

that they had nothing to fear from him. A little later he was summoned to the governor's office; the plan was laid before him and he was ordered to carry it out. He positively refused, declaring that he was there as a peace officer; that the Republican house was the only legal one and he would not interfere with it. The governor threatened to relieve him. He retorted that the regiment would disband at the same time.

The action of the sheriff in swearing in a thousand men made the odds so heavy against the Populists that they decided not to attempt to meet them. They decided to hire a hall for the meetings of the Populists house. Governor and commander-in-chief of the state troops relieved Colonel Hughes of the direct command of the troops but allowed him to retain the colonelcy of the Third regiment. The governor himself assumed command of the troops.

At 11 the governor sent a message saying that he would give the members just fifteen minutes to vacate, or he would drive them out at the point of the bayonet. The message was received with derisive laughter; the guards were doubled, but the governor's forces failed to appear. It was decided to be too dangerous to put firearms into the hands of the sheriff's posse, so 500 baseball bats, all in town, were secured and given the men, the remainder being armed with sticks. Governor Llewelling has appointed Lieutenant Colonel Barker commander of the troops.

At 4 this afternoon the governor's private secretary appeared and submitted a proposition in writing from the governor to withdraw the militia and not allow the Republicans to be interfered with by the Populists if the Republicans would drop the legal proceeding against the Populists and if the sheriff would disband his posse, the agreement to last till the close of the session of the legislature. The Republicans are now considering the proposition.

THE BOARD OF EDUCATION.

The city school board met Feb. 16, all members being present except Dooly. Following is the business transacted:

Mrs. Susie Root, Grace E. Lee and Lottie Leason applied for positions as teachers. Referred.

Johannes Halvorsen sent in a communication relative to the selling of real estate in Superior addition to the board, stating that a water contract would go with the lots and that he would reduce the price from \$650 to \$600. Referred.

The committee on sites and buildings reported that they had rented an additional room in the Third ward from Peter Sinclair, for five months from February 10th to July 10th, for the total sum of \$125, the board to be at the expense of removing the partitions and placing the building in proper condition. The owner is to replace the same at the expiration of the lease, and is also to satisfactory gravel his premises adjacent to the rooms rented by the board. Adopted.

The committee on furniture and supplies recommended that the janitor rolls be revised as follows:

Janitors of twelve room buildings to be paid at the rate of \$1000 per year for twelve months.

All eight room buildings except the Bryant, at the rate of \$850 per year of twelve months.

The janitor of the Bryant school to be paid at the rate of \$750 per year of twelve months, to begin when the heating apparatus is completed, and to include running the same. This janitor is furnished with house coal and lights.

The janitor's salary of the Seventh school be increased from \$45 to \$50 per month, beginning March 1, and to be for twelve months.

The janitor's salary of the Twelfth school to be decreased from \$45 to \$40 per month, beginning March 1, to run ten months, this janitor being furnished with house coal and lights.

The janitor's salary of the Fourteenth school to be decreased from \$90 per month to \$900 per year, said salary to run for twelve months.

Whenever changes affect present incumbents the new scale to apply from and after March 1, 1893.

Adopted.

Teachers were employed as follows:

Lottie Burch, Hamilton school.....	\$65
Martha E. Pert, Third school.....	63
Nellie Studdard, Lincoln school.....	65
Winnifred Woodmansee, Ninth school....	63
Alice J. Snyder, Tenth school.....	70
Agnus McSweeney, Fourteenth school....	63
Mary Wilson, Lowell school.....	63
Clara A. Shaw, Lowell school.....	60
Elizabeth Huggins, Lowell school.....	63

The committee on finance reported that they had audited the following bills:

Croxford Bros. & Bryan, eighth payment on Hamilton school.....	\$1,760 00
Telfor & Hunsicker, seventh payment on Franklin school.....	3,910 00
A. Hensgen, fifth payment on Jackson school.....	4,818 40
F. M. Wright, sixth payment on Washington school.....	4,000 00
Total.....	\$14,518 40

Filed.

