

Wells, counsel to the apostles, and he thought the ceremony was performed at the home of Mr. Wells' son.

Senator Overman inquired of Mr. Roberts whether his first and second wife had consented to his marriage to his third wife.

"No, sir," said Mr. Roberts. Continuing he said that the marriage was illegal and might be embarrassing to them if they should for any reason be called on to testify.

Mr. Roberts said his third wife was the divorced wife of Dr. Shipp, and in regard to his courtship he said he always had met her at the house of mutual friends and had never called on her at her home.

He also said that she continued to live in her home but that he never had called on her there until she removed to rooms on Main street, Salt Lake.

Mr. Taylor asked Mr. Roberts if he knew that Maggie Shipp Roberts lived in a house where lived her divorced husband and two of his divorced wives.

Mr. Roberts said he was aware of the fact.

Senator Dubois asked in regard to the secrecy of his marriage and declared that he (Dubois) believed Mr. Wells, who married him, represented the "Mormon" authorities. The witness believed that, said Senator Dubois, because of Mr. Wells' position as counsel to the apostles.

According to Mr. Roberts, he said there is no record of his last marriage though the ceremony is the same as that which was used in his other marriages.

Chairman Burrows desired to know whether Mr. Wells knew the witness had a wife living when he married the third wife.

"He did," said Mr. Roberts. "He married me to my second wife."

Mr. Pettus asked if the Church ever had reprimanded him or the high officials who performed the ceremony. Mr. Roberts said nothing had been said to him.

Mr. Taylor asked Mr. Roberts why he thought it incumbent upon him to take plural wives.

"From boyhood," replied the witness, "I had been taught the righteousness of plural marriages and I believe this practice to be the will of God. I knew that this practice was contrary to the mandates of Congress, but believed that the law of God was the highest rule, and I felt impelled to obey it."

Chairman Burrows asked a number of pointed questions which brought the confession from Mr. Roberts that he still believed in practicing polygamy, and that now in practicing polygamy he knew that he is disobeying the laws and the laws of God. He was asked why he continued to disobey the laws of God if he believed them to be the highest laws and with a resigned air, he said:

"Well, the manifesto left me in the midst of obligations to these wives. I am trying to do the best I can to live within the laws but these obligations I cannot shake."

The committee adjourned until this afternoon with Mr. Roberts' examination unfinished.

Pauer to Conduct for Pittsburgh.

Dresden, April 20.—Emil Pauer, the conductor, signed a contract yesterday to direct the Pittsburgh orchestra for the next three seasons in consideration of \$10,000 per season of 25 weeks, beginning in October.

To Naturalize Porto Ricans.

Washington, April 20.—The house committee on insular affairs has authorized a favorable report on the senate bill providing for the naturalization of Porto Ricans as citizens of the United States. The committee eliminated from the bill the naturalization provision on the ground that the supreme court had decided in the Gonzalez case that Porto Ricans are not aliens.

Nevada Democratic Convention.

Reno, Nev., April 20.—The state central committee of the Democratic and Silver parties in joint meeting have elected delegates to the national Democratic convention at St. Louis.

The delegates are J. R. Ryan, Peter Weber, J. G. Sweeney, Francis G. Newlands, Reinhold Sater, W. A. Sharon.

SCHOOL PATRIOTISM.

Lecture by C. B. Stewart Followed by College Yells at U. of U.

The students of the University of Utah were addressed this morning by Atty. C. B. Stewart, who took for his subject, "School Patriotism," dealing specially with the forthcoming debate, which takes place in the Salt Lake Theater on Friday night.

After lecture Oscar Carlson was elected chairman of the meeting and he led the school in practicing college yells for the forenoon test, the students brushing up on not only their own slogan, but also on the Colorado cry, all of which they indulged in at the appointed time.

The Colorado team is expected here in the morning and will be met at the depot by a delegation of university boys. In the afternoon the college women and A. F. fraternity will entertain in their honor in the museum building.

IT MAY SNOW.

A rainy spell began this morning, and showers have been in evidence most of the day. The local weather office predicts rain or snow, or both tonight, and tomorrow, and warnings have been sent out of heavy frost tonight, with freezing temperature. It is raining heavily today along the California coast, as well as inland to the north and west of this city. Boise had 94 of an inch rainfall, and Pontiac had 30 of an inch. Kansas City has just had 1.14 inch, and St. Louis has .34 of an inch.

AUER GETS BAR AGAIN.

Highest Bidder for Liquid Refreshment Privileges at Saltair.

