

"FOR CRIPPLED CHILDREN"

"New Orthopaedic Hospital"

"Lady Michaelis' Fine Gift"

"Plumstead 'Sanitorium' Purchased"

(We feel sure many of our readers are interested in the future of the old Cape Sanitarium plant as to just how it will be used. We copy from the *Cape Times* of July 30, outlining the plan of the buyer.)

"A GREAT work of charity has been commenced by Lady Michaelis, who, a *Cape Times* representative was informed yesterday, has acquired the Cape Sanitorium, Timour Hall Road, Plumstead, for the purpose of establishing a hospital for crippled children.

"This represents the attainment of an object which Lady Michaelis has long had in view. For a considerable period she has been deeply interested in the welfare of suffering childhood, and this munificent undertaking proves how real has been her sympathy in this behalf. Her ladyship is not content with merely making the hospital possible from a financial point of view; it is her intention, we are informed, personally to supervise its administration, and the great sacrifice of both time and money which this involves is probably unequalled in the charitable precedents of the Cape.

"AN IDEAL BUILDING"

"The Cape Sanitorium, which is thus to continue its function of healing in another direction, is a particularly fine building, admirably suited to the purpose for which it is now intended. Built by the Seventh-day Adventists and run by that society as a sanitorium for some twenty years, it has seen various improvements from time to time, and Lady Michaelis is satisfied that as it stands to-day, no building could be found to better meet the object she has in view.

"The house stands in spacious grounds, and the wide verandah, running the length of the front is ideal for sun treatment. At present, there are forty-three bedrooms, which number will be increased to between fifty and sixty by the conversion of other rooms for the purpose, still leaving ample accommodation for the matron and nursing and domestic staffs.

"FOR POOR CHILDREN"

"Poor children will have the first claim upon Lady Michaelis' consideration; her primary concern is with suffering childhood whose parents are unable to afford the expense for the treatment of their infirmities. Here they will be afforded every chance of relief and ultimate recovery; in this sunny spot will be extended to them all the facilities modern science can devise to place them on the road to strong manhood and womanhood.

"MODERN EQUIPMENT"

"No expense will be spared in equipping the hospital with all the most up-to-date electrical appliances for the treatment of crippled children, appliances which have achieved such wonderful results in the Treloar institutions in England. Here, where the healing agency of the sun is such an important factor, progress should be even more rapid.

"NEW ERA OF HOPE"

"Thus is opened up for crippled children in this country a new era of hope for the future. Established from the supreme motive of sympathy in suffering, the hospital will stand as a monument to the spirit of charity, sincerely conceived and expressed. It is safe to say that when it is opened and embarked upon its mission of healing and mercy, it will be the only institution of its kind in South Africa. That the fullest public appreciation will attend so beneficent a scheme, there can be no doubt."



Sentinel Publishing Company

Report for two years ending December 31, 1924

WHILE the two years that have elapsed since our last report have not been without their perplexities and problems, yet they have been good years for us in many ways, for which we feel very grateful. Taking our records for the past four years, we find that the year 1923 was the best year we have had for the sale of our books.

EQUIPMENT

During this biennial period, a number of additional and important improvements have been made in our equipment. As a result of help received from the Big Day efforts of the Review and Herald and its territory, we have been able to instal during the past two years the following machinery and equipment: A two-revolution Miehle press, an automatic self clamp Seybold cutting machine, a rounder and backer, standing press, type cabinet with enough type, rule and ornaments to fill the 48 cases, a case of printer's furniture, an electric melting pot for our linotype, a melting furnace, an electric glue pot and other miscellaneous equipment for our factory.

With this added equipment it has been possible for us to begin actual book-binding work, and we have already supplied several thousand copies of our English, Dutch and native books. Perhaps none of this equipment is appreciated more than the Miehle press. With this up-to-date machine, it has been possible to do high class colour work, and last year we printed our own Harvest Ingathering papers for the first time. This gave us a job that brought in a little more than £300.

MAGAZINES

The Signs of the Times, Africa's Prophetic Monthly, is the newest publication that has been brought out by the Sentinel Publishing Company, and we are glad to say it is enjoying a very good circulation. Our average printing edition has been 11,000 copies per month. The present subscription list is just under 1,000 copies. The other 10,000 copies are taken by our churches and church members in clubs of various sizes, the largest single club at the present time being 1,750 copies, each month.

