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seek the Lord. Remember that the time is December 12-19.

L. H. CHRISTIAN

Thanksgiving

Let us be thankful—

For the education we call life, which only incidentally enables us to gain houses and lands and possessions of many kinds; but, in ways and by methods planned beyond our wisdom, if we accept it, leads us step by step to purity, freedom, and power;

For the scourgings and buffetings that smite and sting when we strive to turn a training for the spiritual efficiency into a meer skill in making ourselves comfortable;

For the calls to work and danger that constantly awaken us out of sleep and summon us to those perilous and arduous tasks which make us men;

For the defeat of ambitions and plans which, if realized, would wreck the highest possibilities of our natures;

For the pressure of work and responsibility which holds us in our places and steadies us under the allurements of ease and luxury;

For the pain that follows upon untruth and impurity, for the thunderbolts that strike us when we break the divine law, for the bitter punishments that overtake and arrest us when we stray into the paths of dishonor;

For the trials which deepen our affections and enlarge our sympathies;

For the sense of the manifold sorrow of humanity which breeds in us infinite compassion and gives us the power of sympathy;

For those deeper experiences which, in hours of anguish, make us aware of the greatness of life and its immortal significance;

For the sweetness and happiness of love, the inspiration of duty, the joy of self-denial and service;

For the privilege of forgetting ourselves in devotion and loyalty to others;

For a divine love which seeks, not our comfort, but our growth; and spares us no trial if only it can bring out the best in us;

For the joy of loving God and the peace of trust in Him;

For the companionship of One who has lived through all our experiences and shown us how to be liberated and enriched by them;

For faith and immortality and the glory of the heavenly vision.

—The Outlook

When the Day Is Done

When the day is done and the reaping
Has ended for evermore,
Shall you wish you'd wrought less for the Master
As you reckon your labors o'er?
Shall you sigh for earth-pleasures denied you
As you toiled for Him early and late,
Or rejoice in the "well done" recorded
And the welcome you have at the gate?
When the day is done! Can you dream it?
Forever our Jesus to see,—
As one 'mong the chosen beloved
To follow wherever He be?
O let us at evening and morning
Be zealous, courageous, and true,
To work with a heart that is willing
And anxious His bidding to do.

—Selected.

The Week of Prayer

In past years the Lord has given great blessings to His people during the Week of Prayer. Many a minister has found the beginning of a new experience, and many of our brethren here and there have obtained a new hold on the power of God while seeking Him for help in those days of prayer. But this year the Week of Prayer ought to mean more to each one of us than it ever has meant in the past. We are all in need of a real spiritual awakening, and the conditions in the world are such, that if we shall do the work we ought to be doing, we must have a new endowment of the Holy Spirit. As things look now we surely cannot expect many more Weeks of Prayer, indeed we know not when we will come to the last one. We hope that every sanitarium, every school, and every church in this Union will plan their work and their meetings in such a way that they may receive the greatest possible help from this Week of Prayer. We hope, too, that all our lonely and isolated brethren will take time daily to seek God for new victory and power. The blessings we receive from the Week of Prayer will really be measured by the time we spend alone with God. It is not too early to begin to plan for this important week. Let us talk it over in our Sabbath meetings and make such arrangements that we may get much time in quiet to

Early Observations—No 2

I was about eleven years of age when a neighbor, who had been addicted to drunkenness and other associated evils, died and was placed in his grave not far away from where our people lived. This death seemed a fearful thing to the children of our

neighborhood, who sometimes made his case and character a topic of conversation.

On one of these days I was alone in the woods with a cousin who was a few months older than myself, when he volunteered to tell me what he claimed to know about the punishment of wicked men after they died. And he said that man, because he had lived such a life as he had lived, was at that very moment burning in flaming fire, hot like a great furnace, and that he would stay there and burn, because of wickedness, through all eternity. But I was skeptical and said, "Cousin John, how do you know that what you are telling me is so?" "O," said he, "I have been told these things by preachers and other people who know." But I said, "John, I don't believe it can be so, because the man was actually dead, and they put him in a coffin and fastened the lid down with screws; then they put a box round the coffin, and placed all in a deep grave; then piled dirt in until the grave was covered over safe. Now, sir, you can't make me believe a dead man could get out of that grave. And if he could get out, why would he go away and get into that big fire to burn? Who would make him go?" He said, "Old Satan made him go." But I said, "I am sure the dead man is in that grave yet." "Yes," said Cousin John, "his body is there now, but he had a soul that did not die, and it went off to that burning furnace called 'hell' faster than a bullet could fly."

My mother had been my teacher and confidential friend, but she had never told me such things as my cousin was telling, therefore I hastened to her with the whole theme that we boys had been discussing. When I had laid the subject of our talk before my good, sensible mother, she kindly told me not to worry about it for John's theory was not in harmony with the Bible.

Then she gave me a Bible lesson on the subject of the nature and destiny of man. She had studied the Scriptures for herself and had learned the truth just as I now see it. She said that though her father was a preacher and had taught such things as cousin John had been telling me, the things were wrong. She said the man whose case we had been discussing was probably a lost man, but it was not best for us to worry about him: that God had his case in hand and if he had died in his sins he would come up in the second resurrection and then he would be burned up in a lake of fire and become as though he never had existed. She also told me about the reward of the righteous and admonished me to live a righteous life. I promised.

