

# Lake Union Herald

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

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## Lake Union Conference Directory

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## Tent for Turkey

The tent for which the children of West Michigan are raising money has been made and sent on to be used as a meeting tent in Turkey this present season. This was made possible by the willing sacrifice of Brother D. H. Lewis and wife who gave their service in making the tent and preparing it for shipment. The Union Conference secured the money in advance for the material, thus helping the children to hurry the work.

The children can have the satisfaction of knowing that their tent is away in far-away Turkey, and in it the gospel is being preached to the heathen. May many souls be saved in the kingdom of heaven as a result of their having heard the truth in the gospel tent furnished by the children of West Michigan.

ALLEN MOON.

## The Work is Onward

A letter just received from the secretary of the General Conference contains the following paragraphs:

"The work is onward even though difficulties come with it. Just this morning I received a letter from China asking for eight more couples to be sent on to undertake the study of the language in China alone, while two or three for Japan are called for. Others are looking toward India. All this goes to make up a strong incentive for us to labor hard to provide the necessary fund to get these people out to these fields."

The situation in China is especially appealing just now, for through the revolution God has changed the aspect, materially, for aggressive work to be carried on in the great mission field.

It ought to appeal to every believer in the sacred Word, that now is being fulfilled before our eyes the promise that "this gospel of the kingdom shall be preached in all the world as a witness unto all nations." The Lord has done His part. All nations are now accessible, and He has put it in the hearts of men and women to offer themselves for service. The preaching must be done by men, not by angels. The church must send men to the heathen. The last-day church has a privilege that the church of no other generation has ever had. If the last-day church is faithful, it will receive a special reward. It will stand with the Lamb on Mount Zion.

Are these things growing stale and losing their reality to us? Nevertheless, the promise of God standeth sure. It is not the fault of the sure word if we have lost any of our in-

terest, but the cause must be somewhere else. The student of the Word and the times finds everything to encourage and strengthen his faith. "The morning cometh" is sure, for the signs are fast fulfilling. Only the inhabitants of earth fail to see the evidence. Those whose vision is turning earthward fail to see heavenward. God's people will arise and do the work. The number may be small by reason of the sifting now taking place, but so much greater will be the reward. "Let no man take thy crown," writes the apostle. Could the exhortation ever be more appropriate than now?

ALLEN MOON.

## Mid-Summer Offering

The time is near at hand when we will make glad the heart of our Father in heaven, and all the heavenly host, by the liberality of our offering. This willingness will bring joy to our hearts. The heathen of all lands are now receiving the gospel, and their hearts are being made glad by the joyful sound. The rapidity of the spread of the truth depends entirely on the liberality of believers in the home field in providing men and means for the work. How cheerfully these ought to be provided.

Would every Sabbath be too often to remember the Lord with a liberal offering to the mission fund between now and July 27, when the Mid-summer offering will clear away the deficit figures at the head of each conference section of the UNION HERALD.

All over this land there is a forward movement among the people to finish the work and finish it quickly. It is uncertain how long these favorable conditions may last, and they come but once in the history of this cause. The earnestness shown by our people in the following in the opening providence of God for the advancement of the truth is the measure of their own love of the truth. Many are eagerly watching the signs of the near approach of the coming Saviour, and are governing their acts accordingly. These will not be deceived or disappointed. They will have done their part in the closing work, and will be ready. May this be the case of all to whom God has revealed divine truth in these last days.

ALLEN MOON.

## Wisconsin Conference

Office Address, Grand Rapids, Wis.

President, W. H. Thurston; Sec'y-Treas., John McReynolds; S. S. Sec. Mrs. Mary Howell; Ed. and Y. P. Sec'y, Miss Frances L. Case; Sec'y and Treas. of the Tract Society, Mabel L. Cutler; Field Missionary Agent, H. W. Johnson, 227 Oak St., Stevens Point, Wis.

Required for Mission Fund 1st 6 months 1912	\$10,069.80
Received by Union	2,509.69
Balance due	7,560.11

## Our Tent Companies and Other Workers

During our annual camp-meeting held in Wausau there was sufficient interest aroused to demand that it be followed up with a tent effort. In view of this it was arranged for Elder B. L. Post, E. E. Trowbridge, and A. Belding with their wives, to remain there with a gospel tent and develop the

interest. They repitched their tent, gave due notice, and began meetings Sunday night, the 7th instant.

Elders P. C. Hanson and T. G. Lewis, with their families, assisted by two Bible workers, Miss Meister and Miss Scharfenberg, will pitch a tent in Richmond Center and begin meetings about the 10th.

Elder C. Edwardson and S. Sorenson, with their families, assisted by two Bible workers, Miss Odegaarde and Miss Jacobson, will locate a tent in Ashland, and they hoped to begin the meetings the 7th.

The matter of a German tent company has not been decided as yet. We thought to make our tent companies strong and thus be able to do effective work, and we are hoping, working, and praying for good results from each effort.

S. C. Hannon has been called to the French work, and Elder L. E. Wellman has been chosen to take his place as principal of the Clearwater Lake School. Elder John Hoffman will follow up some interests developed in his district. Elder P. M. Hanson will continue his labors in Trempealeau County, and other points where some have recently accepted the truth and others are investigating. Elder W. W. Stebbins will give his attention to the work in Milwaukee while Elder Post is out with a tent. Elder H. W. Reed will continue as chaplain of the Madison Sanitarium. Elder M. Stuckrath and Lewis Drews will continue developing interests aroused among the German people; they may pitch a tent after a fortnight. Miss Esther Anderson is spending the summer at her home in Iowa. Mrs. John Armitage will continue her labors in Portage until school begins. Miss Bertha Phelps will continue her work in Milwaukee, and so will John Steinell. Miss Sue Jones continues in Merrill. Israel Hill desires to go to Ontario and labor for a time among the Indians, as soon as the arrangements can be made.

