



form such missions at their own ex-pense? My answer is, the Gospel has seen restored and must be preached in the same way as it was by Paul and Peter, and by Jesus Christ. "Freely we have received, and freely we give." Our message is, the "Kingdom of God is at hand." and we call upon you to s at hand," and we call upon you to epent, and accept the Gospel. My time is fully occupied in spiritual and tem-poral labor. I am engaged in the Sun-day school, Mutual Improvement asoclation, religion class, as a Seventy, nome missionary, etc. Indeed, I claim returned Elder is one of the busiest nen in the Church. To Hlustrate, between last July and the close of the year, I have traveled by team over 1,200 miles, and about 1,000 on horse-back, besides attending to farming and ther labor.

SOWING THE SEED.

Texas.

in that District-The "News" as a Aid to the Missionaries.

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Elders M. M. Bush and Geo. A. Davis send this report from Hilo City, Hawaii, March 14:

CONFERENCE IN HAWAII.

Saints and Elders Gather in the City o

Hilo.

Reports of the Progress of the Work

The semi-annual conference of the Hilo conference of the Hawalian mission convened at Hilo City, on March 10th, and the meeting house was crowded to its full capacity. There were something over 200 Saints, friends and investigators in attendance. Many were unable to gain entrance, and notwithstanding the heavy and constant rain, they stood at the open windows outside to listen to the exercises and remarks.

The first meeting commenced at 10 a. m., and was devoted entirely to Sunday hool exercises. The Sunday schools of school exercises. The Sunday, Kahuwa, Kalapana, Hilo, Keaukaha, Kahuwa, and Wallea branches rendered, very creditably, instructive and entertaining exercises. Many of the exercises and hymns were performed in the English language, and drew much deserved praise from the English speaking visitors, of whom there were a goodly num-ber, and reflected credit upon the several schools

At 1:30 p. m. a general meeting was held, and the authorities, general and local, were presented by Elder M. M. Bush and unanimously sustained by the Saints. Elder Bush then urged the Saints to live their religion better and to keep the Word of Wisdom, that they should merit the name of "Saints." He should merit the name of "Saints." He also exhorted them to be more diligent Dersons.

A Brief Report of Gospel Work in

Elders E. C. Pulsipher and J. H. Mangum send this letter from Mt. Ver-non, Texas, March 23:

Since being assigned to labor in Franklin county, we have had very good success, especially where we have been able to get a house to hold meet ngs in. But we have found most of the public houses closed against us. Never-

theless we have in family meetings pre-sented the principles of the Gospel to the people. erever we find people willing to inwherever we had people while to have vestigate we also find adversaries. Last Sunday a minister here laid his text aside to bring to life some of the old tales about the "Mormons." But instead of destroying the work of the Lord, he

aused many people to investigate. In the last five weeks, we have held hitty-six meetings, sold many books, listributed many tracts. The "News" is always a welcome vis-

THE MISSIONARIES' FRIEND. Elders in the Field Appreciate the

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Descret News. Elder F. T. Bailey writes from Rams-

gate, Kent, England, March 25: 86 Boundary Rd., Ramsgate, Kent, England, March 23, 1901.--I take pleasure in expressing my gratitude for the feast of fat things from home, as we missionaries term the Deseret News. I look for it as I do my letter from home, on mail day. I hardly know in what way to say thanks and show too that I mean it.

I left home Sept. 23rd, 1899, and ar-rived in London October 11th. I have labored in various parts of the conference-Southampton and Brighton on the in Surrey, Deal and Ramsgate. The work of the Lord is spreading. even if we do not get to preach to the people in some parts of the country. Brother Wm, H. Grimshaw and I have tracted from door to door. By this means many have heard at least some of the Gospel truths. We are now lookng for fine weather so we can get out on the streets to raise our volces We find while tracting many varning. conle who say they have known Mormon" Elders twenty, thirty and forty years ago. Some have told us that they, or their parents, have had the Elders in their houses. They will show us books, tracts and cards they left, but for all that they seem not to grasp the truth God has blessed me with many testimonies of the truth of this work; also with the best of health, and I have learned if we wish the blessings of God, we must keep His law. IN THE TURKISH MISSION.



