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Just a Little Farther On

Just a little farther on, just a little farther on,
All our trials will be ended,
All our sorrows will be gone.
No more sickness, death, or sighing, no more
failures after trying,
In the gladsome great "to be," just a little
farther on.

Just a little farther on, just a little farther on,
What a hope to keep us striving
Till life's battles all are won!
Though sometimes we lose its light,
It is shining just as bright,
In that gladsome great "to be," just a little
farther on.

Just a little farther on, just a little farther on,
No more hearts to break from crying,
No more faces pale and wan.
Life would not be worth the living,
Costliest gifts not worth the giving,
If our Father did not beckon, just a little
farther on.

Yes, there is a farther on, ~~aye, there is a~~
Farther On;
For the night of sin is passing,
Soon eternal day will dawn;
Hold on just a little longer, grasp faith's rope
a little stronger,
We shall stand upon Mt. Zion just a little
farther on.

THOS. D. ROWE

Emmanuel Missionary College

Knocking at the Door

Jesus says, "Behold I stand at the door and knock." He then promises that if anyone will open the door He will come in and sup with him

When we were eating dinner the other day, a lady came to our door and knocked. My wife opened the door and the lady asked for a contribution to help the suffering Armenians. We gladly gave some funds to help them. Very soon another person knocked at the same door, and I met the caller. He was a friend with a dollar which he had come to contribute to our Harvest Ingathering fund. He belongs

to the Methodist Church but was glad to help our foreign missionary work.

This same neighbor has given me a dollar each year since I have been soliciting. Last year I asked a Baptist friend for a contribution to our missions and he said he had only been helping the Baptists. I told him that ruling would include our work for we had baptized many thousands during the year. He then said for me to see him at his office in about two weeks. When I went he was holding a five dollar bill in his hand for our missionary work. I saw the same friend last week and he told me to see him in November this year and he would contribute again.

These experiences encourage us to keep on in this kind of work. We know the Lord has money in the hands of many classes of people to help this work forward. But it is necessary for us to let the people know what the needs of the cause are in order to gather it in. Let us keep on trying that we may succeed.

WM. COVERT

North Wisconsin Conference

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Among the Churches

For a number of weeks past I have been visiting churches in the eastern part of the conference. Among the list was Clearwater Lake, Minocqua, Merrill, Antigo, Menominee, Marquette, Hancock, and Zeba.

I find most of our people are of good courage, and trying to interest their neighbors in the message for the last days. Quite a little work is being done with the Harvest Ingathering; and some who had not decided to use any papers are now ordering and we look for a good report from them. I am very much pleased with the prospects for the work here in this new conference. Our brethren are anxious to see the work advance, and are endeavoring to do all they can to make it a success.

In visiting the churches in our Michigan territory, I was privileged to renew old acquaintances, and talk with them about the work. At Hancock I found that a large amount of missionary work is being done both in the handing out of literature and raising funds for missions. This church has already raised more than its quota for this year, and they are still working. One feature of their plans there impressed me as being good. They are endeavoring to raise practically all their donations, aside from the Harvest Ingathering, from the Sabbath school. Last quarter, although the church is small, they set their goal for \$100 in the Sabbath school, and very nearly reached it. At Zeba we have a church of Chippewa Indians, as far as I know, the first church organized in this tribe. They had been feeling somewhat discouraged as we had not

been able to visit them as much as we should, and some had given up their hold and had left the church. At this meeting, five who had dropped out, came back to the Father's house; and others made a new consecration to God. They are rejoicing in the prospects there and are taking hold of the work in a good, substantial manner.

J. J. IRWIN

Mission Funds

Doubtless many of our people in the conference are anxious to know what progress is being made in the gathering of mission funds. There are four churches in the conference that have passed their twenty-cents-a-week quota for the entire year. I refer to Hancock, Superior, Ashland English, and the Knapp church. A few have raised fifteen cents and over per week per member, for the first ten months of the year. These churches are Washburn, Plum City, and Merrill; and the Cumberland church is just lacking a trifle of the fifteen cents per week. A number of others have passed ten cents a week for the first ten months, and we are hoping to have our mission funds raised for the year. We have two of the very best months of the year left, in which to raise mission funds.

