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TERMS IN ADVANCE.

DAVID O. CALDER,
EDITOR AND PUBLISHER.

Local and Other Matters.

FROM WEDNESDAY'S DAILY, JULY 25.

A Gala Day.—The 20th and 21st Ward folks had a gala time yesterday afternoon, on the 20th Ward School-house square. About seventy prizes were distributed, twenty-four of them of a useful and substantial character, to the needy poor.

The crowd upon the square was large and jolly, and numerous games and pastimes were engaged in.

Freight.—On Monday morning Superintendent Sharp received a dispatch from Omaha, requesting him not to check baggage for further east than Chicago. Later on the same day Superintendent Clarke, of the U. P. R. R., sent a request for him not to receive freight for any point east of the one last named.

Another dispatch, received yesterday, requests that freight be not received for east of Omaha.

Taken Off.—There appears to be a strong feeling, extending to all classes of the community, in reference to the uncalled for indignity, we might say outrage, perpetrated upon Dr. Clinton, at the Penitentiary, in placing him in irons. As numerous inquiries have been made upon the subject we will state that the shackles have been taken from the gentleman's limbs, which action has, we presume, precluded the necessity of an investigation, which, we understand, the friends of the Doctor purposed instituting.

Missionary.—This morning we were called upon by Elder James A. Skinner, of Beaver, who got back from a mission to the Eastern States this morning. He left here on the 26th of last December, and labored in the New England District, under the direction of Elder B. F. Cummings. He held a number of meetings and preached to the people, besides conversing privately with a great many respecting the gospel.

Base Ball Match.—The base ball match between the Deserets, of this City, and the Red Stockings, of Cheyenne, attracted crowds of people to Washington Square on Monday and yesterday evenings. The two games already played were probably as well and evenly contested as any ever witnessed in this City. In fact the playing could scarcely be closer.

On Monday the Deserets scored three and the Red Stockings two, and yesterday it was a draw, each club scoring eighteen, leaving the Deserets one ahead.

The final game to decide who are the victors, comes off this evening.

American Fork Celebrates.—Bishop L. E. Harrington writes—

"The Twenty-Fourth was celebrated here by nearly the entire people. The flag was raised at sunrise, and, after the proper salutes, the mass of men, women and children assembled at the Bowery. At 9 o'clock a procession was formed, in which all trades, industries, and societies were largely represented. After marching around the Square, the people were seated, and meeting was called to order by Colonel R. E. King, Marshal of the day. Speeches were made by Messrs. John Duncan, L. E. Harrington, John McNeill and J. B. Milner, interspersed with songs, recitations, toasts, &c.

"There was a dance for the juveniles in the afternoon, and adults in the evening."

Quick Time.—Governor Hartranft, of Pennsylvania, who left this city at nine o'clock on Saturday night, reached Omaha at eight o'clock on Monday morning, thus making the distance in thirty-five hours.

Bountiful Primary.—A primary for the election of delegates to the Davis County Convention, to be held at Farmington to-day, was held at Bountiful, on Monday evening, David O. Willie in the chair, and William Thurgood secretary.

Delegates elected—Chester Call, John Telford, William Thurgood.

Twenty-Fourth at Bountiful.—We have received an interesting account of the celebration of Pioneer Day at Bountiful, which lack of space will not permit us to publish in full.

At sunrise there was firing of cannon by Captain Judson Tolman's artillery, unfurling of flags, on the Tabernacle, Co-operative Store, and other buildings.

At 9 o'clock the people repaired to the Tabernacle, where the assemblage was called to order by John Fisher, marshal of the day, and the orator of the day, William S. Muir, delivered a stirring oration. Speeches were made by Col. A. P. Rockwood, of this city, and by the following pioneers, residing in Bountiful—William Henrie, P. G. Sessions, Joseph B. Nobles, Israel Barlow, Anson Call and others. Toasts were given, and songs and recitations rendered.