WM. COVERT

God Bless Our Loyal Churches

One day this week I had the privilege of meeting with a small church, having a membership of fifteen, in one of our larger cities in this Union. They have neither an elder nor a deacon as there are no men among them to fill these positions. They have sometimes been without a minister and without the privilege of the ordinances of the Lord's house for two years at a time. By an unavoidable misunderstanding I was an hour and a half late to the

meeting appointed with them. Yet they waited patiently and seemed hungry to hear the word of God. They told me that they were ahead on their twenty-cent-a-week and that their offering during the self-denial week was over \$8. They meet every week for Sabbath school and Bible study and seem to be of good courage and growing in the Lord. We have many churches like this. We cannot but admire the loyalty and faith of our people in these churches. In the city of Chicago we have not had an American minister for nearly two years. It is very difficult for a church in such a large city quarter after quarter to be without ministerial help; yet our faithful American churches in this city are not only holding their own but are growing in numbers and in spiritual experience. This is very largely due to the faithful work of our elders and leaders. Chicago needs evangelistic help and must have help at the earliest possible opportunity. Many other places need help. It gives one faith and courage to see how loyal and devoted our people are. Possibly it is a good experience for them to be left to themselves as they often are. It makes them more self-reliant and gives them a stronger faith in God. May the Lord bless all our faithful churches in the Lake Union.

L. H. CHRISTIAN

We Can Do It, and We Will

With this slogan, our army of Missionary Volunteers started out on their 1914 campaign. Nothing makes for success more than a settled determination to win.

Much has been spoken and written concerning our 1914 goals. At this writing, with one month still before us, we have swept away beyond our goals in the number of conversions, and in the Reading Course and Standard of Attainment members. Shall we fall down in our financial goal? It rests with you. With bleeding Europe stretching out her hands to us in a mighty appeal for help to support her missionaries, more than one hundred fifty of whom have been thrown upon us for support, shall we not make a peace offering at this holiday season which will measure up to our gratitude for peace and plenty in the homeland?

To be sure, the \$4,000 which we are raising in the Lake Union Conference through the Young People's Department goes to carry on the work in the great China mission field; but every missionary supported in that field by our funds, relieves the Foreign Mission Board of just that much financial burden, and leaves it free to devote that much more to care for our missionaries made dependent upon us by the exigencies of war.

Many pledges were made at the camp meetings by our young people. In paying these pledges, be sure to see that your church treasurer mentions the amount as "Missionary Volunteer Mission Fund." Otherwise it will go into the general foreign mission fund, and thus not be credited to our Missionary Volunteer goal.

I am convinced that many dollars raised by our young people are never credited to them through the failure of our church treasurers to indicate clearly,

in remitting funds, that they are to apply on our Missionary Volunteer fund. Some may think that it makes little difference, since it all goes to foreign missions; but when our young people have a definite goal to reach, and are straining every energy to reach it, they are greatly disappointed to find that the money has been applied otherwise. Let every church treasurer who reads this, encourage the young people in giving to missions by carefully indicating in every instance that the money is to be credited to the "Missionary Volunteer Mission Fund."

Remember, Missionary Volunteers, that every dollar secured by you in the Harvest Ingathering campaign is to be applied on this goal. All of our schools are entering heartily into this plan. One day not long ago, the students and teachers at Emmanuel Missionary College collected over \$150. This should apply on our \$4,000 goal.

With a fresh burst of enthusiasm, born of our success in the other goals, let us make a grand final assault upon this, our most impregnable stronghold, that when the new year greets us, we may with courage and confidence settle ourselves into the race for our 1915 standards.

CLIFFORD A. RUSSELL

Northern Illinois Conference

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

Special Meeting for Chicago Young People and Others

We are glad to announce that Elder G. B. Thompson from Washington, D. C., will visit Chicago and hold several meetings. His first meeting will be in the South-Side church, 58 East 46th Street, Friday December 4 at 7:45 P. M. Sabbath morning he will speak at the same place at 11 A. M. In the afternoon at 3 P. M. the meeting will be held at the Central church, corner Sacramento Boulevard and Warren Avenue. Sunday at 3 P. M. and also at 7:45 P. M. Elder Thompson will speak at the South-Side church. Monday morning and afternoon he will speak at the Broadview Swedish Seminary. Tuesday and Wednesday nights the meetings will be held at the Humboldt Park church. The church is on North Avenue just east of Humboldt Boulevard.

We shall be glad to have our brethren attend these meetings and avail themselves of this opportunity, especially the young people.

L. H. CHRISTIAN
G. E. LANGDON

Week of Prayer Program

At a recent meeting of a part of the conference committee it was voted to ask the laborers to meet with the following churches during the week of prayer, December 12-19. The laborers to correspond with the other that meets the same church and arrange.

