

ed and unanimously sustained; J. R. Clark was sustained clerk of the Iowa conference.

On Monday President Stout held two Priesthood meetings, at which all the Elders spoke; those who had been laboring reported their labors, which was very encouraging. Elders Steut and Butterworth assigned the Elders to their fields of labor as follows: For the Iowa conference, Wm. J. Butterworth and Otto Johnson; for Boone, Boone county, Iowa, Miles F. Weaver and Fredrick J. Christensen; for Mills town, Jackson county, Wis., Jens J. Jensen and Joseph M. Green; for Blackbird, Putnam county, Mo., Stephen A. Bunker and Austin Kearns; for Decatur, Burt county, Neb., Joshua H. Cook and Henry L. McMullin; for Biglow, Holt county, Neb., Hans J. Neilson and George A. Whitlock; for St. Johns, Stafford county, Kansas, Philip J. Garn and Joshua R. Clark.

On Monday night Elder C. A. Hall delivered a lecture, subject, "The reasons why I became a Latter-day Saint." He occupied an hour and a half and held his audience as if by magic, with the exception of one or two interruptions by a Re-organizer. Space will not permit me to write further of his highly interesting lecture, but I will say that he left no standing room for the factions. Great credit is due Sister Huntington for furnishing the means with which to make the hall comfortable for the Saints, and to Mr. F. Halladay and wife for their labors in arranging the hall, and for the great kindness extended to the Elders. Elder Chillion Miller will go with President Stout to Taswell, in southern Indiana, and conference will be held there on the 29th and 30th of September.

J. R. CLARK,  
Clerk of Conference.

### TRIP TO TUBA.

TUBA, Arizona, Sept. 17, 1894.

According to the custom for several years past, the presidency of the Snowflake Stake have just completed the usual visit to this distant ward of Tuba in said Stake.

The party left Snowflake on the 7th inst., passing through the Woodruff and St. Joseph wards, spending Sunday, the 9th, at the latter, and being recruited from several settlements, made a final start on Monday, the 10th. The numerical strength of the company was twenty-eight persons, six wagons and sixteen animals. It seemed quite like old times as we journeyed quietly along. For traveling the company was organized with a captain, chaplain, chorister and historian. Camp prayer was attended to morning and evening, and all passed along as pleasantly as could be expected. Hymns were sung and lectures given by the elderly brethren during the evenings.

On the evening of the 14th we arrived a Tuba, having accomplished the journey of about 185 miles from Snowflake without accident.

On the 15th and 16th five meetings were held with the good and kind Saints of Tuba. As this was the occasion of Ward conference, a vote was taken to sustain the ward authorities. The vote was unanimous in each instance.

Much good instruction and encouragement were given by the visiting brethren and sisters, and the resident Saints of Tuba, by their generous hospitality, made the stay of the visitors very pleasant indeed, and one long to be remembered.

On Monday, the 17th, the party separated; President Jesse N. Smith, Counselor L. H. Hatch, Bishop Z. B. Decker and a few others continuing their journey by team and wagon, to the north, intending to be present in the Salt Lake City at the October Conference; while Counselor Joseph H. Richards and the remainder of the party prepared to return home.

L. M. SAVAGE.

### THE TERRITORIAL FAIR.

FROM MONDAY'S DAILY, OCTOBER 1.

The damp weather put no damper upon the army of workers engaged in arranging the exhibits at the Fair. Since last Saturday morning an amount of work has been done in the Exposition building which is simply immense, and this evening all will be made ready for the grand opening tomorrow, though some of the exhibits are not completely arranged.

The architectural effects that have been imparted to the booths in the main building are striking and pleasing in the extreme. The exhibit which will attract the most attention and elicit the greatest amount of praise, is that of the Grant Soap company. It is a structure in the form of a monument comprising a pedestal, shaft and dome, and is nearly twenty feet high. The walls consist of blocks, slabs, strips, cakes and pieces of soap, showing more, and more brilliant, colors than any rainbow. Within the pedestal, which is about seven feet square, is suspended an arc light, and in the dome is another. At night, when these two lights are turned on, and show through the translucent material of which the structure is composed, wonderfully heightening the brilliancy of the gorgeous colors of the soap walls, the effect is something which must be seen to be appreciated. Not the least artistic feature of this singular and beautiful creation are the labels and mottoes, designed primarily as advertisements, which have been engraved, in graceful characters, upon the soap walls. Mr. B. F. Grant designed the structure, and Mr. Kletting, architect, drew it to a scale, while the manual manipulation of the soap was done by Mr. Andrew Kimball. In one panel of the pedestal is the Temple, and in the opposite panel is the city and county building, done in soap. Carved in the slabs that comprise the body of the shaft is the beehive, and the walls of the pedestal are overlaid with cakes of Beehive soap, the leading brand made by the firm, each cake containing a sunken panel of castile soap of some brilliant color. The dome is a beehive. The effect of the whole structure is novel, beautiful and grand.

The booth of the Salt Lake Brewing Co. is a beautiful thing, architecturally. It is a bower, having open arched sides. The corner columns are made of barrels. The arches are fringed with bottles of beer, and the base is surrounded with a row of white glass

bottles filled with barley. The interior of the bower is filled with exotics, and the appearance of the structure as a whole is very fine.

Stenzel & Co., furriers, occupy the northwest corner of the main building, which is a sort of wild beasts' den, novel and attractive in appearance, and artistic in the arrangement of its contents.

The Wasatka Mineral Water Co. has a pyramid of bottles of a size and so arranged as to produce a fine effect, and Hewlet Bros. show the liquid goods they produce, in a very attractive way.

The Western Manufacturing Co., of Ogden, are making an ambitious and successful effort to show that portion of the world which will attend the Fair, what they are doing for mankind in the way of providing material for keeping the race clean. Their leading brand is the Lion Soap, and they have a capacious booth, square in shape and very neat in architectural style, in which are displayed the various kinds of soaps they manufacture. As the Usonian gazes upon what is here displayed he may well assert that Utah is now independent of the whole world so far as soap is concerned.

A piece of architecture which is destitute of either paint or sham, is shown by the Salt Lake Pressed Brick company. It is a facade constructed against the wall at the south end of the main building, and is designed to show the color and quality of their brick, the kinds of work that may be done, and the beautiful effects that may be accomplished with it. This piece of work is worth looking at by those who admire handsome and artistic effects in brick. Geo. R. Cushing handled the trowel.

Hewlett Bros., manufacturers of the Three Crown baking powder, have the front of a cottage constructed of cans of their baking powder, which is a unique, novel and beautiful thing. It has doors, windows, etc., and adds to the impression that taste in architecture is a leading feature of this Fair.

The display which is being made by the J. G. McDonald Candy and Paper Box Co., though not characterized by any particular architectural design, is nevertheless extensive and attractive.

The horticultural exhibit, though its arrangement is incomplete at this writing, makes the mouth of the beholder water. It is taking up more room than was at first intended, and the good things that grow on trees and vines, which are embraced in it, are wonderful in variety, beauty and quality.

Much of today was consumed in the field crops department in arranging, in artistic style, the samples of grain and vegetables which will certainly attract much attention and favorable comment.

Z. C. M. I. is engaged in arranging a display of boots, shoes and clothing manufactured by it, which will be, when completed, exceedingly creditable in extent, variety and quality.

The departments and exhibits assigned to the gallery, which embrace the art and woman's work departments, and a number of exhibits, will prove well worth inspecting. The art department is sure to attract vast crowds, and will elicit surprise and admiration. It will prove that Utah possesses painters of genius, and