Now as we have entered into another tent season, and, as it means a savor of life unto life or death unto death to many, how important that faithful work be done that many may be saved. It is not alone by presenting the truth from the pulpit that people will be convinced, but by every worker visiting the people in their homes and studying and praying with them. This is equally true of workers holding meetings in halls, school-houses, or cottages; house to house work must not be neglected.

Let us all pray the Lord to bless every effort put forth for the salvation of souls.

W. H. THURSTON.

### Among the Isolated

We have greatly enjoyed the work and shared many blessings with loved ones in the truth in the southeast part of the State, our district covering seventeen counties. For many years the "third angel" has been spreading his wings over this corner of the vineyard. As we look back over the year's work among the twenty churches in this district and recall to our minds the many good meetings and fireside councils mingled with earnest prayers we are grateful to our heavenly Father for the joy of victories gained and for the good He has enabled us to do. Thirty years have gone by since the Holy Spirit began to move my heart toward service for others and I am praising God today that for the last twenty-seven years God has given me grace, strength, and wisdom to keep loose from the world, and surrender everything to the proclamation of this all-important message. The powerful words of Rev. 6:14 have met a joyful, obedient response in my heart for fifty-seven years.

The joy of the past year's work has been augmented as I have sought out the lonely, isolated ones who are struggling to keep in touch with the great power of God that attends the message. I hope all these will study much the Word, the Testimonies, and the *Review and Herald*. There are sixteen or eighteen places that we have visited during the year. Let us pray for those whose voices cannot be heard in out

Sabbath meetings. Although this is an old field in the conference yet there are "gleaning grapes" to be sought out and found. Not many large clusters, but out on the outmost boughs and under the shading, covering branches we shall find them. He who thus goes forth weeping, "will surely come with joyful song when he beareth home his sheaves."

Sometimes I begin to wonder as age creeps on and strength begins to wane if I should be lonely and sad if I were to have to cease active service. But the joy of the certain knowledge of souls saved coupled with the grace of God will buoy us up and make old age sweet and fragrant. Till then I would devote my all to His blessed ministry. Brethren, let us be faithful, walking in all the light "having no part dark," loyal and true as stewards of "His goods," and offering freely of our nine parts making such a use of the mammon of this world, "that, when ye fail, they (the angels) may receive you into everlasting habitations." After many years of waiting and hoping the writer with his faithful companion joyfully cherish the scripture in Heb. 10:35 to 39. "For yet a little while," how short, how short! the coming One will be here and "will not delay." Verse 37. (Rotherham's translation.) Brethren cheer up, look up, lift up.

W. W. STEBBINS.

### News Notes

Elder Thurston went to Berrien Springs last Monday to attend the board meeting held there, and returned a few days later.

The August magazines are now ready, and will be up to the usual high standard. Send quickly for as many of these as you can use, for they will doubtless go rapidly.

The orchestra was a very enjoyable and helpful feature of the various services at camp-meeting; also solos, quartettes, and other special music. Our Midsummer offering is July 27 this year. Let all remember the date.

Arthur Belding came down from Wausau last Monday in charge of the tents and other camp-meeting paraphernalia. He returned to Wausau the same evening and will assist Elder Post and Brother E. E. Trowbridge in tent meetings there.

O. O. Potter, a successful canvasser, writes, "I am anxious to get in all the time I can canvassing. There is so much to do and so many people are hungering for truth, it is a pleasure to meet them and give them the message through the printed page."

Brother W. H. Worden, 1132 Michigan Ave., Stevens Point, Wis., would appreciate the gift of a German "Daniel and Revelation," for use in missionary work. We hope this item will be read by some one owning such a book who will be willing to donate it for a good cause.

Prof. E. E. Gardner held quarterly services at Tomah with the La Grange church, Sabbath the 6th instant. The Shennington Sabbath-school joined them and a good and profitable time was enjoyed by all present. A meeting was appointed to be held a little later for the purpose of electing trustees.

Another canvasser recently found himself in a Lutheran community where the Lutheran minister had forbidden his people to buy our books or even to allow the colporter inside their doors. He, however, was not discouraged but writes, "I shall go just the same and do what I can, for it is high time to work. I feel stronger than ever to work for the Lord and wish many more would do so before it is too late."

Send in your orders for the Sabbath-school Workers' Training Course books. Accompany your order by fifty cents and the books will be mailed you postpaid as soon as possible. Almost all we had were sold at camp-meeting, but we will order gladly for all who wish them. It is important that every teacher and officer in our Sabbath-school study these helpful books, and would be a splendid idea for each school to own a set for the benefit of future workers.

Elder C. McReynolds, religious liberty secretary of the New Mexico Conference, has sold his home in Las Vegas, New Mexico, and in September will locate with his family at Loma Linda, California, where they will build a cottage. Sister McReynolds has this summer completed the required two years in Spanish in the New Mexico State Normal, which finishes her preparatory work for the medical course, and will enter the Loma Linda Training School as a student this fall, having obtained an entrance certificate from the State Medical Board and been accepted by the college faculty.

## Indiana Conference

Office Address, 521 E. 23d St., Indianapolis.

President, O. Montgomery, Office Address; Sec'y-Treas., A. N. Anderson, 521 E. 23d St., Indianapolis; Ed. and M. V. Sec'y, Mrs. R. W. McMahan, 805 Meridian St., Anderson; S. S. Sec'y, Mrs. Dora Montgomery, 2253 N. Alabama St., Indianapolis; Medical Sec'y, Dr. F. A. Loop, Wabash Valley Sanitarium, Lafayette; Religious Liberty Sec'y, A. L. Miller, 1012 Oxford St., Indianapolis; Field Missionary Agent, O. Morris, 1722 South E St., Elwood.

