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"In due season we shall reap, if we faint not"

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## To-Day

But shall we be so kind in the afterwhile,  
But what have we been to-day?  
We shall bring to each lonely life a smile,  
But what have we brought to-day?  
We shall give to truth a grander birth,  
And to steadfast faith a deeper worth,  
We shall feed the hungering souls of earth;  
But whom have we fed to-day?

—Nixon Waterman.

## Much in Little, or Little in Much, Which?

The chief value of sermons, or prayers, and of printed articles is not determined by their verbosity. The lady answered well who responded "Amen" to her tedious pastor when he asked some one in the congregation to tell him what to say next.

There is a good lesson for those who talk much and say little to be found in the comprehensive message which a dying son sent to his absent mother. This son was asked what parting words he would send to his mother and his answer was, "Say to her, John is dead." The whole sad tidings were in this brief message.

Many sermons are spoiled because they are too long and, often ministers fail to reap a harvest because they sow too much seed in poorly worked soil. And numerous articles are unread because they are spread over too much paper.

Busy people and those who have quick perception do not wish to invest their time in prosy things.

Let those who write learn how to give good matter in small compass, and speakers study how to give good value for the ear service while sitting in the pews.

WM. COVERT.

## Offerings for Missions

In the *Review* of October 20, the treasurer of the General Conference presents a report of the receipts for mission purposes, from all sources, for the first three quarters of the present year.

This report reveals a falling off in the offerings for missions in the Lake Union Conference as compared with the same period of 1909. The cause for this falling off may not be apparent at a glance, but the fact should lead everyone to consider for himself whether due faithfulness has been exercised.

The Lord has opened up a great field before this people. He will not see the work fail of accomplishment, but He will

not act independently of the human agent, and He is looking to us.

The Lake Union can contribute the equivalent of ten cents a week per member if the will is present. The end of the year 1910 may yet see all the deficit made up, and cause hearts to rejoice in the goodness of God, in that He has moved us to respond to the call for help to send the gospel to heathen lands.

Has not the Lord blessed us with a bountiful harvest and lucrative employment in many lines? Let us remember Him and His cause by showing liberality.

ALLEN MOON.

## Church Letters

Frequent inquiries are received touching the order to be observed in granting letters transferring members from one church to another. To answer these briefly, the following may suffice:—

When a member of one of our churches wishes to remove to another part of the country, he may notify either the clerk or the elder of the church where he holds membership.

Then this request may be presented to the church at a regular meeting, after due notice. In case the member is in good and regular standing, and the church votes in favor of the letter of transfer, the clerk may be instructed to forward the letter to the clerk of the church to which the member wishes to be transferred. By this means the letter is in official hands until disposed of, and certificate returned to the church issuing such letter.

This latter provision has come to be of almost universal use among us, for what is thought to be good reasons. The request for a letter by any member of a church may come from himself or any one he may authorize, since it does not take official form until the church has, by vote, granted the letter of transfer.

ALLEN MOON.

## About \$90,000 for the Lake Union

This amount of money may be had by the Lake Union Conference, for the getting, by going after it, as it were. It is to be applied on the indebtedness of institutions in this Union, belonging to our people.

These institutions are in need of this money. Their work is hampered for the want of it. They are paying interest on debts on which this amount is to apply. The Union Conference officers are much burdened over the situation.

The institutions referred to are the Wabash Valley, Tri-City, and Madison sanitariums, each of which has had a struggle with financial problems from its beginning. Those in charge of the sanitariums are already working hard when they carry the burdens of regular institutional work. The added weight of financial cares, arising from original building debts and from unfortunate experiences, makes a load too much for them to carry. They should have help from their brethren and sisters.

The statistical report as given in the *Review and Herald* of October 6, shows there are 12,941 Sabbath-keepers in the Lake Union Conference. They are the ones who are specially interested in the success and welfare of these institutions.

Provision has been made for meeting the interest-bearing debts of the sanitariums. A God-given plan has been adopted whereby actual relief may be secured. The plan requires co-operation on the part of every Seventh-day Adventist in this Union. Just a little effort from each of the 12,941 members will bring in about \$90,000. This money need not be a donation by us but we may secure it from others and give them full value in return.

In the gift of "Ministry of Healing" we have a resource of real financial help to our sanitariums. A dollar or more is realized on the sale of each book. The relief campaign now in progress provides for the sale of at least six copies of the book and fifteen copies of *Life and Health*, by each member. For the Lake Union membership this would mean about \$90,000. We may make it as much more as we will. There are plenty more books and journals to be had, the territory is a large one and the money is there.

If 77,646 copies of "Ministry of Healing" and 194,110 copies of *Life and Health* are placed in homes in this field it will surely result in a great increase of interest on the part of the public in our health work. As our people visit these homes and present the work of our sanitariums, as opportunity affords, it will undoubtedly develop a larger patronage for these institutions. Their work will thus be made self-supporting.

At this time, when money is so much needed for the cause at home and abroad, it is to be appreciated that such a sum as this is available by the putting forth of a little effort. This substantial aid may be had with a little help on the part of each one.

This help may reasonably and consistently be expected from our people, because of their interest in these institutions. But besides helping the sanitariums it will be doing a missionary work of the highest order. We have long been called upon to do house-to-house work and probably no better means is afforded us than to visit the people with our good missionary book. The people need the truths it contains; our sanitariums need the money to be had in return for it; and our people need the missionary experience.

L. A. HANSEN.

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### Portland, Maine

Since coming East, the LAKE UNION HERALD has been a special favorite in our home. How often we have looked the columns through with interest, as it seemed like a letter from home. We have had the privilege of seeing many things of interest since we came here. We find Portland a beautiful city of about 70,000 inhabitants, situated on the coast of the Atlantic.

