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### Southeastern Union Confer- ence Camp-meetings for 1912

Ga. Barnsville July 25—Aug. 4.  
S. C. Columbia Aug. 1—11  
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Fla. Ocala Oct. 3—14

#### Press On

Why haltest thou, deluded heart,  
Why waverest longer in thy choice?  
Is it so hard to choose the part  
Offered by heaven's entreating voice?  
Oh, look with clearer eyes again  
Nor strive to enter in, in vain.  
Press on!

Remember 'tis not Cæsar's throne  
Nor earthly honor, wealth, nor  
might,  
Whereby God's favor shall be shown  
To him who conquers in this fight;  
Himself and an eternity  
Of bliss and rest he offers thee.  
Press on!

Then break the rotten bonds away,  
That hinder you your race to run,  
That make you loiter on your way;  
When heavenly prizes may be won.  
Let no false rest your souls deceive,  
Up! 'tis a heaven you must achieve.  
Press on!

Omnipotence is on your side,  
And wisdom watches o'er your  
heads,  
And God himself will be your guide,  
So ye but follow where he leads;  
How many guided by his hand,  
Shall reach ere long their native land!  
Press on!

Oh, help each other, hasten on!  
Behold the goal is near at hand;  
Soon shall the battle-field be won,  
Soon shall your King before you  
stand.  
To calmest rest he leads you now,  
And sets a crown upon your brow.  
Press on!  
—Selected.

#### A Good Work

At the North Carolina camp-meet-  
ing held August 3—13, 1911, plans  
were laid whereby we might do more  
efficient work along missionary lines.  
We had felt for some time that the  
seed sown by our faithful colporters  
should be watered and cared for, so  
each colporter was asked to make a  
list of the names and addresses of  
those purchasing books from him,  
together with the name of the book.  
Nearly a year has passed since  
then, and we find this a good method  
of work. Several of our churches  
have used these names in their mis-  
sionary society work. The society  
takes a list of names and mails pap-  
ers to the persons whose names are

on the list. Letters are then written  
calling the attention of the recipient  
to some article in the paper;  
also to the books sold by the  
colporter. The *Signs* weekly, the  
*Signs* monthly, *Watchman*, *Life* and  
*Health*, and *Instructor* are used in this  
work. After sending the paper to  
one address for three weeks and no  
reply is received, the name is dropped  
and another is substituted.

As a result of this work, many  
have been supplied with good reading,  
matter, many letters have been writ-  
ten and many letters received. Those  
replying to letters written them,  
continue to receive papers as their  
names are retained on the mailing  
list. Several have begun to purchase  
our truth laden books as a result of  
reading our papers.

This is a work that builds up the  
church, for a working church is a  
growing church. All our churches  
should take up this work. A list  
of from ten to one hundred names  
will be mailed to your society upon  
request. Address the undersigned at  
940 Silver Run Ave., Greensboro,  
N. C.  
J. E. HANSEN.

#### Last Call to the Georgia Camp-meeting

ONLY a few days until the twelfth  
annual camp-meeting of the Georgia  
Conference of Seventh-day Advent-  
tists will convene at Barnsville, July  
25—August 4. We expect to have  
everything in readiness and ample  
accommodations for all who come. A  
new pavillion tent has been erected  
in the center of the city park, and  
all of the smaller tents pitched  
around it in a square. Every tent  
will be in the shade, and in close

proximity to the large one.

Furnished rooms within five minutes walking distance of the camp, may be had at a rate of \$3.00 for the ten days. About half of these rooms have everything furnished but the bed linen and covers. We would advise you to bring bedding with you, unless you prefer to pay extra and have everything furnished complete.

Those who occupy tents will have to bring bed-ticks to be filled with straw on the ground. Springs can be furnished for 25 cents each, and chairs at 10 or 15 cents. Lumber will be on the ground for making of bed frames, tables, etc. Floored tents will rent for \$3.00; without floor, \$2.50.

A dining tent will be operated on the cafeteria plan. In this way you can purchase dishes of cooked food at so much a dish, and pick out just what you want.

Send in your order for tents or rooms to F. C. Clark, Barnsville, Ga., and write him when you expect to arrive. Regular arrangements have been made for the transfer of baggage, and you will save money by letting the camp dry do your hauling.

We have been promised excellent ministerial help for this annual meeting, and we hope to see a full attendance of our people. We cannot afford to miss the encouragement and spiritual uplift that such a meeting produces. If you are still undecided, make up your mind now to attend and get the blessing.

To all of our regular canvassers, who have put in full time in field work, the conference will furnish meal tickets.

Barnsville is a town of about three thousand inhabitants, and is located midway between Griffin and Forsyth on the Central of Georgia R. R. A preliminary series of meetings is already in progress.

