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ANNIVERSARY NUMBER.

The opening day of Conference April 6, 1899, being the 69th anniversary of the organization of the Church, this "News" will issue a special edition on that day with a handsome cover illustrated with pictures of the six Temples erected by the Church.

TODAY'S WEATHER REPORT.

Weather report showing observations at 8 a. m. today:

Salt Lake—Barometer, 29.80; temperature, 42; minimum, 41; wind, calm; rain, 1.12 inches; cloudy.

Forecast for Utah made at San Francisco for 36 hours ending 8 p. m. tomorrow:

Fair tonight and Sunday; colder.

Local forecast for Salt Lake City and vicinity, for 36 hours ending 8 p. m. tomorrow:

Rain and cooler tonight; Sunday fair and cooler.

L. H. MURDOCH,
Section Director, Weather Bureau.

To-day's Metals.

SILVER, Bar, 59¾c
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LOCAL BRIEFS.

Messrs. McCune and Chambers have returned from their Montana trip.

The police propose to make it hot for those unfortunate who persist in driving over the crossings at a fast trot.

The fifty-first anniversary of modern spiritualism will be celebrated at the A. O. U. W. hall on March 31st.

State Senator Hattie Hughes Cannon, accompanied by her children, left today for a trip to California. They will be absent for several weeks.

The funeral of the infant son of Charles and Mrs. Ella Moore Harding was held this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence, 314 south Second East street.

A character ball was successfully given in the Second ward last evening. The affair was largely attended. Four prizes were given. Those who won were Mrs. E. L. Rowe, Mrs. Ella Smith Mackay, Robert Siddoway and Manassch Smith.

The Jackson school will give a musical program and festival at the school building Friday evening and Saturday afternoon and evening of next week. A small admission fee will be charged which will be used for the piano fund of the school.

The funeral services over the remains of Rev. G. M. Hardy, late of St. George, were held in the First Presbyterian church this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Mr. Hardy met with a sudden death last Tuesday from rheumatism of the heart.

Preparations are in progress for a musical and dramatical entertainment to be given in the Second south ward meeting house on Wednesday evening next. An interesting program will be presented, and the proceeds will go to the meeting house fund.

Twelve trains and a force of men were put to work this morning by City Watermaster Sudden clearing out the Salt Lake and Jordan canal, which has filled up considerably during the past year. Work will be begun at the point of the obstruction.

A pleasant event occurred on Wednesday evening in the wedding of Miss Jean Bowman and Mr. Jesse Stone, which took place at the bride's home on First South street. The ceremony was performed by Bishop Morris, and a reception followed, participated in by a host of friends of the newly married couple. The house was prettily adorned with flowers for the occasion, the decorations being carnations, smilax and ferns.

Officer Randolph was summoned to the Second ward meeting house last evening to put a stop to a disturbance that was created during an entertainment by a crowd of loafers who sought to have a lively time. At the sight of the time coat the burr fled with more haste than dignity. A similar disturbance was reported as the Ninth ward meeting house, where a fair given by the Y. L. M. I. A. is being held.

The last lecture in the current course of popular lectures under University auspices will be delivered on Monday evening next, March 27, in the Library building, 155 West First South. The lecturer for the occasion is Dr. J. E. Talmage, and the subject—"The Everlasting Hills." The lecture will be a study of mountain architecture and sculpture. The lecture will be illustrated with a number of excellent stereopticon views, models, experimental demonstrations, etc. A general invitation is extended to the public. The lecture will begin at 8 p. m.

On Thursday and Friday evenings the Ninth ward hall was the scene of a well presented dramatic and musical entertainment in which a large number took part, and also those who saw the musical part of the program, consisting of numbers by a local orchestra, were amply repaid. The proceeds of the entertainments, which were given for the purpose of improving the hall that will now be comfortable for those who attended various college balls.

The Y. L. M. I. A. of the Eleventh ward propose to give the following program in the ward meeting hall on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evenings next consisting of an operetta, the tableau, "The Meeting of all Saints," by 40 children in costume, a grand Japanese drill by 12 young ladies, to be followed by living statuary, depicting the following tableaux: Mirror Dance, Song of Triumph, Reaping, Dream of Jephthah's Daughter, Pharaoh's Daughter, Bath Gleaning, Boys and Dynamite Accomplished, The Sculptor Easter Lilies, to conclude with Lucke's Macbeth Chorus with 20 voices, costumes and scenery.

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STILL SEEKING A SUPERINTENDENT

Sifting of Over Eighty Applications by Sub-committee.

