



Free Thinkers' Hall

South City WI

Thomas Jackson

1987

front (south) elevation

FREE CONGREGATION OF SAUK COUNTY



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Reuther's Hall
Sach City WI

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plaque - southwest corner

WI Council for Local History

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basement front entry and plaque



Reed Church's Hall

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Detail, basement entry



Frederick's Hall

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View from the west



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Free Thinkers Hall

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west side entrance + window



Free Thinkers' Hall

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Near elevation of bandstand



Free Thinker's Hall

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Interior facing south



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Interview - Gerry



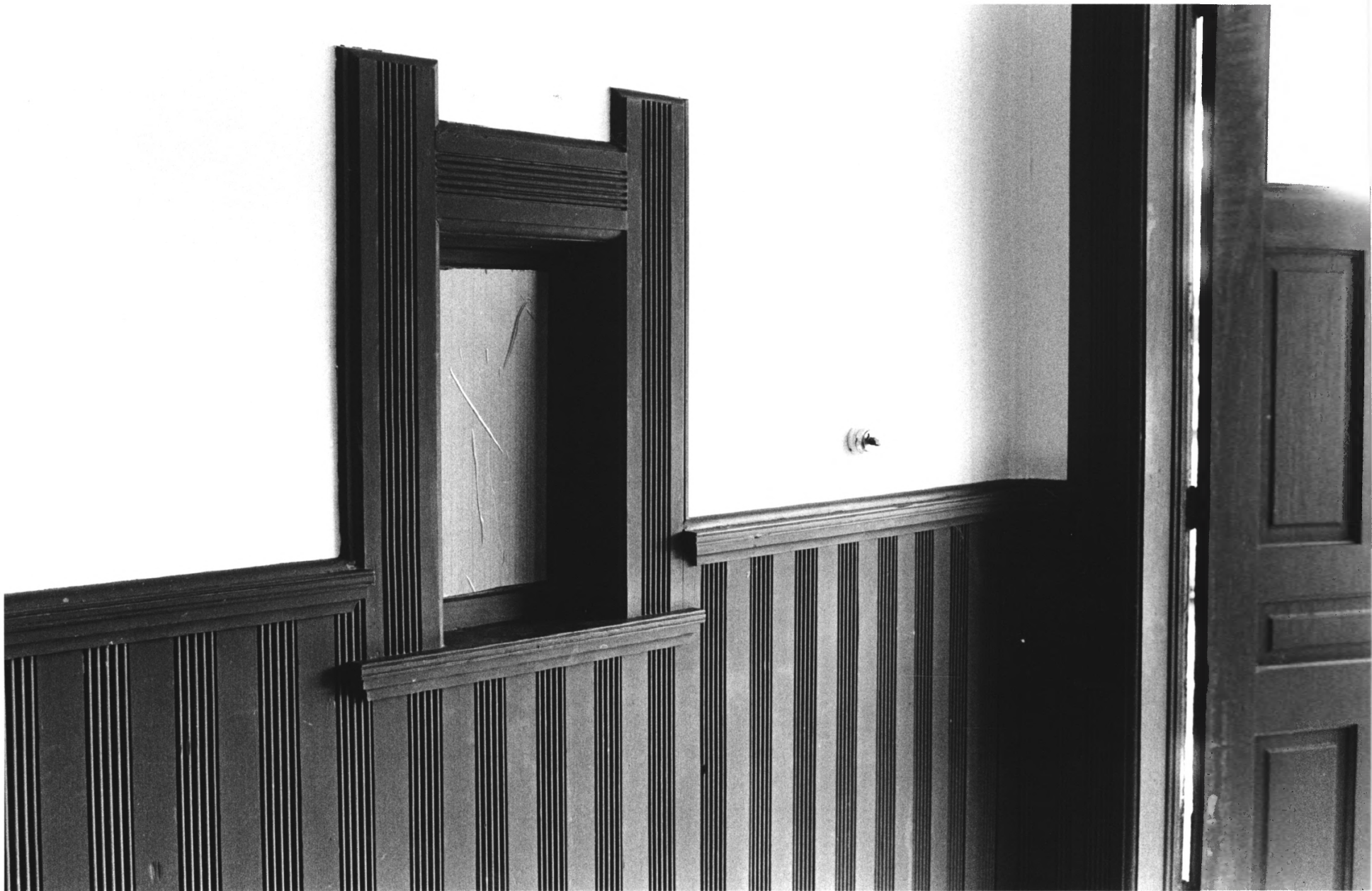
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Interior basement bar



