Overstrom is a recognized authority in ore dressing and mill design and comes here after 15 years of very successful practice in the engineering profession. He was graduated in 1887 with the degree of M. E. from Cornell Institute of Technology, since which time he has been a draughtsman, designing steam and mining machinery and the design and construction of ore dressing, metallurgical and mine plants in Colorado, Arizona, Montana, Michigan, Canada, etc. He has been employed as a designing engineer by the Sullivan Machinery Co., Morgan, Gardner Electric Co., Fraser & Chalmers, Gibbs Iron Works Co., Parrot Silver & Copper Co., Amalgamated Copper Co., Allis-Chalmers, etc. Last fall he was offered the position of chief engineer of the Allis-Chalmers Co., at a salary of \$6,000. He comes here because of the opportunity he will have to carry on investigations in the metallurgical and ore-dressing mill at the university. He is also a well known inventor of mining machinery.

This afternoon the track team of the Colorado college and the 'Varsity state champions are contending on Cummings field, U. of U. campus. The visitors arrived yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

This evening the track team will elect officers for next year.

Yesterday the branch normal track team came up from Cedar and held a meet with the 'Varsity prep, on Cummings field.

The students held an enthusiastic athletic meeting on Monday at 1:30. Speeches were made by President Kingsbury, Professor Cummings, and each member of the track team. As each fellow's name was called he was carried to the rostrum on the shoulders of the boys. After each speech the students filled the air with yells, shouts and the beating of drums. John C. Brown introduced the following as a new yell: "We 'Wade' in, we 'Russell' new yell: 'We 'Rideout' and 'Hunt' Moore."

To the great regret of many of his students, Mr. Frank R. Arnold has severed his connection with the university. He has been appointed assistant professor of modern languages in the Agricultural college at Logan.

The graduates of the Salt Lake High school visited the University on Thursday.

Next Wednesday Professor Holmes leaves for Madison, Wis., where he will teach in the Wisconsin State university during the summer. Next fall he will take up his work at the University of Southern California at Los Angeles.

Dr. H. H. Bradford has been appointed director of the Utah mining exhibit at the world's fair and will leave in a few days.

few days for St. Louis. His course in surveying offered in the summer school will be withdrawn. The summer school will offer a course in manual training for boys of the A-1 and 8th grades. The fee for this course is \$5.

Next Wednesday the preliminary to the national oratorical contest will take place in the Theater. Those who will enter are O. W. Carlson, T. M. Reese, Karl Hopkins, Dan Alexander, Don Beaumgard and John Jensen.

Next week will be devoted to the regular commencement week exercises of the University. The Baccalaureate address will be delivered tomorrow evening in the Assembly hall. Temple block, by Elder Nephi L. Morris. On Monday afternoon the faculty will entertain the graduates from 2:30 to 5:00 p. m. Normal building. Tuesday is normal class day. The Alumni banquet

the last nine months special features have been judiciously added to the courses and under the able supervision of Supt. Christensen, assisted by an able corps of principals, supervisors and teachers, the educational status of the local schools has been raised. The host of graduates to whom the portals of the public schools have swung outward have received thorough training in the elementary branches, and are now contemplating further research in institutions of secondary education. The High school, which has attained such prominence in local circles and recognition among the colleges of the Union, has this year done itself proud. It will be remembered that 60 per cent of its last year's graduates matriculated in colleges and universities, but even a higher percentage is hoped for from the class of '04, whose membership numbers about 60. The exercises of Thursday and Friday evenings at



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will be held in the evening in the Museum building. The thirty-fifth annual commencement will take place in the Theater Wednesday evening, June 1, Thursday, June 2, is field day at Salt Lake.

On Thursday evening the kindergarten graduates held their exercises in Unity hall under the direction of Miss Mary C. May. The graduates are: Emma Cohn, Edith Carlson, Elizabeth Craig, Lulu R. Keyting, Louisa Lamson, Celia Levy, Amelia Porter, Annie Taylor, Clara Williams, Lela G. Winglow. This is the largest class of kindergarten normals ever graduated from the state normal school.

Last night the senior hop took place in the assembly hall of the Museum building.

