

Seddon presiding. The services were largely attended, and numerous expressions of sorrow were heard concerning the death of the deceased, who had in life been a most estimable man, possessed of many strong characteristics. The opening prayer was offered by Elder Samuel Priday, and the speakers were Elders Richard Brimley, Alex. Buchannan Sr., Bishop Thorn of the Seventh ward, John H. Burton, assistant superintendent of the Salt Lake Stake Sunday schools, Willard Burton, John Nicholson, Joseph E. Taylor of the Stake presidency, and Bishop Seddon. Four little girls, members of the Sunday school, feelingly sang I Need Thee Every Hour. The benediction was pronounced by Elder Thomas Nuttall. There were many beautiful floral tributes. At the cemetery, members of the ward choir sang Rest for the Weary Soul, and Elder S. H. Harrow dedicated the grave.

San Francisco Chronicle: This afternoon at 10 o'clock the Utah cavalry will leave the Presidio for the Yosemite and Sequoia Park. There have been several delays, but now the 100 troopers, with their train of three prairie schooners, two buckboards, five civilian wagoners and packers, an army surgeon and a hospital private, will start in heavy marching order on the fourteen days' journey down the Santa Clara valley, across the Coast range, through Pacheco Pass, across the San Joaquin valley and into the Sierra Nevada. Contrary to earlier expectations, all the troopers and pack mules will go with the original party. There will be three officers and ninety-five enlisted men, not counting the civilian teamsters. One officer and five enlisted men must be left behind because of their inability to undertake the march. The officer is First Lieut. Benner K. Smith, who went to the Waldeck sanitarium yesterday with a slight fever, from which he expects to recover in a few days. He will follow by train and overtake the troop. Two of the men remaining are ill in the post hospital, two are physically unfitted for the long march and one will return to Salt Lake with an honorable discharge for physical disability.

The line of march through the city today will be Lombard street, Van Ness avenue, Market, Eleventh and Army streets into San Bruno road and thence to Uncle Tom's Cabin, where the first day's camp will be made.

The proceedings at the Tabernacle yesterday were by the conjoint Mutual Improvement associations, it being the annual conference of those bodies. In the morning the time was occupied in the reading of reports thoroughly covering the work of the associations throughout the State. The general superintendency were sustained and the other officers are as follows:

Young Men's League—
Superintendent—Richard R. Lyman.
Counselors—Joseph F. Merrill and Heber C. Iverson.
Secretary and Treasurer—Jesse B. Higgs.
Corresponding Secretary—William G. Sears.

Musical Director—Professor John J. McClellan.

Aids—T. A. Clawson, F. M. Lyman, Jr., Louis R. Wells, George S. McAllister, D. J. Lang, H. D. Barber, Joseph A. West, A. A. Belstey, Benjamin B. Brown, Albert S. Spence, Thomas Cook, Arthur E. White, Joseph S. Mousley, Zach Butterfield, J. S. Rawlings, P. J. Sanders, Frederick Best, G. M. Mumford, Oliver Jensen.

Young Ladies' League—
President—Mary A. Freeze.
First Counselor—Mary P. Young.

Second Counselor—Nellie C. Taylor.
Secretary—Elizabeth C. Cartwright.
Treasurer—Lucy W. Smith.
Corresponding Secretary—Minnie H. James.

Recording Secretary—Lizzie G. Fowler.

Aids—Maria Holt, Edith Sampson, Clara C. Carlyle, Mary E. Irvine, Elizabeth Horne, Zina B. Cannon, Annie J. Murphy, Isabelle Erickson, Emily Caldwell, Laura H. Merrill, Rena Wheeler, Mary Belle Richards, Donette Smith.

The afternoon services were opened with singing:

Behold the mountain of the Lord.

Prayer by Elder Jos. E. Taylor.

Singing:

O, My Father.

Sisters Emily Caldwell and Emma Goddard addressed the congregation, as did Elder Geo. M. Cannon, President Angus M. Cannon, Elder Junius F. Wells and Apostle Owen Woodruff.

The choir sang:

Glory be to God, our Deliverer.

Both sessions of the conference were presided over by Elder Heber C. Iverson.

FROM TUESDAY'S DAILY, AUGUST 16.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Luff of the Twentieth ward, started yesterday afternoon on a sad errand to San Francisco. It was to minister to the wants of A. W. Naisbitt, a relative, of Capt. Caine's Utah cavalry, he having been stricken with typhoid pneumonia a few days ago. On arrival at Ogden they received a telegram advising them not to proceed further, as the young man was dead. They returned at four o'clock this morning. It is not certain whether the body will be disinterred and brought here or not.

