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"THEY REHEARSED ALL THINGS THAT GOD HAD DONE WITH THEM"

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The Student Canvassers' Work

It is a great source of satisfaction for us to see the splendid reports appearing from week to week in the VISITOR of the work done by the student canvassers. We read them with greatest interest before we read the other matter of the paper. The two columns noticed are those listed "Hours" and "Total", and we find that the larger the number of hours, the greater the total value of sales. It seems to us that there are three requisites to the successful canvasser,—conviction, consecra-

tion, and industry. If one is convicted that he is handling literature containing the truth, and if he himself is full of enthusiasm because that truth has possession of him; if he is willing to give himself to the promotion of that truth (and this means much for us these hot summer days); and if he keeps constantly employed, success will mark his endeavors.

God's blessings attend the work of the consecrated canvasser. We have never been privileged to see such gratifying records made. The success in this work means success to our schools, publishing houses, tract societies and, above all, an opportunity for many to become acquainted with the truth for this time. God is preparing the people to receive the

truth and he is preparing his people for the responsibility and privilege of giving it. He has surely blessed us with splendid literature and now he is prospering us in our work.

If there are young people in the Columbia Union Conference, readers of this article and of the reports from the student canvassers, who desire an education, we wish to call their attention anew to the scholarship plan. Briefly, it is this: you sell \$275.00 of our literature and turn all the money into your conference treasury and your treasurer will give you a credit on either of our training schools—Washington Missionary College, Takoma Park Station, Washington, D.C. or Mount Vernon Academy, Mount



Canvassers' Band

Vernon, Ohio—which will entitle you to one year's schooling. You need but to glance at the reports of those who are already in the field to see that is possible for you to do what they are doing, secure a scholarship in a few weeks. Experience has demonstrated that the canvassing work is the best means of securing an education in our schools and an experience that will fit one for future responsibilities, as most of our leaders have had much canvassing experience.

Write to your own tract society or to the above mentioned schools for full information and directions.

E. G. SALISBURY.

To pray well is the better half of study.
—Martin Luther.

Does It Pay

As I have recently been made aware of young men and young ladies who have just lately been called to positions of responsibility in the work, whom I knew only a few years ago as students in church schools, and intermediate schools, it makes me realize as never before the value of our educational work. Many of these young persons, a few years ago, seemed not very promising and appeared to have but little love for the work of God and the truth for this time. To see such persons experience a change in those respects, and trained to a point of efficiency makes us realize that our educational work

occupies a vital place in this great movement. It pays to place our boys and girls in our church schools and intermediate schools and colleges which are in our midst.

To do this, in many cases, sacrifices are called for and much earnest, faithful planning is needed. I believe that there are many of our young people today who are not receiving the encouragement and help

from their parents that they should to enter our schools. There are two classes. One class has manifested great faithfulness in this respect, and there has been a tendency to go even too far sometimes in making ill-advised moves in endeavoring to provide educational advantages. I feel that our people should move carefully and wisely in the urgency of the calls that come and the requirements of the hour and not take a course to bring on discouragement or decided financial embarrassment.

The other class I have in mind represents the other extreme. To such parents and young people I most earnestly appeal. Do not allow anything to stand in the way of those who should and may be in our schools of enjoying that privilege.

If all our parents and their sons and daughters appreciated the importance of this matter, without question, our academy at Mount Vernon would be filled to its utmost at its opening next fall. There is a great advantage in planning early for this work and having all arrangements made for entering the school at the beginning.

There are many attractive offers in the way of financial investments in these times, but there certainly can be no wiser or no better investment made by Seventh-day Adventist fathers and mothers than that required in helping their boys and girls secure the education that they may in our splendid institutions of learning.

E. K. SLADE.

Zanesville

We are pleased to say that the Lord is still blessing the efforts being put forth here to extend His kingdom. The writer had the privilege of burying three precious souls in the watery grave a few weeks ago, who had previously united with the church.

Others who are keeping the Sabbath we hope soon to see follow the example of these.

Some of the best homes in the city have opened their doors for the servant of the Lord to enter. One banker and his family make me as welcome as any home I have ever entered.

I have sold a great many of our books to lawyers, merchants, doctors, street car men, editors, city officials, and judges of the court. Most of the profits from these books sold go to help pay the debt on our new church.

T. H. HENDERSON.

Columbus

On Sabbath, June 20, baptismal services were conducted at Alum Creek in the eastern part of the city. Twenty persons were baptized.

On the following Sabbath, June 27, fourteen of these were received into membership by the Columbus church.

These souls are the product of the combined labors of conference workers engaged in this city, including three Bible workers, Sisters Ida Walters, Anna E. Smith, Hortense Howell, and the church school teacher, Sister Goldie Hixon, aided by the co-operation of the members of the Columbus church.

Another baptismal service is planned to take place before camp-meeting time.

We all rejoice together to see the work moving forward in this part of the field.