Required for Mission Fund 1st 6 months 1912	\$6,984.90
Received by Union	2,117.04
Balance Due	4,867.86

## Indiana Camp-meeting

As has been announced several times, our camp-meeting will be held August 5 to 11 at Kokomo, Ind. We have secured the use of Patterson's Grove, which is located at the south end of Main Street. This is a beautiful piece of woods, only four blocks from the city car line, and but a short distance from the interurban line. Full directions for reaching the grounds will be given in a later issue.

We are anxious to make this camp-meeting stronger and better than any other camp-meeting ever held in Indiana. There will be a book tent at which special bargains in the book line will be offered,—greater inducements perhaps than have ever been offered before will be given. A provision tent and a good up-to-date cafeteria dining tent will also be conducted on the grounds. The whole will be electric lighted. No pains will be spared to make this camp-meeting all that it should be.

Now, brethren and sisters, be sure to come. Able help from outside of the State will be with us. Elder Moon, president of the Lake Union; Elder W. T. Knox, treasurer and vice-president of the General Conference; and Elder S. E. Wight, president of the Southern Union, will be with us, and no doubt other visiting brethren will come in. Begin today to pray for the success of the camp-meeting, and plan to be there Monday, August 5, and stay until Monday, August 12, without fail.

O. MONTGOMERY.

## An Important Change

I am sure our people in Indiana will be much interested to know that Brother A. N. Anderson who has done faithful and efficient work in our office for the past seven years, has recently been chosen by the Union Conference committee as secretary-treasurer and auditor of the Lake Union Conference. We are sorry to lose Brother Anderson from our office force, as his work has been highly satisfactory and our associations with him have been the most pleasant. We are glad, however, that the call to Brother Anderson is to a more responsible position and a place of wider influence and greater usefulness. As he takes up his work in the Union office, we wish him God-speed and abundant success.

At a recent meeting of our conference committee, Brother Anderson's resignation was accepted, and Brother H. H. Rans who has been connected with our office for a little

more than two years, was chosen to take Brother Anderson's place as secretary and treasurer of the Indiana Conference. Brother J. W. Mace of South Bend was elected as a member of the conference committee to fill the place made vacant by Brother Anderson's resignation from that body.

Brother Rans has done good and efficient work since being connected with this office, and the committee feel confident that he will be well able to carry the work which Brother Anderson is laying down. It is expected that Brother D. A. Bailey will connect with our office in the near future as assistant to Brother Rans, doing the work which Brother Rans has been carrying for the past two years.

O. MONTGOMERY.

## Field Report

Since my last report I have visited the following places in the interest of the young people's work: Marion, Barber's Mills, Hartford City, Boggs town, and Wabash Valley Sanitarium.

On Sabbath, June 1, we held two meetings with the Marion church, the one in the afternoon being especially for the young people. Both were well attended. As it did not seem best to re-organize the Missionary Volunteer society at this time, it was deferred until some future date.

On Friday, June 7, we went to Barber's Mills church, remaining over Sabbath and Sunday. We were glad to find the young people here, though few in number, still faithful in holding their meetings. This society is a great help to the church, rendering valuable assistance in the prayer meeting and Sabbath meeting.

Sabbath and Sunday, June 14 and 15, were spent with the Hartford City church, where a very profitable Sabbath-school and Missionary Volunteer convention was held, with seven churches represented. We trust that great good will result from this united effort. I think Professor Russell made a report of this convention.

The Boggs town young people decided a few weeks ago to organize themselves into a Missionary Volunteer society for the summer. I visited them on Sabbath, the 21st, and found a company of twenty-five young people. They hold their meetings each Sabbath afternoon, and are carrying on some lines of missionary work. I was greatly pleased to see so many take part in prayer and testimony at the Friday evening prayer meeting.

I had a very pleasant visit at the Wabash Valley Sanitarium, going on Friday, the 28th, and remaining over Sabbath and Sunday. I noted many improvements about the place since my last visit there. The institution is filled with patients, and the management and helpers are kept very busy ministering to their needs. I wish all our people might see the great good that is being accomplished through this means that God has ordained to perform an important part in the finishing of His work in the earth.

The good work of Elder Young as chaplain, is greatly appreciated by the patients, as well as by the family. We enjoyed very much our meeting with the family on Sabbath afternoon, also the personal touch with some of the busy ones.

MRS. R. W. MCMAHAN.

## Seelyville and Franklin

Tuesday, May 13, Mrs. Grey and I went to Seelyville, Ind., where we remained nearly four weeks. Brother E. B. Beuchel was with us a part of the first week. We held four meetings in a lodge hall, but it would be too expensive to use that for a series of meetings so we decided to meet in the home of Sister Lee. Sister Bush, of Terre Haute, had been holding Bible Readings in this home, and had some of the best people of the town attending but was unable to attend to the work in both places so we went to Seelyville, leaving her

free to devote all her efforts to Terre Haute. Four Sabbaths we visited the Terre Haute church and enjoyed the courageous spirit shown there, for theirs is a discouraging field.

The opening of the tent season called us away before the work could be closed up, but we left with the good hope that three persons would accept the truth there. Elder A. L. Miller, Brother P. Lamont Thompson, and I are now established in our tent work at Franklin, which we began June 21.

Let all the people pray for the success of each tent company.

ROBERT GREY.

### Indiana Conference

The 39th annual session of the Indiana Conference of Seventh-day Adventists will be held in connection with the camp-meeting in Patterson's Grove, Kokomo, Ind., August 5 to 11, 1912. The first meeting will be called at 10:30 A. M., Thursday, August 6, 1912. Each church in the conference is entitled to one delegate for the organization and one additional delegate for each fifteen members. The object 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 desired from all our churches.

