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Publishing Interests at Our Camp-Meetings*

All will readily agree that the term "Publishing Interests" is a comprehensive one, and has a larger meaning than simply the mechanical work of producing books, tracts, and periodicals. Consequently any consideration of our publishing interests must be broader than merely that end of the work.

The importance of this work is given us in the following statement. "The publications sent forth from our printing houses are to prepare the people to meet God. Throughout the world they are to do the same work that was done by John the Baptist for the Jewish nation. By startling messages of warning, God's prophet awakened men from worldly dreaming. Through him God called backsliding Israel to repentance. By his presentation of truth he exposed popular delusions. In contrast with the false theories of his time, truth in his teaching stood forth as an eternal certainty. "Repent ye, for the kingdom of heaven is at hand," was John's message. This same message, through the publications of our printing houses, is to be given to the world today Our publishing institutions are to exalt the claims of God's downtrodden law. Standing before the world as reformers, they are to show that the law of God is the foundation of all enduring reform. In clear, distinct lines they are to present the necessity of obedience to all his commandments Through their testimony the Sabbath of the fourth commandment is to stand as a witness, a constant reminder of God, to attract notice and arouse investigation that shall direct the minds of men to their Creator.

"Let it never be forgotten that these institutions are to co-operate with the ministry of the delegates of heaven. They are among the agencies represented by the angel flying "in the midst of heaven, having the everlasting gospel to preach unto them that dwell on the earth, and to every na-

tion, and kindred, and tongue, and people, saying with a loud voice, Fear God, and give glory to him; for the hour of his judgment is come." Rev. 14: 6, 7.

It is the use of our publications that increases the usefulness of our workers many-fold. The harvest truly is great, but the laborers are few, therefore any factor that so immeasurably increases one's usefulness should be regarded as of supreme importance. This is illustrated in our own experience in the Philippine Islands. After residing there for a little time we felt keenly the fact that, personally, we could do so little for the millions of people of that island group, whose languages we could not speak. Scattered among these islands were several thousand American and Filipino school teachers, all of whom could read and speak English. Why not send literature to these people? The Lord could open the way, so we prayed about it, and told our Heavenly Father what we wanted. He heard our prayers and put it into the hearts of our brethren to send us literature. For months we passed on to these people from five to eight hundred of our periodicals every week. Thus hundreds were reached in this way, instead of the few we could reach personally.

We have reason to be profoundly thankful for our publications. It would be utterly impossible to measure their value to this cause. Eternity alone will reveal that. There is another factor, however, that should call for just as much gratitude. This factor is the men and women who have devoted their time and energy to the circulation of our periodicals and books. Of how much value would this literature be if we had no means of distributing it? The development of the system for the circulation of our literature is not the result of chance, but of providence, and we should recognize it as such.

Our system or means of literature distribution is a valuable asset. This value can be measured only by the value of the literature we have to distribute. Therefore any consideration of our publishing interests that over-

looks either of these factors will fail just to that extent in doing justice to the theme.

We need to give very little time to a consideration of the facilities for producing literature. We have many splendidly equipped publishing houses, turning out tons of books, tracts, and papers. But let us look to the other end of the situation, and then raise this all important question; *how can we improve our means of distribution?* Let that question take its right perspective in every mind, and then let us earnestly seek the answer.

First; every Seventh-day Adventist should realize the value and the importance of circulating our literature.

Second; every one should be trained by the best methods to engage in the distribution of our literature.

We believe that our people need to be trained more and more how to sell, loan, and give away the message-filled publications.

When is the most favorable time for such instruction? Unquestionably the best time is during camp-meetings. On these occasions the people assemble from far and near. Much thought and prayer should be given to uplifting the spiritual condition of the people on these occasions. This of course should be the highest and most important consideration. But can anything more speedily bring one's spirituality to a higher level than working for others? We believe not. Therefore can there be anything more important than teaching our people to do the very things that will surely bring them up spiritually, and at the same time bring other precious souls to a knowledge of the truth? Surely there cannot be.

With these facts before us it is not evident that we should recognize the interests of our publishing work at our camp-meetings to a greater extent than has been done? We believe that the people should be gathered together at frequent intervals during the camp-meeting and thorough instruction given in the best methods of handling our literature.

In Volume Nine of the Testimonies, under the chapter heading, "Camp-Meetings and Our Publications" we

find these words, "In connection with our camp-meetings in past years, God's servants have improved many opportunities for instructing our people in practical methods of presenting the saving truths of the third angel's message to their friends and acquaintances. Many have been taught how to labor as self-supporting missionaries in their home communities. Many have returned home from these annual gatherings, to labor with greater zeal and intelligence than hitherto. It would be pleasing to God if far more of this practical instruction were given the church members who attend our camp-meetings, than has usually been given in years past. Our general workers and our brethren and sisters in every conference should remember that one of the objects of our annual gatherings is that all may gain a knowledge of practical methods of personal missionary work."

