

President Grant then presented the General Auxiliary Officers of the Church, who were sustained by unanimous vote of the congregation, as follows:

NATIONAL WOMAN'S RELIEF SOCIETY

Louise Y. Robison, President
Amy Brown Lyman, First Counselor
Julia A. Child, Second Counselor
Julia F. Lund, Secretary and Treasurer

with all the members of the Board as at present constituted.

DESERET SUNDAY SCHOOL UNION

David O. McKay, General Superintendent
Stephen L. Richards, 1st Asst. Superintendent
Melvin J. Ballard, 2nd Asst. Superintendent

with all the members of the Board as at present constituted.

YOUNG LADIES' MUTUAL IMPROVEMENT ASSOCIATION

Martha H. Tingey, President
Ruth May Fox, First Counselor
Lucy Grant Cannon, Second Counselor

with all the members of the Board as at present constituted.

PRIMARY ASSOCIATION

May Anderson, President
Sadie G. Pack, First Counselor
Isabelle S. Ross, Second Counselor

with all the members of the Board as at present constituted.

PRESIDENT HEBER J. GRANT

I can say that I have rejoiced beyond my power of expression in the very excellent attendance that we have had at this conference, in the rich outpouring of the Spirit of the Lord upon those who have spoken and in the splendid attention that has been given by the audiences. I believe that we have had a larger number at this conference than at any previous one that I can recall during the time I have been President of the Church. In addition there have been hundreds and thousands who have been listening in over the radio.

We rejoice in the gospel of Jesus Christ, those of us who have received it, and we are anxious that all the world should hear the message of life and salvation that has come to us through the instrumentality of the Prophet Joseph Smith.

REJOICE BECAUSE OF ACCOMPLISHMENTS

We had a very wonderful gathering here last night of the priesthood of the Church, almost completely filling the main floor of this great auditorium with men holding the priesthood of the living God,

with authority to administer in the name of Jesus Christ, with power from God himself.

We rejoice in the wonderful work that is being accomplished by the Relief Societies, by the Young Men's and Young Ladies' Mutual Improvement Associations, by our Sunday Schools and by the Primary Associations. We rejoice exceedingly in the remarkable work that is being accomplished in the educational department of the Church and particularly by the Religion Class organization. Sixty-one thousand of our young people are receiving instruction in our Religion Classes. I rejoice in the work of the Lord and all that is being accomplished.

GRATEFUL FOR BLESSINGS

We are grateful for the beautiful singing by our choir. We are grateful to the soloists who have entertained us. We are thankful for the wonderful organ and for the faithful and efficient men who officiate at the organ.

My heart went out in gratitude as I listened to the prayer by Brother Stephen L. Chipman, thanking the Lord for this wonderful Temple block, for the flowers, and for all the buildings that are here.

May the Lord bless the Latter-day Saints. May we so order our lives that by our diligence, our faithfulness, our honesty, our integrity, our uprightness in all the walks of life, we can preach the gospel, is my most sincere and earnest prayer for every soul who has a testimony of the gospel of the Lord Jesus Christ. Even so, amen.

The choir sang the anthem, "Worthy the Lamb."

The benediction was pronounced by President Anthony W. Ivins. Conference adjourned for six months.

Professor Anthony C. Lund conducted the singing, assisted by B. Cecil Gates. Accompaniments and interludes were played on the great organ by Edward P. Kimball, Tracy Y. Cannon, Frank W. Asper, and Alexander Schreiner.

Stenographic notes of the conference were taken by Frank W. Otterstrom and Joseph Anderson.

JOSEPH ANDERSON,
Clerk of the Conference.