

GRADUATION AT THE L. O. S. U.

Large and Attentive Audience Witnessed Interesting Proceedings Last Night.

THIRTY-TWO GRADUATES.

And Several Receive Certificates in Shorter Courses—Past and Future of School is Spoken Of.

At the graduation exercises of the Latter-day Saints' University last evening, Barratt hall was crowded to the doors by friends and patrons of the school. Even standing room was at a premium. The hall was tastefully decorated. At 8:15 the graduates came in, marching to music, and took their places upon the stand in full view of the audience. They were 32 in number and presented a fine appearance. The lady graduates were in white, each wearing a red rose; the young men were in black, each wearing a red rose. The rose is the flower emblem of the school, and each class has adopted a different kind of rose. In front of the graduates were those who took part in the program.

A GOOD PROGRAM.

The student orchestra came in a little late, having been thrown out of order by the unexpected resignation of the first violin player, for whom a substitute had to be hastily secured. Prayer was offered by Prof. Horace Cummings, the newly-elected superintendent of Church schools. The orchestra substituted a waltz for their announced selection from "The Jolly Musketeers." Then the school choir, under Prof. Stephens, quickly formed upon the stage, to the number of about 100, and rendered with charming effect in beautiful music the "Spring Song" of the school.

The valedictory by Richard W. Young, Jr., was a sensible, neat, and striking paper. The make-up of the school won tremendous applause by their rendition of Parker's piece "Until the Dawn." Then followed Prof. Nelson, in the formal address of the evening, which bore the title of "Thine and Mine." Of this address President Paul said in introducing the speaker, that Prof. Nelson had been requested to present an exposition of some problem that engaged the attention of modern thought, and that, with the consent of the faculty, he had decided to offer, under the title announced, a study in real ownership, or possession in the true, spiritual sense. This paper was an embodiment of sound philosophical ideas, and appears in full in today's "News." Miss Lizzie Robinson then sang with fine effect the contralto solo from Denza, "If Thou Didd'st Love Me."

DIPLOMAS PRESENTED.

The presentation of the diplomas followed. In the absence of President Lund, who is in Canada, Hon. Joseph E. Taylor, a member of the board of trustees, performed this office in a very happy manner, incidentally giving to the graduates some sound advice upon the highest and latest form of human education—the cultivation of the spiritual nature.

A ladies' quartet, Misses Davis, Osmen, Thomas and Jones, gave an artistic rendering of Parker's "Pale in the Amber West."

PRESIDENT PAUL'S REMARKS.

President J. H. Paul stated that according to the program, it was his duty to make a few remarks upon the occasion of his retirement from the institution.

He then said: "It is best that I say as little as possible. If I have been able to accomplish anything worthy of mention during my term of service, and words are not necessary to support it. If I have not accomplished that which might be deemed worth noting, then no words could supply the deficiency or make good that which has been lacking in past actions. But whether what has been done is much or little, it has been the best that I could do under the conditions that have surrounded us and with the means at our disposal. My thanks and appreciation to those who have aided in this work were expressed in my letter of resignation; my welcome to the new president, Col. Young, in the public introduction which I gave him to the student body. It remains only to add that all differences of opinion have been removed and that harmony and progress again prevail. As a house divided against itself cannot stand, so a school divided against itself cannot prosper, and for nearly two years this school has been divided against itself. During these two years the total attendance at the institution, apart from the children in the training school and the kindergarten, has fallen off from 1,231 two years ago to 1,158 last year, and to a little less than 1,100 this year. With this sole exception of a reduction of about one-tenth of the total attendance in two years, characterized by a lack of unity of action on the part of the faculty, everything connected with the institution is in better condition than it has ever been heretofore.

Every department is better equipped, and has been in stronger hands than in any previous year of our history; the number of accredited graduates from high school courses shows an increase of 18 per cent over the total of last year, and eight times as many as were graduated five years ago. The proportion of accredited graduates to the total high school enrollment, apart from the business college students who receive no regular graduation, appears to be rather larger with us than with our sister institutions; but is still far below our final expectations. At present only about 21 per cent of those who entered school four years ago have remained for graduation. This, then, is one of the real problems which we pass on to our successors. Our regular attendance, I ought to add, has steadily increased, even in the last two years, the falling off having occurred in the number of the special and night school students.