O. A. Olsen : 46th Street and Hinsdale.
David Voth : Chicago German and Elgin.
H. E. Moon : West Side and Elgin.
Wm. Covert : North Shore, Englewood, Dearborn.
Gertrude Merriner : Belvidere.
P. E. Brodersen : Aurora, Humboldt Pk.
J. W. Cummings : Dearborn, Aurora, 46th Street.

Anna Hibben : Princeton, Ottawa.
H. P. Buzzell : Central Chicago, Kankakee, Waldron.
T. F. Hubbard : Galesburg, Aledo.
J. C. Harris : Joliet, Streator, Pontiac.
W. D. Ford : Dearborn, West Side.
T. G. Lewis : Geneseo, Rock Falls.
Adolph Johnson : Rockford, Belvidere, Swedish Chicago.
F. J. Harris : Moline, Freeport.
J. B. Clymer : Sheridan, Ottawa.
J. A. Applegate : St. Anne, Watseka, Pittwood, Onarga.
Jacob Fisher : So. Side German, Harvey.
H. P. Waldo : Moline.
J. M. Erikson : Chicago Swedish, Broadview.
G. E. Nord : Broadview, Chicago Swedish.
R. Calderone : Italian.
Arold Thomson : Harvey.
Frank Hildom : Englewood, Joliet.
J. M. Burdick : Pawpaw and Sheridan.
G. E. Langdon : Central, North Shore, Aurora.

News Items

Elder Langdon preached the baccalaureate sermon for the graduating nurses at the Madison Sanitarium, Madison, Wis.

The Chicago 46th St. church members were pleased to have with them Mrs. Futterer and daughter of Los Angeles, Calif., the latter giving a most interesting talk on the life of our Saviour, including His first and third years in the ministry.

Brother J. A. Applegate has just returned from St. Anne and Pittwood and reports that he has secured a new canvasser on the trip.

Wisconsin Conference

Office Address, Grand Rapids, Wis.
President, W. H. Thurston

Albion

I began special meetings at this place Wednesday evening, November 4. Brother Alexander Campbell, the leader of the company, had called the attention of the people to the services held, and the first night about twenty were present. The interest and attendance steadily increased until our little chapel, which comfortably seats about eighty persons, was crowded. When I spoke upon "The European War in the Light of Prophecy," we had to secure the town hall. This also was filled.

On Sabbath we celebrated the ordinances of the Lord's house, and the Holy Spirit was present. We feel that these meetings were especially blessed of the Lord and will be, under His blessing, productive of much good.

L. E. WELLMAN

A Visit to Bethel Academy

On our way home from from the northern part of the state, it was Mrs. Sorensen's and my privilege to visit the academy and church at this place. At vesper service Friday, October 31, I enjoyed speaking to the academy family. It was an inspiration to us to see so many young people stand for the master. Several of the boys have united themselves into a prayer band.

The next day I spoke in the well-filled church to an interested audience. Sunday night I spoke to the students in the south hall. On Monday we visited Grand Rapids on our way home to Neenah.

S. SORENSEN

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North Michigan Conference

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

News Notes

Memory verse cards and Sabbath school quarterlies are ready and should be ordered at once.

We are nearing the holidays. This is the golden time for working with the Home Workers' Prospectus. One sister was out two hours last week and sold four dollars' worth of books. Another sister living in a sparsely settled country district sent in an order for twelve dollars' worth secured in a few hours. The Lord is blessing those who enter His service.

Elder R. C. Horton reports a good interest at Mesick where he has been spending a few days. Many backsliders have been reclaimed and some have taken their stand for the first time.

The elders' meeting will convene at Traverse City December 2-6. Elder Christian and all of the conference workers will be present. Let us all pray for the success of this meeting.

Indiana Conference

Office Address, 521 E. 23d St., Indianapolis.
President, E. A. Bristol

Two-Per-Cent Testimony Meeting

[Extracts from letters recently received at the office]

"I am in perfect harmony with the Two-per-cent Fund, and when we had church here I paid it. I shall be glad to do so again."

"I will say concerning this fund that I had not heard of it only as I had seen it mentioned a time or two in the LAKE UNION HERALD, until at camp meeting at Logansport when I learned its purpose. Since then I have been laying it aside."

"Two-per-cent is all right and I hope to adopt it in the near future."

"In regard to the Two-per-cent Fund required, I have thought of it several times when thinking of what I ought to pay though I have never put it in. Will remember it hereafter."

"Concerning the Two-per-cent Fund, will say I haven't been paying it; not however because I thought such a fund was not needed but I did not see how I could pay it out of my limited income. But trusting in the promises of Him who claims offerings as well as tithe will try to pay the Two-per-cent Fund also."

"I have been observing the Two-per-cent Fund for almost three years and truly wish our people would come up on these minor points."

"We are in perfect accord with your plan and purpose by the grace of God to follow the same from now on."

Teachers' Annual Convention

The teachers' annual convention of the Indiana Conference will be held at Hartford City, December 17-21. Demonstrations will be given by several of our teachers in different classes of the school work.

Sabbath evening Prof. C. A. Russell will speak on "Efficiency Through Service." On Sabbath morning Elder E. A. Bristol will talk to us on "The Youth and the Message." A union meeting will be held in the afternoon when the Junior and Senior Missionary Volunteer members will give a program on "Missionary Education," and Prof. E. A. von Phole will show why this training is essential. All who are interested in the work for the youth are invited to attend these meetings.