Charles Auer was the successful bidder for the bar privilege at Saltair this summer. The bids were opened yesterday and they ranged from \$5,000 up to \$30,000 or \$10,000, though Manager Langford has not announced what the top figure was. Among the bidders were L. Dittman and Lee Hanscholt, the latter representing the Salt Lake Soda Water company.

FIGHTERS STILL HERE.

Queenan and Clifford on the Street This Afternoon—Both are Glam.

Notwithstanding the order of Chief of Police Lynch, Queenan and Clifford, the prize fighters, are still in town, and seem to be in no hurry to leave. They were both seen on the street as late as 4 o'clock this afternoon and neither of them carried a satchel. Both, however, looked glum.

PROVO CITY SCHOOL GRADUATES

Interesting Graduation Exercises in Opera House Thursday Afternoon.

MANUAL TRAINING EXHIBIT.

And Art display of Utah County School at Provo Friday and Saturday—Excursion Rates.

Special Correspondence.

Provo, Utah Co., April 20.—Graduation exercises of the Provo public schools will be held in the opera house Thursday afternoon and evening. In the afternoon for the pupils and in the evening for the parents. On Friday the schools will engage in athletic sports on Temple hill, and on Saturday they will visit the county school exhibit, which will be given in the Brigham Young university.

The following is the program for the exercises in the opera house:

Opening song—"Moonlight on the Lake" Prayer..... Reed T. Johnson

Class poem..... Wm. S. Rawlings Music, "Dance of the Pixies".....

President's address..... Erma Looze Recitation, "Budge's Version of the Food"..... Beatrice Moore

Music..... Virna Storrs, Ralph Jones & Co. Current events..... Florence Barney

Girls chorus, "Bloom on My Roses"..... Ruth Cox Song, "Welcome Spring Time".....

History Louisiana territory..... Maud Stark Music, "Galette De Cour"..... Ray Deming

Recitation, "Winged Wilkins"..... Recitation, "Legend of Brangene".....

Duet, "Mignonette"..... Genevieve Elliot and Maud Stark Necessity of high schools.....

Music, "The Nacchene"..... Albert Harding Recitation, "Molly"..... Fern Monk

"A Song that Greets My Heart"..... Lyman Noyes Recitation, "Brier Rose"..... Estella Meacham

Boys' chorus, "Three Bumble Bees"..... Vaudeville..... Myrtle Hone

Markings by a representative of the state superintendent's office. Awarding of diplomas.

NAMES OF GRADUATES.

Vivien Bonnett, president; Ralph Jones, vice president; Erma Looze, secretary; Zella Miller, treasurer.

Boys—Harold Benton, Spencer Clark, Cyril Duffin, Earl Day, Earl Daniels, Elmo Dusenberry, Charles Denhalter, Lawrence Epperson, Hans Hansen, Lynn Haws, Jesse Haws, Amos Howe, Stanley Jones, Arthur McCullough, W. Angus Newsome, Lyman Noyes, Ray Deming, Albert Harding, Reed T. Johnson, Will Johnson, Nathan Kempton, Leroy Holdaway, Sam Ralle, Monroe Stephens.

Girls—Florence Barney, Zina Baker, Lily Clinger, Genevieve Elliot, Laura Fowler, Pearl Forre, Erma S. Holdaway, Fern Hoover, Margaret Hoover, Henrietta Love, Edith Meldrum, Fern Monk, Estella Meacham, Lottie Orwin, Nettie Pearce, Florence Rees, Maud Birkin, Ruth Cox, Carlissa Ellison, Hazel Goddard, Mary Cox, Myrtle Hone, Bella Wilkins, Beatrice Moore, Verna Howe, Fern Harding, Susie Jacobson, Marion Johnson, Edith Liddiard, Annie Olson, Linnell Park, Clara Stewart, Winifred Wilkins, Easter L. Wallace.

DISTRICT COURT.

In the district court, in the case of the State of Utah, vs. John A. Daniels, and Paris Hallard; Potter sentenced to pay a fine of \$25, and Bullard to pay a fine of \$50, or in default to be imprisoned in the county jail for 25 and 50 days respectively.

The following jurors were excused: R. W. Jones, George McKenzie, Alma V. Hulsh, H.M. Dougal, Jas. T. Thorne, D. C. Adamson and W. F. Welsh.

COUNTY BUSINESS.

The county commissioners met yesterday and transacted the following business:

A petition from citizens of Goshen asking for an appropriation of \$500 to be expended on the road between Goshen and Warm creek was referred to Commissioner Dixon.

The clerk was authorized to advertise for sale property sold to Utah county for taxes, on which the time for redemption has expired.

VEIT-VIERTEL WEDDING.

