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

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"O Give Thanks Unto the Lord"

In these, and many similar words, the Bible brings to us our duty to praise God, the giver of every good and perfect gift. We need to thank God many times daily. This increases our love and faith. In heaven it is recorded as a testimony on the side of the Lord against the false charges of Satan. On our birthday, at New Year's, at the end of every season, for marked deliverances or victories and for peculiar gifts, we ought to render special thanks to God. We may exalt the Lord with our words at any time and place, but this is especially fitting at the family worship and in the Sabbath meeting. We may thank the Lord also by gifts of self-denial and love. Ancient Israel was commanded to bring God a thank offering at the close of every harvest. Deut. 26: 1-10. In like manner we may praise God with a thank offering.

In the HERALD last week we called attention to the plan of setting aside the first seven days of November as a self-denial week, and of appointing Sabbath, November 7, as a special thanksgiving Sabbath for the foreign missions. We hope and pray that our brethren everywhere in the Lake Union will adopt this plan. Let us thank God because He has spared our country from the cruel war. We have just heard of three brethren in Europe who were shot because they refused to do military service on the Sabbath. How grateful we should be for peace and liberty! We would earnestly plead for some large offerings on this Sabbath. Are there not those who would give \$50 or even \$100? The situation is most critical. Our mission work abroad is in urgent need of money. If all will give as the Lord directs, we shall receive a large donation—every little helps though it be but one penny. This money should be sent on through the church to the conference treasury. As we give, let us pray, and the blessings of Heaven will rest upon us.

L. H. CHRISTIAN

Our Academies

Reports have now been received from each of the five principal boarding academies of the Union. A report from the other schools will be published later; also the church schools.

Bethel, Beechwood, and Fox River Academies have

no primary department. Cedar Lake and Adelphian have. The enrollment October 1, exclusive of primary grades, was as follows: Adelphian, 82; Beechwood, 35; Bethel, 56; Cedar Lake, 59; Fox River, 41.

Faculties

Adelphian: T. W. Steen, W. E. Videto, B. H. Phipps, R. B. Wheeler, Mary E. Lamson, Margaret M. Steen, M. E. Hitchcock, H. O. Butler.

Beechwood: E. A. von Pohle, H. G. Patchett, H. M. Colburn, Gertrude Sims, Evaline Pitcher, Mrs. H. M. Colburn.

Bethel: H. T. Elliott, P. L. Thompson, Gladys McDill, J. N. Kimball, Grace Wright, C. B. VanGorder, Mrs. C. B. VanGorder, C. C. Curtis.

Cedar Lake: J. G. Lamson, Mrs. J. G. Lamson, G. H. Straight, Fyrrn Ford, Susie Klose, Luella Wells.

Fox River: J. B. Clymer, Reid Shepard, Ivah Krome, Mrs. J. B. Clymer, Mrs. R. S. Shepard, Wilhelmina Jensen.

C. A. RUSSELL

The Books Reach Truth-Hungry Souls

At the camp meeting held at Downers Grove, Ill., this fall one of our sisters told how the truth reached her through a book delivered to a friend where she was visiting near Eaton Rapids, Mich., in September 1911. She had been praying for light, and the lady who purchased the book asked her to examine it and see if she could approve of its contents. She found in it what her soul had been hungering for and accepted the light. Her two children are now converted and a neighboring family also.

The canvasser who sold the book is a well-known student at the College, Brother Glen Hamp, and the book was "Bible Footlights." The news that the book had been a blessing to some one made Brother Hamp's face shine when told of it. The books are finding their way to many who are praying for light; and in that day "they that be wise (teachers) shall shine as the brightness of the firmament, and they that turn many to righteousness as the stars forever and ever."

J. B. BLOSSER

E. M. C. Missionary Campaign

The spirit which should actuate all who are looking for the soon-coming of our Lord has taken deep hold upon our teachers and students this year. It has been manifest in the zeal and courage with which they entered into the Harvest Ingathering Campaign.

Wednesday, October 21, was the day set for the campaign. The students were thoroughly organized into companies, with teachers at the head of each company, before the day arrived. On Monday and Tuesday the chapel hours were turned over to instruction on how to do the work. Wednesday morning saw several companies of earnest-faced

teachers and students setting out for the surrounding towns and country. Four cities and several small towns were wholly, or partially worked, also some country roads.

The chapel hour Thursday morning was occupied by the teachers who related some interesting experiences. Professor Graf told of visiting some very poor families. He said his day's experience had taught him to be content with his lot, realizing that others were so much more unfavorably situated. There is no doubt that each one who took part is a better Christian as a result of the day's efforts. We are anxiously waiting for the young people's hour Sabbath afternoon when we expect to hear from some of the students.