We have attended camp-meetings where this instruction is wholly disregarded and the people return home no better fitted to work for the Master than when they came. Instead of carrying home the practical instruction to better fit them for the work of circulating our literature they return for another twelve months of spiritual stagnation.

One thing to which we would call especial attention is what we believe is the mistake of putting the Field Agent in charge of the camp ground. If he is a live hustling man he is often given that work at the camp-meeting. So during the meeting he is probably engaged in collecting tent rent or something of that nature. He should have opportunity of getting acquainted with the people, and talking with them about the important line of work he represents. In this way many might be encouraged to take up the literature work, either as book or magazine colporters.

We believe that the people should be kept informed of the affairs of the publishing houses, their condition, prospects, and needs. We are always most interested in the things of which we know the most. We appeal to every conference here to see that the interests of our publishing work are fully and properly recognized at our camp meetings.

J. L. McELHANEY.

*Read at the Columbia Union Conference, Pittsburg, Pa., April 11-21, 1912.

One of the chief causes of mental insufficiency and moral weakness is the lack of consecration to worthy ends.—*Education.*

Our Position as Deliverers

In the third chapter of Judges and the ninth verse we read: "And when the children cried unto the Lord, the Lord raised up a deliverer who delivered them." How characteristic this is of God's dealings with his people all through the ages. Surely when a child of God cries out in agony of soul unto the Lord, the Lord always hears.

However, let us see what brought about this condition of bondage from which the people sought deliverance. In verses 7 and 8 we read: "And the children of Israel did evil in the sight of the Lord, and forgot the Lord their God, and served Baalim and the Groves. Therefore the angel of the Lord was hot against Israel, and He sold them into the hand of Chisharishathaim, king of Mesopotamia." Surely we have here the circumstances which brought about this captivity. The Israelites, surrounded by the "world" on every side, did not need much inducement to imbibe worldly ideas; they did evil in the sight of the Lord. In fact they forgot him altogether and began to serve other gods. Is it, then, anything to cause wonder that the Lord deserted his people and gave them into the hands of the enemy? But just as soon as the people returned to the worship of the true God, He delivered them both physically and spiritually from bondage.

To day we have a striking parallel with the olden days of the Judges. All about us we see that the world has come into the church. The church was perfectly safe until the world came in; but after its entrance there was grave danger. So we find the children of Israel, the professed believers on the Lord Jesus Christ, doing evil in his sight in more than one way. This condition is too well known to need any further proof than the mere statement. Is it necessary to say they have forgotten God and are serving strange gods? They are serving many gods truly, chief among which are themselves. Besides this, the subtle philosophies of the East have invaded our enlightened lands in the form of sun worship, image worship, nature worship, and so on. We can readily see these conditions, for they are all about us. As a result of these terrible sins, the Lord has certainly abandoned them to the enemy of our souls. He has left the churches as a whole, giving us the message—"Babylon is fallen, is fallen," "come out of her my people," and we are the people to whom this message

of deliverance is given.

In John 15:16 the Lord says, "I have appointed you that ye should go and bear fruit." According to this we are placed in the world for the sole purpose of delivering the people. God has intrusted to this people the last message that will ever be given to this old world, and so we stand in a place identical with that of the judges. We are placed as judges, as deliverers to the people. Our message is "Repent ye therefore and be converted that your sins may be blotted out." So let us consecrate our whole lives to the Master's service, and do our duty as divinely appointed deliverers to the people who are seeking their Saviour in these last days.

RICHARD F. FARLEY.

Philadelphia, Pa.

AT THE COLLEGE

Sabbath, July 27, Elder D. E. Lindsey spoke on the subject of the Christian's Hope.

Mr. Harry Garrarde was baptized, Sabbath, August 3, by Elder James Shultz. Mr. Garrarde is connected with the Western Union Telegraph Office in Mount Vernon. For several years he has been studying the truth and has been quite regular in attending services with his wife. We are glad to welcome him into Christian fellowship.

Last week the College office force was busy mailing College wall calendars, yearly calendars, and copies of the journal, *Christian Education*. About 850 of each were sent to the young people of this union. Anyone not in possession of these should send their names to the office.

Miss Hart is enjoying a pleasant vacation at her home in Battle Creek, Michigan.

Word comes from Professor and Mrs. Pulver that they are having an enjoyable time at the home of the former in Wisconsin.

H. W. Chilson and Carl Talmage, after completing J. I. Cassell's house, are doing carpentry work in the College kitchen and dining room. The students will enjoy walking on the new wooden floor.

Miss Florence White writes from Lima that she is doing well in her magazine work. She and Miss Rice expect to attend the camp-meeting at Springfield.

The College Press is doing a rushing business this summer. They have re-

cently added another member to their working force—Mr. Black, a brother of Mrs. Garrarde.

We regret to learn of the recent death of Mrs. J. W. Lawhead. We extend our deepest sympathy to the bereaved family.