We have a nice company in Portland. They have been long in the way, some of them ever since the message started. This company has been without a church building for many years. For sometime the attention of the church has been given to the erection of a house of worship, and we expect to have it completed in two or three weeks. It will cost about nine thousand dollars. We feel that this will be a great help to the work in Portland.

During the summer an earnest effort has been made to reach the people here with the truth. Meetings were held in a large tent.

The company of workers consisted of Professor Gardner and wife and two sons, who are musicians from South Lancaster, Mass.; Dr. Kress and wife and daughter from Washington, D. C., who assisted a few weeks; Elder O. Montgomery, the president of the Maine Conference, and the writer.

Some fruits have been seen from our labor. Much seed was sown through the daily papers, for which we give God the praise. We are planning to carry on a winter's cam-

paign in the church. We hope that our people will not forget to pray for the work in the East.

I am of good courage in the Lord. At present we live at 52 Spruce Street, Portland, Maine, within a block from where Sister White lived when a girl and within two blocks of the old school building where she attended school.

We feel it a privilege to be at the place where the message first started and to learn of its rise from a small beginning.

M. B. BUTTERFIELD.

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### From Elder States

Thinking my old friends in Michigan would be interested to hear from me, I write a few lines for the HERALD.

I can hardly realize that it is twenty-five years the first of November since I left my home in Bloomingdale and went to Colorado. So many years in that high and dry climate were too much for my nerves, so by the advice of physicians I came to old Michigan for a low, damp climate, which I have certainly found.

September 29 I reached the home of my old friend, Elder J. L. Edgar in Flint, Mich. Brother Edgar was the first minister I went out to labor with, twenty-eight years ago. We certainly had a good time talking over the long, long ago in the early days of the message. The tears often came to our eyes as we talked of the wonderful spread of the message. I remained in Flint a few days, visiting our people, and attended church one Sabbath.

October 3 found me in Saginaw visiting old friends I used to know in Lapeer over forty years ago. It was truly encouraging to meet them and find them standing firm for the faith once delivered to this people, although the infirmity of age was telling on them. While in Saginaw I had a good visit with Elder Ostrander who was president of the Colorado Conference when I first went there.

October 11 I arrived at my brother's, H. F. States, near Whittemore. Sabbath, the 15th, was monthly meeting day, and some were up from Twining. I met with our people in Whittemore and the Lord gave me strength to speak nearly one hour on my "Earthquake Experiences and Lessons" and all seemed deeply interested.

GEO. O. STATES.

*Whittemore, Mich.*

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### WEST MICHIGAN

#### Kalamazoo

The Lord is blessing the Kalamazoo church. Our Sabbath meetings are well attended, and our Tuesday evening prayer meetings are profitable seasons.

A church-school has been started, with Sister A. P. Woodruff teacher. The Lord aided in presenting the special work the church has to do in educating and training its children according to the light given in the Scriptures and Testimonies; and there is an increasing desire to make the school a success.

Our Missionary Volunteer Society has become a permanent factor in the work,—a source of encouragement to our young people. The fourth Sabbath missionary service which was held here Oct. 22, was a blessing to the lovers of truth. A missionary service will be held each week, besides the fourth Sabbath service. Already some are being supplied with papers for use in the Harvest Ingathering campaign.

I am happy to state that two men and their wives have decided to keep the Sabbath, and they already attend our Sabbath meetings. Pray for us.

A. C. BOURDEAU.

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### Report of Labor

In the month of September, besides Sabbath services in the Wright, Bauer, and Grandville churches, I introduced our literature into nearly 150 families; often engaging indi-

viduals in earnest conversation on religious topics, making personal appeals concerning their need of Christ, the near coming Saviour.

I find some, who, though professing religion, care little to attend the popular churches because they can get no food out of the preaching, and find church members to be not unlike the veriest worldlings.

I am more than ever before convinced that in distributing our literature it should be done judiciously, and with tact; entering the homes of the people if possible, and engaging the family in conversation in a Christ-like way.

There is great power in sacred song; and a good singer inspired by the Holy Spirit can move a discouraged, sin-sick soul wonderfully.

A. SMITH.

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## Muskegon

The words of Jesus found in Matt. 9:36-38 can truly be said of this part of the Lord's vineyard: "The harvest truly is plenteous, but laborers are few." The Lord by His Spirit is revealing to me my need—my utter dependence upon Him; that it is not by the power of argument, but by the Holy Spirit that souls are won to this truth.

I have a number of Holland readers at present. It rejoices my heart to see how the Lord by His Spirit is impressing them with this last message and is blessing the seed sown. One experience will show what the Lord has done for me. Since I came to this city about two years ago, I have bought my bread at a certain Holland bakery, and each week left them some reading matter. The man became deeply interested. His wife and children being very much opposed, I could not get into the home to hold Bible studies, but she never refused to hand the reading matter to her husband. The gentleman often came into the store when I was there and asked many questions. About two weeks ago he came and told us he had sold out his bakery so he could keep the Sabbath. His minister called on him and asked him a number of questions. Before leaving he said, "I see you have already looked too far into Adventism." To the Lord be *all* the praise.

This message is going and let us do *faithfully* our part. Remember my readers in your prayers.

JENNIE DEYOUNG.

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## The Canvassing Work

While talking with one of our former West Michigan canvassers who has paid his way through school this year by canvassing, our conversation drifted to the blessings and benefits of selling our books. He spoke of having had a very successful delivery and mentioned many blessed experiences while finishing his work. He has spent some time canvassing in other localities, but says concerning the work in West Michigan: "The canvassing work in West Michigan is just as good as in any other State. Even around our doors the people are hungering for the bread of life. The people are eager to get the books that contain something satisfying to their souls."