Some of the more important items that go to make up our list of finished work for the year 1924 are the following:

	COPIES
<i>Signs of the Times</i>	116,000
<i>Wachter</i>	35,050
<i>Sentinel</i>	10,000
OUTLOOK	25,475
Dutch Week of Prayer Readings	220
English Tracts	1,200
School Calendar	350
Harvest Ingathering Papers	31,000
Native Sabbath School Lessons	3,270
English and Dutch Subscription Books	1,985
Native Subscription Books	6,000
Native Pamphlets	6,000

Total 233,550

TOTAL SALES

We believe each reader of the OUTLOOK will be interested in the figures we will give showing the sales for the last two years as compared with the two previous years. As we worked over these figures in the office, we found them indeed interesting, for it will be noticed that they represent a gain in our book department business for the past two years of £1,314-15-1. This four-year report is as follows:

	1921	1922	TOTAL
Sub. Books	£5,939 8 1	£6,757 11 6	£12,696 19 7
H. W. & Trade Books	712 1 3	918 8 3	1,630 9 6
Eng. Pam. & Tracts	65 1 3	135 6 6	200 7 9
Native Books	956 2 6	776 17 0	1,732 19 6
Native Pam. & Tracts	121 18 8	239 9 3	361 7 11
Totals	£7,794 11 9	£8,827 12 6	£16,622 4 3

	1923	1924	TOTAL
Sub. Books	£8,247 8 2	£5,705 3 3	£13,952 11 5
H. W. & Trade Books	651 4 6	622 8 5	1,273 12 11
Eng. Pam. & Tracts	75 8 3	57 17 7	133 5 10
Native Books	1,087 5 6	1,111 17 0	2,199 2 6
Native Pam. & Tracts	167 2 6	211 4 2	378 6 8
Totals	£10,228 8 11	£7,708 10 5	£17,936 19 4

Total sales for 1923 and 1924	£17,936 19 4
Total sales for 1921 and 1922	16,622 4 3
Total gain of	£1,314 15 1

BALANCE SHEET

At the close of last year, our capital account showed the value of £9,466-17-0, with assets equalling £18,649-4-9, and liabilities as £9,182-7-9. Stock values account for approximately one half of our assets, or £8,559-12-3. This includes printing, stationery and bindery stock, as well as merchandise, general stock, and native literature. We have taken every precaution to keep our stock values on a healthy basis. Our large Dutch subscription books have been written off 7½ per cent, owing to the fact that there is a large amount of money tied up in these books, and we are not realizing very much from this stock. About fifteen months ago the prices of a number of English subscription books were raised by overseas publishers, and previous to the advance in price we secured a large shipment of all books that would be affected by this raise, and which we were using in this field. Therefore, a portion of our stock is listed at a price lower than we would have to pay for it today.

Our accounts receivable at December 31, 1924, amounted to £1,866-15-3. We regret this figure was so high. As a consequence of these outstanding ac-

counts, and also because of the very heavy stock of books carried at the present time, the liabilities of the Sentinel Publishing Company are unusually high.

We have a native printing fund of £1,216, whereas our native literature stock totals £1,456. The Publishing House makes no profit on this department of its work, and in view of the fact that the fund is already considerably overdrawn and other books are in the course of preparation, which will mean another drawing on our funds of £300 or £400, we feel that it will be necessary for special consideration to be given to the matter of increasing the Native Literature Fund.

PROFIT AND LOSS STATEMENT

We have had a most unfortunate year for the book department, and in fact, I think it is the first time in the history of our work that the book department has not made a gain during the year. We lost in this department £324-11-3 for the year 1924. Our book sales for 1924 were £7,708-10-5 as against £10,228-8-11 for the previous year. This is a loss in sales over the previous year of £2,519-18-6. By comparing the cost of operating the book department for 1924 as against 1923, we find that the amount of expense for these two years is practically the same, but the difference in sales is really the chief reason for this adverse showing.

The year 1924 was a good year for our factory. A profit was made in this department of £104-16-5. Last year our turnover was £3,015 or £708 more than for 1923, while the cost of operation was £2,910 or only £448 more than for the previous year. In other words, with an additional outlay of £448 last year we were able to increase the returns in the factory by £708.