Mr. and Mrs. V. O. Punches arrived here last week. Mrs. Punches is feeling much better and is enjoying a rest at the home of her husband.

The latest word received from Miss Pengelly was that she was about to test her ability as a sailor on the the great lakes.

Those who have been watching Professor Anderson's garden and the transportation of furniture past the College in the direction of Brother Gault's house on the hill, were recently informed that Professor Anderson was scheduled to be in Toronto on August 14.

H. G. Gauker writes from Philadelphia that he is still thinking of home—M. V. C.

From the *Lake Union Herald* we learn that Mr. Gurnie Young will teach English in the Gambier High School next year.

Miss Nettie Porch was in attendance at the Secor-Rockwell wedding and is visiting her friend, Mrs. O. M. John.

Mrs. C. A. Smith and daughter, Josephine, have returned from their trip east.

Mr. Coolen has been grading in front of Brother Gault's house, where a new cement walk is being laid.

Messrs. Jacques and Spencer write: "Send us the VISITOR. We must have it. As cooling waters to a thirsty soul, so is the VISITOR to two M. V. C. boys at Pittsburg."

School begins September 4. Begin to plan to be there the first day. There is an inspiration in beginning work when every one else does. The fresh smiles and vigorous handshakes of the first few days brings a vim that nothing else can bring. Remember September 4.

Don't come alone. Bring someone with you. Not your relatives, to see you get settled and then leave you weeping at the station, wishing you could go back home. Bring another student who means business, and who is going to stick it out for the whole year.

Everyone around the College is working. There are no idlers. Ac-

tivity is seen on every hand. The office workers, the farmers, the cook, the printers—all are busy getting things ready for school.

Around the College we are beginning to hear the students and teachers say, "Well, school begins just three weeks from today." Vacation is a fine thing, but it will seem good to see the students come in and once more get into the round of school life.

Married

The comfortable home of Mrs. J. L. Secor in Academia was beautifully decorated with ferns, nasturtium and golden glow, Tuesday evening, August 6, in honor of the marriage of her daughter, Miss Jennie Rebecca Secor, to Mr. Sevelon C. Rockwell of Roaring Branch, Pa.

The neat lawn was illuminated with Japanese lanterns while comfortable chairs arranged before the decorated veranda provided seats for the 150 guests, whose presence testified to the esteem with which the bride is held.

An appropriate vocal solo by Mrs. Ralph Simpson announced the approach of the hour, 6 o'clock, set for the wedding. This was followed by the sweet strains of Mendelssohn's wedding march to which the bride and groom, preceded by two little flower girls—nieces of the bride—and Elder S. M. Butler, and followed by Professor and Mrs. O. M. John, brother-in-law and sister of the bride, who acted as groom's man and bride's maid marched to the steps of the veranda where Elder Butler made the happy young couple one for life.

The guests were afterward served a delightful repast, following which Mr. and Mrs. Rockwell left for a week end visit to Buckeye Lake.

They were the recipients of many useful and beautiful presents. Guests from a distance were Dr. Edward Secor, of Chicago, Ill., brother of the bride, and Miss Nettie I. Porch, of Johnstown, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Rockwell will make their home in Academia this winter while Mr. Rockwell completes the Literary course in Mount Vernon College.

Their many student friends join in wishing them a united life of usefulness in God's cause.

JAMES E. SHULTZ.

Mrs. Cora Wheelock, of Melton, O., with her daughter and husband, visited her sister, Mrs. Harvey Cassell last week.

NEW JERSEY

Conference Resolutions

The following are the resolutions passed at the recent session of the New Jersey Conference held in connection with the camp-meeting at Plainfield, and should be of interest to the members in the conference.

Recognizing the great mercy of God toward our unworthiness and his hand stretched out to us in manifold blessings during the past year, therefore,

Resolved, that we express our gratitude to God for his goodness by our renewed consecration and more faithful service.

Whereas, the enemy, death, has visited the home of the president of our union conference, Elder B. G. Wilkinson, and has taken from him his beloved companion; therefore,

Resolved, that we tender to Elder Wilkinson our sincerest sympathy in his affliction and sorrow.

Whereas, the Lord has told us through the Spirit of Prophecy that "the canvassing work properly conducted is missionary work of the highest order" and "the intelligent, God-fearing, truth-loving canvasser should be respected, for he occupies a position equal to that of the gospel minister," therefore,

We recommend, that all such canvassers, averaging at least a thousand hours of work and not less than one thousand dollars worth of book sales per year, be granted colporter's credentials.

Whereas, the great need of fostering the church school work in our midst presses upon us, and

Whereas, the teachers of our church schools need the advantages of the union conference summer school, and the pay our teachers receive is too small to enable them to bear the expense of attending the summer schools, therefore,

We recommend, that their fare into the conference and to and from the summer school and expense at the school be met by the conference.