He also mentioned going back to some territory where he had made a delivery about a month before. He was surprised to find that many of the people had already been reading their books, "Coming King," and thought they were fine, explaining so fully from the Scriptures what we really see going on in the world to-day. A book he had sold to an old gentleman had been loaned to several of his neighbors to read, and he was then busy reading it.

Surely the Lord is in this work and He will do wonders for us if we will only permit Him to.

R. W. PAUL.

## EAST MICHIGAN

### Tuscola County

The monthly meeting of the churches in Tuscola County was held at Watrousville, Oct. 15. There was a large attendance.

The Sabbath-school review of the last two lessons was ably conducted by Brother Webber of Reese. The lesson of the day was then conducted by Sister Ida Malin of Vassar. We were all made to feel how little we appreciate the many precious things these lessons contain.

Elder Leland was expected to be present, but he had been called to Canada to attend a funeral. But the Lord has promised to be with us always, and He especially verified His word at this time. After a short talk by the writer based on I Peter 4:17, 18, an excellent social meeting followed.

These meetings are looked forward to with interest by all; and this is as it should be, for we are admonished not to forsake the assembling of ourselves together and so much the more as we see the day approaching.

Our next meeting will be held at Reese, the third Sabbath in November.

W. H. WILBER.

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## NORTH MICHIGAN

### Riverside Church-School

School began at Riverside in Delta County, September 12. We now have enrolled twenty and expect a number more as soon as the fall's work is over. A good spirit is manifested and our work is moving on nicely. We anticipate a good year, and if we are true and faithful in our work we know the Lord will bless us.

On the evening of October 15, a fine temperance program was given by the pupils. There was a good attendance from the surrounding country. A pleasant and profitable evening was spent. Patrons of the school were pleased and wished they might have a similar program each month.

ELMER C. ROSS, *Teacher*.

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## WISCONSIN

### A Report

In connection with my other work I have visited the following churches, remaining from one to three days in each place: Oxford, Plainfield, Grand Rapids, Bethel, Granton, and Wausau.

With the exception of a few who were opposing themselves, I found the believers of good courage and ready to cooperate in a forward movement. Some members are active in missionary work and have several interested in present truth. At one place two had expressed their intention of uniting with us. What a busy time it will be when the entire family of Adventists spend a portion of their time every week in doing missionary work. Multiplied blessings will come to the church as all have some part in ministering to others. Then will be fulfilled Paul's words, "That there should be no schisms in the body."

When all are endeavoring to increase the sum of human good and happiness by encouraging one another and doing for others, the little differences that the evil one would desire to see in our midst will find no place among us. The Lord's prayer will be a fact in our lives: "Forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors." The golden rule will be committed to life: "Whatsoever ye would that men should do unto you, do ye even so to them." It is a wonderful thing to have the principles of this rule wrought out in our lives, and it is only done as we have a living connection with the Master.

"We know that we have passed from death unto life because we love the brethren. He that loveth not his brother abideth in death." If we have Christian love for those of like faith, it is evident that we do not abide in death. "When

we are one with Christ we shall be united among ourselves. Those who are not yoked up with Christ always pull the wrong way."—*"Testimonies for the Church," Vol. VI.*

The Psalmist exclaims, "Behold how good and how pleasant it is for brethren to dwell together in unity! . . . For there the Lord commanded His blessing, even life forevermore."

So may it be with us all in living the truth and imparting it to others.  
W. H. THURSTON.

### Milwaukee, Kenosha, Sturgeon Bay

Since our good camp-meeting at Grand Rapids, I have labored in Milwaukee, Kenosha, and Sturgeon Bay. The work in Milwaukee is still onward. Last week one of Mrs. Post's readers took her stand for the truth and awaits baptism. Others are deeply interested. Miss Phelps is doing good work and has several readers almost ready to come into line with God's people.

We expect to begin meetings on the South side, the 19th, holding two meetings a week in the English; the Germans and Scandinavians having the other nights.

At Sturgeon Bay six meetings were held with a good attendance. I believe the church was encouraged and strengthened. Some have taken hold of the "Ministry of Healing" work. According to conference plans, Mrs. Post and I have devoted considerable time to this work, with some success.

I expect to be with the Kenosha church, Sabbath, October 22, for quarterly service. The work in Wisconsin will advance, for the Lord is with it. Come, workers and people, let us all together now help Brother Thurston make his work in Wisconsin a success. There is no limit to what may be accomplished when we are allied to the Power that awaits our demand and reception.

"Thy people shall be willing in the day of Thy power." May the dear Lord help us all to rally round the standard now.  
B. L. POST.

### Let Us Give That We May Live

To give is the law of life. In the beginning God gave life and is still giving life. No one has life in himself excepting Jesus Christ and He received it from God. John 5:26. But God has no less of life. God gave the earth to the children of men, and when they lost it, Jesus bought it back with His precious blood. Yet He is not poorer to-day.

The Lord gives His people so many opportunities to give. Our sanitarium at Madison needs means to help it on its feet that it may do its work of saving life. The conditions in Superior are such that it seems imperative that a church be built there, but we are too poor, so we turn to you for help. If every member of our denomination in Wisconsin would give fifty cents, it would be a great help, and many can do much better.  
JOHN HOFFMAN.

427 Weeks Ave., Superior, Wis.

### Superior

Last Sabbath, October 15, thirty-five in all met for worship in Superior. The Lord came near and blessed us in our little meeting. We have the Swedish service at one o'clock, Sabbath-school all together at two, and preaching in English at three.