Our magazine department cost us £447-14-2. The *African Sentinel* was published for the first three months of the year only, and for that time showed a loss of £101-6-6. The *Signs of the Times* was issued first during the month of April, this paper taking the place of the *Sentinel*. The *Afrikaanse Wachter* shows a loss of £146-18-4. This publication was discontinued with the December issue.

The net loss on our working for the year was £147-4-4.

During the year 1924, we produced two new books, "God's Answers to Man's Questions" Zulu, and the "Chitonga Second Reader." We did much of the work also last year on the Bible Truth Series tracts, both Afrikaans and English, which were completed early in the present year and are now being used very extensively. In 1923, we produced "God's Answers" Kafir, and "Our Day" Dutch. Thus, four subscription books have been brought out during the past two years.

J. G. SLATE.



General News

ELDER MOFFITT is at the present time conducting a series of public meetings, on Sunday nights, in the Johannesburg church.

ON Sabbath, August 8, a baptismal service was held in the Cape Town church, when Elder W. L. Hyatt administered the rite to twelve candidates. In the earlier part of the year, five members were added to this church, making a total of seventeen so far this year.

The Harvest Ingathering Campaign for 1925

WITHIN the next two weeks, we will be face to face with another Harvest Ingathering Campaign with all its possibilities. It has been said that "no other campaign of the year places so great and definite responsibility upon God's people," and it is certain that we have never faced a campaign when the needs of God's cause were so great, and the openings for the extension of the Third Angel's Message more numerous. The work of God is onward, and there is every reason to be of good courage, for the hand of God is clearly seen directing in the affairs of His church and His Spirit is seen moving upon the minds of men and women in darkened lands in a marvellous manner. As "workers, together with Him," we need have no fear of failure.

ORGANIZING FOR THE CAMPAIGN

All of the necessary campaign supplies should be on hand before the end of this month, so that everyone will be ready to make a start immediately the campaign is launched. These supplies consist of the "Appeal for Missions" magazine, the official solicitor's cards, boxes, goal cards, goal device and "Leaflet of Instructions." In the "Leaflet of Instructions" will be found several suggestive canvasses for the magazine, besides much other information that will be found helpful.

In order to make the campaign a success our forces must be organized very thoroughly. The entire territory of the church should be districted, and assignments made to the various hands. Every member should be encouraged to raise at least £3-0-0. Let us all begin on time and make our 1925 campaign a banner record for concise, diligent, and consecrated effort. And as Elder J. L. Shaw says, "Let us with grateful hearts praise God for the multitude of blessings bestowed upon the faithful workers in the campaign of a year ago. Let us call to mind the rich experiences and the spiritual uplift, bringing new courage and comfort to our hearts. Let us remember with joy the earnest prayers offered and the definite answers recorded. And, finally, let us not forget the sums of money, large and small, which have been received, and what this has done in supporting our faithful missionaries. Now, the stirring question is, 'What shall be the results of our Harvest Ingathering this year?' From every loyal believer the answer will be: 'We will, with the help of the Lord, do more than ever before.'"

THE MISSION OF THE CHURCH AT THIS HOUR

God is at work in the world. On every hand the visible indications of His movements in the affairs of nations and in the realm of spiritual and intellectual thought, are multitudinous. The harvest of six thousand years of sin is being reaped, and the earth and its inhabitants are entering into the awful reality of the results of disobedience and disloyalty to the Creator. But the door of mercy is still open, and a loving Father's welcome awaits "whosoever" will hear His call to repentance, and will forsake and renounce sin. And this same loving Father, who has provided full and free redemption for the whole world, and who is "not willing that any should perish,"

makes this requirement: "Let him that heareth say, Come,"—say, "come," to every fellow creature in perplexity or despair, bewildered and lost on the desert of sin, without hope and without God in the world; "come" into the fold of safety and rejoice in the redemption which draweth nigh.

