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

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For me—fall my fortune as it may—
A comfort and a strength it is to know,
That, whereso'er I go,
There is the same heaven over me on high,
Whereon in faith to fix the steady eye;
The same access for prayer,
The same God, always present everywhere;
And if no home, yet everywhere the bed
Which earth makes ready for the weary head.
—Robert Southey.

WEST MICHIGAN

Muskegon Camp-Meeting

The grove in which the Muskegon camp-meeting is to be held is looking fine. It will be as nice a camp as West Michigan has had for some time. Every tent will be in the shade. The camp will be only one and one-half blocks from the street-car, and the Muskegon and Grand Rapids interurban.

Orders are coming fast for tents. Tents 12x16 rent for \$3, and 14x16 for \$3.50; chairs for ten cents. Lumber will probably rent for about 75 cents a hundred. The price is not definitely fixed yet. There will be tables and springs and cots on the ground for rent. The cots will rent for 25 cents. The price of springs and tables will be announced later.

A new dining-tent has been purchased and a dining-tent outfit, which will make it very much more convenient than last year. Preparations are being made early for the grocery and a lunch counter. Two meals only will be served in the dining-tent, but a lunch counter will be conducted for the benefit of all who wish to have the third meal. This arrangement has been made to give the help in the dining-tent the benefit of the evening meetings.

S. E. WIGHT.

The Canvassing Field

The Fourth of July celebrations made it more difficult for our canvassers to reach the people the past week, consequently our report has gone down a little. Most all the workers, however, have now returned to the field, and the work will go forward with increasing success.

Miss Inis Morey, who has been in this work three and a half weeks, writes: "The Lord has certainly blessed me this week. He has answered prayer so definitely. I have now earned my first scholarship."

We are glad to see Brother D. C. Hunt in the field again. He writes: "There are some honest souls in this territory

who need the truth, and it is my desire to find them." Brother Hunt was blessed in placing a "Great Controversy" in the home of a U. B. minister last week.

Miss Mable Hunt who has begun work in Grand Rapids was blessed with over seven dollars' worth of orders in three hours. This is an opportune time to work the cities. There seems to be an awakening everywhere, and O, for more consecrated men and women to carry the message! There is a crying need for more of these self-supporting workers who will carry the blessed books to the people. The Lord says to you: "Go ye also into the vineyard, and whatsoever is right that shall ye receive."

J. H. MCEACHERN.

Muskegon

We came to this place and began meetings Sunday evening, June 18. We have been pleasantly situated, and only one thing marred our encampment and that was the lack of interest on the part of the people to hear the message.

We gave out hundreds of special invitation cards, yet the people would not come.

We have succeeded in getting a brief notice of the sermons in the daily papers, but generally all one could get out of it was that Seventh-day Adventists were holding meetings on Fifth Street.

Muskegon is in the truest sense a cosmopolitan town as well as a city of churches, there being no less than forty-two.

Mrs. Sanders and Mrs. Bayley have held children's meetings with a good attendance, but this failed to bring out the parents to our services.

Brother Richardson, Sister Pitton, and Sister Morey are canvassing in the city. They find it a hard field, yet are meeting with some success.

Our quarterly meeting was held Sabbath, July 8. It was indeed a refreshing time. The Lord came near and all seemed to grasp the idea that a new experience must be theirs in order to keep abreast with the message. We took up our mid-summer offering and received \$24.17 in cash.

At this meeting six were taken into the church, and on Sunday, July 9, we all went to Mona Lake, where it was a privilege to bury these precious souls in the watery grave. These were all the result of the work of Sister Jennie De-Young, who has been doing faithful Bible work in Muskegon and vicinity the last year.

Our people here have all been faithful in attendance at our meetings, which has been a great help. We are all a united company and happy in the work.

We shall begin meetings at Muskegon Heights, Friday, July 14. Brethren and sisters, pray for the work here in Muskegon, that precious souls may be led to accept the third angel's message.

C. N. SANDERS,
C. A. RUSSELL,
H. G. BAYLEY.

EAST MICHIGAN

Our Books Can Be Sold in the Cities

While in Detroit last week Sister Countryman, who is canvassing there, told the following bit of experience: She

went out one of these very warm days, and in addition to many encouraging experiences with the people she took orders to the value of \$32.25 in five hours. Eleven dollars worth of these orders was taken without her giving a canvass, or without solicitation. Persons who had come to know something about her work asked for the book. This work she is carrying on in the city of Detroit where many have thought that our books could not be sold successfully. She has been working in that part of the city where our work has been established for many years. Sister Countryman possesses no extraordinary ability, but she is having success, as scores of others in our conference might have, because she has consecrated herself to this work in such a way that the Lord is especially blessing her. We hope that many others may be encouraged to give their lives to this splendid branch of the Lord's work. Thousands of copies of our excellent books can and will be sold in our large cities.

E. K. SLADE.

Detroit

Brother and Sister M. Luchenbill arrived in the city June 22, and took their places in the Bible Training-school the 26th. We now have a family of eleven, and expect a few more soon. The Holy Spirit has come very near to us as we have rededicated ourselves and the building to God. The church has made the rent very reasonable to us. We have at present thirteen rooms. September first we shall have the other two.

W. H. SAXBY.

A Request

The conference committee and members of the Training-school would be very glad to have the brethren and sisters of the East Michigan Conference kindly remember us in donations of canned, dried, or fresh fruit (We would be especially glad of dried or fresh fruits), potatoes, etc. Brother M. Luchenbill will be glad to correspond with any who are interested in helping the work here, and to answer all questions. We have already received from a sister, a much appreciated gift of a full set of new dishes.

We earnestly desire to be remembered in your prayers.