We are longing for the time to come when a meeting-place can be erected in this growing city.  
J. HOFFMAN.

Give light, and darkness will disappear of itself.—*Erasmus.*

## NORTHERN ILLINOIS

### Northern Illinois, Please Notice

The Foreign Mission Board has been promised, and has been expecting 10 cents a week from each member of the various conferences in America. We have lately gone over the books in our conference office and footed up the amount received from the churches in the Northern Illinois Conference on missions for the first nine months of this year, and the result is published in this issue of the HERALD. We also show how much is yet due from each church. One church has paid the full amount for the entire year.

The churches are requested to study the list and then plan to make up the deficit before the close of the year. The Sabbath-school offerings yet to be sent in, the annual offerings not yet paid, the Harvest Ingatherings to be brought in and the special donations to missions will all be counted. There is time yet for every church to make up that which is lacking, but it will be necessary for many of them to arouse to an unusual life to get it done before the next year dawns upon us.

There are large possibilities for all in the Harvest Ingathering Campaign upon which we are now entering. Will the friends please hasten this work with all possible speed?

WM. COVERT.

### Report of Amount Received on Ten-Cent-a-Week Fund for Foreign Missions from January 1 to October 1, 1910

	Am't Pd.	Mem.	Am't Due For Year	Bal. to be Raised
Aledo.....	\$182.74	42	\$ 218.40	\$ 35.66
Aurora.....	57.84	13	67.60	9.76
Belvidere.....	60.50	22	114.40	53.90
Chicago South Side.....	155.56	246	1279.20	1123.64
"    North Side.....	116.85	35	182.00	65.15
"    Englewood.....	56.33	43	223.60	167.27
"    Ravenswood.....	171.48	48	249.60	78.12
"    West Side.....	132.59	49	254.80	122.21
"    German.....	80.89	40	208.00	127.11
"    Erie St.....	44.76	56	291.20	246.44
"    Humboldt Park.....	402.38	73	379.60	
"    Swedish.....	113.47	55	276.00	162.53
"    State St.....	41.13	20	104.00	62.87
Elgin.....	45.68	52	270.40	224.72
Galesburg.....	122.79	41	213.20	90.41
Harvey.....	31.89	16	83.20	51.31
Hinsdale.....	34.64	53	275.60	240.96
Kankakee.....	62.78	45	234.00	171.22
Moline.....	114.77	51	265.20	150.43
Ottawa.....	12.39	18	93.60	81.21
Onarga.....	28.85	7	36.40	7.55
Princeville.....	8.59	12	62.40	53.81
Pittwood.....	18.06	14	72.80	54.74
Pontiac.....	18.85	11	57.20	38.35
Rock Falls.....	5.85	15	78.00	72.15
Rockford.....	88.42	45	234.00	145.58
Stockton.....	42.70	13	67.60	24.90
Streator.....	53.71	39	202.80	149.09
St. Anne.....	12.82	11	57.20	44.38
Sheridan.....	187.23	75	390.00	202.77
Watseka.....	29.90	22	114.40	84.50
Waldron.....	40.58	21	109.20	68.62
Zion City.....	9.65	11	57.20	47.55
Individual.....	43.33			
Totals.....	\$2630.00	1314	\$6852.80	\$4258.91
Average per member per week, \$0.038.				

H. E. MOON, Treas.

## SOUTHERN ILLINOIS

### Urbana

The Lord has given me some blessed experiences. Many homes which have in the past been closed to canvassers, have been opened to me. I tell you there is a mighty power attending this work that is causing these doors to open.

Yesterday I received a letter from a lady to whom I delivered a book before camp-meeting. I will quote part of it: "You will find enclosed one dollar, the remainder due on the book. I find it the most wonderful book of this age. I believe that God uses people to carry His word to those who do not know Him. I am sure He sent this book here for me, for I am hungering to know more about God's word."

Brethren and sisters who are not in the work, would you not like to enjoy some of the rich blessings that fall in the pathway of the canvasser? If so, come and join our ranks and help to carry the bread of life to hungry souls.

W. E. BAILEY.

**Mattoon**

My first week in the field only strengthens my faith. The needs of the work, and the cry of perishing souls is the call of duty to the servant of God. If we would share in the triumph of this message, we must have part in the work of carrying it.

Rev. 7:3 reads concerning the work of the sealing angel: "Hurt not the earth, neither the sea nor the trees till we have sealed the servants of our God in their foreheads." Notice that word servants. Every one of the hundred forty-four thousand will be a servant. Why not be a canvassing servant?

WM. H. ADDIS.

**Southern Illinois Tithe Report for August and September**

Brownstown.....\$31 20	Martinsville.....	Stewardson..... 27 19
Cottage Home..... 36 25	Noble..... 43 06	Twin City.....
Charleston..... 16 34	Oakland..... 1 60	Woodburn..... 8 39
Du Quoin..... 10 10	Pontoosuc..... 6 95	West Salem..... 22 69
Decatur.....115 36	Peoria.....119 62	Miscellaneous... 44 88
Farmington..... 67 99	Pana..... 32 44	Conference.....196 51
Foosland..... 55 00	1st Springfield...129 31	
Herrin..... 5 35	2nd Springfield... 27 14	Total.....\$1052 83
Kingman..... 55 46		

**INDIANA**

**The Canvassing Work**

The following from Brother Wm. Sunday may be of interest to the readers of the HERALD, especially to those who have been thinking of taking up the canvassing work but have not had the courage to start:—

"I am of good courage. I can see the Lord preparing the way before me each day. At one time I thought that I could not do this work and support my family, but I now rejoice because the Lord has answered my prayers and has given me faith to take up this blessed work of carrying the printed page to the people.

