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Progress

The work in the Northern Illinois Conference is onward. The Lord is blessing us in every direction. Our foreign work is beginning to take shape and form. We now have workers in Bohemian, Polish, Italian, Hungarian, and Roumanian languages. The accompanying cut shows a picture of all these foreign workers. We hope to be able to organize a little church in each of these languages in the very near future. Do remember this work in your prayers, dear brethren. To do this work successfully means more than to work for the Americans. Great simplicity is to be practiced. The worker must be as "wise as a serpent and harmless as a dove." Foreigners must be worked for as foreigners. The preaching of the gospel must be adapted to each individual tongue and nation. Different methods must be used, therefore it takes the wisdom of God to do it.

So far as the success of the tent efforts during the summer is concerned, we can say that the Lord has been with our workers. Some have already been baptized and there are many others to be baptized in the near future. What the full result will be of the summer's efforts cannot be fully ascertained yet, but we can assure the brethren in the field that tremendous efforts have been made. We have always this one thing in mind—that only with God's help can success be achieved and without His help all is loss. We will report full results of the summer's work later.

Our Harvest Ingathering campaign is on. Our brethren are doing well. Our beloved veteran, Brother Covert, has collected quite a little over the \$200 mark. Some sisters in the various churches have gone away beyond the five dollar goal for each member.

Some have collected as much as \$25, and others even more. Our workers have generally done very well so far. I believe that the Harvest Ingathering this year will far exceed that of any previous year. We hope so at least. We are working for that with all our might and main. Brother Paap, Secretary of the Home Missionary Department of the Division Conference, writes very encouragingly of our endeavors in Northern Illinois. He is glad that we are willing to enter into big things, and assures us that by the help of God we shall be able to reach the goal we have set, namely, five dollars per capita, making in all \$8,000. In another letter he writes that many of the conferences have set the same goal and that he is sure that they will reach it, and I believe it. With God's grace we can do much, so let us work and pray, and pray and work, and not stop until our goal is reached.

Last evening I was invited to take supper with a family. The husband is not in the truth, but a very staunch friend of it. His dear wife is in it with her whole heart and soul. After supper the brother went to his desk and handed me a check for a thousand dollars extra tithe, and another check for two hundred dollars for foreign missions, so he surely did his part toward the Harvest Ingathering. Would to God that many more such souls would arise and give of their means to this precious cause. There are many brethren and sisters in our conference, who, if they would, might have quite a little extra tithe to put



Top row left to right: J. Sansonetti, P. H. Hermann, J. H. Schilling, G. Vas,
L. F. Kucera, R. Calderone.
Second row: Vesta Cash, J. A. Dominske, Anna Soukup.

in the Lord's storehouse and who could if they would, give hundreds of dollars toward foreign mission work. Some pledged quite extensively at the last camp meeting but they are rather slow in redeeming their pledges. May God send His Spirit broadcast over our conference. May He commission His angels to work on the hearts of our dear people that they may believe, and that they may show their belief and their interest in the truth by letting their extra means fall into the foreign mission work as mentioned above. God must do the work; He must influence hearts. We as workers cannot. We can only be the instruments through which God can work. May God work as only an infinite God can work in our conference.

Wishing our brethren God's richest blessing, I am

Yours in the blessed hope,

J. H. SCHILLING

Our Duty as Voters

Paul spoke of himself as a Roman citizen of the city of Tarsus. He availed himself of his rights as a citizen. We are citizens of the United States. As citizens we have certain rights as well as duties. It is our privilege to vote if we so desire. No true child of God, however, will or can be active in politics under present conditions. But every Seventh-day Adventist should vote for temperance whenever the wet and dry issue is on.

"The advocates of temperance fail to do their whole duty unless they exert their influence by precept and example—by voice and pen and vote—in favor of prohibition and total abstinence. We need not expect that God will work a miracle to bring about this reform, and thus remove the necessity for our exertion. We ourselves must grapple with this giant foe, our motto, 'No compromise and cessation of our efforts till the victory is gained.'" —*Mrs. E. G. White in Review and Herald, Oct. 15, 1914.*

Thank God the saloon traffic is hard pressed at this day. Charles Windle, a leading liquorite stated recently:

"The legitimate liquor business of America confronts a serious crisis. Dumb, indeed, is the dealer who does not recognize this fact. The hour has come for intelligent, effective, decisive action. It is the only possible way to avoid defeat, disaster, and destruction."

In Michigan the question of state wide prohibition is up this fall. We hope every Adventist voter will cast his vote and use all his influence to help make Michigan dry. And as we work let us pray that God may free Michigan from the awful curse of the saloon.

L. H. CHRISTIAN

To the Believers of the Great Second Advent Movement

Dear Brethren: We come to you at this time with gratitude and thankfulness to God for the light of present truth, and for the wonderful privilege of being laborers together with Christ and the holy angels in the finishing of the great mystery.