On Wednesday the prep student body elected the following officers for next year: Dee Harris, president; J. C. Wood, vice president; J. E. Madison, secretary and treasurer, and J. H. Platt, member of executive committee.

The graduates of the Salt Lake county schools were shown through the University on Monday.

Principal A. B. Anderson of the Beaver branch, B. Y. A., was a visitor on Monday.

Lester Stovenson, normal '01, visited the University on Tuesday.

SALT LAKE CITY SCHOOLS.

As is natural at the culmination of any project, the city schools are now forced to take a retrospective view of the year's work; to note, with pride, the successes which have attended their united efforts to excel. During

the theater demonstrated the native ability among the youth of this city, and something of a high order may justly be anticipated from the graduating class of the High school, which holds the boards tonight.

Regular examinations will be held on the 29th and 31st inst., and June 1 at the Fremont for teachers.

Next Tuesday will witness a general hygiene on the part of the teachers from the city. The fair is proving to be their center of attraction.

F. J. T. Harwood, who has been studying for the past two years in Paris, was shaking hands with his fellow teachers at the High school, where he will assume charge of the art department next year.

G. A. R. men visited the different buildings this morning to receive floral year. Dee Harris, president; J. C. Wood, vice president; J. E. Madison, secretary and treasurer, and J. H. Platt, member of executive committee.

The entire lot of eighth grade graduates besieged the High school last Tuesday. Conducted by their principals and teachers, they surveyed the whole school, and spent a pleasant day visiting the different classes. The many pleasing remarks heard along the corridors predict a heavy influx into the High school next September.

A dainty luncheon was served to the graduating class and teachers of the Fremont by the seventh grade of that school. The pleasant event took place Friday afternoon.

The Misses Davis, Crowley, Ferron, Lowrey, Driscoll and Hunter of the Fremont were guests of Mrs. Burton at a tea last Monday.

A high school alumni banquet and dancing party will be given at the High school next Tuesday evening. Neat invitations are issued and the preparations promise a very elaborate affair.

Lincoln teachers are 'at home' next Monday to the superintendent and supervisors. The man hall will be decorated with carnations and smilax, while tables, forming a triangle, will fill the center of the hall. One neat feature will be the place-cards, designed by Miss Cohn, of that school. The luncheon will consume one hour, from 12 to 1.

Toasts and ice-cream were indulged in at the Lowell last Friday afternoon. The eighth graders were the guests of the class, who will assume the dignity of graduates next year.

BRIGHAM YOUNG COLLEGE.

Logan, May 27.—President Linford returned home Tuesday night from the east, after an absence of about three weeks. He is looking and feeling fine and reports having had a very excellent time. President Linford went from here direct to Chicago, where he stopped a short time and visited the mission headquarters. He spent several former students of the college who were very successfully laboring in that part. He also visited the University of Chicago. From here he went to Cleveland, and there attended several important meetings at the inauguration of Charles Howe as president of the Case School of Applied Science. The Case school is a technical school of high standing. In Cleveland President Linford met many of the leading educators of the United States. He and Professor Eccle from the University of California were, however, the only men west of the Rockies who were present at the meetings. While at Cleveland President Linford went out to Kirtland and visited the old temple, going through it from cellar to belfry. He was very courteously received by Mr. Devore, who was in charge of the place. He also visited the old homesteads of the Prophets Joseph and Hyrum, of Brigham Young and Sidney Rigdon. He then went to New York, spent a short time there, and returned to St. Louis, where he spent five days visiting his family. With things are not nearly completed at the great



LATTER-DAY SAINTS' UNIVERSITY GRADUATING CLASS.

Top row: Elmo Roggles, John Sharp, Pearl Mitchell, Thomas Brighton, Martha Wilkinson, Archer Willey; middle row: Heene Pratt, Flora Johnson, Lizzie Emery, Maude Baxter, Effie Clayton, Laura Peters; lower row: Addie Cannon, John A. Butterworth, Laura Divett, Roy Porter, Lizzie Cannon.

fair, yet it is a magnificent monument to the magnitude of the world. From St. Louis President Linford went to Kansas city and Independence. He visited the Sunday schools in these places and says the Saints and Elders there are feeling much encouraged in their labors. Everywhere he was received with courtesy and made many friends. He answered many questions regarding "Mormonism" and conditions of affairs in Utah. He says that the educated men are very liberal in their views toward the "Mormon" people, and they are especially interested in our educational efforts. The Smoot case has caused many to investigate us, and one

evening and decided to give an informal reception to the faculty and graduates of this year in the academy building Tuesday evening May 31. All regular graduates of the academy, holding diplomas are invited to this reception. The committee on decoration will make arrangements for the occasion on Memorial day.