About \$130 was taken in altogether. We thank our Heavenly Father for this, but the blessings we received during the day and the encouragement we imparted to others we consider of greater value than the financial returns:

G. H. SIMPSON

Indiana Conference

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

President, E. A. Bristol

Harvest Ingathering at South Bend

The harvest of mission funds has begun in South Bend and there is prospect of a good crop. This is the first year in our experience of adopting in a practical way the plan of organization into groups with definite district assigned. As our members are quite scattered, it was decided to begin our work on Wednesday, October 7, so that it would be more convenient for a general report to be made at the weekly prayer meeting. As the hour for the service arrived there came from various directions a weary and foot-sore band, but with a very noticeable brightness of countenance denoting satisfaction and courage to a degree never before witnessed in this particular company.

Each of the reapers had experiences to tell and each had accomplished *something*. To be sure the gleanings had on the whole been in small handfulls, — dimes and quarters, — but one reported a five dollar donation. The total collections for the day amounted to \$16.37, and there remains various collections to be made from people taking the paper and promising to have the money at a definite period.

All of the workers in this first day's campaign were women, with the exception of one brave brother, who stood by the work all through the day. Another brother, whose wife could not attend the meeting, had the privilege of reporting her day's work, and did so with as much interest and enthusiasm as though he had himself been ringing door-bells all day. We hope that this brother, and all other brothers, will soon have an actual personal experience to correspond with that of the wife, daughter, or sister.

We do not by any means intend to stop our work with this one special day's endeavor, but having started, to continue for the raising of our quota and as much more as possible.

LIBRARIAN

Farewell to Elder and Mrs. Moon

Elder and Mrs. Moon were considerably taken by surprise on Monday evening, October 19, when about forty of their South Bend friends filed into the spacious and hospitable home of Mr. and Mrs. John Finkenbinder where they were enjoying an evening repast. In view of the near departure of Elder and Mrs. Moon it was the wish of all their church friends to have an opportunity to say farewell in a personal and social manner, and the two hours of genuine Christian fellowship afforded on this occasion were thoroughly enjoyed by all.

A simple program of music, addresses, and recitations was arranged, one of the most interesting features of the program being the encircling of Sister Moon by the members of her Sabbath school class while one of the young ladies expressed the assurance that each member of the class had given herself to Christ, and this fact they felt was the best gift they could bring to their faithful teacher, concluding by placing in her hands a cluster of roses.

Elder and Mrs. Moon spoke in a touching manner of their grief at severing the pleasant church relations and other ties which afforded comfort and pleasure, but they said that years ago they had enlisted in the Lord's service for life, and always considered themselves soldiers under marching orders, and now that the call had come to transfer to another portion of the Lord's vineyard, they cheerfully responded.

Indianapolis

Sunday, October 4, three members were taken into the West-side church by baptism. We praise the Lord for blessing our work here.

Recently we had a call from a pastor of a Baptist church in this city for some of our literature. He said: "I know something of your people, and I wish to study their literature for it is the best." So after a talk upon the message, I supplied him with the literature desired. He said: "I wish to preach it to my congregation." The Lord is working.

O. S. HADLEY

News Notes

A number of pledges made at the camp meeting have been paid, and our treasurers write that their members are planning to pay soon. We are glad to note this and trust that our entire list of pledges may be canceled by December 25.

Elder Sanders visited the Anderson, Elwood, and Kokomo churches in the interest of the Harvest Ingathering campaign.

Brother H. M. Kelley is conducting a series of meetings at Maxwell in connection with his effort at Greenfield. He reports a good interest.

Mrs. C. N. Sanders visited the Connersville church in the interest of the Sabbath school work.

Elder Tindall writes that they are having a good interest and large attendance at Terre Haute. They expect to have another baptism soon.

Wabash Valley Sanitarium Items

Over one hundred persons visited the sanitarium last week.

Sixteen are enrolled in the nurses' classes. The special six months' course will start November 1. We are making all three courses strong in Bible, and the faculty will spare no pains to give the students a thorough training in evangelistic, medical, and practical lines.

We are glad to welcome among us Professor and Mrs. C. E. Garnsey of Loma Linda, Calif. Professor Garnsey has already taken up his duties as superintendent of the training school. Mrs. Garnsey will also be one of the teachers for the current year.

A meeting of the sanitarium board was held at this place October 12, at which time we were glad to have with us Elders L. H. Christian, E. A. Bristol, Brethren J. W. Mace, A. N. Anderson, and T. A. Goodwin.

Miss Anna Carahooft, spent Thursday in Indianapolis attending the Annual State Convention of Nurses.

