

# SERVICES IN VARIOUS WARDS

GENERAL CONFERENCE HELD  
WITH LARGE ATTENDANCE.

Plans For New Meeting House Ac-  
cepted—Building to Be Erected  
Corner Madison and 23rd.

The general conference of the North Weber stake was held in the Ogden Tabernacle yesterday, there being three sessions held during the day. Music for the conference was furnished by the Tabernacle choir in the rendition of special musical numbers.

The first meeting of the day was held at 10 o'clock in the morning, the speakers of that meeting being Bishop Wotherspoon, who spoke largely on the condition of the stake organization in general, pointing with considerable pride to the splendid achievements accomplished by the stake since its recent organization; Apostle D. O. McKay gave an outline of the work for the priesthood for the ensuing year.

At the afternoon session, which convened at 2 o'clock, the principal speaker was Elder M. S. Marriott, the other speakers being Professor S. D. Bradford, Sunday school superintendent for the stake, and Patriarch John Smith of Salt Lake. The discourses all dealt with religious matters in a general way and were filled with exhortation to the people to aid in the building up of the stake and in the promulgation of the gospel of Christ.

At the Weber Stake academy building last night was held a conference of the Sixth ward of Ogden, which proved to be a very interesting meeting. The names of the ward officers were presented to the people and they were sustained in their various positions by a vote of the people assembled.

An important feature of the conference was the report from the bishop, stating that the plans for the new meeting house had been accepted, and that it was fully expected that within the next year the building would be built and ready for use. The building will be erected on the corner of Twenty-third street and Madison avenue and when finished will have cost the ward not less than \$19,000. It was also stated that the auditorium of the building will be as large as the study hall of the academy building, and that there would be constructed in the new building ten rooms for study rooms for the Sunday school. All of these rooms will open into a large rotunda, to be used for general exercises.

Those who addressed the conference were President C. C. Richards, J. R. Morrell, Marcus Farr and W. H. McKendrick of the High Council; Bishop Henry Gwilliam and Counselors Samuel Whittaker and Parley Wright. Music was given by the ward choir.

At the conference of the Fifth ward of the city, Bishop John Watson, on account of having been called to the presidency of the Weber stake, was released from his duties as bishop and Henry C. Jacobs was chosen to fill the vacancy. Counselors to Bishop Jacobs selected at the conference were Thomas B. Wheelwright and Luman A. Shurtliff, their seniority being in the order named. A change was also made in the organization of the Relief society. President Charlotte E. Driver resigned the position, and Mrs. Edith L. Volker was elected to the place. The conference was largely attended and encouraging and interesting sermons were preached by the members of the stake presidency. Music was given by the ward choir, assisted by the well-known vocalists, Miss Maud Lindsay, Mrs. Polly Jones and Miss Tillie Hancock.

The Seventh ward conference was held at the Mound Fort meeting house in the afternoon, at which President T. B. Evans, Nathan J. Harris, E. A. Olsen and George Thatcher were the speakers. The topic of discussion was church organization in its various departments.