

# American Fork Citizen

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## High School Meet Most Successful

Day Draws Out Large Crowds—  
600 Students and Leading Edu-  
cators Attend.

The Utah County High School an-  
gathering and track meet held  
last Friday was one of the most  
successful ever held. About 2,000  
High School students were present  
and the educators present included  
E. G. Gowans, State Supt., Dr.  
H. Brimhall of the B. Y. U.,  
Lon J. Haddock of the U. A. C.,  
visitors were met at the depot  
by the American Fork Silver Band.  
In the day, the Lehi High  
School Junior band, under the leader-  
ship of Melvin Smuin also supplied  
evening music. Luncheon was  
served in the Tabernacle basement  
by the Third Ward Relief Society as-  
sisted by the officers of the Y. L. M.  
and the Primary organizations.  
The forenoon exercises were held  
in the Stake Tabernacle when the  
following program was given: (1)  
chorus, American Fork High School  
orchestra, Prof. J. B. Forbes; quad-  
ruple male quartette, Payson High  
School; address of welcome, Earl S.  
Henderson, mayor of American Fork;  
chorus, Prof. L. K. Nelson; solo,  
Mrs. Prof. L. J. Haddock; male  
chorus, Springville High; address, Dr.  
G. Gowans, state superintendent of  
schools; music, Pleasant Grove high  
school orchestra; address President  
George H. Brimhall of the B. Y. U.,  
sing chorus, Lehi high school;  
edification, President S. L. Chipman.  
County Supt. J. P. Crocker made the  
statement that the Utah County School  
enrollment outside of Provo was 10,  
of whom over 12 per cent are in  
High Schools, which he considers  
to be the highest per cent of any  
county in the state.

In the track meet, Payson and  
Springville athletes carried off most  
of the points. Only two points came  
from the north end, Pleasant Grove win-  
ning in the discus and Lehi in the  
hammer throw. Wainlass of Lehi was  
cut in the leg with a wild ham-  
mer throw by Spanish Fork which  
incapacitated him for going to the  
meet. All events were settled  
by the state meet held in Salt  
Lake City yesterday.

Following is the summary:  
100-yard dash—McBeth, Payson,  
1st; Thorne, Pleasant Grove, second;  
Lane, Payson, third. Time, 10 3/5.  
220-yard hurdles—Mills, Payson,  
1st; McBeth, Payson, second; Brom-  
ley, Springville, third. Time, 29 2/5.  
Shot-put—Tew, Springville, won,  
1st; Spanish Fork second; Skid-  
more, Pleasant Grove, third. Distance,  
37 feet 8 inches.  
Pole vault—W. Weight, Springville,  
1st; J. Weight, Springville, second;  
Spanish Fork third. Height,  
10 feet.  
Hammer Throw—Wainlass, Lehi,  
1st; Tew, Springville, second; Price,  
Springville third. Distance 125 feet  
6 inches.  
Broad jump—F. Weight, Springville,  
1st; Wing, American Fork, second;  
Hanson, Pleasant Grove, third. Dis-  
tance, 19 feet 6 inches.  
5 mile run—Wadsworth, Payson, won,  
1st; Springville, second; Russell,  
Springville, third. Time 5:03.  
180-yard run—Taylor, Payson, won;  
Parker, Pleasant Grove, second; Nagle,  
Springville, third. Time 2:10 3/5.  
440-yard dash—Oberhansley, Pay-  
son, won; Ballard, Payson, second;  
Weight, Springville third. Time :55.  
220-yard dash—McBeth, Payson,  
won; Thorne, Pleasant Grove, second;  
Weight, Springville third. Time :24.  
Discus—Walker, Pleasant Grove,  
won; Clyde, Springville, second; Nel-  
son, Spanish Fork, third. Distance,  
94 feet 6 inches.  
High Jump—Hales and Beck of  
Spanish Fork tied for first; Kirkham,  
Lehi, second; Condy, Springville,  
third. Height 5 feet 8 inches.