I leave with the best of feelings towards the institution and towards all who are in any way connected with it. And that this school may in the future more fully, more rapidly, accomplish the glorious destiny which the wishes of our community have set before it, is the wish and prayer of your fellow-servant in the cause of education."

PRESIDENT YOUNG SPEAKS.

"I have the honor and the pleasure," said President Young, "of introducing the president-elect, Col. Willard Young.

Mr. Young said that there had probably been a misunderstanding among some of the students in relation to what was proposed to be done for the ensuing year, and that this occasion might be the best time for reaching the parents of those who might attend. First and foremost, he said, it was the intention to emphasize the normal course and to make it, second to theological and religious instruction, of course, the main feature of the institution. The change that had been made for next year was sim-

ply the leaving out of the normal training school.

Students who desire training can get that in their fifth year, either at Provo or at the state university, and he wished to say to the third-year normal students especially, that he desired them to return and graduate in the normal course next year and not to go elsewhere. He had heard that some had spoken of going to other schools for their fourth-year course; but he said this was not necessary, for they could get as good a fourth-year here as elsewhere. He had also heard that there was some misunderstanding about the domestic science, and wished to say that the domestic science and mechanical arts were to be especially emphasized in this school.

Col. Young then addressed the graduates and commented upon their duties, considering the education which they had received at this institution at the expense of the Church, an expense which, he said, amounted to \$1,200 per graduate each year, or \$200 per student. He said further, that the reason for doing away with the normal training was that it is a very expensive department.

DIPLOMAS AND CERTIFICATES.

The following students received certificates in the bookkeeping course: Robert H. Butler, city; Willard Richard Bullock, city; Heber Thomas Hall, city; John Symonds Alley, Lake-town; Gleason F. Olsen, Park City.

Miss Steele received a three-year kindergarten certificate.

The names of the regular graduates who received diplomas were published early this week. Their pictures, with the address of Prof. Nelson, appear on page 26 of today's issue of the "News." Seymour Wells, classical course graduate, is not in the group.

THE GRANT SCHOLARSHIPS.

The choir then sang "Song of the Redeemed," by Stephens, and President Paul awarded two Grant scholarships of \$40 each to Archie Larson and Mervyn Bennion. The last named student was named with distinction among the graduates for having an average of over 87 per cent in all his class work of the past four years, the highest record ever made in the institution. This is the student who is named for the scholarship at Andrews. The faculty nominated for the scholarships of next year Miss Abbie Cowley and Burton W. Musser from the high school, and Gleason F. Olsen and Willard R. Bullock from the business college, and in case a third should be awarded in place of the scholarship left vacant last year, Lester Perry was named.

The assembly then adjourned with benediction by President John R. Winder.

THE VALEDICTORY.

The valedictory of R. W. Young, Jr., was as follows:

"Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen, Fellow Students—Four years ago next September 150 young men and women enrolled their names on the books of this institution. They had come for a specific and a determined purpose. The time that would elapse before the realization of this purpose appeared to be long, as future time always does. Yet they did not fail to comprehend and to grasp the opportunities of the present.

"The year passed, and after the vacation we find only 160 returning to complete what had been begun. Still eager for knowledge and still looking forward to the consummation of their ambitions, they toiled on. The passing year brought many lessons. They began to realize that hard work resulted in satisfaction to themselves, the school life had many pleasant experiences, and that, after all, education was not merely an accumulation, but a growth.

"Again time passed, and we see them entered upon the third year 55 strong. During this year they proved to their fellow school mates that they were able and were progressing, and they demonstrated to those who were not of their kind that they knew how to work hard.

"The beginning of the fourth year came, and with it but 32 of the little band. These trudged on, gaining strength as they neared the goal. They had grown intellectually and morally, and had reached the conclusion that in the last analysis the chief aim of education was the knowledge of how to use one's self. The old maxim, 'Know thyself,' was paramount. They realized their own individual strength, and knew their weaknesses and shortcomings.

"This class, my friends, will stand before you tonight to receive their certificates stamped with the seal of the institution, and signed by its president, to the effect that they have completed their work in a satisfactory manner. The school has done its part. It is now for us to show that it has been done well, to satisfy those who sent us here in many cases through sacrifices, that it was not in vain.

"It has endeavored to make men and women of us, to instill into our minds high aims, to make us realize that 'in action is cowardice.' It has said to us, 'Ask and ye shall receive; seek and ye shall find; knock and it shall be opened to you.' All believing, we asked, and we received, we sought and we found, we knocked and it was opened to us.