426 Trumbull Ave.

W. H. SAXBY.

Our Canvassers

C. J. HARTSON.—“I am rejoicing in the Lord to-day and praise His Holy name for sparing my life to take part in the canvassing work. I am thankful for the way God blessed my first two days in the field. The people were very kind, and their hearts seemed to be touched when told of Christ's soon coming. Surely the harvest is ripe and the day is far spent. The Lord needs more help in all branches of His work, especially in scattering the leaves of truth.”

F. W. BRAINARD.—“The Fourth of July was a good day for me. I met some fine people, and I am glad I worked.”

A. L. VANFOSSEN.—“It is God that girdeth me with strength and maketh my way perfect.” Ps. 18:32. “This has been a week filled with blessings and rich experiences. The morning of July 4, I started out believing the Lord would keep home those families whom He wished to hear the message; and praise His Holy name, I found only three families away from home. I felt His presence with me from the very start and every moment through the day, making it the best day of the week. That night I stayed at a home where I had taken an order the week before. After supper I was sitting in the yard reading my Bible; the lady came to the door and said, ‘I have felt like a different woman ever since you were here last Thursday, and everything has seemed so different—you will never know much good you have done me.’ I told her not to give me the praise, but to give all praise to God. No one but God knows how my heart rejoiced as I looked back over the day in which for ten

hours He had been pouring out His blessings upon me, and then to hear such words from one seeking a closer walk with Jesus.”

News Notes

Five new converts were baptized by Elder D. P. Wood at Wolf Lake, June 11.

Elder Slade was in Detroit July 6 and met in council with the workers at the Institute.

Elder Beebe and Brother Hiner met with the church at Alma, Sabbath, July 8; and last Sabbath they were at Ithaca.

Elder Sandborn was at home a few days last week because he was not feeling well. He is again able to be with the tent company at Flint.

Elder Slade visited the tent company at Flint, Friday, July 7, and met with the churches at Saginaw and Bay City the following Sabbath.

Elder Ostrander took charge of the tent-meetings at Flint, Sabbath and Sunday, July 8, 9, in the absence of Elder Sandborn.

One of our faithful canvassers who had faith to believe that the Lord would keep at home those who were prepared to receive the message for this time, took 8 orders for “Daniel and Revelation,” and 75 cents worth of helps, July 4. We trust this will be an encouragement to those who are inclined to think they cannot sell books on a holiday.

Adelphian Academy Notes

Mrs. Floyd Fish has returned to her home at Otter Lake.

Our raspberry crop is good this year and the prices obtained are better than ever before.

On July 3, the Adelphian Academy board met to lay definite plans for the coming school year.

Sister Graham and her son, Harold, from Oxford, Mich., spent Wednesday, the 5th, at the academy. Harold will remain to work on the farm and expects to attend school.

Prof. C. L. Taylor spent Sabbath and Sunday with the church at Jackson. Several from there expect to enter the academy this year. The prospect is excellent for a large enrollment. School will open September 20.

Do you have a tent for the camp-meeting this year? Orders for family tents sent to the Adelphian Tent Company, Holly, Mich., at once, can be filled promptly. State what you need and we shall be glad to quote prices.

NORTH MICHIGAN

Mount Pleasant and Cedar Lake

Sabbath, July 8, I met with the church at Mt. Pleasant and had the privilege of baptizing six persons, five of whom had been brought into the truth by practical missionary work done by the members of that church, without any effort put forth by the ministry. I was very much impressed by this, and thought what a splendid thing it would be if the members of each church in the conference realized the privileges they have of bringing their neighbors into the truth. In fact, we exist for no other purpose than that of giving the message to those about us. I also thought that since we have so few ministers in the conference and are not able to visit each church very often that the work could be quickly finished if each church-member would do what he could to get the truth before his associates.

The following Monday I visited the Cedar Lake Academy and found that the building was ready for plastering. Repairs are being made in the dormitory, and when these are completed it will be much better than before. We expect a large number of students the coming year, and trust that many of our young people are making preparations to be present at the very beginning.

J. J. IRWIN.

Tithe Report for June, 1911

Alden	\$.....	Frankfort.....	16 46	Omer	35 21
Alpena	3 10	Gaylord.....	10 00	Petoskey.....	37 72
Baldwin.....	4 05	Grant	36 04	Rose City.....	2 64
Chase	9 84	Hancock		Riverside	36 32
Cedar Lake.....	24 86	Horr	55	Reed City.....	1 42
Cedar Run.....	3 31	Iron River	11 95	Scottville	16 70
Cleon		Leetsville	31 34	Stephenson	75 00
Cadillac	4 37	Menominee	10 80	Traverse City.....	44 42
Clarence	17 80	Mesick	7 30	Whittemore	29 35
Colfax	11 38	Marion	1 00	Wildwood.....	6 72
Dighton.....		Miscellaneous ..	50 00	Wilson	10 04
Ensign	1 08	Mt. Pleasant.....	8 14		
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NORTHERN ILLINOIS

Northern Illinois Camp-Meeting and Conference

We are favored with the free use of the city park at Aurora for our annual gathering. The park is located at the terminal of Fifth Ave., street car line and is about two miles from the C. B. & Q. station in the southeast part of the city. The place is well adapted for our purpose and the time, August 24 to September 3, is an ideal time for our people in this conference, so let there be a general rally from all the churches. We do not expect that everybody will come from every church, but we would like to see at least 500 of our brothers and sisters encamped on the grounds. Please to arrange business affairs so that you can attend the meetings and come at the beginning and stay until the close.

If God's people in ancient times needed three meetings annually to keep them abreast the of times, we certainly ought to attend one meeting a year in order to be consistent with our profession. Nearly every church in the conference is directly connected by transportation lines with Aurora and so this makes it favorable for all.