H. A. WEAVER.

News Notes.

Elder E. K. Slade spent Sabbath, July 11, with the Mount Vernon church, at which time the quarterly services were held.

A few of the quarterly reports from our churches are still missing and the report of the conference to the general secretary is thus delayed. Is yours among the number?

Elder C. W. Weber has closed his effort at Sandusky and the tent outfit has been received and stored at the conference storehouse. There are a few interested ones and the work is being followed up by Brother Schell, our German Bible worker.

Brother H. O. Kohr reports some interesting experiences. He writes: "We had very hilly territory to canvass this week. On Tuesday we met a family of four sisters who ordered a full morocco book.

We canvassed one lady who felt she was not able to order the book. After we left, she telephoned to the house ahead of us and when we arrived, she ordered the book over the telephone stating that she felt she ought to take it.

OHIO TITHE RECEIPTS JUNE, 1914

Akron	84 62
Alliance	3 70
*Barnesville	26 60
Bellville	4 44
Bellefontaine	
*Broughton	4 60
Bowling Green	59 12
*Bucyrus	3 28
Camden	71 98
Canaan	15 10
Canton	53 26
Chagrin Falls	102 11
Charloe	4 18
Chillicothe	
Cincinnati	276 13
" Colored	27 55
Cleveland Eng.	302 65
Cleveland German	92 98
Clyde	59 01
Columbus	1018 52
Conneaut	12 40
Corsica	75 31
Coshocton	14 00
Dayton	52 46
Defiance	9 63
Delaware	1 50
Delta	282 79
Derwent	8 20
Dowling	
Dunkirk	
East Liverpool	29 40

Elgin	67 32
Findlay	10 65
Gilboa	
Hamler	
Hamilton	36 84
Hicksville	26 46
*Jackson	
Jefferson	
Killbuck	
LaGrange	102 13
*Lakeville	
Lakeview	28 75
Liberty Center	2 23
Laura	5 23
Lima	
Locust Point	
Leesburg	
Mansfield	33 06
Marion	33 67
Marshfield	9 65
Medina	4 00
Mendon	
Mount Vernon	371 39
Newark	
Norwalk	31 60
New Philadelphia	46 02
Nova	6 80
Ohio City	7 55
Piqua	60 67
Pleasant Hill	19 78
Powell	
Ravenna	42 86
*Reedsville	
Rows	
Sandusky	30 82
Spencer	36 83
Springfield	
Toledo	106 71
Van Wert	12 38
Walnut Grove	
Washington C. H.	
Waterford	35 18
Wilmington	9 44
West Mansfield	9 00
Wheelersburg	67 83
Youngstown	125 75
Zanesville	59 82
Individuals	83 12

TOTAL 4219 06

*Companies

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TOTAL RECEIPTS, ALL SOURCES

JUNE, 1914

Tithe	4219 06
Tract Society	1428 61
Office Expense	4 00
City Work	110 79
Tent Fund	4 00
Sabbath-school Donations	1094 87
Missions	177 86
Harvest Ingathering	3 00
Religious Liberty	4 02
Annual Offerings	
Weekly Mission Offering	69 24
Mount Vernon College Fund	9 75
Colored Work	1 40

Refund Labor Expense .....	....
Ministry of Healing .....	....
Loma Linda .....	....
Orphans and Aged .....	....
Clinton Seminary .....	....
Tent and Hall Collections	3 65
Expense Refund .....	....
Mid-summer Offering	23 96
Ingathering Missions .....	....
Mission Literature .....	....
China	9 90
Washington College	5 00
Cleveland German Church	23 00

TOTAL \$7192 11

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Organization Ammunition

Our great home missionary campaign is daily taking more definite shape and there is a deepening conviction and a growing interest in this great soul-winning movement.

The definite date when it should begin was set by the North American Division Conference at its spring council held at Loma Linda. Think of it, brethren and sisters, the finishing of the work is our high privilege. To the end that the very best results may be obtained, it was planned that every church be organized into missionary bands with suitable leaders. Wherever the churches have, say over twenty members, it is hoped that small bands, though each a part of the general society, will be formed, with leaders for each, so that each line will receive full consideration.

Since the first of June it has been my privilege to attend eight camp-meetings, and I am happy to say that I found a noble response on the part of all our people. They appreciate the value of our truth filled literature, and are ready for service. What a harvest there will be when all get to work for God. Brethren we can reach God's standard, a thousand times more than we are now doing.

It is not necessary for me to outline the various phases of the work, for these will press in upon us as we take

up the very simplest lines to begin with. There are several things that I would particularly urge at this time. First, get organized just as quickly as possible. Begin to study plans and get ready for soul-winning work. We shall need to give particular attention to securing the clubs of the home missionary series of the *Signs of the Times* weekly. The goal is set for at least two copies a member. This soul-winning agency is going to play a very important part in enabling us to win at least one soul each for Christ. The six months series rate will be 60 cents to our people. As far as possible, would it not be well to secure these orders at the time of our fourth Sabbath missionary service?