O. MONTGOMERY, *President*;

H. H. RANS, *Secretary*.

### The Medical Missionary and Benevolent Association

Notice is hereby given that the first regular meeting of the annual session of the Indiana Medical Missionary and Benevolent Association will be called at 11:00 A. M., Wednesday, August 7, 1912, in connection with the camp-meeting in Patterson's Grove, Kokomo, Ind. At this meeting members of the board of directors will be elected to fill the places of those whose term 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*;

F. A. LOOP, *Secretary*.

### 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 at Kokomo, Ind., Wednesday, August 7, 1912 at 10:30 A. M. in connection with the Indiana camp-meeting. At this meeting members of the board of directors will be elected 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, *Secretary*.

### News Notes

Elder Montgomery was called to Bloomington on Sunday, July 7, to visit the tent company there because of the illness of Brother Beuchel, who had developed a case of typhoid fever and was obliged to give up the work and go to his father's home at Battle Creek. We hope that Brother Beuchel will make a quick recovery and soon return to Indiana.

Brother W. H. Edwards was in Indianapolis early last week auditing the books of the conference and legal associations.

The Midsummer offering to missions will be taken in our churches on Sabbath, July 27. Let all begin to plan for this at once and come up to the service at that time with a liberal offering.

Let all remember to come to the camp-meeting, which will be held in Patterson's Grove, Kokomo, Ind., August 5 to 11. We expect good help from the General Conference, and hope to see a large attendance of our people on this occasion.

Brother A. N. Anderson spent a little time in South Bend the middle of last week, visiting the Union Conference office and making some arrangements preparatory to his moving to that city as soon as he can be released from the Indianapolis office.

Very few churches have sent in their lists of delegates to the next conference session. This matter should be attended to at once. The ratio of representation is one delegate for the church and one additional delegate for each fifteen members.

Last week Elder Montgomery attended a meeting of the Union Conference committee at Emmanuel Missionary College. On his return home he visited the tent company at North Manchester. Brother Hubbard reports a large attendance at the meetings being conducted at that place.

Brother Lamont Thompson, who has been assisting Elder Miller and Brother Grey in the tent effort at Franklin, has connected with the tent meeting at Bloomington, helping Elder Anderson in the absence of Brother Beuchel. Miss Ethel Anderson is also at Bloomington, assisting in the music.

The marriage of Mr. H. A. Stone and Miss Pauline E. Gardner took place at their new home, 2915 E. Michigan St., Indianapolis, on the evening of July 10, Elder W. J. Stone officiating. The company of relatives and friends present enjoyed this pleasant occasion, all uniting in wishing them a happy and useful life.

Professor W. L. Avery visited the LaFayette, Hartford City, Marion, and Grass Creek churches during the past week and expected to spend Sabbath, July 13, at Rochester. Prospects are good for a full school the coming year. We wish all our young people to have a copy of the new Beechwood calendar. Send in your name at once.

### Wabash Valley Sanitarium News Notes

Miss Sayres, of Wabash, is a patient here.

W. E. Brown, another patient, is well pleased.

Mr. N. S. Reifers is taking treatment here now.

Mrs. Smith has been enjoying the sanitarium home.

Mrs. Farrington, of Decatur, Ill., is improving very nicely.

Mrs. Schultz has been taking the baths for about three weeks.

Elder Hadly of Indianapolis has been here for two weeks.

Thomas Murdock of Lafayette has made two or three weeks' visits here.

If our brethren who have made sacrifices to start this sanitarium could hear some of the warm words of appreciation spoken by the many patients they would surely feel amply repaid.

It is not by arbitrary law or rule that the graces of character are developed. It is by dwelling in the atmosphere of the pure, the noble, the true.—*"Education."*

Many a child of God is cast down because the little love-service, which may be required, seems too small to be counted for aught in the great harvest field, forgetting that the Lord asks of His children only so much as He gives them ability to perform.—*Augustus C. Thompson.*

## East Michigan Conference

Office Address, Holly, Mich.

President, H. H. Burkholder; Sec'y-Treas., Tillie E. Barr; Tract Society Sec'y, Frank Hiner; S. S. Sec'y Tillie E. Barr; Ed. and M. V. Sec'y, H. A. Boylan; Field Missionary Agent, W. D. Moore; Field Missionary Sec'y, E. I. Beebe, Ovid, Mich.; Religious Liberty Secretary, H. A. Weaver, 2028 10th St., Port Huron, Mich.; Medical Missionary Sec'y, J. M. Wilbur, 911 Vaughn St., Ann Arbor, Mich.

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Received by Union " " " "	2,380.34
Balance Due " " " "	4,452.46

## Camp-Meeting Time

For many years our annual camp-meetings have lasted for ten consecutive days. This has been thought by some to be too long a time for many of our people to leave their homes, coming as it usually does in the busiest season of the year. A change was suggested at our recent union conference, reducing the time to one week. This change was accepted by all the local conferences in the union but one, and a trial will be made.

The time set for East Michigan is August 12 to 18. Beginning on Monday evening and closing on the following Sunday night, will necessitate a full attendance from the first day until the last. It is greatly desired that every accredited delegate to the conference plan to be present at the opening meeting of the conference on Tuesday morning at 9:30. This arrangement allows but four days in which to transact all the conference business. Let this matter be kept in mind and all of us plan to this end from now on.

H. H. BURKHOLDER.

## Detroit

Five earnest souls were recently baptized and united with the church; one other who had been baptized before joined the church at this time.

Our Sabbath-school offerings for many quarters have been from \$35 to \$45 but the Sabbath-school expense came out of that until Jan. 1, 1911. The offering for the first twelve weeks of 1912 was \$44.49, and for the same number of Sabbaths the past quarter it was exactly \$81. Our offering for the first thirteenth Sabbath was \$31 while for our last it was \$45.31, and the whole quarter's offering was \$119.56 instead of \$75.55. We have not used a black board device of any kind, but all have cheerfully cooperated. We feel to say, "What hath God wrought!"