"So far, I have met kind Christian people and have enjoyed my evening and noon-hour visits with them. The other day after eating dinner I had a long conversation with the lady of the house. She asked many questions regarding our truth. I had started away but just as I reached the gate she called me back and gave me thirty cents for missionary work and also gave me her order for three "Best Stories" which she expects to give to her grandchildren for Christmas presents."

Are there not others who are willing to step out on the promises of God and help in carrying our books to the people?

God through His servant says: "Canvassers should be impressed with the fact that the canvassing work is the very work the Lord desires them to do. They should remember that they are in the service of God."

Do these words appeal to you, dear reader, to take hold of this work and help in warning a lost world of a soon coming Saviour? If so, please let me hear from you.

N. L. TAYLOR, *Field Agent.*

**General Meetings**

Lebanon, - - - -	November 3-6.
Rochester, - - - -	November 2-6.
Grass Creek, - - - -	November 10-13.
Marion, - - - -	November 9-13.
Linton, - - - -	November 24-27.
Middletown, - - - -	December 1-4.
North Vernon, - - - -	December 1-4.

MORRIS LUKENS.

**Receipts on \$300,000 Fund to Oct. 25, 1910**

Akron.....	\$21 00	Marion.....	\$115 34
Anderson.....	39 00	Michaels.....	38 83
Barber's Mill.....	67 25	Michigan City.....	
Boggstown.....	41 20	Middletown.....	34 50
Brookston.....		Mt. Vernon.....	29 35
Connersville.....	8 95	Mt. Zion.....	6 00
Dana.....	23 50	Muncie.....	25 19
Denver.....	10 00	New Hope.....	4 80
Elkhart.....	30 86	New London.....	
Elnora.....	65 50	New Marion.....	6 00
Elwood.....	8 96	Noblesville.....	
Farmersburg.....		Northfield.....	30 00
Fort Wayne.....	26 30	North Liberty.....	47 75
Franklin.....	65 60	North Vernon.....	14 03
Glenwood.....		Oolitic.....	
Goshen.....	6 00	Patrickburg.....	
Grass Creek.....	35 75	Peru.....	120 00
Greenfield.....	39 00	Petersburg.....	
Hartford City.....	70 05	Pleasant View.....	7 13
Honey Creek.....	16 50	Princeton.....	14 94
Huntington.....	41 00	Richmond.....	
Idaville.....	35 40	Rochester.....	28 60
Ind'apolis (E Side).....	41 30	Rocklane.....	2 35
" (23d St.).....	127 29	Salem.....	6 00
" (W Side).....	24 75	Seymour.....	6 00
Individuals.....	194 89	South Bend.....	55 55
Inwood.....	5 00	Soldier's Home.....	10 00
Jefferson.....	22 00	Sunman.....	4 00
Jonesboro.....	15 80	Terre Haute.....	
Kennard.....	51 00	Unionville.....	6 00
Kokomo.....	115 11	Wabash Valley San.....	55 00
La Fayette.....	51 40	Waldron.....	1 00
Lebanon.....	12 00	Walkerton.....	9 00
Ligonier.....	69 25	West Liberty.....	
Linton.....	100 00	Wolcottville.....	67 50
Logansport.....	13 90	Wolf Lake.....	33 59
		Total.....	\$2156 36

A. N. ANDERSON, Treas.

**CANVASSERS' REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING OCT. 21, 1910**

**Northern Illinois**

Canvasser	Book	Hrs	Ords	Value	Helps	Total
G. W. Saether.....G. C.	45½	12	45 00	1 50	46 50	
Jos. Nixon.....G. C.	38½	16	56 00	2 75	58 75	
W. J. Paulson.....G. C.	34½	11	35 00	1 75	36 75	
C. A. Andrews.....G. C.	35	12	45 00		45 00	
*J. H. Hicks (Del).....G. C.	30	12	41 00	3 85	44 85	
*D. R. Devereaux.....P. G.	49	15	47 00	2 25	49 25	
*Lorenzo Clarke.....B. R.	74	23	72 00	2 25	74 25	
	308½	101	341 00	14 35	355 35	

**Southern Illinois**

E. L. Graham.....D. R.	25	3	10 00	1 25	11 25
H. Mitzelfelt (Del).....G. C.	26	4	12 00	1 00	13 00
J. A. Applegate.....D. R.	42	13	42 00		42 00
Hollis Nelson.....D. R.	36	12	36 00		36 00
W. E. Bailey.....B. R.	25	14	41 00	2 25	43 25
Clarence Emerick.....G. C.	21	9	27 00		27 00
W. H. Addis.....D. R.	35	13	39 00		39 00
	210	68	207 00	4 50	211 50

**Indiana**

Wm. Sunday.....D. R.	40½	11	35 00	4 00	39 00
Robert Joyce.....D. R.	20	12	36 00	50	36 50
	60½	23	71 00	4 50	75 50

**Wisconsin**

E. M. Bisbee.....C. K.	30	12	14 00	6 75	20 75
Louis Scholz.....B. R.	35	2	7 00	12 50	19 50
*F. E. Middlestead.....B. R.	32	2	6 00	50	6 50
	97	16	27 00	19 75	46 75

**North Michigan**

K. V. Bjork (Del)..... Finn Rev.	47	2	5 00	4 10	9 10
C. Bartlett.....C. K.	30	4	4 00		4 00
Mrs. G. F. Ernst.....C. K.	17	8	7 45		7 45
	94	14	16 45	4 10	20 55

**East Michigan**

C. J. Collins.....D. R.	17	4	12 00	2 25	14 25
Harrison Face.....D. R.	13	2	6 00		6 00
Mrs. S. L. McClatchey.....C. K.	10	3	3 50	50	4 00
Mrs. C. S. Countryman.....C. K.	12	7	8 00	5 90	13 90
	52	16	29 50	8 65	38 15
26 Agents.....	820	238	\$691 95	\$55 85	\$747 80

\*Week ending Oct. 14.