For nearly two weeks now we have been assembled in council. Many weighty and important questions have been brought to our attention. We are made to realize that perilous times are upon us. Indications of a most striking character point to the great fact that the end is near. The hour has struck when we should lay plans for advance moves all along the line. The calls for men and means are more than we can possibly supply. Consequent upon our lack of funds we have had to refuse appeals of the greatest urgency. Nearly \$100,000 was denied the fields because of the lack of funds.

It is needless to say what delay means in many instances. God is opening doors, and the Macedonian call is sounding from every land, "Come over and help us." Can we refuse to go? Can we say, "Not now"? Conditions are changing so rapidly and the enemy is preoccupying the field. We dare not delay.

Right at this time a campaign, in which there are really no limits, is being carried on in behalf of foreign missions. We refer to the Harvest Ingathering campaign. What are the results to date? This can be measured largely by the activities of the individual

goal at five dollars and this we feel sure is within reach of all who will earnestly and enthusiastically address themselves to the task. Just think what it would mean if eighty thousand believers in the North American Division Conference each gathered five dollars—four hundred thousand dollars! Many will do considerably more. Already four conferences have reported that they have reached their quota. Eight hundred thousand papers have been sent out.

We notice that the larger amount of this ingathering money is collected in sums ranging from five to twenty-five cents. All that is necessary to raise the full amount is to keep right at it.

Because of the great shortage of funds—because of the tremendous need for money to help us fill the many and urgent calls from earth's teeming millions, we earnestly beseech our dear people everywhere to double their energies.

We feel confident that the placing of this special issue of the *Signs Weekly* will enlighten the public mind with reference to this great movement. The service required of this people to accomplish this task brings growth and development as only activity can bring, and the money raised will enable us to greatly extend the work. We earnestly hope that we shall secure one hundred thousand dollars above all expenses connected with the campaign.

Yours for the finishing of the work,
(Signed) THE GENERAL CONFERENCE
AND THE NORTH AMERICAN DIVISION
COUNCIL IN SESSION

P. S. It is earnestly requested that this letter be read in all our churches on the Sabbath day; and that every proper and possible effort be made on the part of the local leaders to make it count for the most.

HOME MISSIONARY DEPARTMENT

"Are Adventists Sheep Stealers?"

Under this stinging caption a Baptist paper, *The Standard*, of Chicago, has published a drastic indictment of our work in foreign fields. The editor tells of a simple-minded Methodist preacher in South America who, deceived by our colporteurs, was in danger of losing his members. He states that three families of Sabbatarians in the West Indies moved into a new city and openly presented their message to the Baptists of said town. "We are assured by those who are in a position to know that the common practice of Seventh-day Adventist missionaries is to follow closely upon the heels of other denominations and to disturb the new converts with their distinctive doctrines, rarely, if ever, going into new and unoccupied territory. For downright meanness, we have never heard of anything quite equal to this." Really we Adventists are having a hard time of it. In the homeland people say: "Why don't you go to the heathen?" When we do "go to the heathen" we become "sheep stealers." (By the way we have looked into some cases of so-called "sheep stealing" and we have always found the shepherd asleep and the poor sheep so sadly underfed that they just jumped the fence to get better fodder.) We know, of course, that the above accusations against us are untrue. More than eighty per cent of our converts

in heathen lands come to us direct from paganism. But many do not know this.

Now the Lord has given us a plan whereby we are able to remove prejudice and inform the world of our actual missionary activity. We refer to the Harvest Ingathering work. During the past five years we have circulated in our Harvest Ingathering campaigns 3,115,000 copies of special issues of the *Review* and *Signs*. These papers have been brimful of interesting facts, experiences, and statistics concerning our work in the regions beyond. This year we are planning to put out a million copies of the Harvest Ingathering *Signs*. With four million copies of these good papers in the hands of the reading public no candid person can ask: "Are Adventists sheep stealers?" or "Why don't you go to the heathen?" Our Harvest Ingathering papers have done more than all other things combined, aside from our sanitariums, to break down prejudice and to interest outsiders in our work.

At a medical council at Madison, Wisconsin, last June, we met Brother Jasper Wayne of Iowa who is the author of the Harvest Ingathering plan. He gave us a very interesting account of his experience in the early stages of this work. Ten years ago Brother Wayne took fifty copies of the Capital and Labor number of the *Signs of the Times* and gave them to his friends. For these papers he secured \$4.50 to missions. This was less than ten cents a piece. In some strange manner fifty more copies of the same papers came into his hand and he was impressed to go out with these also and endeavor to secure larger gifts for foreign missions, and in a short time had \$26. He then ordered 400 of the same issue of the *Signs* and by faithful work with these solicited \$100. Brother Wayne became convinced that by means of our papers we could secure large sums for foreign missions. He felt so impressed with God's purpose in this work that he visited several camp meetings in order to get a chance to talk with our leading men concerning it. Finally the General Conference brethren asked him to come to Washington and tell them of his plan with the result that in 1908 the *Review* and *Herald* published our first Harvest Ingathering special which brought the mission treasury the sum of \$14,000. This has increased year by year. Last year we raised \$78,333. During the past seven years in which a special edition of some paper has been put out for the Harvest Ingathering our people have secured \$371,998 from this source for the support of foreign missions. Shortly after the plan was started Sister White wrote Brother Wayne of the light God had given her concerning this plan, fully endorsing it as being in harmony with the mind of the Lord.

