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

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### Along the Way

Pass it along, dear—the word that is kindly;  
Deal out a smile, too, instead of a frown;  
Hold out your hand with a kind thought behind it,  
Lifting a little the one that is down.  
Life is so big, dear, so vast and so wondrous;  
Love is so broad, faith and pity so great—  
Can you not give from your full, heaping measure  
Just a kind word, now, before 'tis too late?  
Seek for the good, dear, you surely will find it,  
Covered, perchance, with a mantle of woe.  
Kindness costs little; it helps aching hearts, dear,  
Just leave a bit, then, wherever you go.  
Yours not to judge, dear, leave that to the Maker!  
Hearts may be breaking, though smiling the lips,  
Kindness and love and a sweet human pity—  
These we can give—they are life's purest gifts.

—Selected

## West Michigan Conference

Office Address, 1214 Madison Ave., Grand Rapids, Mich.  
President, Wm. Guthrie

### Appointments

The Lord willing I will meet with the churches as follows:

Hastings . . . . .	July 14 to 16
Battle Creek . . . . .	July 22
Charlotte . . . . .	July 28 to 30

At Hastings and Charlotte the first meeting will be at 7.30 P. M. of the first date. At Battle Creek at the usual time for the Sabbath service.

WM. GUTHRIE

### Notes

Elders Guthrie and Horton were with the believers' at Barryton, Sabbath and Sunday, July 1 and 2. The Lord came very near as the word was spoken, and fourteen dear souls followed their Lord in baptism, after which a church was organized with twenty charter members. There are more who will soon unite with them. The church has a full set of officers and starts with good prospects for growth and usefulness.

On Thursday, June 29, Harry L. Burket and Miss Hattie M. Rockwood were united in marriage at the home of the bride's mother at Shelby, Michigan. The

HERALD family unite in wishing them a long, happy, and prosperous life.

### Notice

We are moving from Joliet, Illinois, to Richland, Michigan, and we will be glad to correspond with the Adventists near Richland. We hope to build up a church here. Pray for us. J. C. HARRIS

### Colporteur Notes

Sister Lena Ambs writes.—"I have found some people in my work who are hungry and anxious for the truth. After I had showed the book to one man he said, 'We are in hard circumstances, but that is a book we just can not get along without. I will manage it in some way so that we can have one.' I took his order."

Sister Wright has written of some good experiences also. We are sorry she has not been able to be in the field each week. While her health has been poor, still, for the amount of time put in, the Lord has richly blessed her efforts. She took over \$80 worth of orders the first week.

Sisters Henise and Boon, who are working at Three Rivers.—"We know the Lord has sent us here. It is well worth all the hard experiences if only one soul is saved as a result of our effort."

Sister Trummer.—"I had some very interesting experiences during the past week. I took an order in a shack, where the people are very poor. The lady gave me the order, and she said she knew it would mean a great deal of sacrifice to get the money, but she was going to do it. There are several children in the family, and they all, as well as the mother were much interested. I am sure this is a home where the book will be much appreciated. The mother said she had always wanted a book of that kind."

Dear brethren and sisters, we are certainly living in the time when the truth is going in power. Our colporteurs find interested souls everywhere they go. While it is true we find some who are hardened against the truth, there are many others who are longing for an experience in the things of God. They quickly see that our literature is filled with the truth for this time. I am impressed that there are many of our people who are expecting to enter the colporteur work in the future, but they are putting it off year after year. This we should do no longer. What we fail to do now we shall soon regret. Every thing is favorable now for the progress of the work in this field, but we do not know how soon these opportunities may be removed. The following experience which Sister Ambs reports shows how favorably many regard our work.

Sister Ambs.—"I have had another week full of God's blessings and have met with good success. One family where I stayed over night asked me to take

their horse and buggy to work with the next day, and to return and stay with them the next night. Although they have an old edition of 'Bible Readings,' and know it is an Adventist book, they gave me an order for the revised edition."

The Lord blessed this sister with \$85 worth of orders last week.

Brethren Ernest Clark and Grant Hosford have entered the field and report they are of good courage in the Master's work.

We are glad to see the way the Lord is leading our colporteurs from week to week. Their experiences and reports show there is a great work to be done in West Michigan with the printed page before the Lord comes. I trust if there is a "Sanballat" or a "Tobiah" in our midst, that he will read our reports from week to week. And may the Lord impress those who believe in the work to "strengthen their hands for this good work."

B. F. WILLIAMS

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### South Wisconsin Conference

Office Address, Room 305 Ruh Bldg., Fond du Lac, Wis.  
President, P. A. Hanson

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#### Notice

WANTED.—Recruits for the Lord's army in the South Wisconsin Conference.

I saw a large poster the other day, "Wanted.—Men for the U. S. army and navy." The thought came to me that the Lord wants recruits for His work in the South Wisconsin Conference. Time is short, the Lord is soon coming. What is done to secure recruits must be done quickly. The enemy is busy getting men and women to enlist in his army and he is succeeding. Why? Because he is always at it. It is well to remember, "Eternal vigilance is the price of success." Nothing succeeds like success, and if at first you do not succeed, try again.