Family tents will be pitched upon the ground for campers and we would like to correspond with those who wish to rent tents. The tents are in excellent condition and the average of them are in size 12x14, with 5-foot wall. Where they are in first class condition the price will be \$3.00 for the meeting. If the tents are not the very best then the price will be made to suit conditions. We prefer not to furnish lumber for floors, but we will provide lumber of course, if the parties will pay us what it will cost us. We may be able to rent some and return it. Send orders for tents to the conference office, at 440 South Dearborn Street, Chicago, Ill.

WM. COVERT.

Streator

I enjoyed the privilege of working with the Streator church, June 30 to July 2. Though the weather was uncomfortable, we held four meetings and visited six families, and in all the visits and all the meetings good was accomplished. The last service was especially interesting. Two young sisters who have lately embraced the truth requested baptism. Aided by the light of the moon, a company found their way to the Vermillion River where the baptism was administered at 9:30 P. M. It was truly an enjoyable service.

WM. COVERT.

Tri-City Sanitarium

The board of trustees held their quarterly council at the sanitarium, July 3. It was encouraging from the standpoint of business to find the institution practically full. Many physicians are bringing patients in for treatment, so a fine patronage is enjoyed. A three-story stairway with open air sleeping apartments has just been completed. This serves an excellent purpose, both as an approved fire escape and well-screened, well-sheltered, and well-ventilated sleeping-

rooms. The brother who did the carpenter work is now head man in the gentlemen's treatment-rooms.

WM. COVERT.

Northern Illinois Conference

The eighth annual session of the Northern Illinois Conference of Seventh-day Adventists is hereby appointed to be held in the city park, Aurora, Illinois, August 22-24 and longer if more time shall be needed. This conference is for the purpose of electing the officers of the conference and transacting such other business as may properly come before the meeting. The opening meeting of the session is Tuesday, August 22, at 7:30 P. M.

Delegates should be elected by all churches in the conference, one for the church organization and one for each fifteen members belonging to the church. All certified conference laborers are delegates at large.

Churches should elect delegates immediately and send certificates of election to the conference secretary.

WM. COVERT, *President*;

H. E. MOON, *Secretary*.

News Notes

Brother L. E. Clarke made a very successful delivery of "Bible Readings" last week.

In our News Items last week we said that we expected to sell 1,200 magazines during July. We intended to say 12,000 copies.

The conference secretary and treasurer, Mr. H. E. Moon, and wife of Hinsdale were made very happy by the arrival of a baby boy at their home July 1.

We hear very encouraging reports from the tent-meetings on the South Side, conducted by Elders Serns and Collier. Some nights the tent has been entirely filled.

We now have a good stock of August *Life and Health*. The July edition of 65,000 copies was all exhausted July 9. This tells something of the popularity of our health magazine.

Misses Henrickson, Envall, and Lovegren, our Swedish periodical workers, are spending a few days at Rockford where they are all meeting with excellent success in their work.

A card just received from Brother James Prince of Camancha, Iowa, informs us that Sister Prince had fallen and broken several ribs. We hope she may soon recover from what must have been a painful experience.

Only five more weeks until camp-meeting. It is none too early to begin to plan for it. If the enemy has hedged up the way, ask the Lord to remove the hindrances so you can attend this annual gathering. Note particulars in Elder Covert's article in this issue.

The total sales of ten cent magazines during the month of June were as follows: *Life and Health*, 5,403; *Signs Monthly*, 3,262; *Watchman*, 1,187; *Life Boat*, 1,200; *Youth's Instructor*, Temperance number, 650; *Protestant*, 56; *Liberty*, 12; or a total of 11,770 copies, having a retail value of \$1,177.

SOUTHERN ILLINOIS

Why We Are Going to Camp-Meeting

These camp-meetings, like the holy convocations of old, bring us in closer touch with each other. They give us broader views of the work of God. They make one feel that he is a part of the biggest thing ever carried on by the Lord among men. We get, at these meetings, a fitting up to more successfully do our part in the great work of preparing a people to meet the Lord when He comes.—C. H. BLISS.

Because we will have the opportunity of meeting with and encouraging our brethren who do not often have the privilege of associating with those of like faith. The sacred ordinances

of the Lord's house will be celebrated, giving all our isolated members an opportunity of coming close together and renewing their covenant with the Lord.—E. A. BRISTOL.

Not one of us can afford to miss this occasion. One sister who is crippled, shouted for joy when she found the camp-meeting would be held at Shelbyville and she could attend. We all ought to be joyful in our plans for this encampment and come expecting great blessings and God will not disappoint us.—W. E. SWARTZ.

Special lessons in Bible, nature, and busy-work will be given the children. Hints for Sabbath-school and young people's work will be suggested, Christian training for our youth will be considered, and parent's meetings will be held. Parents, the homeward march is nearly ended. Are you and the children ready to enter the heavenly kingdom? Our Father promises to meet us at the way station—camp-meeting. Come, and we will feast on the heavenly blessings together.—EDITH SHEPARD.

Opportunities to be more devotional and religious are afforded us at the prayer and consecration meetings, both public and private. At these meetings we can, with earnestness of heart, seek the Lord for His Holy Spirit, renew our vows, and further prepare for the return of our Lord and Master. The presentation of old truths in new settings cause us to obtain clearer views of truth and of God's requirements. The friendly, brotherly hand-clasp and smile given when we meet one another is an invaluable blessing; for as "iron sharpeneth iron; so a man sharpeneth the countenance of his friend."—L. W. BROWNE.