W. H. SAXBY.

## Canvassers' Notes

The "standard of attainment" during the month of June was reached by three of our faithful canvassers and their names placed on the "honor roll." To reach this standard, the boys must put in forty hours per week canvassing and the girls thirty hours. On the month mentioned, Howard Wilcox exceeded the required amount by thirty-eight hours, Philip Charlton canvassed twenty hours more than the standard called for, while Sister C. S. Countryman went eighteen hours over and above the number of hours needed to place her name in the class.

One of the great difficulties the book and magazine work is menaced by, is the way in which Satan tempts our self-supporting missionaries to lose time. If everyone who starts canvassing could be induced to be faithful in this respect, the word failure would hardly be known among us.

Only those "who love His appearing" will reach the standard month in and month out. Brethren and sisters, the canvassing work needs your prayers, that the Lord will raise

sturdy men and women for the coming fall and winter campaign.

W. D. MOORE.

## East Michigan Conference Association Meeting

The annual meeting of the East Michigan Conference Association of Seventh-day Adventists, will be held on the Bay County fairgrounds at Bay City, Michigan, in connection with the annual conference, August 12 to 18, 1912. The purpose of this meeting is to elect a board of trustees, and to transact such other business as may properly come before the Association. The first meeting will be held Wednesday, August 14, 1912, at 10:30 A. M.

All regularly elected delegates to the East Michigan Conference (unincorporated) are members of the East Michigan Conference Association, and, as such, are entitled to vote on all questions coming before the association.

H. H. BURKHOLDER, *Pres.*;

FRANK HINER, *Sec.*

## East Michigan Conference Notice

The tenth annual session of the East Michigan Conference of Seventh-day Adventists, will be held on the Bay County fairgrounds at Bay City, Michigan, in connection with the annual camp-meeting, August 12 to 18, 1912. The first meeting will be held on Tuesday, August 13, 1912, at 9:30 A. M. The session is called for the purpose of electing the officers of the conference for the ensuing year, and for transacting such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

Sections 2 and 3 of Article 4 of the East Michigan Conference constitution provides for the membership of the conference as follows: "The voters of this conference shall be such duly accredited delegates as shall receive delegates' credentials from their respective churches; the executive committee, all persons holding ministerial or missionary credentials, or licenses in the conference, and such heads of departments as the executive committee shall furnish with credentials.

"Each church shall be entitled to one delegate to each fifteen members or fraction thereof."

H. H. BURKHOLDER, *Pres.*;

T. E. BARR, *Sec.*

## Northern Illinois Conference

Office Address, 3645 Ogden Ave., Chicago, Ill.

President, G. E. Langdon; Sec'y-Treas., H. E. Moon, Y. P., S. S., and Ed. Sec'y, Edith Shepard; Field Agent, J. A. Applegate, 184 Woodland Ave., Aurora, Ill.

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Received by Union " " " "	1,347.71
Balance due " " " "	3,889.99

## News Notes

Miss Clara Kugel, the Chicago German Bible worker, is convalescent from a recent operation for appendicitis.

Doctor Warner's wife and sister spent one day at the Chicago Bible Training School last week as they passed through the city on their way to join the doctor at Clarkston, Wash.

Elder R. R. Reinhold of San Francisco has come to Chicago to labor for the Swedish people. He and Elder J. Erikson are now engaged in tent meetings, working on the North Side.

The other five tents in Chicago are in progress with good attendance.

## Southern Illinois Conference

Office Address, 304 W. Allen St., Springfield, Ill.

President, E. A. Bristol; Secretary, Edith McClellan; Tract Society Secretary-Treasurer, Nettie Eaton; R. L. Sec'y, E. A. Bristol; Field Agent, E. M. Fishell; Medical Sec'y, R. B. Craig.

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Received by Union	1,025.97
Balance due	1,345.2

## Canvassing at Winchester

We have found since coming to Winchester that the Lord will work mightily with and for His servants if they but trust Him and press forward. He has done much for us and we want to pass the good news along to encourage others.

Brother Fishell came here with us and secured a good recommendation for "Great Controversy" from the Baptist minister for us. This proved a great help in securing orders, and later we went to him and got a recommendation for "Daniel and Revelation." We asked the Methodist minister, too, but he did not feel free to give us such a recommendation. However he said he would not work against us; he said he was not well enough informed.

We feel to praise God for His wonderful works to the children of men. We hope to press the battle with more earnestness than ever before, for we know the more faithful we are the sooner we may sing the victor's song.

HOLLIS E. NELSON,  
T. L. PRICE.

## News Notes

Elder Bristol attended the meeting of the Lake Union Conference Committee at Berrien Springs last week.

The interest continues good in the different tent meetings. Let us pray that before they close many may be led to accept the truth.

The camp-meeting outfit was shipped last Friday to Greenup. Orders are coming in for tents and we are looking forward to a good attendance at the meetings.

We want to see all our young people at the camp-meeting. We have good help for this department of our work, and are looking forward to some excellent young people's meetings. Cheering reports have been received from the conference Sabbath-school home department members. Several new schools have started and the members are doing what they can to interest their friends and neighbors in the truth.

One sister of the conference church in sending in tithe, writes: "I have made another quilt and sold it and will send you in tithes. I wish it were more but my eyes are failing so fast I fear this will be the last that I can send." If all were as faithful as this sister there would be plenty of means in the treasury.

## North Michigan Conference

Office Address, 510 Petoskey St., Petoskey, Mich.

President, J. J. Irwin; Secretary, -----; Treasurer, North Michigan Tract Society; Ed., S. S., and Y. P. Secretary, Miss Florence Crouch; Tract Society Secretary, S. E. Kellman; Field Agent, B. F. Williams.