Resolved, that we enter heartily into the plan recommended by the General Conference of raising 15 cents per week per member for the foreign mission work.

Whereas, the example of the Master, and the special instruction given for this time clearly indicate that it is essential for the prosperity of our churches and the rapid extension of the work in the new fields, that we blend together the evangelical and

medical missionary work, therefore, *We recommend*, that suitable persons be encouraged to take up this line of work in our conference, and that trained nurses be connected with the efforts in our large cities as soon as practicable.

Whereas, Mount Vernon College is deeply in need of our support, therefore,

Resolved, that (a) we continue our earnest support of the quarter-a-quarter plan for raising a Missionary Educational Fund, and

(b) That we solicit from people of means liberal contributions toward liquidating the College indebtedness, and

(c) That we encourage our youth to attend the College.

Whereas, a failure in paying honest tithe closes the windows of heaven's blessings to God's people, and

Whereas, aggressive work is retarded by lack of means, therefore,

We recommend, that church and conference workers be encouraged to keep this Christian duty prominently before the churches.

Whereas, the Sabbath-school Teacher's Training Course, as outlined by the Sabbath-school Department of the General Conference, is helping Sabbath-school teachers and scholars to do more efficient work; therefore,

We recommend, that the officers of each school seek to have all their teachers take this training course.

Whereas, the General and Union Conferences have so faithfully assisted this conference, both financially and spiritually; therefore,

Resolved, that we here express our gratitude to the General and Union Conferences for the support which they have given to this conference in its work.

We recommend, that one or more church officers' meetings be held during the coming winter.

Resolved, that we issue credentials to our accredited teachers who have passed satisfactory examinations under the union conference supervision.

Resolved, that we express our hearty appreciation of the liberality of the publishers of the city papers who have printed such full reports of our camp-meeting and conference sessions.

In connection with the church officers' meetings referred to above it is hoped that these meetings may be held in different parts of the state and that at such time a number of our churches in said portions of the state may meet together for a three or four days' union meeting, which it is be-

lieved will be a great strength to the work. W. B. WALTERS.

Field Items

After our camp-meeting, the tent companies went immediately to their fields of labor and they are distributed as follows in the different parts of the state: At Camden, Eld. M. C. Whitmarsh is holding an effort, and associated with him is Brother Alvin C. Long, and his sister Margaret. They report a splendid interest, with a congregation averaging about 175.

Brother Lund is working for the Swedish people in Jersey City and has a tent located quite centrally there. A Swedish Bible worker, and Brother Johnson of Plainfield are assisting him. He also reports a good interest.

Elder Kneeland also has a tent in Jersey City with Sister Malenghini, a Bible worker, associated with him, and Brother B. H. Hartman as tent master. Dr. Kinne from the Middletown, N. Y. Sanitarium comes to Jersey City twice a week and gives health studies in both the English and Swedish tent efforts. People seem to appreciate this kind of work. We hope and pray that this may accomplish all that God would have it in the saving of souls.

Elder Hanhardt has a tent pitched in the city of Paterson, and is laboring for the German people with one night in the week devoted to the English. He reports an interest in both these lines. Sister Thomas, a Bible worker, and Sister Mary Gaede, a nurse, are connected with this company, and Brother Carl Woertz as tent master. The nurse is having all the work she is able to do, and I pray that God may bless this branch in this place.

After camp-meeting Elder Smith took up the work in Plainfield with the tent, and finds that the ministers have been doing their best to destroy the effect of the camp-meeting and of the tent effort which was held before, but we expect that God will give the victory and that some honest souls will be gathered out of that city, which is the stronghold of the Seventh-day Baptists. There are associated with him, Brother Medairy as tent master and Bible worker, and Bessie Smith as Bible worker.

In view of the apparent interest in

Trenton, the committee asked me to conduct a tent effort here, with Brother H. A. May as tent master and Sister Cately to work in connection with the tent in her Bible work. We commenced meetings here Sunday night, July 28, with a fair attendance, and although it has rained several nights, we have had a good attendance most of the time. There were about two hundred out last Sunday night.

We realize that we are loaded up pretty heavily with tent efforts for so small a conference, and pray that God may give results so that our work be not in vain. We trust that our members in this field will remember that this work calls for a large outlay of means and that they will be faithful with their tithes, so that there will be no lack in the treasury.

We are glad to report that by baptism there have been several additions to the faith in Pleasantville, Camden, Jersey City, Paterson, Rockaway, Trenton, and Newark. We are looking forward to a harvest of souls as a result of work done this year.

A. R. SANBORN.

WEST PENNSYLVANIA

Camp-meeting will be held at Washington Park, Washington, Pennsylvania, August 22 to September 1.

We are glad to learn that Mrs. V. O. PUNCHES is feeling much better.

Elder and Mrs. Kneeland spent last Sabbath with the church at Altoona, holding three meetings. The work in Altoona has suffered largely through the removal of many of the working members, but those who still remain are determined to press forward earnestly. Considerable attention was given to the importance of the work for the young people and the building up of the Sabbath-school work.