You are doubtless aware that the Pacific Press Publishing Association has arranged to give to our foreign mission work the entire net gain on the *Signs* weekly. Each conference is to benefit in this according to the number of papers handled. This certainly is a very generous offer. By placing the orders thus early we shall be able to assist the publishers very materially in their plans, and at the same time be sure of receiving our club beginning with the very first issue of the campaign series.

I feel very anxious that we shall sell this bright paper, rather than give it away. It will cost us less than two and one half cents, and sells for five cents. We shall need funds with which to carry forward our tract work and from the very beginning it should be our policy to shun debt. If we start right we shall have no difficulty in this respect.

Be sure to take an offering at the regular fourth Sabbath missionary service for this purpose as well as a regular offering at the mid-week missionary meeting. The handling of large clubs of magazines will be a great help in the finances. Keep everything even so that every energy of every member at every meeting and at all times can be fully devoted to the one great end, the saving of the lost. Let there be earnest seasons of prayer that the fulness of divine power may attend every effort, and glorious will be the results.

We are very anxious to get in touch with every worker. Be sure to pass along every item of interest. Let no one fail to report. The wise man says, "A good report maketh the bones fat." Let faith play a very important part, for by it the workers will obtain a good report.

F. W. PAAP,
*Home Missionary Secretary,
North American Division.*

Our Goals

It has been demonstrated over and over again in the Lord's work, that when some great undertaking came before his people, and they responded, there was some purpose, aim or object in the minds of those who moved forward to advance God's plan, for the saving of the lost. It should be just as true to-day, when the last message is going to all the world.

The Chesapeake conference has five goals as follows: (1) \$12,000 in tithes, (2) \$15,000 literature sales, (3) our full quota of 29 cents a week per member, (4) 200 souls for Christ, and (5) \$250.00 for missions from our missionary volunteers. We must reach these goals by January 1, 1915. Time is rapidly passing by and we ought to be busy with these lines of work. Let each one stop long enough to consider how he stands with reference to each goal, and then do as the spirit impresses him.

We are fairly on the way to reach the goals mentioned, but we are not there, so let every church member work and pray for help to meet what is only our reasonable service, and it will be accomplished. Let both young and old try.

ROSCOE T. BAER.

Baltimore

We are glad to report the manifold blessings of the Lord in this field, for we have seen his wonderful leading during the past winter and spring in a marked degree. It would take much time and space to tell the good things that the Lord has done for us, but a few experiences will show that he is with us and we know he will be till the end. There are many honest in heart in this city whose homes we could not enter to give studies, so we organized a Bible school which met in the basement of the church every Monday night. We had about fifteen in the class who quickly comprehended the lessons, and from that school we have six who are awaiting baptism, and one, who had been in the church some time, is now in the Bible work in another field. We are sure that they will do good work for the Master. But to the special leading of the Lord we will relate some incidents which have strengthened our confidence in the Lord. It was voted by the conference that we should erect a tent in the city of Baltimore to strengthen the colored work. We searched for a lot but none could be rented at any price except one that we had used four years ago, and it had a high bill board in front of it that shut off the view of

the tent. The owners of the lot wanted thirty dollars a month for it. We began to feel that we would not be able to erect a tent again this summer. After much prayer the lot was secured for half the price asked and the bill post manager agreed to take down enough of the sign to give our work publicity. Then to give our work a good news paper setting, the editor of one of the colored papers freely offered us as much space as we needed to outline our work and doctrines. We are positive that the Lord is in the effort for this summer.

The first night the services began, a good interest was awakened; and the first week brought to us exceptionally large crowds. The Lord has gone before and told the people of the Sabbath truth, and five already are arranging to fully obey the Word, four of whom were out to the Sabbath service today. Our tent has been up one week.

While we were waiting for the hour of service one evening, a man neatly dressed came into the tent and said that he would like to relate a dream that he had about two weeks ago. He said that in his dream he saw a woman being led out into the water, and as she stopped, seemingly from her collar, he saw chairs and a cotton church, and all the things were put together ready for a church service. He heard someone say to him, "This is the place where the truth is being preached." This man, who for some time had found that the Bible and popular teachings conflicted, wondered what this dream could mean but in a week, as he passed by our tent, his dream came to his mind. When he told a friend about it, the friend told him that in the tent he would find God's people. This same man already believes the Sabbath truth, and it seems to us as if it were one way that the Lord had of directing this honest heart to the message for this time. We are encouraged to work this year as we have never worked before, and we ask the prayers of all for the success of our work. Our hopes are good for the doubling of the membership in this place.

GUSTAVUS P. RODGERS.

News Notes

A little daughter was born to Elder and Mrs. Baer, on July 10.

