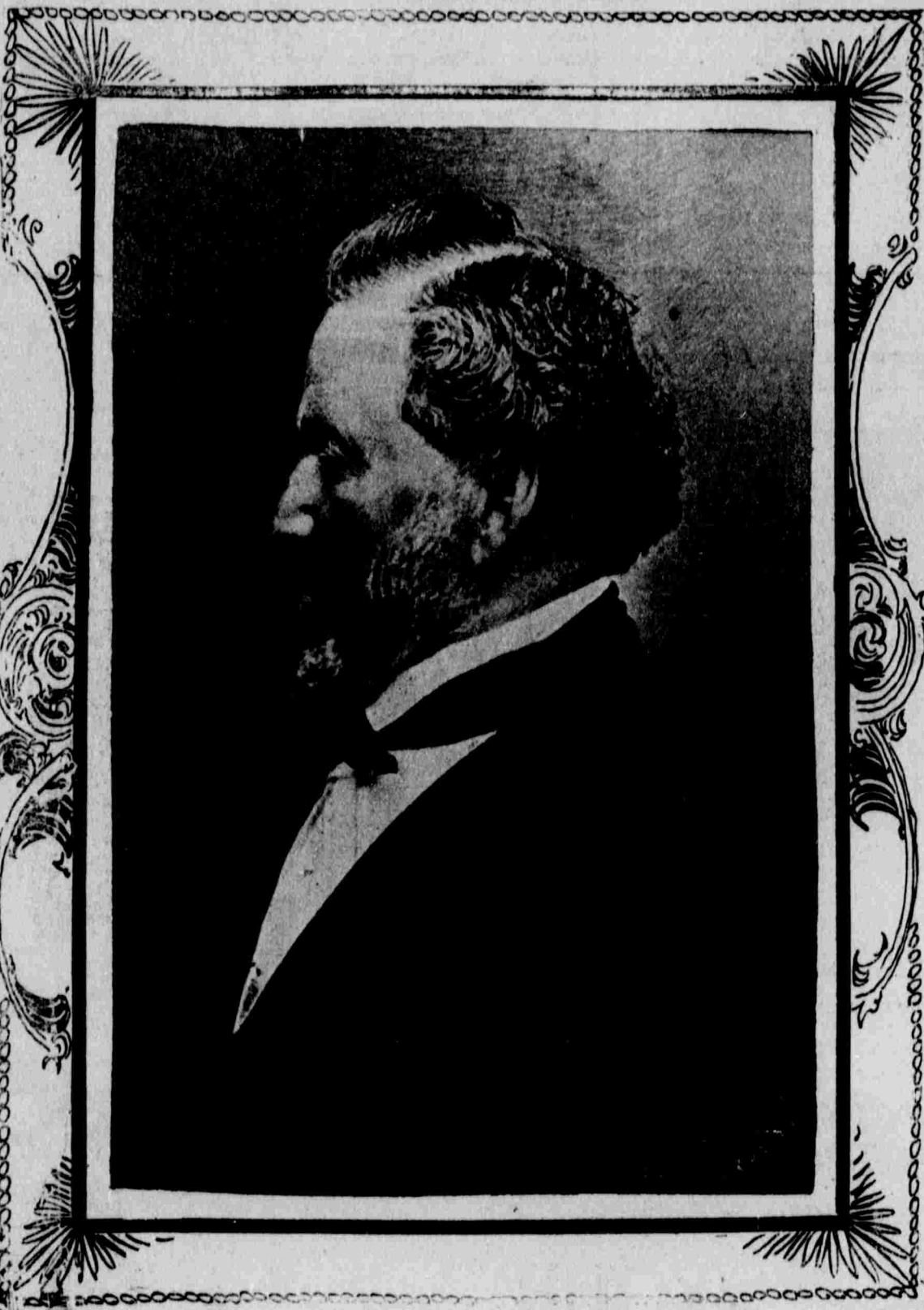


# PRESIDENT BRIGHAM YOUNG.

From His Last Photograph, Taken the Year Before His Death, and Made From the Only Negative Saved From The Disastrous Savage Fire.



The accompanying picture of the late President Brigham Young is a reproduction of a print from a negative that has a history.

The photograph was taken by C. R. Savage, the veteran camera operator of this city. It was taken originally at the request of John W. Young, who was anxious that a statue be erected of his illustrious father. This picture, with a number of others, was accordingly taken in 1876. It was such a splendid likeness, in fact, said Mr. Savage yesterday, that to look at it was to see President Young again as he really was. Mr. Savage had occasion to hunt up the negative one day and on being called away slipped it into his desk. Shortly afterwards the Savage Art gallery was burned down. While the fire was raging someone entered the place and succeeded in carrying out the desk. In this way this now very valuable negative was preserved, the only one out of some 12,000 that were stored on the premises and which represented the work of 23 years. Mr. Savage entered the photographic business in Salt Lake in 1869 and had collected negatives of Pioneer scenes which today would be practically priceless. Mr. Savage has had the picture enlarged and has secured a copyright on it.

