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

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Let Them Pass; Forget Them

Never mind the things you heard,—
Don't repeat a single word,—
Let them pass; forget them.
Do not mind them,—they are not
Worthy of a moment's thought;
They have now much mischief wrought,—
Let them pass; forget them.

Never mind what some one said,—
They were words by malice fed,—
Let them pass; forget them.
They were unkind and untrue,
And deserve no thought from you;
Be among the very few
That will never mind them.

Let the other people say
Words unkind, from day to day—
Let them pass; forget them.
Balance matters with them; give
Kind words for unkind ones; live
As you know you ought, forgive,—
Let them pass; forget them.

And if *you* have said a word,
Harsh, unkind, and some one heard,
Pass it not; but mind it.
Sow another kind of seed,—
Do another kind of deed,—
Maybe some one's heart will bleed
If you do not mind it.

—Benjamin Keech.

West Michigan Conference

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The Workers' Meeting

The meeting at Grand Rapids, January 26-29, is now in the past, but its influence will certainly spread to the churches and go on bearing good fruit. Nearly all the churches were represented and the spirit of love and harmony prevailed throughout. A goodly number were present at the opening service and the program was carried out as arranged and without crowding or overlapping. This was made possible by the faithful cooperation of all in taking the part asked of them and in regular attendance and concentration of attention on the subject in hand.

The Grand Rapids church made all the visitors feel very much at home and many of the members attended most of the meetings. The Spirit of God came very near to us in blessing and all testified that we are in the time of the latter rain. D. M. Canright attended several of the meetings and seemed to enjoy association with the Adventist people.

Elder Moon was with us nearly all through and gave some excellent, practical instruction. Elder Wm. Guthrie of the East Michigan Conference was also present and gave much appreciated help. The newspapers were very cordial and published good reports of the convention.

The evening sermons by Elders Guthrie, Lamson and Westworth were listened to by large and very interested audiences. Elder Westworth spoke of personal experiences in China and at the close Professor Lamson proposed a special offering for missions which amounted to between \$60 and \$70. Some of the papers and condensed minutes will be published from time to time in the HERALD.

C. F. MCVAGH.

Raising Funds

How Can We All Help?

Every gift we make to the cause of God should be controlled by principle. In Volume 5, page 151, we find, "Give regularly. . . Do not trust to your feelings and give when you feel like it and withhold when you do not feel like it. He blesses you that it may be in your power to bless others." In another place we find, "By continual giving we starve covetousness to death." Read what Paul says in 2 Cor. 8:1-5.

In the parable Christ gave, the man found the pearl of great price. He went and sold all that he had and bought the field. To gain the kingdom we are asked to invest that we may have an interest there. Matt. 6:19,20.

The habit of giving is a matter of education. Every worker in this message—to the officers of the smallest company, should be a teacher in its broadest sense and himself the most apt scholar. It is credited to Horace Mann, as saying he would give more for one *Former* than a thousand Reformers. That is we want to keep learning on right lines. Do not argue with that old brother about giving. Get the boy started and the old brother will come along nicely. All have something to give. The only difference is in how we look at it, whether as a duty or necessity or as a real pleasure.

A like benefit comes to the willing giver and the recipient. It brings the same peace and joy in the heart. It is a plan of our Lord to unite our interests with His. Then, O yes, twenty cents per week is easy, so is more. Just think of that poor fellow paying that much and often more for tobacco or tea and coffee and he never grumbles. So let us get the good habit of giving from principle and it will not matter whether it is mission funds, a local conference call, or home work. No one will be afraid to speak of it or to have it spoken about, only that the coming of Christ may be hastened by our increased love for the work.

O. S. THOMPSON.

"Protestant" Magazine

No doubt you have all heard of the great union meeting of the Protestant churches of Washington, D. C., for the purpose of emphasizing the principles of the Reformation

and urging the necessity of maintaining the same in this country. The meeting was a great success. Thousand who desired admittance had to be turned away from the large auditorium where the rally was held. Most of the prominent Protestant clergymen of Washington were present and the principal address by Rev. R. H. McKim, D.D., L.L.D., D.C.L. was a masterpiece. The subject was, "Why Are We Protestants." The address is printed in full in the *Protestant* magazine of February.

The *Protestant* was given favorable mention by the speaker and thousand of copies have been sold as a result in Washington and other cities. Now is an excellent time to canvass all our cities and communities for this excellent paper. This endorsement of the *Protestant* has caused a great demand for this number and many subscriptions are being placed as a result. Do not let this opportunity pass without an effort. The tract society can furnish you the *Protestant* at the following rates: one to five copies, 10 cent each; five to fifty, 5 cents; fifty or more at only 4 cents each.

C. F. McVAGH.

Canvassers' Notes

F. L. Boothby writes, "I met a lady today who thanked me for selling her a book. She said it was the means of her son and his wife keeping the Sabbath."

S. J. Nathie has just made a good delivery of over \$100 worth of books.

O. A. Palmiter: "Wednesday was a very stormy day and I hesitated about going out. Then I remembered Eccl. 11:4 'He that observeth the wind shall not sow, and he that regardeth the clouds shall not reap.' So I decided to go and in eight hours I had taken \$16.25 worth of orders. It pays to serve Him."

J. E. Herrington says, "I have had some of the best experiences here (Mecosta County) I have had since I entered the work. At a place where the dear Lord wanted me to stay over night, I found the people hungering for the truth. Many questions were asked regarding our faith, and the Lord gave me the answers. They have both accepted the truth and will come into the church."

Reader do you not long to be enjoying similar experiences?

E. M. Phillips: "On Monday I visited a Catholic woman, who had lost her sight. I told her that Catholics buy the book, and if more Protestants would buy it they would be better off. She asked the privilege of showing the book to her daughter who was up stairs. During her absence I asked the Lord to give me the order—that was all I could do. The daughter ordered a half leather binding."

We regret very much that Brother Thos. Rush is prevented by sickness from being in the field. He has our sympathy and we assure him we are missing his weekly reports, and are praying for his speedy recovery.