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Interior, ticket window



FREI GEMINDE

Peabody's Hall

South City, WI

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Detail, Southeast corner



Free Thinkers' Hall

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detail - second story front



Ree Humber's Hall
Sank City Wt

Thomas Jackson

1981

View from the west



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Sark City WI

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Roof of bandstand



Frederick's Hall

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~~W~~ East elevation



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Interior facing north



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Interview - Stencilled cornice



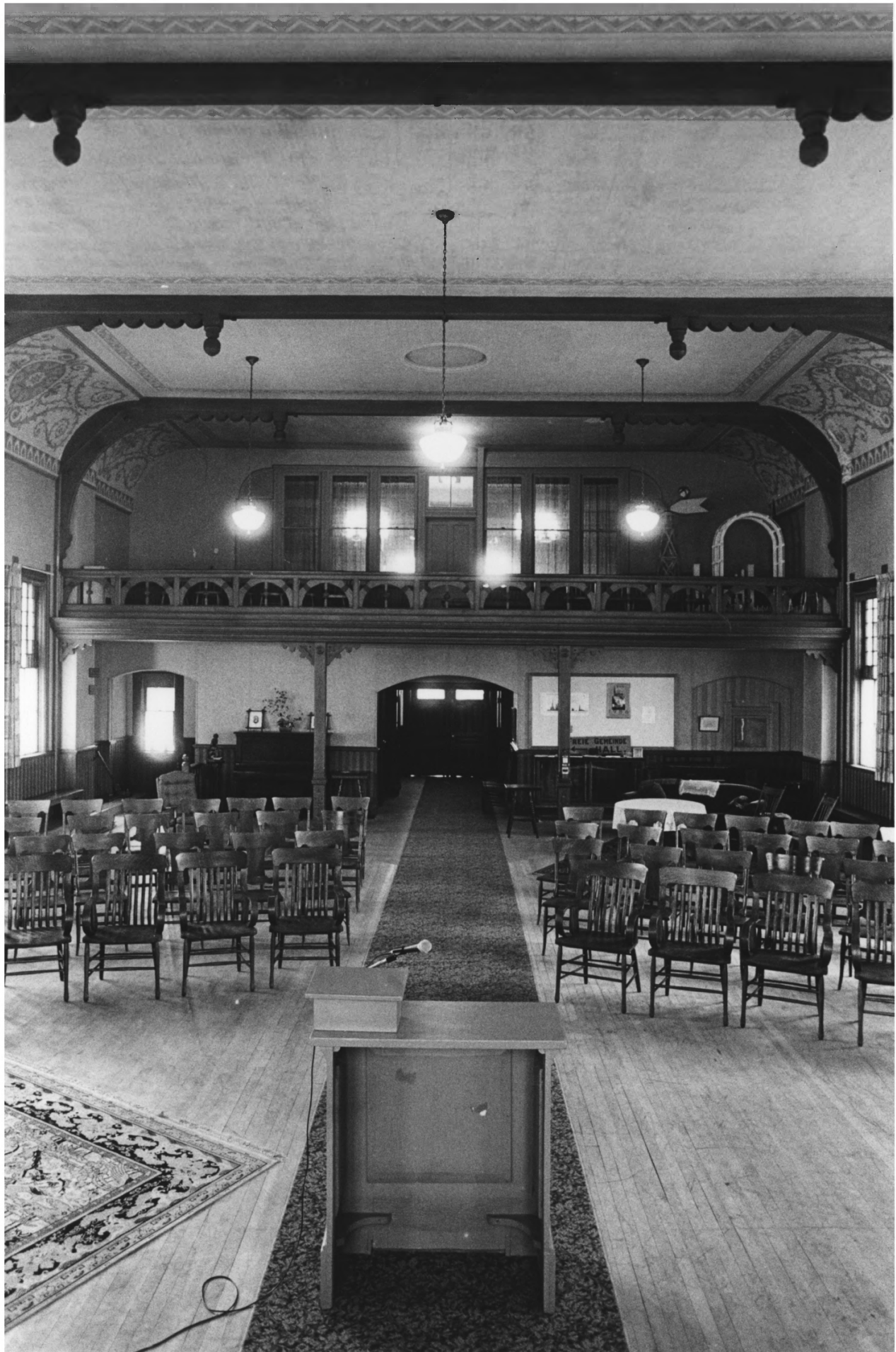
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Basement dining room



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Interior, south to front entry



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View to north from interior