



assistance, and easily secured another place to hold meeting. We then re-located the neighborhood, and last night (Sunday) held a quiet, good meeting with about sixty present, one lady kindly proffered us the use of a number of Moody and Sankey hymn books. These we accepted and the audience first sang "Tell us the old, old story." The Spirit of God came to our assistance, and we did, in our humble way, tell them "The old, old story."

and occupied about an hour upon the first principles of the Gospel. Then Elder Park followed, and spoke upon church organization. The audience paid strict attention; and we heard some express themselves as well pleased and that they would come again. Surely the Lord's words will not fail, and when He said to the Prophet Joseph Smith by the Angel Moton, "the more the

Trusting we may be the instruments
in the hands of our Father in bringing
the Gospel to the souls of the
remnant your brethren in the Gospel of
Christ.

WALTER BAKER,
W. G. FARR.

A Note Upon Thanksgiving

SWIFT GAZ, Van Buren Co., Tennessee,
November 21, 1896.

To the Editors:

We are preaching the Gospel here,
and the news of our message has stirred
some people considerably. But we are
gaining ground, with more than two
hundred converts in a few days ago, and
we are going to have a new church at the
close of every opposition. We have
several good friends here, and we are
people to whom nothing gives us the
slightest of the Gospel. It is only a question
of time when several more will be

CONFERENCE IN CHICAGO
An Important Time of Promoting the Struggle in the Great City
CHICAGO, October 31st, 1966.
To the Editor:
A conference of members of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints was held here the 24th and 25th of the month. This part of the Northern States mission with Chicago included, in addition to the missionaries, a local president, over by Elder John N. Davis. We were lavished with the presence of Elder Samuel G. Spencer, president of the Northern States Mission, and twelve Utah Elders, laboring in this conference; besides, we had the pleasure of having Elder H. H. Roberts of the Southern States Mission, who, with the meetings were held in Wlecker Park hall, North Ave., 301 Chicago, at 2 a. m., and 2 and 6 p. m. Six regular meetings were held, and were attended by Salons and strangers. Elder Roberts

ing, treating upon the restoration of the Gospel in the last days. The gifts and graces of the Holy Spirit were to be distributed thereunto, including the authority of the Holy Priesthood to officiate in the ordinance of baptism and the laying on of hands, as well as all powers, under inspiration of the Spirit of God, that he kept the congregation spellbound. He also gave them the promise that he would impart valuable instructions to the Elders, (at special meetings) which were received with pleasure and satisfaction on the part of the Elders, and was on their part to carry out the same.

At the Sunday morning meeting the 25th, Elder Smith desired that the Elders and local authorities of the Church should be provided with the scriptures, and made some instructive remarks upon the proper manner of reading the same. He then called on the Rev. Samuel G. Spencer, then president of the general authorities in Zion, also the mission and conference authorities, who read the scriptures and the words of the Saints. It was further agreed upon that all the Elders lay hands among the

work under the direction of the president of the North Illinois conference, he being under the direction of the president of the Northern States mission. The mission, in combining the ex-min-

Scandinavian and German mission, is that we cannot afford to hire more than one hall for public meetings, and the English language is or must be spoken there. It is hoped that in the near future, the work will spread among the Scandinavians and Germans, so as to

All the Elders had the privilege of speaking during conference, and expressed their eagerness to go forward and perform their mission in a creed.

The branch in Chicago is in a very good condition, and many people came to our meetings and are investigating the Gospel message. At the same time

to announce our meetings, and we feel very much pleased that we have obtained such a good and comfortable hall. But occasionally one can only

until 1 p. m., and in the evening from six to eight. Other meetings are held in private houses, generally Thursday evenings, and then one must speak in

Elder C. D. Fjellsted came to Chicago the 25th of May, 1896, in company with Elders H. M. Pearson, Charles L. Munch and your humble servant; and

Saints, who had been mostly gathered by the labors of Elders Dahlie from Spanish Fork, and who had done his best to advertise his presence in the

branch, under President Friedman assisted by Elders Clark, Spencer and the brethren before mentioned, on the 4th of June, 1896, organized the Chicago branch of the Church, also a Sabbath

necessary officers. Since then there has been additional strength added so that at present the branch numbered over fifty members. While it can be

much wickedness and sin, and many bad people, there is one thing sure, and that is, that there are many good and honorable people. The Elders have

by all classes ever since we came, even in the latter part of the summer, when we held open air meetings without the least molestation. I will say that much

We have been visited by a good many of our friends from Utah also missionaries on their way to the coast through the summer and at present

young men, who are taking various studies, and they are very attentive to our meetings, and bring their friends with them.

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T. W. Gordon, Mendocino, Tex.

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