The program for commencement week appears in the Ogden column of this issue. It is partially settled that field day will be held at Lagoon this year.

Prof. Lind expects to go to the university of Chicago for a summer course. He will pursue a post graduate

considering manual training and domestic arts for some time, and they desired to see the application of the theories that are becoming so popular. The second, third and sixth grades were visited, where most interesting work was being done. Activity seems to be the watchword. In one grade the teacher stated that his pupils had not made one thing during the year that was not put to actual use. It was an inspiration to see what willing workers children are when they are given work that is pleasing and profitable.

AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE.

Logan.—Pres. Kerr delivered an address at the Ogden high school last Wednesday, and on Thursday addressed the graduates of the Summit county schools at Park City.

Prof. Upham delivered the address at the graduation exercises of the Southfield schools, last Thursday evening.

Mr. McLaughlin, the irrigation expert goes to the Bear River valley next week to put in operation a system for study and measurement of the rise of ground water as affected by irrigation. He was at Benson last Tuesday installing some dividing devices.

The college orchards are being sprayed under the direction of Prof. Hall.

Misses Grace Fleher and Laura Nebeker gave a high tea to six of their friends at the college dining rooms last Thursday. The color scheme was purple with pansy decorations.

The practice classes in cooking closed their work today.

Next week will be devoted to examinations, the regular recitations for the year having closed today.

Director Whitson was in Salt Lake last Tuesday.

Arrangements are practically completed for the exercises of commencement week. The various classes are also making arrangements for various athletic events and the class luncheons.

The special photo exhibit for the Utah Educational display is being pushed to completion so as to be expressed to St. Louis in a day or two.

The program committee of the A. C. Woman's club is at work on the program for next year; it has selected Sturgis "How to Study Architecture" as a text and a number of other works will be purchased by the club as books of reference.

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FREDERICK DANIEL WORLTON,
Valedictorian of the Fourth Year Normal Class of the University of Utah.

man in Kansas City told President Linford that it was the Smoot case which caused him to investigate "Mormonism" and find out the truth and become converted to the Gospel and join the Church. In all, President Linford's trip was an extremely pleasant and profitable affair.

We have had some very high grade singing in chapel this week. Melvin Ballard sang on Tuesday and A. S. Farrell on Wednesday. Both were very highly applauded and both responded to encores.

The training school held its closing exercises in the chapel hall Thursday evening.

The class in public speaking gave an exercise Friday night. Each member of the class took part, and the affair was a great credit to the class as well as to Professor Hall, the instructor.

WEBER STAKE ACADEMY.

Ogden.—Prof. Thos. E. McKay, who had charge of the Maud Adams' excursion Wednesday, reports that the contract from this end was more than fulfilled.

Quite a number of students and members of the faculty ran down to Salt Lake Wednesday to see the "Little Minister."

Robert Skelton of the Skelton Publishing House, Des Moines, Iowa, addressed the students at devotional on the necessity of laying a solid foundation for the future.

Elder Samuel Whitaker, a student of last year, who has been doing mission work for the past 11 months spoke at devotional Thursday. Elder Whitaker is enjoying a three months' furlough, occasioned by ill health.

Michael Bens, one of the missionary students of this year, spoke his farewell to the students Monday, and left for his mission to Switzerland the following morning.

The academy tendered Prof. Nelson a farewell benefit at Lester Park pavilion last night. The students who were responsible for its success are to be congratulated for the very commendable way in which everything passed off. The memory of the happy event will remain green in the life of Brother Nelson.

Last Sunday, Huntsville was in the hands of the Sunday school stake board, upon which are six members of our faculty. They report having had a good time, and believe they did some little good for the Sunday schools of Weber stake.

The officers of the alumni association held a meeting at the academy Tuesday

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