CAROLYN RASMUSSEN

October

	Tithe	2%	Mis.		Tithe	2%	Mis.
Akron	\$ 70 85	\$ 2 25		Marion	89 54		84 92
Anderson	63 17	39 61		Michael	13 10	90	11 24
Barbers Mill				Middletown	26 11		19 62
Boggs town	54 25	4 57	4 16	Mt. Vernon	40 50	4 84	
Conference	260 31	40 126	39	Mt. Zion	24 97	2 02	10 75
Connersville				Muncie	54 82		16 67
Dana				New Hope	23 21	1 95	17 25
Elkhart				New Marion	4 00		
Elora				New Harmony	7 65		6 88
Elwood	2 68	42	4 05	Noblesville	15 01		9 86
Farmersburg	38 73		11 66	Northfield	67 50		44 20
Fort Wayne	10 11	65	3 95	North Liberty	16 00		15 44
Goshen	57 81	51	11 80	N. Manchester			1 66
Grass Creek	45 33	3 80	1 75	North Vernon			
Greenfield	63 84		30 33	Oolitic	11 47		5 55
Hartford City	68 32		50 46	Patrickburg			
Haven				Peru	1 75	34	3 21
Honey Creek				Pleasant View	4 45		1 46
Idaville	7 86		6 45	Rochester	91 28	50	12 98
Indianapolis				Rocklane			
E. Side	81 36	2 19	67 58	Salem	10 75		5 11
23d Street	276 33	13 69	95 18	Seymour	60	10	50
W. Side	52 87	7 95	76 35	Soldiers' Home	6 00		19 00
Martindale	40 91	1 03	14 31	South Bend	70 39	6 25	28 87
Inwood	5 00			Sunman	5 20		2 19
Jefferson	14 00		13 52	Terre Haute	68 61		32 65
Jonesboro	28 78	30	11 85	Unionville			
Jasonville	8 75		10 00	W. V. San	67 22	1 46	22 57
Kennard				Waldron			
Kokomo	29 20	2 51	11 62	Walkerton			
La Fayette	35 29	90	11 60	West Liberty			
Lebanon				Wolcottville			
Ligonier	29 34		22 40	Wolf Lake	83 85	96	59 91
Linton			1 78	Totals	\$2176 05	59 50	1124 20
Logansport	27 08	1 26	63 68				

West Michigan Conference

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

Kalamazoo

The Lord is richly blessing the work here, and we are of good courage. Sunday evening, November 22, two were baptized, uniting with the church. Elder C. F. McVagh administered the ordinance.

The pastor of the Portage Street Baptist church courteously extended to us the use of the baptistry, and of the church for the evening service, his

congregation uniting with us, and listening to an inspiring sermon by Elder McVagh.

Others here are preparing for baptism in the near future, and we hope and pray that good days are in store for the Kalamazoo church, and that souls may be won to the message for this time. We are working together for this purpose. Remember us in Kalamazoo.

GLADYS H. MAPES

October

	Tithe	2%	Miss.		Tithe	2%	Miss.
Albion	\$ 43 93	\$ 5 41	\$ 57 47	Grand Rapids ..	213 15	5 43	248 03
Allegan	30 58	2 33	2 50	Grandville	3 62	53	35 00
Allendale	22 79		17	Greenville	71 59	9 36	50 72
Bangor	1105 99	15 17	635 83	Hastings	47 48		16 33
Battle Creek ..	47 70	6 29	24 43	Holland	53 07	3 26	35 95
Bauer	30 26	2 00	18 00	Holton	1 12	22	5 56
Bedford	10 35	64	32 02	Homer	20 90	3 74	15 14
Belding	457 76	38 71	387 46	Kalamazoo	147 65	2 85	103 17
Benton Harbor ..				Kent City	9 60	1 20	22 08
Berrien Springs ..				Kinderhook			
Bloomington				Lakeview	151 45	1 00	52 10
Brookfield				Lowell			
Buchanan				Lyons			
Burlington	5 40		60	Maple Grove	17 54	1 06	10 85
Bushnell				Mecosta	15 90	3 89	5 66
Byron Center				Mendon			
Carlton Center ..	18 79	3 30	27 79	Monterey	11 95		22 19
Carson City	61 42	9 69	72 25	Muskegon	49 83	4 28	46 93
Cedar Lake	83 35	9 29	45 45	Otsego	172 39	21 42	135 45
Cedar Springs ..	4 22		7 59	Palo	6 00	10	2 24
Charlotte	75 28	8 96	84 44	Paw Paw	25 82	2 16	22 15
Clifford Lake ..	11 59	21	13 72	Portland	10 89	1 75	4 50
Coldwater	30 13		4 39	Pottersville	12 20		87 31
Covert	12 43		5 66	Quincy	9 13	46	46 54
Decatur	8 55			Rotnbury	34 30		6 43
Denver	14 41	1 97	24 80	Sand Lake	57 57	1 29	30 74
Dimondale	69 13	12 08	38 23	Shelby	57 66	1 64	73 68
Douglas	39 40		17 90	Sturgis	20 15		10 32
Eaton Rapids ..	10 88	1 22	7 26	Three Rivers ..	17 46	21	8 72
Edmore	57 15	5 00	3 46	Trufant	31 00	3 80	26 52
Fremont				Urbandale			
Frost	32 36	2 39	17 31	Union City	15 70		10 86
Glenwood	17 85	1 00	68 31	West Leroy			
Gowen	3 69	74	1 88	Wright	118 95	12 92	163 23
Grand Haven ..				Individuals	61 76		66 74
Grand Ledge ..	7 01	25	73 85				
				Totals	\$3828 22	209 22	3039 30