LEROY T. CRISLER.

### Greenville, Tenn.

Our tent meetings here have been in progress since June 15. We started with a very good attendance, and the best class of people; but the weather has been very unfavorable to our work, and for the last ten days it has been raining almost constantly. This condition is very un-

fortunate for our work, as we had just reached the Sabbath question and the interest was most excellent.

While the elements have been against us, we have been sowing the seed, and the truth is already making many friends. The promise is that His word shall not return unto Him void. It is evident that some are already under deep conviction, as they are asking how they can keep the Sabbath. This is a good sign.

Many homes are open to us and we find the people very friendly. Our collection for the first week was \$22.00 but this last week it has only been a little over \$8.00. The drop in the collections has corresponded to the lessened attendance.

The Lord favored us with a good central location near the government buildings. When the weather was favorable so the people could come, our tent did not begin to hold the crowd and we had to provide seats outside, so we can now seat three hundred fifty people. Our company is in good health. The fresh breezes of this mountain region are invigorating. We have not suffered from the heat.

G. B. LOCKEN,  
P. G. STANLEY.

### Longing Hearts

THRU letters coming to us from our colporters we frequently gather glimpses of how our literature is appreciated by the poor and humble of earth who really hunger to know the truth. It is truly refreshing to meet with these experiences and it cheers all our hearts to read of them.

The following is an extract from one of these letters giving an account of an instance of this kind:

The colporter says: "I receive testimony after testimony from parties who have the books containing the message. I went to see a lady Friday who subscribed for 'Bible Footlights' to be delivered the first of June. When the time came she had failed to get the money. She had walked in the rain trying to get it but could not. She told me Friday that she now had the money and that she intended to keep it till I came again if it had been until fall, rather than not to get her book. She said it was the best book she ever saw. He then adds, 'The Lord knows I

was glad to deliver that book.'"

All over the world God has honest children hungering for the truth. It is such experiences as the one given above that urge us on with the truth laden books knowing that there are still others of God's children who are hungering for the truth and willing, perhaps, to make a greater sacrifice to obtain it than some of us are, who already have it, to keep it.

W. W. EASTMAN.

### South Carolina Notes

Robert W. Case spent Sabbath with the company at Chester.

A Sabbath-school of fifteen members was organized last Sabbath at Columbia and we expect others to join soon.

Mr. LeRoy Case and Miss Grace Putnam are spending a few days with the tent company in Columbia. Miss Grace is selling the *Watchman*.

Mrs. Hattie Bennett and her sister, Miss Ola Roof, both of Chester, have joined the tent company at Columbia. Mrs. Bennett will canvass for "Bible Footlights" and Miss Ola is selling magazines.

Have you ordered your tent for the camp-meeting yet? If not, write to Robert W. Case, Columbia, S. C. Corner Taylor and Hardin Sts., at once so that you will not be disappointed. The grounds are easy of access, shady, and mosquitoes are not troublesome. Let everyone plan to be on the ground by Thursday if possible. It is just as easy as to come a day later. You then get the benefit of the first meeting and all are well settled before Sabbath.

### Graysville Current

Professor R. V. Cory was called last Friday to the death-bed of his father in Syracuse, Indiana.

Professor C. L. Stone, the principal of the Southern Training School and his wife arrived in Graysville last Wednesday, and are now nicely settled in their new home.

The farm manager at the Training School has been busily engaged the past week in canning peaches for winter use at the school dormitories.

The Training School Calendar is

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now ready to mail. If you are planning to attend school somewhere this year, or if you have children who should be in school, write for this calendar.

It is planned to make this year's school the best in the history of the institution.

An article from the pen of Professor Stone will appear in next week's TIDINGS. Look for it.

The friends of Mr. B. F. Webb and wife will no doubt be glad to hear of their welfare. We quote from a personal letter recently received by the editor. Brother Webb writes to have his FIELD TIDINGS forwarded to him and says:

"I am beginning to feel quite lonesome for a visit from our little Graysville paper. We feel like we had had a letter from Graysville, when we get the TIDINGS.

"So often I am reminded of some lesson learned at the dear old S. T. S., and it makes me want to step in for a few minutes and see if things are as they used to be. I shall always uphold the Graysville school for the good it has done me.

"I have just closed a very successful session of school at Evangeline, La. The patrons and trustees are anxious to have me come back, so I guess I shall do so. Last session we had about a hundred twenty-five enrolled, and when we met for the morning exercises, altho I was not allowed to read the Bible, I told them many little Bible stories, and as most of the young people were Catholic, the stories were new to them. They listened with open mouths it seemed. I was invited to teach the Bible class in a Sunday-school and to act as superintendent during the absence of the superintendent. I find many ways to sow seeds of truth."

