

had experienced in his labors among them. Gave his "Hloha nui" to all and said he hoped soon to meet some of their number in Zion.

Prest. Partridge said the names of those who had donated for the House had not all been obtained as yet; therefore they would not be read until next conference when it was hoped a full and complete list would be obtained. A hearty vote of thanks was then tendered to the choirs who had by their beautiful singing added so much to the life and enjoyment of our Conference, many of the songs sung were composed by them for the occasion, and very well rendered.

Conference was adjourned until April 6th, 1894.

The three choirs sang a hymn in unison. Benediction by President Edward Partridge.

There was a large attendance at all our meetings. The many instructions and strengthening remarks were received with joy and satisfaction, the divine spirit working powerfully upon the hearers as well as the speakers.

There was a large feast each day. At the first it is estimated that from eight to ten hundred persons were assembled; and, to show that the remaining ones, though smaller, were far from insignificant, I will state that altogether, three large beehives furnished by the mission, besides a number of hogs and fowls, and large quantities of fish, pot, etc., furnished by the natives were all disposed of.

When work was first begun on the House, it was understood that when it was completed, the Saints would have the privilege of coming here and being rebaptized; many accordingly availed themselves of the opportunity, 524 being rebaptized a few days previous to Conference.

The spirit of baptism seemed prevalent among the people, for at the same time 39 came forward and were joined to the Church.

WM. G. FARRELL, Clerk.

LOCAL AND OTHER MATTERS.

FROM THURSDAY'S DAILY, OCT. 25.

Another Little One Gone.—The friends of Brother Andrew Kimball, and his wife Olivia W. will be pained to hear of the death, last evening, of their little daughter Olive W. their only child. The funeral will take place at the residence of the late Bishop E. D. Woolley, 13th Ward, to-morrow at 11 a.m. Friends of the family are invited to be present.

Information Wanted.—B. F. Blaylock, of North Ogden, Utah, desires information concerning the whereabouts of any of the posterity of Robert Walker and Lucinda Keeth, who joined the Church at an early date, either in Alabama or Mississippi. They subsequently started for Nauvoo, but never reached there, owing to the dispersion of the Saints, but it is thought that one or two of their sons afterwards settled in Utah. Address Mr. Blaylock as above.

Obsequies.—At the funeral of Col. Robert J. Golding, held at the family residence, in the Seventeenth Ward, yesterday afternoon, the speakers were Counselor D. H. Wells and President A. M. Cannon. The attendance was very large and the services impressive. The remains were conveyed to the City Cemetery, being followed thither by a long line of vehicles containing the friends and relatives of the departed. The pall bearers were R. T. Burton, B. F. Dewey, H. P. Kimball, Theodore McKean, Henry Keith and Thomas Dobson.

Reduction in Freight Rates.—The latest intelligence from authentic sources, in relation to the war in freight rates between the Union Pacific and the Denver & Rio Grande Railways, is to the effect that the latter reduced its figures to 50c per cwt, as previously threatened unless its proposition to pool issues were favorably acted upon, and that the Union Pacific has met the reduction by coming down to the same terms, the arrangement on both sides being made irrespective of classification or quantity, on all freight not higher than first class. This dual cutting has since been supplemented by the Central Pacific Company, who have reduced to 43 cents per cwt., this more than even reduction being due to an agreement between them and the Union Pacific Company, that on all freight sent west over that line from the Missouri River, the Central Pacific

can only claim 85 per cent. The Union Pacific magistrates, Messrs. Clark, Adams, Ames and Baker, whose expected arrival was announced the other evening, have gone on to Denver, via the D. and R. G., to hold a consultation with the officials of that road. All but Mr. Clark, who is from Omaha, are residents of Boston.