It is really marvelous what the Lord has done for us through this Harvest Ingathering. Think of over three million papers circulated and nearly \$372,000 gathered for missions! We are now in the midst of this important campaign. Some of our brethren this year have had wonderful experiences in the work. We wish that many of our churches would double their orders for the paper. Last year we used 110,877. By October 13 this year we had ordered 119,803, or an increase of 9,000. But another union conference not nearly as large as ours has already ordered 140,000 papers. Let us continue to push this work in every church.

L. H. CHRISTIAN

West Michigan Conference

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President, Wm. Guthrie

Notes

Our Harvest Ingathering work is progressing encouragingly. Muskegon has reported \$160 raised and Grand Rapids \$95. Battle Creek has been delayed on account of infantile paralysis but they have their forces splendidly organized and will do good work when the quarantine is raised.

Elder N. M. Jorgensen and the writer visited the Bauer church in the interest of the Harvest Ingathering on Sabbath, October 21. A good interest was manifested. Members of the Allendale church were present and entered heartily into the plans for work.

Elder Jorgensen told of his experience when a man started to lead him out of the yard but afterward asked him to wait near the gate while he went to the house and got some money for him.

We secured an offering from the governor, also \$25 from one of the banks where we do business. It pays to get close to these men.

Our temperance campaign with the *Instructor* has been very successful we believe. By the time this reaches the reader we will have placed 15,000 copies of the paper in the hands of the people as the result of this special campaign. Thirty-five thousand have been used by the West Michigan Conference during the year.

Let the cry of unsaved millions be our strongest plea for means in our Ingathering work, each doing his best.

WM. GUTHRIE

Notice

We are in need of Teacher's Handbook in Gerritsen's sight singing. Anyone having one who wishes to dispose of it, please correspond with the West Michigan Tract Society.

North Michigan Conference

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President, E. A. Bristol

News Notes

Brother A. P. Friday and Brother C. J. Mitchell are now working in Presque Isle County. They are meeting with remarkable success and the Lord is richly blessing their efforts. Last week Brother Friday's sales amounted to \$104, and he writes that he is thankful for the experiences he is enjoying in the colporteur work, and says that it seems that the Lord has the hearts of the people prepared for the books.

Although C. J. Mitchell is one of our new colporteurs, this being only his second week in the field, his sales amounted to \$64.

Brother Lynus J. Macomber expects to begin work the coming week; also Brother O. T. Burt, of Onaway, will soon be ready to enter the field.

Brother Hugh Stearns is now located at Alpena, having moved his family to that city last week. His address is now 325 Fair Ave., Alpena, and any who are interested in the colporteur work should write him or the tract society office.

Elder H. M. Kelley, of Indiana, is now locating in this conference and is visiting several churches in the interest of the Harvest Ingathering work. We are glad to welcome Brother Kelley as one of our new workers.

Elder Bristol is visiting the churches in Midland County this week.

We are receiving encouraging reports from the different churches regarding the Harvest Ingathering work. We hope that every member is taking an active part, and should you run short of papers, send us the information here at the office and we will be glad to mail you another supply.

East Michigan Conference

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

Detroit

The churches in Detroit are entering heartily into the Harvest Ingathering campaign. All of them I believe have set for a goal an average of five dollars per member, the Birmingham company following the same order. This will undoubtedly result in much larger returns than usual. I am glad to note the systematic way in which the campaign is being conducted. The church on the West Side is for a few weeks meeting under difficulties because of the remodeling of their building. No heat is available for Sabbath school or service. However the membership is happy and cheerful, looking toward a completed place of worship to which their friends and neighbors may be invited to hear the message. We look forward with glad anticipation to a successful soul-winning season.

B. L. POST

News Notes

Encouraging reports are coming in from those selling our magazines and small books. Many speak of how the Lord is directly helping in the work, and feel determined to do what they can to help give the message.

Mr. Glenn Hamp, who has recently taken a business course at Battle Creek, has connected with the East Michigan Tract Society, as stenographer and assistant.

Although efforts were made to have churches and companies well supplied with Harvest Ingathering *Signs*, quite a number of requests are coming in for more papers. One church orders five hundred extra copies, another, one thousand. It appears that many who have heretofore done nothing in the work wish to assist this year, and a large ingathering should result.