West Michigan Conference

Office Address, 1214 Madison Ave., Grand Rapids, Mich.
President, C. F. McVagh

Charlotte

After we closed our tent effort at Charlotte I went home for a few days' rest and then returned to finish the work which had been started this summer. I held meetings about ten days with the very best of interest. Sabbath, the 17th, was a day of rejoicing for the Charlotte church, as they saw eighteen converts added to their numbers as the result of the summer's work. Many old members said it looked so good to see such a harvest of souls gathered into the fold of Christ. Others are very much interested in the truth who attended our tent meetings and are now attending the services at the church every Sabbath. We are praying that they, too, will soon unite with us.

I hope that all the West Michigan people will remember the work at this place in their prayers.

U. S. ANDERSON

Canvassing Notes

Brother and Sister Boody are now nicely located in Grand Rapids, where Sister Boody will do magazine work and Brother Boody will canvass for the new "Bible Readings." His first week's work amounted to nearly two dollars per hour.

Brother E. M. Phillips writes: "One young man was not going to take his book. I showed him how the Bible has foretold the present conditions in the world. He admitted he had not studied the Bible very much. After receiving the money for the book, I encouraged him to study it, and explained to him how to use the texts and other references. In one place after delivering a book to a customer, his brother drove into the yard and ordered a 'Daniel and Revelation.'"

Brother O. A. Palmiter writes: "The Lord was with me and blessed my efforts, not only in taking orders, but also in finding me a good place to stay all the week with a dear old couple."

These are only samples of the canvassers' letters

that come to me each week. As you read them does it make your heart burn within you? What book are you planning to sell? Have you any choice of territory? Would you not like to be the canvasser of whom the following inquiry is made? Listen to this. "Will you inform me who delivered a 'Bible Footlights' to Mrs. Geo. — near Eaton Rapids, Mich., in September 1911? A lady who was staying there at the time read the book and accepted the truth, and her family and another family too. The people now live in Illinois and want to know who the young man was. I will write you the details in full when I get the story from the canvasser. J. B. Blosser."

Dear reader, no doubt there many other souls waiting for you to bring them the message. Do not delay longer, time is short and souls are precious.

Our annual canvassers' institute will be held Dec. 18-27. The place will be announced later.

A. L. VAN FOSSEN

367 W. Franklin St., Oesego, Mich.

News Notes

West Michigan has now ordered more of the Ingathering *Review* than last year. This is very encouraging. Let us make good use of every one. We surely ought to be able to double last year's receipts for the papers distributed. This would help out many of our churches on their apportionment of mission funds.

A card from Elder S. B. Horton tells us that he is stumping Ohio in behalf of the temperance campaign. The battle there for prohibition is a hot and interesting one. Among other notable speakers on the temperance side are ex-Governor Patterson of Tennessee, Captain Hobson, and Elder C. S. Longacre.

Elder McVagh spent Sabbath and Sunday at Maple Grove church. The Lord is greatly blessing the work there. Five were baptized Sabbath, and Sunday nine united with the church. George Watson was unanimously chosen elder and the outlook is bright.

Jennie DeYoung reports one ready for baptism at Holland. And so the good work goes on.

The report in the *Review* of October 15 shows that two conferences in America distributed more than 50,000 each of the *Review* War Extras. West Michigan is credited with 52,000 and Iowa with 55,000, and since that report was made out we have received 3,000 more so unless Iowa has distributed more since, West Michigan and that conference stand a tie at the head of the list. Let us thank God and pray that many honest souls will receive light through this effort and that all our people will be encouraged to continue the missionary campaign.

A letter from Sister Hebner tells us that on account of ill health she must go to the Hinsdale Sanitarium for treatment. She speaks of the sorrow that she feels in thus being compelled to leave the work at Benton Harbor even for a little time. We hope and pray that God will greatly bless the means used for her recovery and that she will soon return better prepared than ever to continue her work.

It has been decided to hold a general missionary convention in West Michigan, November 27-29. Place and program will be announced later.

Southern Illinois Conference

Office Address, 304 W. Allen St., Springfield, Ill.
President, A. J. Clark

Missionary Work in Our Conference

At the request of Elder Christian and the presidents who met in Chicago the last of September, our conference committee met October 7 to plan a missionary campaign for this fall. It was decided that we send to every family in the conference the first number of the Home Missionary Series of the *Signs*. These papers have been ordered, and as soon as they come will be mailed to each family in the conference.

I sincerely hope that our brethren and sisters will take hold of the work with this paper. It is hoped that each member of the conference will become responsible for two copies of this paper for six months. The price is sixty cents per copy, or one dollar twenty cents for the two. Take these papers, and personally hand them to your friends and neighbors, thus making a missionary visit at the same time you take the paper to them. It would be well to have certain families to whom you give the paper and not give them out promiscuously.