One place of interest to all on the camp-ground will be the book-stand. Here you will find a good assortment of Oxford Bibles at twenty per cent discount. Remember the opportunity to secure them at this price only comes once a year. We will have a variety of books, slightly damaged, which we can sell at a very low price and will also have some combination offers on our large subscription books. We will have a full line of children's books which they are always glad to see.—NETTIE EATON.

Surely none can well afford to miss this, another opportunity of demonstrating to the people of Shelbyville the precious message of our Lord's soon return. Shall we not everyone make a determined effort to be at this feast, and not only receive a blessing but impart to others what the Lord has given us. May this be the best camp-meeting ever held in Southern Illinois.—WM. WOODFORD.

To-day the canvassing work is a most important branch of the grandest soul-saving message ever given this earth. This being so, should it not occupy a prominent position at the camp-meeting and arrest the attention of all present? We, who are engaged in this work appreciate the fact that there must be an effort put forth by each of us to make it a success and place it in its true setting. Brethren and sisters, we earnestly beg all to come to the camp-meeting and witness for yourselves what God hath wrought and how remarkably He has fulfilled His word to us.—E. M. FISHELL.

Some excuse themselves from attending camp-meeting because they are too busy. We should go because here is where we get our spiritual strength renewed. The converting power of God is manifested at these meetings, possibly as it is nowhere else. Here parents see their children give their hearts to God which is worth a thousand times more than the expense. Many of our young people who are baptized at camp-meeting are those who were drifting towards the world before they came. Come, brethren and sisters, and enjoy with us the blessings which God will give to us at our next camp-meeting. Come praying that your own hearts may be touched and also the hearts of your children.—B. F. STUREMAN.

News Notes

Elder E. A. Bristol attended a meeting of the Peoria church, Sabbath, July 9.

Brother Hugo Mitzelfelt is assisting Brother Fishell in the canvassing work for a time.

The conference committee met at Springfield, July 6, and plans were laid for the coming camp-meeting.

Elder L. W. Browne will visit some of the churches in the conference in the interest of the work among the colored people.

Anyone willing to donate the lumber for a pulpit for camp-meeting, or the labor in making it, please write to E. A. Bristol.

Brother F. S. Pearce writes: "I talked with a friend Sunday night about the prophecies until after twelve o'clock. Since then he has desired to attend our Sabbath-school and is reading 'Daniel and Revelation.'"

Mrs. C. L. Paddock, Miss Bertha Ford, and M's. L. C. Shepard received their Standard of Attainment certificates this week. Several others are studying and we hope a number will pass this fall. Write to Miss Shepard for particulars.

The Champaign Sabbath-school secretary writes: "We have an increase in donations over last quarter which is partly due to the clock device employed. There are so many helpful suggestions in the *Worker*. I don't see how any school can get along without it. Our Birthday offerings are growing. We have had an offering every month but one so far this year. The primary teacher is trying the star device with success."

We were encouraged to receive the following from Brother Graham of Decatur: "Last Monday I received an order from a young colored minister. He gave me a good recommendation for the book, and said that he would come out to our Bible studies. Friday evening the superintendent of the Methodist Sunday-school attended the Bible study and seemed much interested. We have a number of outsiders attending our Sunday evening meetings and I expect more tonight."

WISCONSIN

Fall Camp-Meeting

It has been decided to hold a local camp-meeting at Ladysmith, August 22-27. We give notice this year early that all in the north part of the State may lay plans to attend. Good help will be furnished in all departments of work and it will be a profitable meeting. We will tell you more about this later on but wish, this early, to notify all of the time and place. "Plan your work and then work your plan," as one writer has said, and you will be at the meeting.

Not many from the north part of the State were in attendance at the annual camp-meeting at Portage, and this will be your opportunity to attend the Ladysmith meeting.

W. H. THURSTON.

Beloit

July 5, Elder Wellman and I pitched our tent in Beloit. The heat was very oppressive, but the Lord has been with us. Friends kindly assisted us in putting out our cards. We held our first meeting the evening of the 6th. The attendance has been encouraging, and the order and attention the best. May the blessing of the Lord rest upon the work everywhere this summer, is my prayer.

W. W. STEBBINS.

Barron and Ladysmith

On my way home from our good camp-meeting, I stopped with our people at St. Paul one day. After a few days at home, I visited the brethren at Barron. They seemed of good courage. From there I went to Ladysmith. A church was organized there last summer, but removals have reduced them to a small, but faithful company. We celebrated the ordinances—the second time since their organization.

I next went to Rice Lake, where I found Brother P. C. Hanson ready to start for his field of labor at Spooner. He does not yet feel very strong, so I went with him to help in locating and pitching his tent. I left Spooner for other places to be mentioned in my next report. JOHN HOFFMAN.

Milwaukee

The closing of Milwaukee stores and shops on Sunday, according to recent legislation, has renewed interest in the minds of those here who have heard the third angel's message. We are rapidly preparing our mission building for Bible training-school purposes, and expect to be in shape to begin the school by August 1. We solicit for this work the prayers of God's people.

B. L. POSE.

Spooner

We arrived here July 3, and found a beautiful location in a cluster of pine trees in the northwestern part of the village, on Franklin Street. On the 4th we began to pitch our tents and were ready to begin meetings the evening of the seventh.

We had distributed invitation cards to every home in the village. Our meetings began with an attendance of twenty, but the number gradually increased, and on Sunday night about fifty attended.

We have been treated very kindly by the people, and we pray and trust that God will bless our efforts to the saving of souls.

