



L. D. S. UNIVERSITY.

Salt Lake City—Miss Holmgren has gone to Nephth today to lecture on domestic science.

In zoology the crayfish was completed last week and some very fine drawings and compositions have been handed in.

At a meeting of the '07 class this week it was decided to form a basketball team with Mr. Miller as captain. Miss Margaret Whitney favored the meeting with two recitations.

President Paul spoke before the shorthand class meeting on Wednesday, on the subject, "The Ideal Stenographer." Neatness, silence, discretion, good English, cheerfulness and ambition were among the qualifications that were declared necessary for success in this line of work.

The Dinwoody Furniture Company presented a magnificent 12-foot dining table to the domestic science department this week. This table, exactly suited to the needs of the dining room service, entitles the company to our thanks for their generosity.

The seniors have a new and beautiful banner of their class colors, red and white, with the letters 'L. D. S.' in the middle. The banner is one of the finest and most expensive thus far purchased in the school.

An excellent system of "checking" is being used in the office. Reports of absence or tardiness are handed in daily from all teachers. The reports are mailed to parents, and no student is allowed to enter class, when once absent or tardy, without a properly signed excuse.

It is hard for our graduates to leave the school. This year Prof. Mills is conducting a class in anthropology and ethnology for old students and a great deal of interest is taken in it. It is a thorough course during the year. Anthropology is studied during the first semester, and ethnology second.

The kindergarten has begun to prepare the Thanksgiving program. The last week they have been taking up the domestic animals, their use to man, and their relationship to one another. The children are brought to realize that a part of their living depends on these animals, and that they must treat them kindly.

In United States history, under Prof. Hinkley, topics in the "American Statesman" series have been assigned to individual students for outside reading. In American history, under Prof. Mills, the "Age of the Tyrants" is being covered. Topics and discussions on incidents and characters of this age have been treated by different students before the class.

Archibald Webb, former treasurer of the shorthand class, has left school to take a position. Miss Ethel Heyworth was chosen to succeed him as treasurer of the class. Joseph Heyworth, a student of the shorthand class, has taken a position as stenographer to Judge Brown of the juvenile court. Miss Helen Jordan has taken a position as bookkeeper in the office of the McDonald Candy company. Miss Julia Fraser has taken a position as stenographer to Mr. D. H. Pierce. Owing to increased attendance several additional typewriters have been placed in the typewriting department. The students who began shorthand at the fall opening of the school have completed their study of the vowels and are taking sentences from dictation.

UNIVERSITY OF UTAH.

Salt Lake City—President Kingsbury will stop off at Boulder on his eastern trip and see the football game. Last year he was the only representative of the school at Denver to witness that game.

It is expected that the mill will be ready so that it can be used next Thursday.

Meers, Spiegel and Forsberg have been working on the dynamo laboratory in the physical building extension, and report that it will be ready for use next week.

Captain Tibbey will address the Engineering society next Tuesday evening at their regular meeting. His subject will be "Air Ventilation." Capt. Tibbey is a well known mining man and his work on this line has attracted considerable attention, both at home and abroad. An invitation is extended to all who are interested.

The University Dramatic club is rehearsing "The Merry Wives of Windsor" and by appearances at present will give a very creditable presentation.

The Engineering society is planning to give its annual dance on Dec. 1. Committee on decoration, hall, refreshments.

ments and reception have been appointed and the affair promises to be the dance of the year, excepting the junior prom.

A reception is being planned for the football team on its return Monday. Last year the team was surprised by being welcomed home from Denver, but this year they will be entertained better than any other team has ever been.

The department of zoology has received a shipment of nineteen crayfish for use of the students in zoology.

Dr. Merrill has received a new instrument for measuring electric potential. It will be installed in the electric laboratory in the Physical building.

The football team is congratulating itself upon receiving a large white silk flag from the Theta Upsilon Sorority. A large red 'U' is in the center of the flag, and makes a very neat appearance.

A movement is on foot by the students in chemistry to bring a "Motor grinder." The machine will pulverize any solid that is to be examined, and works by electricity. It saves a great deal of labor and ought to be purchased.