Ho for the South!—President Christopher Layton, accompanied by Elder David P. Kimball and Brother Chas. S. Whitney, the last named a resident of this city, left for St. David, Arizona, via the Central Pacific and Southern Pacific Railways, this afternoon. Brothers Layton and Kimball, who reside there, are returning from their visit to Conference. Brother Whitney goes with them with the intention of making the southern country his home, at least for several years to come. We heartily wish them a safe and speedy transit to their destination. Apropos of Arizona, it is a matter of conversation in some quarters that a number of prominent Salt Lake design visiting the Salt River and Gila Valleys, in the southern part of that Territory, shortly. Among those whose intention it is to make the trip, with a view to "appling out the land" and demonstrating for themselves the value of the favorable reports now in circulation concerning it, are H. P. Kimball, Phillip Pagsley and Alfred Best. These gentlemen with others will start from here about the first of December. It would be a good idea for persons who intend removing to Arizona to make the necessary arrangements for going along with the party above named, as their knowledge and experience of frontier life, and their standing in the community, constitute them safe and reliable guides in such an undertaking.

District Court Doings.—David P. Rich, who withdrew his plea of not guilty on Monday last and plead guilty to the charge of robbing Zion's Savings Bank, was to-day sentenced to a term of eighteen months' imprisonment in the Utah Penitentiary.

The case of the People, etc., vs. Theophilus Hanks, for assault and robbery on the person of Mr. Good, last April, came to a termination this afternoon, in the passing of sentence upon the defendant. The decision of the Court was that he be confined in the Penitentiary for a term of two years.

Redman E. Joyce, charged with murder, last evening withdrew his plea of not guilty, plead guilty to voluntary manslaughter, and the time for passing sentence upon him was set for Saturday next, at 10 a.m.

The case of Swen Olsen, indicted for assault to murder, was disposed of on Tuesday, the jury bringing in a verdict of guilty. Sentence will be passed upon the defendant on Friday, the 28th.

Andrew Pettit, tried and found guilty of grand larceny, was yesterday sentenced to 18 months in the penitentiary.

The case of Rudolph Smith, accomplice of D. P. Rich in the robbery of Zion's Savings Bank, is continued for the term.

Henry Shields, deputy sheriff of Summit County, charged with beating a prisoner at Park City, some time ago, is being tried by a jury this afternoon.

COMMISSIONS.

The following commissions have been issued by Acting Governor Arthur L. Thomas, since last reported:

SALT LAKE COUNTY.

Constable, Riverton Precinct—Robert Danese.

Justice of the Peace, Riverton Precinct—Charles E. Miller.

Constable, North Jordan Precinct—Joseph Lindsay.

Justice of the Peace, South Jordan Precinct—John Holt.

Constable, Mill Creek Precinct—Joseph A. Carlisle.

SMALLPOX IN ARIZONA.

NUMBER OF DEATHS AND FURTHER DETAILS.

Since the announcement in this paper of the breaking out of smallpox in Mesa City, Arizona, numbers of people in Utah have been exercised over the welfare of their friends and relatives residing in that region. Authentic information having reached this office respect-

ing the number of cases, names of those who fell victims to the scourge, and further particulars regarding the career of the epidemic in that locality, the facts derived from correspondents residing at Mesa, are here appended for the benefit of our readers.

Twenty-nine persons contracted the disease from the one original case in the settlement, and thirteen others took it from them, thus making a total of forty-two cases in all, including those who simply had the varioloid. Out of this number eight persons died, in the following order: John Van Cott MacDonald, son of President A. F. MacDonald; Stella Stewart, daughter of Alvin F. Stewart; Bernard Dana, son of Charles C. Dana; Charles O. Thomas, grandson of the same; William Hill, of Toquerville; Eliza Stewart, wife of Alvin F. Stewart; Eliza Thomas, wife of Edward Thomas and daughter of Chas. C. Dana, and Gus Dana, his infant son. Another fatal case, in addition to these, was that of John Hill, son of William Hill, who had recovered from the smallpox in a severe form, but afterwards took a bad cold and died in a few days. Besides these fatalities from smallpox, others occurred from different causes. The infant son of H. W. Brizze died from teething and canker, the infant son of R. E. Hopkins and grandson of G. W. Birrine, fell a victim to the same complaint, and on the 14th inst., Maud Alice Birrine, daughter of George W. Birrine, succumbed to an attack of typhoid fever. The mother was absent on a visit to Salt Lake City at the time of her daughter's decease.