## Chipman Wins Cities Lose

Water Case in Which Three Towns  
Are Interested Is Settled in the Su-  
preme Court.

This week the suit of T. J. Chipman  
vs. American Fork City, Pleasant  
Grove City and the Lehi Irrigation  
company was settled in favor of the  
plaintiff by the State Supreme Court.  
The question which was brought up  
on demurr was as to the cities' li-  
ability for damage done by waste water  
from American Fork canyon when it  
got below the point of diversion from  
its natural channel. The case will  
now be sent back to the District  
Court for trial on its merits.

This case was tried in the lower  
court last year and the judge ruled  
against Chipman, virtually saying that  
flood waters were an "act of God"  
for which damage could not be re-  
covered. The Supreme Court ruling

virtually says that any one assuming  
control over the stream is liable for  
any damage that it may do.

## W. J. Bryan's Cousin(?) 'Steals Livery Rig

Eccentric Character, Posing as Sales-  
man, Lecturer and Advance Agent,  
Finally Lands in County Jail.

Mr. E. N. Sever is in the county  
jail charged with stealing a horse  
and buggy from Nielson's livery  
stable. His trial is set for May 29th.  
Last Friday he called at the stable  
and asked for a horse and buggy to  
go to Lehi; claiming that he was a  
traveling salesman. Towards evening  
the stable manager, not hearing any-  
thing of his outfit, began to suspect  
that there was something wrong, and  
soon after received a telegram from  
Sever in Clearfield, Davis County,  
stating that his outfit was in a li-  
very stable there. A telephone mes-  
sage to the sheriff's home stated that  
the man was in the county jail on  
suspicion of having stolen the outfit.  
Sever traded his American Fork bug-  
gy, which was a new one, to a Kays-  
ville woman for an old one, claiming  
that the new one was broken. When  
the new one was found not to be  
broken, the sheriff was sent for and  
made the arrest. Sever went to the  
sheriff's telephone, claiming that he  
wanted to telephone to his mother in  
Ogden but instead sent the message to  
American Fork for Nielson to come  
and get his outfit. Saturday Sheriff  
East went to Farmington and got the  
man.

Sever got some bills printed in Lehi  
advertising himself as a lyceum en-  
tertainer and cousin of W. J. Bryan.  
He hired the Lehi Tabernacle in  
which to give his show, but because of  
the medium of advertising only sold  
six tickets. When in Eureka he joined  
the Mormon church, but when the  
bishop refused to donate his a ton  
of coal, he joined the Baptist church.  
When he left Eureka, it is said, he  
took the sheets, an electric iron and  
several other loose articles from his  
lodging place. Upon being arrested  
he mailed a \$2.00 bill to the Juab  
County sheriff to redeem the flat iron,  
which has been sold to Geo. Harvey  
in Lehi. The Juab County Sheriff  
came up to Lehi Wednesday and re-  
deemed the flat iron.

## Clayson President--- Hopkins Supervisor

New Alpine District School Board Al-  
so Chooses G. A. Goates for Vice-  
President and Wash Chipman for  
Treasurer.

The newly appointed Alpine district  
school board held its first official  
meeting Tuesday and perfected its  
organization by choosing Eli J. Clay-  
son of American Fork as president of  
the board, George A. Goates of Lehi  
vice-president, W. S. Chipman of Am-  
erican Fork as treasurer, and W. K.  
Hopkins of Lehi as district supervisor.  
The position of clerk, for which F.  
A. Child, E. N. Madison and J. B.  
Forbes are applicants, has not yet  
been filled. The board will visit the  
Granite and Jordan districts next  
Tuesday and examine into the duties  
of a clerk, so as better to learn the  
qualifications a clerk should have.

Members of the Alpine school board  
are Alfred Anderson of Cedar Valley,  
G. A. Goates of Lehi, Eli J. Clayson of  
American Fork, C. G. Johnson of  
Pleasant Grove and S. E. Bunnell of  
Lincoln. They replace all the school  
boards in the north end of Utah coun-  
ty.