We welcome our first report from Brother Jerry Mandigo, showing twenty-one hours work with sales amounting to \$22. Brother Mandigo says he is thankful that he can have a part in this good work. A. L. VAN FOSSEN.

News Notes

On Feb. 3, 1914 a double wedding occurred at the home of Otis Landon, Carlton Center. Miss Nina Landon and Mr. Reuel Root, and Miss Bertha Fleming and Mr. Fredric Herzal were united in marriage by J. M. Wilbur.

The new Berean literary files a long felt want for cheap literature for use in missionary work and comes just in time to help along the tract and missionary campaign that is sweeping over the denomination. The books are not cheap in material or contents,— cheap only in price. Good paper and illustrations, but you can get "Thoughts on Daniel,"

"Thoughts on Revelation," "History of the Sabbath," "Here and Hereafter," "Steps to Christ," "Paradise Home," "Glorious Appearing" and others for nine and fifteen cents each. Ask the Tract Society about it and order a supply at once.

Report for 1913

Tithe 2% Miss.			Tithe 2% Miss.		
Albion.....	\$192 29	\$ 55 17	Grand Rapids.....	2378 98	34 41 749 55
Allegan.....	485 67	51 53 254 10	Grandville.....	153 32	13 69 111 46
Allendale.....	263 42	21 53 64 86	Greenville.....	492 38	19 27 246 77
Bangor.....	90 60	4 24 20 46	Hastings.....	345 79	..... 179 63
Battle Creek.....	10369 22	122 69 3020 68	Holland.....	381 23	12 15 121 16
Bauer.....	359 19	13 79 214 01	Holt.....	210 54	20 67 235 59
Bedford.....	463 54	..... 113 04	Homer.....	114 21	6 58 114 40
Belding.....	61 22	..... 48 95	Kalamazoo.....	1695 03	49 30 658 53
Benton Harbor.....	363 82	27 89 149 72	Kent City.....	295 70	13 27 70 44
Berrien Springs.....	3080 40	177 96 1464 09	Kinderhook.....	78 05	1 12 41 79
Bloomington.....	70 24	..... 85	Lakeview.....	436 92	50 107 77
Brookfield.....	168 11	..... 55 89	Lowell.....	141 15	7 82 147 37
Buchanan.....	64 81	75 8 52	Lyons.....	2662	..... 13 38
Burlington.....	52 14	2 00 109 35	Maple Grove.....	132 29	12 60 50 20
Bushnell.....	283 95	3 83 126 89	Mecosta.....	167 56	1 74 111 27
Byron Center.....	54 32	..... 38 03	Mendon.....	326 26	23 99 122 31
Carlton Center.....	624 25	17 83 309 36	Monterey.....	415 33	17 89 260 61
Carson City.....	438 15	24 30 272 57	Muskegon.....	598 58	25 88 254 48
Cedar Lake.....	865 92	35 25 437 21	Otsego.....	2302 14	124 82 737 25
Cedar Springs.....	92 59	..... 48 87	Palo.....	77 85	..... 27 76
Charlotte.....	767 13	..... 294 49	Paw Paw.....	525 31	1 67 213 95
Clifford Lake.....	191 44	..... 66 42	Portland.....	183 58	6 12 50 87
Coldwater.....	298 89	11 53 84 46	Pottersville.....	177 92	1 82 115 92
Covert.....	169 24	3 82 45 29	Quincy.....	382 46	18 29 432 79
Decatur.....	94 00	7 49 7 69	Rothbury.....	159 59	..... 60 81
Denver.....	150 27	3 05 35 79	Sand Lake.....	552 31	35 54 244 86
Dimondale.....	285 00	27 56 158 02	Shelby.....	505 87	11 59 151 09
Douglas.....	100 48	2 06 145 40	Sturgis.....	135 41	..... 26 64
Eaton Rapids.....	64 88	50 32 20	Trufant.....	244 32	19 01 157 56
Edmore.....	535 03	33 60 143 63	Urbandale.....	493 20	22 40 148 36
Fremont.....	205 97	6 20 115 48	Union City.....	122 76	..... 55 01
Frost.....	204 64	3 30 100 24	West Leroy.....	385 31	..... 107 20
Glenwood.....	382 77	14 24 217 43	Wright.....	778 57	58 13 545 42
Gowen.....	44 36	2 65 21 27	Individuals.....	740 90	42 44 675 61
Grand Haven.....	49 53 45 72	Totals.....	\$38347 88	1227 72 15752 00
Grand Ledge.....	202 69	5 42 78 04			

East Michigan Conference

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President, Wm. Guthrie

Religious Liberty

As time passes we are more and more impressed with the certainty of the third angel's message. For years this people have affirmed that this nation would enforce the observance of Sunday by law. Men have laughed us to scorn, but still the truth has been preached. The passing of time gives more and more evidence of the truth of our assertions.

Present developments in Washington show more clearly than ever that the scripture will be fulfilled. Recently The Federal Council of Churches of Christ in America appointed Dr. Henry King Carroll, Protestant delegate to Congress. His business is to use all his influence as a representative of the Protestant denominations, at the Capitol, and especially in behalf of Sunday law for the District of Columbia, and later for the nation.

We now have a Catholic and a Protestant delegate, and both of them have been admonished by their organizations to bring all their influence to bear on the lawmakers to induce them to push the Sunday bills through Congress.

There are now three Sunday bills before Congress and not one of them contains an exemption for Seventh-day Adventists. In fact, the Lord's Day Alliance said at their convention at Baltimore, that they would oppose every Sunday bill that contained an exemption for either Seventh-day Adventists or Jews.

This is just what we have long expected. Hence these facts should stir us to more active efforts in spreading abroad the principles of liberty while we may.

The current number of *Liberty* contains a very interesting account of the trial in Tennessee regarding Sunday labor. It is a good number for general circulation. Remember that February 28 is the day for the annual collection. Let it be a liberal one.