A marriage license has been issued to Richard Viertel, 23, and Katherine Veit, 22, both of Provo.

Byron W. King of the King School of Oratory, Pittsburg, Pa., will give a reading in the Brigham Young university Thursday evening.

A daughter has been born to Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Harvey, and a daughter to each of the following families: Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Jones, and Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Allman.

UTAH COUNTY SCHOOL EXHIBIT.

An exhibit of general school work in art and manual training will be held in the Training School building of the B. Y. university April 22 and 23. Required rate excursions will be run from the southern and northern ends of the county. It is expected that all the children of the public schools will come to this fair with many of their parents.

It is designed that the train arrive at the Provo station at about the same time Saturday morning, the children

Spring Humors

Come to most people and cause many troubles—pimples, boils and other eruptions, besides loss of appetite, that tired feeling, fits of biliousness, indigestion and headache.

The sooner one gets rid of them the better, and the way to get rid of them and to build up the system that has suffered from them is to take

Hood's Sarsaparilla and Pills

Forming in combination the Spring Medicine par excellence, of unequalled strength in purifying the blood as shown by unequalled, radical and permanent cures of

Scrofula Salt Rheum Scald Head Boils, Pimples All Kinds of Humor Psoriasis Blood Poisoning Rheumatism Catarrh Dyspepsia, Etc

Accept no substitute, but be sure to get Hood's, and get it today.

WHAT TEA DOES TO RHEUMATICS.

When you next take tea, think of this. Tea contains 175 grains of Uric Acid in every pound.

Meat contains only five to seven grains. Rheumatism is Uric Acid in the blood. Uric Acid accumulates from food when the digestive apparatus cannot create enough Alkaline elements (like soda) to neutralize it.

This Acid collects urea, or worn-out waste matter, from the system. That Urea enters the blood when Alkaline action has not previously dissolved it.

By and by the waste matter reaches the joints and muscles, through circulation of the blood.

There is gradually deposits in solid particles, like granulated sugar. These solid particles grind between the joints and muscles at every movement.

This grinding causes irritation and pain. These in turn may develop inflammation and swelling. That inflammation bestirs Nature to help herself.

She proceeds to coat the hard Uric particles over with cushions of pulpy mucus, like the first healing strata of an outer case.

This pulpy covering grows to the bones, as well as to the particles deposited. There it hardens like plaster or sealing wax. Then we have "bony joints," almost insensible, and usually fixed in a banded position, from the pain and inflammation.

This is Rheumatism at its worst. It is bad enough before it gets that far. There is but one sure way of curing Rheumatism. The first step is to neutralize the Uric Acid already in the system.

Next, to dissolve, and carry away, the hard deposits that grind between the joints. Then get the digestive apparatus into such healthy condition that it will, unaided, produce less Uric Acid, and more Alkalines.

This is what Doctors generally have failed to do.

It is what I studied a lifetime to accomplish, and achieved only after many failures and thousands of experiments.

At last I found, in Germany, a solvent which was not only effective, but absolutely safe to use.

Few agents powerful enough to be effective in Rheumatism are safe.

My discovery, now called "Dr. Shoop's Rheumatic Cure," acts directly, and instantly, upon Uric Acid in the joints and muscles.

It dissolves, and carries off, the painful depositing and hardening matter, and the condition of the blood, and neutralizing the Acid in it which would have fed Rheumatism and extended the disease.

It won't restore bony joints to flexibility, and it can't undo, in a week, the damage caused by years of rheumatic condition.

But it will benefit every case, and it will entirely cure most cases of Rheumatism.

So sure am I of this that I will supply the "Dr. Shoop's Rheumatic Cure," to any sick one who writes me for it, on a month's trial, at my risk.

If it succeeds, the cost to him is only \$2.50 for the six bottles I send him.

If it fails, I bear the whole cost myself. And he alone shall be the judge—shall decide who shall pay.

Surely you will not continue to suffer when you can thus get well at my risk. I have written an important Treatise on Rheumatism, telling of its relief and cure. It is free to Rheumatic people.

Write me a post card for it today. Address, Dr. Shoop, Box 513 Racine, Wis.

P. S.—Simple cases often yield to one bottle of Dr. Shoop's Rheumatic Cure. (Broughts it, but all druggists do not supply it on a month's trial. You must write to me for that. C. I. S.)

There forming a procession with their flags and banners and march through the city to the exhibition building.

In the afternoon a meeting will be held in the stake tabernacle where the children will be awarded a monetary prize of \$100 in various lines of work. Ten phases of art work have been introduced in manual training.