The Saints here have but one dream and that is to gather to Zion. It is to them a sort of modern Garden of Eden with which, unfortunately, they contrait their present surroundings. If the sons and daughters of Utah would but place the same value upon the good fortune of being born under the everlasting covenant and of having Utah as their native State, that this Gospel-loving and Utah-loving people does, they would count their wealth untold. The term "Elder" is the "open sesame" to the hearts of our Saints; and the mere knowledge of the noble

attributes attributed to us and the en-tire lack of all that would be un-worthy our calling, make us blush for our smallest infirmities. Our week-day school has been closed and we have received orders from t'h: municipal government to hold no re ligious services until we receive official recognition as an establish church. from the authorities at Constantinople

This has caused us a great deal of an noyance already and we know not how much longer such conditions will con-tinue. Other churches here have paid and somely for the privileges they enloy, but our ministry has not the commercial tinge that characterizes other denominations and we look upon the idea of buying the right to preach, with but little favor. We deliver our mes-sage "without price" and have the best of precedents for so doing, but nowhere one we find that the arrante of Cod can we find that the servants of God have paid people in silver or gold to listen to the message they had to bear. We shall continue as best we can under the restrictions placed upon us and hope for the opening which the Gospel

LAID TO REST TOGETHER.

Husband and Wife Follow One, Another to the Great Beyond. Elder John N. Henrie, of Pangultch,

Utah, who is laboring in the West Pennsylvania conference, sends this letter from W. Elizabeth, Pa., March

In company with Elder Daniel C. Coulam I attended the funeral of Matthew Louis, and wife, which held at their home on Rich Hill, Pa., March 23rd, It was a singular affair to see the old people laid at rest side by side at the same time, there being but three hours and twenty minutes between their deaths. They were permitted to leave this existence almost at the same time. They had lived to-gether as husband and wife upwards

of fifty-four years, he being in his \$5th year, and she in her 77th. The family left to mourn their loss are grown up. They were pleased to see them rest in peace, as their sufferings were long and severe. The mother was stricken down and spent the last six months of her life in a helpless condition walting for her companion to go with her. He suffered two months with rheumatism and passed away first. While the records of their haptism has not been found, they claim to have joined the Church in their early married life. They had not been visited by the Elders for





upon the hypothesis that it is the "in ternal adjusting itself to the external." The faculty of worship must have been first developed in the mind of pristing man in response to a part of his envi-ronment-God-an actual living, moving and creating being. This is just as much an application of the evolution hypothesis as to say the eye came into existence "in response to the outward existence of a radiant light."

Fisk uses this language: "How, if the relation thus established in the morning twilight of man's existence between the human could be the between the human soul and a world relation of only the subjective term is real and the objective term is non-existent, then I say, it is something utterly without precident in the whole history of creation. All the analogies of evolution s far as we have yet been able to de cipher it are overwhelming against any such supposition."

Thus it will be seen that evolution instead of rejecting God, gives evidence in favor of His existence.

This argument is in no way a repeti-tion of the old theological reasoning based upon the following syllogism. "Man has a desire to know God. The mind of man cannot conceive an object of desire the means for the at-tainment of which are not somewhere in existence-conclusion: There must b a God." This conclusion would be cor rect were it not that the premises are not absolutely faultless.

Of course, we need not accept the evolutionist hypothesis when we use his argument-we merely meet him on his own ground and say he can in no wise get away from the fact of God's existence

Respectfully, W. H. FOLLAND,

Conference in Oregon.