WM. GUTHRIE.

Sumner

Brother Ira Woodman and wife have been with us most of the time for two months. After the tent-meetings closed, held by Brethren Woodman and Wescott, Brother Wescott went to Bay City and Brother Woodman moved his family here and continued the work by meetings in the church, cottage meetings, and visiting. Eight have united with the church as a result of this work. Elder Guthrie baptized them. We expect others to step out who are interested.

Brother Woodman and wife have been called to Midland to labor. The church has taken the burden of the work here. The aim of nearly every member is one or more souls won to Christ in 1914. We know that the Lord will bless and cooperate with us as we dedicate our lives for service. Pray for the work and workers here.

T. H. BUTLER.

COOKING OIL AND CEREAL.—The following are some of the prices that appear in our January wholesale pricelist: Brotherhood Brand cooking oil (white) \$3.95; Prime Yellow oil \$3.75; Wesson's Snowdrift oil \$4.25. These prices for five gallon can f. o. b. Holly or Chicago. Two cans for 25 cents less than twice the price of one can. We prepay the freight on shipments of four or more cans. Javelle cereal coffee, \$2 per case of 24 fifteen cent packages. Write for pricelist, stating your needs. Adelpian Mercantile Company, Holly, Michigan.

Northern Illinois Conference

Office Address, 3645 Ogden Ave., Chicago, Ill.
President, G. E. Langdon

Notes

Brother H. C. Winslow, seventy-eight years old, wonderfully preserved in strength and agility far beyond the average at his age is devoting his time and talents in work for the Master. His purchase at our office yesterday was 100 *Liberty* and 100 *Protestant* magazines.

Brother Frank Smiley of Custer Park called at the office last week, taking home with him a large supply of our books. Brother Smiley has been farming four hundred acres, but has decided to sell his stock and implements and enter the service of God, joining the colporteurs' work. Since returning home he has sent in ten yearly subscriptions to the *Protestant* magazine.

Brother J. A. Applegate reports the outlook for the colporteurs' institute at Fox River Academy, February 6-15, very encouraging. Always remember "The Spirit of God accompanies the printed word the same as if spoken from the desk."

Brother M. D. Mulnix, Thomson, Ill., just sent in for a prospectus for "Coming King," and will take up colporteur work in that vicinity. The outlook is good for a large work to be done this year in Northern Illinois.

Sabbath, January 24, Brother John Kay was ordained elder of the Streator church. Meetings were continued evenings till Wednesday. The Lord was with His people. Miss Hattie Smith is teaching a successful church-school. Two

or three of her pupils expect to attend Fox River Academy next year. The Streator church is growing in the Lord. Ten yearly subscriptions were taken for *Liberty*.

Thursday till Sunday was spent at Flanagan and Pontiac. There seems to be a growing interest in the Pontiac church. Their church-school, taught by Brother and Sister C. A. Stebbins, is prospering and five children not of church-members are attending. The mothers of these pupils attend Sabbath and other services. Sister Odell is still here, holding Bible readings and distributing a large amount of literature.

Neat and convenient treatment-rooms are conducted in the city of Pontiac by Brother and Sister Williman. The first two months have been very successful. The rooms are well equipped.

During the ten days' visiting and services literature to the amount of \$18. was distributed— books, Bibles, tracts and periodicals.

G. E. LANGDON.

Swedish Work in Chicago

The first part of last November we rented an empty store building in Lake View, which we prepared for a suitable meeting place. We began a series of meetings with a good attendance, and the interest has increased. The enemy has been at work to keep the people away from the meetings which are being held every Sunday, Tuesday, and Thursday evening. We are now in the midst of the Sabbath question. Though the battle is hard, we see the truth gaining the victory. The mighty power of God has been manifest, and seven have begun to keep the Sabbath. We feel sure that others will soon decide for God's commandments.

We greatly appreciate the help of the Swedish church, both in attending the meetings, and urging others to come.

Brethren, pray for the work here.

ADOLPH JOHNSON.

COOKING OIL.—We carry in stock Wesson's Snowdrift Oil in quart cans at 30 cents and gallon cans at \$1. We solicit orders for 5-gallon cans at \$4.50; two 5-gallon cans, \$8.50, f. o. b. Chicago. We also carry a supply of health foods. Send for price list. Illinois Tract Society, 3546 Ogden Ave., Chicago.

Southern Illinois Conference

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President, A. J. Clark

Report for 1913

	Tithe	2%	Miss.		Tithe	2%	Miss
Bloomington	\$292 01	10 28	129 93	Noble	227 46	2 01	82 12
Bluford	253 19	34 84	160 94	Oakland	11 50		2 61
Brownstown	34 35		9 18	Pontoosuc			
Carterville	1055 22	38 88	470 47	Peoria	663 58	23 33	306 20
Charleston	86 30		38 95	Pana	81 16		7 70
Dallas City	283 12		117 85	1st Springfield	823 81	87 08	444 65
Du Quoin	915 12	89 90	414 57	2d Springfield	381 86	1 98	59 70
Decatur	769 91	31 21	490 59	Stewardson	167 33	8 14	142 70
Farmington	265 27	41 82	108 23	St. Elmo	76 58	4 80	37 97
Foosland	170 50	20 34	118 30	Twin City	487 60	31 09	186 59
Herrin	458 27		130 91	Shelbyville	124 93	2 28	31 64
Kingman	388 19	40 82	149 56	West Salem			
Lovington	152 54	14 71	85 84	Woodburn			
Martinsville	265 77	15 87	41 48	Conference	2540 05	184 95	777 82
Maestown	21 00		7 43	Miscellaneous	38 89		133 18
Mattoon	78 14	7 55	48 99	Total	\$11104 65	741 88	

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"Heaven whispers wisdom to the wayside flower,
Bidding it use its own peculiar dower,
And bloom its best within its little span.
We must each do not what we will, but can,
Nor have we duty to exceed our power."