Required for Mission Fund 1st 6 months 1912	\$3,295.50
Received by Union	1,025.00
Balance Due	2,270.50

## News Notes

Remember the Mid-summer offering for July 27.

Elder J. J. Irwin spent Sabbath, July 6, with the church at Traverse City.

Returns coming in indicate an increase of the thirteenth Sabbath offerings over the previous effort.

Brethren F. E. Fenner and E. A. Piper expect to locate for the season near Ossineke. Remember these efforts in your prayers.

Brother J. B. Frank, formerly with the *Review and Herald* branch in South Bend arrived in Petoskey last night to connect with the office as stenographer.

Are you planning for the camp-meeting at Traverse City this year? Remember the date, Aug. 26 to Sept. 1. It lasts only one week, so plan to be there from beginning to end.

Please remember the Two-per-cent Fund. The value of the plan is very much emphasized when we remember the camp-meeting and its expenses. The best way is to be sure to hand your two per cent to the treasurer at the same time you pay your tithe.

Sister Hazel Burgess is selling magazines in Ishpeming. She reports 55 copies sold the first three and one-half hours. Several responsible persons to take up this work in our territory are wanted. Write to the tract society for a liberal offer.

Elder R. J. Bellows and Brother E. F. Peterson opened a series of tent meetings at the Soo last Friday. One of our sisters there through personal missionary work, has awakened an interest and we trust the meetings now being held will result in several deciding to obey.

The new edition of that valuable book, "Desire of Ages," illustrated, beautifully bound in cloth, 8 $\frac{3}{4}$  x 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ , only about one inch thick, and weighing one and three-fourth pounds, sells for only \$1.50, or in the limp leather binding \$2. The pages are numbered identically with the subscription edition. Send in your order early.

The *Signs* will again be used this year for the Ingathering campaign, but instead of the weekly paper, it will be magazine size 64 pages, with beautiful three-color front page. The needs demand that the campaign be well organized and carefully planned this year. Many did well last year, and others did not do so well; but all can do some part. Begin to think about it now.

## Cedar Lake Academy Notes

A fine young horse was sold off the academy farm last week.

Mr. Henry Frazee is very low at this writing, and is not expected to recover.

Brother Willis attended Sabbath-school last week for the first time since his injury.

Two of the academy boys, T. Buck and Robert Truesdale went home to spend the Fourth.

## West Michigan Conference

Office Address, Otsego, Mich.

President, C. F. McVagh; Sec'y-Treas., H. H. Todd; Ed. and Y. P. Secretary, Flora H. Williams, 467 Hamblin Ave., Battle Creek, Mich. Religious Liberty Sec'y, Eugene Leland; Field Agent, A. L. Van Fossen.

Required for Mission Fund 1st 6 months 1912	\$9,266.40
Received by Union	3,647.69
Balance due	5,618.71

## Greenville Tent Effort

Owing to delay in the tent outfit reaching us, the meetings in Greenville were late in starting. However, we were able

to place the tent in a suitable location in time to begin services Sunday evening, June 30. Previous to this time we had placed in the homes about 1000 neat folders announcing the subjects for the week, and inviting the people to attend.

The subject for the first service, "Is the Bible the Word of God?" was attentively listened to by about eighty-five persons. The next evening being Monday not so many attended but fully forty not of our faith were present. The subject was, "The Prophetic History of the World."

Our company is composed of N. L. Taylor and wife, and Floyd W. Smith who have been students of Emmanuel Missionary College the past year, and the writer. Brother Taylor and myself take alternate nights speaking while Brother Smith is our tent master and assists generally in the work and services. We endeavor to keep the people of the city in touch with our work through the press.

We are placing our whole dependence upon God for the success of the work here for we know that "of ourselves we can do nothing." We spend an hour each day in a special study of the Bible and the writings of the Lord's servant. We are all of good courage and trust in the Lord.

Because of ill health it has been necessary that Mrs. Hoyt leave to take a course of treatment at the Tri-City Sanitarium. She greatly regrets being unable to remain and take part in the tent effort at Greenville.

J. M. HOYT.

#### News Notes

The interest in the tent meetings at Otsego is still good.

Elder C. N. Sanders will be at Lakeview for a few days.

Sunday night Elder McVagh spoke at Charlotte, and Monday night at the tent at Dowagiac on his way to the Lake Union committee meeting at Berrien Springs.

Elder E. W. Webster is at Potterville for a short time and will conduct quarterly meeting with the church Sabbath, July 13. He is feeling better physically, but will take much needed rest, visiting his brothers in the West.

Elder McVagh spent Sabbath at Potterville and reports a good attendance of members from the churches in Eaton County. As it was a union meeting, the mission offering, which was a liberal one, was dedicated to the work in China and forwarded through the regular channel. Sister Ella Carman was asked to write Elder I. H. Evans of the action, that he may know that he is remembered by his old neighbors in Michigan.

#### Canvassers' Notes

The condition of Brother H. J. Halvorsen's throat necessitates his continued absence from the field.

Brother B. P. Foote writes, "I had some wonderful experiences on the Fourth." He worked nine hours that day with visible results amounting to \$54. His total for the week was \$104. I have not yet heard from all the canvassers at this writing, but I trust there were many others who were willing to work on that date, trusting the Lord for the results.

Brother Myron Jorsensen, our new canvasser, writes: "I took an order today from a Spiritualist and she seemed very much interested in the book. I pray that it may show her the dangerous ground on which she is standing."

Miss Dena Woodruff writes: "I found one lady who was especially anxious to get my book: she had read and enjoyed 'Great Controversy' and asked if I knew where she could get a child's book. I promised to bring her 'Little Folks' Bible Nature'."

Miss Nellie Hanson says, "I entered one home where they seemed to be hungering for light. The Lord blessed me in getting an order there. Certainly all things work together for the good of them that love Him."