Let us pray for our faithful seed-sowers during these hot days, and that the Lord may water the seed sown, and give these workers stars in their crowns.

A Home Missionary convention was held in Baltimore last Sabbath. One is planned for July 18, at Fords Store, Maryland.

Brother R. W. Constable says, "I am thankful for the experiences received in the field, and hope for greater success next week."

Brother O. C. Weller says, "I felt as if you were all praying for me, as I had such a good delivery. The Lord greatly blessed. I only lost one order and had one book postponed."

Brother L. E. Froon says the interest in the work at Cambridge continues. Some opposition to his work is being raised, but he says this will only help the work instead of hindering it.

Some of the clocks in the Chesapeake conference are keeping excellent time, some are going very fast, and others need repairing very badly, as they are running very slow. Keep correct time.

Word comes to us from the tent effort at Frederick, Maryland, under the supervision of Elder S. T. Shadel, that although the attendance is not so large the interest is good. The Eagles had a meeting in that city last week and this spoiled the attendance.

Brother G. P. Rodgers and Elder F. H. Seeney report excellent meetings in Baltimore. They have had an attendance of from two to three hundred people. Several have already expressed their determination to keep the Sabbath.

Brother G. R. Apsley says, "This has been the banner week with me for canvassing. I had to deliver two of the books the day after I took the order for them, as the people were so anxious to get them to read. I was inclined to pass by a home because I was told they had a cross dog. But I secured an order for a Daniel and Revelation and also for a Bible, thus proving that we should not allow anything to frighten us away from the homes of the people. One gentleman said he could not afford to take the book, although he seemed impressed with it, but later I met him on the road, and he said that he had been thinking of me ever since I had given him the exhibition, and he gave me his order."

Elder R. T. Baer spent last Sabbath with the church at Cheswold, Delaware. He reports a good meeting.

Brother J. E. Jones is suffering again from boils on his neck and was unable to work the latter part of last week.

Brother J. H. Wierst baptized four precious souls, in the church at Baltimore, last Sabbath. Others are interested and almost ready for baptism. The German church is negotiating for a building, in order that they may have a church home.

Professor W. W. Prescott spoke to a large and appreciative audience of Orangemen in the Wilmington church last Sunday morning. In the evening Elder R. H. Martin began a series of meetings in the church for the benefit of the public.

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News Notes

Elder S. B. Horton met with the Arlington church, Sabbath. His visit was much appreciated by all.

Elder R. E. Harter, went to Belmont Park, Virginia, July 14, to visit Brother A. J. Bristol, Brother Conger and wife, where they are conducting a tent effort. They have quite an interest aroused at that place, and the same people are attending the meetings right along.

A lady who has been working in the office, Miss Flippen, started out the other day to sell magazines. She sold over thirty the first day, and reported at the office the next morning for thirty-five more. She had some good experiences to relate, and we are wondering if there are not others who would like to take up this good work. The August *Watchman* is an excellent number; also the *Life and Health*, and *Protestant*. We would be glad to hear from any who are interested in the magazine work.

Elder R. T. Dowsett visited the Mt. Rainier church Sabbath, and spoke to them. His discourse was a great help and encouragement to all present. It was his first visit to that church, and they extend to him an invitation to return and speak to them again.

We take the following note from a letter of Brother J. W. Thompson: "Notwithstanding the many difficulties the Lord is greatly blessing the work at this place. Many of the people are interested in the message. I am holding readings in one house every Sunday night now, and the house is crowded. The people invite me to their homes to study the truth with them. The school teacher and her husband are interested. I am praying for a rich harvest."

Washington Sanitarium Notes

Two prominent clergymen of Washington have been patients the past few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Bryan were among recent distinguished guests at the Takoma Park sanitarium.

The wife of Commander Bassett, U. S. N. has been with us a number of weeks and is much improved.

A man in high governmental position has been greatly benefited by the treatments and is now an earnest advocate of health reform and of the sanitarium system of healing.

The treatment rooms in the city not only lead counselors, statesmen, and others of great influence, to an acquaintance with the Takoma Park sanitarium, but many who cannot take the time to visit the sanitarium are taught concerning the truth in the city Branch.

The opportunities and experiences at the Branch sanitarium show clearly the wisdom of maintaining treatment rooms in the city. We trust that all Seventh-day Adventist workers recognize the value of medical missionary work and its importance as an instrument of the church.

Dr. Miller lectures Monday evenings in Washington at the tent in charge of Elder R. E. Harter. The evening of July 6, he spoke to a large audience on "Race Degeneracy." Next week the subject will be "Health,

its relation to morals." In the gospel message the medical and evangelical truths are united. The third angel's message embraces all reform involving faith, repentance and obedience toward God.

We are called to deeper consecration and greater efficiency. We wish to respond so that this work may be carried on effectively under the Lord's blessing as soul winning effort. We desire our own people and people of the world who come here may be greatly benefited every way.