We were a little disappointed that the Harvest Ingathering report was not larger this month, but we are sure that next month will show a much larger gain. At the beginning of the campaign, goals were set by different ones as to the amount they would raise. We are glad to see that several of these have passed their aim. Let us take hold of the work of gathering in funds by soliciting from those who are not members of our church, for many times we find them glad to assist us. Our work is becoming so well known that those who are at all intelligent in regard to the work of the denomination, recognize that we are doing a good work in the world and are willing to assist in it. A number of the treasurers did not get their reports in this month. We are sorry for this, for every sum sent in helps to encourage the others.

J. J. IRWIN

Knox Mills

A few weeks ago Brother A. W. Erickson and I began meetings at Knox Mills. The attendance at first was very small, but gradually the people became interested, and we had a very good attendance through the testing truths of the message. At the present time twelve have begun to keep the Sabbath, and there are other interested ones that we hope will take their stand. We have enjoyed the blessing of God very much in our work here. Now the enemy has succeeded in getting the owner of the hall to refuse us its use for any further meetings. We are not going to leave the field, but are holding cottage meetings, trying to gather in all we can. November 8 we expect to hold our first Sabbath meeting with the believers. Pray for us that the work may be successful.

J. A. SWENSON

What Are You Doing?

Sister White told us before she died that the time had come when a large work should be done by the

canvassers. Today the people everywhere are inquiring about the meaning of the stirring events transpiring around us. What are *you* doing to tell them their meaning? Are you doing your part? One of the most effective means of enlightening the people is to place our truth-laden literature in their hands. Careful inquiry shows that one-third of the people who accept this truth do so as the result of reading. Our canvassers who are now in the field are enjoying many precious experiences. Every day they see evidences of God's guiding hand in this work. Surely there are some in this North Wisconsin Conference whom the Lord is calling to leave the farm and workshop to enter this grand work. When the call comes, "Whom shall I send, and who will go for us?" send back the answer, clear and distinct, "Here am I, send me."

L. C. SHEPARD

News Items

Miss Bertha Jensen, who is now attending school at the Danish-Norwegian Seminary, is rejoicing over the fact that some people to whom she sold "Bible Readings" this summer are already keeping the Sabbath.

Brother J. W. Mace plans to spend a few days in North Wisconsin visiting the churches in the interest of the Home Missionary Campaign.

Loren C. Shepard is spending the week soliciting for the Harvest Ingathering, and is working with a determination to reach the goal that was set for him.

Waldery Academy

Miss Florence Oswald of Pennsylvania, graduate of Madison Sanitarium, has taken up school work here.

James and Clark Bennett of Michigan are helping with our fall work, and plan to enter school at the beginning of our third six-weeks period.

An eight-inch sewer is being run from the girls' dormitory to the river. The work is being done by the boys of the school home in order to raise money to help on our mission fund.

The teachers and students of Waldery have set a goal of \$135 for their Harvest Ingathering offering. Every house and hamlet for miles around has been visited. Some are writing letters and others are giving time to get money to help reach our goal.

Brother Shepler, a former teacher at Waldery, is moving his family to Rockland, Wis.

Mrs. Whalen is leaving this week for Reeves, Ga., where she will spend the winter at the school conducted by Prof. A. W. Spaulding.

A new Milwaukee cream separator has been donated to our school by two members of the Bear Lake Missionary Volunteer Society. This will be greatly appreciated by the girls who do our kitchen work.

Fire extinguishers have been placed in all of our main buildings.

We have recently installed two large electric bells, one in the school building and one in the boys' dormitory. These will be used to give fire alarms as well as for the general signals of our daily programs.

Our primary department is now located in a light, pleasant room recently finished for the purpose in the

south end of our building. The work is progressing nicely under the direction of Miss Gertrude Holmes.

Plans are being developed for beginning our latest industry. We hope soon to be able to do all kinds of weaving with one hand and two fly shuttle looms.

Mr. John Hoffman, brother-in-law of Miss Adams, recently spent a few days at the academy.

All are busy getting ready for the elders' meeting which convenes here November 22-26.

Our chapel has been enlarged by removing the partitions at the West end and transferring the office and the classroom which were there to the second floor. This affords better accommodation for our school exercises and especially for our Sabbath services.

A neat addition is being built at the southwest corner of the girls' dormitory. This will fill a long-felt need, as it will be used partly as a wood shed.

