DESERET EVENING NEWS: SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 12, 1903.

citizens of Oakley will delight to honor He returned from the southern states on the 11th of September, and will pro-ceed home on Monday. Elder Wilson was set apart for the mission field Oct. 15, 1901, and was assigned to labor in the North Carolinas conference. He re-mained there until last May, when he was sent down to Florida to act as president of this conference, a position he held until his release. He enjoyed his labors, had excellent health and considers the work in a very encour-aging condition, especially in the Flor-tunity to know of the detalls of the mission conditions. nission conditions.

Elder Stephen I. Bunnell of Vineyard, Utah county, returned home on the 9th of September from a nearly two year's sojourn in California laboring as a missionary. He was first assigned to having the Sacramento conference, having been set apart on the 17th of December, 1901. He was later transferred to the 1901. He was later transferred to the Los Angeles conference where he re-mained about 10 months traveling in Los Angeles, Ransburg, San Diego and Santa Barbara. Last October he was again transferred to the San Francisco again transferred to the San Francisco conference and assigned to work at San Jose where he continued until March 4 when he was sent to Oakland to take charge of the branch until his release. Elder Bunnell reports the work as a whole in a very good condi-tion especially at Oakland where he says "we recently buptized seven con-verts and there are others in a very

says "we recently baptized seven con-verts and there are others in a very happy frame of mind and about ready for baptism. You know," says he, "the people of California are pleasure lov-ing rather than Gospel loving and while our Elders are treated courte-

On Sept. 3, 1903, Elder Benjamin F. Tanner of Ogden returned home from a mission to Germany where he has labored since the 24th of June, 1892, he returned somewhat earlier on account of poor heulth, the climate being such that it affected his lungs. He was as-signed to labor in the Berlin conference and remained in the city of Spandau tracting and in other ways spreading tracting and in other ways spreading the Gospel news. Elder Tanner was in Germany at the time of the trouble with the government when many of the Elders were banished from Prus-sia. He did not experience any harsh treatment, although the people were very cold and indifferent, unwilling to very cold and indifferent, downing to listen to the Elders or read the litera-ture given them. There is at Spandau a small branch of 22 members now under a local brother. It includes a Sunday school at which some outside of the Church attended regularly.

Elder Victor E. Johnson of Rich-mond. Utah. returned home on the 28th day of August from a mission to Scan-dinavia where he has labored since April 16, 1901. Elder Johnson enjoyed excellent health and reports his labors as being pleasant and the work in the Stockholm conference, where he was assigned, as being in a flourishing con-dition. dition.

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ty, just two days journey on foot from this place. Many people we see in this country who have heard of those missionaries of long ago, and how "Mormonism" grew at that time. El-der L. Crosby president of this con-ference, gave us a visit in July. We held a series of meetings with the Saints

Since we arrived in this county since we arrived in this count scarcely three months ago, we have visited 90 families, revisited 64, sold 24 books and otherwise distributed 27; we have had 270 Gospel conversations and hold 30 meetings held 30 meetings. The "News is now in a number of the Saints' homes, and is received gladly.

Is Pleased With Mormonism.

A friend of the "News," John F. Puros, writes from Fargie Hills, Ky., under date of Aug. 29, and says he is well pleased with the "Morman" doc-trine, as expounded by the Erders he has heard. He is a Catholic, but has in-vestigated many systems of religion. Elders Henry Peterson and Joseph H. Freeman, he says have been standing Freeman, he says, have been stopping at his home recently.

THE SAMOAN ISLANDS.

The Labors of the Elders Very Much Appreciated.

European Conference Held at A sister, Maria Mele Josephs, writing from Penina School, Mapusaga, Tutul-la, S. I., Aug. 21, says in part: Elder E. M. Blaylock sends this re-