A wholesale liquor dealer and a retired tobacco manufacturer are regular patrons. Some time ago the tobacco man was converted on the tobacco question and closed up his large plant. He is now using his influence to turn men from the poison. The liquor man is reading our denominational temperance literature.

The Branch sanitarium has been doing a good work. More than twelve hundred bath-room treatments have been given the past six months. This does not include the treatments given to house patients. A large number of the patrons have been prominent persons. Among them were chief justices, senators, representatives, government officials and others of high civil and religious positions.

Recently a contractor of large buildings employing non-union men, and the secretary of the labor union were receiving treatment at the same time. In the discussion of their difficulties opportunity was given the attendant to state the views of Seventh-day Adventists concerning the question of capital and labor. The same day a senator wished to know our views concerning the religious element in politics.

Every Missionary Volunteer in the North American Division Conference during 1914 should:

1. Observe the Morning Watch.
2. Strive earnestly to lead at least one person to Christ.
3. Study for Standard of Attainment membership.
4. Be a Reading Course member.
5. Give \$2.50 for foreign missions through the Missionary Volunteer organization.

Are you doing this? Are you saying with hundreds of other young people "We can do it and we will?"

A Food Factory to Close

As we have decided to close out our food business as soon as possible we are offering special inducements to purchasers for the next sixty days, or until our stock is sold. If you are at all interested in health foods at low prices drop us a card giving your address and we will be glad to send you our latest circular and price-list. The circular gives some inside history that will be of interest whether you want to order foods or not. It will cost you only the price of a postal card.

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News Notes

Mr. E. R. Corder who has been working Mingo County with "Christ's Object Lessons" has been successful in selling \$502.50 in 197 hours.

Sister Charlotte Thirlwell and her grandson, Thomas Robbins, are spending a few days with her son at Clarksburg, who is connected with the tent effort at that place.

Mr. D. E. H. Lindsey, who has been canvassing in Upshur county, called at the office last week on his way to Morgantown where he will continue his work in Monongalia county. We are pleased to have the canvassers call on us.

Miss Marie Snider of Huntington writes: "I have had some very pleasant experiences this week. I met a man who was very deeply interested in my book. When I had well started my canvass he asked me what denomination published the book, also what denomination I belonged to. When I told him he turned to the library and pointed to his four Seventh-day Adventist books and said, 'Those are the best books ever published.' He believes the truth but does not keep it. My earnest prayer is that these honest souls may soon take their stand for truth."

In a month from the time this paper reaches you our camp-meeting will be in session in Parkersburg. We hope that all are planning to attend this important gathering to share the blessings that await God's people who come earnestly seeking him. Further notice will be given with reference to details.

Word comes from Elder Baierle of Parkersburg, that an excellent interest is still shown at his tent meetings. The Sabbath question was first presented last Sunday evening and we will soon know how deep the interest is. We trust that many will take there stand for the message of this time.

Miss Clara Wood, who is canvassing in Kanawha county writes: "I have had some of the best experiences this last week I have ever had while canvassing, so I indeed feel grateful to the Lord for the blessings of the week. Two sisters are very much interested in this message. One says she is going to study carefully, and if the Sabbath (Saturday) is right, she is going to keep it. Pray for her and also for her sister and family."

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News Notes

L. L. French reports still a good interest at Rileyville, and souls are deciding for the truth.

Miss Harriet Damon, of New York State, is located in Richmond for the present, following her vocation as nurse.

We are glad Elder R. D. Hottell of New Market, who was injured quite bad recently, is able to sit up part of the time.

Elder W. J. Stone with his family left Richmond for Indiana, their former home, this past week. It has been a busy time in packing up and getting away. The best wishes of the brethren and sisters of Virginia follow them to their new home.

Canvassers' Reports

West Virginia, Week Ending July 10, 1914

Name	Place	Book	Days	Hrs	Ords	Value	Helps	Total	Del
Cecil Ross, Ritchie Co.	PPF	5	56	30	60 50	3 75	64 25		
W. H. Wilcox, Marion Co.	PPF	5	52	26	50 75	4 25	55 00	3 75	
T. M. Butler, Marion Co.	PPF	5	52	18	33 00	2 60	35 60	1 60	
W. A. McElphatrick, Lewis Co.	GC	5	50	6	19 00	12 30	31 30	6 75	
E. R. Corder, Mingo Co.	COL	5	45	130	195 00	7 20	202 20		
John McHenry, Pleasants Co.	BF	5	45	36	62 50	16 50	79 00		
F. R. Kellam, Mingo Co.	CK	5	44	93	140 00	5 50	145 50		
Zella Schmaltz, Monongalia Co.	BR	4	40	31	101 00	2 00	103 00	2 00	
Madge Miller, Brooke Co.	BR	5	40	27	88 00	7 00	95 00		
Marie Snider, Cabell Co.	BR	4	40	15	45 00	2 50	47 50	1 00	
Clara Pettit, Cabell Co.	GC	4	38	16	48 00	5 50	53 50		
D. E. H. Lindsey, Upshur Co.	BR	4	36	9	35 00	15 20	50 20	4 20	
W. A. Woolgar, Monongalia Co.	BR	4	35	13	39 00	1 10	40 10		
Clara Wood, Kanawha Co.	BR	4	34	9	29 00	2 50	31 50		
C. Morris, Upshur Co.	BR	4	31	16	48 00	2 25	50 25	75	
Mary Rice, Wetzel Co.	BR	3	22	12	39 50	50	39 50		
Elsie Carter, Hancock Co.	BR	3	18	12	41 00		41 00		
Totals	17 Agents		74	658	\$1073 75	\$90 65	\$1164 40	\$20 05	