The committee voted to ask Brother Stearns to take up missionary work in the different churches in the conference until the first of the year. Brother Stearns is already working among the churches, and no doubt will visit your church soon. It was also decided that we have another stenographer in the office, and thus have two working during this missionary campaign, also that we accept the recommendation of the Lake Union Conference to set apart the first week in November as Self-denial Week, and make the first Sabbath in November, November 7, the day for the thank offering to God that our nation has been preserved from the conditions of war. Let us all remember this day, and let us indeed bring a thank offering to our God that we have not been forced to enter into the situation that confronts Europe today.

So far this month, it has been my privilege to visit the Peoria and Bloomington churches. The missionary work was started in each of these places, subscriptions were taken for the *Signs*, and considerable interest was aroused in home missionary work and the Harvest Ingathering.

A. J. CLARK

News Notes

Elder Clark spent Sabbath and Sunday with the church at East Alton. There is a good interest at this place.

Elder R. J. Nethery reports that the interest continues good at Danville.

Brother Herbert Wollard of Herrin has moved to Pana, and is taking up the canvassing work.

Brother Klein, a young man who recently accepted the truth in Decatur, is now living in Springfield, and has entered the canvassing work.

Brother Ephraim McCormack of Herrin writes that he is enclosing a check for foreign mission. He states that he believes we are nearing the end, and according

to the amount of the check, we have reason to believe that he is thoroughly convinced of this fact. The check calls for five hundred dollars.

Harold Hewlett, of Carterville, Ill., sold fifty magazines in fourteen hours. Harold is but fifteen years of age, and is both deaf and dumb.

Brother Hugo Mitzelfelt has decided to enter the canvassing work again, and has moved his family to Springfield.

Mrs. Mae Parker-Logan, who was engaged in the office for about four years, is now with us again in the office.

Brother Hugh Sterns spent three days in Springfield before taking up his work as missionary secretary of the conference.

The report comes to us that there is a new Sabbath-keeper in Carbondale who took his stand for the truth through reading our books. There is also a young German brother in Decatur who has taken his stand for the truth, and a young man at Astoria has accepted the truth. The German brother from Decatur and the young man from Astoria will enter the canvassing work.

Miss Mabel Hicks returned to the office Thursday from her trip among the schools

North Michigan Conference

Office Address, 510 Petoskey St., Petoskey, Mich.
President, J. J. Irwin

Missionary Work on the Train

Last Friday I traveled about twenty-five miles on the train. As soon as I took my seat I noticed a man giving to each passenger a four-page pamphlet. In due time he reached me and I found that he was an agent for the Millennial Dawn people. His leaflet had an article on the battle of Armageddon and everyone seemed anxious to read it. At every station this agent got out and passed around a supply to all who were waiting at the train. His zeal and activity were an object lesson to me. Why should not we do a similar work with the truth God has committed to us? We can easily do it if we make up our minds to.

S. E. KELLMAN

Items Here and There

The missionary convention held at Mesick seemed to be a decided success. Brethren Blosser, Russell, and Mace rendered very efficient help and their instruction was enjoyed by all. We look for a revival in all lines of missionary endeavor in Mesick, Colfax, and Grant.

Elders Irwin, Horton, and Brethren Williams and Kellman plan to be at Traverse City for a convention Oct. 23-25. Miss Crouch is also planning to be there to represent the Sabbath school and young people's work.

Mr. Clare Ferguson of Traverse City has connected with the office as stenographer.

Elder Irwin was at Cedar Lake Academy last week presiding at a meeting of the board.

The Mesick church holds a very good record in the number of its young people attending our higher schools. Four young people are attending the college at Berrien Springs, besides three others at Cedar Lake. Several of these earned their scholarships selling our publications.

Encouraging news comes from the Sabbath school at Mio, where Brother W. C. Mathewson and family have been endeavoring to hold up the message. As a result of the faithful efforts of their little Sabbath school, they report ten new Sabbath-keepers ready for baptism. All our Sabbath schools can be made soul-winning agencies.

The conference committee met at Petoskey and formulated plans for an aggressive missionary campaign this fall and winter.

Miss Crouch reports that Cedar Lake Academy has a larger number of North Michigan students in attendance this year than ever before. They number seventeen, and all seem to be taking hold nicely and enjoying their work.

The writer spent a recent Sabbath and Sunday with the Gaylord church. There were between forty and fifty present Sunday evening. The meeting was held at the home of one of our sisters. They are planning for an aggressive campaign with the Harvest Ingathering *Review*.

Elder Irwin has been visiting the churches at Eastport, Cleon, and Mesick. At Eastport one made a start for the kingdom, and a baptismal service was held.