East Michigan Conference

Office Address, Holly, Mich.
President, Wm. Guthrie

Lansing

We are speaking to well-filled houses in Lansing the last few weeks. A strong interest is awakened and some have already begun to obey. Several are ready for baptism. The church is at work. This keeps us busy. At Leslie, too, the work is advancing, and additions to the church are being made. One of the new members there gave \$60 for missions, with a promise of more later.

The Lord is stirring the hearts of His children to unselfish service. The eleventh hour call to service is being sounded, and to every one wages will be paid. Let us plan to win at least one for Jesus; then we will want to do more.

B. L. POST

Edenville Convention

The Missionary Volunteer Convention at Edenville opened on Friday evening, November 20. In spite of the snow storm the church was well filled, and an attentive audience listened to a sermon on "True Sabbath Observance" delivered by Elder O. M. Kittle.

The Spirit of the Lord came into the Sabbath

morning meeting and tendered hearts for the consecration service that followed, and made a beautiful beginning for the detailed convention work.

To show the practical results of the good papers, with their live discussions, mention may be made of the Standard of Attainment. Twelve definite promises were given to write on the March examination.

An equal response was met on the Reading Circle, Morning watch and K. P. L.

All the tracts, magazines, and books brought with us to this convention were disposed of and an additional order taken amounting to over \$16, to be filled by the tract society.

Two little church school girls stood at the door on Saturday night and sold the magazines before leaving the church. They were sorry that no more papers were at hand.

The outside attendance was very good at all the evening services, and a number were present during the day programs.

The Harvest Ingathering work is on. Mention is due the faithful efforts of the local elder, Brother Nowlin. About \$280 has been raised. They have set their goal for \$300. One timid mother brought in \$50 as a reward for her first efforts in this line of work. This was collected in small amounts ranging from ten cents to fifty cents with a few dollar bills. This required time, persevering effort, and a burden for souls.

The children brought their green stamp books on Sunday morning and told us how they had earned the money to fill their books. Some had missionary gardens. One garden yielded \$2.15. (What an encouragement this should be to all church school teachers to push this enterprise more vigorously the coming year.) Some had missionary hens. A little ten year old girl brought \$3 on this occasion from her chickens which she had just sold. This more than filled the stamp book and she asked for another.

The children, as well as older members, are busy. No wonder the Missionary Clock had disappeared from the walls weeks ago, refusing to register.

The program Sunday forenoon was in the interest of Christian education. Inspiring were the discussions. In the school board meeting which followed, a unanimous vote was taken to install the parents' meetings as a permanent feature of the church work.

The children under the direction of the faithful teacher, Rolland Curtis, are making progress.

Sunday night closed the convention. A large crowd of outside people were present. The church members all lingered for a farewell after the service. The hospitality of every home open to the visiting friends was most commendable. May the Lord still continue to bless our faithful people in this community.

LOTTA E. BELL
O. M. KITTLE

A Report

Regularly appointed parents' meetings as a permanent feature of the school work have been

successfully launched in three of our largest churches—Jackson, Detroit West and Detroit Trumbull Street.

Due credit should be given to the boards of these three schools, and mention made of the most hearty cooperation of the the three pastors, Elders D. P. Wood, Lee S. Wheeler, and L. T. Nicola, respectively. Others are working along these lines and before the current school year passes the list will be greatly extended.

Miss Marian Needham from Vermont, a teacher of considerable experience, and a former student of South Lancaster (Mass.) normal department, has joined the East Michigan teachers. We welcome her to our conference. She fills the vacancy at Trumbull Avenue school made by the resignation of the former teacher on account of illness.

LOTTA E. BELL

Adelphian Academy News Notes

Mr. Clifton Day, who completed the stenographic course of the academy in 1913, was a visitor Sabbath and Sunday.

Miss Gretchen Schneppe of Detroit was called home for two or three days, owing to the death of her grandfather.

Thanksgiving day was fittingly observed at the academy. Classes met as usual in the morning, and at chapel many of the students and the faculty participated in a Thanksgiving program. At one o'clock a good dinner was enjoyed by all. At the close of the meal, several short speeches were made by students and teachers. Outdoor games followed, and the day closed leaving a tired, but happy band of students.

Term examinations will be finished December 1. This date also marks the beginning of the winter term, and several new students are expected.

Mrs. Thomas Miles of Jackson spent Thanksgiving with her two daughters, Verna and Vina, and her son, Wyland, who are attending the academy.