What a blessed, joyful privilege is ours to bid the "prisoners of hope" turn to the Stronghold, the "mighty fortress" of our God. This is the mission of the church at this hour. Listen to the summons: "Thus saith the Lord, In an acceptable time I have heard thee, and in the day of salvation have I helped thee: and I will preserve thee, and give thee for a covenant of the people, to establish the earth, to cause to inherit the desolate heritages; that thou mayest say to the prisoners, Go forth; to them that are in darkness, Show yourselves." Isa. 49; 8, 9.

There are millions of these "prisoners of hope," to whom the invitation has not yet been given. It is God's purpose that His church shall "establish the earth," and "cause to inherit the desolate heritages" of the earth. These "desolate heritages" fitly represent the sections of the earth where the gospel is not known. The teeming millions in so-called heathen lands have no knowledge of their heritage in the kingdom of God. They are desolate. But the divine purpose is that those who have heard the glad news in an acceptable time, in this day when salvation is freely offered, shall be for Him a covenant of all the people of the earth, and cause the desolate to enter into their rightful heritage.

THE PROMISE TO THE CHURCH

Note particularly the precious promise of the Lord to those who "say to the prisoners, Go forth; to them that are in darkness, Show yourselves." It is this: "I will preserve thee." Under the care of our heavenly Father, we need have no fear in doing any portion of the great world task which may be placed in our hands. It matters not whether we deliver the Message in person to the prisoners in heathen darkness or whether we make it possible for someone else to do it through our personal sacrifice and the solicitation of mission funds from the public. Let us ever remember the promise, "I will preserve thee,"—preserve from the fear of man, from harm, from sickness, from discouragement, from failure.

It is a privilege too lightly esteemed by many, to be a part of the church of God upon which He is depending for the accomplishment of His purpose in behalf of mankind, and upon which He bestows such tender regard. It is stated that, "enfeebled and defective as it may appear, the church is the one object upon which God bestows in a special sense His supreme regard. It is the theatre of His grace, in which He delights to reveal His power to transform hearts."—"The Acts of the Apostles," p. 12.

In this theatre of divine grace, each member of the church has his part to act; and "all heaven is looking with intense interest upon the church, to see what her individual members are doing to enlighten those who are in darkness.—Mrs. E. G. White.

MISSIONARY VOLUNTEER CORNER

A Call to Service

ONCE again we face the Harvest Ingathering Campaign, and the rallying call has reached the ears of the Missionary Volunteer Department. We are relying upon our young people throughout the South African Union to respond loyally, and to make this year's effort the most successful that has ever been held. Our goals for the Missionary Volunteer Department in this Union are as follows:

Natal-Transvaal Conference	£400	0	0
Cape Conference	250	0	0
Orange River Conference	75	0	0
Transvaal-Delagoa Mission Field	25	0	0
Total	£750	0	0

This year's magazine is splendid, and will prove a valuable aid in our work.

We should all plan to make our "big push" at the beginning of the campaign. Remember there are six weeks in which to raise our goal. With the loyal co-operation and participation of all our young people, surely we will pass our goal and finish within the allotted time. Be sure to set your individual goal, and determine, by the grace of God, to at least reach it. Young people, we have confidence in you, and believe you will not fail us at this time.

Please report your work promptly each week through your Missionary Volunteer society.

E. M. HOWARD.

CAPE CONFERENCE

J. F. WRIGHT, *President*, P. W. WILLMORE, *Secy.-Treas.*

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Harvest Ingathering Campaign Draws Near

THE Harvest Ingathering Campaign is near at hand! The date is set to begin August 29. There will be a Rally programme in behalf of this work conducted in all of our churches on that date. At that time, everything will be ready to start the campaign. We trust, dear reader, that you will be one of the number to be ready to launch the campaign right on time. The Lord is counting on you in this work, and so are we. Therefore, we know that you will cheerfully take part.

Some of our dear people have already caught the spirit, and are not waiting for the regular date. They have gone out this past week, and the Lord has blessed their efforts. Others, doubtless, will go out before the regular time set. These are setting a good example for all to follow.

The time allotted for this campaign is six weeks. We trust that all will take hold with the spirit of zeal, and help us finish right on time. If we will begin on time, work hard, do our best, then what? Well, we

will finish on time and the goal will be reached. We understand that last year some of the conferences in the Australasian Union finished their work and reached the goal in three weeks' time. Is not that a fine record? Come on, then, and let us do likewise. What do you say?