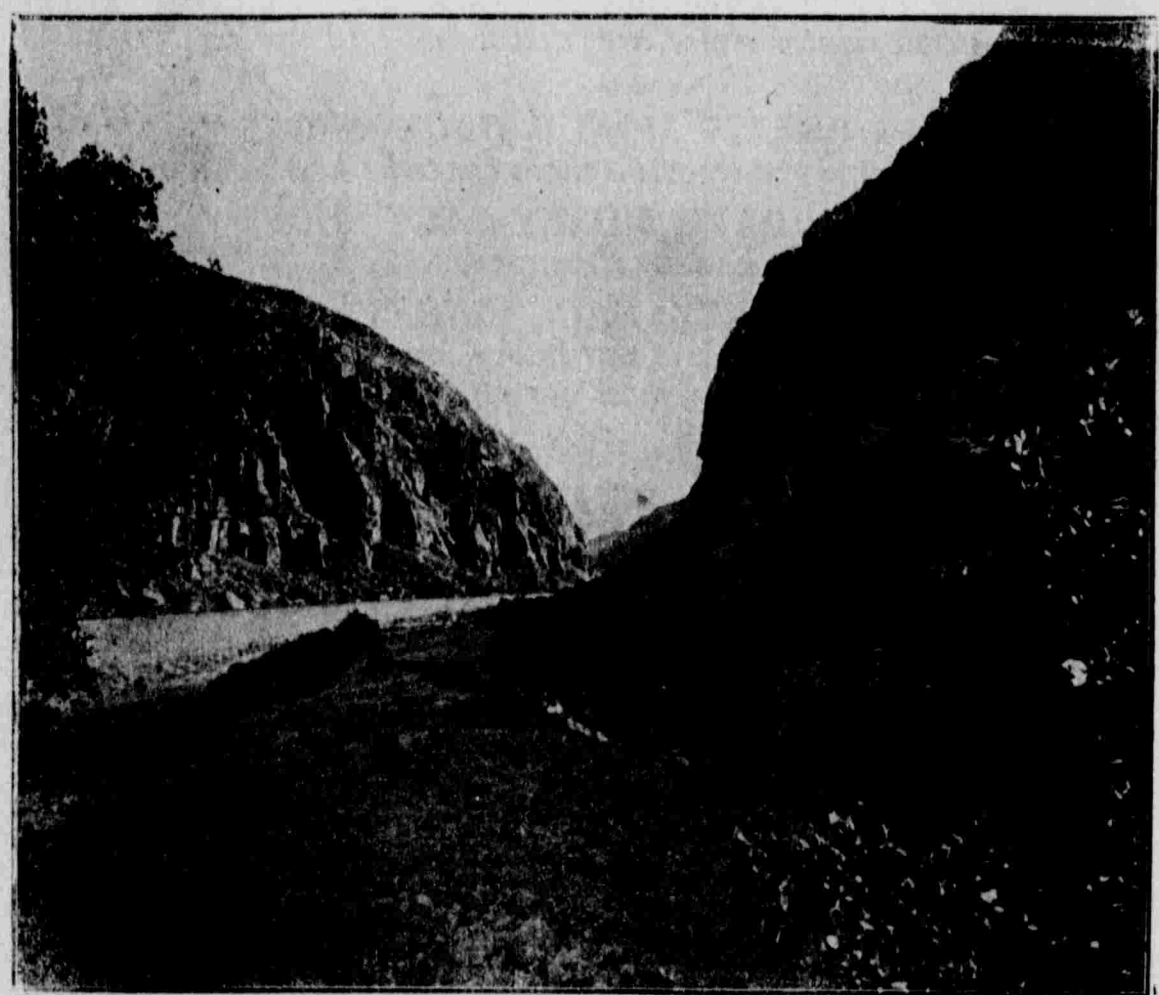


Photo by Savage.

## IN THE MEADOW VALLEY WASH.

Narrows Through Which the Floods and Torrents of Spring Rushed in the Recent Storm.

Since March 24th the eyes of the railroad world have been focused on the Meadow Valley wash, Nev., the scene of a series of washouts possibly without parallel in the history of railroad building in the west. For two weeks big gangs of men have been repairing the main line of the Salt Lake Route through the Meadow Valley wash and filling in the honeycomb work of the flood which descended 14 days ago.