Ohio, Week Ending July 10, 1914

A. L. Bassler, Newark	GC	5	55	13	39 00	7 30	46 30	2 80	
C. B. Keppler, Butler Co.	DR	6	53	7	21 00	1 50	22 50		
J. L. Sauder, Ravenna	ES	5	51	12	40 00	17 75	57 75	2 25	
H. O. Kohr, Richland Co.	DR	5	49	28	87 00	5 75	92 75		
G. M. Scott, Delaware, Co.	GC	5	49	3	10 00	9 30	19 30	60	
W. A. Hammond, Tuscarawas Co.	ES	5	47	12	38 00	7 35	45 35	1 85	
W. Syphers, Ross Co.	ES	5	47	7	22 00	2 25	24 25	17 25	
Mrs. G. M. Scott, Delaware Co.	GC	5	46	6	18 00	9 70	27 70		
F. D. Wells, Delaware Co.	GC	5	44	45	147 00	20 15	167 15	6 25	
B. P. Foote, Jackson Co.	GC	5	41	8	27 00	2 25	29 25	8 00	
Joy Murphy, Wash. Co.	GC	5	41	3	9 00		9 00		
C. E. Reichenbach, Licking Co.	ES	5	40	13	44 00	60	44 60		
Rose Biederman, Defiance	BR	5	39	11	35 00	6 45	41 45		
C. G. Douglass, Akron	ES	4	37	16	56 00	24 70	81 70		
C. E. Reichenbach, Licking Co.	ES							175 26	
Lena Jackson, Muskogam Co.	GC	5	35	6	18 00		18 00		
W. H. Geisweller, Springfield	BR	4	33	13	43 00	7 60	50 60	3 00	
Lloyd Swallen, Canton	ES	6	42	1	3 00	4 45	7 45	102 40	
Agnes St. Clair, Wash. Co.	PPF	5	32	11	17 00		17 00		
Daisy Crist, Columbus	ES	5	31	10	44 00	6 20	50 20	1 50	
A. H. Conn, Cleveland	DR	5	26	5	16 00	2 00	18 00	61 10	
H. C. Dean, Lorain Co.	BR	3	25	10	37 00	2 95	39 95		
E. J. Stipeck, Warren Co.	DR	3	25	2	8 00		8 00	62 45	
L. H. Waters, Ottawa Co.	PPF	3	24	8	16 00	4 60	20 60	40	
Tillie Gabel, Cleveland	ES	4	24	3	9 00		9 00	2 00	
C. G. Douglass, Akron	ES	3	22	10	35 00	14 25	49 25		
J. H. Stafford, Lucas Co.	DR	3	19	6	21 00	75	21 75		
W. Wallace Kay, Stark Co.	ES	3	17					57 25	
L. Dunbar, Ross Co.	ES	4	41	3	9 00		9 00		
Miscellaneous		4	41	3	9 00		9 00		
Totals	27 Agents		133	1099	269	\$879 00	\$157 85	1036 85	\$504 36

East Pennsylvania, Week Ending July 10, 1914

W. P. Hess, Lancaster Co.	PPF	7	53	10	21 00	6 00	27 00		
Howard Miller, Chester Co.	PG	3	26	16	52 00		52 00		
J. R. Miles, Chester Co.	PG	4	32	9	28 00		28 00		
Denton Rebok, York Co.	BF	5	40	19	31 50		31 50		
Leo Robbins, York Co.	BF	5	40	16	24 00	75	24 75		
Beryl Amole, Reading	BF	5	19	3	4 50	75	5 25		
M. Shank, Luzerne Co.	BF	5	40	17	25 50	9 00	34 50		
Anna Gloor, Forks Co.	BF	5	46	17	52 00	50	52 00		
Erwin Gloor, Berwick	BF	3	24	7	9 50	75	10 25		
Eugene Gloor, Berwick	BF	3	24	13	20 00		20 00		
J. P. Gerhart, Union Co.								36 00	
F. Willruth, Scranton	GC							13 40	
Mrs. C. D. Wolff, Reading	BF							5 25	
Totals	13 Agents		45	232	68	\$268 00	\$17 75	\$285 75	54 65