These proceedings ended, the people went out upon the Tabernacle square, where they formed and marched in order of procession, and, after a lapse of thirty minutes returned to the interior of the building named. There they sat down at four rows of tables, bounteously laden with the good things of life, with which they amply regaled themselves. There were about four hundred at the first sitting, and between two and three hundred at the second.

The time was subsequently spent by some in listening to more singing, reciting, etc., and by others in the dance, at the Relief Society and Holebrook Halls, close by.

Everything passed off agreeably, without a single jar.

People's Primaries.—In accordance with the published call of the People's Central Committee for the County, primaries were held on Monday evening, in the several precincts, and delegates elected to the Convention to be held at the County Court House next Saturday.

In the First Precinct Adam Spiers was chosen for Chairman, and Isaac Brockbank Secretary.

The delegates elected were Joseph Warburton, Wm. L. Ball, George Stringfellow, Isaac Brockbank, John Brown, James Woods, Samuel H. Leaver and Wm. Fuller.

In the Second Precinct R. T. Burton was Chairman, and W. L. Binder Secretary.

Delegates elected—Thos. Taylor, R. T. Burton, Wm. Hickenlooper, Harrison Sperry, Angus M. Cannon, Richard Brimley, John Clark, Wm. Thorn, Henry Dinwoodey.

In the Third Precinct A. H. Raleigh chairman, R. V. Morris secretary.

The delegates elected were John H. Smith, N. H. Felt, A. H. Raleigh, R. V. Morris, Henry Emery, William Jennings, Theodore McKean.

In the Fourth Precinct John Sharp was chosen chairman and Henry C. Fowler secretary.

The delegates elected were John Sharp, T. B. Lewis, John T. Caine, D. O. Calder, Andrew Burt and W. L. N. Allen.

In the Fifth Precinct Z. Snow was chairman and J. C. Graham secretary.

The following were elected delegates—

Joseph E. Taylor, J. H. Rumell, Feramor Little, John R. Winder, T. V. Williams, Z. Snow, Alex. McRae, Charles Livingston, James P. Freeze.

In the Third, Fourth and Fifth precincts, alternates were also elected.

SUNDAY SCHOOL JUBILEE.

A SPLENDID SUCCESS.

The Grand Sunday School Jubilee, in celebration of the anniversary of the entrance of the Pioneers, of 1847, led by President B. Young, into the Salt Lake Valley, was a splendid success.

For a considerable time previous to the opening, living streams of people, the juveniles greatly preponderating, poured into the great building. The children with their attendant superintendents and teachers occupied the floor of the Tabernacle, and numbered probably in the vicinity of five thousand. The public, as spectators, occupied the huge gallery, which appeared to be filled to the extent of its capacity.

Besides the choristers from the Sunday Schools of the City, eight car loads came in from the settlements south, by the Utah Southern, and joined in the Jubilee. A large number of people also came from the north, to be present at the celebration.

Besides the officers of the Sunday School Union, Elder George Q. Cannon, President, and Elder Geo. Goddard, Assistant, and the two Counsellors of the latter, Elders Willes and Evans, in the superintendency of Sunday Schools in this County, there were present, of the First Presidency of the Church, Brigham Young, John W. Young and Daniel H. Wells, also Apostles John Taylor and Charles C. Rich.

At fifteen minutes to eleven the vast concourse was called to order, by Assistant Superintendent Goddard, the conductor, Prof. C. J. Thomas, stepped upon the platform, waved his wand, and the whole mass of juveniles in the body of the hall arose, as with one impulse, to their feet. They sang the opening chorus, "We Meet Again," filling the surrounding air with sweet melody.

There is no music so thrillingly effective, no sounds that are so captivating and inspiring, as those that proceed from the exercise of the voices of youth, innocence and purity, and as the harmonious notes of this simple lay fell upon the audience, they could not help, unless lost to the higher senses of the human heart, being moved with indescribable and pleasurable emotions.

The opening prayer was offered by Elder John Taylor, after which the children sang, "Go When the Morning Shinneth."

It would take too much space to go through the programme in detail and dwell upon the merits of the various performances. It is sufficient to observe that the children sang most charmingly, and the large audience could not fail to be delighted with it.