Students were sorry to learn of the death of Mr. Day, an art scholar. He died last Monday from an attack of appendicitis. His remains were shipped to his home in Richmond last Wednesday.

SALT LAKE CITY SCHOOLS.

Salt Lake—The word has gone forth from the superintendent's office that physical education is to be pushed to the foreground in the local schools. Not only is manual training to be daily emphasized, but also is receiving attention in nearly all the grades.

Now comes the assurance that the high school is to be favored. The general sentiment is that a thoroughly equipped gymnasium should be an adjunct of the school. Members of the school board have promised their support to this enterprising movement, and the assurance comes from the superintendent that he favors this greatly desired improvement. The 1,000 pupils of the High school are enthusiastic in their expressions of hope that in the very near future the announcement may be made that the contract has been let.

Physical education is the name given to the course to be supervised by Miss Johnson, late of New York. Her instructions are for short but effective drills. Principals have already been coached by her in their part which she expects them to play in the new branch school for the present three drills daily will be given in all the buildings.

Regular meetings in music, drawing and manual training were held at the Lafayette by the respective supervisors, on Tuesday and Wednesday last.

During the last week of the Christmas holidays, three morning sessions will be held by the city schools. This will give the visiting teachers from other Utah points an opportunity to see the activities of the local schools, as a working body. No attempt to exhibit or display will be attempted; on the other hand, the regular scheduled work will be carried out.

A dancing party will be tendered the Pueblo football team by the seniors of the High school, this evening at Unity hall.

Rev. Goshen addressed the High school in assembly last Monday morning.

The prospective graduating class of the Lincoln has neither tardy nor absent marks against it for the past two months. They consider it a record-breaker, and are proud of the distinction, which they think is not shared by other classes in the city. Next.

BRIGHAM YOUNG UNIVERSITY.

Provo—Principal John Greer of Spanish Fork spent Monday visiting departments of the school.

The White and Blue was welcomed by many subscribers this week.

Registrar John E. Hayes has recovered his health sufficiently to be in school again.

Prof. Hickman did educational work in Sanpete county last Saturday and Sunday.

Many county teachers spent their visiting day in the training school last week.

Dr. and Mrs. Wildsee, with other Church school workers will hold Farmers' institute at Nephi on Saturday.

Our old friend, Patriarch John Evans of Payson, spent Tuesday with us.

The '07 enjoyed themselves at a

The Christmas News

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THE CHRISTMAS NEWS, the regular annual compilation of facts and figures relating to Utah's growth and development during the year, will be issued on Saturday, Dec. 16.

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The Christmas News will contain as usual, the record of the progress of our state and city during the past year, with the mining, real estate, agricultural, building, commercial and stock growing fields thoroughly covered. It will, in fact, be the business history of the year epitomized.

It will also contain the usual literary features and artistic illustrations which have given the Christmas News a distinct reputation throughout the entire country.

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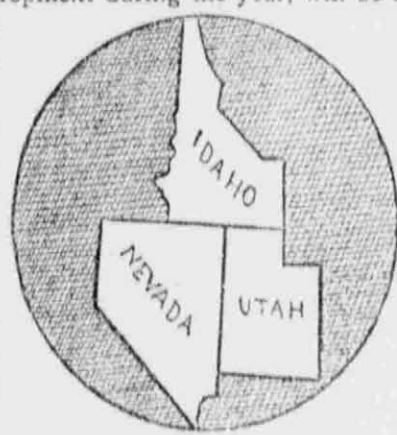
Fifty dollars will be awarded for the best Christmas story submitted for this publication, to consist of not more than 8,500 words (about seven columns of the "News.")

Twenty-five dollars will be paid for the best Christmas poem submitted, not to exceed 1,200 words.

Twenty-five dollars will also be paid for the best article submitted on the topic "Salt Lake City in the Next Five Years," not to exceed 2,500 words.

All articles must be submitted before Nov. 20. They should be addressed to "The Deseret News, Salt Lake City, Utah, Christmas department." Each article submitted should be signed a fictitious name or initial, and be accompanied by another envelope sealed, containing the real name of the author. On this envelope should be written "This envelope contains the real name of —." Here insert the initial or fictitious name employed.)