## The Watchman

### The Present Truth Evangelizer

THE *Watchman* for July certainly proved to be a winner. Our increased printing order was readily exhausted and many encouraging letters were received. The entire edition was several thousand short of filling all orders. Like the previous one, we are being compelled to rush the August edition to early press. Surely the indications are that the Lord

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## Colporters' Report

### Southeastern Union Conference

(week ending June 29.)

Name,	Book,	Hrs.,	Ords.,	Value,	Helps,	Total,	Del.
<b>SOUTH CAROLINA</b>							
W. M. Fee	DR	50	25	80.00	32.40	112.40	
C. L. Belue	PG	28	21	67.00	2.50	69.50	5.50
C. H. Holland	CK	17	22	37.00	1.75	38.75	1.75
Nora Goodwin	BF	39	24	36.00		36.00	2.50
Fred Hall	CK			31.44		31.44	31.00
C. L. Ravan	CK	13	18	27.00	1.25	28.25	3.50
G. B. Case	CK	23	13	20.10	2.00	22.10	10.35
J. A. Bookhart	BF	42	10	12.00	2.50	14.50	4.50
J. S. Reynolds	BF	8	3	3.00		3.00	11.75
E. N. Louis	BF	30					10.50
Irregular	BF	37	23	34.50		34.50	
Ina Carter	W	12		11.90		11.90	11.90
Grace Ravan	W	7		4.20		4.20	4.20
Ruth Warner	W	12		4.00		4.00	4.00
<b>GEORGIA</b>							
J. D. Andrews	PPF	53	26	41.50		41.50	
E. E. Kurtz	GC	43					85.00
R. O. Terry	GC	12	3	8.00	.50	8.50	22.00
C. W. Hester	CK	4	1	2.00		2.00	2.00
B. F. Brown	CK	25	5	7.50	2.50	10.00	2.50
J. R. Wilbur	BF	31	23	25.50		25.50	
J. A. Sudduth	BF	23	6	8.50	1.50	10.00	1.50
Chas. Griffiths	BF	48	32	49.00	5.00	54.00	5.00
I. Evans	BF	31	19	27.50	1.50	29.00	14.50
Lucile Carter	BF	17	18	27.50	.60	28.10	
" "	I	2	15	1.50		1.50	1.50
Daisy Terry	P, L&H	1	18	1.80		1.80	1.80
M. C. Kenyon	W	5	57	5.70		5.70	5.70
<b>CUMBERLAND</b>							
R. A. Judy	PPF	40					184.00
W. Kirkham	PPF	35	21	31.50	3.50	35.00	1.00
J. W. Purvis	PPF	36	5	8.00	5.00	13.00	
Ed Whittier	PPF						
Mrs. J. D. Finley	PPF	13	16	24.50		24.50	
J. D. Finley	PPF	58	14	32.00		32.00	
W. B. Parkins	PPF	45	9	18.00		18.00	
E. D. Haskell	PPF	57	1	1.50	8.43	9.93	67.62
Miss Easterling	CK	22	7	11.00		11.00	4.90
R. E. Hicks	CK	37	16	26.00	11.82	37.82	1.25
Fred Chapman	CK	63	20	27.00	7.67	34.67	2.00
H. N. Moore	CK	41	11	16.50	7.75	24.25	.25
Ezra Eaton	CK	41	31	50.50		50.50	
Henry Richmond	BF	51	22	22.50		22.50	
<b>FLORIDA</b>							
Walter Walker	DR	36	27	72.00		72.00	
C. J. Fritz	GC	44	13	42.00	6.50	48.00	6.50
J. K. Allen	CK	42	24	37.50	1.25	38.75	1.25
Chas. A. Fritz	GC	48	10	34.00	.75	34.75	.75
Elizabeth Hickok	CK	17	20	31.10	3.40	34.50	3.40
Ora Walker	CK	16	16	24.50	.90	25.40	.90
S. F. Page	DR	40	8	24.00	.50	24.50	.50
<b>Summary</b>							
South Carolina	Total	318	159	368.14	42.40	424.54	107.45
Georgia	Total	265	223	206.00	11.60	217.60	144.50
Cumberland	Total	519	173	269.00	44.17	313.17	261.02
Florida	Total	243	118	265.10	13.30	288.30	13.30
Grand Total		1345	613	1108.24	111.47	1243.61	526.27

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one-gallon cans, \$7.35. Cash with  
order. Lookout Cooking Oil Co.  
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FOR SALE: The Southern Training  
School Shop has in stock a number  
of lumber wagons which are for sale  
at reasonable prices. These wagons  
are built by a workman of long ex-  
perience, and only first-class material  
is used in their construction. We  
guarantee prompt shipment, safe de-  
livery, and satisfactory service.  
Write us your needs.