This wash commences immediately below Caliente, Nev., and continues on for fully 75 miles toward Moapa. Shortly after leaving Caliente on the right hand side of the track, looking southwest, is a large white rock on which can still be discerned the letters

asked: "Benny, what does 'Amen' mean?" "It means, you mustn't touch it," was the prompt reply. "Why Benny, you ought to be ashamed of yourself," called Mamma, who had overheard the definition. "Well, I guess that's all right," replied Benny. "Amen" means you mustn't touch it. "Why Benny, it doesn't mean anything of the kind." "Well, I guess it does," stoutly answered Benny, "for you told me yourself last winter."

"Now you are telling a story," replied Mamma. "I could not have told you anything like that."

"But, you did, Mamma, when I was going to bed one night," again said the sturdy cracker. "You said 'Amen' means you mustn't touch it."

And then Mamma remembered the occasion, but what she had really said was: "Amen, so let it be."

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## MEXICO BEING AMERICANIZED.

By Steady Influx of Capital, Machinery, Push and Energy.

SO SAYS F. J. HAGENBARTH.

Natives of That Country Are Catching The Fever of Enterprise and Are Doing Things.

Mr. F. J. Hagenbarth, former president of the National Livestock association, stated this noon, after his return from Mexico, that the Republic was being Americanized very fast by the steady influx of American capital, machinery, and push and energy. Even the Mexicans themselves are catching the fever of enterprise, and really doing something, especially in the way of land sales, and are interesting themselves in industrial and manufacturing propositions. Americans are doing more than ever in the way of developing mining lands, as well as in the development of plantations, so that land all over the country is now selling at much higher figures than in past years.

Mr. Hagenbarth reports excellent grazing along the northern border on account of the plentiful rains, so that the live stock interests are in good condition. He found El Paso rapidly growing so that it is now a city of about 20,000 inhabitants, and spreading out to the north and to the east. The city has a new union passenger station costing half a million, which, Mr. Hagenbarth said, made him feel sick as he contemplated what Salt Lake had put up with for so many years. It is located in the southeastern section of the city about where the old Rock Island depot used to be, and the trains from the Southern Pacific, the G. H. & S. A., the Santa Fe, the Rock Island, the El Paso & North-western, the Texas & Pacific, the Mexican Central and the Sierra Madre & Pacific roads are all running in there.

Mr. Hagenbarth gave some attention while in Arizona to the local feeling in the matter of statehood, and confirms the reports of the local determination to remain in a territorial status indefinitely rather than consent to any organic union with New Mexico. However, some of the capitalistic classes favor such union on the ground that it is cheaper to run one state government than two; and the national administration desires the union, as the idea of having four United States Senators from the sparsely settled part of the country with double the vote of New York, is not to be entertained. Mr. Hagenbarth had a strenuous time trying to get out of southern California. For days, every way he would turn he would hear of washouts on this, that or the other road, until it seemed as though travel would stop entirely for the indefinite period. However, he finally managed to reach San Francisco, and then came home to Salt Lake.

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### MANY COME TO WED.

Rush of Business in Marriage License Department of Clerk's Office.

The usual rush was on this week in the marriage license department of the county clerk's office on account of the conference visitors and a large number of licenses were issued to out of town people. Those to whom licenses were issued during the week are:

