

UNION MEETING.

Interesting Session of the Sunday School Union.

The regular meeting of the officers and teachers of the Sunday School of this Stake was held in the Social Hall Monday evening, May 7, 1888. Supt. John C. Cutler presiding. Nearly all the city schools and several in the country were represented.

The opening and closing singing exercises were rendered by the Twelfth Ward school choir, under the direction of Brother Geo. D. Pyper.

The opening prayer was offered by Supt. T. V. Williams, and after singing the minutes of the previous meeting were read.

Sister Louie Snelgrove of the Twelfth Ward school, conducted a class exercise, with several children from the Twelfth Ward primary class, consisting of a number of questions and answers on the life of the Savior, and a few songs. The whole exercise was very creditably performed, showing that the children had been well and faithfully trained by their teachers.

The congregation led by Brother Thomas McIntyre, sang, "The Lord's Prayer," from the Union Tune Book. It deserves special mention as being among the best of our home anthems.

Elder Chas. W. Hardy of the Twelfth Ward school conducted the part of an enquiring stranger in interviewing a number of his class upon the first principles of the Gospel. The "Interview" was a spirited one, and was ably carried on by the young men of the class, who evinced a thorough understanding of the principles considered. It was apparent from the readiness and intelligence with which the replies were given that a thorough and systematic method of teaching was in use by Brother Hardy, which could be adopted by all Sunday School teachers with good results.

The congregation sang the song, "Utah, the Queen of the West."

Assistant Superintendent R. S. Horne stated that he took great pleasure in visiting among the Sunday schools, and felt much concern as to the education and general welfare of the children of Zion. He felt impressed to urge the parents to a greater interest in their children's attendance at both day and Sunday schools. He drew the attention of the teachers to the need of a greater interest in their work, so that their class exercises will be so attractive as to draw into their class those who are naturally shy or indifferent. He suggested that if the superintendents made closer observations into the work of the teacher under their superintendence in this way by an apprehension of the causes of the success or the failures of teachers, they would themselves become better qualified for the accomplishment of the greatest possible amount of good in the Sabbath school.

Superintendent J. C. Cutler submitted the following names, who were unanimously sustained by the congregation as Sunday School missionaries of this Stake: Elders Wm. Bradford, of South Cottonwood; Alonzo Young, John Alford, D. W. James, Frank Y. Taylor and John D. H. McAllister, of Salt Lake City. All of these brethren, excepting one, were present, and each expressed a willingness conscientiously to do his utmost toward the accomplishment of the duties enjoined.

President Angus M. Cannon was present and expressed the pleasure he felt in noting the large attendance and the good feeling prevailing, and commended the willingness and integrity expressed by the young missionaries just called.

At the conclusion of his address, the Elders were set apart under the hands of President A. M. Cannon, Supt. John C. Cutler and Assistant General Superintendent Geo. Goddard.

The benediction was pronounced by Elder Chas. F. Wilcox, and the meeting adjourned to the first Monday in June.

The congregational pieces for June meeting are "Supplication" and "Sowing." The Thirteenth Ward school will furnish part of the exercises.

Jos. HYRUM PARRY,
Secretary.

An Ugly Wound.

Last Saturday afternoon Harvey Fisher a lad about fifteen years of age, and August Behle, son of Dr. Wm. H. Behle, were out hunting near the bridge across the Blackfoot river, when by some means the shot gun carried by young Behle was discharged, the load striking Fisher in the breast and inflicting a very severe but not fatal wound. As near as we can learn the two boys were walking side by side when Behle stumbled over a sagebrush and the gun was discharged. The charge struck Fisher on the right side of the breast and tore away his clothing and considerable flesh and making an ugly looking wound. None of the shot penetrated the chest, however, and the boy was able to walk back to town where his wounds were examined and dressed. He is now reported to be doing well and will doubtless be able to go gunning again in a few weeks.—Pocatello, Idaho Reporter.

WASHINGTON, May 10.—The House adopted the conference report on a joint resolution authorizing the President to arrange a conference for the purpose of promoting arbitration and encouraging reciprocal commercial relations between the United States and the republics of Mexico and South America and the empire of Brazil.

MAKING A FALSE CONFESSION.

DR. W. A. HAMMOND TALKS ABOUT THE SELF-ACCUSED CRIMINAL.

I proposed to show that no uncommon circumstance for persons to confess to having perpetrated crimes of which they were either certainly or probably innocent, and that there are forces in operation in the human mind which may prompt to the making of a false confession, even though by so doing life, liberty and property be put in danger. Thus there is a difficulty in the minds of some persons who exhibit no other evidence of mental aberration to discriminate between their thoughts or their dreams and absolute facts. They brood over some real or imaginary circumstance until they bring themselves to believe in its reality.

Such a person, for instance, reads in the daily press of some shocking murder that has been committed, the perpetrator of which has escaped unrecognized. He reads it in one newspaper, and in another and another, hears it talked up among his companions and begins by wondering whether or not the murderer will ever be discovered. He knows that murders have been committed by persons who at the time were in a state of somnambulism or who were suffering from an epileptic paroxysm. Perhaps he has himself in his youth walked in his sleep or has had a convulsion, as his mother has told him.