C. H. P.

Attention

The East Michigan Conference colporteurs' convention and institute will be held at Owosso, Mich., Dec. 25, 1914 to Jan. 3, 1915.

Will you be there?

Obituaries

PETERSON.—John H. Peterson was born in Denmark in 1838, and died at his home near Green Bay, Wis., Oct. 22, 1914, being 76 years, 1 month and 20 days old. He came to this country in the year 1858 where he spent a few years sailing on the Lakes. A companion, five sons, three daughters, and a brother are left to mourn, three daughters having preceded him in death. He was a member of the Moravian Church till about 1871 when under the labors of Elders J. G. Madison and O. A. Olsen he accepted the third angel's message and became a charter member of the Seventh-day Adventist Church of Green Bay. The family altar was established and maintained from his earliest experience in the third angel's message. Father has faithfully instructed his family. One son has served in the gospel ministry eighteen years, two are missionary nurses others are in the College preparing for gospel work. All the children were present at the funeral.

Father died looking for the soon coming Saviour. Words of comfort were spoken to a large congregation of friends and neighbors by Prof. C. A. Russell.

F. F. PETERSON

COLE.—Brother Francis E. Cole was born in the state of New York, May 9, 1851. In 1871 he was married to Miss Anna Corey. Fourteen years ago he accepted the third angel's message. He passed away Monday, Nov. 9. He is survived by his wife and seven children. Words of comfort were spoken by the writer. Interment at Bethel.

LOUIS DREWS

STELHORN.—Alma Frauer Stelhorn died at Indianapolis, Oct. 30, 1914, leaving a husband and six children. She was born Feb. 25, 1873, and converted at the age of twenty-seven in the Methodist Church, three years later accepting the message for this time. This dear mother had the hope of translation, but sweetly yielded to her divine Guide. Words of instruction and comfort were spoken by the writer.

J. H. N. TINDALE

EVEY.—Lunettie Anderson was born in Gratiot County, Mich., Sept. 5, 1858, being a daughter of Cladney B. and Sarah A. Anderson. She was married to Amos W. Evey in 1873, and died at her home in Carson City, Oct. 23, 1914, after an illness of nine days. Her husband and one son are left to mourn. Sister Evey was a member of the Carson City church many years, and died with a bright hope of having a part in the first resurrection. Words of comfort were spoken by the writer from Matt. 19:8. J. M. HOYT

GRAHAM.—Lillian Strough Graham, daughter of W. M. and Martha Strough, was born near Sulphur Springs, Ind., Oct. 14, 1888. She died Oct. 27, 1914. She was married to Calvin Graham Feb. 26, 1910. Under the preaching of Elder E. R. Lauda she accepted the third angel's message and united with the church at Middleton in 1912, and has since been an active member. Funeral services were conducted by Elder E. R. Lauda in the M. E. church at Mechanicsburg. Interment at Middletown Cemetery.

L. GOODWIN

FISHER.—Mrs. Ethel Fisher, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Jones, died at the home of her parents near Acton, Ind., Nov. 4, 1914, aged 27 years, 3 months, and 10 days. She was married to Jacob Fisher in 1909. Sister Fisher united with the Seventh-day Adventist church at Rocklane, Ind., several years ago, and remained a faithful member until her death. Her sickness of two years was borne patiently and she often spoke with a full assurance that when the Life-giver should come she would have a home in the earth made new. Words of comfort were spoken by the writer.

T. F. HUBBARD

HENRY.—Mary J. Gibson was born June 18, 1829, in Genesee County, New York, and died at Saranac, Mich., Oct. 12, 1914. At the age of ten years she moved with her parents to Michigan and after a short stay in Eaton County located at Keene, where she was married in 1844 to Hampton Henry. To this union were born seven children, five boys and two girls. Her husband responded to the call of his country, enlisted in the 21st infantry and died in the army at Dalton, Georgia in 1863. With Christian fortitude and industry she brought up her family all of whom survive her except one girl who died in infancy. In 1871 she moved with her family to Saranac, and when the message was presented there in 1874 she accepted it and united with the Seventh-day Adventist Church and continued in that faith until her death. She was a faithful loving mother and a devoted Christian respected by all who knew her. Funeral services were conducted by the writer speaking from Ps. 73:26.

C. F. McVAGH

SANDBORN.—Columbus Sandborn was born in New York State June 29, 1837, and died in Portland, Mich., October 6, 1914. Fifty-four years ago father and mother were married. To them eight children were born. Forty-three years ago

he accepted the third angel's message and always remained true to its teachings. He was a strong believer in the soon coming of the Lord, and sacrificed much that his children might be educated to carry the news of the Lord's return. Mother stood shoulder to shoulder with him in all his struggles. Six children remain. We can look forward to the resurrection with assurance that we shall meet father among the redeemed saints. A short time before his death he expressed a desire that I preach his funeral sermon. I am thankful God gave me strength to do this. The theme was "The Second Coming of Christ and the Resurrection." Elder McVagh, and the Congregational minister, in whose church the service was held, assisted. A. R. SANDBORN

One Year and A Half

For a year and a half all divisions of the Sabbath school will study the book of Matthew, beginning January 1.