North Michigan Conference

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

President, J. J. Irwin

Gaylord

We have greatly enjoyed and have been blessed by the faithful labors of Elder Bellows and wife. Our church-school is in a prosperous condition, taught by Sister Oscar Burt. There is general harmony among the members.

C. CORLESS.

January

Tithe 2% Mis.			Tithe 2% Mis.			
Alpena	\$ 10 85	\$ 1 10	\$ 5 73	Marion		
Alden	16 00		35	Menominee		
Cleon				Mt. Pleasant	14 35	1 42 12 25
Cedar Lake	41 79			Omer		
Colfax	11 95		9 92	Onaway		
Clare	7 49		1 70	Petoskey	161 80	24 21 19 33
Cadillac	7 40	11		Reed City		
Conference	46 57	4 30	9 17	Riverside	40 90	5 47 5 00
Dighton				Sault Ste. Marie	17 64	1 33 2 76
Eastport	5 00	1 00	9 00	Stephenson		
Frankfort				Scottville	10 79	1 24 4 20
Gaylord	80 52	14 14	18 17	Traverse City	37 65	2 59 19 27
Grant				Whittemore		
Hancock	92 96	3 50	75	Wildwood	11 00	5 40
Horr	24 29		2 30	Wilson	64 77	75 2 68
Iron River	8 85	1 54	1 73	Miscellaneous	54 84	2 95 55 50
Leetsville	16 44	29	5 25	L'Anes	3 04	08 54
Mesick	10 33	2 06	1 85	Total	\$ 797 22	68 08 193 47
Brinton			5 62			
Miscellaneous					\$18 20	
Missions' Apportionment for January					\$679.47	
Amount Raised					198.47	
Amount Short First Month					\$481.00	

S. E. KELLMAN, Treasurer.

Wisconsin Conference

Office Address, Grand Rapids, Wis.

President, W. H. Thurston

General Meeting at Milton Junction

The annual canvassers' institute at Milton Junction closed Sunday night, February 1. The last three days of the institute were devoted to a general meeting. There were ten churches represented and quite a number of visiting brethren and sisters came in from the surrounding country. Those in attendance who took part in the instruction from outside were Elders O. A. Olsen and H. F. Graf (present one day), Mr. W. J. Walter, Mr. P. L. Larson, and the writer. Brethren Applegate, J. B. Blosser and Johnson were present at the institute, the two latter remaining for meeting.

Various departments of church and conference work were given careful study and all manifested a deep interest and we believe the meeting was profitable to all. All realized that there is need of a revival in our work and all, as far as possible, engaging in personal missionary work. The studies given by Elder Olsen from day to day were much appreciated. The question box proved to be a very instructive part of the program in as much as many questions were raised bringing out in detail what is permissible, practicable as well as profitable for Seventh-day Adventists in this day and age of the world.

The evenings were devoted to preaching service; many from the outside met with us and became much interested in the subjects presented.

The Sabbath was a day long to be remembered on account of the deep movings of the Spirit of God. The church was crowded with people and solemnity rested upon them such

as is not often witnessed. There was a desire manifested on the part of all for a revival of the work in our hearts and lives; all entered in to the studies and received the Word gladly.

Twelve or fourteen persons decided the question for the future and yielded themselves servants of obedience unto righteousness. Several who had become indifferent and cold through neglect and inactivity were reclaimed, and renewed their vows to the Lord. The entire church and all that were represented, were greatly revived and decided there and then that from now on they would be more faithful in the work, they would endeavor to have some part in spreading the message and winning souls.

The morning service continued about three hours. After an hour's intermission another meeting was called which was devoted largely to the interest of the young people. The attendance at this meeting was good and these young people responded heartily to the calls of the work; a very interesting and earnest social meeting was enjoyed and all felt to praise the Lord for His goodness and for the manifestation of His Spirit in a special manner during the Sabbath day.

Saturday night an illustrated temperance lecture was given, in connection with a demonstration in treating simple diseases with hot and cold water.

Sunday was devoted to a thorough study of duties of church officers their relation to the church, to one another and to the conference, the finance of the conference, medical work, the Madison Sanitarium, and the home missionary work. These were profitable studies to all, we believe a beginning of greater home missionary work among the churches.

There were about eight hundred of the Temperance Instructor ordered, a club of the *Signs of the Times* weekly for missionary work, a club of our magazines, fifty of the *Protestant* and fifty of the *Liberty* (special numbers) were ordered for present use.

The young people are well organized for missionary work and have been doing some effective work here and there but from now on they hope to do a much greater work. It was arranged during the meeting that the church and Sabbath-school officers hold monthly meetings for counsel, study and prayer and we believe this will be very helpful in church work.

We went to this meeting expecting more than ordinary results through the study of the Word and the work for this time and we were not disappointed. We shall endeavor to hold several meetings of this kind in different parts of the conference during the winter.

Elder Olsen went to Oakland Monday where he will hold two meetings with the church on his way to Green Bay to attend a general meeting appointed there for February 4-8.

Brother Johnson will give a report of the canvassers' institute, and in view of this I will not mention further items relative to that department of the work.

I trust our churches will not wait for a general meeting to be held but will all realize the importance at this time of circulating our reading matter as never before. That they will all organize for service and order clubs of our papers, also by subscription, for missionary work and place them in the homes of the people every where that they may have the opportunity of reading them during these long winter evenings.

The February number of the *Protestant Magazine* should be placed in every home, and we would urge that our churches order this number in large numbers for distribution. It is a number that will sell readily, many can do good missionary work with it and at the same time be remunerated for their service. This number contains the

speech of Rev. R. H. McKim, delivered at Washington before several thousand people recently, "Why We Are Protestants." This is an able, forceful, scholarly presentation of the subject and will be read with interest by the great majority of people.

I trust that all will wake up to the importance and needs of the times and do more active missionary work than ever before, receiving a blessing and being a blessing to others. There are great blessings in store for us as we comply with the conditions.