Virginia, Week Ending July 10, 1914

John Z. Hottel, Northampt'n Co.	PPF	5	43	38	80	50	19	90	100	40
H. E. Harter, Northampt'n Co.	PPF	5	44	25	65	30	13	40	78	70
C. L. Painter, Albemarle Co.	PPF	5	40	38	62	00	4	55	66	55
C. Purdham, Crozet Co.	PPF	3	22	21	32	00	4	55	36	55
Jacob Meyer, Smithville	PPF	11	100							381 50
W. T. Weeks, Dinwiddie Co.	CK									36 80
George S. Mason, Portsmouth	COS	4	28	15	10	20		10	20	7 30
Totals	7 Agents	33	277	137	\$250 00	\$42 40	\$292 40	427	85	

MAGAZINES

F. S. Parsons	45 Hours Signs and Watchman									
	25 Yearly Subscriptions									26 00
	31 Magazines sold									3 10
Amie George	(16 Hrs.) Signs Mag.	230	Sold							23 00
										52 10

Chesapeake, Week Ending July 10, 1914

G. R. Apsley, Garrett Co.	DR	5	50	22	69	00	14	35	83	35
T. H. Barritt, Allegany Co.	DR	4	38	16	48	00	2	00	50	00
R. Bruce Martin, Wilmington	BR	5	52							199 45
G. W. Lawrence, Calvert Co.	DR	4	57							297 00
J. E. Jones, Sussex Co.	PPF	4	31	12	19	50		75	20	25
R. W. Constable, Worcester Co	PPF	5	44	17	38	00	12	50	50	50
R. B. Martin, Newcastle, Del.	BR	3	15	6	18	00	1	75	19	75
O. C. Weller, Frederick Co.	CK	2	17							59 50
Totals	8 Agents	32	295	73	\$192 50	\$31 35	\$223 85	\$557	70	

West Pennsylvania, Week Ending July 10, 1914

W. E. Barr, Venango Co.	BR	5	50	27	85	00	85	85	85	
A. Brownlee, Allegheny Co.	PPF	2	21				80	80	45	85
J. Brownlee, Clearfield Co.	PPF	5	38	25	37	00	75	37	75	1 50
Geo. Dunham, Allegheny Co.	GC	4	32	20	56	50		56	50	7 00
Chas. Dunham, Allegheny Co.	DR				20	00		20	00	40 00
T. S. Dunham, Allegheny Co.	GC	3	22	8	26	00		26	00	3 00
E. A. French, Jefferson Co.	BR	5	43	19	61	00	2	20	63	20
Fern Savely, Cambria Co.	PPF	4	28	23	41	35	3	85	45	20
J. S. Neely, Armstrong Co.	GC	5	38	13	42	00	2	25	44	25
Garnelle Rager, Cambria Co.	PPF	4	28	8	12	00	6	25	18	25
Elton Wetmore, Jefferson Co.	DR	5	43	10	32	00	13	20	45	20
Totals	11 Agents	42	343	153	\$412 85	\$30 15	\$443 00	\$98	95	

New Jersey, Week Ending July 10, 1914

L. B. Taylor, Sussex	BR	4	31	7	22	00		22	00	
J. Kennedy, Sussex	GC	5	44	15	46	00	1	60	47	60
Edward Sterner, Gloucester	PPF	11	92	14	22	00	7	00	29	00
Totals	3 Agents	20	167	36	\$90 00	\$8 60	\$98 60	\$23	20	

Grand Totals: 86 Agents Value of Orders, \$3166 10 Deliveries, \$1738 86

West Virginia Conference

Statement of Tithe and Offerings Received During First Six Months of 1914

Church	Membership	Tithe	Sabbath School Offerings	Mission Offerings	Mid Summer Harvest Ing. Annual Offerings
Berea.....	6	1 00	.....	15 00	
Clarksburg.....	10	118 20	51 52	.....	1 00
Charleston.....	33	184 64	56 74	1 00	1 00
Chester.....	8	63 06	50 69	2 97	50
Fairmont.....	22	259 96	38 44	10 05	5 00
Kanawha.....	15	47 05	6 21	1 60	25
Morgantown.....	23	201 89	21 13	2 00	1 50
Moundsville.....	12	90 46	22 72	54 96	35
Parkersburg.....	52	536 22	50 67	18 30	7 16
Walker.....	13	98 64	8 21	80	4 25
Martinsburg Co.....	6	15 76	1 30	.....	.....
Individual.....	.....	230 64	49 03	8 80	1 00
Totals.....	200	\$1852 52	\$358 66	\$115 48	\$22 01

J. S. BARROWS, Treasurer.

Miss Amie George ordered one thousand Signs magazines and nearly sold them all during the past month. It is the persistent ones who succeed in this work.