Since the division of the conference, we will have a constituency of about 2100. This number represents the membership of the sixty-five churches together with the conference church which has an approximate membership of fifty-four. Others of the isolated are members of different churches. If this number represents live wires, there is no excuse why we should not have a tithe for this year of \$40,000 and start in for \$45,000 for 1917. This will mean that we pay an average of \$22 per capita. I am of the opinion that if we would carry out the plan of tithe paying and each member pay his tithe, the amount would be much more than \$45,000 per year. The more tithe we pay, the more laborers we can put in the field. This would give us more members to pay tithe, so you see there is no limit to our ability to work for recruits for the Lord's army. What do you say, shall we continue to rob God and lose a blessing, or shall we quit ourselves like good soldiers of the cross and do as the word of God commands? Did I hear you say by God's help and the aid of the Holy Spirit you will pay your tithe and put forth every effort to help that brother that is faltering? I am sure if we do our part God will do His. "How long halt ye between two opinions? If the Lord be God, follow Him, but if Baal, then follow him." The time

has come I am sure for every Seventh-day Adventist in South Wisconsin to take an advanced step and move on with the message and work of God, which is so fast closing. Do you not believe it is time to stop doing wrong and serve God with an undivided mind and heart? After all, half service is no service at all. "Come now and let us reason together, saith the Lord; though your sins be as scarlet, they shall be as white as snow, though they be red like crimson, they shall be as wool." Let us awake and do the Lord's work while it is day, for soon the time to work will be past.

W. J. WALTER, *Treasurer So. Wis. Con.*

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### Northern Illinois Conference

Office Address, 116 N. California Ave., Chicago, Ill.  
President, J. H. Schilling

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#### Fox River Academy Notes

W. L. Avery and family are now settled in their new home at the academy.

Professor and Mrs. Avery, Professor and Mrs. Johnson, Ainslie Robbins, Russell Foreman; and Royal Garrison were members of the academy family at the Joliet camp meeting.

About twenty-five former students were on the grounds full of loyalty for F. R. A., and about the same number stated their intention of being at the academy the coming year.

Elders Schilling, Westworth, and Peterson were at the school, June 29 to council in regard to the improvements to be made this summer.

Painters are already at work on the buildings. The laundry, teacher's cottage, and the girls' dormitory are improved by their first coat of paint.

Work on the heating plant is moving along nicely.

In spite of much rain the farm work has been kept well in hand. The summer crops look promising. Our clover hay has been stored in the barn in the best of condition and timothy hay is being cut and cured. About one hundred dollars was realized from the sale of strawberries and a nice lot of red raspberries and blackberries are developing.

Several hundred calendars have been mailed to the young people of the state, and we desire to place one in the hands of each young person of academic age.

Our young people cannot afford to hide their talents in the earth. Come to school and gain other talents.

For calendar or other information write to the principal, W. L. Avery.

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### East Michigan Conference

Office Address, Holly, Mich.  
President, A. J. Clark

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#### Student Movement At Holly

The students at the Adelpian Academy were surprised one morning when Professor Steen announced that the canvassers' band had asked for the chapel period. The leader of the band, Mr. Floyd Myers, stated first that the canvassers' band had voted to organize a students' aid association for the purpose of aiding worthy young men and women who are not able to obtain a Christian education. He further stated that in order to make the association a success

it would be necessary for the whole student body to cooperate and organize themselves together for the purpose of enlarging the attendance of the school and helping those who are in need. Slips were passed among the students and teachers to be signed by those who wished to join such a society. Forty-three students responded to the call, all pledging themselves to do something for the association and to solicit donations from those who are interested in this cause.

Some of the important provisions of the constitution are that all money received by the association be used to assist worthy young people in obtaining a Christian education, and that the name of each student desiring aid from the association shall be considered by the executive committee and trustees of the school. It also provides that any person receiving money from the association shall refund the same at their earliest possible convenience, and this will afterwards be used to help someone else. A membership fee of one dollar annually is to be charged. Pledges have also been made by the canvassers. Many will give their best day's work during the summer.

Those desiring to share in this work can do so by sending a donation to the association. Send all donations to Miss Tillie E. Barr, Holly, Michigan.

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### Southern Illinois Conference

Office Address, 304 W. Allen St., Springfield, Ill.  
President, E. F. Peterson

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### Camp Meeting

It will be just one day more than four weeks from the date of this paper until our annual conference and camp meeting begins at Martinsville, which is located on the Vandalia railroad not far from the Indiana line. The camp meeting will be held from Aug. 10-20. The first service will be Aug. 10, at 7:45 P. M. We hope that there will be a large congregation at the first meeting, and that those who come will be able to stay until the close, Aug. 20. We are planning on a successful meeting and we hope to have the presence, prayers, and cooperation, of the greater part of our people. We have secured the use of the Fair Grounds at Martinsville and expect to have shade for all the living tents and the dining tent. There are a number of wells on the grounds which ought to furnish an abundance of good water.