Word has been received that Elder M. C. Wilcox, of California, who is well-known to our people as the editor of the "Signs of the Times," will attend the West Pennsylvania camp-meeting. All will enjoy this privilege of meeting one who has spoken to us so many times through the columns of our pioneer missionary paper.

Most excellent ministerial help has

been provided for the camp-meeting. Every effort will be made to furnish spiritual help and instruction to all who come upon the grounds.

The magazine work still shows progress. Now is the time to push this work, which brings the principles of the message before thousands who otherwise would not pay any attention to it. Over three thousand of the August issues have already been ordered through our office.

When you receive this paper, the camp-meeting will be only one week away. We should have a large attendance of our people at this meeting. If you have not ordered your tent and furniture, do so at once, as it is difficult to properly provide accommodations for those that we do not know are coming. A postal card may save you much annoyance.

WEST VIRGINIA

The tent company at Wheeling will open their effort next Sunday evening. Elder Baierle of Fairmont will be with this effort for about four weeks.

Brother C. V. Leach, our missionary secretary, was obliged to remain at home this week on account of sickness. We trust that he will be able to be out again next week.

The Sabbath-school donations at camp-meeting amounted to \$52.37. This is almost four times as much as the donations given last year at camp-meeting. The Lord is certainly impressing his children with the need of funds for carrying forward the work, and giving them willing hearts to surrender to him his own.

Misses Clara Pettit and Dollie Parker are located at Sistersville, W. Va. They are having fine success and expect to earn their scholarships in the few remaining weeks before school begins.

Our book sales for the month of July was \$1768.80. Most of our canvassers spent part of this time at the camp-meeting, making our report smaller. They all express the thought that they received so much spiritual good from the meeting, that they are better able to take up their work this month.

OHIO

**OHIO TITHE RECEIPTS
JULY, 1912**

Akron.....	\$ 100 40
Alliance.....	.....
*Barnesville.....	.....
Bellefontaine.....	19 85
Bellville.....	.....
*Broughton.....	.....
Bowling Green.....	114 98
Camden.....	72 32
Canton.....	5 74
Chagrin Falls.....	22 88
Charloe.....	.....
Chillicothe.....	.....
Cincinnati.....	96 81
Cleveland.....	.....
Cleveland German.....	43 21
Clyde.....	98 00
Columbus.....	.....
Columbus S. D. A. Mission.....	10 75
*Conant.....	2 50
Conneaut.....	6 31
Corsica.....	77 86
Coshocton.....	19 67
Cygnets.....	.....
Dayton.....	.....
Defiance.....	6 80
Delaware.....	.....
Delta.....	.....
Derwent.....	39 50
Dowling.....	.....
Dunkirk.....	.....
East Liverpool.....	52 52
Elgin.....	.....
Findlay.....	35 10
Greenspring.....	.....
*Gilboa.....	.....
Hamler.....	51 05
Hamilton.....	53 51
Hicksville.....	15 70
*Jackson.....	8 45
Jefferson.....	60 27
Killbuck.....	4 36
LaGrange.....	59 24
*Lakeville.....	.....
Lakeview.....	68 61
Laura.....	12 50
Leesburg.....	66 74
Liberty Center.....	53 07
Lima.....	.....
Locust Point.....	.....
Mansfield.....	36 03
Marion.....	44 16
Marshfield.....	.....
Massillon.....	.....
Medina.....	10 00
Mendon.....	10 62
Middlefield.....	.....
Mount Vernon.....	314 13
Newark.....	72 61
Norwalk.....	.....
New Philadelphia.....	.....
Ohio City.....	.....
Pemberville.....	8 40
Piqua.....	17 10

Pleasant Hill.....	21 60
Powell.....	.....
Ravenna.....	67 10
*Reedsville.....	.....
Rows.....	21 62
Sherwood.....	10 00
Spencer.....	15 00
Springfield.....	230 12
Toledo.....	79 80
Troy.....	.....
Van Wert.....	15 50
Walnut Grove.....	89 84
Washington C. H.....	.....
Waterford.....	42 70
*Wooster.....	.....
*West Mansfield.....	.....
Wheelersburg.....	135 99
Wilmington.....	13 70
Youngstown.....	70 87
Zanesville.....	26 65
Individuals.....	72 59

TOTAL.....\$2,704 31

TOTAL RECEIPTS, ALL SOURCES

Tithe.....	\$2,704 31
Tract Society.....	942 05
Sabbath-school Donations.....	606 26
Missions.....	66 37
First Day Offerings.....	104 48
Annual Offering.....	2 35
Midsummer Offering.....	352 78
Colored Work.....	1 10
Harvest Ingathering.....	4 65
\$300,000 Fund.....	129 28
S. S. D. Africa.....	189 98
City Missions.....	5 00
Mount Vernon College Fund.....	85 92
M. V. C. Tank Fund.....	1 50
T. & H. Collections.....	61 43
Religious Liberty.....	3 20
Mission Signs.....	.....
Asiatic Missions.....	.....
Sterling Lantern Fund.....	.....
Orphans and Aged.....	1 00

TOTAL.....\$5,261 66

H. D. HOLTOM, Treas.

**Courses of Study for Ohio
Church Schools**

Below is given an outline of the courses of study by grades for the church schools of Ohio, following the Columbia Union outline. We recommend that parents order the books at once, as indicated in the appended list. This will save much valuable time. Order of Ohio Tract Society, Box 187, Mount Vernon, O.