Elder E. M. Blaylock sends this re-port from Palmerston, North New Zealand, Aug. 20: At our annual conference held last April, we decided to hold a European conference at Christchurch on the south island on a date to be fixed by the president of the mission within the next six months. Aug. 1 and 2 were the dates selected by him; accordingly the committee which had been appoint-cd to make arraigements for the con-ference, hired the Alexandra hall, one of the most popular and commodious in the city, and made all necessary pre-parations. A good portion of the city and suburbs-population 60,000-was eanvassed with hand bills, posters were al announcements were made at our street meetings; these with announce-ments in two leading newspapers gave the conference a pretty thorough ad-Nine Elders are laboring here and a number of native missionaries also. W number of native missionaries also. We are pleased with their work for they are kind and earnest and doing their duty. At the present time there is a scarcity of food here on these islands, and the Elders have to be patient in their labors, for they have not the be t of food to eat. But they are happy and working hard. "Misi Iakopo" Ricks to our president the is kind on our const and working hard. "Misi lakopo" Ricks is our president. He is kind and cares for us well. He is traveling most of the time from village to village. We like to have him visit us because he is so kind, and teaches us so many good things. There is much work the be-done here. The "tares and wheat" grow together. The Elders are busy searching the wheat from the tares. The work is growing slowly. The El-ders who can speak the language are preaching the Gospel, while the new missionaries are studying the language. Four or five baptisms have been made the conference a pretty thorough ad-vertisement. By Saturday morning, Aug. 1, all the Elders of the south island and several from the north island had arrived Fol-lowing are names of the 15 present: President C. B. Bartlett; A. S. Forrin, E. M. Blaylock, J. W. Silver, general traveling Elders; J. W. Linford, Heber Christensen, Heber Hendrickson, Can-terbury conference; D. D. Duncan, C. H. Wakley, R. H. Parish, Otago con-ference; A. L. Curtis, C. S. Parkinzon, F. F. Finders, Wellington conference; A. H. Wallace, not yet appointed. On Saturday evening, Aug. 1, we gave a free flustrated lecture on "Utah, the Land of the Mormons:" the hall, which has a seating capacity of several hun-dred was well filed, and expressions of pleasure and satisfaction were made by several who attended. Sunday morning we held our Priest-hood meeting. It was indeed a spiritual feast. The Holy Ghost was present in power and our hearts were melted un-der its divine influence as powerful tes-timonites were borne and instances of the blessings of God were related. missionaries are studying the language. Four or five baptisms have been made here lately. We have a good school here, where we learn English, and the Gospel. "Mist Alapet!" Goates is our teacher. He has been here over three years. The name of our school is the Penina Valoia school. Our teacher is laboring hard to teach the boys and girls. Our school is established at Ta-leniu, about three miles inland. We call our land Mapusaga, which means restleniu, about three miles inland. We call our land Mapusaga, which means rest-ing place. We would like very much to see the Prophet and the Apostles and to visit Zion. My sister is in Zion at-tending the B. Y. A. at Provo. The work of the Elders on Samoa is very hard, but we try to help them and take good care of them.

STAKE CONFERENCES. TOOELE STAKE. Quarterly Conference Held at

Elder G. F. Richards made a few remarks,

At 2 p. m. Elder Roberts again spoke at some length upon the labors we have to perform for our kindred and friends, and the preparation that we have to make for future events, and to prepare the earth for former Saints to come and dwell upon it. He spe upon the special line of work that He spoke had to perform in the historian's office, More, he said, had been written during the last five years than had been writ-ten for twenty-five years before. President H S, Gowans presented the

General and stake authorities, they were sustained unanimously. and Our conference was well attended and a good feeling prevailed. The singing by the Grantsville choir was excellent under the leadership of Bro. Joseph E. Millward.

THOMAS WILLIAMS,

Assistant Clerk.

Sunday School Conference. West Weber, Utah, Aug. 31, 1903.— The West Weber Sunday school held its annual conference yesterday, which was well attended. It consisted of a morning and afternoon session, he-ginning at 10 o'clock a. m. and 2 o'clock p. m. The morning session consisted of

The morning session consisted of exercises from primary and first in-termediate departments. The afternoon session of second intermediate and theological departments. The ex-ercises were well rendered by the students, showing care and prepara-tion on the part of both teachers and pupils. The singing was exceptional-

pupils. The singing was exceptional-ly good. Stake Supt. T. B. Evans, S. D. Bradford, D. W. Ure Jr., D. W. Evans and Sister W. Woodmansee of the stake board were present with us and although they pointed out our weak points considered that we were on the improve and that our Sunday school was in a better condition than it had was in a better condition than it had been for some time. A dainty lunch was prepared and

spread in the amusement hall by the officers and teachers for the enterainment of the visiting brethren and sisters. The following vacancies were filled:

The following vacancies to take the H. B. Hawkes was chosen to take the place of David Penman us first assistant superintendent and W. M. Purrington as chorister. We feel that much good has been done in our Sun-day school during the past year and we hope to continue to improve until it will be second to none

Very respectfully, NATHAN HAWKES, By J. E. H.

