

SALT LAKE BOARD OF EDUCATION.

The board of education met in regular session last night, President Nelson in the chair. All the members excepting Pratt were in attendance.

A good deal of discussion preceded the reading of an opinion from the board's attorney in the matter of the refusal of Pike to vote at the last meeting.

The attorney was of the opinion that the board did not have the power to compel a member to vote nor to offer rebuke or inflict punishment of any character therefor. A refusal to vote was a dereliction of duty, but the only remedy was in the hands of the voters.

C. Newson asked to be employed as engineer and janitor at the Jackson school. Committee on furniture and supplies.

Florence H. Leavenworth sent in her resignation as assistant teacher in the Lincoln school. Accepted.

The Salt Lake Building & Manufacturing Company reminded the Board that they had submitted a bill for extras on the Lowell building on Feb. 14, and asked that action be taken on the matter. Committee on sites and buildings, to report at next meeting.

Fisher & Doran submitted a bill for \$118, for plastering the basement of the Hamilton school building. Committee on sites and buildings.

George F. Costerisan sent in a claim of \$271.15, balance due for services rendered in preparing plans and specifications for the Franklin school. Committee on sites and buildings.

On recommendation of the committee on sites and buildings the bids for the erection of the Oquirrh school building were rejected and the superintendent of building authorized to put in a concrete foundation for school house, the cost not to exceed \$60,000.

The committee on sites and buildings reported that a bond had been submitted, properly signed, asking that the assignee of Telfer & Hunsecker, contractors, be paid the full contract price for the erection of the Franklin school building, the said bondsmen to bind themselves to replaster such portions of the building as may be necessary, put in transoms, lifts and otherwise complete the building during the summer vacation. The committee was of the opinion that this would be an unwise precedent and recommended that the amount be paid with the exception of \$2000, provided all sub-contractors and material and men be paid, and that there are no outstanding claims against or liens filed on the building.

The same committee reported that they were in receipt of a communication from the Hendy & Meyer Engineering company and the James Spencer Bateman company offering for the sum of \$5,420 to relinquish all claim against the board on the heating and ventilating plans at the sixth and Eleventh ward school buildings, and surrender the contract for heating and ventilating the Sixteenth ward building. **Fried.**

The committee also reported that since the last meeting of the board the tank erected by the Hendy-Meyer Engineering company at the Bryant school had again collapsed from the pressure of the atmosphere, and being the second time within sixty days, the committee had directed the superin-

tendent of buildings to prevent the said company from placing any tank in the said building that would not resist the pressure of the atmosphere, and asked that their action be approved. **Adopted.**

The committee on teachers and school work recommended as follows:

That all teachers who are under temporary employment in the school but not under contract, be reported each month by the superintendent upon a special payroll for that purpose, and which includes an oath to be subscribed to by such teachers, that the services have been rendered and the amount stated is correct; that the following teachers be employed at the salaries per month and at the places named, and that contracts be entered into with them for the balance of the school term: Flora Irwin, Tenth school, \$65; Charlotte Fowler, Hamilton school, \$65; Gene Kimball, Second school, \$50; Marion Lewis, Fifth school, \$70; that a piano for use in the high school be secured during the rest of the term, at a cost not to exceed \$12, for the purpose of training pupils to sing for the commencement exercises connected with the graduating class; that \$25 be appropriated for the purpose of constructing color charts for use in all schools. **Adopted.**

Appropriations aggregating \$637.50 were made after which the board adjourned for two weeks.

DEATH OF ELIZABETH CUTLER.

Sister Elizabeth Cutler, wife of Father John Cutler, of the Fourth Ward, this city, died at 2 a. m. today, April 22nd. The cause of her demise was general debility. Deceased was the daughter of Thomas and Mirauda Robinson, and was born in Sheffield, Yorkshire, England, Nov. 20th, 1822; was therefore in her 71st year at the time of death. She embraced the Gospel in 1863 and immigrated to Utah with her husband and family in 1864. Deceased was an honest, upright woman, notable among all her acquaintances for her kindness of heart, and was esteemed and beloved not only by her immediate relatives, but also by all who had the pleasure of her acquaintance. She leaves, besides her husband, six children, among whom are Bishop Cutler of Lehi, and the members of the firm of John C. Cutler & Bros.