The prices for tents and furnishing will be the same as heretofore, but we hope that all who are coming will send in their orders for tents and supplies as soon as possible so we will know better how to plan for the meeting. We expect to have the conference workers on the grounds to begin work Thursday, Aug. 3, so as to have everything in readiness for the opening service, Aug. 10. It is no small task to get the camp ready, and we would appreciate the help of several of our brethren from the different churches. Each day in connection with the work of the camp we shall have a spiritual service for the benefit of those who are on the grounds. We shall take time to seek God so that our hearts may be prepared for His blessing when the meetings open. To all those of our brethren who can help us in pitching the camp, we will furnish board free of charge and I should be glad to hear from all

who can come. Write me at once so I will know how many to plan for. We hope that all our members will join in praying for the coming meeting and that each will come prepared to both receive and be a blessing.

Orders for tents and supplies should be sent to the tract society. Send in your orders early.

E. F. PETERSON

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### College

A very pleasing reception was given the teachers and students of the summer school, and they were formally welcomed on the evening of July 1. Professor Russell delivered the welcome address and the rest of the program consisted mainly of music.

We were happily surprised to have Miss Ines Morey stop to see us for a few hours on the seventh.

Mr. Frank Hiner was at the College recently getting his family settled. Mr. Hiner's sons will attend school here next year.

Miss Minnie Wells, one of the summer school students, left last Friday.

Mr. E. P. Weaver and wife left recently for a short vacation. Mr. Weaver plans to spend his vacation "making hay."

New arrivals for the summer school session are Miss Jennie Judson and Miss Alfaretta Sherman.

All available hands are now picking currants. Shipments are made daily.

On last Thursday Professor Rathbun took a picture of the physical training class on the front lawn.

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### Obituary

WAINSCOTT.—Mrs. Jennie Waincott was born in Coles County, Illinois, Aug. 10, 1852, and died at Springfield, Illinois, June 30, 1916. On December 31, 1873 she was married to Wm. Waincott at Effingham, Illinois. Later they moved to Kansas, and in the year 1891 she accepted present truth through the reading of a tract. Since that time she has been faithful to the truths held by God's remnant people. Many relatives survive the deceased, but they sorrow not as others which have no hope. Funeral services were conducted at Springfield.

E. F. PETERSON

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### Business Notices

WANTED.—A man to work on farm by the month. Good wages to right man. Church and Sabbath school near. Address L. M. Richards, Cutcheon, Mich.

WANTED.—To correspond with a woman who wants a home and who is a good reader. The lady of the house has poor eyesight and has to have some one read to her and be company for her. Address N. L. Travis, 122 South Farmer St., Otsego, Mich.

WANTED.—A home in a good Adventist family for a capable, intelligent girl and her six year old boy. Both reliable and good workers. The girl is a church member and will be liked. Address Mrs. W. H. McKee, 312 Delaware St., Grand Rapids, Mich.

FOR SALE.—Lantern slides on Life of Christ and signs of His second coming, Bible prophecy, war, temperance, and Mexico. Gospel songs illustrated with and music. Price and list upon application. Easy payments to responsible people. C. R. Spencer, 3051 Grant St., Ogden, Utah.

TREATMENT PARLORS FOR SALE.—I am offering for sale "The Terre Haute Treatment Parlors" now doing a business of 7000 treatments annually. Purchaser must be Seventh-day Adventist, Physician preferred. Address W. H. Addis, Terre Haute Trust Bldg., Terre Haute, Ind. 10-5

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Mrs. Lou Kirby Curtis Editor

Canvassers' Report for Week Ending

June 30, 1916

Wisconsin

Table with columns: Canvasser, Book, Hrs, Ords, Value, Helps, Total, Del. Lists names like Oswald Hanson, C. L. Burke, L. Jorgenson, etc.

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Indiana

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Table with columns: Name, Book, Hrs, Ords, Value, Helps, Total, Del. Lists W. F. Redding, etc.

Southern Illinois

Table with columns: Name, Book, Hrs, Ords, Value, Helps, Total, Del. Lists J. F. Saunders, Francis Teas, S. E. Teas, etc.

West Michigan

Table with columns: Name, Book, Hrs, Ords, Value, Helps, Total, Del. Lists E. M. Philips, L. Fankhouser, Lucene Wright, etc.

Northern Illinois

Table with columns: Name, Book, Hrs, Ords, Value, Helps, Total, Del. Lists P. R. Bergman, B. Anderson, G. Vas, etc.

East Michigan

Table with columns: Name, Book, Hrs, Ords, Value, Helps, Total, Del. Lists Oscar Meilicke, R. W. Cavell, Jessie Boist, etc.

North Michigan

Table with columns: Name, Book, Hrs, Ords, Value, Helps, Total, Del. Lists A. P. Friday, Milton Marks, F. L. Harrington, etc.

\*Two weeks †Week ending June 23 139 Agents 5340 1927 5854 48 377 65 6232 13 678 60

Cheerfulness and contentment are great beautifiers and are famous preservers of youthful looks.—Dickens