P. C. HANSON,

E. E. TROWBRIDGE.

Obituary of Miss Jennie Snow

Miss Jennie Snow of Bethel, Wis., was born in Leon, Wis., August 11, 1867, and died in Madison, Wisconsin, July 4, 1911, at the age of 43 years, 10 months, and 23 days. From childhood and youth Miss Snow was religiously inclined. At the age of thirteen she was baptized by Elder O. A. Olsen. She began teaching public school at the age of sixteen, and taught seventeen terms with marked success. Desiring to better fit herself for the Master's service, she attended Battle Creek College three years. She was one of the first teachers in our church-schools. She taught the first church-school at Bethel in a tent, about twelve years ago. She labored two years in Milwaukee after the death of her father. Last year she looked after the store at Bethel and did some teaching in the Bethel Academy. She was employed to teach in the academy the coming year. Miss Snow was a practical woman, thorough and systematic in all of her work, and continually striving for the mastery. Funeral services were conducted by the writer, assisted by Elder C. L. Stone, and C. G. Allen.

W. H. THURSTON.

Notice

Our conference association is in need of money to meet some notes now due. If any of our people have from two to five hundred dollars to lend for one or two years, we would be pleased to receive it.

A conference association note is perfectly good and will be accepted at the banks. Please let me hear from you regarding this matter if you have money to lend.

W. H. THURSTON, *Conference President.*

The Canvassing Work

The list of canvassers is now revised, making at present fifteen, or more. With the Lord as our Leader and all heaven anxiously waiting to cooperate in every way possible, the future looks very encouraging.

Some are, no doubt, wondering how our canvassers are getting on. All are mastering the difficulties along the way,

and will, I believe, stay by the work. The starting out is the hardest part, and if it ever seems impossible to go ahead, let us go ahead anyway.

As more reports come in, an outline of what is being done will be published.

F. O. HALDERSON.

Canvassers' Testimony Meeting

"I am determined to do my part and am growing in courage every day. I have many good experiences. 'Daniel and Revelation' previously placed in the homes is not often a hindrance but sometimes a help in securing an order for 'Bible Readings'. To be in this work is the greatest pleasure I ever had in my life."—N. O. K.

The week was one of great spiritual blessing to me, although the number of orders was small. I was brought to realize more than before the need of courage in the Lord and faith in His word. The blessings I have received amply repay me for the time and effort."—W. P. M.

"My orders are cut down a little this week but the blessings I have enjoyed have been richer than before. God is helping me to speak encouraging words to the people. I hope to bring in a report of twenty orders next week.—J. M. O."

"I am going to work for an average of 45 hours a week between now and my delivery. The people are kind and hospitable. I have no difficulty in finding places to stay over night. At one of these places the family bought 'Great Controversy' and 'Best Stories'. There are many of our books scattered through this country, mainly through the efforts of the Hallock family some years ago, and whenever we show our books it awakens a new interest in those already in the homes. While canvassing a lady she said she had a book almost like 'Great Controversy'. It was 'Prophecies of Jesus.' As I left the place she remarked that she would keep the book in a convenient place and read it again. I am of good courage.—E. T. B."

"Courage! One hundred per cent."—C. H. G.

News Notes

Elder Thurston was laboring at Eau Claire last week.

August periodicals will be ready in a very few days. Send in orders promptly.

Found,—on the camp-ground at Portage, a fever thermometer. Any one having lost such an article, please write the Wisconsin Tract Society.

We were greatly shocked the 6th inst. to receive a telephone message announcing the death of Sister Jennie Snow. Our sympathies are with the stricken mother and other friends.

A line from Elder Lewis informs us that he is getting nicely settled in Ashland, and that he has a fine location for the gospel tent, in the center of the city, overlooking the bay. When Elder Reed arrives they will pitch the tents and begin a series of meetings.

Two young men from the German Seminary at Clinton, Mo., have now connected with the canvassing work in this conference, and have been given territory in the southern part of the State where there are many Germans. We are all glad for this addition to our force of field workers.

We received a welcome call last Wednesday from Dr. O. V. Calkins of New London, superintendent of the flourishing Sabbath-school there. He reports a good interest in the practical lessons we are having. He went from here to Bethel for a few days' visit with his mother, Sister Pearl.

A sister in Portage writes: "We had a very interesting quarterly meeting. The Lord came very near to us by His Spirit and two—a man and woman—asked to be baptized next Sabbath. The Lord is surely good in thus adding to

our company the honest of heart. I deem it a great privilege to have a part in giving this last message."

Miss Anna Ashley of Weyauwega, one of our former periodical workers, now greatly afflicted by disease, is enjoying a tent pitched for her on her father's lawu. Word from Albert Carlsen, another esteemed former laborer of this conference, now sick at his home in Brainerd, Minn., shows that though weak in body, he is full of faith and trust in the wisdom of a Heavenly Father. Prayers are requested for each of these young people.

INDIANA

Indiana Camp-Meeting

August 3 will soon be here, when our camp-meeting will begin. The regular annual conference session will be held in connection with this camp-meeting, and we trust that there will be a full attendance of all delegates elected by the different churches at the very first session of the conference which will be held Friday morning at 10 A. M. Notices have been sent to all the churches by the conference secretary to elect the delegates, and we trust that each church has attended to this matter. If not, it should be done at once, and the names sent on to the conference office.

Those wishing tents should order them at once, placing the order with the conference office. We have received a few orders. It will be necessary for us to hire several tents this year, and in order that we may know just how many to hire and how to plan, we would be glad to know something about how many of our people are expecting to attend; so we would be glad to hear from all as soon as possible.

We plan to have men at the different stations with a badge on their coat marked "S. D. A. Camp," that they may be quickly and easily recognized, to direct all our people to the camp-ground, to assist in hand baggage, etc. Those who have baggage checks should give the same to these men that there may be no delay in getting the baggage to the camp-ground. Please take notice of this and be sure to deliver your check to the man who meets you at the train.