The smallpox also broke out in Phoenix, sixteen miles west of Mesa, several months before it visited the latter place, and out of upwards of one hundred cases, sixty or seventy had proved fatal, and the town at last accounts was not rid of the pestilence. Among those who died there, were Matilda Taylor and her four-year-old son, daughter and grandson of Alvin F. Stewart, of Mesa, whose losses at the latter place are above recorded. Brother Stewart was formerly a resident of Richmond, Cache County, Utah. Charles O. Dana, bereft to a still greater extent, once lived at Montpelier, Idaho. Mesa was under strict quarantine regulations from the first of September to the 12th of October, which from a financial standpoint was rather severe upon the community, most of the men being freighters, but through their watchcare, vigilance and unceasing efforts, depending upon divine aid more than on human skill, they succeeded in checking the ravages of the destroyer. At the date of the communications before us, but one case remained in the hospital, all others being convalescent or entirely well. The people outside of Mesa give the inhabitants great credit for eradicating the terrible disease in so short a time and saving so many lives. No outside help was employed. The county physician made frequent visits to Mesa and pronounced death as inevitable with several patients, only to be surprised the next time he came round to see them in a convalescent state. He finally became too cautious to express an opinion even with regard to the worst cases. No public gatherings had convened from the time of the epidemic's appearance up to the 16th inst., the date of the writings received, but it was expected then that meetings would resume on the following Sunday. In addition to those who fell victims to smallpox, about fifteen deaths from other causes had occurred during the year, and a spirit of gloom rested upon what would be otherwise, with few exceptions, a peaceful, happy and united community. The gentlemen to whom we are indebted for the above information are Brothers S. F. Kimball and Charles I. Robson.

FROM FRIDAY'S DAILY, OCT. 25.

Released to Return.—The *Millennial Star* of October 8th, announces the release of Elders Solomon King and John Crawford, to return home with the company sailing from Liverpool to-morrow, the 27th inst. Elder King is from the London Conference and Elder Crawford from the Scottish Mission.

Home-made Molasses.—A sample of superior molasses, purer and more tasteful than the general run of so-called first-class productions imported into the Territory, was shown at this office to-day by A. M. Munser

Eqq., who received it from the maker, C. A. Madsen, of Gunnison. It is equal, if not superior, to anything of the kind in the market.

District Court.—The jury in the case of Henry Shields, the deputy sheriff of Summit County, charged with beating a prisoner, could not agree upon a verdict last evening and were discharged.

Ezekiel Price, charged with manslaughter, as arraigned yesterday afternoon and plead not guilty.

Swen Olsen, found guilty of assault with intent to murder, was to-day sentenced to five years imprisonment in the Penitentiary.

John Quincy was to-day tried by jury and found guilty of grand larceny, with recommendations to the lenience of the Court. Sentence was suspended with the understanding that it will be passed upon him on the commission of any future offense.

George Gibbs, on a charge of assault with intent to do bodily harm, is being tried by jury this afternoon.

Winter Semester.—The special winter semester at the Deseret University will commence on Monday, the 29th inst., at 9 a.m. This, it must be understood, is a course independent of but running parallel with the two middle terms of the regular yearly course. It is designed for the accommodation of students who cannot begin school as early as August nor continue as late as June, the beginning and end of the regular academic year. The special semester will be a permanent feature at the University from henceforth. The studies comprising the course are reading, elocution, penmanship, English grammar, practical arithmetic, physical and descriptive geography, and orthography and punctuation, together with such other instruction and discipline as shall seem best adapted to impress upon the class principles and habits of morality, honor, self-respect and social politeness. Book-keeping, medieval history, modern history, mental philosophy and political economy are studies of the normal and scientific courses of the University, that begin and close during the intermediate semester, and may be taken at the option of the student.

The first term of the regular academic year at the University closed to-day, and the second term will commence on Monday, simultaneously with the special semester. The winter course will open in the new University Building, a portion of which will be in readiness for that purpose.