REMEMBER THE DATE AUGUST 29 TO OCTOBER 15. Have plenty of papers, know your territory where you are to work, and then be ready to begin right on time. Please do not stop until you have reached your individual goal of £3. Thank you for your kind co-operation in again helping us to make this campaign a real success.

J. F. WRIGHT.



Port Elizabeth

It is some little time since we passed on to the readers of the OUTLOOK a report about our local work.

Our church building was completed about the end of February, and we were able to hold our first service in the new church the first Sabbath in March. We truly rejoiced, and thanked God for the privilege of being able to worship in a little sanctuary all our own and in a building dedicated entirely to the Lord's work. The generous and liberal donation from the General Conference Church Extension Fund has enabled us to complete a very cosy, convenient and neatly-finished little building, which compares very favourably indeed with other church buildings of the same size in the city.

Last Sabbath for the first time, the baptistry was used. Eight precious souls followed their Lord into the watery grave, and, we believe, rose to live in newness of life. Elder Wright baptized the candidates, and gave a very interesting discourse on "Baptism." Some eighteen months back, the writer formed a baptismal class consisting of eleven candidates. Eight of these have now been baptized and another hopes to be ready in the near future. Soon another class will be started.

Our church members are now fully organized into bands for service, such as the literature band, visiting the sick band, book band, correspondence band, etc. We are planning for a strong effort in the Harvest Ingathering work. We have also commenced a series of Sunday evening meetings, when discourses on topical subjects will be presented. We believe that the Lord will bless these meetings, and we ask your prayers to this end.

E. W. H. JEFFREY.



News Items

A BOARD meeting will be held at Bethel mission, August 16. Elder Wright has been called to attend this meeting.

BROTHER BANDFORD SCOTT writes that a good number of new Sabbath-keepers were baptized at Queens-town recently. Others are preparing for this rite.

ELDER WRIGHT spent Sabbath and Sunday, August 8 and 9, with the new company of believers at George. Plans were considered for the purchase of a church property there.

DR. BIRKENSTOCK and family were pleasant callers at our office a few days ago. While the ship called

at Algoa Bay to load, they came ashore. They were en route to the Malamulo mission.

Word comes from Brother Clifford that they are looking forward to the baptismal service to be conducted about the 22nd of August. A new church will be organized as the result of the recent tent effort.

BROTHER AND SISTER F. M. ROBINSON have answered the call to the mission field. We shall miss Brother Robinson as elder of our church at Claremont, but our loss will be the mission field's gain.

SUNDAY night meetings have been started in the European church at Port Elizabeth. The church elder, Brother Jeffrey, is conducting these. The opening night, Elder Wright was present and spoke to a well-filled church.

NATAL-TRANSCVAAL CONFERENCE

B. M. HEALD, *President*

A. E. NELSON, *Secy.-Treas.*

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Two Important Events

THE two events which are of the greatest importance in our conference at the present time are the Harvest Ingathering Campaign and the Durban effort.

HARVEST INGATHERING CAMPAIGN

The Harvest Ingathering Campaign is thoroughly organized to start on time, Sabbath, August 29. The churches are organized, and conference workers are prepared to look after the interests of these churches in their districts.

My brothers and sisters, the cause of God needs your fullest support in this campaign. Let nothing interfere with your plans to raise your quota of £3. Some will do more than this. Several have started already. Mrs. Heald and others, by collecting at fairs, have received £5. My time at present is quite fully occupied, but I hope to double my quota. All the conference workers are prepared to do their utmost. Let us at this time lay all upon the altar, and seek for that heart-preparation that will give us success from the very moment the campaign opens.

DURBAN EFFORT

The opening Sunday night of the Durban city campaign witnessed a full tent. The tent was full again the next Sunday night, and we expect large crowds to follow each successive Sunday night.

The first week, the offerings amounted to about £30, and there is a growing interest.

A very good class of Durban citizens is attending, and to see the people come in families is most encouraging.

Both the *Mercury* and *Advertiser* are daily reporting the sermons in part. The tent is known as "The Bible Pavilion," and is located at the Durban Golf Club entrance, Corner of Mitchell and Clarence Roads, at a point where six streets focus.