La Grande, Oregon, March 27.-On Sunday, March 24th, a conference of the Saints of the Grande Ronde Valley, was held in La Grande, two meet-ings being held. Elder M. F. Cowley of the Council of Apostles was presen and spoke to the people in both meet-ings. The other speakers were Elders F. S. Bramwell of the Northwestern States mission; Grant Geddes, and H. E. Baker of Baker City. Elder Cowley spoke with great power, on the H. E. principles of the Gospel. Referring to the "Mormons" the speaker said: The Latter-day Saints are not ignorant. They encourage education in all its branches. Utah ranks among the first of the States of the Union in education, there being only three States that sur-

pass her in this respect." Many other interesting points were brought out. The other speakers were also very lear in their explanations of the prin ciples of the Gospel. The conference was held in the new meeting house, having been partly finished for the oc casion, Many, who are not of our faith were present. It is estimated that in all were about 400 people in attend there ance. Work continued on the new meet ing house Monday morning, and it will finished in the very near future. The

Northern States mission. He labored in the Northern Illinois conference, teen months in the city of Chicago, He returned home on the 29th of March last. He states the mission is in a prosperous condition.

Elder Franklin Jacobs, of Lehi City, reports by letter that he was set apart a mission to Great Britain on the 13th of January, 1899. He arrived in Liverpool on the 5th of February, and was appointed to labor in the New-castle conference. On his arrival there was appointed to labor in the Middlesbrough district, where he labored nearly the whole time. The work of the Lord, he says, is progressing nicely in that part. His companions and he had the privilege of baptizing thirty-seven in that district the last two years, and made many friends. They organized a Sunday school on the 21st January, 1900, and had over fifty enrolled, He enjoyed his labors very much, He returned on the 27th of Febwary last.

Elder C. O. Cherry, of Centerville Davis country, was set apart on the 9th day of January, 1899, for the Southern States mission. He labored for six-teen months in the Georgia conference, and the remainder of the time in Ohio. He states that he had a very interesting He felt the sustaining hand of the Lord all throughout his mission. The work is prospering in the Ohlo conference. He returned home on the 22nd of March last.

Elder William J. Bertoch, of Pleasant Green, Salt Lake county, returned on the 27th of March from a mission to the Eastern States. He was set apart for that field on the 30th of December, 1898. He has been jaboring in the State of Maryland the greatest part of the time, and also in Virginia and West Virginia, He desires to say that he had an enjoyable mission in every respect, and that the work in some parts is en couraging, while in others the people seem to be indifferent.

Elder Samuel O. White, Jr., of Beaver City, Beaver county, returned on the Syth of March last from the Northern States mission. He was set apart on the 20th day of July, 1898, for the Southern States mission, and he labor. ed there until the 25th day of Septem-ber, 1899, first in South Carolina and then in East Tennesee. At that time he was transferred to the North Illinois conference. He labored there until the month of June, when he was sent to open up the work in Manitoba, where he remained until released. He says he has been received very kindly by a great many, but has also encountered some opposition. The Manitoba conhe says, is in a prosperous ference. condicion.

Elder Wm. E. Cozzens returned to this city March 26 from a mission to the Southwestern States, his enetire labors having been in Kansas, in the St. John conference. He traveled as canvassing Elder twenty-four months, af-ter which he was one of Elder White's counselors and traveled for three months, after which he labored at St. John as acting secretary, He reports that his mission was a pleasure to him and he bears a strong testimony to the Gospel of Jesus Christ. He says there is a bright future in the St. John con-He has enjoyed the best of He also says the "News" health. doing a great work in allaying prejudice and broadening the minds of thinking men. Elder Cozzens will visit in Salt Lake City until after Confer-ence, after which he will return to his home at Montpelier, Idaho.

Elder Peter E. Van Orden, of Lewison, Cache county, returned on the 2nd

of April from a mission to the Southern He was set apart on the 19th States. day of April, 1899. He labored as can-



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the Southwestern States mission. He this month from the Southen Sune, was set apart on the 14th day of Dest cember, 1898. He reports having en-joyed splendid health, and he left, he South Carolina conference Hard says, many warm friends in the mission

Elder Walter G. Waldron of Morgan City, Morgan Co., returned home on the 4th of this month from the Southern States, where he has performed mis-sionary work in the Kentucky conference. He was set apart on the 10th day of April, 1899. He reports having met with fairly good success in his la-bors. He has also had the best of health

health. Elder E. S. Fisher, of Coalville, Summit Co., was set apart on the 15th day of Feb., 1899, for a mission to the Southor Peo., 1899, for a mission to the south-ern States. He has been laboring in the North Alabama conference all the time, and presided over that field the last four months. He says the work in Memphis, Tenn., is progressing very well, a number of baptisms having taken place there recently. Brother Fisher returned home on the 3rd of this month.