Our newly-organized Missionary Volunteer Society is doing good work in training our young people—both leaders and lay-members—for active missionary service.

Our post-office address has been changed from South Range to Hines, Wis.

There is room for a few more boys in our boys' dormitory, but our girls' dormitory is full to overflowing. However we stand ready to welcome new students whether boys or girls and expect to provide places for all who can come.

Waldery Academy is a live place. We invite our patrons and workers to visit us. You will hear more about us in the future.

H. M. COLBURN

Indiana Conference

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

Among the Churches

Since my last report I have had the privilege of visiting several of our churches, and am glad to note the spirit of cooperation that seems to be found everywhere. The first Sabbath in October I spent with the brethren and sisters of the Terre Haute church. Here I found a little company who are earnest to see the work go forward. The church company here owns a nice little building, and we feel that with proper efforts in this place much can be accomplished. Arrangements have already been made so that Elder Rader will soon be with the church at Terre Haute, and we will try to marshal our forces there for a large fruitage to the glory of God.

My next visit was at Connersville, where I was entertained at the hospitable home of Brother Glen Brown, who is the manager of the city hospital and sanitarium at that place. The church here is small, but is doing its best to hold up the light of the truth of the third angel's message. I was pleased at this time to renew my acquaintance with Elder P. Z. Kinne with whom I labored twenty or twenty-five years ago in New York State. Although far advanced in years, Elder Kinne is taking an active part in the work at Connersville, and his watchcare over the little company there is greatly appreciated.

My next visit was at Middletown. I was glad to meet these people and was interested to see so many young people whom we believe can be of much service

in forwarding the cause of God. A church school is being conducted by the Middletown church and the reports from this branch of the work are encouraging. In the evening after the Sabbath, I drove over to Mechanicsburg and there addressed a good audience composed largely of those not of our faith, and was glad to see the close interest paid as I spoke on the signs of the times. This place was among the places that was first worked by the early pioneers in Indiana, and though most of the inhabitants are acquainted with our faith, still there seems to be a lively interest to hear when the message is presented.

On Sabbath, the 28th, I was pleased to meet with the church at Muncie and was glad to note the zeal of our brethren and sisters in this place. Their church school is larger than the year before and it seems necessary that increased accommodations be provided.

Sunday night, October 29, I spent with the Union church at Indianapolis, and as I spoke on "Preparation for the End," I was glad to see the earnest attention that was paid, not only by our own brethren and sisters, but also by the visitors who came in.

I believe that there are tokens of encouragement to be seen in all the places that I have visited. Some are more alive to the needs of the work than others, and some I was glad to see were taking hold actively in the Harvest Ingathering Campaign. Much still remains to be done. If every one would take hold and do his part, I confidently believe that Indiana can reach her goal and that we can do much for the advancement of the message. Pray for the work and for the workers, and that the power of God may rest upon us, and that a quick work may be done in finishing the work.

W. A. WESTWORTH

Beechwood Academy News Notes

The Sabbath of November 4, Professor Lamson spent with the Middletown church. During the past two months this church has given over ten dollars into the Students' Aid Fund. If half the churches in Indiana did this well by the young people, we would be able to have several other boys and girls in school who cannot be here now on account of lack of funds.

Misses Genevieve Lawson and Marguerite O'Conner accompanied Professor Lamson as far as Anderson, and Robert and James Keesling went all the way to Middletown with him.

Mrs. Martha Lecklider made a short call on her son James, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Hitchcock spent Sabbath with the Sturm Avenue church in Indianapolis.

Doctor and Mrs. Marsh, of Otter Lake, Mich., spent Sabbath with their daughter, Mrs. Hitchcock. They are on their way home from a trip through the South.

The statements for the second school month show a slight decrease, on the average, from those of the first month. The average total charge is \$20. This includes the tools which some of the boys in the carpentry class have bought through the school. The average labor credit is \$7.20. This is higher than last month on account of the extra work the boys have been doing in the corn fields. Subtracting the average labor from the average total, gives an average net charge of \$12.89. Last month this balance was \$14 and over. The average board was \$7.01.