Cards are out announcing the marriage, at Saginaw, Oct. 10, 1916, of Mr. Floyd Rowland and Miss Hazel Ellen Wightman. Brother Rowland is one of our younger conference workers, and the laborers especially will unite in wishing for Brother and Sister Rowland the choicest blessings that may be bestowed as they join their interests and efforts in behalf of the message for this time. They will be located at Durand this winter, Brother Rowland being engaged in fostering the work in that vicinity.

Mrs. Flora Williams, of West Michigan, arrived in

Holly last week, and has entered upon her duties as educational secretary. Miss Bell closed up her work in East Michigan the last of September, and is now enjoying a much-needed vacation before beginning work in West Michigan.

Elder Longacre is to give a series of lectures in East Michigan in the interests of the dry campaign, the first lecture to be at Holly, tomorrow evening. We trust his work may assist in making Michigan dry, and that people may know Seventh-day Adventists are glad to unite in efforts for temperance.

The new church building at Saginaw is ready to be dedicated. Special meetings will be held Sabbath and Sunday, attended by Elders Christian and Longacre, as well as Elder Clark. The building will be dedicated. The cause is always advanced by the setting apart of neat, comfortable houses of worship, and we are glad to see another church home added to the list in East Michigan.

There is a lively interest in the Harvest Ingathering work. Churches and individuals are calling for the Missions number of the *Signs*, and indicating their pleasure in assisting in the work. Although we have already sent out more papers than last year, we have had to order more from Mountain View, and prospects are bright for large results.

The work of remodeling the church building recently purchased by the Detroit West Side brethren and sisters is progressing nicely, and in a little while they will have a church home and school of their own.

Some good orders for P. T. S. No. 22 are being received. One church ordered 7,500, another 6,100; and individuals are sending in right along for supplies of this interesting and helpful paper.

Southern Illinois Conference

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President, E. F. Peterson

Carterville

"A good report maketh the bones fat." Three new members were taken into the church last Sabbath and will be baptized this week by Elder R. J. Nethery. One of this number was the mother of Brother Hugh Stearns, who sowed the seed while here.

We have started another successful school year. All are cooperating with a will and with their pocket-books, too. Almost every member has taken hold to help finance the school. Teacher and pupils have been doing some good work with the Harvest Ingathering papers.

After a short service, conducted by Elder Nethery, last Sabbath afternoon, nearly everyone gave a decided testimony and renewed their consecration for service. Brother and Sister Chas. Drury, of Tennessee, and Miss Amanda Trueblood, the teacher at DuQuoin, were also present. May the Lord help us keep our vow.

R. J. WATSON

Circulating Library

A start has been made on a circulating library for our Missionary Volunteer Department. So far the two sets of Reading Course books for this year have been purchased.

The circulating library is for the benefit of all who desire to take the Reading Courses but are unable to buy the books. The books are loaned to anyone requesting them, on condition that they be returned within one month from the time of receiving and the postage be paid both ways.

Every one who is interested should write me sending name and address. The enlargement of our library will depend on the use made of it. A large number should avail themselves of this opportunity to take the Reading Courses.

GRACE A. EVANS

Junior Missionary Volunteers

A large number of the Junior Missionary Volunteers have been taking hold of the Harvest Ingathering campaign in earnest. At the close of the second week in October considerable more than half of the goal set for them had been reached. In most of the schools, leaders have been appointed and the school divided into working bands. Surely "the Lord has appointed the youth to be His helping hand."

The following is a report from Clare Van Fossen, Junior Missionary Volunteer leader, of the Springfield school:

"We have been out in the Harvest Ingathering, and have met with great success. The Lord surely has blessed our efforts. Our school of twenty-three has raised \$22.50 in two weeks. One boy, eight years of age, raised over four dollars, another six years old nearly three dollars, and a girl of eight over three dollars. We have Junior meetings in our school every Wednesday morning. All the children take an active part, also in giving away papers and selling magazines.

"Our teacher has been a great help to us in the Harvest Ingathering work, as well as in the meetings and the school work. She has raised more than any other one in school. We are truly thankful that we have such a good teacher this year."

MISSIONARY VOLUNTEER SECRETARY

North Wisconsin Conference

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President, J. J. Irwin

Hintz and Lena

After the workers' meeting at Green Bay, I held meetings at Hintz and Lena. There was a good attendance at both places. At Hintz we celebrated the ordinances of the Lord's House and felt the presence of the Holy Spirit. At Lena three precious souls followed their Lord in baptism. There is a good interest at both these places and they need our prayers.

LOUIS DREWS

South Wisconsin Conference

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President, P. A. Hanson

A Correction

By mistake the South Wisconsin title report was put under the North Wisconsin heading last week.