The Standard Bearer has been elected by the children of the respective districts which they represent. He stands as the educational symbol of the school he represents, not only in an educational way, but in a moral, mental, and physical way—he is the standard bearer in the ideal sense of the school.

PLANTED 20,976 TREES.

Salt Lake School Pupils in Addition Cleaning Up 4,200 Yards.

According to the reports received by City Supt. of Schools Christensen today the pupils of the schools in this city on Arbor day planted 20,976 trees, plants and shrubs. In addition to that work it is reported that 4,200 yards were cleaned by the children on that day and also a great amount of work was done on the school grounds in planting hedges, vines and shrubs and in cleaning the walks. Every school ground in the city shows the effects of the work done by the pupils. Reports were also made of a large number of games being played and in many cases on that day. A classification of the work done by the pupils shows that there were 7,632 trees, 7,638 shrubs and 5,658 flower beds planted.

TRUSTEES IN ERROR.

School Districts Deprived of Benefit of Tax Through Overlooking the Law.

Many serious errors have been made in the past by the trustees of the various school districts of the county not complying with the law in respect to reporting to the proper county officials the special school tax levied by the district. In some cases this error has led to the district being deprived of the benefit of the tax completely which was voted by the taxpayers and has been a detriment to their schools.

County Auditor Fisher accordingly calls the attention of the trustees of the districts to section 1572 of the revised Statutes of Utah, which specifies what county official shall be notified of a special school tax levied and also the time and manner of notifying him.

The section provides that all special school taxes must be voted upon on or before May 1 of each year and within 20 days thereafter the trustees shall certify the amount of such levy to the county auditor. The proper steps can then be taken to collect such tax.

POSTOFFICE RECORD.

Branch in Deseret News Book Store Does a Great Business.

Station No. 1 of the Salt Lake post-office, the pioneer station in this city, is doing a great record, as will be noted by the record established by its business up to date. For the year ending March 31 last, the value of the stamps sold was \$12,425.38. The money orders sold during the same time numbered 5,016, and the number of pieces of mail registered was 4,897. This is a good indication of the steady growth of business along upper East Temple street, the station being located in the Deseret News Book store, and suggests that before long the amount of business will be such as to warrant the department enlarging its office room there, employing more clerks, and putting in lock boxes and having the headquarters of several carriers there.

NO RECITAL TOMORROW.

There will be no organ recital in the Tabernacle tomorrow, on account of the concert to be given in the evening by the Utah State band and the Tabernacle choir.

Rebekahs are completing their work today.

The eighty-fifth anniversary of the founding of the order of Odd Fellows will be celebrated in this city on the evening of the 8th inst. The committee for the same are as follows:

General Committee—Wm. Doxey, Mrs. Thomas Watkins, Mrs. Lottie Jeffries.

Reception Committee—Mrs. W. H. Lepper, Mrs. B. D. Blackmar, Mrs. Lottie Jeffries, J. F. Boes, M. C. Smith, Floor Committee—D. M. Griffiths, N. C. Price, Wm. Doxey, M. S. Webb.

"HAM" SHOW.

Full Stage Rehearsal in the Theater Tomorrow Night for the Mob.

There will be a full stage rehearsal of the mob scene in the Press club's "Ham Show" at the Salt Lake Theater tomorrow evening, beginning at 7:30 sharp. All who have been asked to take part in this scene, including principals, are urgently requested to be present, and report to Stage Director H. L. A. Culmer.

DOWIE MEN HERE.

Drammers from Zion City Hit Salt Lake And Canvass for Trade.

J. H. Minnick and Andrew Taylor, of Zion City, Ill., are at the Kenyon. Zion City, as nearly everybody knows, is the town owned by Alexander Dowie, the religious millionaire, who recently tried to captivate and capture New York, with disastrous results. The visitors represent Dowie's lace factory and are here to sell to the local trade. Their presence is a reminder of the quiet settlement and its strict customs, owned absolutely by Dowie, who is reported to rule it and its people with the mailed fist of an Alexander.

Visitors are not especially welcome in Zion City, while there is an everlasting ban on reporters. The town lies only a few miles out of Chicago, and the papers of that city have been fighting John Alexander Dowie for many years. In fact, they have injured him to a considerable extent, assuming the view that he is a crank and grafter of the worst type. But in order to get information to prolong their crusade, they send reporters into the village quite frequently, and woe to him of them who is discovered, and more so if he is caught breaking any of the strict rules that govern the town. The use of liquor and tobacco is banned. A swear word is a fracture of the ordinances. Taking the name of Deity in vain is, under Dowie's laws, almost deserving of capital punishment. The several thousands of inhabitants regard every law of the town as sacred. The town is patrolled by the guards of the overseer and they are not at all backward about throwing a violator into prison.