A. L. VAN FOSSEN.

#### Camp-Meetings for 1912

So. Illinois, Greenup,	July 29 to Aug. 4.
Indiana, Kokomo,	Aug. 5 to " 11.
East Mich., Bay City,	" 12 to " 18.
N. Illinois, La Grange,	" 19 to " 25.
N. Mich., Traverse City,	26 to Sept. 1.
West Mich., Kalamazoo,	Sept. 3 to " 11.

#### Emmanuel Missionary College

Miss Aileen Reynolds is receiving a visit from her sister, Mrs. Holmes.

Miss Carrie Reese from Boggs town, Ind., has been visiting her brother Walter.

Mr. Kimball from New York came last week to work at the College this summer.

Miss Anna Pierce from the College View Training School has been visiting at the College.

The Lake Union Conference committee and College board were in session two days last week.

Elder C. F. McVagh talked to the summer school students in chapel Tuesday morning.

An informal musical program was given in the dining room the evening after the Sabbath.

A number of the members of the summer school faculty visited the National Educational Association while it was in session in Chicago.

Professor Robbins, who has spent four years in Australia, gave a stereopticon lecture on that country last Sunday night and a talk in the chapel Monday morning. Professor and Mrs. Robbins who were members of the Avondale faculty are now about to connect with the Pacific Union College as teachers.

#### Summer School Enrollment

West Michigan: Edna Decker, Mabel Curtis-Butterfield, Harris Milton Colburn, Gussie Field-Colburn, Edith Colburn, Darrell A. Davis, Aimee F. Du Bois, Dorris Davis, Helen Etson, Grace Evans, Rovilla M. Field, Flossie M. Hall, Lucy Hunt, Hazel Kane, Susie Klose, Jenivie Ludington, Inis C. Morey, Lydia Nathie, Elma M. Pitton, Nellie Walker.

East Michigan: May E. Marsh, Elsie Faye Cook, Ethel Dean, Iva Dean, Henry M. Forshee, Ina Ethel Hicks, Clara Keiser, Ivah Krome, Jennie Kienast, Mae Marsh, Lola Newberry, Ada Rice, Florene Swartout.

Wisconsin: Ella Gordon Clarke, Beryl Cummins, Adele Drager, Frances DeVinney, Lee Galbraith, Nellie Ann Hanson, Ella M. Keizer, Jennie B. Keizer, Helen Johnston, Fernie Lawton, Ida Euphemia Macaulay, Charles Stebbins.

Indiana: Viola Ruby Barnett, Taylor Smith Copeland, Jr., Edith De Villez, Paul Guy Ford, Blanch Hicks, Virgil Glenn Hunt, Ivah King, Beatrice Murphey, Donna Pridda, Mabel Wirt.

Southern Illinois: Cora Susan Anderson, Bertha Ford, Clara Mitzelfelt, Viola Spradling, Ola R. Williamson, Minnie Wells, Luella Wells, Nettie Clara Wood.

North Michigan: Grace Crouch, Verda Cowles, Evea Andrews Hicks, Sadie Hogan, Mayme Hogan, Stella Hogan, Alice Wehner.

Northern Illinois: Hulda Berg, Bertha Vivian Christiansen, Mary Marsh, Mabel Rank, Aileen Reynolds.

China: W. J. Chao. Columbia Union: Dorothy Harris. Ohio: Clarence Keppler. Oklahoma: O. P. Wilson.

#### Erratum

In the issue of July 3 the article, "A Scholarship in Eighteen Days" was attributed to W. D. Moore. It should have been signed East Michigan Tract Society.



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Mrs. Lou Kirby-Curtis - - - - Editor

## Business Notices

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WANTED.—Strong young woman for general work and to assist in giving treatments in small sanitarium and treatment rooms. Excellent chance to learn our treatments and draw wages while learning. Must be a Seventh-day Adventist. References. First Street Sanitarium, Jackson, Mich.

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## Canvassers' Report for Week Ending

July 5, 1912

## Northern Illinois

Canvasser	Book	Hrs	Ords	Value	Helps	Total	Del.
L. Clarke	B.R.	27	9	28 00		28 00	
E. A. Rideout	G.C.	17	6	22 00		22 00	
J. C. Nixon	G.C.	27	10	33 00		33 00	
F. C. Carlson	D.R.	30½	7	19 00	12 25	31 25	65
L. Johnson	C.K.	12	5	7 50	1 00	8 50	
E. Olson	C.K.	9	3	4 00	50	4 50	3 50
A. Envall	D.R.	24	5	7 50		7 50	
D. Hedstrom	D.R.	30	5	15 50		15 50	
Geneva Erikson	C.K.	21	19	31 00	8 70	39 70	60
John Hicks	P.G.	35½	17	54 00	2 80	56 80	2 80
Edna Andrews	P.G.	17	8	24 00		24 00	
Ethel Murphy	G.C.	14½	5	15 00		15 00	
C. E. Matteson	P.J.	14	10	20 50	2 50	23 00	
Nina Alramson	C.K.	15	13	17 50	4 20	21 70	
Ester Lovegren	G.C.	8	10	28 00		28 00	
Paul Rank	D.R.	15½	2	6 00	2 40	8 40	1 20
Ella Benson	C.K.	11			1 80	1 80	60
Juanita Anthony	C.K.	9	5	9 50		9 50	
*Fred Clauson	D.R.	60	19	57 00	12 25	69 25	
		369½	158	409 00	47 40	447 40	9 35