Those associated in the tent company are Brother Hurlow, Miss Fleming, Miss de Beer and Brother and Sister Le Butt.

We will soon be presenting the testing truths of the Message, and we earnestly solicit the prayers of our people that God will give us souls for our hire.

B. M. HEALD.

Standerton

HIERMEE wens ek u in kennis te stel dat Broeder de Beer laaste Sabbat, die 18de Julie, Standerton weer besoek het, en dat sy besoek vir ons tot 'n groot seën gewees is. Ons het Sabbat môre om 11 uur 'n heerlike en geseënde diens gehad, wat deur Broeder de Beer gelei was, en Sondag om drie uur in die namiddag het ons die Avondmaal gevier. Broeders en susters, as daar ooit 'n geseënde tyd hier by ons gewees het, dan was dit die Sondag namiddag gewees. Ons het waarlik die teenwoordigheid van ons Here Jesus gevoel, en daarby het ons ook 'n goeie opkoms gehad. Die diens was geopen met die sing van No. 87 in die Afrikaanse Liederboek, en daarop het 'n gebed gevolg deur Broeder F. Botha. Broeders en susters en medereisigers na die ewigheid, dis my hartewens en begeerte dat die seën wat ons daar by die Avondmaal geniet het, sal vrugte voorbring, sodat, as die Here ons weer op 'n ander keer bymekaar bring, dat daar meer vrugte sal gesien en gevind word in die geestelike lewe, en dat nie alleen van die Avondmaal nie, wat ons hier geniet het, want ons was maar 'n klein getal bymekaar; maar dat ons hiernamals 'n groot skaar sal sam verenig sien en Avondmaal vier met Jesus in ons midde. Ek wens voor God en mense te getuig dat daar vir my geen ander weg is dan die weg hemel toe, en ek sien ook niks wat heerliker sal wees as om met my Heiland te kan triomfeer nie. U weet, vriende, dat Satan hard besig is om Gods kinders af te trek van die heerlike waarheid. Die Here het wonderlik in my hart gewerk, want Satan was ook met my besig. Maar ek het deur die Here se hulp en genade Sondag besluit om my lewe opnuut aan my Heiland toe te wy. Mag die liewe Here my staande hou, tot dat Hy op die wolke des hemels sal verskyn, want dit is my harte begeerte deur die hulp van my Saligmaker.

U suster in die salige Hoop,

HILDA TRUTER.



The Work at Newcastle, Natal

OUTLOOK readers, as a rule, pray that God may bless the work and workers in the harvest field. But you do not always know the effect of your prayers. The following has been our experience in answer to your prayers:

Sunday, the 21st of June, seven dear souls followed their Lord in baptism. The procession was led by an ex-policeman, Brother Samuel Mbhata. He had arrested many, but now he has been arrested by One mightier than he. Later, he was heard to say, "Brother, the policeman is dead."

Our church members came from Enketwani, Charlestown, Alcock Spruit, Blaauwbosch and Dannhauser. We had a very happy time together on this occasion, when Pastor Hodgson visited us for baptism and the Ordinances of the Lord's House.

Wherever the Prince of Wales went in South Africa, natives had a feast. But we here had a more substantial feast of real good things. Our many visitors on this occasion were very much impressed by Pastor Hodgson's text, "We preach not ourselves, but Jesus Christ the Lord," but were none the less impressed by our mode of baptism, and the ordinance of humility.

We need a church building at Newcastle; but above all we need your prayers. E. H. NDWANDWA.

Report of Literature Sales for June

Natal-Transvaal

NAME	HRS	ORDS	VALUE	HELPS	TOTAL
<i>Our Day.</i>					
P. J. Vermaak	57½	33	22 18 0	17 0	23 15 0
Mrs. M. Smith	35½	6	3 15 0	12 0	4 7 0
<i>Practical Guide.</i>					
P. J. Vermaak	41	12	14 5 0	2 3	14 7 3
P. Engelbrecht	30½	19	22 0 0	1 18 6	23 18 6
<i>Daniel & Revelation</i>					
A. C. le Butt	123½	45	60 2 6	3 5 0	63 7 6
<i>God's Answers & Helps</i>					
P. Grobler	22		delivering		
T. de Meyer	9½		11 0	5 6	16 6
Agents	7	319½	115 123 11 6	7 0 3	130 11 9