Elder L. M. Nebeker of Knightsville, Utah, was set apart on the 16th of March, 1899, for a mission to the Southern States. He labored in the Chatta-nooga conference, Tenn., and in the State of Ohio. He returned home on the 30th day of March, last. He states that he had an enjoyable mission and met with good success

Elder C. G. Y. Higgins, of St. George, Washington Co., returned home on the 30th of March last, from the Southwest. ern States. He was set apart for that field on the 10th day of November, 1898. He labored in the North Texas and Lone Star conferences, where, he says, the mission is in a prosperous condition

Elder R. L. Jenson, of Brigham City, Utah, returned on the 30th day of March from the Southern States miswas set apart on the 15th day

this month from the Southen Sune. He was set apart on the 17th of May, 1899, and his field of labor has been the South Carollina conference. He slats that he met with fair success and found the people of the South var hospitable. His health was good all be time. He accompanied Elder Wood at the time the latter was shot and wound-ed by a mob, but he escaped without ed by a mob, but he escaped without any injury whatever. Elder J. D. Wood, Jr., of Farmingion,

Elder J. D. Wood, Jr., of Farmington, Davis county, Utah, returned home on the 3rd of this month from the Southern States mission, for which he was set apart on the 5th day of Pebrusy, 1899. He has been laboring in the South Caroling conference the course South Carolina conference the entire time, and he says he made quits a number of converts. He mat with some opposition. On one occasion, while isopposition. On one occasion, while is-boring in Saluda county, he was shot while going through the woods, from one friend to another. He was hit in the shoulder and in the head just above the temple. The people thought his escape from death was quite a miracle. He was not incapacitated for work one day, though he was shot at from a disday, though he was shot at from a dis-tance of only forty yards. He felt good, however, in the mission and made many friends there,

Elder Henry Horsley, of this city, was set apart, on the 12th of January, 1899, for a mission to Great Britain. While there he labored as a missionary in the Liverpool conference for eight months, and then for six months he was engaged in the office. He was then called home on account of sickness in the family. He arrived home on the 6th day of March. He says the work is encouraging in the Liverpool confer-ence, and that he enjoyed his mission very much.

It Dazzles the World.

No Discovery in medicine has ever created one quarter of the excitement that has been caused by Dr. Kings

in cleanli homes and their meeting houses. Elder Geo. A. Davis then spoke, giv-

Elder Geo. A. Davis then spoke, giv-ing very timely instructions. Elder John Manuia thanked those present for the good order and atten-tion; and the meeting closed by the tion; and the meeting closed by the choir and congregation singing "The Spirit of God Like a Fire is Burning." At 6:30 p. m. the last and overflow meeting of the conference was com-menced, and was devoted to Sunday echool and M. I. A, work. Those organ-izations of the Aleamai branch kept up their usual groud record for good in their usual good record for good in-structive lesson and creditable singing. M. I. associations of Hilo and Kalapana were creditably represented by efficient lessons, etc. During the evening Elder Davis favored the audience with a ten-or solo, which was much appreciated.

There were many thinks that show the progress of the conference. The sing ing was by far the best ever rendered in this conference, which fact is due to the untiring efforts of Elder Abra-ham Kihulu at Hilo and Aleamai, of Elder Wm, Keallinul of Kahuwa, of Hon. J. M. Kaulla of Kalapana and to

the determination and persistence of all the Saints of the branches repre-sented. Hon, J. M. Kaulia is not a member of the Church, but kindly gave his time and skill in training the and the singing classes of Kalapana branch.