"WHAT ARE THE BENEFITS.

"But now the question naturally arises, have we been benefited by our school life? We believe it is easily answered. We have formed associations never to be forgotten. We have made friends with whom the grasp of the hand in future years will bring fond and dear recollections. We have been benefited intellectually and morally, intellectually from the fact that we have achieved habits of industry, regularity and the power to think, and we have learned to realize our duties to society and to our government. Morally because we have come into direct contact with the teachings of our Lord and Savior which we believe should be the first aim in all education. We owe it to our Maker. The man who is educated morally, whether he lacks in physical or intellectual education, is still a power for good, but he who lacks in moral education, he he ever so perfect physically and intellectually, lacks that which is the chief element of a man's greatness. We are often too prone to stoop for the shining pebbles of the sea shore, when we might reach for the stars. But when we receive the material knowledge pertaining to our worldly existence as well as that which applies to our life eternal, and combine and harmonize the two, we have as a result a greater appreciation of life's responsibilities.

A COMPARISON.

"There have been occasions when some philosophical or scientific principles have seemed to clash with his belief in religion; that the scholar has abandoned his religious belief for the scientific. It is like the old Arabian tale of a ship whose pilot unfortunately steered in to the close vicinity of a magnetic mountain. The sailors were all attracted, the planks all fell asunder, and total wreck ensued. Now, many a man, sailing in the vessel of his belief, comes in contact with some system of philosophy or theological thought, which, like the magnetic mountain, draws out the connecting and riveting points of his faith; and his whole ship, himself clinging among the severed timbers, lies wrecked on the tossing sea. But not so here. The two are interwoven and harmonized and the truth clearly demonstrated that God is over all, in all, through all. No vessel of belief is ever wrecked here, but rather nails are added, the rotten planks removed, and sound ones riveted in place, so that the whole sails away stronger than when it entered.

A NEW LEAF.

"Tonight we turn over a new leaf in the history of our lives. Tomorrow begins a new chapter in the book of our life. What it brings forth no one knows. We can only surmise from what has happened in the past. Whether we achieve success or failure time alone will tell. If it results in success then the school has done well, but if in failure then the fault lies with us. The

foundation which we now have to build on could not be bettered. The builders have known their trade and there is no danger to be feared from faulty or weak construction.

"In spite of the desire to rise and go on, parting is hard. With the pleasure which results from accomplishment is associated something of sorrow at parting. Farewell is a word often lightly uttered and forgotten. But when it marks the completion of a chapter in life, when it means parting with tried and true friends, and the casting off of old connections, it is expressed with difficulty.

"But we go forth laden with gems of inestimable value, and with happy memories, better men and better women than when we entered; better fitted to cope with the problems which may arise, firmer in our convictions that God lives and reigns, and more patriotic, honest and loyal citizens of our great country. The school which has thus speedily its parting graduates, is indeed fortunate.

"Our Alma Mater will be ever with us, for the lessons it has taught are indelibly impressed upon our minds. Whatever amount of success we may achieve, to it we will ascribe the honor and the praise. We will be as do the men of peace, no truer, stauncher, or more loving sons and daughters will ever leave its portals than the class of '06. We will look upon it as our adopted mother, and through devotion to it, we may say as Bryant once said of America:

"O fair young mother, on thy brow Shall sit a nobler grace than now Deep in the brightness of thy skies, The thronging years in glory rise, And as they fleet, thy children's eyes Drop strength and riches at thy feet.

"Thine eye, with every coming hour, Shall brighten, and they form shall tower, And when they sisters older born, Would brand thy name with words of scorn, Before thine eye Upon their lips the taunt shall die."

CALDER'S PARK VASTLY IMPROVED BY NEW OWNERS

Among the resorts which will make a strong bid for public patronage this summer, none is more popular than Calder's park. For weeks past an army of workmen has been making things here in and around the park and today the change wrought amounts to a complete transformation. The grounds have been thoroughly overhauled and made beautiful with lawns, shrubbery, etc., while old buildings have been removed, new ones substituted and the park generally made as inviting as money, men and the limited time at the company's disposal would permit. A change which will at once meet with public approval is the enlargement of the lake, from which the old island has been removed, lagoons added on the north and its sloping sides parked to the water's edge. A cement boat landing has also been provided, thus insuring safety to all who may indulge in the delightful pastime of boating. The entrance to the park has been removed 100 yards to the north, while the new refreshment booths extending for half a block on each side of the park make a change which will be greatly appreciated by picnic parties and family gatherings.