W. H. THURSTON.

Milton Junction Institute

The institute and general meeting just closed was one of special interest. Seldom have we seen such whole-hearted cooperation by a church to make the canvassers feel that their work is appreciated. The splendid help that was rendered by Elders Thurston, Olsen, and Graf was appreciated by canvassers and church-members. The last Sabbath meeting lasted for several hours. The Spirit of God came near and many gave their hearts anew to God. It is seen clearly that what is needed is a fresh baptism of the Holy Spirit for service, then we shall see hundreds going from home to home with the printed page.

J. B. BLOSSER.

Religious Liberty Day

DEAR BROTHERS AND SISTERS: Allow me to arouse your minds by way of remembrance. Remember that the forth Sabbath of February is Religious Liberty Day. On this day we are to make an offering of our means for religious liberty work. Now, beloved, would it not please the Lord for us to make a liberal offering on this day? that is, just as far as possible make it a "Dollar" day? To that end let us now plan, work and pray. Remember, dear believers, that one-third of the collection is retained by the Wisconsin Conference for the furtherance of religious liberty work in the State. Let me further remind you of the several Sunday bills that came before our State legislature one year ago, and we can feel sure that more Sunday bills will come before our legislature one year from now. It is not only before our State legislature that Sunday bills appear, but before Congress as well, and we as religious liberty advocates and defenders want to have a part in opposing such bills wherever they appear.

Let me finally remind you that there are now three Sunday bills before Congress, and every thing that is possible will be done to secure their enactment. Dr. Henry King Carroll has been appointed by the Federal Council of Churches of Christ in America as Protestant delegate to Congress, and his specific work will be to push Sunday bills through Congress, first for the District of Columbia, and afterward the nation. There is also a Catholic delegate there and they will both bring all their influence to bear upon our national law makers to enact Sunday laws. For us to oppose Sunday legislation will take money, but money invested in the cause of right and truth. In consideration of these things and much more that might be said shall we not make the 28th day of February a "Dollar" day?

Yours for liberty,

H. W. REED.

From the Field

The work is very encouraging in Appleton and other places. The church is doing well in supporting the work at home and in the foreign fields. In addition to building a church they have given more than their allotted amount to missions, and the tithe has been very good during the year. They love the truth.

The meetings at New London are being well attended

Brother John Miller has lived there the last year and his work has been much appreciated. He is now living at Appleton, canvassing for *Protestant Magazine* and the Lord is blessing him.

We have had some good visits from Brother Steuckrath of Oshkosh. He is holding some German meetings here.

We wish to unite our prayers with yours for the finishing up of the work in this earth speedily.

T. G. LEWIS.

News Notes

Not only from our own State are encouraging reports being sent to headquarters, but we find wherever general meetings are held and efforts put forth to revive the canvassing work, many are responding to the calls of the Holy Spirit. We enlist your prayers.

A general meeting for the churches in and adjacent to Green Bay has been appointed for February 4-8, and although the paper will not go to press until after that date is passed yet we ask the brethren and sisters in the State to pray that what may be done there may have the Lord's approval. A report has been sent of the meeting in Milton Junction but we are looking forward to a similar spiritual feast.

To show what can be done in gathering means for missions we quote a few words from Brother Thomas Hughbanks of Blue River: "This \$28.90 harvest ingathering I solicited among the farmers." Now brethren and sisters this shows what can be done even in the rural districts. Some have said they could not do anything in the rural districts; the testimony above speaks to the contrary. May this be an incentive to all who may read it to enter the work. The Lord will work everywhere to the glory of His name and for the gathering in of funds for the finishing of this work.

Bethel Items

Considerable painting is being done at the ladies' dormitory.

Miss Jennie Keizer is visiting her sister, Miss Ella Keizer, for a few days.

Miss Gladys Abbott's sister Kathrine returned home after a visit at the academy home.

Mr. J. Frazier of College View, Nebr., a former resident of Bethel, is here on business.

A surprise party was given Miss Mary Cutler on her birthday. All enjoyed a pleasant time.

Mrs. H. T. Elliot entertained the young men and Professor Straw at supper on Tuesday evening.

The sewing class is busy making quilts and furnishings for the guests' chamber in the ladies' dormitory.

Mr. Ernest Cleveland has gone to the Madison Sanitarium where he expects to take the nurses' course.

Mr. Johnny Jackson from Indian Hill has enrolled as a student in the academy. Mr. C. Nielson will be his teacher.

The Missionary society elected the following officers: Mr. J. Lefevre, president; Mr. T. Wilson, vice-president; Mr. J. E. Christianson, secretary-treasurer; Miss M. Shaefer, ass't. secretary-treasurer.

Since our siege of measles, tonsillitis, and quincy is almost over, schoolwork is beginning to take on new vigor. Mr. A. E. Allen has had to test eyes for glasses as a result of the effects of the measles.

Mr. A. Fillner of Merrill called at the academy while here on business Jan. 30 to Feb. 2. Mr. Fillner, with his mother and brother and sister, expects to locate near the academy in order that the children may attend school.

Elder P. C. Hanson of Poysippi gave a chapel talk at the academy last week. He showed some of the great advantages an educated Christian student has. All knowledge comes from God and it is by cooperating with Him that the greatest amount of knowledge is attained.

Indiana Conference

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

President, E. A. Bristol

Another Young People's Society

Last Sabbath afternoon at Farmersburg a Young People's Society of over forty members was organized. Several of these young people have recently learned of the truth through the special meetings now in progress at that place.

These new members, filled with enthusiasm for service, are coming into the church as working members. Officers were elected and aggressive plans were laid for active missionary service. Miss Rasmusson presented the Reading Course, Standard of Attainment and Morning Watch. A number responded loyally to the suggestive plans.

After a short intermission, Brother E. E. Franklin presented the publishing work, an agency where by these young people may engage in real active service. Ten expressed the desire to enter the book and magazine work and some are planning to attend the colporteurs' institute at Beechwood Academy, February 27 to March 6. We expect this Young People's Society to be one of the largest in the conference.