All this Dowie do, because he purchased the tract of land upon which the town was built, and those who come there against his wishes are more or less liable to be guilty of trespass. Many newspapermen have been arrested by the Zion City guards for appearing in the town on business.

There are several manufacturing establishments in Zion City, and a bank, where every resident is supposed to deposit his money. The profits go to Dowie. Canvassing for business in the far west, however, seems to be an innovation.

A recent issue of the London Daily Mail contains a notice to the effect that Dowie, who is now making a tour of the world, has been barred from every public hall in South Australia because of a discrepancy in remark made by him concerning King Edward.

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SALT LAKE CITY GETTING A BIG BOY

Completed Directory List Shows That with Murray and Other Suburbs

POPULATION IS OVER 100,000.

Actual Number Registered is 30,478 for The City Alone—Allowances for Families.

The completed city directory list shows the following numbers of names according to letter: A—1,212; B—3,279; C—2,782; D—1,488; E—998; F—1,153; G—1,890; H—3,178; I—141; J—1,369; K—1,084; L—1,730; M—796; N—2,539; O—874; P—589; Q—1,977; R—1,737; S—3,606; T—1,235; U—541; V—284; W—2,514; X—245; Y—482. The total number of names in the new directory is 36,478, and the number is multiplied by 2½ to find the number of the population living within the corporate limits of the city. This makes a grand total of 91,195 souls, to whom are added 15,500 names for people living in the suburbs, including Murray on the south and Fort Douglas on the east, and the country lying immediately to the west and north. This gives a second grand total of 106,695 souls.

Following are the number of names and the total corporate populations for the years 1897 to 1904 inclusive:

Years. No. Names. Population 1897..... 24,894 74,412 1898..... 25,827 77,481 1899..... 26,460 79,380 1900..... 28,262 84,606 1901..... 29,246 87,639 1902..... 32,504 89,501 1903..... 35,137 87,842 1904..... 36,478 91,195

The new directory is in the bindery, and will be out in a few days. It consists of 1,130 pages.

UTAH STATE BAND.

Musical Organization Makes Initial Bow in Tabernacle Tomorrow Night.

A concert that promises to be of considerable importance to the local musical world will be given tomorrow evening in the Tabernacle, when the new Utah State band under Prof. Pedersen, the Tabernacle choir, under Prof. Stephens, and a number of soloists will appear. The concert is especially to bring out the Utah State band, which Prof. Pedersen has been victoriously training for the last few months, so that he has got his musicians in fine trim. The professor has a fine reputation as a drill-master in music, and he is nothing if not thorough. The instrumentation has been carefully arranged and balanced, and the boys are confident of making a most excellent showing.

A feature of special note will be the playing of the organ by Prof. McClellan and the band in union. This is really the first time the organ and a band has played together in regular concert work, and the effect will be noted with much interest. The singing by the choir will give pleasure as it always does. The attendance at the concert promises to be large.

TRANSFERRED TO 'FRISCO.

Staff Captain Woods of Salvation Army To Leave Here Next Month.

Staff Captain Woods of the Salvation army has been transferred to San Francisco, and leaves this city May 22, for his new post of duty.

His place here will be filled by Staff Captain John T. Dale of Oklahoma, who arrives June 1 next. Captain Woods has given faithful and valuable service here, during the three years of his stay here, and he will be much missed.

Colonel French of the Salvation Army spent the last few days in this city, from San Francisco on an inspection trip, and on leaving today, for the west, expressed his gratification at the excellent condition of the Salt Lake stations.

U. S. MINING CO. SUED.

Heirs of Henry Adamson, Deceased, Bring Action for \$5,000 Damages.

Minnie H. Adamson and six other heirs of Henry Adamson, deceased, are plaintiffs in a damage suit filed in the district court today against the United States Mining company to recover \$5,000 damages for the death of Henry Adamson, who was killed in defendant's mine at Bingham on April 11, 1904, by being crushed by a cave-in of ore.

TWO DIVORCE SUITS.

Lucile Whittaker and Anna C. Warner Sued to Be Set Free.

Two suits for divorce were filed in the district court yesterday afternoon. Lucile Whittaker asks a divorce on the grounds of desertion and non-support. They were married in this city on Nov. 8, 1902 and it is alleged that defendant deserted plaintiff on Jan. 25, 1903, and has ever since failed to support her. She asks that her maiden name, Lucile, be restored to her.

Anna C. Warner, in her complaint for divorce, charges that her husband, Harry J. Warner, has failed to provide for her. They were married in this city on July 25, 1