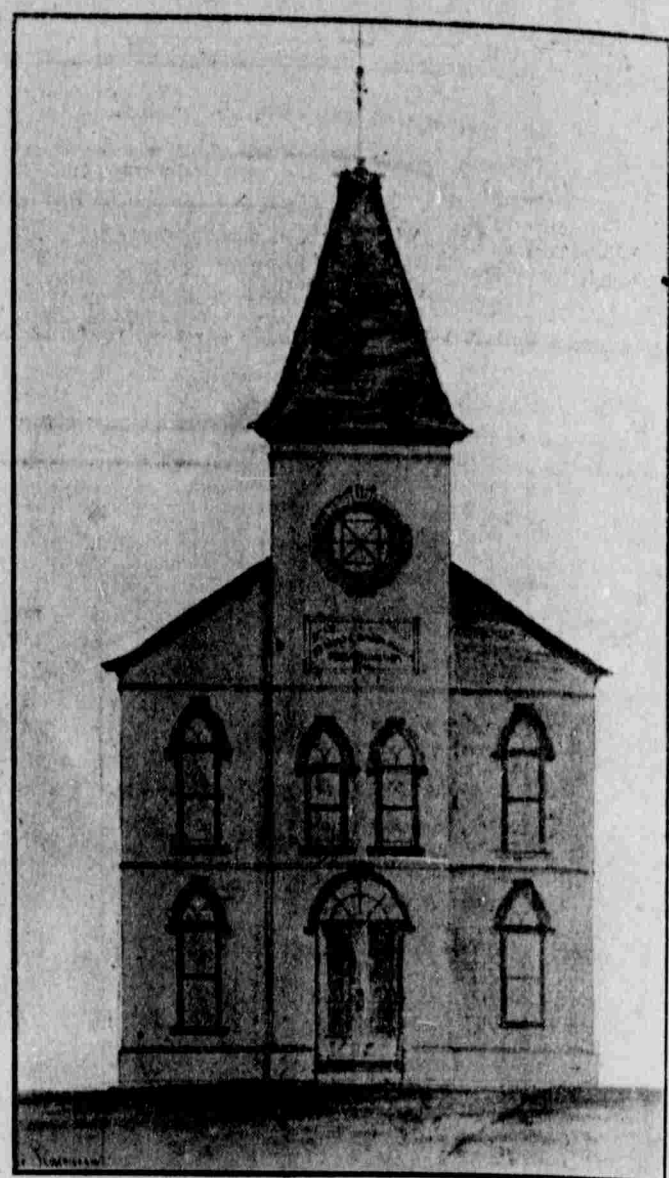
Claude Ellery, Salt Lake; Gladys Brind, Salt Lake; Walter Kiron, London, Eng.; Elizabeth Jones, Salt Lake; Grady J. Willock, Salt Lake; Mary Alice Kennelly, Salt Lake; Anton Nelson, Minneapolis; Flora S. Winkley, Salt Lake; Woodson Ingram, Salt Lake; Lillie Tietjen, Salt Lake; Frank M. Staley, Kansas City, Mo.; Ethel Hadlock, Kansas City, Mo.; Edward H. Hondo, Jr., Bannock, Ida.; Mattie Rund, Logan; Andrew Adamson, Jr., Murray; Martha Houston, Salt Lake; Henry C. Tremayne, Salt Lake; Caroline Grant, Salt Lake; John F. Mulgrew, New York; Elizabeth V. Waters, St. Louis; Milton L. Scott, Tabor, Can.; May Rita Tolley, Montezuma, Ariz.; Joseph R. Stutz, Calders; Clara M. Coombs, Leavitt, Can.; John H. Russell, Tabor, Can.; Josephine Francis, Tabor, Can.; Raymond G. Hardy, Sterling, Can.; Mary Clark, Sterling, Can.; Charles W. Pratt, Salt Lake; Alice L. Cunningham, Salt Lake; Sarah L. Bryson, Woodruff, Utah; Julius Lampert, Roxburg, Ida.; Anna Loetscher, Salt Lake; Leo E. Woodruff, Salt Lake; Eda Rohrbach, Salt Lake; Rudger Phillips, Thatcher, Utah; Nancy Sims, Pima, Ariz.; Hyrum T. Moss, La Belle, Ida.; Nora E. Cook, La Belle, Ida.; George J. Conley, Pueblo, Colo.; Annie Sharp, Salt Lake; John R. Williams, Blackfoot, Ida.; Marie L. Hutzley, Salt Lake; Achle H. Pettis, Salt Lake; Rae Winkless, Salt Lake; Christian Sorenson, Benjamin, Utah; Florence M. Dexter, Benjamin, Utah; George W. Eastman, Woodruff, Utah; Sarah L. Bryson, Woodruff, Utah; George F. McDermott, Clifton, Ida.; Jennie Fisher, Oxford, Ida.; Albert J. Folkerson, Salt Lake; Rosette Price, Salt Lake; Elsie Ruesenbeck, Collinston, Utah; Agnes N. Hawks, Garland, Utah; Reuben Humburg, Ovid; Edith Smith, Sharon, Ida.; Edna Pointer, Bloomington, Ida.; Dorothy Patterson, Bloomington, Ida.; Ewell Hill, Fayette; Catherine M. Gould, Sunnyside; Giuseppe Silvertrued, Mercur; Margherita Ghio, Mercur; Nels J. Jensen, Murray; Alexandra Lofahl, Murray; Joseph Nell, Pocatello; Prudie Bailey, Pocatello; Oscar J. Hansen, Blackfoot; Anna A. Bahlke, Blackfoot; James E. Christensen, Brigham City; Yuline Welbel, Salt Lake.

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## NEW DANISH MISSION HOUSE.

Perspective View of One to be Erected at Aalborg This Year.