The meeting will be held on the Technical Institute grounds on East Michigan Street. Those coming by interurban should take the East Michigan Street car one block south of the terminal station and get off at the Institute grounds. Those coming over the steam roads should take an Illinois Street car at the union station, get an East Michigan transfer; change cars at Washington Street, taking any car marked East Michigan.

We plan to rent our tents at the same rate as last year. Those desiring floors in their tents can secure them. Bed springs, cots, and chairs will be supplied at the usual rate.

We expect to have a good dining-tent run on the cafeteria plan, so that all who desire can secure meals at a reasonable rate. We will also have a grocery tent where all kinds of provisions can be secured without going off the camp-ground.

The book-tent will be under the direction of Brother Spohr and Brother Rans who will make this a special feature of the meeting.

Those who are expecting mail at the camp-meeting should arrange to have it addressed in care of the S. D. A. Camp-meeting, Technical Institute grounds, Indianapolis.

O. MONTGOMERY.

Among the Churches and Tent Companies

Since my last report I have visited four of the tent companies as well as a few churches. June 28 I went to Newcastle and visited the tent company there where I found the workers of good courage and laboring hard to work up an interest. I found their tent pitched in a delightful grove on one of the best streets of the city, but a few moments walk from the center of the town. Elders Miller and Lauda are conducting this effort, assisted by Brother and

Sister Rader who are rendering valuable help,—Brother Rader as tent master and Sister Rader playing the organ.

Sabbath, July 1, I spent with the Sautarium and Soldiers' Home churches. I conducted quarterly service in each place, assisted by Brethren Pool and Haughey. The day was very hot, yet it was a pleasant occasion, and the Lord met with us.

Wednesday, the 5th, I left Indianapolis for Carbon where I visited Brethren Kelley and Beuchel who are conducting a tent effort there. It was the night of the Fourth and we could hardly expect much of a turn out at the meeting, yet a number of interested ones gathered in the tent who listened very attentively to a stirring talk on "The Immutability of the Law," by Brother Kelley. Thursday evening Brother Beuchel spoke on "Christ in the Law."

I was very much pleased to have this privilege of becoming acquainted with these young men and their wives who are working earnestly to give the last message of warning. The Lord is blessing in a degree, and while they are not in the most favorable location, still we trust the Lord will bless their efforts with some sheaves for the heavenly garner. They were of good courage in the Lord.

Sabbath, the 8th, Professor Avery and I met with the Anderson church, where we held an all-day's meeting. Most of the people brought their diuers as some lived at a considerable distance. This was a good day. The Lord came near and blessed us. In the evening a business meeting was held with the church to plan for the church-school work for the coming year. The school board was elected and provision made for conducting the next term of school. We were very much pleased, indeed, with the day's meeting and enjoyed getting acquainted with the Anderson church.

Sunday, the 9th, we went to Muncie, holding a meeting with the church in the afternoon and another in the evening. The announcement was not very well circulated, so there was not a very large attendance of the church, yet we had a pleasant and profitable time.

(Concluded next week)

O. MONTGOMERY.

Camp-meeting, August 3-13. Be sure to be there.

Brother N. H. Pool is making a trip among the churches of the western part of the State.

Brother W. P. Schuster has recently returned to Indianapolis and has opened treatment-rooms at 1553 Southeastern Ave.

Brother A. N. Anderson was out of the city for a few days last week on a little vacation. He returned the first of the week.

Brother N. L. Taylor visited several of our canvassers in the northern part of the State last week. The prospects are good for a number to join the canvassing band soon.

We need some good able-bodied men to assist in preparing the camp-ground during the workers' meeting which begins July 24. Cannot some of our churches send some good help?

We have the promise of good General Conference help at this camp-meeting. The prospects are bright for the largest meeting ever held in Indiana. Come and stay clear through the ten days.

Elders Montgomery and Young will hold a general meeting with the Oolitic church, Sabbath and Sunday, the 22nd and 23d. This meeting will be held in a grove, and all our people living near are invited to attend.

Do you need a good Bible? We believe we will have what you want at camp-meeting for we are going to have the largest line of Oxford Bibles ever shown at an Indiana camp-meeting. The usual discount of twenty per cent will be given at this time.

A large book order is being placed with the Review and Herald Publishing Association this week to supply the demands of our people at the coming camp-meeting. Those in charge of the book-tent will be glad to have all examine the fine stock of denominational literature that will be displayed there.

Indiana Conference

The 38th annual session of the Indiana Conference of Seventh-day Adventists will be held in connection with the camp-meeting on the grounds of the Winona Technical Institute, Indianapolis, Ind. The first meeting will be called at 10 A. M., August 4, 1911. Each church in the conference is entitled to one delegate for its organization and one additional delegate for each fifteen members. The purpose of this meeting is for the election of officers for the ensuing year and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the conference. A full delegation is requested from all our churches.

O. MONTGOMERY, *President*;
A. N. ANDERSON, *Sec'y.*

The Indiana Association of Seventh-Day Adventists

The first meeting of the regular annual session of the Indiana Association of Seventh-day Adventists will be held on the camp-ground in Indianapolis, Ind., Monday, August 7, 1911, at 10 A. M., in connection with the Indiana camp-meeting. At this meeting members of the board of directors will be elected to fill the places of those whose terms of office expire, and such other business transacted as may come before the association. The legal voters of this association are the regularly appointed delegates from the different churches to the Indiana Conference, the members of the executive committee, and such other persons as are employed by the Indiana Conference.