Native sales					24 11 10
Magazine Sales					67 8 9

Cape

<i>Ladies' Handbook</i>					
Mrs. M. N. Steijl	74	16	24 15 0		24 15 0
Mrs. Sunshine	16	8	11 10 0		11 10 0
<i>Bible Readings.</i>					
H. I. Beattie	92½	40	51 4 0	16 3 6	67 7 6
D. D. Toerien	56½	15	23 2 6	1 7 6	24 10 0
<i>Great Controversy</i>					
F. N. Human	114	29	36 12 6	6 18 0	43 10 6
<i>Daniel & Revelation.</i>					
D. J. Kruger	91	13	11 1 6	2 1 0	13 2 6
<i>Our Day</i>					
D. Theunissen	185½	74	53 12 0	2 19 0	56 11 0
<i>God's Answers</i>					
Miss v.d. Schyff	80	50	19 7 6		19 7 6
Agents	8	709½	245 231 5 0	29 9 0	260 14 0

Magazine sales					15 3 7
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Orange River

<i>Bible Readings & Our Day</i>	32	8	12 0 0		12 0 0
H. C. Jackson		10	9 15 6		9 15 6
<i>Our Day</i>					
W. J. Scholtz	5	1	12 6		12 6
			delivering		
<i>Practical Guide.</i>					
G. S. Stevenson	33	6	7 7 6		7 7 6
<i>Our Day & Great Controversy</i>		5	3 2 6		3 2 6
S. J. Fourie	15	7	8 7 6	19 6	9 7 0
			delivering		
<i>Miscellaneous</i>	20		1 0 6		
Agents	4	105	37 42 5 6	19 6	43 5 0

Native sales					10 6
Magazine sales					4 17 6

Literature Sales for the Zambesi Union

<i>Miscellaneous</i>					17 13 9
Native sales					36 5 0
Periodicals					11 4 6
					65 3 3

Totals for June 1925

N-T Conf	7	319½	115	123 11 6	7 0 3	130 11 9
Cape Conference	8	709½	245	231 5 0	29 9 0	260 14 0
O. R. Conf	4	105	37	42 5 6	19 6	43 5 0
Zambesi Union				17 13 9		17 13 9
Native sales				61 7 4		61 7 4
Periodicals				98 14 4		98 14 4
Totals	19	1133½	397	574 17 5	37 8 9	612 6 2

CONGO MISSION FIELD

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Katanga Mission

THURSDAY, July 23, was the second anniversary of the opening of the Katanga mission school, so we gave the boys and girls a half holiday.

As we all gathered together to celebrate the opening of the school, we joined in singing several hymns, after which Elder Boger spoke of the progress of the work and the tender watch-care of God over us during the past two years. Prayer was then offered and all were dismissed to take part in some harmless sports.

As we look back over the past, we cannot help but say, "Praise God from whom all blessings flow." We are indeed thankful to our Heavenly Father for the many blessings we have enjoyed. Two years ago, we had made only a small beginning, but today there are thirty-nine boys and girls striving for an education to fit themselves for a part in the great work of God. And as we look out into the battle field, we see fifteen boys and girls, from this school, holding up the banner of truth before the heathen people of this great field. Our hearts are greatly cheered by this progress.

But, while we have much over which we can and do rejoice, yet we are made sad by the fact that two of our number have been snatched away by the cruel hand of death. We believe, however, that God knows best. We are also very sorry that since our last gathering, Brother and Sister Le Butt have had to leave us on account of Sister Le Butt's health.

During the past year, it has been our privilege to welcome to the Katanga mission, Brother and Sister Schaffner. We are eagerly waiting and watching for other workers to take their stand by our sides.

Brethren and sisters, we are with you, every man in his place, ready to make the last charge, as it were, upon the enemy, so that the battle may come to an end. Victory is certain, for our Captain has never lost, and never will lose, a battle.

D. A. WEBSTER.

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Inyazura Camp-meeting

THE native camp-meeting seasons of South Rhodesia are times of refreshing, and we look forward to

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them from year to year. Our meeting this year was held July 15 to 19.

