South Alabama Conference.

The annual conference meetings on this part of the Southern States mission were held in Geneva county, Alabama, at a point one mile east of the Choctawhatchee river and two miles north of the Florida state line, commencing on Sunday, November first 8, in a very open in the woods. The ground was covered with a thick matting of grass-grass, and we were surrounded by tall and stately pines so some together that their branches, meeting on far above our heads, prevented the rays of the sun from having their full effect on everything.

Our friends at home will not be surprised at our seeking a lonely place where our conference and we are in thousands miles further south and ten thousand feet lower than they are, while they are shivering around the heater and seeking the sunshine, we are comfortable in the shade in the highest of summer clothing.

There were present on the stand, Elder J. G. Kimball, president of the conference, Elders Seymour B. Young, Elder George A. Smith, and brethren, Elders Frank Cook, Wm. H. Avery, Warren Harris, James Cowdin, Charles Lowndes, Theodore D. Al ss, George W. Rogers, W. H. Rogers, David Fair, George Irvine, Bryant Copley, Charles Lowndes, jr., T. V. Nelson and another thousand present of the conference, Frank Cook, presiding.

Two meetings were held each day, commencing at 10 a.m. and 1 p.m.

On the first day of the meeting we spent upon in their share of the Elders. Elder Kimball gave faithful instructions of the labor now in the course the people at large to be on guard against the Lamanite Mormons pleasing them to the satisfaction and no management of all present. Brother Irvine gave some sketches of early Church history, which surprised and greatly increased the faith and testimony of good saints to hear. The spirit of G. I. prevailed during the whole conference, and the Saints were greatly encouraged, and many from a set trembling very testimony of their sonship.

It is a well known fact that the people of the South are the most hospitable of any in America, and we Elders, as representatives of a people who seem to be the best in the world, do not travel among them long before our hearts are subjected to warm them, and we are taught a lesson in charity so unselfishness that time cannot shatter, and we make up our minds that at our lives are spared and we are permitted to again associate with our own people in the valleys of the mountains we will be better men and better prepared to teach them with kindness and hospitality warm. Not only and the Elders people here make us in preparing a home to meet, but all who come were treated to an excellent dinner that had been prepared for the occasion and served on the premises.

The reports of the Elders showed that a great work had been accomplished during the past year in this part of the Lord's vineyard. Much prejudice has been overcome and many true de more, and many are seeking a testimony for themselves. Although some of us have been laboring in districts of country where unlawful child and bever are common, our health has been very good, and we feel as strong and robust as we did in our mountain homes, and we know we have been wonderfully blessed in our labors.

At the close of our conference Elders Frank Cook, Wm. Ashby, Warren Harris and Joseph Cowdin were honorably released to return home, and we remaining Elders were appointed to travel in the following districts:

W. O. Rogers and George Irvine in Geneva and Dale counties, Alabama.

T. D. Alder and H. V. Nelson, in Butler county, Alabama.

Cheriton McGuire and George W. Rogers in Jackson county, Florida.

David Fair and Martin Henderson in Calhoun county, Florida.

Carlos Lowndes and Bryant Copley in Gadsden county, Florida.

As we bid our respected president good-bye for another year, and exchange words with each other, as we start out for our various fields of labor, we feel as that the prospects for prosecuting a great work during the coming year are the brightest the Southern States mission has ever known, and we are filled with a joyful and determination to carry on the instructions we received at the council meetings and ask all to our power to advance the cause of truth and perform our mission honorably.

We hope our brethren who are attending home will be as nothing in their efforts to teach our young people the issues they receive here as they were to teach those people the glorious truths of the everlasting Gospel.

BRIGHT COOKEY,
Clerk of Conference.

DUNDEE, Geneva Co., Ala., Nov. 8, 1893.

Collecting Invoiced Stamps.

What is apparently more nickels than invoiced postage stamps! And yet there is a store in Memphis among those where they can be seen daily. Outside the windows is entirely heaped up with pennies for United States change, mostly of the 2 cent denomination. There must be thousands of them, and the observer can only wonder what in the world we are going to do. The money possesses any particular interest to the stamp collector, for they are nothing rare nor valuable. To the ordinary person the invoiced 2 cent postage stamp seems a worthless thing indeed. Prices paid for such stamps, however, are as cents per 1,000, at par 10,000, and $12 per 100,000. Many an invoiceter had will probably be moved to this offer on the appearance of the window pulled pennies and see the immense labor of collecting 100,000 postage-cent be appreciated.

The demand for invoiced stamps seem larger in the cities nowadays, and those who purchased them are today reaping a handsome profit, for the Government postage stamp has increased somewhat in value in a somewhat similar fashion to the last few years. As time goes on the value increases greatly in value, especially stamps issued for the good old days of the Civil war, when they were issued on Dec. 1. To those who remember anything of those days, the price of this may mention the fact that eight years ago he purchased a dozen from English envelope stamp in London for $7.50, and it was at that time worth a great deal more to the country. Now it has probably increased still more.—Detroit Free Press.

Always Thought So Well.

The following testimony is told of a citizen of Fort Chester, N. Y., which contains the essential injustice to the which a fact regarding which she was very sensitive.

The one occasion the man drove over to White Plains on business, accompanied by his wife, who was disappointed by the trip. Upon returning he was met by his wife, who asked of her sister's condition.

"She is convalescent," replied the man.

Inquiringly and in the most emphatic manner the woman cried out, "I want some of your nothing words. I want facts. You tell me the minute, is you sister dead or alive?"—New York Herald.

The Force Was Forgotten.

The Boston man who took several thousand dollars from the bank put it in his vest pocket, and then lost the gamble was so concerned that the banks are not the best places to keep money. He thought some tramp had stolen the vest, but when later he found out and money in a place too where he had forgotten that it he became more than ever convinced of the morality which the Maine banks affect.—Augusta (Me.) Journal.

A "Don't" For Summer.

"Don't" was a notice in the Boston Traveller, and it is a good "don't" to follow in "Never let Chinese paradise for an evening only four times in Vegas the month of the 101."

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