The Work in Milwaukee

We are glad to report that the Lord's work in Milwaukee is moving on toward success. After the tent

work closed, we began meetings at once in the church on 865 Fifth Street. Elder John Tindall came to help us in the last two meetings in the tent. He then took up the meetings Sunday nights in the church in English, and the writer took the German meetings Wednesday nights; and with the meetings on the Sabbath we have been able, with the Lord's blessing, to bring a number to a decision. About thirty have by public confession made it plain that they desire to go with us in keeping the Sabbath of the Lord, and a number more have expressed their desire to come later. But now comes the real test for the men—the work in the city. Pray much for these dear ones that when the test on other points is brought before them they may go forward. The blessing of God came in such a marked manner upon the people that the hearts of strong men could no longer resist the Spirit's pleadings. Drops of the latter rain were received. The church was filled with people, and tent chairs were brought in to accommodate those who came. It was a wonderful sight to see so many men walk up to the consecration altar, moved by the Holy Spirit.

We were all made sad to learn that Elder J. Tindall had to leave us because of his health. He left today. But a vote was taken as to how many would like to have him return in the spring for a great campaign in the city. Every hand was raised as far as we could see. Electric lights are being installed, which will help greatly.

G. P. GAEDE

South Wisconsin, Attention

If there are those in South Wisconsin holding credits in Denominational History and Bible Doctrines, send your names to the Missionary Volunteer Department, and let's talk over the matter of Standard of Attainment Certificates. Arrangements can be made, if these credits are accepted, for the issuance of certificates in Standard of Attainment; therefore, in sending in the grade have it accompanied by the certified credit.

This will be of mutual benefit. It will enable those holding the credits to have a Standard of Attainment Certificate, and at the same time help us to reach our Standard of Attainment Certificate goal for South Wisconsin. We want forty-four certificates this year. Let yours be one.

G. R. FATTIC

Friends Won Through the Sabbath School

The superintendent of the Fish Creek Sabbath school, Sister E. S. Franklin, reports an interesting and profitable time on the fourteenth Sabbath. For some time there has been considerable prejudice and bitterness on the part of the Sunday school people there toward our people. The bitterness was so great that the Sunday school superintendent was angered to see the smoke come out of the chimney of the Adventist church.

The bitterness was cured by the following treatments: Our superintendent made a few friendly visits and invited the Sunday school superintendent and her school to attend the Sabbath school and to assist in an excellent Fourteenth Sabbath program which was rendered. The visitors helped the little Sabbath school reach \$20.25 mark for the offering. It was a surprise

to our people to know that their visitors were not only interested for the day, but asked if they might not come again.

This is but one instance of what may be done through the Sabbath school in winning friends to the truth. There are great possibilities unrealized in attracting worldlings and those of other denominations to God's message through the medium of the Sabbath school. "Our Sabbath schools are nothing less than Bible societies, and in the sacred work of teaching the truths of God's Word, they can accomplish far more than they have hitherto accomplished. The Sabbath school, when rightly managed, possesses marvelous power and is adapted to doing a great work. The influence growing out of Sabbath school work should improve and enlarge the church."—*Testimonies on Sabbath School Work*, page 29.

MAY BELL, Secretary

Church Schools

I have just completed a tour of the schools in South Wisconsin, and without exception find things in a very encouraging condition. We are operating all the schools that we held in South Wisconsin last year, and in addition have new schools at Sturgeon Bay, Green Bay, and Milwaukee. The latter two have an enrollment of over twenty-five.

All our schools are well filled this year. New school-houses have been built at Marshfield and Green Bay, and at Milwaukee a schoolroom. I am sure it would have been an inspiration to our brethren in other places to see the enthusiasm with which the brethren in these three places took hold of their school problems and solved them. The buildings at Green Bay and Marshfield were completed in an incredibly short time, likewise the remodeling in Milwaukee. These churches feel amply repaid for the strenuous effort. Milwaukee has an enrolment of twenty-eight and is already contemplating the advisability of two teachers.

Marshfield enrolment increased one hundred per cent this year over last. The schoolroom at Green Bay, although quite commodious, is crowded to the very limit. These are all encouraging omens not only to these brethren but to this department. Our teachers are without exception of good courage, and I believe I am justified in saying that the Lord has wonderfully blessed the efforts put forth in behalf of the children of this conference.

G. R. FATTIC

Bethel News Notes

Miss Florence Jones of Green Bay entered school this week.

The crops are harvested. The store in barn and cellar shows a bountiful winter's supply. The fruit-room is filled full with a good variety of canned fruits and vegetables. This shows a gratifying result of the summer's work in field and orchard and garden.

The library is being reshelfed. The gifts of the brethren throughout the conference make a goodly addition to our stock of books. Many more books are needed, however, and any standard books will be welcomed, and put to good use.

Elder P. A. Hansen was a welcome caller last week.