FIRST GRADE

Bible Nature.—Stories of Christ as Creator and Saviour. Oral work. Cady's Bible Nature Study in the hands of the teacher. See "Manual."

Language.—Blackboard or chart work, 6 to 12 weeks. True Education Reader Series, Book I.

Industrial work.—Sewing, paper work, drawing.

Penmanship.—Drills.

Music.—Note singing. Intonation and simple rhythm. Gerritsen.

SECOND GRADE

Bible Nature.—Continued from first grade. See "Manual."

Language.—True Education Reader Series, Book II.

Industrial work.—Continued; loom weaving.

Penmanship.—Drills, continued.

Music.—Continued.

THIRD GRADE

Bible Nature.—Oral work continued. See "Manual."

Language.—True Education Reader Series, Book III.

Industrial work.—Continued; raffia.

Penmanship.—Continued.

Music.—Continued.

FOURTH GRADE

Bible.—McKibben's Bible Lessons, Book I.

1st term—to page 140.

2nd term—book completed.

Nature.—Bible Nature Series, Book I—Note-book in hands of teacher.

1st term—to chap. 10, lesson 91, omitting chap. 6.

2nd term—chap. 6 and book completed.

Language.—True Education Reader Series, Book IV.

1st term—to page 184.

2nd term—book completed.

Arithmetic.—Milne's Elementary.

1st term—Addition, subtraction, and simple multiplication.

2nd term—Four fundamentals and long division.

Penmanship.—Continued.

Industrial work.—Cardboard work, paper work.

Music.—Sight singing.

FIFTH GRADE

Bible.—Bible Lessons, Book II.

1st term—pages 17 to 155.

2nd term—book completed.

Nature.—Bible Nature Series, Book II.

1st term—to chap. 8, page 236.

2nd term—book completed.

Language.—True Education Reader Series, Book V.

1st term—to page 218.

2nd term—book completed.

Arithmetic.—Milne's Elementary.

1st term—review first 137 pages, and to page 162.

2nd term—book completed.

Industrial work.—Basket weaving.

Canvassers' Reports

Virginia, Week Ending July 26, 1912

Name	Place	Book	Days	Hrs	Ords	Value	Helps	Total	Del
W. Eekhout, Portsmouth		PPF	57		6	10 00	50	10 50	21 50
C. E. Overstreet, Keller		BR	26						131 00
J. Hottel, New Market		PPF	132	75	115	00	8 75	123 75	70 50
C. Painter, Stanley		PPF	89	39	65	00	3 00	68 00	175 00
K. Oertley, Wytheville		GC	20			3 00	4 00	7 00	
L. Overstreet, Keller		PPF	22						129 75
B. Hamm, Geer		GC	40	2	6	00	4 50	10 50	6 75
S. Christian, Richmond		CS	24	9	14	25	3 00	17 25	
F. Nixon, Richmond		CS	7	8	3	00	50	3 50	1 50
M. Jemerson, Richmond		CS	3				25	25	1 45
R. Graves, Richmond			14			1 75		1 75	6 05
Totals			434	139	218	00	\$24 50	\$242 50	\$543 50

East Pennsylvania, Week Ending August 3, 1912

H. Goodrich, Wayne Co.	GC	30	24	81	00	3 00	84 00		
F. Williams, Lebanon Co.	GC	48	13	39	00	12 50	51 50		1 10
R. Morris, York Co.	GC	42	11	36	00		36 00		
W. Hess, Franklin	GC	25	8	21	50	11 25	32 75		33 50
C. Bell, Dauphin Co.	GC	42	7	18	00	2 75	20 75		
G. Swingle, Dauphin Co.	GC	1	2	5	00		5 00		
A. R. Sherman, Dauphin Co.	GC	23	1	3	00		3 00		160 00
Mrs. R. Morris, York Co.	PG	34	12	37	00	14 25	51 25		
H. Baumgartner, Lebanon	PG	49	15	46	00	1 00	47 00		1 00
E. Sterner, Lebanon	PPF	49	20	30	00	1 50	31 50		1 50
J. L. Smith, Adams Co.	HM	40	5	11	50	3 95	15 45		1 70
Minnie Gerhart, Northamp.	CK	44	24	39	50	6 70	46 20		1 50
Irma Gerhart, Northamp.	CK	44	22	34	00	6 20	40 20		6 20
Josephine Bauerlein, Newb'y	CK	19	14	22	50		22 50		14 00
Daisy Ott, Newberry	CK	17	7	10	50	1 75	12 25		14 75
Mrs. M. Schmitt, Phila.	CK	13	7	11	00		11 00		
Irma Baus, Lebanon	CK	2	1	1	50		1 50		
Nora Gibbons, Chester	CK	12				2 40	2 40		6 60
Ruth Sterner, Bucks Co.		36	28	13	85		13 85		
Totals			610	221	\$460 85	\$67 25	\$528 10		235 25