Elder E. F. Peterson is planning to visit a number of the churches in the Upper Peninsula in the interest of mission funds and other branches of the work.

The interest at Mt. Pleasant is keeping Brother and Sister Webster quite busy. Sister Webster is now conducting eight classes of Bible readers each week, while Brother Webster meets with four other classes and has three preaching services each week. Some of these meetings are seven miles out of town, and other requests are coming in for meetings and Bible Studies. The Lord is certainly working for His people in these days.

Miss Crouch is visiting the church schools at Onaway, Omer, Whittemore, and Mesick.

The publishers of our monthly magazines are doing all they possibly can to make these messengers of truth interesting to the people. Very attractive war covers are prepared and the articles deal with subjects which everyone is anxious to read. Invest fifty cents for ten copies of either the *Watchman* or *Signs* and sell them at ten cents each. Order quickly.

Have you thought how cheaply you can obtain a paper binding of "His Glorious Appearing." This book explains the twenty-fourth chapter of Matthew and emphasizes the Lord's soon return. It is included in the Berean Library and would cost the church nine cents per copy if several copies are ordered. The postage would be very small. It retails at fifteen cents. Tell your missionary secretary how many copies you want her to order for you.

S. E. KELLMAN

East Michigan Conference

Office Address, Holly, Mich.

President. Wm. Guthrie

Linden, Michigan

Our tent meetings still continue. The Lord has blessed us with a beautiful fall and we have been able

to hold our services every evening for seven weeks. Last Friday evening the weather was quite unfavorable and, although it had previously been announced that there would be no service if it rained, there were twenty-five present and we held the service although it rained very hard.

There has been much opposition to our work here and we find it impossible to rent a place to hold meetings during the winter although there is an unused church building and several halls. Last Sunday morning the minister of another denomination preached against us. Those who had attended our meetings were more than ever convinced that what they had heard at the tent is the truth and some took their stand definitely for it. Thirteen have begun to observe the Sabbath and others are halting between two opinions.

The new ones are very earnest and desire to put up a church building. Today we visited a man who owns a mill. He said he would give us the lumber at cost price and \$100 besides. Another man will give the lot. So you see the Lord is working for His people and the opposition has only strengthened and helped us. Surely nothing can be done against the truth.

Several women, whose husbands are Masons, have accepted the truth and are suffering bitter persecution.

We would like to be with our brethren in the Harvest Ingathering work but feel that we cannot leave this interest just yet. Pray for the work here and especially for those who are in trial and affliction.

A. F. FRENCH

T. M. SUMMERVILLE

MRS. SUMMERVILLE

Bay City

We are glad to report that the work is very encouraging in this city. Since our last report four have been baptized and taken into the church.

Our people have taken hold of the Harvest Ingathering enthusiastically, and are meeting with good results. Over \$67 has been reported. Our average has been about twenty-two cents per paper. One sister, who is not yet a member of the church, has used fifty papers and collected \$12.50. We expect to close the year with our full amount for missions.

Our Sunday evening meetings are well attended. We have just started our winter's effort and will be glad to have any who have friends in this city send us their addresses so we can mail them one of our announcements each month. This should be attended to at once so they can get all points of our faith.

We wish to thank those who so kindly sent the magazines and papers, and again extend the invitation to any who have copies of the *Signs* weekly and any other of our magazines, to send them to the address below and we will put them to good use.

204 N. Keisel St.

H. B. WESTCOTT

"Satan will take control of every moment that is not entirely surrendered to the Spirit of God."

Northern Illinois Conference

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

Aledo Meeting

Although the roads were very muddy, the meetings at Aledo, October 15-19, were well attended.

On Sabbath, Elder Olsen conducted the morning service on the subject of consecration. The Spirit's power was present and a refreshing from the Lord came into the meeting and nearly the whole congregation took a new and definite stand for God.

The Sabbath school was held in the afternoon. Elder Christian spoke on missions and the Sabbath school collection reached \$300.02 for missions. Two gave \$100 each. The mission offerings are increasing and every prospect indicates that Northern Illinois Conference will reach its apportionment to missions this year.

Sunday morning, Elder Hubbard of Galesburg spoke on "What Our Young People Can Do for Missions" and several acres of corn were promised by the young men for next year. The young ladies are raising poultry.

Brother H. E. Moon attended the meeting, bringing a good supply of books, tracts, and magazines. The church took a lively interest in supplying themselves with literature for missionary work—about \$20 worth.

Elder T. G. Lewis from Geneseo stayed and is holding evening meetings during the week and will remain over Sabbath and Sunday. Several came in from other churches—Princeton, Moline, and Galesburg. All seemed to enjoy the meetings. The brethren are pushing the Harvest Ingathering work.