### Obituaries

**RORK.**—Minnie May Hunter was born in Johnstown, Pennsylvania, June 27, 1889, and died of pellagra in Battle Creek, Mich., Sept. 18, 1910, aged 25 years, 2 months, and 21 days. At the age of sixteen she united with the Seventh-day Adventist church. A few years later the family removed to Battle Creek, Mich., where in June, 1905, she was united in marriage to Leon F. Rork. Two children were born to them, Leta A., and Mary Elizabeth. About one year ago Mr. and Mrs. Rork removed to Alpena, Mich. Besides the husband and little ones there are left to mourn, her mother, five sisters, and two brothers. She sleeps, but the beautiful memory of a life of devotion to others remains as an inspiration to the living. Comforting words were spoken by the writer from John 14:1-3.

CLIFFORD A. RUSSELL.

**SHARPE.**—Sarah Francis Porter was born in Ithaca, N. Y., Dec. 28, 1830, and died at the home of her daughter Mrs. Arthur Rowe, in Battle Creek, Mich., Aug. 24, 1910, aged 79 years, 7 months, and 27 days. Early in life she removed with her parents to Ohio, and in 1852, was united in marriage to William D. Sharpe in Greenspring. They accepted the third angel's message under the labors of Elders J. N. Loughborough and M. E. Cornell. They later moved to Clyde, and assisted in the erection of the Seventh-day Adventist church there, afterward removing to Battle Creek, Mich., and again to California, where they lived until one year ago, when they returned to Battle Creek. Sister Sharpe was ever a faithful, devoted Adventist. She is survived by her husband and all her children, four in number, one of whom, Mrs. E. H. Gates, is now with her husband, Elder E. H. Gates, in the Australian field. The body was taken to Clyde and buried in the family cemetery. Words of comfort were spoken by the writer.

JAMES E. SHULTZ.

### ITEMS OF INTEREST

#### Emmanuel Missionary College

Mr. Frank Fishell was a visitor last week.

Mr. Lloyd Bracket visited his brother, Carlton, Friday.

We are glad to have Mr. Donald Hunt with us again.

The first snow-storm of the season came last Friday. About a foot of snow fell.

We were glad to have Miss Eileen Reynolds join the College family during the past week.

Mr. William Hunt is visiting his

mother and brothers for a short time. He is on his way to Mount Vernon, O., to take the nurses' course.

On account of her father being seriously ill, Mrs. Huffman has gone to her home. We are sorry to have her leave. Miss Madison from Union College will take her place as piano teacher at the College.

Prof. Videto spoke Sabbath on city work, showing the importance of doing what can be done at once. The cities are Satan's strongholds. Yet from them we can get workers to carry this message to all the world.

Sister Mattie Hamilton Welch visited the College last week. She gave interesting talks to the students while here. She also spoke at the training school. After attending the Baltimore W. C. T. U. Convention she will visit Washington en route to Virginia where she intends to start a school among the mountaineers.

### West Michigan

Sabbath, Oct. 22, the Grand Rapids church raised \$345 for the \$300,000 Fund.

Did you notice the report of the \$300,000 Fund in the last *Review and Herald*?

Brother Reefman has commenced work in the city of Holland among the Holland people.

Brethren R. U. Garrett and Mark Hoyt commenced a series of meetings last Tuesday night in a schoolhouse north of Keeler.

Brother I. D. Richardson and wife are visiting friends in Benton Harbor, and the church appreciates very much their help on the Sabbath.

Elder J. M. Wilbur of the East Michigan Conference has been visiting friends in and near Allegan the last two weeks. On Sabbath, October 22, he occupied the pulpit in the Allegan church.

Brother S. S. Gray is holding Sunday evening meetings in Benton Harbor at present, and reports a good interest. Elder Videto occupied the desk Sunday, October 23, his subject being "Higher Criticism."

Brother W. D. Russell of Allegan who underwent a critical operation in the Allegan hospital, September 23, and who was given up by the doctors to die, is now convalescent and is expected to be about his usual work soon.

Elder A. Smith recently received a telephone call from an undertaker in Grand Rapids to meet a funeral cortege at a certain cemetery, and perform burial rites for a deceased one not of our faith. One of our brethren rendered a very appropriate solo. It was very evident that the Lord blessed in the entire service, and that an excellent impression was made upon the people.

### North Michigan

Brother H. W. Johnson is spending a few days in the field with some of the canvassers.

Brother Walters of Mt. Vernon, O., spent Sabbath and Sunday at Petoskey and rendered good help in the Sabbath-school.

Brother J. B. Mathewson of Rose City has moved to South Lancaster, Mass., where his daughter, Mrs. O. Montgomery, is living.

Mrs. Edith Wood and family have moved to Petoskey from East Jordan that the children may have the benefit of the church-school.

Because of the smallpox at Frankfort, Brother Niehaus could not meet with that church, Oct. 24, 25. Nov. 4-7 he has an appointment with the Mt. Pleasant church.

The church-school at Traverse City is in a flourishing condition. Miss Janie Sweet is teacher. Twenty-three pupils attend, and of this number six are not of our faith.

Now that our people in general have taken action toward reviving the old time missionary societies, we look for a deeper consecration and a forward move in spiritual lines.

Nearly all the church clerks have sent in reports for the past quarter, but a few are still out and we would be pleased to hear from them so that we may have a correct list of our church officers.