O. MONTGOMERY, *President*;
W. A. YOUNG, *Sec'y.*

The Indiana Medical Missionary and Benevolent Association

Notice is hereby given that the first meeting of the regular annual session of the Indiana Medical Missionary and Benevolent Association will be called at 10 A. M., Tuesday, August 8, 1911, in connection with the camp-meeting at Indianapolis, Ind. At this meeting members of the board of directors will be elected to fill the places of those whose terms of office expire, and such other business transacted as may come before the association. The legal voters of this association are the regularly appointed delegates from the different churches to the Indiana conference, the members of the executive committee, and such other persons as are employed by the Indiana Conference.

O. MONTGOMERY, *President*;
H. E. SANDERS, *Sec'y.*

Emmanuel Missionary College

Mr. Dan Burgeson spent a few days at home recently but has now returned to the field.

Miss Vargason and Miss Worster, students at the College in 1909-10, were with us several days recently.

Mrs. Mortenson and Miss Frieda Earl, a former student, were at the College over Sabbath and Sunday.

Prof. M. E. Kern and family were welcome visitors July 3-5. The talks of Professor and Mrs. Kern were very helpful.

The old barn at the foot of the hill below the point has been torn down and the timber is being used to build a tool shed by the large barn.

The College calendar will be ready for distribution in a few days. If any who have made application for a calendar have changed their address since making the application, please notify us.

Prof. E. L. Stewart, former president and Bible teacher of Walla Walla College and later president of the Western Washington Conference, has accepted the position of Bible teacher at the College.

Outline Studies from the Testimonies

Many have desired to know the nature of the little book, "Outline Studies from the Testimonies." A few words will explain.

It outlines general topics, such as Health Reform, Amusements, Second Tithe, The Sabbath, etc. Each general topic is divided into subheads which are followed by references to the volume, page, and paragraph, where the most direct and concise statements are found treating on the particular phase of the subject desired.

Frequently we hear persons make widely varying statements regarding what the Testimonies teach. This book furnishes a "ready reference" to just what Sister White has written. When matter is used from unpublished Testimonies or from publications that are now out of print, these are given in an appendix.

At the close of each lesson are questions for suggestive study. Here are a few samples: Should Christmas be observed by Seventh-day Adventists? Why did God permit the post-diluvians to eat meat? Name the presidents of the General Conference in correct order. Is it right to offer rewards in our Sabbath-schools? Is the Holy Spirit a personal being? Can Satan read our thoughts? Should a Seventh-day Adventist physician accept pay for services rendered on the Sabbath?

The answers to the above and many similar questions are given in the book. The price of "Outline Studies from the Testimonies" is twenty-five cents, postpaid. Orders may be sent to your tract society or to C. L. Taylor, Holly, Mich.

C. L. TAYLOR.

Notice

This is to say that A. C. Patterson, an exemplary young man of Milton, Wis., a Seventh-day Adventist, has completed the course in book-keeping in the Capital City Commercial College of Madison, and is desirous of a position as book-keeper with our work. Good references can be furnished if desired. There is no opening for him at present in Wisconsin, and if any conference or any institution in the L. U. C. is in need of a bookkeeper, Brother Patterson will do you good service. Address A. C. Patterson, Milton, Wis.

W. H. THURSTON.

WANTED.—At the Wabash Valley Sanitarium, an experienced laundry man. None but those having experience need apply. First class references required. Do not write us unless you have the necessary qualifications. Wabash Valley Sanitarium, La Fayette, Ind.

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Mrs. Lou Kirby-Curtis - - - - - EDITOR

The cover of the August *Signs* is a reproduction in colors of a beautiful oil-painting illustrating a forest fire by moonlight, with Mount of the Holy Cross in the distance—a Colorado scene. Some of the leading articles are: "The Sabbath—Its Real Significance," by Mrs. Adelaide D. Wellman. "This Generation Shall Not Pass," a good, strong article, by the Editor. T. E. Bowen contributes a candid, logical, and forceful article on "Are Seventh-day Adventists False Teachers and Impostors?" William Covert continues his studies in Old Testament history. Dr. Paulson contributes a splendid article on the beginning of the modern health movement, or the origin of graham bread. Mrs. E. G. White in the "Netherlands and the Reformation." This timely number is well and appropriately illustrated, and is sure to prove a good one for our agents.

Two pamphlets of especial interest have recently come to our desk. The first, entitled "A Problem and a Solution," contains much historical information about the negro, encouraging items of progress, and a careful study of educational problems among the negroes of the South. It is concisely written, illustrated from photographs, and neatly printed.

The other is a sixteen page price list of the Nursery Department of the Hillcrest School Farm. This department has been established to provide profitable employment for students who must earn their support while obtaining an education.

Copies of either or both of the above may be obtained by writing Hillcrest School Farm, R. F. D. 3, Northeast Station, Nashville, Tennessee. All interested in the work among our colored people will find a careful reading of "A Problem and a Solution" both interesting and helpful.

CANVASSERS' REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING

JULY 7, 1911

North Michigan

Canvasser	Book	Hrs	Ords	Value	Helps	Total	Del.
R. J. Gosden.....B. F.	29	9	10	00	1 00	11 00	1 00
Margaret Foster.....P. G.	11	3	9	00	.....	9 00	.....
K. V. Bjork.....F. R.	53	4	9	00	2 15	11 15	45 20
	93	16	29	00	3 15	31 15	46 20

Indiana

Robert Joyce.....D. R.	43	7	24	00	21 55	45 55	173 00
Wm. Sunday.....D. R.	28½	1	3	00	1 75	4 75	.....
O. J. Dunlap.....C. K.	18	2	3	00	75	3 75	2 25
H. W. Plake.....C. K.	52	9	14	00	5 25	19 25	1 75
H. Hoyt.....D. R.	6	3	10	00	.....	10 00	.....
C. O. Peterson.....G. C.	44	9	27	00	1 50	28 50	1 50
R. R. Coble.....G. C.	42	20	66	00	.....	66 00	.....
Miss M. E. Coker.....P. G.	24	2	7	00	50	7 50	50
	257½	53	154	00	31 30	185 30	179 00