G. E. LANGDON

From Our Canvassers

Carl Clough writes: "The people were glad, yes, anxious to get the books. The Lord surely worked for me in my delivery. One place while delivering with an automobile, the tire blew out, and I was enabled to deliver a book which I would not otherwise. The Lord knows our coming in and our going out, and He is willing to help us. The summer has been full of good experiences for me."

Martha Hanson says: "This week has been my delivery week and the Lord has certainly been good to me. I have not lost an order and all seem glad to get the books. I also took two orders on Tuesday. One order I was almost sure I would lose. I called once and did not find the gentleman at home, but fortunately met him on the street next morning and found him pleased to take the book."

Brother R. C. Taylor has taken up the canvassing work successfully in the city of Chicago for "Daniel and the Revelation." Brother Von Voorden wishes to take up work soon among the Holland speaking people with "Coming King." He has already sold a number of copies, also "Steps to Christ." Brother F. A. Smiley will soon be at the work again. Brother Clarke is pressing on in this blessed work and he writes that he is of good courage.

Word comes from a sister in Streator that she wishes to take up the work with magazines that she may be able to attend the academy and prepare herself for teaching. The office has received a letter from a customer of one of the student canvassers who wishes to sell "Bible Footlights."

Several have definitely promised that they will be in the field another vacation, the Lord willing.

On every hand we meet those who are inquiring "What do these things mean?" Now is the time to tell them. Our good books and papers are full of this news.

The Lord is impressing the hearts of a number of others to enter the canvassing field and we are praying that they may fully give themselves to service.

J. A. APPLGATE

News Items

The amount received on the Two-per-cent Fund for September was \$63. This was a considerable gain over past months. We hope to see a steady gain in the offerings to this needy department of our work.

We were a little less than \$3,000 behind in our mission fund apportionment, October 1. The prospects that we shall be able to raise our entire apportionment for the year are very encouraging. We hope all who have made pledges to this fund at our recent camp meeting will pay them as soon as possible, at least before January 1.

The Central Church of Chicago has changed its location. They are now meeting on the S. W. Corner of Warren Ave. (No. 3001), and Sacramento Boulevard, one block north of W. Madison St. Sabbath school, 1:30 P.M., services, 2:45, prayer meetings, Tuesdays, 7:30 P.M. All visiting brethren passing through the city are welcome. The conference home is one block north—48 N. Sacramento Boul.

A very pleasant occasion occurred at the home of Elder and Mrs. G. E. Langdon, Chicago, Wednesday evening, 8 P.M., October 21: when Mr. Andrew P. Paulson, of Racine, Wis., and Miss Geraldine Reefman, of Grand Rapids, Mich., were united in marriage by Elder Langdon. Mr. Paulson is operating the Working Men's Mission Home, on State street. Miss Reefman has been teaching church school in Chicago the past three years. They have the best wishes of their many friends.

A Colporteur's Testimony

Friday while delivering I went through Burlington, Ill. Having the directions mixed, I stopped to inquire at a home. The lady said, "I know you, you sold us two Bibles. How are you getting along? We have often wondered where you were. We are well satisfied with our Bibles. Have you a book that would help us to understand or explain the Bible?" I told her I had and she ordered one for December 1. Thus we see God's hand many times directing us in mysterious ways. We never know whether this or that may prosper. But let us sow the seed in the morning, at noon, and at night. God will give the increase. Oh, that more laborers would enter this great harvest field, seeking and finding these hungry souls!

L. CLARKE

A Correction

The tithe report published last week was for three months instead of just September.

Wisconsin Conference

Office Address, Grand Rapids, Wis.

President, W. H. Thurston

Special Notice

We are arranging for four general meetings and will now give the date and place of two; the others will be given a little latter. The first one will be held at Rice Lake, November 5-9. The first service will be held Thursday night, the 5th. The churches in that part of the state are invited to attend this meeting also any isolated believers.

The second general meeting will be held in Sparta November 12-16. The churches in that part of the state are requested to be well represented at that meeting, also any who are not church members will be welcome. Good help is promised from the Lake Union Conference. These meetings will be of great importance and all believers within a reasonable distance should be present. We desire to see many church officers present. Begin now to plan to go and let us all pray for a revival of the work and a blessing at these meetings. Heb. 10: 25.

The day is fast approaching and we need to assemble together for study, counsel, and prayer. Remember the dates and the places: Rice Lake November 5-9 and Sparta November 12-16.

May the Lord help all who should be there to come.