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Sadie Detwiler, Phila.	W	5	31	222			22 20		
F. J. Detwiler, Phila.	W	5	42	174			17 40		
Hellen Schultz, Phila.	W	6	34	248			24 80		
J. L. Gerhart, Reading	S	4	32	167			16 70		
Harriet Snyder, Phila.	LH		20	100			10 00		
P. Steely, Reading	YI	5	31	62			6 20		
Mrs. W. Sleep, E. Stroudsburg			7	9			9 00		
Totals			25	197	982		\$98 20		

West Virginia, Week Ending August 2, 1912

Madge Miller, Weston	GC	5	42	18	60	00	24 00	84 00	1 00
Hazel Leach, Weston	PG	5	47	14	47	00	18 50	65 50	1 50
Clara Pettit, Sistersville	PG	4	40	12	36	00	1 50	37 50	
L. & L. Neptune, Lewis Co.	CK	4	36	34	54	50	2 80	57 30	2 80
Guy Corder, Charleston	CK	4	29		53	50	15 00	68 50	
H. Forsythe, Charleston	CK	7	61		129	00		129 00	
Louis Riess, Romney	BF	9	86		18	00	75	18 75	11 25
W. McElphatrk, Nicholas Co.	DR	4	28		26	00	11 00	37 00	5 25
T. M. Butler, Morgantown	GC								146 50
Lily Schar,	Mag.					17 90		17 90	17 90
Totals			42	369	78	\$441 90	\$73 55	\$515 45	186 20

Chesapeake, Week Ending August 2, 1912

J. Jones, New Ark, Md.	GC	5	44	8	25	00	25 65	50 65	
H. Britton, Odessa, Del.	GC	5	33	9	28	00	7 50	35 50	72 75
D. Percy, Caroline Co., Md.	DA		34		19	00		19 00	100 00
G. Lawrence, Cecil Co., Md.	DR	5	47	30	45	00	10 60	55 60	
J. Paden, Washington Co., Md.	BR	2	15	2	7	00	4 00	11 00	
B. Martin, Wilmington, Del.	PPF	6	28	6	12	50	3 75	16 25	

G. Lehman, Fred'ck Co., Md. PPF	4	30	9	16 00	3 00	19 00	1 50
W. Nelson, Frederick Co., Md. PPF	5	41	41	79 50	15 00	94 50	3 00
C. Gibbs, Howard Co., Md. CK	4	29	6	12 00	41 75	53 75	
T. Barritt, Baltimore Co., Md. CK	5	37	45	73 50	21 00	94 50	6 75
H. Richards, Tarrytown, Md. CK	2	20					63 50
J. Melvin, Kent Co., Del. CK	5		7	10 50	2 25	12 75	13 50
Totals	48	359	163	\$328 00	\$134 50	\$462 50	261 00

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C. Gibbs, LH		31		3 10
B. Martin, LH		33		3 30
Totals		64		6 40

New Jersey, Week Ending August 2, 1912

A. S. Samuels, Newark GA	5	38	67	26 50		26 50	15 50
A. Dennis, Woodstown PG		20	6	18 00		18 00	17 00
G. Holman, Woodstown PG	3	24	9	30 00		30 00	
Emma Krebs, Woodstown PG	5	29	6	18 00	3 00	21 00	
W. Fink, Warren Co. BR	5	49	1	3 00		3 00	
Eva Morton, Gendora GA	3	12	25	6 25		6 25	
Wm. Schmidt, Elizabeth GC	4	21	10	35 00		35 00	46 50
R. D. Stagg, Barnegat PPF	4	26	20	32 00	1 50	33 50	2 00
C. Beach, Bergen Co. PPF	4	21	4	6 00		6 00	
L. Cruickshanks, Plainfield DR	5	30	17	55 00	1 00	56 00	
P. Waer, Rockaway BR	4	37	9	26 00	1 75	27 75	
*A. S. Samuel, Newark GA	5	45	89	36 25		36 25	26 26
Eva Morton, Blackwood GA	6	32	77	19 25		19 25	
Totals	53	384	340	\$311 25	\$7 25	\$318 50	\$107 26