The committee on finance having examined into the matter of the notice in behalf of the Salt Lake Pressed Brick company, reported that they had issued to the contractors and bondsmen a warrant to cover estimates to date, the present one being for \$4,000, the bondsmen of Mr. Wright filing with the board an indemnifying bond in the sum of \$5,000 for any judgment that might be rendered against the board. The committee further reported that they had examined the statements of the treasurer and found that they agreed with the books of the clerk. Filed.

Baldwin moved that the committee on sites and buildings be instructed to at once fit up the southeast and northwest basement rooms of the Franklin school, and the two south basement rooms in the Hamilton school for use as school rooms, if in their judgment said rooms are proper for school purposes. Carried.

A resolution by Young was adopted which provided for the appropriation of \$4000 to the contractors of the Lowell school building.

APPROPRIATIONS.

Appropriations were made as follows:

Mason & Company, water closet doors.....	\$ 58 55
Mason & Company, material.....	24 10
J. B. Moreton, stamps and box rent....	7 00
J. H. Lloyd, painting and graining.....	109 00
E. H. Evans, moving partitions.....	44 00

Stenhouse & Company, city directory....	5 00
H. T. Duke, treasurer, refund of special school tax.....	12 50
L. Hollander, clocks.....	70 00
A. Stiefel, freight.....	67 62
H. Dinwoody, furniture and rugs.....	331 50
Salt Lake Gas company, gas and electric light.....	20 00
Gunnington & Co., supplies.....	68 64
J. B. Farlow, drugs.....	27 75
American Book company, text books....	680 00
Edinburgh, Maynard & Company, text books.....	190 20
Silver, Bardette & company, historical charts.....	119 85

Total.....\$ 1,847 11

STAR VALLEY STAKE CONFERENCE.

The second quarterly conference of Star Valley Stake of Zion convened Saturday and Sunday, Feb. 11th and 12th, 1893, George Osmond presiding.

10 a. m.—Elder George Osmond gave some illustrations of the different spirits that pervade the hosoms of the Saints; some were inclined to murmur and others were contented whatever their position in life might be.

The various wards were represented by the bishops; the reports were good, very little sickness. Brothers Gardner and John Astle encouraged the Saints to be diligent in all their duties.

2 p. m.—Elder A. V. Call presented the names of some of the brethren as home missionaries; all were sustained. He then spoke on the necessity of the Saints bringing in their offerings so the poor could be cared for and none suffer.

The Sunday schools and other associations were next reported as in good condition.

Several of the brethren spoke to the youth of Zion to live near unto God and do right.

Feb. 12th, 10 a. m.—Elder A. V. Call presented the general authorities of the Church also the presidency of this Stake, all being unanimously sustained.

Elder George Osmond spoke some on home industries, encouraged the planting out of shade trees and fruit trees of hardy kinds.

2 p. m.—After partaking of the Sacrament several brethren occupied the afternoon in talking of the goodness of God.

A good spirit prevailed all through conference. All felt well and enjoyed the Spirit of God, but owing to the deep snow and very stormy weather, not as many could attend as would have done under more favorable circumstances.

WM. H. KENNINGTON, SR.,
Stake Clerk.

DEATHS.

HUNTER.—In this city, February 18th, John Hunter, aged 50 years.

SORENSEN.—At Koosharem, Piute county, Utah, February 9, 1893, Ephraim, son of Jeppa and Catharine O. Sorensen. He was born June 7, 1861, in Milton, Weber county, Utah.

STRASBURG.—At Vernon, Tooele county, Utah, on January 30th, 1892, Leonard Strasburg, aged 21 years, of typhoid pneumonia, after an illness of two weeks.

DURRANT.—At Morgan City, February 17th, 1893, at 11 o'clock p. m., of old age and general debility, William Durrant; born July 17th, 1814, at Bradwell, Bucks, England; aged 78 years and 7 months.

CHANDLER.—Feb'y 17th, 1893, at her home, No. 538 e. Fifth South street, Salt Lake City, of cancer, Rachel Allen Chandler, formerly of Birmingham, England. Born April 18th, 1821. She died a faithful Latter-day Saint.