THE CORNER STONES OF THE TEMPLE

The subjoined item was handed in this morning for publication:

A while looking at my diary this morning I noticed the following:

"December 22nd, 1872.

Bishop John Sharp, at the ward meeting, alluded to his experience in getting the corner stones for the Temple from the quarry to the Temple block. He considered himself perfectly capable of doing anything he wished in the way of handling or moving stones, but on this occasion the powers of darkness interposed so effectually that it seemed as though it would be impossible for him to get the stones to the ground by the time appointed for laying them. While the work was going on he attempted to speak on a

Sabbath in the Twelfth ward. He had said but a few words when he fainted and he had to be carried home. At length after every means in their power had been used by him and his brethren for the accomplishment of the work, they just succeeded in getting the stones all on to the ground on the very day appointed for laying them."

Respectfully,
GEORGE ANDERSON.

IN THE biographical pamphlet of our visitor Roland Bonaparte, occurs a brief statement regarding his grandfather Lucien, who was president of the *Conseil des Cinq Cents* (council of 500.) A young man who has given some little attention to the language was asked what the French words meant and astonished his questioner by replying, "Council of Five Cents!"

OBITUARY.

LEMMON.—Ann Waiters Lemmon, daughter of John and Hannah Cook, was born in Newthorpe, Nottinghamshire, England, December 29, 1819. Emigrated to Zion in the year 1853. Lived in Salt Lake City until the year 1850; then moved to Mill Creek, where she remained until the time of her demise, which occurred after a few days illness on April 11th, 1893. She passed away while sitting in her chair, without a struggle, as though she was going to sleep. She was buried April 14th, a host of friends following her to her last resting place in the Mill Creek cemetery.—[Com.]

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DEATHS.

BARTELS.—Infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman W. Bartels.

CUMBERLAND.—In Salt Lake City April 17, of general debility, Harry Cumberland, in the 73rd year of his age.

WILLIAMS.—In this city, April 16th, Mrs. Margaret E. Williams, the youngest daughter of Charles and Louisa Decker, aged 22 years.

JARVIS.—At Springville, Apache County, Arizona, April 5, 1893, Annie, daughter of Helm and Susan Janet Smith Jarvis, aged 11 months and 11 days.

TIPTON.—At South Cottonwood, on Thursday, April 14th, 1893, of heart disease, Louise Broeze Tipton, aged 28 years and 5 months. She leaves a husband and two children to mourn her loss. Living the life of a saint she died in full faith of happiness in the world to come.

BUTTERS.—At the residence of her daughter, Mrs. W. H. Culmer, this city, April 17th, of old age, Mary Butters, relict of the late William Butters of Morgan City, Utah, aged 72 years, 5 months. Deceased was born at Norfolk, England, and came to Utah with her family in 1869. She was a faithful Latter-day Saint and a consistent, honest woman, a loving mother and a good neighbor. Deceased will be interred in the family burial ground at Morgan City, where most of her family reside.—[Com.]

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LEMMON.—At Mill Creek, Salt Lake county, Utah, April 11th, 1893, of pneumonia, in her seventy-fourth year, Ann Lemmon, wife of Washington Lemmon and daughter of John and Hannah Cook.

Deceased was born December 29th, 1819 at Newthorpe, Nottinghamshire, England; emigrated to Utah in 1853, and resided in Salt Lake City until 1860, when she removed to Mill Creek, where she lived the life of a true Latter-day Saint. When the primary associations were organized in the ward she was chosen president of the First district, which office she held and cheerfully attended to for a number of years. In 1877 she was chosen counselor of the Relief society, which office she wisely filled until her death.

The funeral services were held at the residence of Washington Lemmon, April 14th. Appropriate remarks were made by the brethren present. The remains were followed by a host of relatives and friends to the Mill Creek cemetery, where they were laid to rest.—[Com.]

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