The accompanying illustration represents the new mission house which will be erected this year in the city of Aalborg, Denmark. In January last a building lot was purchased in Aalborg by the Church, through the agency of Elder Jens M. Christensen, president of the Scandinavian mission. The premises are situated on the corner of Waldemars Gade and Svends Gade, in the central part of a new addition to the rapidly growing city of Aalborg. The purchase price was 6,000 kroner (nearly \$1,700). The contemplated building will consist of two stories, of which the lower story will contain a room for smaller meetings, rooms for the accommodation of missionaries, a baptismal room (with font) and a tenement for a small family. The upper will contain a meeting hall, large enough to accommodate at least 300 persons. It is interesting to note the fact that the building lot was purchased from an estate, in which near relatives of Sister Julia Hyde, of Spring City, Utah, widow of the late Apostle Orson Hyde, are financially interested.

Aalborg is in point of size, Denmark's fifth city and had 31,462 inhabitants in 1901. The four larger cities of the kingdom are Copenhagen, Frederiksberg, Aarhus and Odense. Aalborg is beautifully situated on the south side of "Limfjorden" (the most interesting of all the fjords of Denmark) and is the seat of the diocese, of which there are seven in the country.

After Apostle Erastus Snow and his fellow-laborers had successfully planted the Gospel standard in Copenhagen and organized a flourishing branch there, Elder George F. Dykes was sent to Aalborg to commence missionary labors in the province of Jutland. He arrived in Aalborg, Oct. 19, 1856, and soon found friends among the Baptists, among whom he made his first converts, and baptized eight of them Oct. 17, 1859, as the first fruits of his labors in the city. The first person baptized was Hans Peter Jensen, who afterwards figured as the most prominent local missionary in Scandinavia in an early day, and who subsequently, after his arrival in Utah, took a leading part in the building up of Brigham City, Utah. One of his daughters (Minnie) became the wife of the late President Snow. Another one of Elder Dykes's first converts in Aalborg was the late Hans F. Petersen, who in 1851, became the first Latter-day Saint missionary to Norway and who, at the time of his death, was one of the foremost citizens of Ephraim, Sanpete county, Utah.

Others having been baptized, a branch of the Church was organized in Aalborg, Nov. 25, 1859, with Hans Peter Jensen as president; and ever since that time the Aalborg branch has been one of the most flourishing and lively branches in the Scandinavian mission. It has also had a most interesting history which, when written, will read like romance. In no part of Denmark were the Saints exposed to such violent persecutions and mobbings, as were the members of the Aalborg branch in the beginning, and Aalborg is also the only place in all Scandinavia where any Latter-day Saint has been murdered for the testimony of Jesus. The occasion referred to was the beating to death in 1876 of a young man who had recently joined the Church.

Soon after the organization of the branch in Aalborg, other branches were raised up in the surrounding country, and thus Aalborg soon became the headquarters of a conference, from which more Latter-day Saints have emigrated to Zion than from any other part of the world, in proportion to the

number of inhabitants dwelling in that part of the country, which is embraced in the conference. President Anthon H. Lund is a native of Aalborg, and embraced the Gospel there. The late President C. D. Fieldstead was one of the first presidents of the Aalborg conference, though a native of Copenhagen. Among the long list of conference presidents we find the names of Christen Christensen, the first man ordained to the Melchisedek Priesthood in Scandinavia, and who died recently in Mant, Utah; Johannes Larsen and Lauritz Larsen, two brothers, both of whom died as faithful and prominent members in Spring City, Utah; Hans Jensen, who acted for many years as Bishop of Mant South ward, Utah, and who is still alive; Jens Jensen, the present Bishop of Forest Dale, Salt Lake county; Peter O. Hansen, one of the pioneer missionaries of Denmark; Niels Mortensen (Petersen), who died recently as one of the foremost citizens of Richfield, Utah; Niels P. Rasmussen, who acted for many years as Bishop of Levan, Utah; Simon Chris-

tenson, now a man of prominence in the Sevier stake; Ferdinand P. Hintze, who is at present in Boston, Mass., engaged in publishing the Book of Mormon in the Turkish language, and many others. Also the writer of these lines filed his first foreign mission, laboring as a traveling Elder in Aalborg conference. From the very beginning, in which to hold meetings were rented in Aalborg; and for nearly 40 years the conference headquarters and meeting hall were in the well known historic premises, Urbanagade 26, well remembered by us Elders who then frequently found a welcome, though very temporary, abode, after our long and weary tramps as Gospel messengers, into the surrounding country. The old building was destroyed by fire only a few months ago, but before that happened, our brethren had moved the conference headquarters to where they are at present in Norregade, and where they undoubtedly will remain until a new mission building shall be ready for occupancy. ANDREW JENSEN.

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