THE BOARD MEETS TODAY.

Superintendent of City Schools May be Chosen Within One Week.

A meeting of the Board of Education was called for this afternoon at 4 o'clock for the purpose of hearing the report of the sub-committee on teachers. This committee composed of Messrs. Henderson, Moyle, and Nelden, have made examination of the large list of applications and have selected from among those the names of a small number, perhaps twelve or fifteen, for further consideration. These names, comprising all the candidates who are regarded as especially qualified for the position of city superintendent of schools, were to be submitted to the Board in committee of the whole this afternoon, and a further sifting of names will take place today or in the near future. From among those who still remain one will finally be chosen, later on. Mr. Fitzhugh is in the minority of the board in favor of the appointment of a man who can reside in the Salt Lake, and who will be able to appear in person before the board for purposes of consultation.

The story in a morning paper to the effect that the sub-committee had practically decided upon five or six names, all of which happened to be persons outside of the State, the committee decree is altogether false. No such decision had been reached. The board proposes, the members say, to give fair consideration to every applicant regardless of the place who are resident of the State. The election of a superintendent will not occur today, but will, it is believed, not be much longer deferred. The number of applications for the position to call for approach one hundred. Fewer than half a dozen are from this State, the local list including only such as are well known as Prof. Paul and Hoyt, formerly of this city, Superintendent Allison of Ogden, the superintendent of schools of Park City, and Mr. Lipsy and Mr. Anderson of Ogden.

ADD ONE, MINUS ONE.

Still One Ahead—The Experience of Two City Detectives.

Tom Sing, an oriental laundryman whose washing plant is situated in a shack adjacent to the St. James hotel, missed some silk skirts a couple of days ago from his place of business, he informed the police of the occurrence and Detectives Shortis and Gillespie started out on a still hunt Sunday evening in the article pertaining evening in a room at 40 Second South, occupied by Holden O'Connor, in the same room with whom a woman had lived for about two weeks. The officers told the men to consider themselves under arrest, and then proceeded to search the room. While the officers were doing so the men succeeded the detectives became so interested in the assortment of rare articles displayed to view that they forgot to lock the door. O'Connor grasping the situation and the door lock at the same time, cleared the stairs in three jumps and vanished into the nearby night. Then Gillespie made a few remarks not necessary for publication and realizing that one Ada Hemsley in hand was worth a baker's dozen of O'Connors at large, proceeded to take the train transfer to headquarters. He is quite the lady collared and Sunday evening a period containing some fifteen rolling pins and a bear hatch from under her cape looked it in Hewett's head. Without the, she at first thought, was the Ada Hemsley of the nearby Sunshine, who was so from the south taking in the sights. The package found from the Amazon's hand like a skyrocket, shooting on the bed of the man from Sing, standing up in such a fashion as to apply rail, the rest of the way to the city jail the woman walked backwards, alternately profusely apologizing for her bad aim and telling the detectives that if they would only wait for one of a time, she would do up the entire police force.

A DRUNKEN MAN'S RIDE.

His Faithful Horse Would Not Let Him Fall Off.

Some people are born lucky, an individual did in a suit of black more clothes and a derby hat, name unknown, is one of them. He appeared on east First South street beside a big chestnut horse, at 9:30 this morning just as Sergeant James turned the other corner out of sight. The individual, apparently intoxicated, was in a row with his shadow down the sidewalk, much to the affliction of the sensitive nerves of the man who's lower half was in the direction of the shadow. Drunk, but apparently no horse, did, the man's nerves, the faithful horse would attempt to fall off and then bend over to his steed for a handful of many and one hour, the faithful horse would jump sideways and promptly turn him to the middle again. The performance was witnessed by a number of people who came near being taken into a case of rigor outside a grocery store, was compelled for fifty minutes to stand in the horse Rosby added off in the direction where the man's mouth jets, with a very sweet smile, and a bad.

IMPROVEMENTS AT EUREKA.

Oregon Short Line Will Increase Its Side-Trackage and Build a Spur.

The Oregon Short Line has determined on doing considerable work at Eureka, During the late years of Prosperity which is the name it was decided to increase the sidetrackage and to build a spur to connect with the mines. Work on the spur has been begun and the sidetracks will be completed by the end of the month. The spur will be 1,200 feet long and will connect with the Gemini, Bullion Beck and Champion, Eureka Hill, Tintic Standard, Colorado, Mammoth, Swansea, Centennial Eureka, Grand Prize, Dragon, Iron Blossom