

10 o'clock tomorrow morning, with benediction by Elder George B. Wallace.

SUNDAY FORENOON, SEPT. 28TH.

Choir sang the hymn:

How firm a foundation,
Ye Saints of the Lord.

Prayer was offered by Elder John Nicholson.

Choir sang the hymn:

Earth with her ten thousand flowers.

Elder Willard Done was the first speaker. He said the worship of the Latter-day Saints in all its aspects is general and not exclusive. Among the Christian denominations of the world the singing is carried on by a designed few; the prayer is usually offered by one person; the speaking devolves almost exclusively upon one; and all that is expected of the great mass of the people is, that they assemble and listen to the sermons which have been prepared for them. This has a tendency to prevent the people themselves from entering into heartfelt communion with God. Among the Latter-day Saints the people are frequently called upon to take part in the singing; various ones who have not prepared special sermons are called upon to speak unto the people. But they are men who are ready to receive the inspiration of the Spirit of God, and who hearts are open for the prayers of the Saints in order that proper thoughts and ideas may be suggested to them.

If sermons are prepared beforehand the ideas are suited to the one who makes them, and not often to those to whom he is speaking.

Latter-day Saints should not accept that which is given them by the speaker, and merely store it away, but they should adapt their lives to the truths which they receive. The Saints of God have a great responsibility resting upon them. The finishing up of the work of God as far as this earth is concerned has been entrusted to them and it behooves them to see that they are prepared for the work which devolves upon them.

Elder Angus M. Cannon was the next speaker. He said he was gratified to report that the Bishops in this Stake of Zion are working faithfully and have the confidence of the people over whom they preside.

There has not been as many High Council meetings as in former years. This speaks well for the people and it gives evidence that the lesser Priesthood exercise themselves in their calling and endeavor to settle difficulties before they reach the Bishops' courts.

There is no improvement in the reports of the funds disbursed for the support of the poor. There has been less drawn from the Church than during the last six months than in the six months previous, and it is to be hoped that improvement in this direction will continue. The Teachers and lesser Priesthood should urge upon the Saints the necessity of attending their fast meetings, and making their fast offerings. In some of the outside wards of this Stake there is such a limited number of poor that the people thought they were not called upon to hold fast meetings or make fast offerings. The poor have a tendency to gather into the cities, and there are

multitudes of them depending upon the Bishops for support. The presiding authorities desire the people everywhere to hold their fast meetings and to collect fast offerings. And where there is a surplus it should be deposited in the care of the Presiding Bishop that it may go where the necessities of the people are greater than the supply.

The choir sang the anthem:

From afar gracious Lord.

Benediction by Patriarch # John Smith.

AFTERNOON SESSION.]

The choir sang the hymn:]

Author of faith, Eternal Word,
Whose spirit breathes the active flame.

Prayer was offered by Elder Seymour B. Young.

The choir sang the hymn:

Behold the Great Redeemer die.
A broken law to satisfy.

The presentation of officers followed, the general and stake officers being unanimously sustained as follows:

Stake presidency—Angus M. Cannon, president; Joseph E. Taylor and Charles W. Penrose, counselors.

High Councilors—William Eddington, Theodore McKean, George J. Taylor, Henry Dinwoodey, Anders W. Winberg, John T. Calne, James P. Freeze, Milando Pratt, Henry P. Richards, Elias A. Smith, Joseph D. C. Young, John Nicholson.

Alternate High Councilors—John Clark, David L. Davis, Orson A. Woolley, William W. Riter, Edward Snelgrove, John Kirkman and Spencer Clawson.

Presidency of High Priests' Quorum—Elias Morris, president; George B. Wallace and William C. Dunbar, counselors.

Patriarchs—Lorenz D. Young, William J. Smith, William Draper, Joseph C. Kingsbury, Alonzo H. Raleigh, Washington Lemmon, Joseph Horne, Joseph Harker, Archibald N. Hill, Samuel Priuay, William H. Walker, Ezekiel Holman and Jacob Weller.

Clerk of the Stake and of the High Council—James D. Stirling.

Reporter—Willard Done.

Assistant Reporter—Frank Chamberlin.

HOME MISSIONARIES.