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In most successfully the lecture course which the college is giving jointly with the Brigham Young college.

The Agricultural College Woman's club met Monday with Mrs. Sidney Stevens. The weekly lesson was conducted by Mrs. Naylor and as the books that the club is studying on Germany had arrived the meeting was an especially profitable one.

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ST. MARK'S HOSPITAL.

History of the Institution in Whose Aid Next Thursday's Ball Will be Given.

The idea of a public hospital in Salt Lake City was first suggested about the year 1872, by Mayor Walker, who was at that time superintendent of a man named the hospital. The first small adobe building on the northeast corner of Fifth East and Fourth south to a rented building, which had been prepared especially for the work, which at this time had grown somewhat larger. The majority of the patients who came to the hospital were from the mines in the vicinity of Salt Lake, whose employees were willing to contribute at each per month from their wages to a hospital fund, which would entitle them to care and treatment whenever they might need it. This property was purchased in 1879. On June 4, 1879, the first hospital was incorporated, the original incorporators being Bishop Tuttle, the Rev. R. M. Kirby, R. C. Chambers, Geo. A. Lewis, L. E. Holden, W. C. Gallagher, and George R. Ayres. Mr. Kirby was made superintendent and treasurer, and continued to act in this capacity until 1881. He was succeeded as superintendent and treasurer by the Rev. Chas. M. Armstrong, who continued in charge until 1889.

The Rev. Abel Leonard, S. T. D., succeeded Bishop Tuttle as director and president in 1889. Since that time the hospital has been somewhat enlarged by the addition of some wooden wards and its capacity was about 25 beds—the patients almost entirely miners. Mrs. E. G. Pratt was matron and cared for the patients with the most maternal comfort of the men. The nurses were all males, and had only such knowledge of nursing as can be secured by observation and practice.

Dr. J. P. Hamilton was the medical director. He was, in fact, one of the founders of the institution, and was for several years one of its trustees. No one could have taken more interest in the work than he did. When he died his funeral took place in the hospital. This was very fitting in the case of one whose whole life was so entirely wrapped up in it.

In 1892 the beginning was made toward the erection of the present St. Mark's hospital on the lots opposite the Warm Springs, and in June, 1893, the building was completed.

In the year 1894 the hospital had grown to such an extent that it became apparent that it must have a resident superintendent. Accordingly the Rev. D. Douglas Wallace was elected in September, 1894. Dr. P. S. Bascom was elected medical director June 4, 1894, and has been elected annually since.

Miss Newitt, who organized the training school in 1894, was succeeded as head nurse by Miss Catherine Johnson, and she in turn by Miss Mary Mitchell, and she by Mrs. Nellie Crossland, the present incumbent.

In 1897 the Hamilton wing of four stories was added to the main hospital building.

The number of patients is increasing steadily year by year, and the present year notes the largest number ever cared for. The Rev. George C. Hunting is the present superintendent of the hospital.

The medical staff is composed of F. S. Bascom, M. D., director; S. H. Pinkerton, M. D., A. C. Ewing, M. D., A. C. Behlie, M. D., Union Worthington, M. D., A. E. Howe, M. D., John P. Critchlow, M. D., G. H. Ploutz, oculist and aurist; J. C. Landenberg, house doctor; T. B. Beatty, M. D., D. Moore Lindsay, M. D., H. La Motte, M. D., A. A. Kerr, M. D., P. E. Jones, M. D., and others. The staff is made up of the best known and most successful practitioners of medicine in Salt Lake. Patients come to them constantly from all the surrounding area. Each patient pays his own terms with his physician. Any physician of good standing in the medical society of Salt Lake is allowed to bring patients to the hospital and treat them whenever there are vacant rooms to be had.

St. Mark's hospital is a public institution whose sole object is the benefit of humanity. It has no endowment, nor do the people of Salt Lake contribute in any way to its support, except in the generous patronage of an annual ball, which it has given during the winter months. The proceeds of the ball to be given Thursday evening next go for the building and the purchase of the land on which it is situated. It does more than most people conceive.

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