Third Ward Meeting House.—The Third Ward new Meeting House, a brief mention of which appeared in yesterday's News, promises on completion to be one of the handsomest and most substantial buildings of the kind yet erected in this city or Territory. It was begun only about two months since, and when it is stated that the walls are up, the roof on, the floors in, and the plastering of the interior already commenced, it will be seen with what energy and dispatch the work has been pushed ahead up to the present time. It is built in the Gothic style, principally of brick, with the caps to the buttresses of white stone, and when finished will have cost upwards of \$3,000. The inside dimensions are 48 by 23 feet, exclusive of the vestibule in front. The building faces the south. There is no basement to the structure, the ground being too low and moist in that locality to admit of it, but a coal house and other appurtenances are provided in convenient proximity to the main building. The work is going ahead rapidly, and at present indications, the meeting-house will be ready for use about Christ mas time. The building committee are Bishop Jacob Weiler, John Wayman, George Stringfellow, B. M. Weiler and T. H. Morton. The house is a credit to them and to the people of the Ward who have contributed so freely and willingly for its erection. More of such buildings would not only materially enhance the appearance of the city and increase the value of property, but would tend in no insignificant degree to the advancement of the spiritual welfare of the people.

Two Burglaries.—Information not by any means weighed down with details has reached this office, respecting two burglaries which took place in Tooele County several days ago, the particulars of which have been kept somewhat shady with the hope that some clue leading to the capture of the robbers might be the better obtained. A week has elapsed, however, and

nothing has been heard from them. The facts in all their scantiness are as follows: At Grantsville the Co-operative store was entered about 9 o'clock in the evening, soon after the place had been closed for the night. The burglar or burglars broke the glass out of one of the windows, cut the frame with a knife, saw or some other sharp instrument, removed it and got inside the store. About fifty dollars was taken from the till, leaving but a few nickels in the drawer. The safe containing the bulk of money and valuables on the premises, was turned over two or three times, but proved too much for the efforts of the marauder, as it was found in the morning unopened and its contents intact. Blood was discovered on the window frame, showing that the burglar in all probability broke the glass with his knuckles and then reached through and removed the frame afterwards. Suspicion attached to a strange man who had been loitering about town for some time, but up to last accounts no one had been arrested. A day or two previous to this, the Co-operative store at Tooele City underwent a similar experience, but was only robbed of the small sum of eight dollars. No one caught, and further particulars unknown.

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All orders for the Compound Oxygen Home Treatment directed to H. E. Matthews, 608 Montgomery Street, San Francisco, will be filled on the same terms as if sent directly to us in Philadelphia.

WHOLESALE PRODUCT LIST.

List of Buying Prices of Produce in the Salt Lake Market, corrected Semi-Weekly for the DESERET EVENING NEWS, by Z. O. M. I. and others:—

Wheat.....	75 to 80 cents	per bushel.
Oats.....	\$1.15 to \$1.25	per 100 lbs.
Barley, New.....	1.00	" "
Shelled Corn.....	1.00	" "
Flour, XXXX.....	2.75	" "
" XXX.....	2.50	" "
" XX.....	2.25	" "
Brans.....	1.00	" "
Shorts.....	1.10	" "
Butter.....	25	" pounds.
Eggs.....	27	" doz.
Beef on foot.....	4	" "
Mutton, dressed.....	8c	per lb.
Pork.....	10c.	" "
Wool.....	14 to 15c.	per lb.
Hides, Dry Flint.....	10	" "
" Salted.....	8	" "
" Green Salted.....	4	" "

Just received another lot of Home Made Gray Centre Double Shawls that we have had so many calls for while we have been out, also Linsey Sheeting, Plain and Check Dress Flannels, Tweeds, Yarns and other Home Made Woollen Goods also Trunks. John C. Cutler, Agent, No. 36, Old Constellation Building, Salt Lake City.

The Latest Bonanza in California.

Bieber, Cal. — Mr. Thomas P. Ford, editor of the *Mountain Tribune*, of this place, publishes that the great pain cure St. Jacobs Oil, has worked wonders in his family, and that he would not be without it. He states that among all the people St. Jacobs Oil is the most popular medicine ever introduced.

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