To the students in chapel he said it was really their interests that had kept him away from them so long. Then he told of the progress throughout the conference, of the encouraging efforts being made for Wisconsin to reach her full quota on the Twenty-cent-a-week Fund. He said the fifteen-cent mark was already passed, and a strong pull together would bring us to the desired goal. He explained what this means to Bethel towards lifting the debt. A degree of enthusiasm was manifested at the close of his remarks, which gives evidence of some genuine school spirit at Bethel.

The first program for rhetoricals was given October fourteen. Each student is to appear in public once each semester after having presented his part at least twice before a teacher. This proves an excellent drill in public work, and furnishes many pleasant evening gatherings for friends and patrons. This is as much a part of the regular student work as study or manual labor.

Mrs. Mary Snow told the girls at worship Sunday evening of her fortnight's visit at Sister White's own home three years ago. Her vivid account of the home, and its surroundings, gives a proper setting for the great life.

The school's plans for the Harvest Ingathering campaign are almost completed. Delay in obtaining the endorsement of the Business Men's Association of the near-by cities has hindered the work. By the time this paper reaches its readers we will doubtless have begun our work in earnest.

Harvest Ingathering Report

Up to date, October 25, the total Harvest Ingathering report for South Wisconsin, by churches, is as follows:

Appleton,	6	members working,	54	papers,	receipts	\$11 46
Bethel	6	"	92	"	"	7 72
Berlin	6	"	56	"	"	10 70
Chippewa Falls	2	"	23	"	"	7 35
DeBello	7	"	22	"	"	6 85
Eau Claire	12	"	.....	"	"	14 71
Fish Creek	5	"	.....	"	"	1 55
Fond du Lac	20	"	79	"	"	81 65
Hundred Mile Grove	4	"	56	"	"	11 11
Kenosha	2	"	3	"	"	80
Marshfield	9	"	4	"	"	40
Milton Jct.	12	"	37	"	"	4 08
Portage	.....	"	.....	"	"	17 20
Poy Sippi, (Eng.)	1	"	10	"	"	2 00
Raymond	"	"	"	7 00
Sparta	1	"	21	"	"	3 20
Waterloo	2	"	30	"	"	3 05
Individual	2	"	"	"	5 00

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M. V. and Educational News Notes

Encouraging reports are coming in from the efforts of the church schools with the Harvest Ingathering work. Huldah Berg writes, "Five children and I went out with the Harvest Ingathering papers yesterday. We had about two hours to work, but we collected five dollars, and are going out again."

Miss Mabel Rank took ten of her children out with

the Harvest Ingathering papers last Thursday, and when they met in the evening they had collected \$13.78. They had already raised \$10.50 for missions, thus during this first month, this school has raised \$24.28 for missions. Their goal for the year had been set at \$18. They are planning to go right on working.

The teachers of the South Side primary and Chicago advanced schools took their pupils out for a day last week with the Harvest Ingathering papers, and they reported respectively the sums of \$10.50 and \$14 for the day's work. Most of the church schools are planning to raise their entire mission money goal for the year by the Harvest Ingathering work.

From the three reporting members of the Missionary Volunteer Society at Elgin, came a report of \$35 raised in the Harvest Ingathering campaign. This completes their M. V. money goal for the year. We have only a little more than two and a half months left in this year in which to reach our splendid M. V. goal for this conference. This means we will have to each of us make a vigorous effort. Remember to report the amount raised by the young people in the Harvest Ingathering work separately, either direct to the M. V. Dept., or through your M. V. Society secretary.

As yet several of the secretaries of local M. V. Societies have not sent in the quarterly report for the work done in quarter ending September 30. This should be attended to *at once*.

The children who received the "Safety Deposit Vaults" at camp meeting time to save their money in during the summer for "Brother Jim" in Africa, should either turn them in to their local M. V. Society or church treasurer, stating this is M. V. money, or send them to the conference M. V. secretary.

"M. V. Individual Information Blanks" have been sent to each young person whose name had been furnished by the local church elder. These should be filled out and returned to the M. V. secretary at once so the card file directory can be completed. Isolated young people should write to the M. V. Dep't, 116 N. California Ave., for one of these blanks.

There is a supply of the new Missionary Volunteer pins and buttons at the tract society. These can be obtained for the small sum of fifteen cents. Each Missionary Volunteer should have one.

If there are those who would appreciate a special examination next December in Bible Doctrine and Denominational History for Standard of Attainment membership, you should write at once to your local M. V. secretary, telling her of your wants so arrangements can be made for you to have this privilege.

The following schools have been visited recently by the educational secretary: Aledo, Rock Falls, Moline, Galesburg, and the Chicago Italian, Dearborn St., Austin, Humboldt, North Shore schools, also advanced and primary schools on the South Side Chicago. These schools are progressing nicely, and in almost every one there is a larger attendance than last year.