## East Michigan

G. McClenathan	G.C.	41	15	51 00	4 00	55 00	4 00
I. J. Piper	G.C.	40½	9	29 00	3 75	32 75	
Loys Kader	D.R.	29	11	29 00	4 25	33 25	1 25
Clifton Day	D.R.	19½	5	15 00	5 25	18 25	25
Philip Carlton	B.F.	33½	14	14 50	6 50	21 00	
Nellie V. Munger	C.K.						5 50
Howard Wilcox	D.R.	46½	18	54 00	3 60	57 60	
Iuez Bird	B.F.	41	26	26 50	5 00	31 50	25
F. W. Brainard	D.R.	32	19	52 00	50	52 50	50
C. S. Countryman	D.R.	19	3	9 00	7 25	16 25	3 00
Mrs. Countryman	C.K.	7½	2	3 50	7 15	10 65	46 00
Vern Newcomb	B.F.	23	2	2 00		2 00	
Mrs. B. Shelbe	C.K.						9 50
H. S. Mould	G.C.	24	8	24 00	7 20	31 20	
		356½	132	309 50	52 45	361 95	70 25

## Indiana

R. Joyce	D.R.	28	13	45 00	5 00	50 00	3 80
H. W. Plake	C.K.	38	13	23 00	2 00	25 00	
W. C. Fisher	G.C.	25½	7	22 00	1 50	23 50	1 00
Loyal G. Minor	G.C.	19½	7	25 00	2 50	27 50	
C. O. Peterson	G.C.	43	7	22 00	1 00	23 00	1 00
Dan Burgeson	D.R.	36	7	21 00	6 25	27 25	1 00
Mida Wiseman	C.K.	20	4	6 00		6 00	17 50
J. H. Shrock	G.C.	23	14	45 00	1 00	46 00	50
Eva Pitcher	D.R.	20	4	14 00		14 00	
Edna Stureman	D.R.	5	5	17 00		17 00	
R. R. Coble	G.C.	31	7	24 00		24 00	
Stephen Boze	H.M.	34	6	12 00	2 50	14 50	
Earl Montgomery	B.R.	8	1	5 00		5 00	
		336	95	281 00	21 75	302 75	24 80

## North Michigan

Ruth Lamb	B.F.	4	5	5 50		5 50	
Harry Dinton	E.S.	18	1	5 00	5 50	10 50	
Mrs. E. E. Goff	P.G.	19	10	32 00		32 00	
		41	16	42 50	5 50	48 00	

## Wisconsin

N. O. Kittleson	B.R.	31	8	25 00	75	25 75	
Conrad Hein	G.C.	30	16	52 50		52 50	
Harry Hein	P.G.	27	9	37 50		37 50	
Jennie Nelson	H.M.	20½	8	16 00	2 25	18 25	
Matie Ruskier	H.M.	33	7	14 00	4 50	18 50	
Caroline Roberson	B.R.	35	5	15 00	1 40	16 40	1 40
David Olsen	G.C.	45	19	57 00	2 00	59 00	
Nels. C. Peterson	B.R.	33	11	38 00	1 30	39 30	1 30
F. E. Trowbridge	B.R.	30	11	37 00	2 00	39 00	
Fred Troutman	G.C.	35	24	75 00		75 00	
G. Herwick	G.C.	35	18	60 00		60 00	
Bertha L. Rathbun	G.C.	33	6	19 00	6 00	25 00	1 30
Gladys McDill	G.C.	29	7	22 00	8 10	30 10	1 10
June Austin	G.C.	30	2	6 00	7 70	13 70	1 20
C. C. Specht	G.C.	28	2	6 00		6 00	
O. J. Olsen	D.R.	8	3	9 00	1 50	10 50	75
		432½	156	489 00	37 50	526 50	6 95

## West Michigan

B. P. Foote	G.C.	38½	29	101 00	3 00	104 00	
Myron Jorgensen	B.F.	25½	13	13 00	50	13 50	25
Glen Hamp	B.R.	26	7	21 00	6 00	27 00	1 50
Myra Hodges	G.C.	30	4	13 00	2 50	15 50	1 50
Nellie M. Hanson	B.F.	12	7	8 50		8 50	
John M. Savage	C.K.	28	14	22 25	75	23 00	75
Dena Woodruff	B.F.	13	10	12 00		12 00	
		172½	84	190 75	12 75	203 50	4 00

## Southern Illinois

Harry Summers	C.K.	40	18	28 50		28 50	
Grace Logan	C.K.	18	6	9 50	2 25	11 75	1 50
S. F. Mohr	G.C.	35	13	39 00		39 00	
T. L. Price	G.C.	31	9	27 00	1 50	28 50	
W. Harper	G.C.	45	6	14 00	4 00	18 00	3 00
S. E. Teas	G.C.	22	4	12 00	2 25	14 25	9 00
D. D. Ehrhardt	G.C.	43	8	28 00	4 75	32 75	
David Rodney	G.C.	28					52 00
W. E. Bailey	B.R.	25	5	14 00		14 00	8 00
Fred Pontius	B.R.	27	10	31 00		31 00	
J. R. Howard	G.C.	9	3	9 00		9 00	
Hazel Howard	P.P.F.	8	4	6 00		6 00	
Sadie Stearns	P.P.F.	8					
Hugh Stearns	G.C.	35	2	6 00		6 00	49 80
M. S. Walker	G.C.	19	17	56 00		56 00	
E. A. Craig	G.C.	15	4	12 00	1 75	13 75	
A. P. Lager	G.C.	35	9	33 00	3 75	36 75	
John A. Evitts	G.C.	24					148 50
		467	119	325 00	20 25	345 25	271 80
90 Agents		2202	760	2045 75	197 60	2235 35	387 15

## PERIODICAL REPORT.

## Wisconsin

	Paper Signs	Hours	No.	Value
E. M. Bisbee		18	156	15 60
Persis Judd		8	102	10 20
Grace W. Leonard		1	10	1 00
Noble Day Leonard		20	22	2 20
		29	134	13 40

## North Michigan

Mrs. G. F. Ernst		30	52	5 20
Hazel Burgess		6	100	10 00
		36	152	15 20

## Chicago Company

	102½	1396	139 60
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\*Two weeks