Brother L. O. Gordon was called to Big Island Wednesday to conduct the funeral of Mr. Oliver. Sister Oliver is a faithful member of the Lynchburg church, and the sympathy of all is with her during this lonely time.

W. H. George left Richmond Monday in company with Leslie Hope who will canvass in Tazewell County with S. N. Brown, an old field man, and who will be a help to Mr. Hope. Brother George will spend sometime with these, and will call at Montvale and Lynchburg where others are planning to enter the work.

Mr. Harold Harter and Mr. Clyde Purdham report some interesting experiences. Mr. Purdham worked in a vicinity which had been previously canvassed with the same book.

There are many prayers ascending in behalf of all those who are going from home to home with the truth, and we rejoice with them in their success.

We are glad to have the reports for the different departments of the work come into the office. The Sabbath-school secretaries are very prompt, as we have already received fifteen out of the twenty-one reports. We have received missionary reports from but four churches as yet, and only nine of the church clerks have sent in their quarterly report. Let these reports come in as promptly as possible, so that the work may not be delayed in getting our conference reports to the North American Division.

We wish we had room to tell you of all the good letters we have received relating experiences in placing our good books in the homes of the people. It makes us feel that the colporteur has the advantage in carrying the truth. This week Mr. John Hottel takes the lead, as he over-reaches the one hundred dollar mark. You will see by his report that he put in hours and work, but take these together with the promise of the Lord that he will be with us, and we see the result. The hours put in, are a sure thermometer of what the success will be.

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The following conference failed to send the VISITOR a report the past week.

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Academy Notes

Arrived at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Fisher, a fine baby boy, Russell Virgil, July 7. Congratulations!

Miss Ruth Murphy, who has been at the sanitarium for some time, left for her home at Trenton, New Jersey, last Sunday.

F. S. Coolen spent Sabbath and Sunday, July 11, 12, with the Academy family. He is canvassing now in Champaign county.

Miss Hazel Leach left Thursday, July 14, for Zanesville, where she will canvass. Miss Leach attended summerschool so is late in starting but we wish her success.

Miss Susie Fiske and her mother from the New England sanitarium, are visiting Professor and Mrs. Hall. They are on their way to Battle Creek, Michigan for a vacation.

Mrs. Laura Miller left Academia Tuesday, July 14. She will visit relatives in Dayton, Akron and Jefferson. She has been engaged to teach the church-school at Newark, New Jersey next year. We wish her success in her work.

Professor and Mrs. L. R. Anderson and son left Thursday, July 16. They will spend a few weeks at Mrs. Anderson's home in Ridgetown, Ontario, before leaving for their home at College View, Nebraska. Professor Anderson will teach Ancient and Modern languages at Union College next year.

Brother H. E. Sharp, writing from Singapore says:—"The prospects are bright for future conquests, especially among the Chinese and Tamils. Our church is centrally located, and at present has a membership of eighty, about twenty having been added during the past year. There are several more who have expressed a desire to unite with the church and are awaiting baptism. The Sabbath-school membership is about one hundred fifteen. We have several classes in language, for there are two or three dialects of Chinese and Tamil. Recently our church has begun to take much interest in missionary work, and has been organized into two divisions, the Church Missionary society and the

Young People's Volunteer society. Both are accomplishing a good work in distributing Chinese literature, visiting the sick, sewing for the poor, and various other things. As the result of the distribution of 1000 copies of the late Harvest Ingathering Review, \$400. was collected by the church. We are all of good courage.

Virginia Intermediate School

In reply to numerous inquiries, we wish to announce that our school year begins September 15.

The teachers are at the school, and will be pleased to receive letters or visitors, and to give any desired information.

It is the purpose of the school to give thorough work in the first ten grades, a Christian home influence, and a practical basis of education.

Our terms are reasonable, instruction thorough; and each pupil has the personal attention of the teacher.

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Some have asked about the book work in this conference. One student writes, "I sold enough for my scholarship in seventeen days, and my associate has his scholarship too."

Catalog on request.

VIRGINIA CONFERENCE SCHOOL.
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OBITUARY

SAMMONS.—Eliza Jane Russell, born July 9, 1832, in Virginia, died June 23, 1914, aged 81 years 11 months and 17 days.

She was married to William Sammons, August 30, 1849. Nine children were born to this union, six of whom are still living.

She gave her heart to the Lord in early girlhood, and spent a long life in willing service for others. Several years before her death she united with the Seventh-day Adventist church at Springfield, Ohio.

She lost her husband 30 years ago and the desire of her life was to be re-united with her husband and children in the kingdom of God.

The funeral services were conducted at the home of her son, G. A. Sammons, by the writer assisted by Rev. W. A. Cooper.

W. W. Miller.

"Take me O Lord, as wholly Thine,
I lay all my plans at thy feet.
Use me today in thy service,
Abide with me, and may all my work
Be wrought in Thee."