Orders are coming in for sets of the Junior and Senior M. V. Reading Course books. The books in this year's course are splendid and are only \$2.15 for the set. None should miss this means for self-improvement. Order at once and start with the others during the month of October.

Senior Reading Course Books

"Advance Guard to Missions"	\$.75
"Getting Acquainted with Trees"	.50
"Steps to Christ" (full cloth)	.75
"History of the Waldenses"	.50
Club price, \$2.15. Order of your tract society.	

Junior Reading Course Books

"Places Young Americans Want to Know"	\$1.00
"Children's Missionary Story-Sermons"	.90
"The First Book of Birds"	.60
Club price \$2.15. Order of your tract society.	

MISSIONARY VOLUNTEER AND EDUCATIONAL DEPTS.

September

	Tithe	2%	F. M.		Tithe	2%	F. M.
Aledo	19 23	1 90	48 00	Hinsdale.....	414 64		218 04
Aurora.....	48 78	2 83	25 45	Joliet.....	143 29	4 77	7 97
Belvidere.....	24 19	3 86	4 06	Kankakee.....	12 35		34 56
Broadview.....	188 27		50 67	Moline.....	250 26	1 61	102 49
Chicago.....				Onarga.....	26 54		26 83
Dearborn St....	152 72	5 44	119 07	Ottawa.....	37 24	1 42	27 45
Englewood.....	79 94	05	16 84	Personal.....	49 09		39 99
German No. 1..	148 54	2 34	14 63	Pittwood.....			
" No. 2.....				Pontiac.....	24 49	1 29	28 24
Humboldt P....	247 43	6 42	215 67	Princeton.....			
46th Street....	500 26	11 20	92 08	Rock Falls.....	15 00		5 60
North Shore... 96 52			17 86	Rockford.....	35 31		7 58
Swedish.....	83 55	3 25		Sheridan.....	21 27	04	32 75
West Central ..				Streator.....	75 40		14 34
Italian.....	51 87	2 52	13 37	Stockton.....	88 93	6 90	40 45
Elgin.....	62 55		73 25	St. Anne.....			
Freeport.....				Waldron.....	107 76	1 44	42 46
Galesburg.....	37 41		25 95	Watseka.....	26 54	1 93	17 90
Harvey.....	5 89		6 11	Zion City.....			
				Total.....	\$3075 26	59 21	1369 66

Fox River Academy News

The girls in the home have recently been organized into prayer bands in which all signified their desire to take part. This we believe is a move in the right direction.

The girls enjoyed a unique fire alarm Tuesday. Miss Lamson practically emptied the buildings in about three seconds. The object of the alarm was that the girls might see the first smoke out of the new boiler. The heating plant is being tried out and is proving satisfactory in every way.

A musical and literary program was given last Saturday night for the entertainment of our home students.

Claud and Lucile Kellog were called home on account of the serious illness of their father.

Rose Watt had the pleasure of a visit from her father Tuesday.

Word has been received in regard to the return of several more students.

The painting of the principal's cottage is improving its appearance very much. A cistern is also being made.

Notice

Special opportunity for some young man or woman who has a working knowledge of shorthand and type-writing and who wishes to take further work in regular classes. We will give the right person an opportunity to make all his school expenses. Apply at once to Principal, Beechwood Academy.

"Forgiveness is the beautiful perfume the flower gives to bless the one who crushes it."

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Campaign Notes

"I have turned my goal three and a fourth times—\$130, but will not be able to get very much more as my territory is about gone, and I have several churches to visit before we are done with the month. Mrs. Jorgensen has \$30."—N. M. Jorgensen.

"The first week, I was out for a short time and secured \$3. Last week I also went out for a little while and secured \$2.75 more. I would be glad to devote my whole time to this work until I reach my goal, and more, but I feel that it is necessary to keep up with the work in the office, so plan to go out with the paper as I have opportunity. I expect to reach the goal that is set for me if there is any possible way of doing it.

"I have been out again this morning with the paper and secured \$12 in amounts from twenty-five cents to \$2. I expect nothing else but to continue until I pass my goal or run out of territory."—H. W. Johnson.

"As we are now locating in Alpina we have been delayed. So far I have only \$15 raised on my apportionment but have I think as much more in sight from certain individuals. I feel that this year will be a more successful one in this work than last year. The churches where I have been have taken hold of the work with more zeal and have gone beyond the amount raised last year.

"I believe that North Michigan will go ahead of last year notwithstanding crop conditions this year."—E. A. Piper.

College

Mr. Henry Bloum was called away on the twenty-first on account of the death of his grandmother.

Mr. A. N. Anderson was at the College last week auditing the books.

A new organ has been ordered for the music department.

The last student to enter school is Lewis H. Stanton, of Michigan.

Two one hundred watt lights have been placed on the top of the hose tower. These light the campus on the darkest nights.

Elder Christian spoke at the chapel hour on the twenty-sixth.

