

# NOTES OF EARLY DAYS.

Experiences of Forty Years Ago Related by Father John I. Smith.

Called for Historical Work—How Pioneer Men Suffered from Illness—Various Incidents.

Notes of the Week.

St. George, Utah, June 14, 1864. On the 14th of January, 1864, President R. Young, and H. C. Kimball, came to my father's house and set him apart as Patriarch over the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints.

On the 15th we commenced moving our log cabins from the Fort to the lot appropriated to on the block west of the Temple block; and in two weeks we had our four cabins on their respective lots—fourth and fifth streets on each side of the lot. Among the things to be done, it was to keep good record, as the weather is very cold. On April 8th, the nineteenth anniversary of the organization of the Church, a mail was sent to Winter Quarters and also to California.

On May 24th I received word that the Twelve had chosen myself and wife to accompany Addison Pratt and family with others upon a mission to the Society Islands and to be prepared to start on the 1st of July. I was much surprised and I had prepared and ready to start. On the 10th of June I called on the President Young and informed him that I was going to the Society Islands, as he had said to me. He was very kind and he gave me a letter of introduction to the missionaries in the Society Islands.

On the 15th of September, 1864, the services of three young men at Nauvoo, who had been found guilty of theft, were sold at auction to the highest bidder, for the term of their sentence. Messrs. Kinkadee and Livingston opened a new stock of goods in John Pack's house in the Seventeenth ward on the 15th.

In October I started back to meet Mrs. Geo. A. and company with a number of wagon and teams and returned with them, all well and in excellent spirits, on the 27th.

In the building forward of our building in 1864 we found it very difficult to obtain practical workingmen to put up the places, chimneys, floors, etc. Accordingly I looked much at the business, wanting all I could find and had brick layers and masons, and soon found myself much employed in this line, which increased continually.

At a special conference held in September, 1864, I was called to strengthen the settlements in Iron County, and went with the Twelve to that place.

We reached Panguitch on the 10th, and I commenced work the next day. I was there for a week, and then returned to St. George.

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How easy that Cummings broke the One Mile High Completion Record on July 4th.

**VICTORY!**

And also how easily he broke the One Mile High Completion Record on July 4th.

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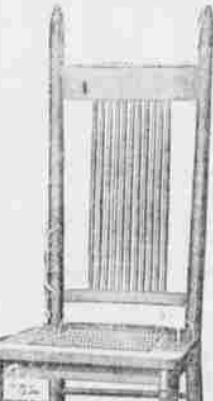
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