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CONFERENCE NOTICE.

The thirty-third Annual Conference of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints will convene in the Tabernacle, Salt Lake City, at 10 o'clock on Tuesday morning, April 6th, 1893.

The officers and members of the Church generally are cordially invited to attend the meeting of the Conference.

WILFORD WOODRUFF, GEORGE G. CANNON, JOSEPH F. SMITH, First Presidency.

THE CRIME WAVE.

The dispatches of late have been a beautiful line that is alarming when seriously considered. So many instances of cruel and previously unusual murder coming so close together argue that the crime-wave previously spoken of in these columns is no mere figment of the imagination but a sober and serious reality. Men kill their children, their wives, then themselves, one or more, but so often so other-wise, all boys kill their sweethearts, young men their fiancées, then themselves, all going to show that what was once regarded as the chief incentive to murder in such cases—jealousy—is no longer in the composition, else why after destroying the cause of that devouring passion do they so frequently destroy themselves? It is a form of insanity that must be infectious, just as soon other fatal diseases are.

The crime referred to in the above paragraph is not confined to the United States, but is a world-wide phenomenon. In such a community—New York and Chicago being conspicuous examples—sympathy for a convicted felon is a matter of course, and the viler the crime the greater the degree of sympathy. Even in cities where this propensity is not exhibited to so great an extent, the difference between urban and rural communities in such respect is most marked. In the latter, a murderer is generally the cause of the most intense contempt; indignation runs high; every man becomes a detective and a peace officer, and if the culprit is captured before "cooling time" sets in, it is quite frequently the case that the courts and officers—except the coroner and his jury—are never troubled with it at all. This is wrong, too, and not to be defended; it is mentioned to show the contrast between a dense population where crime easily becomes contagious, and a sparse one where nature and natural instincts have a chance to grow.

It was thought that the electrical method of death adopted in New York state would have the effect of deterring capital offenses to some extent; it is a more terrible ordeal than hanging, even though death be instantaneous, but it does not. On the contrary, such crimes have increased, at least the convictions are more numerous. When Harris took his place in a condemned cell at Sing Sing there was but one more left vacant, and so he has some six weeks of life left it only requires a very slight increase in the percentage of immediate over recent convictions to have the condemned department filled before he bids the world good-bye. One or two are now on trial in New York city. It would be a strange commentary on the Empire state's ghastly experiment if the result should prove to be that the number of cells in which murderers awaiting the death penalty are placed has to be increased. Yet such a thing seems inevitable now; custom and familiarity, which were sought to be prevented through provision in the law excluding reporters, but were not, that provision being a dead letter from the beginning, have had the usual effect upon the criminal classes, and electrocution is no more dreaded now than the gibbet used to be; so much apparently, though the crime wave is responsible for a still share of the increase.

HON. JOHN T. CAINE.

The people of Utah without reference to political matters should extend a generous welcome to Hon. John T. Caine, who returned to his home in this city yesterday after eleven years of continuous service in the House of Representatives. He was not altogether unfamiliar with the ways of the law-maker before going to Washington, having been in the Territorial legislature two or three times, and his pretty well posted in general way regarding public matters of both national and local moment.

Upon the dissolution of the People's party—to which Mr. Caine owed all of his public positions—he went back to his first love and became a Democrat, which he now is. His first vote was cast for James Buchanan for President

and his last one for Joseph E. Hawley for Delegate to Congress. Mr. Caine is an upright man in all the walks of life, has served the people with rare fidelity, and the News joins with his many other friends in wishing him a continuance of the good things of life.

WHAT A SOURCE FOR YEARNINGS!

That childhood, youth and even early manhood do not always indicate what the instincts and inclinations of the cultured human being will be in no instance more clearly shown than in the life of Hubertus, the French husbandman whose bloody rule even at this late date cannot be thought of without a shudder. It is said that when a young man, the father of him who was so good and kind, that he was the darling of all the old women of the town, and that he had so kind and sensitive a heart that he wept on finding his aunt's canary dead in a cage. These tender peculiarities, which were so soon to give place to passions both brutal and bloodthirsty, are thought to view by the publication of some of his poems by a modern editor. The collection was treasured by an old maid niece of the author, Miss Charlotte, who was in her later lifetime a pensioner upon the bounty of Louis Philippe—the king thus showing rare charity to the sister of the man who had cut off his brother's head. As Miss Charlotte's death the poems, along with other relics of the domineering tyrant, passed to a collateral branch of the family, and they are now, after the lapse of a century, in the hands of a critic who has read the manuscript says one of the poems is to a little dove that he gave to his sister, for he was especially fond of animals, and when he was absent from home the canaries mourned him so they refused to sing. It is shown that the youth wept much as well as wrote verses. When at school in Paris he was appointed to welcome the king—that same king he afterward had beheaded—by some verses when the king visited the college where he was a student. As he was celebrating the virtues of the new monarch the young Hubertus became so much affected with his own eloquence he broke down entirely. Another time he was sent to greet Rousseau with some verses of his own making; he fell to crying until he started Rousseau's hair, and was rebuked by waving his own brother's shoulder. He then wrote some more poetry about this incident and sent it to his sister Charlotte.

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GRESHAM CHAMPIONED.

A reflection having recently been cast upon the military record of General (now Secretary of State) Gresham by a local contemporary, a gentleman of this city who fought as a private and another in the Union army and knows whereof he speaks, furnishes the NEWS with the facts with a rejoinder that they be granted. Gresham was colonel of the 53d Indiana volunteers; he became a brigadier general on August 11, 1862, and brevet major general on March 13, 1865. It was sought to be shown that the general planned himself greatly on having been wounded in the battle of Peach Tree Creek, but that he was not wounded there at all. This latter statement is true, but the inference that he was not wounded in battle is untrue and unjust, as the following extract from Vol. 15, Cox's Campaigns of the Civil War, shows:

THE LIVING AND THE DEAD.

A smelter after information asks a contemporary a question which is interesting from one point of view and should be looked at another way. It is as to the preponderance in number of the human beings now alive over all those who have preceded them, or otherwise. While it is understood that the earth has had a greater population than it ever had before, the number being estimated variously at from 1,000,000,000 to a hundred millions or more in excess of that figure, it should be kept in mind that a generation is a very brief span and that the population of the globe must undergo a complete change every hundred years at the most. The increase this century is shown to have been very rapid; one authority in 1891 put the number of people alive at 1,000,000,000, since which time it has about doubled if all statistics are approximately correct, and it is further calculated that three times as many have been born and died since that date. Even the deaths in the present century, it is believed, exceed the number of people living. "As we go back in history," says the authority spoken of, "we find on other people, but with smaller and smaller data to go on. The only fact we have to go on is that at the beginning of the Christian era the population of the human species, this included the most civilized races of mankind, and was the most extensive and powerful nation that the world had ever seen. Yet the Roman empire, from its best attainable date that has come down to us, did not at the death of Augustus, 11 B. C., exceed 25,000,000 people

in Asia and China were the only populated parts of the earth beyond its limits, and it is not probable that the total population of the world ran above 200,000,000 at that date. Yet if we allow forty years as the average of life at that era, this population, if stationary, would take only 500 years to show as many deaths as there are now living people."

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Times and Appointments of Services to Commemorate the Dedication of the Temple of the Lord in Salt Lake City, and the altitudes as to the numbers of people to be admitted at the different services.

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This arrangement is based on reports received from the Presidents of stakes, and has been made with a view to, as far as practically, suit the convenience of the whole people.

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