The usual "luau" or feast, which has always been a part of almost every gathering of this kind heretefore, was conspicuously absent, which demon strates that it is not alone to ify their appetites, that he people gather together on these occasions, but a feast of the spiritual. They have learned that "man shall not live by

The white visitors, of whom there were more than usual, stopped until the last, and each had a good word for the work. And we believe "some who came to scoff remained to pray.

We have nine organized branches of the Church in this conference, embrace ing about 700 souls. There is yet a lit There is yet a little room to preach the Gospel, although we firmly believe that if it were preached no more, none here would be left with excuse. There is not a man, we think, in this conference, who has not heard or had the opportunity to hear the everlasting Gospel.

As in some other missions, we are only gleaning now, after the harvest. We have performed twenty baptisms, and blessed fourteen children since last October conference. Besides this we have made many friends among the influential class of whites and natives, A visit through the conference the latter part of this term by Elder C. C. Bush and wife with a stereopticon outfit has done much good

The "News" has been a faithful companion, and has been a great help in our efforts among the English ep-aking population. We are grateful for it, and glad to know that we will not have to part with it, as we do our other companions, when we leave the missionary

FROM A RETURNED ELDER.

A Greeting to Friends Whom He

Elder David Spinsbury writing from Toquerville, Utah, March 18, says in part:

I feel impressed to ask the question, "Which receives the greater blessing, the Eiders or those to whom they ad-Evidently there is no comminister? parlson, as the things of God can not be compared with worldly treasures. I wish to bear testimony that these hum-ble servants of the Master have told you the truth, and have presented the Gospel message and warned you of approaching dangers. The responsibility receive or reject that message. If you have not faith in it, do not oppose it, but watch and pray, and you will be-hold the salvation of God, and the es-tablishment and development of His Church upon the earth.

What a consolation to read these ex-cellent reports from the Eastern States mission and witness the zeal and ac-tivity of my brethren. Where do we see

Few. The Gospel Message Being Carried into the Ancient Lands of the Bible.

Elder Lester Mangus writes from Ain-

tab. Syria, February 16: In the Church Intelligence columns

letters from many lands and climes appear, but the vast continent of Asia has no representation in all that congress of correspondence. It is true our mission is but a small one as regards the number of Elders engaged, and it is equally true that many cities in England and on the continent contain more Saints than can be found in all of Asia, To the youth of Zion, this should be proof positive that the number of missionaries in this part of the world must be largely increased. The next uestion should be, "Am I worthy of a

If not, why not? The remarks of President George Q. Cannon, last October, concerning the occessity of cultivating faith in the gift of tongues comes to one who has struggled with an oriental language, with redoubled force. The sense of utr helplessness that overpowers an lder for the first few months when thrown among a people who speak a strange tongue, and the ever-present eminder that thousands of honest souls are waiting for the truth we have to bear; and the added cause for faith in our message that would be given to the people by our phenomenal acquisition of their languages, should be in-

centives enough to all who have a living faith, to work, work, work. Our band is small. Including our pres.

Left in the Field.

dent, we number but five, and we shall soon be one less, as Elder Page leaves for home next week. The work to be done is so extensive and the laborers are so few that we pray continually for an increase in our ranks. We have a branch of about fifty members at Haleb, a city of 250,000 inhabitants, but local brethren preside, as there is no Fider for them. Aintab has about the same number of inhabitants as Salt Lake City, but covers not more than one-seventh the area of the latter. We have seventy-five Saints here and this would fare as Haleb does, were it

bot for the carpet industry, which has been inaugurated for the relief of the poor, and the necessity of having a for mission headquarters. We are reaking away from the old haunts and penetrating the interior where the Gospel has not yet been preached. leaving local brethren to preside where there are organized branches. Elder Hernish is compelled to do some trav-eling, and as a result the Elder who re-

a number of years until of late. Their faith was strong and the Spirit was stijl to be found with them. The funeral was well attended by the neighbors, and conducted by the writer and companion.