Wisconsin

J. M. Olson.....G. C.	44	10	29	00	5 25	34 25	.....
V. R. Hellman.....G. C.	35	11	39	00	3 75	42 75	.....
W. P. McCrillis.....B. R.	36	3	10	00	1 40	11 40	90
Lawrence Georgenson.....B. R.	24	5	15	00	7 25	22 25	.....
Vera Mueller.....P. G.	16½	5	17	00	.....	17 00	.....
Edward T. Bush.....G. C.	28½	7	23	00	1 75	24 75	1 00
C. H. Georgenson.....B. R.	22½	9	27	00	.....	27 00	.....
N. O. Kittleson.....B. R.	46	17	54	00	2 00	56 00	.....
Louis Scholz.....B. R.	28	6	16	00	6 50	22 50	.....
	280½	74	230	00	27 90	257 90	1 90

East Michigan

A. L. VanFossen.....D. R.	43	20	58	00	3 00	61 00	9 50
Howard Wilcox.....D. R.	46	7	21	00	.....	21 00	.....
Oscar Boismier.....G. C.	25	2	6	00	5 75	11 75	4 50
A. E. McElmurry.....D. R.	41½	5	15	00	2 00	17 00	2 00
Helen Medford.....C. K.	24	13	19	50	.....	19 50	.....
Ernest Wonders.....C. K.	30	11	16	50	1 75	18 25	.....
Mrs. Countryman.....C. K.	14	9	15	00	43 50	58 50	59 75
F. W. Brainard.....D. R.	31	11	33	00	2 00	35 00	1 25
C. J. Harston.....D. R.	17½	13	41	00	.....	41 00	.....
	272	91	225	00	58 00	283 60	77 00

Northern Illinois

Carl Matteson.....P. J.	32	10	17	50	6 50	24 00	.....
Edwin Thiele.....D. R.	34	10	31	50	4 20	35 70	.....
Jos. Nixon.....G. C.	34	11	33	00	.....	33 00	.....
Chas. Andrews.....G. C.	35	11	37	00	3 60	40 60	1 20
C. A. Andrews.....G. C.	11½	6	22	00	.....	22 00	.....
A. J. Klooster.....D. R.	24	8	26	30	2 65	28 65	1 15
P. N. Pearce.....D. R.	37	5	15	00	75	15 75	.....
L. Clarke.....B. R.	37	16	50	00	.....	50 00	.....
*G. W. Saeffer.....D. R.	46	13	41	00	3 60	44 60	2 40
J. H. Hicks.....G. C.	15	8 00
Ernest Franklin.....D. R.	24	11	34	00	1 50	35 50
Edna Andrews.....P. G.	13	9	29	00	29 00
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Southern Illinois

J. A. Applegate.....D. R.	23	9	22	00	50	22 50
*Cora Anderson.....G. C.	72	13	39	00	19 50	58 50
J. E. Dent.....D. R.	19	5	15	00	.....	15 00	29 00
Mattie Dent.....D. R.	15	.....	.....	.....	4 00	4 00	29 00
Clarence Emerick.....G. C.	31	12	36	00	.....	36 00	.....
J. O. Ferris.....D. R.	22	10	32	00	.....	32 00	.....
E. L. Graham.....D. R.	28	13	40	00	4 00	44 00	.....
*J. R. Howard.....G. C.	62	14	42	00	.....	42 00	6 00
Hollis Nelson.....D. R.	27	5	15	00	.....	15 00	.....
F. S. Pearce.....D. R.	26	4	12	00	.....	12 00	.....
Hugh Stearns.....G. C.	32	9	27	00	27 00
W. C. Stearns.....G. C.	29	1	3	00	3 00
R. J. Watson.....G. C.	13	9	29	00	1 20	30 20
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West Michigan

Walter Boston.....C. K.	27	3	4	50	2 75	7 25
Frank Jorgensen.....G. C.	30	2	7	00	7 00	2 00
F. E. Parish.....G. C.	26	3	9	00	75	9 75	.....
W. N. Nelson.....D. R.	27	4	12	00	3 75	15 75	60
I. J. Piper.....G. C.	15	4	13	00	75	13 75	.....
J. C. Klose.....G. C.	14	4	12	00	1 50	13 50	.....
Inis Morey.....P. G.	26½	14	48	00	.....	48 00	.....
R. S. Shepard.....P. G.	25	15	49	00	3 45	52 45	.....
Bertha Rathbun.....G. C.	29	9	33	00	5 25	38 25	.....
Gladys McMillan.....G. C.	29	9	26	00	8 50	34 50	.....
A. L. Richardson.....B. R.	24	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	20 00
Timothy Hallock.....D. R.	20	2	6	00	2 25	8 28	.....
Otis Landon.....D. R.	10	17 00
D. C. Hunt.....G. C.	23½	4	14	00	3 35	17 35
E. M. Phillips.....G. C.	30	3	10	00	75	10 75
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69 Agents.	2000½	524	1528	50	\$205 40	\$1733 90	\$420 45
*Two Weeks.

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Northern Illinois

	Signs	L. & H. Watchman	Foreign
Genevieve Spohr	400
*Charlotte Hendrickson	148	332	242
Orra Bush	336	.....	.....
Bernice Harvey	204	.....	.....
Myrtle Blaine	325	.....	.....
Amelia Envall	74	70	63
Esther Lovegren	74	108	56
	1561	510	361
*Two weeks	.....	.....	.....