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is working mightily in the magazine  
work.

The theme for August will be one  
that should interest every individual  
living, that of Armageddon. The  
cover design will be unusually unique  
and interesting, including an actual  
photo of the place where the Scrip-  
tures say this battle will be fought.  
It will possess many selling points  
for the agent. The editor will an-  
swer the following vital questions  
concerning Armageddon: What is  
it? Where is it? What does it  
mean? With the many symptoms of  
strife about us and the powers of  
earth marshalling their forces for  
the last great battle, we believe this  
number will be one of exceptional  
interest to scatter among your neigh-  
bors. The contents will be up to the  
usual standard. Space forbids detail  
mention because we desire to insert  
the following letter which is but one  
of many we receive in the mail.  
This indicates the great success that  
our workers are having.

"Dear Brethren:

"I have been intending for some  
time to write you concerning my  
work with the *Watchman* and how  
the people are falling in love with it  
here. Miss Putnam and I began our  
work here in this state in March.  
We sell in the business section each  
month. The first month the people  
did not seem to know the magazine.  
We have regular readers among the  
very best class of people. We visit  
them each month, doing a systemat-  
ic work. It does my soul good to  
hear the words of praise for the  
*Watchman*. It makes me bubble over  
with enthusiasm. I would that there  
were one hundred workers to scatter  
out thru this broad union to do sys-  
tematic work for the *Watchman* every  
month. As the people are becoming  
acquainted with this good magazine  
we will try to get as many subscrip-  
tions as we can. I love this work.  
How good the Lord is to give us a  
humble part in carrying this precious  
message-filled magazine to the peo-  
ple! I have a burden for the poor,  
neglected business class who have  
their hearts set on money-making  
and forget their own soul's salvation.  
I believe God has many honest hearts  
among these people who must be  
searched out. I believe the *Watch-  
man* will be one of the main instru-  
ments in this work. Pray for the  
work here. God's spirit is working  
on the hearts of these dear readers.

Your sister in the good work,

(Signed) Mrs. R. M. Carter,  
132 Forest St., Spartanburg S. C."

This letter should inspire every  
loyal Seventh-day Adventist to "go  
and do likewise." Who will join our  
rapidly growing band of 1000 earnest  
workers who purpose to secure ten  
subscriptions to the *Watchman* dur-  
ing the next three months? What a  
result when we all pull together—10  
000 regular readers to the *Watchman*!  
If you desire to enlist in this good  
work, drop a card to Southern Pub-  
lishing Association, 2123, 24th Ave.  
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S. Army during the past seven  
months. Send fifty cents in stamps  
to the Southern Publishing Associa-  
tion, 2123—24th Ave. N., Nashville,  
Tennessee, to help send literature to  
the Army. One old soldier writes:  
"Thank you so much for the "Dan-  
iel and Revelation" sent. Where  
can I get one to take with me into  
retirement? Will gladly meet ex-  
penses." One brother sent in fifty  
dollars. This was a tremendous lift.  
This work is a pronounced success.  
Send four cents for descriptive tract,  
to B. N. Brown at the above address.

## Savannah, Georgia

Please take notice that the colored  
camp-meeting previously announced  
to be held at Macon, Ga., will be  
held at Savannah instead, owing to  
the interest manifested in the meet-  
ings at that place.

We anticipate the best camp-meet-  
ing ever held in Georgia, and expect  
many of the brethren from different  
parts of the state to participate with  
us.

We are planning to have the best  
of accommodations. They will be ar-  
ranged to suit everyone. Let all do  
their best to attend.

J. W. MANNS.

Cumberland Conference Tithe  
for First Six Months of  
1911, and 1912

	1911	1912
Athens	\$168.70	\$214.86
Brayton	130.32	138.23
Cove	45.15	10.70
Cleveland	209.31	98.40
Copper Ridge	47.26	38.37
College		21.67
Chattanooga no. 1	97.01	207.18
Chattanooga no. 2	412.90	454.37
Daylight	128.49	170.53
Graysville	1240.10	1412.85
Individual	264.46	125.58
Knoxville no. 1	210.74	181.52
Knoxville no. 2	505.67	581.74
Lenoir City		83.70
Mission Ridge	119.91	220.97
Toco	327.56	152.22

Total 3906.98 4112.89

A. B. RUSSELL, Treasurer.

## Notice!

FROM this time on, the Cumber-  
land Tract Society will do business  
on a strictly cash basis. This applies  
to church librarians as well as to in-  
dividuals, so please send cash in full  
with all orders for supplies.

A. B. RUSSELL, Secretary.