Deceased is a son of H. W. Naisbitt of the Twentieth ward, well known throughout the State; his brother, Harry Naisbitt, is on a fishing trip to Yellowstone National Park and no communication with him has yet been had. The deceased went by the name of Luff; was an employee of the Salt Lake City Street Railway company, also of the Oregon Short Line railway, and was well and favorably known throughout the community. He was unmarried, and was related to Mrs. Luff, by whom he was raised, hence his dual name.

Winslow F. Smith, son of Hon. John Henry Smith, arrived from the south Monday evening, in a rather deplorable condition, the result of a severe accident which befel him at Pinto, Iron county, on Saturday. He is engaged with Z. C. M. I., and was at Pinto on business on the day named. At a house where he stopped for a short time was a windmill and the owner remarked that if one of his boys were home he would have the mill examined, to see what had caused some creaking that had been heard. In a spirit of accommodation, young Smith, who had had some experience with machinery, offered to make an investigation. The wheel was standing perfectly still, but the brake was not applied as was afterwards realized, when young Smith climbed up. He was examining the machinery when suddenly the wind gave the wheel a sharp turn, and he was thrown out from the frame, coming down head foremost, a distance of thirty-five feet. In his descent, his overalls caught on the ladder, and were torn, but the check broke the force of the blow slightly, and probably saved his life. As it was, when he struck the ground both wrists were broken, and his face and head were bruised considerably. He was given immediate and careful attention, and being considered able to make the return trip, started home.

SUNDAY SCHOOL UNION

A fair representation of the Sunday school officers and teachers of this Stake met in Union meeting last evening, Aug 15, 1898, at the Fourteenth ward assembly rooms. Nearly all of the city schools were represented, also the following schools of the county: Cannon, Center Branch, Big Cottonwood, (both schools) East Mill Creek, Forest Dale, Lovendahl's Murray, Mill Creek, Sugar, South Cottonwood, Union, Wilford.

Supt. Thomas C. Griggs presided. Opening prayer was offered by Elder Joseph W. Musser. The excellent musical exercises were rendered by the South Cottonwood choir, led by Bro. H. V. Ballard.

Elder Edwin F. Parry, asst. secy. and a missionary visitor of Stake Sunday schools, who recently returned from a mission to England, made a few appropriate remarks.

Supt. Griggs, in a few appropriate remarks anent the subject of music in the Sunday schools, directed attention to the need of more thought in selecting suitable music for the various exercises as in opening and closing, marching and sacramental service. Much of the value of music, on any occasion, but particularly in worshiping assemblies, he said, is due to its suitableness.

At the conclusion of the opening exercises, the meeting separated into the usual departments.

In the absence of Principal Richard R. Lyman, and of the lecture appointed for the evening, the work of the Theological class was conducted by Elder T. A. Clawson, who also presented a lesson from early Church history—the first miracle.

Methods adapted to work in the second intermediate department were discussed under the direction of Elder Horace Cummings.

The proper seating of the children in the classroom, for their comfort and for keeping their attention, and for convenience in distinctly hearing the lesson, etc., were discussed in the first intermediate department under the direction of Elder Wm. Bradford.

Appropriate work was also presented in the primary department.

Upon reassembling, Pres. Angus M. Cannon addressed the meeting. Said he was proud of having been a member of the first Sunday school in this State, in the house of Brother Richard Ballantine, in the Fourteenth ward, this city, in the year 1849. He directed attention to the neglect of many who attend Sunday school failing to attend their respective ward meetings to partake of the sacrament.

The anthem, Hark! Listen to the Trumpeters, was beautifully sang by the choir, the music of which was composed by Elder Edwin F. Parry.

Benediction was pronounced by Elder Levi W. Richards, and the meeting adjourned for one month.

J. H. PARRY, Secy.

Brig. Gen. Miller will today (Tuesday) move the headquarters of the Independent division, Eighth army corps, from Camp Merritt to the Presidio, Cal. The troops now at Camp Merritt will remain there at least this week, or until information is received whether or not Gen. Merritt needs any more soldiers. In the event that he does not, the troops will be moved to the Presidio and await further orders. The departure of the troops Scandia and Arizona is still delayed. It is possible that they may be sent to Manila with supplies for the troops. It will be fully a week before word is received from Gen. Merritt, signifying his wishes in regard to the remaining expeditionary forces. First Lieutenant Deford, 20th Kansas, has tendered his resignation to Col. Funston, in order that he may return to his home at Ottawa, Kas.