W. H. THURSTON

Among the Churches

On September 28 I went to Oconto to see our Belgian brethren, but found them too busy to attend meetings just then, but I never had better visits with any of our people than I had with these dear brethren. They surely love the message. From here I went to our German church at Underhill. Here I labored four days, and we had excellent meetings. Sabbath we had the Lord's supper, and had I been able to remain another week we could have had baptism, but my appointments were made and I had to go to Gresham. Here I found a brother with his wife all alone keeping the Sabbath. For over a year he had been calling for someone to help in giving the message to the Indians in that territory, for he and his wife are German and speak but little English. These dear people I baptized, after which I went home to Milwaukee. We are now having a good outside attendance here on Sunday nights.

Our German church has ordered over 1,000 of the Harvest Ingathering *Review*, and are distributing them. Some of us are doing well. May our dear Lord bless this good work everywhere.

608 Center St.

H. F. GRAF

Ashland and Washburn

During the last days of September I visited Ashland and Washburn. In Ashland I had a number of meetings with the Scandinavian brethren, also had quarterly meeting with them. One meeting was held with the American brethren.

In Washburn several were quarantined because of small-pox. But we had a few very good meetings with those who could come. One sister and her

daughter wish to be baptized in the near future. They have lately started to keep the Sabbath.

On the appointed time I started out with one hundred fifty Harvest Ingathering papers. As I desired to go where no one else would go I walked through seven little places along the Omaha railroad. I began work at Minong and ended at Hayward, having disposed of the one hundred fifty papers and gathered in \$20. Several interested people were found on this trip. Two meetings were held in two different school-houses, and \$28 of tithe was given and forwarded to the treasurer. The Lord greatly blessed in presenting the truth for a few minutes to hundreds of people one by one.

J. HOFFMAN

SPECIAL NOTICE.—Wanted: the name on post card of every Seventh-day Adventist family in Wisconsin. We will send free by mail something that will interest and benefit you. Send at once to Sanitarium Food Co., 558 Anthony Ave., St. Paul, Minn.

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**Canvassers' Report for Week Ending
October 16, 1914**

Wisconsin						
Canvasser:	Book	Hrs	Ords	Value	Helps	Total
F. Passer.....	GC	47	15	46 00	1 75	47 75
N. O. Kittleson.....	DR	27	4	12 00	.....	12 00
		74	19	58 00	1 75	59 75
Indiana						
H. Williams.....	BR	6	6	18 00	.....	18 00
C. C. King.....	DR	29	4	12 00	75	12 75
John Vance.....	BR	41	16	49 00	.....	49 00
H. Larimore.....	DR	24	8	24 00	.....	24 00
M. S. Grimm.....	BR	34	8	27 00	2 25	29 25
J. S. Davis.....	DR	36	3	9 00	2 25	11 25
W. H. Addis.....	HM	12	8	16 00	9 25	25 25
Ethel Hall.....	Miscel.	18	15	.....	9 75	8 75
Floy Reagin.....	Miscel.	15	8	.....	13 00	13 00
W. O. Bergherm.....	BR	23	6	19 00	5 25	24 25
Stephen Boze.....	HM	20	5	10 00	4 65	14 65
		258	87	184 00	46 15	230 15
						31 25
West Michigan						
Grover E. Boody.....	BR	34	9	29 00	1 40	30 40
O. A. Palmiter.....	GC	36	9	27 25	5 85	33 10
E. M. Phillips.....	GC	25	1	3 00	35	3 35
		95	19	59 25	7 60	66 85
						56 10
Northern Illinois						
D. R. Devereaux.....	PG	18	13	.....	.....	41 00
L. Clarke.....	DR	25	14	43 00	.....	43 00
R. C. Taylor.....	DR	23	4	9 25	.....	9 25
		66	31	52 25	.....	52 25
						41 00
East Michigan						
F. E. Nurmberger.....	GC	15	7	21 00	1 05	22 05
G. C. Mynett.....	BR	40	10	32 00	.....	32 00
Eugene Sykes.....	BR	55	12	36 00	1 10	37 10
G. H. McClenathan.....	BR	32	3	9 00	2 55	11 55
F. W. Brainard.....	BR	38	7	21 00	2 50	23 50
		180	39	119 00	7 20	126 20
						28 20
Southern Illinois						
Grace Emerick.....	CK	24	7	10 50	2 50	13 00
Lena Emerick.....	CK	22	5	7 50	3 25	10 75
Levi Rikenberger.....	MH	38	19	39 50	.....	39 50
R. J. Watson.....	GC	38	12	41 00	12 75	53 75
Harry Bennett.....	GC	40	3	9 00	7 50	16 50
A. P. Lager.....	GC	37	12	40 00	5 80	54 80
Wm. Bench.....	CK	27	15	22 50	.....	22 50
Ivan Falconer.....	GC	39	15	50 00	7 50	57 50
W. B. Maris.....	DR	33	7	24 00	5 55	29 55
M. H. Sexton.....	GC	43	17	25 50	7 50	33 00
		337	112	269 50	52 35	321 85
						138 55
34 Agents		1010	307	742 00	115 05	857 05
						295 10