Suddenly the idea strikes him that he may be the guilty man. At first the notion is horrible to him, but its very horror renders it attractive. He goes to the Academy of Medicine and reads up on the subject of epilepsy. There is scarcely a disease, especially of the nervous system, of which any person at some time or other of his life has not had one or more symptoms. The quack medicine advertisers are fully aware of this fact and make full use of it to frighten the ignorant into the purchase of their trash. Our incipient self accuser has, therefore, no trouble in finding what he is looking after and he goes home fully convinced that he has had an epileptic paroxysm, during which he may have been a murderer. The transition from a possibility to a reality presents no difficulties to his mind, and he ends by fully believing himself to be the murderer for whom the police are seeking. He visits the place where the crime was committed, questions the residents of the neighborhood in regard to all the particulars, and even interrogates the police relative to their plans for securing the murderer and the secret evidence they have in their possession.

At last suspicion turns toward him and eventually he is arrested. The accounts that he has read in the newspaper and the gossip he has heard, that regardless of his original idea that he had perpetrated the crime during an epileptic fit, and therefore in a state of conscientiousness, that forces him to make atonement, he confesses that he perpetrated the murder and gives a full and circumstantial account of the crime. Inquiry soon, however, shows that he could not by any possibility have been the perpetrator, and he is, therefore, after a few days, during which the newspapers have given the most sensational account of his brutality and remorse, discharged from custody.

The case of Absalom Frieson, a white boy living in Clarendon County, South Carolina, is one of the most remarkable on record, and has completely puzzled the physicians. The boy was playing about a mill when he was caught by the gearing and pulled under a revolving wheel on which an iron bolt projected. Before the machinery could be stopped the wheel had revolved at least a hundred times, the bolt each time tearing through Absalom's head. When released, it was found that the bolt had torn a furrow from the top of the head to the middle of the nose, five inches long, and one inch deep. The brain was exposed for three inches, and particles were destroyed and the nasal bone was torn out. This was a week ago, and the boy declares he is not going to die. He has to be kept lying flat on his back. If turned face downward a slight jar would probably throw his brains out of place. A fit of vomiting would be fatal, as both membranes that cover the brains have been torn away. The wound appears to be healing. It is considered one of the most remarkable cases in the history of medical science.

The Boston Herald gets off this good thing: "In addressing a popular audience the talent of the able essayist are distinct endowments. An essayist may reason ever so ably, and unless he is able to put his points gently, in a certain familiar way, he is at a disadvantage as compared with a man who has this faculty. Compact logic is excellent for the reader, especially for the reader who does not need to be beguiled into following it; but something besides is necessary to catch the ear of an audience. This fact is illustrated in the pulpit constantly. Henry Ward Beecher was the most popular preacher that our country has yet produced. This because he really preached. He did not write an essay and read it. He talked to his people, studied their tastes, was able always to be sympathetic with them, and knew just how to move them by familiar illustrations or pertinent anecdotes."

Drowning.

On Tuesday morning, May 1st, Geo. B. Riches, son of Benjamin Riches, was drowned in Willow Creek, Blinnham County, Idaho. He and his brother William attempted to cross the creek in a wagon, believing the stream shallow enough to ford. When they reached the deep part, one of the horses balked, and the wagon began drifting down the stream. George told William to jump and swim ashore, which he did with considerable difficulty. George unhitched one of the horses and got on to it, but was washed into deep water. William saw his danger and sprang in to help him, but his strength failed him, and he barely got out with his life. George's wife was standing on the bank and witnessed the death struggle of her husband, but was unable to help him. When he realized that he could not get out, he called to her, "My God, Mary, I am drowning." He was then exhausted, and sank to rise no more. From 15 to 25 men subsequently joined in the search for the body, but up to the evening of May 4th it had not been found.

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In the Matter of the Estate of Thomas W. Stephenson, deceased.

Order to show cause why Order of Sale of Real Estate should not be made.

ALICE N. STEPHENSON, THE ADMINISTRATRIX of the Estate of Thomas W. Stephenson, deceased, having filed her petition herein, duly verified, praying for an order of sale of the real estate of said decedent, for the purposes therein set forth, it is therefore ordered by the Judge of said Court, that all persons interested in the estate of said deceased, appear before the said Probate Court, on Monday, the 28th day of May, 1888, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the Court Room of said Probate Court, at the County Court House, in the City and County of Salt Lake, Utah Territory, to show cause why an order should not be granted to the said administratrix, to sell so much of the real estate of the said deceased at private sale as shall be necessary, and that a copy of this order be published at least four successive weeks in the DESERET WEEKLY NEWS, a newspaper printed and published in said City and County.

Dated April 19th, 1888.
[SEAL] ELIAS A. SMITH,
Probate Judge.

TERRITORY OF UTAH,
COUNTY OF SALT LAKE, ss.

I, John C. Cutler, Clerk of the Probate Court in and for the County of Salt Lake, in the Territory of Utah, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of order appointing time and place to hear petition for order of sale of real estate in the matter of the estate of Thomas W. Stephenson, deceased, as appears of record in my office.

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