Valuable helps on the lessons will be found in "Desire of Ages," "Christ's Object Lessons," and "Ministry of Healing."

An especially good help to kindergarten teachers will be "Bible Object Lessons and Songs for Little Ones." This book contains picture and object illustrations that will fit many of the lessons for the year. Every teacher of small children should have a copy. Price, board, \$1.50; cloth, \$2.

We hope our people everywhere will greatly enjoy this series of lessons, and that the teachers in every school will equip themselves for effective work.

Our people will be glad to learn that the regular force of workers at the *Signs* office was unable to handle the thousands of new subscriptions which were received the fore part of this month. The list is larger now than it has been for several years past. Let us hope, pray, and work for our missionary journal.

The *Review* of November 5 carried the first printed notice of the issuing of the second Extra, the Eastern Question. November 16, orders for half a million copies had been received, and at that time orders averaging from 50,000 to 90,000 copies per day were coming in. Two presses were run twenty-four hours each day until the 20th before they caught up with the orders that had reached the office. They continued to run, being able to gain but little on orders. Extra Number 2 gives the Advent and Sabbath message combined.

We now have in North America more than fifty schools with student homes connected with them; and in other countries about twenty more. In the leading article in *Christian Education* for December, Mrs. E. G. White sets before our schools the practical ends to be gained in the educative work of our school homes. Other articles deal with the various features of the daily program, showing how our teachers are making every effort to give students such training as will be of the greatest value in missionary service after they leave school.

Business Notices

SITUATION WANTED.—By young married man, age 28, experienced in auditing, cashier, statistical work; of years' experience in bookkeeping, exceptional good penman, rapid and accurate at figures, best reference, reasonable salary. Address Wm. J. Sexton, 302 Hastings St., Elgin, Ill.

WANTED.—To correspond with a Seventh-day Adventist who wants to hire a good man by the year, or has a farm for rent. Can give reference. Address N. L. Snyder, Berrien Springs, Mich.

HONEY.—The Bible sweet, a winter food, three times as cheap as butter; 5,000 pounds yet unsold, chiefly Clover-Raspberry Blend. In two-can case, 120 lbs. \$12; 10 one-gallon cans, (120 lbs.) \$13.20; 1 gallon, by parcel post, 1st and 2d zones, \$1.70. J. H. Haughey, Berrien Springs, Mich.

QUILT FOR SALE.—The Ladies' Aid Society of the Berrien Springs Village church has made a silk quilt which they wish to sell; the proceeds are to be given to the College Debt. The one who buys will be getting value received and helping a worthy cause. For further particulars address Mrs. U. S. Anderson, Berrien Springs, 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. D-16

SPECIAL NOTICE.—We would be glad to become better acquainted with our people of the Lake Union. We usually allow our people a discount of 15 per cent. On orders amounting to \$5 or more we will give a discount of 25 per cent; good until December 31, 1914. Write to us for price list and descriptive literature. Colorado Sanitarium Food Co., Boulder, Colorado.

COOKING OIL.—We sell at wholesale all the high-grade oils in cans, barrels, and half barrels. Present prices on Brotherhood Oil (white) are: one 5-gal. can \$3.75, 2 cans, \$7.25. Wesson Snowdrift, \$4.25; 2 cans \$8.00. Shipments made from St. Louis, Chicago, or Holly. Write for price list. Address your Tract Society or Adelphian Mercantile Co., Holly, Mich.

Canvassers' Report for Week Ending

November 20, 1914

Southern Illinois

Canvasser	Book	Hrs	Ords	Value	Helps	Total	Del.
R. J. Watson	GC	25					194 00
E. C. Wood	DR	16	7	22 00	1 75	23 75	50
David Rodney	GC	8					19 75
Hugh Stearns	GC	14					87 25
Harry Bennett	GC	26					99 70
A. P. Lager	GC	35	7	22 00	6 75	28 75	
Jerry Suda	DR	18	7	21 00	15 45	36 45	
Ivan Falconer	GC	38	10	33 00	27 00	60 00	
Mrs. H. L. Wollard	BF	29	11	17 50		17 50	47 00
W. B. Maris	DR	34	13	40 00	5 70	45 70	48 05
M. H. Sexton	BF	25	21	16 50	35	16 85	
Mrs. F. S. Livesay	HW		30			15 95	
Mrs. Grace Hoover	HW		5			4 25	
		268	101	192 20	59 09	249 20	596 25

Indiana

Walter Coppock	BR	31	6	21 00	75	21 75	75
J. L. Lucas	GC	27	3	9 00	1 35	10 35	1 35
C. C. King	DR	30					162 75
H. W. Flake	BR	35	4	13 00	3 75	16 75	75
M. S. Grimm	BR	38	6	18 00	3 50	21 50	1 25
Lewis Williams	BR	36	3	10 00	75	10 75	
H. Williams	BR	27	4	12 00	75	12 75	
Irwin Williams	BR	31	3	9 00		9 00	
John Vance	BR	39	22	68 00		68 00	
H. C. Carmichael	DR	34	9	27 00	4 00	31 00	
		328	60	187 00	14 85	201 85	166 85