We had with us Elders Stockil and Sturdevant, from Bulawayo. Brother Sturdevant opened this mission fifteen years ago, and it was a cause of great rejoicing to him to return, after many years absence, and greet a company of 500 people who had come in from the out-schools and surrounding country. Many of our native teachers were students in school when Elder Sturdevant was in charge of this mission.

The instruction given at our meeting was practical, as well as spiritual. All were encouraged to give themselves to God and plan for the support of His work. The offerings were not so large as last year, because we did not accept pledges, as in the past, but a plan of systematic saving was placed before the people so that each one hereafter may bring a cash offering when he comes to camp-meeting.

God is surely blessing our mission in sending us good, promising young men to attend our school; also in giving us many openings for out-schools. We are very thankful that it will soon be possible for us to open four new schools.

Elder Robinson, our mission superintendent, is greatly interested in his work for this people, and is doing all he can to place the work on a strong basis.

F. BURTON JEWELL.



The Victoria Work

On the 27th of June, it was my privilege to visit the Mafuba out-school in the Victoria district.

I reached Fort-Victoria about sunset on Friday evening, rode out to the home of Brother Everson, and there spent the night.

On Sabbath morning, I continued the journey on foot, and, arriving at the school during the Sabbath school hour, was surprised to find a company of over two hundred and fifty people at the service. They were not expecting my visit, but our two schools in the district were having a union meeting for the thirteenth Sabbath and a special programme had been arranged. During the meeting, one of the young men, who had been a pupil of the school for several years, addressed the people on the subject of "Missions," and made an urgent call for a special collection. On the black-board, he wrote the figure "£19,000," and stated that this was the amount for which the General Conference was asking for the work in the Philippine Islands. The natives gave 9/9 in cash, and several pledges were made. After the Sabbath school, we had the usual preaching service, and during the afternoon we met with the baptismal class of over forty young people. During the evening, we examined the visiting school, which is being taught by David, a local

boy who was one of our pupils at Glendale mission.

On Sunday morning, we spent about three hours with Claud in his school. Both teachers and pupils are doing very acceptable work, and it is encouraging to find such a company of Sabbath-keepers, so far removed from a mission station, continuing faithful to the Message.

Three schools in an adjoining reserve have had to be abandoned, as the reserve was cut up into farms, and the people have dispersed. Plans have been made to follow up and develop the work in the adjoining districts.

T. J. GIBSON.



A Passing Visit

It was the privilege of the writer, while en route to the Belgian Congo, to stop over at Bulawayo for Sabbath, August 1. The Sabbath morning service was well attended, and we were very pleased to notice several visitors in the audience. At the close of the service, Elder M. C. Sturdevant, the pastor of the church, administered the ordinance of baptism to eleven candidates. This makes a splendid addition to the church membership, and speaks well for the faithful work being done by Elder Sturdevant, as well as that done by the former pastor, Brother J. E. Symons.

We found Elder F. E. Thompson and family well settled in their new home, and Brother Thompson has already begun to get a good grasp of the work of the Union. As soon as the Union secretary-treasurer, Brother C. W. Bozarth, arrives to take charge of the office work, Brother Thompson plans to visit the various sections of the field, and join the local field superintendents and committees in putting into effect the plans laid at the recent Union constituency meeting.

We are glad to report that prospects are good for the largest harvest of souls this year that this Union Mission has ever had.

W. H. BRANSON.



Request for Employment

A SISTER seeks employment with fellow believers as matron, companion-help, or in some capacity where she can be helpful in return for board and small salary.

Was a teacher of typewriting in a school in India, from March 1914 to February 1923, when she gave up the position to come to South Africa. She holds a good certificate from the school authorities for the period. Is willing to go to any lonely mission station, where companionship and help is needed by the wife of the missionary in charge.

Reply to: (Miss) S. Pearse, "Kismet," P. O. Longhope, C. P.

Obituary

It is with sadness that we report on the death of the infant son of Sister Wilson, of the Salt River church. Little James was ill for about six weeks, and in the early hours of the morning, Thursday, July 30, God gave the little sufferer rest. Our sympathies go out to the mother, father, and two little sisters, who mourn.

The funeral service was conducted by the writer on Thursday afternoon, at Maitland.

FRANCIS G. CLIFFORD.