The Traverse City church has a very active auxiliary—a Ladies' Aid Society—which has a good attendance at its weekly meetings. At present they are making rugs for which there is a demand.

We would like to see good periodical workers located at Petoskey and at other large cities in our conference. If any one would like to take up this work, please write to our missionary secretary, Jno. H. Niehaus, Petoskey, Mich.

Mrs. J. J. Irwin and children have gone to Arizona to spend the winter with her parents. It was thought the change of climate would be beneficial to her health. Elder Irwin accompanied her as far as Chicago, where he was called to attend a meeting of the Lake Union Committee. He will visit several of the churches in the Upper Peninsula before returning to Petoskey the first of November.

### Southern Illinois

Miss Edith Shepard visited the church-school in Peoria last week.

Elder E. A. Bristol and E. M. Fishell spent Sabbath, the 29th, with the Champaign church.

Brother J. E. Dent made the office a call last week. He expects to move from Jacksonville to Du Quoin soon.

Mrs. Jessie McElvain, of Urbana, Ill., was called to Topeka, Kansas, recently on account of the illness of her mother.

The company at Mattoon have ordered a supply of Family Bible Readings to distribute to the homes in their city.

Brother Fred Minen of Washington, Ill., is selling "Great Controversy" among the German population in Tazewell Co.

Sister J. H. Griffith and husband of St. Elmo have gone to Washington to spend the winter on account of Sister Griffith's health.

Brother W. B. Crabtree of Peoria and R. O. Dickson of La Harpe are planning to enter the canvassing work in the near future.

Next week, Brother J. L. Applegate will locate at La Harpe with Brother Dickson, and begin canvassing for "Great Controversy."

Elder E. A. Bristol attended a joint meeting of the Lake Union Conference Committee and the Swedish Seminary Board held in Chicago the 24th.

Elders B. F. Stureman and C. H. Bliss have returned to Peoria. Sisters Mary Craig and Minnie Hooker will connect with the work in this city.

We hope all are busy this week distributing the Harvest Ingathering number of the *Review*. Now is the time to solicit donations for foreign missions.

The Farmington church held the Home Missionary Service Sabbath, the 22d. The Lord blessed in this meeting and many reconsecrated themselves to the Lord and His work.

The tent at Shelbyville was taken down last week, and a hall has been rented to continue the meetings in. Elder Woodford and Brother Schwartz will follow up the interest at this place.

Frank Hicks of Foosland, and Miss Flora Turner of Springfield were united in marriage at the home of the bride, Thursday evening, October 20, Elder Bristol officiating. They will reside at Foosland.

#### Northern Illinois

Elder Wm. Covert went to Princeton last Friday and spent Sabbath with the company there.

Elder C. T. Everson was called to Kankakee last week to assist in conducting the funeral services of Sister DeVere.

Nearly ten thousand copies of the Harvest Ingathering *Review* have already been ordered by churches and individuals. We hope every one will

try to have a part in this work. It is worthy of our best efforts.

Elder M. H. Serns has prepared a neat little announcement of the public services now being held at the Life Boat Home, 528 E. 33d Place. Three meetings are held each week at 7:30 P. M. Sunday, Wednesday, and Friday.

As has been appointed, an offering will be taken up in all the churches, Sabbath, Oct. 29, for the benefit of the Loma Linda College of Medical Evangelists. We hope all will feel an interest in this work and will give liberally.

The architect's plans for the Chicago colored church are ready and the work of construction will begin soon. It would be a great help to us if the unpaid pledges to this work could be paid now. We trust all will lend a helping hand in this good work.

We hope all will study the ten-cent-a-week report appearing in this issue of the *HERALD*. Also, that each one will ask the question, Have I given ten cents a week to missions this year? Evidently some have not. Let us unitedly pull together for a large harvest ingathering for missions between now and Jan. 1.

#### Wisconsin

The little child of Brother Louis Scholz, one of our faithful canvassers, has been seriously ill of pneumonia, but is now recovering.

Miss Eva Proctor, after a few weeks pleasantly spent with friends at Bethel and Grand Rapids, returned last week to her home at Nashville, Tenn.

After several days of rest at Rice Lake, Wis., Elder and Mrs. C. McReynolds were called to Wellman, Iowa, by the serious illness of his brother.

Mr. and Mrs. John Armitage moved from Wausau to Portage. This change will encourage and strengthen the little company at Portage. Brother Armitage made this office a pleasant call en route.

We are now filling cooking-oil orders from our last barrel of oil. After this is gone we will handle it no more, in harmony with the action of the conference at the late camp-meeting. Please send in your orders at once. Price is \$4.75 per five gallons.

Teachers in our Sabbath-schools will find the birthday cards sent out by the Sabbath-school Department an appropriate and very acceptable little gift to their pupils. They are artistic and the sentiment is beautiful and appropriate. They are five cents each or 25 cents for six.

We have now received orders for about 11,000 of the *Missions Review*. This is not yet up to previous years, and the time is almost here to begin this campaign. Those who have not

yet ordered, however, need not be discouraged, as the good work may be kept up until the close of the year. Orders, though, should come in at once.

Some of the Sabbath-school secretaries seem to have forgotten to send in the report of their school. Will all who have thus far failed in this please send in report *at once* to the Sabbath-school department. Blanks were sent to all schools near the close of the last quarter, but if any have failed to reach their destination, we will gladly send more on application.

Near Albany, Wisconsin, Oct. 12, 1910, Howard Loftin of Madison, Tenn., was united in marriage to Miss Bessie B. Lewis of Mount Pleasant, Wis., Elder D. H. Oberholtzer officiating. Their future home will be Madison, Tenn., where Mr. Loftin is employed as a teacher. Mrs. Loftin will finish a course in the Nurses Training-school there.