The Tenth Ward brass band performed several pieces very effectively, with their usual ability; the singing of the adult choir was all that could be desired, and Brother William D. Owen sang "The Pioneers" in fine style.

Master George E. Anderson recited a very beautifully written piece, by Miss E. R. Snow, acquitting himself very creditably in the rendition.

The Union Glee Club sang "Under the Greenwood Tree," and "Praise of the Soldier," very sweetly and with excellent effect. The recitation by Mr. David McKenzie, of "The Ruined Cottage," was very fine.

A couple of pieces by twelve young ladies, directed by Prof. A. C. Smyth, were beautifully sung.

Much credit is due to Prof. Thomas, the conductor, for the efficient manner in which he acquitted himself, not only yesterday, but also for the amount of assiduous and skilful preparatory labor he must have bestowed. The accompaniments and other performances on the grand organ, by Prof. Jos. J. Daynes, were all that could be desired.

During the course of the Jubilee, President B. Young delivered a brief address, during which he gave a succinct account of the leading events connected with the history of the Church of Jesus Christ of

Latter-day Saints. He also, in a clear and concise manner, gave some excellent advice to the children. The address was one of remarkable comprehensiveness, notwithstanding its brevity, being *multum in parvo*.

The committees made most ample arrangements for the comfort of the children, for whom an immense quantity of lemonade had been prepared, and 12,000 buns were distributed among them and the audience.

The appearance of the building during the Jubilee could not well be described. From the vast ceiling hung the mammoth floral centerpiece, and all over it were festoons composed of evergreens and flowers. On the pilasters of the gallery breastwork were green garlands with fillings of flowers, and, floral hanging baskets were suspended between the pillars which support the gallery. Wavy festoons in double row, also surrounded the space parallel with the pillars. The decorations, which were mostly prepared by the cunning hands of ladies, were very creditable, and gave the ceiling the appearance of an inverted garden.

But for the main beauty of the scene the eyes had to be turned to the floor of the building, where were assembled the thousands of beautiful, innocent children. There was presented a picture of great variety. The mingling of bright colors, in the dresses and adornments of the little ones, blue and pink, with white for a ground work, preponderating among the girls, while the darker and less brightly colors worn by the boys, gave variety and attractiveness. Above all these was that sea of beautiful, upturned intelligent faces.

Such scenes are suggestive of profitable reflection, and forcibly remind one of the magnitude of the latter-day work of the Lord. Forty-seven years ago last April, the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints numbered but six members, and see to what an extent it has grown in that time! The principles which have bound the people together, and have caused the community to assume its present proportions, will, with those who are their exemplars and exponents, eventually "fill the whole earth." Let the mathematically inclined make a calculation, based on the postulate of increase, and form a conclusion.

Defective Mails.

SPRING CITY, July 22, 1877.

To Post masters on the mail line from Salt Lake City to Spring City, in Sanxete County.

Gentlemen.—On an average I receive a daily DESERET NEWS about every other day, some of which have been slipped out of the wrapper and probably read. I do not like to accuse any one, for I know not how it is; but in these interesting times, I would like to receive my paper without detention. It is published and mailed regularly and I do not wish to have grounds for suspicious thoughts.

I hope the Editor of the DESERET NEWS will publish this little notice, for it may be of service, more or less all over the Territory.

Respectfully,
ORSON HYDE.

—Miss Kate Kelley, a young lady at Decatur, Illinois, was recently stung on the mouth by a bee and died in eight minutes. The bee probably was mad at not finding enough sweetness on her honey-eyed lips.

MARRIED.

In this city, July 25th, 1877, by Judge Alex. C. Pyper, Mr. CHAS. H. SHUPP of St. Louis, Mo., to MISS RACHAEL JANE KNOWLDEN, of this city.

DIED.

In the 7th Ward, Salt Lake City, at 11 o'clock p. m., July 21st, 1877, JOSEPH, NEWMAN, aged 68 years.
Deceased was born at Lonehead, Staffordshire, England.
Millennial Star, please copy.