## Stake Presidency Recommendation

To the Bishops, Counselors and the  
Latter Day Saints of the Alpine Stake  
of Zion. We, your Brethren, as pre-  
siding officers, as usual recommend  
to you the importance of cleaning  
and beautifying our cemetery, pre-  
paratory to the opening of Decora-  
tion Day, May 30th. We should be  
interested, and we hope you  
will use your good office and influence  
to bring about an improvement along  
these lines. We would ask the bi-  
shops to arrange special programs for  
that day and treat on the subjects of  
Baptism of the Dead, pre-existence  
of Spirits, a Literal Resurrection,  
Eternal Union and kindred subjects,  
showing that their principles and or-  
dinances are true, reasonable and  
scriptural.

Alpine Stake Presidency,  
S. L. CHIPMAN,  
J. H. CLARKE,  
ABLE JOHN EVANS.

## Sixty-Four Graduate From Eight Grade

Long List of Those Who Are Now  
Eligible for Entrance to High  
School.

The trouble of sixty-four grade stu-  
dents ended after the examinations  
given in Pleasant Grove last Tuesday.  
Twenty-eight took the examination  
and passed with high credits. The  
other thirty-six did not have to take  
the examination because of the high  
percentages they had maintained  
throughout the year. Next week they  
will go to Lehi, where all the gradu-  
ates of the Alpine district will hold  
special exercises and a track meet  
next Wednesday. They will hold  
special exercises here the following  
week and will give a ball in the  
evening.

Following is the list of American  
Fork graduates, all of whom are now  
eligible for entrance to any High  
School in the state.

Ambrose, Edith	Abel, Meda
Adylotte, Hazel	Bate, Birdie
Bennett, Clifford	Beck, Filcher
Brown, Maud	Binns, Fay
Busch, Leah	Booth, Manda
Clayson, Merrill	Crookston, Ella
Chipman, Ina	Coates, Rebecca
Casady, Leroy	Christensen, Marion
Carr, Mabel	Chestnut, Nathaniel
Chipman, Pearl	Chadwick, Clifford
Cheever, Albert	Cunningham, John
Chipman, Vern	Chestnut, Chyle
Foster, Louise	Grant, Lillian
Gordon, Mattie	Green, Phillip
Haslem, Ruth	Hanson, Sylvia
Hanson, Pearl	Hanson, George
Haggard, Lynn	Hanson, Rosemond
Haslem, Clair	Jackson, Haydee
Jeffs, Blanche	Jeffs, Albert
King, Nella	Miller, Lloyd
Miller, Rollo	McBride, Alvin
Miller, Rosanna	Manwill, Vearl
Nicholes, Sanford	Nicholes, Foster
Nelson, Clyde	Noyes, LeGrande
Penrod, Ella	Parker, Mary
Pete, Noel	Pratt, Llewellyn
Shelley, Jean	Shelley, Ida
Shelley, Mada	Sinclair, Georgia
Searle, Alice	Thornton, Clyde
Wright, Elva	Walton, Ivan
Whipple, June	Wild, Clifford
Wootton, Millie	Winn, Raymond

## Priesthood Meet- ing Sunday

Vocation Advisors to be Selected in  
All The Wards.

Last Sunday was Stake union and  
Priesthood meeting in the Stake Ta-  
bernacle. President S. L. Chipman  
presided at the union services. Pres.  
A. J. Evans gave an address "Mother"  
this being "Mothers' Day." Miss Elva  
Chipman sang a solo "Mother Dear,"  
and Rescoe W. Erdley of Salt Lake  
City made some remarks on Mother.

In the priesthood division Archie  
Gardner recently returned from the  
Hawaiian Islands gave a report of  
his two and one-half year's mission  
spent among the natives over 7,000  
of whom were members of the church.  
The native population is gradually  
diminishing.