Among the alterations to be seen at the park this summer none, perhaps, will command greater attention than the Shoot-the-Schutes, the great Coney Island rage. This form of amusement was tried on a small scale last winter and proved highly successful. This year a new chute has been installed, affording pleasure seekers ample opportunity to show their courage without the least danger. The chute, which is a miniature railroad winds around the lake for a distance of 1,300 feet, skirting its shores in such a way as to afford passengers a delightful view of the boats and the distance. The chute, with its intrepid patrons speeding their way to the surface of a lagoon a few paces to the north. The electric launch, 30 feet in length and capable of carrying 25 to 30 passengers at a time, is another diversion that will be greatly appreciated by park patrons. The boat is of the latest improved pattern and will be found just the thing for family parties who prefer a quiet sail to the more strenuous one of rowing in the smaller craft. Then there are bowling alleys, tennis courts, baseball grounds, a superb race track, shooting galleries and other forms of amusement too numerous to mention at this time. There will be dancing at the park every afternoon and night, so that pleasure seekers need have no doubts as to the ability of the park management to provide for every want.

The resort will be conducted strictly on temperance lines, making it an ideal place for family gatherings. Sunday school outings and the like. Car service to the park will be greatly improved during the summer, so that all who go may do so at any time best suited to their convenience. The park has been dubbed "Nativity State" and the visit to its precincts will convince the most skeptical that the appellation has not only been well chosen but is also fully deserved.

BASEBALL SQUABBLE.

No Final Decision Yet on Lafayette-Oquirrh Mix-Up.

Despite the assurances of both sides that it is settled, the Lafayette baseball team is unassured that it has the pennant clinched while the Oquirrh are not willing to admit that they were defeated Thursday. Capt. Shaw of the Lafayette has stated that he had the support of the two umpires, but young Gallagher, one of the boys who umpired the game declares to the "News" this morning that he has never announced a decision for either side and that he never will have to go up to the league manager for decision. He claims he was surrounded by players till he could not see the home plate when the deciding run came in.

The Lafayette schedule shows an almost complete line of victories. It is given below:

April 3—Oquirrh, 3-0.
April 6—Sumner, 2-10.
April 10—Lafayette, 15-10.
April 12—Hamiltons, 15-11.
April 20—Washingtons, 14-12.
April 22—Sumner, 27-4.
May 1—Sumner, defaulted.
May 4—Hamiltons, 18-3.
May 8—Grants, 20-1.
May 11—Lafayette, 16-11.
May 15—Washingtons, defaulted.
May 16—Websters, 31-4.
May 22—Sumner, defaulted.
May 24—Oquirrh, 12-11.

EMPEROR WILLIAM'S GIFT.

The cut shows the splendid jeweled diadem recently presented by the German kaiser to his wife on the occasion of their silver wedding. It is a mass of brilliant diamonds in the most artistic fashion and surmounted by the crown.

tomary royal tiaras and quarterfoils. The empress of Germany, the amiable and matronly Augusta Victoria of Schleswig-Holstein, is worthy of any distinction which it is within the power of her sovereign to confer, and he appears to realize it.

MEETING OF THE NEVADA BUILDERS.

W. H. Bancroft, J. Ross Clark And President Brook of Tonopah & Goldfield Here.

LOOKS LIKE AN AGREEMENT.

Huge and Increasing Tonnage to and From Gold Camps of the Sage Brush State.

J. W. Brock, president of the Tonopah & Goldfield railroad, arrived in Salt Lake today in his private car "Louise" en route from New York to Oakland, Cal. It may have been that it was just a coincidence he arrived in time to meet J. Ross Clark, vice president of the Las Vegas & Tonopah and Salt Lake route, and W. H. Bancroft, vice president of the Oregon Short Line and the San Pedro road. All three were at Oregon Short Line headquarters this morning.

However, as for the past two days matters pertaining to Nevada gold camp traffic have been on the tapis here, there is reason to believe that the visit was premeditated. Naturally there are no official announcements regarding the conference, but as the Harriman interests did not take particularly kindly to the proposed invasion of heretofore exclusive territory in Nevada, the wise ones are predicting that some understanding will be arrived at regarding rates and division of the huge tonnage that is daily increasing in and out of Tonopah, Goldfield and Bullfrog.

THEORY OF EXPLOSION.