TWO CONFERENCE SECRETARIES.

News Notes

To fully understand the changes in the prices of our small books, you should possess a 1914 catalogue of publications. It is ready for you and free for the asking.

During the month of January, we received at the conference office \$2,058.84 for our foreign mission work. This means that we reached our aim for the month, and more too. What shall we make February?

From Waldron we have the following from Elder Hubbard: "The other churches of the city are holding revival services; but to my surprise last night (Sunday) I had nearly a full house, with some of the best people of the town in attendance."

Elder W. A. Young was recently called to Lucerne, to preach the funeral sermon of Sister Susan Winn, who was a member of the Grass Creek church. Before his return to the sanitarium, Elder Young visited the brethren at Grass Creek, spending Sabbath with them.

Sabbath, January 31, was a good day for the Farmersburg church. Nine persons were baptized by Elder Tindall, and a Young People's Society was organized. Several more are expected to be baptized soon. Miss Jennie Sims has joined Elder Tindall in his effort, as a Bible worker.

One of the members of the Anderson church, writes, "Our work in Anderson is still onward, and I hope that the whole church will arouse to their work and privilege in the matter of giving the message of truth to every home in the city. I feel that it must be done, and with the aid of all our members, it can be done."

We present a few words from a personal letter from Elder Lauda, who is holding meetings at Kennard. "The church is full every night. The other churches here have started union services, which they hold every Sunday evening, but last Sunday, notwithstanding their union service, our meeting was well attended. We shall have a hall for a few nights, as our church will not hold the people,"

Orders are pouring in for the new Temperance *Instructor*. "The strongest and best yet," is the testimony of those who have read it. Watch your opportunities for placing these to advantage in your county. Price, five cents a copy, in quantities of five to forty. Fifty or more copies, four cents each. Next week we shall tell you how others are using it. To facilitate filling your orders we keep a stock on hand all the time.

One home missionary worker writes, "I secured permission to put up a tract pocket in our Union Traction station. Over the pocket I had printed 'Matt. 24:14.' I can't keep it filled. Within the last few weeks, thousands of tracts have been distributed in this manner. It is certainly a wonderful way of using tracts." Now is the golden hour of the year to use these little messengers. Don't let the time slip by without improving it to the best of your ability.

During the year 1913, our conference used 41,400 tracts which is an average of about twenty-three for every member. But surely we could not count ourselves among the faithful workers, if we handed out not more than two tracts a month. But we are glad to report that for the first month of the new year, we used 8,300 tracts and 230 pamphlets. This is a good beginning, and if we keep it up throughout the year, we shall come nearer fulfilling the instruction to scatter our literature like the leaves of autumn.

December

	Tithe	2%		Tithe	2%
Akron	\$		Michael	57 80	8 05
Anderson	73 84	2 97	Middletown	196 96	50
Barbers Mill	106 27	50	Mt. Vernon	3 60	
Boggs town	92 31		Mt. Zion	65 79	3 40
Connorsville	53 26	8 44	Muncie	56 35	
Dana			New Hope	15 25	92
Elkhart	79 30		New Marion	10 65	
Elnora	27 00	40	Noblesville	15 11	1 26
Elwood	2 75		Northfield	70 80	
Farmersburg	37 01		North Liberty	26 30	20
Fort Wayne	11 62	2 62	North Manchester	37 50	4 60
Goshen	13 96	1 72	North Vernon		
Grass Creek	71 76		Oolitic		
Greenfield	6 70		Patrickburg	30 30	
Haven			Peru	3 71	
Hartford City	51 15	5 41	Petersburg		
Honey Creek	72 98	82	Pleasant View	19 05	1 31
Idaville	19 58	52	Rochester	43 68	4 00
Ind'apolis E. S.	202 17	1 03	Rocklane		
" 23d St.	467 29	18 69	Salem	20 00	
Ind'apolis, W.S.	31 49		Seymour	2 93	58
Conference	272 09		Soldiers' Home	61 50	45
Inwood	32 70	1 10	South Bend	107 99	4 91
Jefferson	17 06		Sunman	6 22	
Jonesboro	40 00		Terre Haute	29 35	
Kennard	115 94		Unionville	5 00	
Kokomo	73 67	4 41	W. V. San	201 32	3 78
La Fayette	21 25		Waldron	3 31	
Lebanon	23 00		Colored Company	7 00	
Ligonier	29 41		West Liberty		
Linton	56 74		Wolcottville	4 00	30
Logansport	37 67	37	Wolf Lake	157 08	
Marion	165 92	1 02	Totals	\$3467 06	83 92

Obituaries

HORST.—Reignald Horst, infant son of Brother and Sister Andrew Horst, was born July 2, 1913 and died Jan. 13, 1914. Though life was short the loss is keenly felt by the parents, but they sorrow not as those who have no hope. Words of comfort were spoken from Jer. 31:16, 17.

C. W. CURTIS.

FILLNER.—Alice Fillner was born July 24, 1914, died Jan. 10, 1914. The funeral was held at Bloomville where a large number of relatives and friends were gathered to hear words of comfort, which were spoken by the writer. They will miss their daughter, but she rests in Jesus until He comes to waken her from her sleep.

THEODORE G. LEWIS.

SLOAT.—Catherine Fair was born near Hamilton, Ont., Feb. 25, 1844, died Nov. 25, 1913. She was married to Peter Sloat in 1861. To this union were born thirteen children, ten of whom are living. The deceased was a charter member of the Bay City (Mich.) church, having accepted the truth in the early seventies, to which she ever remained faithful. Funeral services were conducted by the writer.

H. B. WESTCOTT.

WALKER.—George P. Walker, a member of the Charleston, Ill., church, was born in Hutton Township, Nov. 9, 1836, and died Dec. 10, 1913, aged 77 years, 1 month, and 1 day. Dec. 31, 1857, he was married to Rhoda P. Cartright. Five children were born to this union of whom four survive. He served three years in the Civil War in the 123d Ill. Regiment. Through the efforts of one of his sons, he accepted the message for this time in 1894, continuing a faithful active member until called to rest until the Life-giver appears. The writer spoke words of comfort to a large congregation from Heb. 9:28.