Bear Lake Stake Conference.

The 103rd quarterly conference of the Bear Lake stake of Zion was held in Paris, Idaho, on Saturday and Sun-day, Aug. 29 and 30, 1908. Of visiting daya Aug. 29 and 30, 1903. Of visiting brethren there were present Apostle George Teasdale and Elders Andrew Jenson, Douglas M. Todd and Phile-mon, C. Merrill. Four general meet-ings were held, besides a Priesthood meeting on Saturday evening, and a Y. M. and Y. L. M. I. A. conference Sunday evening. The discourses de-livered were spirited and timely, and were all dictated by the spirit of the Lord. Apostle Teasdale delivered two excellent discourses on the duties of the Saints, Elder Jenson dweit main-ly upon the providence and blessings of the Lord as manifested in His of the Lord as manifested in His dealings with His people. Elder Todd spoke on Mutual Improvement work and Elder Merrill related some of his early experiences in the Church and bore strong testimony of the di-vine mission of the Prophet Joseph Smith, with whom he had been per-sonally acquainted in his youth. President Wm. Budge, James H. Hart and Wm. L. Rich also delivered good and practical discourses. The reports given by the respective stake officers showed that the Sunday schools, the Relief societies and the Mutual Im-provement and primary associations throughout the stake were in good working order, and great hopes were entertained for successful work the coming winter. The weather during the conference was fine, all the meet-ings were well attended and an excel-lent spirit prevailed. RETURNED MISSIONARIES



FROM TARAND NEAR day to come be fully realized, he said. two days' journey on foot

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timonies were borne and instances of the blessings of God were related. President Bartlett bore a powerful tes-timony to the divinity of the work we are engaged in and made us some most inspiring and encouraging promises. This meeting was indeed a season of blessing and encouragement to us all. The same day at 2:30 p. m. we held a The same day at 2:30 p. m. we held a blessing and encouragement to us all. The same day at 2:30 p.m., we held a public meeting in the hall which was fairly well attendéd by a very intelli-gent class of people. Hymns, in which our friends joined, and a quartet by the Elders were sung. Addresses were made as follows: President Bartlett, greeting and in-troductory remarks, touching upon re-ligious toleration among the Latter-day Saints: Elder A. L. Curtis on faith;

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Saints: Elder A. L. Curtis on faith; and Elder A. S. Ferrin on repentance.

and Elder A. S. Ferth on repentance. Our evening meeting was the more successful of the two, the hall being nearly filled. Before commencing our meeting several of us went out on the Cathedral square and sang several hymns and choruses and announced our meeting to the people who assembled to hear the "Mormon" singing. Our audience at the hall was com-posed of an intelligent class of ladles

Our audience at the hall was com-posed of an intelligent class of ladies and genthemen. Instructive and enter-taining addresses were made by D. D. Duncan, on the Godhead, and A. W. Wright, on baptism. Elder Wallace beautifully sang the solo "Truth re-flects upon our senses. Elder Linford spoke on the Holy Ghost: Elder Blay-lock briefly reviewed the first principles and spoke on divine authority. We desire to specially mention the

We desire to specially mention the good friends whom the Lord has raised good friends whom the Lord has raised up to us in that city. They generously provided both food and lodging for the visiting Elders during their stay here. Elder Wallace was appointed to the Otago conference. Elder Flinders made a very profitable and enjoyable visit to relatives in that conference for a fort-algebre

Elder Silver was appointed to labor among the Maoris in Canterbury and Otago.

PROGRESS IN VIRGINIA.

An Encouraging Report from an Old Mission Field.

Elder R. F. Denison reports as follows from Mountain Lake, Glies Co., Va. Aug. 29:

Aug. 23: Myself and companion, Elder Wray Walker of St. Anthony, Ida, were as-signed to labor in this county, and ar-rived here on the 12th day of last June. There is a number of Saints here, living in a scattered condition in different pertines of the county. A baseutful lit for the county of the county of the countries of the county. A beautiful it-tle church is built at this place, and five families of Salats in the near by neighborhood welcome the Elder at all times.