We were made very sad by the news of Sister R. B. Thurber's death, which occurred at the Washington Sanitarium, Friday night, October 27.

Business Notices

WANTED.—Temporary home, or homes, for two orphan girls—11 and 13 years of age. For information write W. A. Young, care of Wabash Valley Sanitarium, LaFayette, Ind.

HOME FOR A CHILD.—An Adventist family desires to give a home to a small child, girl preferred, between the ages of one and four years. Address Lake Union Herald, Berrien Springs, Mich.

WANTED.—Position with our people. Some place where there are church school advantages. Can handle all kinds of work in carpentry, steam, and electricity. Charles F. West, Winona Lake, Ind.

WESSON COOKING OIL.—Five gallon cans, \$6.00; two cans, \$11; Snowdrift shortening (solid) \$9.00 per 60-pound case (5, 10, or 20 pound pails) f. o. b. Chicago. Apply for prices in barrels and half barrels. Adelphian Mercantile Co., Holly, Mich.

Canvassers' Report for Week Ending

October 20, 1916

Southern Illinois									
Canvasser	Book	Hrs	Ords	Value	Helps	Total	Del.		
R. O. Dickson	BR	25	12	38 00	10 20	48 20		3 50	
P. R. March	BR	30	9	27 00	3 00	30 00		4 50	
A. P. Lager	BR	21	...	...	...	...		68 00	
R. J. Watson	BR	28	...	...	...	...		94 50	
S. E. Teas	BF	24	12	18 00	3 00	21 00			
Jerry Suda	BR	8	2	7 00	...	7 00			
C. W. Saunders	BR	9	6	20 00	...	20 00			
Edward Drury	BR	16	10	34 00	...	34 00			
Katherine Drury	BR	20	9	30 00	6 75	36 75			
G. W. Kimberlin	BR	41	12	40 00	...	40 00			
W. B. Maris	BR	38	11	36 00	3 75	39 75		10 75	
Cecil McMurtry	DA	9	...	...	...	...		12 75	
Ivan Falconer	BR	29	13	41 00	3 00	44 00			
		298	96	291 00	29 70	320 70		194 00	

Indiana									
H. P. Brodt	BR	33	11	33 00	5 00	38 00			
Mrs. H. P. Brodt	BR	24	10	30 00	2 50	32 50			
Mrs. Sallie Bird	GC	15	15	45 00	...	45 00			
C. F. Colton	BR	35	20	65 00	...	65 00			
Bertha Davis	BF	12	2	4 00	...	4 00			
Ethel Haven	BR	28	8	26 00	75	26 75			
C. C. King	BR	44	16	49 00	2 60	51 60			
W. H. Plake	BR	39	6	20 00	7 50	27 50			
Wm. Reeding	GC	31	6	20 00	...	20 00			
R. C. Snell	BR	10	5	15 00	...	15 00			
Lewis E. Vance	BR	27	13	40 00	75	40 75			
W. B. Ware	BR	33	5	17 00	4 00	21 00			
C. Buzzell	...	10	...	...	...	...		132 00	
R. M. Everett	...	14	...	...	...	...		284 00	
Fred Wiggins	...	30	...	...	...	...		509 00	
		386	117	364 00	23 10	387 10		916 00	

East Michigan									
Theresa Warnemunde	HM	22	4	10 50	1 50	12 50			
Jennie Peavey	CK	17	4	8 00	25	8 25		1 50	
Chas. E. Felton	BR	24	4	12 00	1 25	13 25		1 25	
*C. R. Lawrence	BR	48	18	62 00	...	62 00			
C. B. Graham	GC	26	7	22 00	...	22 00			
E. V. Sykes	BR	35	5	16 00	2 25	18 25			
		172	42	130 50	5 25	146 75		2 75	

Northern Illinois									
A. M. Tatton	BR	10	27	31 00	1 50	32 50			
D. R. Devereaux	BR	10	36	32 00	3 50	35 50			
*Grace Branson	BR	25	70	81 00	1 00	82 00			
*Mrs. J. Gillespie	BR	3	27	11 00	2 50	13 50		146 75	
E. A. Rideout	GC	5	30	16 00	3 50	19 50			
		53	190	171 00	12 00	183 00		146 75	

South Wisconsin									
Emelia Roberson	GC	64	11	33 00	33 75	66 75		33 75	
Mrs. E. M. Bisbee	BR	30	5	15 00	3 75	18 75		75	
H. F. Bernitt	BR	40	8	24 00	8 25	32 25		9 75	
Ferd. Passer	GC	36	10	34 00	2 00	36 00			
		170	34	106 00	47 75	153 75		34 25	

North Michigan									
A. P. Fridav	BR	34	19	63 00	...	63 00			
C. Jack Mitchell	BR	33	13	39 00	...	39 00			
		67	32	102 00	...	102 00			

*Two weeks

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