JOHN E. HANSON.

NORRIS.—Elmaette Amelia Norris was born in Maple Grove, Mich., Sept. 23, 1856, and fell asleep in Jesus Jan. 11, 1914, aged 57 years, 3 months, and 18 days. She embraced the Seventh-day Adventist faith in the summer of 1877 under the labors of Elders F. M. Steward and E. P. Daniels, uniting with the church at Maple Grove at its organization. At the age of seven years she suffered a stroke of paralysis and remained a cripple for life. She was naturally of a cheerful disposition and often rejoiced in the hope of the life beyond where she would be straight like others. She leaves an aged mother, one brother, and one sister, besides many relatives and friends to mourn their loss. Words of comfort were spoken by the writer from Rev. 14:13.

C. F. McVAGH.

ROACH.—Captain A. B. Roach was born in Jefferson County, N. Y., February 12, 1838, and died January 4, 1914, at Messena, N. Y. He died very peacefully, and strong in the faith. Services were held in both Messena, and in Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., his old home, where interment was made. Brother Roach accepted the truth in California about four years ago. He was one of the pioneers of Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., having come here over fifty years ago. During his younger days, he spent practically all his time on the Great Lakes and it was there that he earned his title of captain. He is survived by three sons, two daughters, three brothers, and one sister.

E. F. PETERSON.

**Canvassers' Report for Week Ending
January 30, 1914**

Southern Illinois

Canvasser	Book	Hrs	Ords	Value	Helps	Total	Del.
T. R. Treece.....	DR	28	4	12 00	9 60	21 60	.....
A. P. Lager.....	GC	46	11	35 00	14 75	49 75	1 35
Harry Bennett.....	GC	30	6	19 00	1 0	20 20	60
Hugh Stearns.....	GC	30	11	34 00	1 0	3 80	4 00
R. J. Watson.....	DR	28	12	36 00	6 90	42 90	.....
Jerry Suda.....	GC	18	7	22 00	75	22 75	4 25
H. P. Livesay.....	CK	28	4	17 00	.....	17 00	.....
M. F. Sexton.....	GC	34	9	27 00	4 35	31 35	2 80
W. B. Langston.....	GC	13	.....	3 00	85	3 85	3 85
Ivan Falconer.....	GC	37	15	6 00	.....	.....	.....
		296	79	250 00	40 20	290 20	17 75

North Michigan

K. V. Bjork.....	Rev.	24	5	11 25	5 80	17 05	22 05
C. E. Butler.....	BR	24	7	19 00	.....	19 00	.....
		48	12	30 25	5 80	36 05	22 05

Northern Illinois

Mrs. M. Sparlin.....		15	2	4 00	.....	4 00	.....
D. R. Devereaux.....	PG	31	1	4 00	1 70	5 70	.....
L. Clarke.....	SP	25	15	22 50	.....	22 50	.....
Mrs. Vas.....		21	.....	4 50	2 00	6 50	.....
G. Vas.....		36	.....	4 45	18 00	22 45	.....
		128	18	39 45	21 70	61 15	.....

East Michigan

J. A. Lamb.....	GC	32	5	15 25	65	19 90	3 25
G. W. Brickley.....	CK	12	1	3 00	25	3 25	17 25
H. C. Ferguson.....	CK	48	4	8 00	3 90	11 90	7 90
Geo. McClenathan.....	GC	31	17	58 00	5 50	63 50	4 00
Eugene Sykes.....		32	16	27 00	6 75	33 75	40
F. Nurmberger.....	GC	35	6	17 50	3 50	21 00	6 00
Mrs. L. McClatchy.....	BR	25	.....	.....	2 50	2 50	4 00
		215	49	128 75	27 05	155 80	42 80

West Michigan

Jerry Mandigo.....	DR	21	7	22 00	.....	22 00	.....
J. E. Herrington.....	GC	41	11	31 00	4 35	35 35	1 50
F. L. Boothby.....	GC	30	9	26 00	3 25	29 25	25
E. M. Phillips.....	GC	40	9	29 00	.....	29 00	.....
		132	36	108 00	7 60	115 60	1 75

Indiana

J. S. Lee.....	PG	27	12	42 00	.....	42 00	.....
W. E. Bailey.....	BR	25	14	43 00	1 00	44 00	3 00
Minnie Brown.....	GC	14	7	21 00	.....	21 00	9 50
H. M. Gipson.....	DR	34	11	34 00	3 75	37 75	.....
C. C. Marshall.....	DR	34	7	21 00	75	21 75	.....
Mrs. C. C. Marshall.....	CK	18	8	12 00	.....	12 00	.....
J. C. Applegate.....	CK	4	2	3 00	1 50	4 50	.....
Mrs. W. E. Bailey.....	CK	15	11	16 50	.....	16 50	.....
H. W. Plake.....	BR	39	7	27 00	3 50	30 50	.....
B. F. Halstead.....	CK	29	4	12 00	.....	12 00	.....
T. G. Bailey.....	BR	33	13	41 00	.....	41 00	.....
S. B. Heath.....	PG	58	14	31 00	3 00	34 00	.....
Mrs. H. M. Gipson.....	CK	16	9	13 50	50	14 00
		346	119	317 00	14 00	331 00	12 50

41 Agents

	1165	313	873 45	116 35	989 80	96 85
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PERIODICAL REPORT

East Michigan

Paper	Hours	No.	Value
Vora Lynch.....	13	62	6 20

Business Notices

FOR SALE.—One hundred ten acre farm within 20 rods of Adventists' Adelpian Academy. For further particulars write R. D. Tobin, R. F. D. 4, Holly, Mich. 3 T

WANTED.—An able-bodied man from 25 to 50 years old to stay with my father who is a paralytic. Easy place, good money to the right person. Please give reference. J. J. Fellow, R. F. D. 3, Greentown, Ind.