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Mary Sandborn		490		49 00
Mrs. Job, Paterson		33		3 30
Florence Kneeland, Jersey City		54		5 40
Wm. Schmidt, Cranford		57		5 70
Totals		634		\$63 40

West Pennsylvania, Week Ending August 2, 1912

Leah Bainbr'ge, Westmoreland PPF	4	19	4	8 00	2 75	10 75	2 75
A. Davies, Allegheny CK	5	36	35	52 50	6 25	58 75	3 50
E. French, Somerset PPF	5	40	18	28 00	1 80	29 80	1 80
Lucy Gabriel, Westmoreland PPF	4	24	3	6 60	3 60	10 20	
Floy Humphrey, " PPF	4	30	4	8 50	5 35	13 85	3 85
Eva Jenks, Elk CK	1			30 00		30 00	30 00
*Evelyn Jobs, Westmoreland PPF	7	28	1	25 50	8 40	33 90	
J. Kimmel, Somerset PPF	5	34	5	8 00	1 60	9 60	48 25
*Celestia Midkiff, Westmoreland PPF	8	53	14	36 00	12 85	48 85	7 05
J. Perkins, Allegheny CK	5	36	21	34 00	6 50	40 50	2 25
*Anna Saxton, Westmoreland PPF	10	53	13	22 50	6 70	29 20	9 30
Totals	58	353	118	\$259 60	\$55 80	\$315 40	\$108 75

Ohio, Week Ending August 2, 1912

J. Schick, Summit Co. GC	5	35	14	40 00	20 00	60 00	7 50
L. H. Waters, Hardin Co. CK	5	45	32	48 50	2 00	50 50	1 00
J. Reichenbach, Montgomery Co. BR	4	38	6	19 00	23 50	42 50	
Juanita Gibson, Hardin Co. GC	4	25	3	10 00	7 70	17 70	
C. Reichenbach, Geauga Co. CK	3	18	10	16 00		16 00	
Elizabeth Miller, Clark Co. COL	3	11	8	10 00	4 00	14 00	
J. Weldy, Preble Co. DR	3	14	2	6 00		6 00	
Ray Corder, Greene Co. GC	4	40					183 85
H. Bisel, Greene Co. GC	5	40	2	8 00		8 00	107 00
J. Smith, Greene Co. GC	3	23					105 25
I. Tait, Wayne Co. BF	2	12					27 50
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Those expecting to attend the camp-meeting will be glad to learn that Elder Meade MacGuire, who has been recently elected as Secretary of the General Conference Young People's Department, will be present to assist in the young people's work. Elder MacGuire has had a broad experience in this line of work.

Elder W. E. Bidwell spent August 1-6 with the church at New Philadelphia. Daily services were held, as well as quarterly meeting, and two adults were baptized. The progress of the church is encouraging.

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OBITUARIES

POTTS.—William Potts was born in Miami County, June 30, 1829 and died in St. Marys, Ohio, July 30, 1912, aged 83 years, and one month. He was married, sixty years ago, to Nancy Ralston; eleven children were borne of this union. Mrs. Potts and three children died a number of years ago, and Brother Potts later married Mrs. Eliza Maxwell, who with one brother, eight children, twenty-six grand-children, fifteen great-grand-children, and one great-great-grandchild, is left to mourn. Twenty-nine years ago he accepted the third angel's message, and he has lived a consistent, Christian life. The community has lost a citizen tried and proved, while the church has lost a father in Israel. A large audience filled the church, and later stood by the open grave, many weeping for the one so kind and good, whose words of encouragement are no longer heard, but he died firm in the faith, and we trust that he will come forth in the resurrection of the just. The discourse was based on Psalms 116:15. JOHN FRANCIS OLMSTED.

BURTNETT.—Georgia Estella Burtnett, nee Byland, was born December 26, 1876, in East Liverpool, Ohio, and fell peacefully asleep in Jesus, July 30, 1912, at her home near Glenfield, Pa., aged 35 years, 7 months, and 4 days. The nature of her disease was enlargement of the heart and dropsy. She had been a sufferer for some time, but several months ago, growing worse, she was removed to the Allegheny General Hospital. The physicians there gave her no encouragement. She remained there, however, for several weeks, when she was taken home to spend her last days with her loved ones. Three years ago she gave her heart to God, was baptized, and united with the Alliance Seventh-day Adventist church. When later she moved to Pennsylvania she was taken into the Allegheny church, where she remained faithful until death. The writer visited her often when at the hospital, and found her cheerful and hopeful, trusting in the Lord in whom she had her peace. Her last testimony was that she was not afraid to die, but was prepared and ready to meet her God. She leaves to mourn her loss, a husband, four children, a brother and sister and relatives and friends. Funeral services were held at the house and words of comfort were spoken by the writer from Job 19:25, 26. The body was sent to East Liverpool and interment was made in the Pleasant View cemetery, from whence she will arise to meet her Redeemer in that day when all the saints shall arise. JOHN P. GAEDE.