It is Suggested Engineer Zimmerman Was Dead Before It Occurred.

It is now asserted that Engineer I. F. Zimmerman of Ogden was dead before his engine blew up at Cedar on the Southern Pacific last week. It is stated that when his body was picked up it was cold, while that of the fireman, who was as badly mangled, was still quivering. From the nature of the wound on the head of the dead engineer it is believed that he was struck by a stand pipe and had remained in a natural position with his head and shoulders out of the cab. Zimmerman was a careful engineer, and his friends assert that he was not a man who would let the water get low in the boiler. How the fireman failed to be aware of the fact that the water was low is puzzling the officials, the only solution being that he was joking with the tramp who was riding on the engine and working his passage by burning coal. The tramp was blown over a fence and escaped with some bad bruises.

UNITAH R. R. IN TROUBLE.

Alleged Discrimination in Rates to be Subject for Investigation.

The American Asphalt Association of Missouri has brought suit against the Unitah Railway company for violation of the interstate commerce law by discrimination of freight rates. According to the allegations set forth in the complaint the Gilsonite Asphaltum company and the Unitah railroad are under the control of the Barber Asphaltum Pavement company, which is a subsidiary of the General Asphalt company. The rest of the story is along the same old lines. It is alleged that the American Asphaltum company is made to pay excessive rates in shipping its material over the railroad, and is charged 50 cents per 100 pounds instead of 20, which it is claimed is a reasonable and just charge. The plaintiff corporation is said to have shipped 1,755,580 pounds at this rate and wants the excess refunded. There are three causes for action and in each \$1,500 are asked, and in the second cause of action, \$2,500 damages in addition are prayed for.

The defendant railroad company operates between Dragon, Utah, and Mack, Colo., to carry ore shipped from the Gilsonite mines which are operated by the plaintiff company and the Gilsonite Asphaltum company.

STILL ANOTHER ROAD.

Surveys Started on Line From Grand Junction Into Utah.

D. C. Willoughby, representative of the London syndicate which has acquired the Natigra Canal & Reservoir company, has begun the survey of a new road and San Miguel counties, Colo., left Grand Junction a few days ago with a party of engineers to begin the survey of the Colorado & Southern railroad from that point to Narwood, in the Shoshone valley. The length of the proposed road will be 110 miles and will connect with the Rio Grande and

Colorado Midland at Grand Junction. It is claimed that an issue of \$2,500,000 in bonds has already been placed and the road is to be pushed on at once into the La Sal country.

"PIN" ROAD DENIAL.

Gen. Mgr. E. M. Helglio Says Hill Owns no Interest in It.

General Manager Edgar M. Helglio of the Pacific & Idaho was quoted in Boise on Wednesday as saying emphatically that there was no Hill money connected with his road. He said: "I want to emphatically state that there is no truth in the report that James J. Hill interests have secured control of the Pacific & Idaho Northern."

"I'll go further than that," continued Mr. Helglio, "and say that Hill has no interest in the P. & I. N. at all. It is all fool-dog to surmise that the Oregon Short Line has taken up the railway project down the Snake river from Huntington to Lewiston just because Hill has taken the P. & I. N. road. That is no argument one way or the other. If Oregon Short Line people owned the P. & I. N. road it is to be supposed that they would not miss a chance to cover that Snake river water grade just the same."

"How is the suit filed by Mr. Van Riper progressing?" was asked.

"I don't believe any suit was ever filed by Mr. Van Riper," was the reply. "I never knew of any. No papers have ever been served on me."

Speaking of the work of extending the P. & I. N. road northward, Mr. Helglio says that work is being pushed as rapidly as possible under the circumstances, but that it is difficult to get laborers and teams and that material is not being secured as rapidly as could be wished.

The towns along the line, especially Cambridge and Council, are thriving and farmers all the way up a happy in expectation of good crops this season. At Council the work on the new depot is going on and the building, which will be the most representative station edifice on the line, will soon be completed.

FRUIT SHIPMENTS.

San Francisco, May 25.—The Southern Pacific and Santa Fe and the Armour and Santa Fe Refrigerator car lines have announced a considerable reduction in refrigerator or cooling rates on green fruit shipments from California points to Chicago and New York for the delectable fruit shipping season, which has just opened.

