

Chinese worship, and have paid due respect to it.

I hope the superintendents, teachers and others will see the necessity of teaching good behavior, and stop disorderly conduct in houses of worship by the children. I pray God to bless you, my brethren and sisters, in this great movement that we are engaged in. Its effects are already being felt all through the land. Those engaged in this work enjoy the spirit of it, and they will see the fruits of their labors in days to come. Continue in the good work and glorify the Lord in all things.

The officers of the Deseret Sunday School Union were presented to the congregation and sustained by unanimous vote as follows: George Q. Cannon, General Superintendent, with George Goddard and John Morgan, Assistant Superintendents; Levi W. Richards, Secretary; George Reynolds, Treasurer, and John C. Cutler, Assistant Secretary and Treasurer.

General Board:—George Reynolds, John C. Cutler, Thomas C. Griggs, Abraham H. Cannon and Joseph W. Summerhays.

General Missionary to the Sunday Schools:—William Willes.

A vote of thanks, by the uplifted hands of the vast assembly was tendered to Brothers T. McIntyre and E. Bezley, leaders; Joseph J. Daynes, organist, and all the brethren and sisters that took part in the musical exercises.

The choir sang: "Utah, Queen of the West," and Elder Joseph W. Summerhays pronounced the benediction.

CITY COUNCIL.

The City Council met in regular session at 7:30 April 8th, Mayor Scott presiding.

Andrew Stevens asked that an error in his deed be corrected. Referred to the city attorney.

J. E. Bamberger and others asked for a franchise to operate a street railway on certain streets in North Salt Lake, connecting with the present terminus of the street railway, and requesting permission to operate it by steam, horse, cable, electricity, or other motive power, for twenty years. Referred to the committee on streets.

Alexander & Co. asked for a rebate of \$36.80 on the liquor license, to be applied on future license. Referred to the committee on license.

H. W. Lawrence asked permission to dig a portion of the sidewalk in front of his premises on West Temple Street. Granted under the usual restrictions.

A. R. Derge asked permission to clear certain portions of the street passing his premises, in Plat J, at his own expense. Referred to the committee on streets.

J. A. Warner asked for the naming and numbering of streets in Plat J, about the Capitol Hill grounds, and suggested names for the streets. Referred to the committee on streets.

George M. Ottinger and other members of the Veteran Firemen's Association, asked that the city

present to the association the old hand engine, the first and only fire engine built in Utah, as it was now useless to the city, and the association desired to preserve it as a memento. Referred to the committee on fire department.

J. J. Snell and others, residing near the corner of West Temple and First North Streets, asked that the water mains be extended in that neighborhood. They had presented a former petition, but the extension was defeated by owners of private pipes. The Council had given notice to have these pipes removed, but had rescinded the order, and the petitioners had received no relief. They had been deprived of water, and compelled to get it from neighbors at a distance, and wanted to know how long this state of things was to continue. They asked that the necessary relief be granted to them. Referred to the committee on waterworks.

Edward Richards and other residents of the Eleventh Ward asked for the extension of the water mains on Second South Street, to a point between Eleventh and Twelfth East streets. Referred to the committee on waterworks.

Cornelius Green asked that certain land granted by him to the city for a canal be restored to him, as the canal had been abandoned. Referred to the committee on Jordan and Salt Lake City canal.

W. J. A. Timms and others asked that the water mains be extended on Third and M streets. Referred to the committee on waterworks.

A number of residents of Third West Street, north, asked that it be graded. Referred to the committee on streets.

James H. Kirk and others asked that the assessor and collector be instructed to accept the tax for the extension of water mains in front of their premises. Referred to the committee on waterworks.

Matthew White, in behalf of the Saltair Railway Company, asked permission to withdraw his petition for a railway franchise along South Temple Street, to East Temple. Granted.

C. P. Madsen asked permission to place a bridge over, and to flume a portion of the canal flowing through his property. Referred to the committee on Jordan and Salt Lake canal.

Matthew White, on behalf of the Saltair Railway Company, asked for a franchise to operate a railway on Third South Street, from East Temple west, by any motive power, the object being to connect with a line to the Great Salt Lake, 17 miles in length. Referred to the committee on streets.

E. H. Taylor and other residents of the Nineteenth Ward, asked that Pear Street be graded. Referred to the committee on streets.

Watson Brothers asked permission to use a portion of the street and sidewalk in front of the premises just east of the Fourteenth Ward assembly rooms, to pile building material, while constructing a building for Clark, Eldredge & Co. Granted under the usual restrictions.

City Attorney Merritt stated that such grants should be made to owners of property only, so they could be held liable for damage.

A motion to reconsider the grant to Watson Brothers was lost.

Mr. James said the city now had to pay \$750 damages because the advice of the attorney had not been followed, and suggested that no more such blunders be made.

Jos. E. Caine asked permission to excavate a portion of the sidewalk east of the Deseret National Bank. Granted under the usual restrictions.

Mr. Feveryear and others asked that the water mains be extended on First Street, to H. Referred to the committee on waterworks.

George Woodward and others asked that the water mains be extended on Fourth South, to a point 20 rods east of Sixth East Street. Referred to the committee on waterworks.

L. Moth Iverson presented a claim for \$450 damages done to him by the failure of the city to keep a certain ditch clear. Referred to the committee on claims.

S. B. Westerfield asked that the roads leading to Capitol Hill grounds be graded at an early date; that First East Street be opened; that the street surrounding the grounds be made suitable for a drive; and that Wall Street be graded. Referred to the committee on streets.

The trustees of the eighth school district represented that a water tax had been assessed against the school property, and asked that it be remitted, as they considered it wrong to tax such property. Referred to the committee on claims.

H. M. McCartney asked that a certain piece of land, 3 28-100 acres, be sold to him. Referred to the committee on public grounds.

A. B. Sawyer said he was improving a piece of property 10x10 rods at the corner of Fifth South and Eighth East streets, and was spending \$7,000 thereon. He wanted the water mains extended, but all the residents along the street refused to unite with him, on the ground that they could not afford it. He thought that they should sell their land to others who could afford to pay the water-tax. He thought the policy pursued in the past was bad. Referred to the committee on waterworks.

J. H. Clive and others asked that a ditch near the north-east corner of Liberty Park be cleaned out, as it was causing damage to their property. Referred to the committee on irrigation.

H. C. Hill asked permission to pile building material at the corner of West Temple and Third South streets. Granted with the usual restrictions.

Mr. Hall wanted a bond to be given, to protect the city from suits for damage.

Mr. James opposed this, unless all were required to give bonds.

Mr. Pembroke read section 22, chapter xxi of the Revised Ordinances, which he thought sufficient to cover the ground.

Mr. Hill was required to give a