We manage to meet here with the Saints semi-monthly. In our canvass-ing through the county we learn no El-ders have been laboring here for four years. But frequently the visiting El-ders have called upon the Saints. It is somewhat stormed at this time.

ders have called upon the Saints. It is somewhat stormy at this time. We have six applicants for baptism, and when we get a favorable day, ex-pect to attend to that ordinance. This land would remind a person of the holy land, where "John was bap-tizing in Enon near to Salim, because there was much water there." There are many annul streams in

there was much water there." There are many amail streams in these mountains, but from this point we must travel a distance of seven miles to reach the waters of Little Stony creek, the nearest str am of suffi-clent size for baptizing. Hundreds of tourists from all sur-rounding states, visit this resort each season to enlow the summer months as

season to enjoy the summer months, as almost constantly there is a cool, refreshing breeze.

freshing breeze. Many friends tell us "If the true Ges-pel is preached, the Mormons are preaching it, for say they "they hold strictly to the Bible." But they fear coming out from the world. We have met some bitter oppoftion to the truth.

to the truth. No doubt early missionaries, such as lededlah M. Grant and others, have trodden the rough roads of this coun-ty as in "39" his headquarters were lo-

sated at Burke's Garden, Tazwell coun-

Seventics, the presidency of the stake, and others of the leading brethren, and

and others of the leading brethren, and a good attendance of the Saints. After preliminary exercises, Elder C, L, Anderson and H, W, Brown of Murray addressed the conference. Bishops Wrathall, T, Atkin and C, A. Orme reported the wards over which they preside in a good condition. Elder B, H. Roberts occupied the remainder of the time. At the afternoon meeting Brother W. E. Moss reported his ward. A

E. Moss reported his ward. A spirit of unity existed among the Saints, he said. The Sunday school and Relief society were doing a good

Bishops J. G. Shields and Israel Bennion reported the wards over which they preside in fair condition. Sister Emily J. Anderson reported the Relief societies of the stake. Elder B. H. Roberts then occupied the time, speak. ng upon the remarks made by our Presbyterian friends in regard to the

Doctrine and Covenants. Doctrine and Covenants. Sunday morning, 10 a. m., 'a Sunday school session was held. The Sacra-ment was administered and the Sun-day school gave a recital under the direction of Brother E. T. Woolley. Supt. W. Spry reported the condition of the Sunday schools of the stake in

very full condition, Elder Roberts then spoke upon the andling of children. He was afraid hat the instructions that should be

Elder George A. Davis of Center ward returned Friday, Sept. fl, from a mis-sion to the Sandwich islands. He was set apart Dec. 9, 1899, and labored on the islands of Oahu and Hawaii, where he met with much success and sees good prospects for the future. The work of the Elders, he says, is princi-pally among the natives, who take kindly to the Gospel and are sincere in their investigation of its principles. For a time during his absence Elder Davis was overseer at the Lale planta-tion and for the last six months he labored as a special traveling Elder on

that the instructions that should be given at home were neglected, and all the instructions given by the institu-tions established among us did not relieve fathers and mothers from the oblightions resting upon them at home. He was full of hope for the youth of Zion and did not believe that the or-dinances placed upon our children were of no avail, for they will in a

Don't Neglect Your Health: 1463 Second St., LOUISVILLE, Kr., April 14, 1903. I have been weak and sickly for the past four years, caused by irregularity and careleasness regarding the laws of health, but about five mouths ago my condition became very serious. I had severe backache and suffered a constant dull pain in my head. I lost my appetite and be-eause extremely nervous and irritable. I spent weary, prinful days, and miserable, restless nights. The doctor told me that I must have patience as I had a serious case of inflammation of the bladder and ubrus and he prescribed an injection as well as a tonic. His medicine did not, however, give me even temporary relief and as I had been told of the curstive qualities of Wine of Cardui I decided to try it. I found that it relieved me of pain. As my general health improved my other troubles were gradually diminished and after five weeks use of the Wine of Cardui I was once more a well and happy woman. M. J. Manpeon, 1463 Second St., Louisville, Ky., April 14, 1903. and the WINESGARI How can a woman who is fully aware of the danger and inevitable consequences hesitate for a moment to seek relief when her menstruation begins to be painful or irregular? Wine of Cardui is a certain cure for these dangerons irregularities. It regulates the menstrual flow, banishes headaches, backaches and bearing-down pains. Severe headaches, bearing-down pains, indigestion, loss of appetite and nervousness are very sure symptoms of female weakness and should be given prompt attention. If you are troubled with monstrual irregularities, do not lot them run on. They will certainly MIL . M. THOMPSON, grow into dangerous and chronic troubles. Get a bottle of Wine of Cardui and begin treatment at once. All druggists sell \$1.00 bottles of Wine of Cardei. Director, Beethoven Musical Society.

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