In the British Mission.

[From the Millennial Star, March 21.] Releases-President Moroni Moss of the Grimsby and Elder Richard E. Jones of the Welsh conferences respectively, have been honorably re-leased to return home on the S. S. mmonwealth, leaving Liverpool March 28, 1901. Appointments-Elder Wm. B. Arm-strong is appointed to preside over the Grimsby conference.

HAPPY IN HIS LABORS. Notes from the Mission Field in

Texas and Kansas.

Elder Lorenzo Lish, of Common,Ban-nock county, Idaho, who was set apart a mission to the Southern States. on the 6th of Dec., 1899, writes from Keats, Riley county, Kansas, March 29, in part: was assigned to labor in the State of Texas, in the Austin, Texas, confer-ence. There I found the people very hospitable, and made many warm After laboring in Texas for friends. ten months, I had a severe attack of malarial fever. I was then transferred to the mission office at St. John.

Kansas, where I remained until as-signed to labor in the St. John, Kans., onference. We find the people to be very kind to us as a rule. We held our conference March 9th and 10th. All the Elders left conference feeling well paid for their long journey. The past fifteen months in the work of the Lord have been the happiest of my life.

SPENCER AND EVOLUTION.

The Subject Interestingly Discussed by a Correspondent.

To the Editor: In a recent issue you published an editorial on "Spencer and Evolution," the tenor of which is to the effect that

the theory of evolution neither proves nor disproves the existence of a personal God. A recent contribution on this subject from the gifted pen of John Fisk

is worthy of consideration. In his lit-tle book "Through Nature to God," published in 1900, he advances a line of reasoning showing that evolution tends to prove the existence of God. It would too much space to state his argument fully, but a few references may not be out of place.

It is the argument of evolution that by gradual development, from lower to higher, from simple to complex, the hu-man race has been evolved from lower forms of life. The basis upon which this has been effected is that every stage of development has had reference to actual existences outside the living organism. That the different or-gans and faculties possessed by animalia came into existence in response to external stimuli. "The eye was developed in response to the outward existence of radiant light, the ear in response to the outward exist ence of acoustic vibrations, etc." "Ev-erywhere the internal adjustment has been brought about so as to harmoniz fact." All this is in accord with Her-bert Spencer's scientific definition of life. "The continuous adjustment of inner relations to outer relations." In every form of life, from the son weed up to man, can be seen the process of the "Internal" adjusting itself to its adjusting itself to Its environment. If this is claimed for the physical why not also for the mental? The faculty for worship is innate in every being. There is something in every soul, from the savage up to the genius, which intentively reached out for something beyond the realm of fleeting phenomena which it can rever. ently worship as the "Guild of all

life. Is not the existence of this faculty to mains here will be the only permanent- | be accounted for scientifically only

Saints are prospering and the work of the Lord is progressing in this part of His vineyard. HYRUM MONSON,

Secretary.

STAKE CONFERENCES. Snow Flake Stake.

Woodruff, Arizona, March 20 .- The regular quarterly conference of Snow-flake Stake was held on the 16th and 17th of March, 1901, at Snowflake, Ari-The weather was beautiful. ZONB.

All the Stake presidency were pres ent; also most of the High Council. Bishops and other leading men, and a fair representation of Saints from the surrounding settlements. The Gen-eral and Stake authorities were sustained by the unanimous vote of the conference. The Sacrament was ad ministered, and at a Priesthood meet The Sacrament was ad ing held on the afternoon of the 16th the necessary items of business were transacted.

The High Council met on the 15th and attended to the business devolv ing upon them.

have been quite a number of There removals from the Stake during the last year, but the long and severe drouth, having been broken by recent opious storms, there seems to be mor contentment and signs of prosperity among the people, as reported by the Bishops to the conference. We o be able to maintain our homes in

Respectfully, L. M. SAVAGE, Clerk.

Malad Stake.