#### Indiana

Are you taking the *Review*?

Brother N. L. Taylor attended the general meeting at Honey Creek last week.

Are you planning to take part in the special Harvest Ingathering Campaign which begins this week?

The conference office was recently favored with a pleasant call from Miss Laura Carahoo of Edinburg, Indiana.

The Indianapolis church-school, with Miss Mayna Miller as teacher, has a present enrollment and attendance of fourteen.

Sister R. W. McMahan visited Beechwood Academy last week in the interest of the educational department of which she is secretary.

Elder W. A. Young visited the scattered believers at Auburn last week and arrived at Ligonier for the general meeting on Wednesday evening, the 26th ultimo.

Brother J. Harvy Shrock who taught the church-school at Anderson last year is attending Emmanuel Missionary College at Berrien Springs, Michigan, this season.

Dr. F. A. Loope, who succeeded Dr. Worster as superintendent of the Wabash Valley Sanitarium, is quite busy these days attending the patients of the institution.

Kindly notice the \$300,000 Fund statement in another column of this paper, and observe how your church stands in this matter. Has it paid its full quota of this fund?

Elder Morris Lukens and Sister Lukens left Indianapolis, Oct. 22, to attend the general meeting at Honey Creek and Lebanon. They expect to be gone from the city about two weeks.

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Elder A. L. Miller and Brother R. C.  
 Spohr left Indianapolis last Wednesday  
 morning to attend general meetings at  
 Ligonier and Rochester.

Elder W. A. Young recently visited  
 the small company at Fort Wayne, and  
 has sent in their order for five copies of  
 the Present Truth Series of the *Signs*.

Two months remain in which we may  
 make our total tithe for this year.  
 What will be the complete amount of  
 tithe that Indiana has paid during 1910,  
 when the records are closed December  
 31?

Up to October 26, 1910, the confer-  
 ence office had received orders for 8,400  
 copies of the Harvest Ingathering num-  
 ber of the *Review*. We trust that our  
 people who have not already done so,  
 will send in their orders for a supply of  
 these papers.

Three persons have recently been  
 baptized by Elder A. L. Miller, a brother  
 and a sister who have joined the  
 newly organized church at the Soldiers'  
 Home at Lafayette, also a sister living  
 at Indianapolis.

During October, Elder O. S. Hadley  
 baptized three persons all of whom  
 united with the West Side church of  
 Indianapolis. Two others are keeping  
 the Sabbath as a result of the Bible  
 readings given by Sister Hadley.

Our missionary secretary, Brother  
 R. C. Spohr, our educational secretary,  
 Mrs. R. W. McMahan, and Prof.  
 Burton Castle attended the Boggstown  
 church on the occasion of the October  
 Fourth Sabbath Missionary service and  
 assisted the elder, Brother J. W. Johns-  
 ton, in conducting the meeting.

Elder A. L. Miller spent Sabbath,  
 October 22, at Lafayette with the Wa-

bash Valley Sanitarium and Soldiers'  
 Home churches, at both of which quar-  
 terly services were held. Impressive or-  
 dination services were also conducted,  
 elders having recently been elected in  
 both churches, Brother N. H. Pool of  
 the Sanitarium church and Brother Joel  
 Yeager of the Soldiers' Home church.

The general meeting at Marion has  
 been changed to begin one week earlier  
 than at first appointed on account of a  
 general committee meeting to which  
 Elder Lukens has been called.

Two of our last year's church-school  
 teachers have gone to other fields: Miss  
 Belva Vance is receiving preparation in  
 the Foreign Mission Seminary at Wash-  
 ington, D. C., for South America, while  
 Miss Bertha Bartholomew is teaching in  
 South Carolina.

On next Wednesday, a general meet-  
 ing is to begin at Marion and on Thurs-  
 day one at Grass Creek. Elders Luk-  
 ens, Miller, and Roberts, Mrs. Lukens  
 and others are expected to attend the  
 Marion general meeting; Elder W. A.  
 Young and Brethren N. H. Pool and  
 R. C. Spohr the one at Grass Creek.

#### Beechwood Academy

Our music department of nine stu-  
 dents is in charge of Lowell M. Knapp.

Miss Alta M. Clapper, one of our  
 graduates last June, is teaching the  
 church-school at Dana this winter.

Two of our 1910 graduates are in at-  
 tendance at Emmanuel Missionary Col-  
 lege this year: Paul Ford and Rex  
 Coble.

An interesting Sabbath-school is con-  
 ducted each Sabbath by the following  
 officers: Susie Blake, superintendent;  
 Russell Harrison, assistant superintend-  
 ent; Olive Woodward, secretary; Guy  
 Crary, assistant secretary; and Gladys  
 Pool, organist.

At the academy young people's  
 meeting Sabbath afternoon, October  
 22, a portion of the time was occupied  
 by Brother Spohr who spoke with em-  
 phasis of the importance of allowing  
 the Spirit of God to rule in the life of  
 each individual instead of the ever  
 present opposing force, the power of  
 Satan.

The academy spent two days last  
 week in collecting contributions for  
 missions, using the Harvest Ingather-  
 ing *Review*. Mrs. C. L. Taylor distrib-  
 uted eighteen papers, receiving \$6.  
 Some of the students also had excellent  
 success. About 275 papers were used  
 and over \$30 received during the two  
 days' work. This is the initial effort,  
 to be followed by further work as op-  
 portunity affords.

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 ference Office, a young man who has  
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 tional Convention held at Berrien Springs,  
 Mich., is now ready. Some of its more  
 important features which will appeal to  
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