PERIODICAL REPORT

Southern Illinois			
Paper	Hours	No.	Value
Harold Hewlett.....	Miscel.	14	51

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Mrs. Lou Kirby Curtis - - - - Editor

College

A farewell reception was held in the College chapel evening after the Sabbath, October 24, in honor of Elder and Sister Allen Moon. Words of appreciation were spoken by Elder McVagh, Professor Haughey, and Professor Graf, which were touchingly responded to by the guests of honor. Tokens of appreciation were presented in the shape of fifteen dollars in gold. Every heart joined in wishing them Godspeed.

Brother Don Ludington and wife, class of '13, who are under appointment for Burma, addressed us Sabbath. We joined in wishing them much of God's blessing in their new field of labor. They sail via Seattle early in November.

Cash Receipts on College Debt Fund to Date

Amount Previously Reported	1675.32
C. L. Paddock	7.88
Ruth Beebe	5.00
O. J. Graf	9.50
Romana Holmes	9.00
P. A. Webber (Japan)	20.00
A Donation	.75
Ennis Moore	7.00
Mina Davis	4.70
A Friend	1.75
Two Per Cent Fund	182.98
Total	1923.88

Has Your Subscription Expired?

This week and next we are placing a little yellow slip in the wrapper with the paper of all those whose date on the address label indicates the expiration of their subscription.

It may be we have made a mistake in some few cases, and if so will gladly correct same if our attention is called to it by postal card.

Some may have renewed using a slightly different form of name and so are now receiving two papers. This we cannot always prevent, not knowing everyone personally.

We have purposely continued sending the paper to some whose time has run out expecting they would take advantage of the special offer, thus saving some expense in our mailing system.

After two weeks' notice for the purpose of correcting possible errors, we are under the necessity of discontinuing all delinquents to reduce the expense of maintaining the HERALD.

To the "Herald" Family

There is a man, J. M. Wright by name, now in the Lake Union Conference, who feels that he is especially called to instruct Seventh-day Adventists.

He does not believe in paying tithes or having a paid ministry, but thinks we should sell all our possessions and have a common treasury. He thinks if we live more than one-half mile from the church we should go on Friday or not attend the Sabbath service as we would be forced to travel too far. He repudiates the Testimonies but believes he has had at least one vision. He holds that Christ cannot come till after 1996 and believes there are conditions under which it would be advisable to be baptized for the dead.

At Pontiac he spoke of Seventh-day Adventists as "our people" and, in this way, he was thought to be a Seventh-day Adventist. He has promised not to call himself an Adventist in the future. He is not now, and never has been a member of any Seventh-day Adventist church.

He has a wife somewhere who needs his care and support. He appears to be a little off in his mind and, while he needs our prayers, we are not in need of the false theories he presents.

His aim to prevent the sisters from speaking in the churches is based on a warped understanding of the Scriptures. Anna, the prophetess, could have had no place in the temple, as a prophetess, if she dared not speak while there.

Beware of his fair speeches which beguile the unstable souls.

WM. GUTHRIE

Business Notices

WANTED.—A young girl to help care for two small children in a Seventh-day Adventist home. Address Mrs. E. Hamburg, 357 Homan Ave., Chicago, Ill.

WORK WANTED.—A Hungarian young man, 25 years of age, understanding English, wants a steady job on a farm, or in a factory. Address A. K. Kover, Sand Lake, Mich., Care of W. Hansen.

WANTED.—To trade property in this city for 80 acres or more, stock, tools, and grain. Two forties preferred, buildings on each. Not exceeding \$5,000. Near church school. Give full particulars in first letter. C. Brown, Carrier 73, Grand Rapids, Mich.

WANTED.—By Sabbath-keeper, a place on farm by year. Church and church school privileges preferred, but will consider a place without them. State wages in first letter. Wm. H. Sunday, 2253 Arsenal Ave., Indianapolis, Ind.

FOR SALE OR RENT.—Six miles west of Battle Creek on interurban line, six-room house, well, cistern, and furnace. Five acres of ground, fruit—various kinds, stable, and hen-house. Good for market gardening or chicken business. Address Miss Alta Canright, care of Sanitarium, Battle Creek, Mich.

HYGIENIC VEGETABLE COOKING OIL.—Fresh from the factory to your home. Not a compound. No more healthful shortening or salad dressing known. F. O. B. Louisville, Ky., 5-gal. can, \$3.90; two 5-gal. cans, \$7.80; 32-gal. bbl., \$21.44. Address Dr. O. C. Godsmark, Chattanooga, Tenn.

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