Portage, March 26 .- The Malad Stake quarterly conference convened at Port-ige, March 24th and 25th. On the stand vere Elder John Henry Smith, Stake resident O. G. Harkin, Elder Wm. H.

Gibbs, a number of the High Council and others. The instructions given mission is growing. were timely and good. Many subjects were touched upon and especially were he young urged to serve God while in their youth, The brethren spoke with great freedom and power. months as canvassing Elder and then The visit of Apostle Smith was great-ly appreciated, and the remarks of the

brethien were listened to with atten-The choir added to the pleasure and profit of the conference by the excel-lent music. The weather being favorable and the roads good, the congrega-tions were large and the Spirit of the Lord prevailed.

Sunday evening the Stake Y. M. M. I. A, held a meeting, which was very well attended and a good spirit prevailed. T. P. JOHN, Stake Clerk.

RETURNED MISSIONARIES

met with good success. Elder J. R. Price of Oakley, Idaho. returned on the 27th of March from mission to Great Britain for which e was set apart on the 18th day of April, 1899. He has been laboring in the Nottingham conference ten months and the rest of the time in the Leeds conference. He says he has met with fair success and been treated well, and that the work is progressing satisfactorily.

Eider John E. Hatch, of Woods 'ross, Davis county, returned home on the 29th of March, from a mission to Great Britain. He was set apart on the 3rd day of February, 1899. He has been laboring in the Liverpool confer-ence the entire time. He says he has had an enjoyable mission in every respect.

Elder Wm. T. Robbins, of Wellsville, Utah, returned on the 20th of March last from East Kansas conference in Elder A. L. Harris of Richmond. Cache county, Utah, was set apart on the 11th day of January, 1899, for the

Elder for eight months in the Florida conference, and then he connected with Sunday schools. Florida He superintendent over the schools his release. There are fourteen until his release. schools with 390 students, and a good work is being done. He says he enjoyed his mission very much.

Elder James J. Thompson, of Clarkson, Cache county, returned on the 2nd of this mothh from a mission to the Southern States. He was set apart on the 19th day of January, 1899. His field has been the South Alabama confer-ence. He says the mission is in a splendid condition.

Elder Ezra Baird, of Lewiston, Cache county, was set apart on the 12th day of April, 1899, for the Southern States He labored in the Florida con mission. erence all the time. He states that the Elders there are doing a good work. He returned home on the 2nd of this month in good health and spirits.

Elder F. C. Lee, of Hyde Park, Cache county, returned on the 30th day of March from a mission to Great Britain. He was set apart on the 25th day of November, 1898. He has been laboring in the Leeds conference, where he says, the mission is in a good condition, 204 having been baptized during the time he labored there. There are also many good investigators. The faithful Saluts are doing all in their power to further the work of God. He has had good health and is well pleased with his experiences He left many dear friends in that land from whom he parted with regrets. After being released from his missionary labors, Elder Lee visited relatives and friends in Denmark who Being extended him a warm welcome. interested in the manufacture of butter, he visited factories where this world renowned article is made,

conference all the time,

of December, 1898, and he labored six-New Discovery for Consumption teen months in Georgia, and the re-mainder of the time in Cincinnati, Ohio. He states that he has had good health and met with fair success. He has had an enjoyable mission.

California mission, arrived in this city on the 4th of this month, to attend con-Speaking of the mission he ference. it is in a splendid condition. says A good many people are becoming in-terested in the Gospel, and the pros-pects are very bright. The mission is financially also in a most flourishing condition



Elder E. H. Snow was set apart April 10th, 1899, for a mission to the Eastern States. For the first month he labored as a traveling Elder in the West Pennsylvania conference, when he was called to be President Smart's first counselor. He served in this capacity until Sept. 1st, 1900, when he succeeded President Smart as president of the mission. He was released March 20th and returned o Salt Lake on April 1st. The Eastern States mission, he says, is in good con-dition and making good progress both

Elder C. C. Tingey, of Woodruff, Rich county, returned home on the 3rd of





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Elder E. H. Nye, president of the

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