Roscoe W. Erdley, a member of the  
special committee having in charge  
the vocational work of the M. I. A.  
took up the principal part of the  
time in explaining this new phase  
of the M. I. A. work. He said that in  
every stake a vocational supervisor  
had been appointed and that a vo-  
cational advisor would be appointed  
for every ward. The duty of these  
advisors will be to get well acquaint-  
ed with all the young men in the  
wards between the ages of 14 and 20  
and learn their likes and qualifica-  
tions for the different vocations. The  
advisors will then try to help the  
boys to choose some trade or busi-  
ness in which they will excel, and in  
this way increase their efficiency for  
work and earning a livelihood as  
they grow older. This is a new work  
that the church officials are getting  
started and the Bishops were asked  
to supply the best man they have for  
this purpose.

## Reckless Motorcycling

Last Friday evening after all the  
crowds had gone, little Miss Virginia  
Durrant, the four-year-old daughter  
of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Durrant, while  
wheeling her doll buggy on the side-  
walk near the City Park and accom-  
panied by her little two and one-half-  
year-old brother, was run down by  
a motorcycle. The little girl was carried  
by her father into his home near by,  
when it was learned that her leg was  
badly broken. A doctor was sent for  
and she is now mending nicely. The  
man was riding his machine on the

# Candy---Candie ---Kandy

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CHOICE MIXED CANDY		LEMON DROPS

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LADIES' HOSE---RUBBER HOSE---GARDEN HOES

**Chipman Merc. Co.**

AMERICAN FORK, UTAH.

side-walk and had an American Fork  
young lady on behind him. He came  
in the house and offered to make  
things right as far as possible.

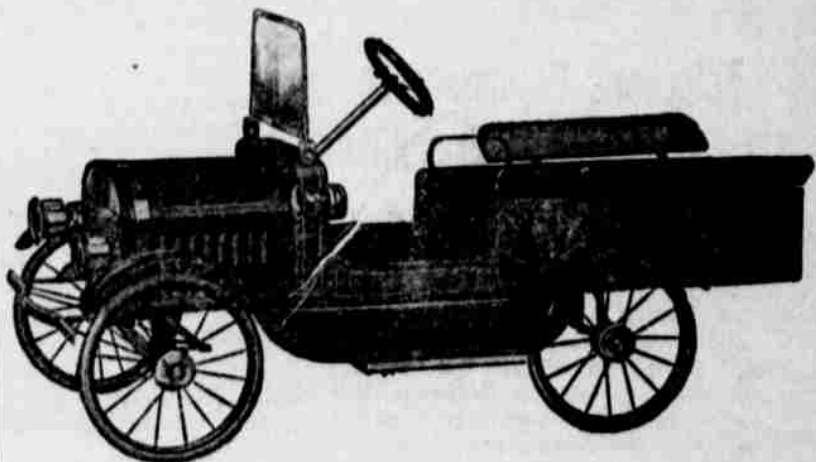
## BRIGGS CASE COMES BE- FORE PARDONING BOARD

The state pardoning board will sit  
next Monday, when the case of Law-  
rence Briggs, convicted of selling li-  
quor two years ago, will come up for  
hearing. Mr. Briggs appealed from the  
Justices on up to the Supreme  
Court, who said that he must pay a  
heavy fine or serve a term in the  
county jail.

## NOTICE

There will be a mass meeting in  
the City Hall next Monday evening,  
May 17th, at 8 o'clock, for all tele-  
phone users and all interested in the  
installation of an independent sys-  
tem. The meeting is of very great  
importance. Public earnestly request-  
ed to be present.

Come In and See the Auto



THIS IS THE AUTO THAT WILL BE GIVEN AWAY  
SEPTEMBER 1, 1915.

WM. THORNTON, Druggist

## :- This Beats Everything :-

How You Can Change Pennies  
Into Dollars.

We are going to sell WALLPAPER at the lowest price  
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You can get Paint enough to paint your house INSIDE  
and OUTSIDE, Furniture, etc., for almost nothing.

The profit we gain from this SALE means you as a steady  
customer.

This Sale Commences MONDAY, MAY 17TH

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