Wisconsin

Ed. Golisch	DR	22	3	9 00	1 50	10 50	
F. Passer	GC	40	10	31 00		31 00	
C. G. Hanson	GC						65 75
		62	13	40 00	1 50	41 50	65 75

West Michigan

Vern Mason	BR	34	8	26 00	75	26 75	
Grover E. Boddy	BR	16					123 90
		50	8	26 00	75	26 75	123 90

Northern Illinois

L. Clarke	DR	6	41	20 00		20 00	
M. Wilson		19	19	15 00		15 00	
		25	60	35 00		35 00	
31 Agents		733	242	480 20	76 10	556 30	952 75

PERIODICAL REPORT

Southern Illinois

Paper	Hours	No	Value
Ruby McWilliams	24	141	15 15

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Mrs. Lou Kirby Curtis - - - - Editor

Back Numbers of the "Herald"

The Lake Union Conference and Indiana Conference desire to complete their files of the LAKE UNION HERALD, and as we are out of certain back numbers, the following are desired: two copies of Vol. VI, No. 32, dated Aug. 12, 1914; and one copy of Vol. VI, No. 42, dated Oct. 22, 1914. If any of our subscribers have saved their papers and are willing to part with these numbers, please notify the editor by postal card and postage will be sent to cover your expense. Do not send papers until you hear from us.

College

A pleasant and healthful diversion added enthusiasm to the usual routine of College life when the students spent a few hours skating Sunday and Monday afternoons.

Miss Leota Thorpe recently enjoyed a visit from her mother, Mrs. A. D. Thorpe of Sand Lake, Mich. This past week her cousin, Mr. Archie Field, also visited the College.

Mr. H. B. Lundquist spent a few days in Wisconsin visiting his younger brother, James Lundquist, who returned with him.

Miss Mae Kegebein has entered school and is doing the stenographic work for the business office, taking the place of Mr. E. C. Wood, who was obliged to leave school on account of trouble with his eyes.

Mr. Fenton Hibben, a former student, writes that he will enter school at the beginning of the winter term.

Mr. Ben Lane arrived today to continue work. Still others are expected.

We are glad to announce that Elder G. B. Thompson from Washington, D. C., will be with us during the week of prayer.

A number of the boys from the Ministerial Band will visit churches in West Michigan during the week of prayer.

A very fitting program was given at chapel on Thanksgiving day. God has done great things for us during the past twelve months for which we are glad. He has blessed us spiritually, as individuals, and as a school. We see these blessings in concrete form in students who have accepted their Saviour, in donations voluntarily given to remove the "Reproach," and in the increased efficiency of our library and laboratory.

We are glad to welcome a number of visitors this week. Miss Pearl Stiles from Battle Creek; Miss

Golda James, Messrs. LeRoy Kegebein, Paul Grim, and E. K. Murphy from Chicago; Mr. Lawrence Rice and Miss Nina Berg from Charlotte; Miss Clara Keiser, a former student who is teaching at Hillsdale, Mich.

Counting each dollar as a book and adding books and dollars we have received six hundred twenty-six books since October 31, 1914. We still need five hundred twenty-four books.

College Debt

Previously reported	\$2,166.73
Mildred Holmes	5.00
Ruth Wilcox	5.00
E. Lois Carmichael	15.00
Total to date	\$2,191.73

A Word of Caution

The world is turning to us for light on the meaning and outcome of the present war. Never before have men and women been so ready to hear and consider our exposition of the prophecies and of the signs of the times. This gives us not only a great opportunity but a very solemn responsibility. And how important it becomes that we furnish sound reasons and strong arguments in favor of the truth. Some seem inclined to preach or write not merely facts and true doctrines but speculative fancies and theories. A few are telling what they think the prophecies say about the results of this war to Australia, Italy, France, England, etc. But no prophecy in the Bible informs us how this war will affect these nations. In fact, we have never found any direct prophecy concerning these kingdoms except as they belong to the ten divisions of Rome. Superficial Bible students deal in guess work. Faithful students tell only the things they can prove by reliable testimony of history.

L. H. CHRISTIAN

Teachers, Attention!

Hereafter, please order all supplies for which a charge is made through your tract society. These include: Form 2-B, Clerk's Order to Treasurer—pads of 50 pages, 20 cents per book; Form 7-A, Lamson's Daily Register, 20 cents each; Form 25-A, Teacher's Final Report Blank, 35 cents. These supplies should be paid for by the school board, not the teacher.

Of course, Bulletins, Spelling Outlines, Pioneer Pictures, and Educational Leaflets should be ordered in the same way.

All other report blanks will be sent out free by the Lake Union Educational Department as heretofore.

A word concerning Drawing Manuals:

It is only when full sets of the drawing books are ordered at one time that these manuals are furnished free of charge. Where anything less than a full set of eight books are ordered a charge of five cents will be made for each manual. There are two of these; one for the first four books, and another for the last four in the series.

No teacher should attempt to carry on this work without the manuals. And do not forget, a grade in drawing is made one of the requirements for a Certificate of Promotion from the eighth grade.

C. A. RUSSELL