FOR SALE.—Palmetto Asparagus plants, 40 cents for 50; 60 cents for 100. Fays Prolific currants at 6 cents each. Good two year old plants. Write me. Samuel Midgeley, Route 3, Kalamazoo, Mich.

WANTED.—Man with small family to work on farm by the year. Must be good worker and trusty with stock. Write for particulars, and send references. Ezra Brackett, 342 Culler St., Allegan, Mich.

WANTED.—A consecrated Seventh-day Adventist hygienic woman cook, in a sanitarium, must be healthy, neat and competent, all letters answered. Mrs. Dr. Cogshall, 419 First Ave., Flint, Mich.

WORK WANTED.—A boy sixteen years old desires a place to work with Seventh-day Adventist where he can have church privileges. Can begin work any time. Address Mrs. A. L. Covill, Bloomingdale, Mich., stating wages, also kind kind of work.

COOKING OIL.—We handle one grade of cottonseed oil only, but you can buy no better. Give us a trial order and be convinced. Five-gallon can, \$4.20; ten-gallon can, \$8.15, f. o. b. Louisville, Kentucky. Indiana Tract Society, 521 E. 23d St., Indianapolis, Indiana.

FOR SALE.—One-half interest in 25-acre fruit, vegetable, dairy and poultry farm. Two dwelling houses. On car line near Urbandale church and church-school. Terms \$25 down Easy payments on balance \$1500. Railroad fare returned to purchaser. Percy T. Vogle, 32 Lincoln St., Battle Creek, Mich.

A HEALTHFUL FOOD.—Honey is the most healthful, and the most delicious of sweets. A little with the meal is a medicine, and also takes the place of preserves and other sweetmeats. The best white clover honey by parcels post, 1st and 2d zones, 12 lbs., \$1.70; 120 lbs., 10-can case, \$13.20; 120 lbs., 2-can case, \$12. J. H. Haughey, R. F. D. 1, Berrien Springs, Michigan.

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From a Subscriber.

"The LAKE UNION HERALD is a welcome visitor at my desk every week. I always open it with pleasant anticipations and am never disappointed. I have been a subscriber ever since the paper was first published, and expect to continue to be one. I am glad I paid for it four years in advance. Last summer I induced every member of our church to subscribe and obtained two subscriptions from outsiders."

Special Offer in Printed Stationery

If you are in need of printed stationery note the following prices: We will print and deliver post paid to any address within 150 miles of Berrien Springs, 100 letter heads 8½x11, and 100 envelopes to match for \$1.25, either ruled or unruled; 250 letter heads and 250 envelopes, \$2.50; 500 of each \$3.50; 1,000 of each, \$5.25. Send for special reduced prices on larger quantities.

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A Pulpit Donated

A brother writes, "If you know of a poor, struggling church who are building, and need a pulpit, I would like to get in touch with them through the HERALD. I have the material and am willing to do missionary work in this way. I have already made and shipped away five pulpits."

College

Mr. William Booth-Clibborn, one of the grandsons of General Booth who were here last year, was at the College over Sabbath and Sunday last week. He spoke at the Young People's meeting and lectured on the life of his mother in the evening. Monday morning he spoke to the students at the chapel hour, leaving Tuesday afternoon.

The skating has been fine during the past week and many of the students and the faculty have enjoyed it as much as their work would permit.

Word has been received that Mr. Theo. Robinson of Grand Rapids and Mr. Benjamin Lane, of Carmi, Ill., will be with us for the spring term.

Mr. Russell Harrison spent Sabbath and Sunday at his home at Kenawa, Ind. The family will return with him and locate near the College.

The College herd has been increased by two new calves. One of these is a full-blooded Guernsey and is a fine little animal.

The Saturday night program this week was in charge of the Ministerial Band. The subject of the evening was "Hard Nuts Cracked." Each of the members was assigned a difficult text in the Bible, for a two minute explanation. Some of the hard and deep texts of the Bible were thus shown to be full of meaning and in strict harmony with the rest of the scripture. The program also included some special music.

Miss Vida Williams was visited by her brother Thursday and Friday of this week.

Many of the students have been taking advantage of the offer of the General Conference and the local conferences, of a certificate of attainment upon the presentation of their College credit for Bible doctrines and denominational history.

Thirty students recently passed a spelling examination held in the chapel with a grade of over ninety percent. Two of these were perfect and fourteen were above ninety-five. One hundred words were dictated by Prof. B. B. Smith. About ninety of the students passed the examination with a grade of over seven-five per cent.

The mid-winter number of the *Bulletin* will soon be ready. Has your card been returned? M. E. HITCHCOCK.

E. M. C. Students and Foreign Missions

Last year at the close of a chapel exercise, slips of paper were passed to the students on which they were asked to answer questions relative to their attitude toward foreign missions.

The same was done at a recent chapel exercise this year. The questions asked were as follows:—

Do you expect, if the Lord permits, to be a foreign missionary?

Are you willing to go if the Lord should call you?

What is your choice of field?

The slips were gathered and the answers classified, with the following interesting and gratifying results:—

	Last year.	This year.
Those definitely planning to go to foreign fields,	49	63
In addition to these, those who are willing to go if the Lord calls and have a choice of field	33	45
Willing to go if the Lord calls, but no choice of field	50	48
Total planning or willing to go,	132	156

Classification of Fields Chosen

China,	19	8
India,	19	15
Africa,	17	35
South America,	14	15
Japan,	4	11
Holland,	1	1
Persia, (Mohammedan Fields)	1	1
Islands,	1	2
Abyssinia,	1	2
Spanish Fields,		2
Total	80	92

It is our prayer that the Lord will help these young people to prepare speedily and thoroughly for the work to which they are consecrating their lives. O. J. GRAF.

"So live, so act, that every hour
May die as dies the natural flower;
That every word and every deed
May bear within itself the seed
Of future good in future need."