Orchardists and railroad freight people state that the green fruit shipments east this season will be very large and give promise of amounting to 7,000 cars, including heavy consignments of grapes during the late summer and fall months. They estimate the aggregate value of these shipments at something like \$12,000,000 or \$14,000,000. There are still 5,000 cars of oranges to be shipped east, while the number already forwarded amounts to 25,000. These 20,000 cars represent 10,500,000 boxes and the railroad people say these shipments will average \$3 a box, or a total of \$31,500,000 for the season.

SPIKE AND RAIL.

H. C. Archer, general agent of the Mexican Central at Los Angeles, is in town today.

General Passenger Agent D. E. Burley of the Oregon Short Line left last night for Chicago.

E. W. Gillett, general passenger agent for the Salt Lake Road, is expected to arrive here from the east tomorrow.

Mrs. W. Kirkles, wife of the representative of the international Great Northern at Denver, is here on a business trip for the road.

W. W. Wylie, promoter of the Wylie tours through Yellowstone, is here making arrangements for the opening of the season. His specialty is camping-out parties.

Commercial Agent Foley of the Illinois Central has returned from Idaho, and for that matter the storm has driven in practically every railroad man who has been out loading wool in this territory.

Residents of Springfield are in communication with the passenger department of the Rio Grande with the object in view of opening several excursions next week during the Dixie carnival to be held in that city.

Among the excursions announced for Sunday is one to Eureka over the San Pedro, leaving at 7:45 a. m., and on to Ogden over the Short Line. The returning train of the latter will be held until late to accommodate the Knights of Columbus of Salt Lake.

The entire steel rail output of the Colorado Fuel & Iron company for the remainder of 1905 and all of 1907 is reported to have been contracted for and rails are now on a premium. So great is the demand for steel that companies handling worn-out rails that can be relaid are getting as much for them as where immediate delivery is promised.

UNITARIAN MINISTERS.

Pressing Need Exists for Better Training in Sunday School Methods.

Boston, Mass., May 25.—In the absence of Rev. Edward A. Horton, president of the Unitarian Sunday school

society, his annual report was read at the convention of the society yesterday. It said in part: "A pressing need exists today for the better training of ministers in Sunday school methods and aims. There are clergymen who are apparently indifferent to this department of the church, but the cause lies greatly in a feeling of untidiness which would have been removed by proper training in the divinity schools."

President Horton was re-elected. The vice presidents chosen include Charles A. Murdock of San Francisco.

CHANCES FOR YOUNG MEN.

Senator Dolliver Thinks They Are Better Than Ever They Were.

New Haven, Conn., May 24.—Senator J. P. Dolliver of Iowa was the principal speaker at a banquet of the Y. M. C. A. last night.

Senator Dolliver, after saying that he thought the chances for young men today, and especially for poor young men, were better than ever, said that he did not think that such institutions as churches, colleges and hospitals should be secured by the contributions of millionaires and multimillionaires, but by contributions from all the people. He deplored the existence of "graft."

CHARGED WITH BRIBERY.

Robert M. Snyder Alleged to Have Bribe City Councilmen.

St. Louis, May 26.—Asst. Circuit Attorney F. K. Keenan today stated that he had just received information charging Robert M. Snyder, capitalist of

Kansas City, with bribery on the allegation of having paid \$50,000 to corrupt members of the city council in 1898 for the passage of the Central Traction bill.

This information takes the place of the old information against Snyder, who pressed two weeks ago by Circuit Attorney Sager because of the absence from the city of former Councilman Frederick G. Utthoff, the most important witness for the state. Mr. Sager is now in Denver, and Utthoff also is there. Asst. Circuit Attorney Keenan drew up the new information after having received notification from Circuit Attorney Sager that Utthoff had promised positively to appear at a new trial of Snyder.

WEATHER REPORT

Record at the local office of the weather bureau for the 24 hours ending at 4 a. m. today:

Temperature at 5 a. m. 55; Maximum 59 deg. Minimum 47 deg; Mean 56 deg. Wind is 4 deg below normal; precipitation for the 24 hours ending at 4 a. m. 1 inch; precipitation since the first of the month, 1.3 inch; which is 1.08 inch above the normal. Accumulated excess in precipitation since January 21st 2.18 inch. Relative humidity 61 per cent.

R. J. HYATT, Local Forecaster.

TEACHERS.

Dr. Talmage's new book, "The Great Salt Lake (Present and Past)," should be in the hands of every educator. The amount of information it contains relating to the great saline sea, makes it an invaluable work for reference or study. Deseret News Book Store, Salt Lake City, Utah.

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