Anderson, James H
Anderson, William N
Anderson, Olof J
Aveson, Robert
Bull, Joseph Jr
Blinder, William L S
Bird, Henry N
Blair, George E
Bean, Joshua B
Barber, Horace D
Bennion, Milton
Butterfield, Zachariah
Caine, John T
Cannon, George M
Carlson, August W
Cannon, Lewis M
Christenson, Joseph
Cannon, Angus J
Carlisle, Joseph R
Cannon, John M
Cornwall, Samuel A
Cannon, Hugh J
Olawson, Thomas A
Cottam, Charles S
Carlquist, Carl A
Callister, William D
Davis, David L
Dougall, Wm B
Done, Willard
Dean, Joseph H
Dougall, Wm B Jr
Dinwoodey, Henry M
Emery, David S
Emery, Charles F
Flashman, James T

Ferguson, Barlow
Groesbeck, Jos S
Gill, David E
Giangue, Jules M
Goddard, Benjamin
Hintz, Ferdinand F
Hansen, John E
Hanson, Wm L
Haslam, James N
Hull, Thomas
Harrington, Daniel
Hillam, Rodney Jr
Harker, Henry
Hodge, Robert B
Hollingworth, Bel J H
Hottendorf, Henry H
Hodgeson, Oliver
Iverson, Heber O
Jones, Nathaniel V
Kimball, Solomon F
Keddington, John W
Kelsch, Louis A
Lambert, George C
Lovett, George D
Lambert, James C
Lyman, Francis M Jr
Lawrence, John
Lindsay, Joseph S
Lloyd, Benjamin T
McKenzie, David
Moyle, James H
McMurrin, Joseph W
Morris, Neph L

Savage, Ralph G
Stewart, Samuel W
Smith, Geo A
Sloan, Thomas W
Smith, Hyrum J
Schoenfeld, Albert
Snow, Le Roy O
Tovey, Wm H
Thorup, Joseph
Taylor, James A
Taylor, Moses W
Timpson, John B
Tanner, Joseph M
Torrelson, Torkel E
Woolley, Orson A
Wells, Joseph S
Wood, Wm Jr
Wilcken, Charles S
Wilcox, Charles F
Wells, John
Wright, Elias S
Walson, Robert S
Wilcken, David
Winder, Wm C
Wright, Abraham R
Walker, John W
Wallace, George H
Young, Willard
Young, Richard W
Young, Brigham S
Young, Albert O
Young, Francis M

The priesthood of the Twenty-third and Center wards administered the Sacrament.

Presidents Cannon and Woodruff addressed the congregation.

The choir sang the anthem:

Lord, God and Holy Ghost.

Benediction by Wm. B. Preston.

EVENING SESSION.

The choir sang:

Come dearest Lord descend and dwell
By faith and love in every breast.

Prayer was offered by Elder Henry P. Richards.

Singing by the choir:

Glorify God on high;
Let heaven and earth reply.

The following auxiliary organizations were presented, the vote being unanimous in every instance to uphold and sustain the officers, etc:

Board of Education—Angus M. Cannon, Joseph E. Taylor, Charles W. Penrose, David McKenzie, J. M. Sjodahl, Wm. W. Riter, Richard K. Thomas.

Relief Society—Mary Isabella Horne, president, Annie T. Hyde and Clara C. Cannon, counselors.

Young Men's M. I. Association—Joseph H. Felt, superintendent; Jas. W. Eardley, assistant.

Young Ladies' M. I. Association—Mary A. Freeze, Superintendent; Mary Pratt Young and Nellie C. Taylor, assistants.

Sabbath Schools—Thomas C. Griggs, superintendent; Richard S. Horae and Willard C. Burton, assistants.

Primary Associations—Ellen C. Clawson, superintendent; Camilla C. Cobb and Lydia Ann Wells, assistants.

Tabernacle Choir—Evan Stephens, leader; Joseph J. Daynes, organist, and all the members of the choir.

Scandinavian Meetings of Salt Lake City—Anders W. Winberg, president; S. P. Neve and Martin Christopher-son, counselors.

German Meetings—Arnold H. Schultze, president; Henry Reiser and Herman Grether, counselors.

The following statistical report of the Salt Lake Stake of Zion, for the six months ending June 30th, 1895 was read:

First Presidency, 3; Apostles, 4; Patriarchs, 14; Seventies, 1,322; High Priests, 483; Elder, 2,474; Priests, 480; Teachers, 538; Deacons, 1,886; members, 19,285; total officers and members, 26,148.