October

| | Tithe | 2% | F. M. | | Tithe | 2% | F. M. |
|---------------------|--------|-------|--------|----------------------|---------|--------|---------|
| Akron | 64 45 | | 2 50 | Marion | 27 91 | | 12 13 |
| Anderson | 38 66 | 1 42 | 22 85 | Maxwell | 96 85 | 16 65 | 30 42 |
| Barbers Mill | 30 24 | 1 66 | | Michael | | | |
| Beechwood | 73 30 | 4 02 | 15 42 | Middletown | 56 62 | 63 | 27 16 |
| Boggs town | 154 22 | | 65 40 | Mt. Vernon | 26 44 | 1 80 | 14 08 |
| Connersville | | | | Mt. Zion | 6 71 | 94 | 11 21 |
| Elkhart | | | | Muncie | 93 24 | | 42 75 |
| Elora | 8 76 | 68 | 17 61 | New Marion | 5 00 | | 5 00 |
| Elwood | 7 01 | 1 12 | 16 87 | New Harmony | | | |
| Farmersburg | 19 85 | | 7 83 | New Hope | 57 95 | 3 69 | 2 38 |
| Fortville | 15 73 | 44 | 8 84 | Noblesville | 23 95 | 1 00 | 20 |
| Fort Wayne | 6 78 | 1 45 | 20 67 | N. Manchester | 21 50 | 3 59 | 9 91 |
| Grass Creek | | | | North Liberty | 8 34 | | 5 78 |
| Greenfield | | | | Northfield | 3 75 | | 6 70 |
| Hartford City | 78 16 | 3 46 | 54 35 | North Vernon | 3 46 | 18 | 5 56 |
| Honey Creek | 9 60 | | 10 16 | Oplitic | 4 32 | | 7 75 |
| Idaville | 15 85 | | 8 20 | Pleasant View | | | |
| Indianapolis | | | | Patrickburg | | | |
| East Side | 86 65 | 2 35 | 89 75 | Peru | 7 26 | | 2 15 |
| 23d Street | 248 79 | 11 68 | 212 16 | Richmond | 13 38 | | 15 45 |
| Colored | 34 59 | | 25 83 | Rochester | 30 18 | 92 | 36 70 |
| Union | 311 96 | 6 88 | 470 74 | Salem | 23 57 | 1 20 | 1 41 |
| Inwood | 6 00 | 60 | 4 50 | Seymour | | | |
| Jasonville | | | | South Bend | 168 62 | 4 18 | 57 79 |
| Jefferson | | | 22 51 | Soldiers' Home | 17 89 | | 5 36 |
| Jonesboro | 40 96 | | 3 75 | Sunman | 2 05 | | 4 25 |
| Kennard | | | | Terre Haute | 44 59 | | 24 91 |
| Kokomo | 37 69 | 1 85 | 13 09 | Unionville | 7 12 | | 2 02 |
| La Fayette | 2 00 | | 5 96 | Waldron | | | |
| Lebanon | | | | Wolcottville | | | |
| Linton | 7 15 | | 17 02 | Wolf Lake | 96 87 | 27 | 84 53 |
| Ligonier | 23 90 | | 6 51 | W. V. San | 91 09 | 4 47 | 163 09 |
| Logansport | 16 50 | 1 50 | 25 95 | Conference | 424 36 | 25 46 | 216 20 |
| | | | | Total | 2700 92 | 104 09 | 1943 36 |

Northern Illinois Conference

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President, J. H. Schilling

Blessing Out of Misfortune

There are lessons we must learn from life's experiences for the strengthening of our faith, and development of our character. These experiences are generally of a repugnant nature, yet after we have passed through them, we would not sell them at any price. Some such experiences came to us this past summer during our tent effort for the colored people of Chicago.

Three weeks after our meetings started and an excellent interest was on, a storm arose that wrecked our tent beyond repairs. We felt that the work should not be arrested permanently, nor the enemy be allowed to triumph at a time when there were such healthy signs of success. We therefore sought the Lord earnestly that He would turn the misfortune into a blessing. Arrangements were soon made whereby a new tent could be secured, and two weeks after the disaster it arrived. By the assistance of the brethren it was pitched after sunset the day after its arrival.

Many thought the cessation of the meetings for two weeks would kill the interest entirely; but on the Sunday evening that the meetings were again started the tent was almost full. The good interest which we had from the start kept up until the close of the meetings.

Out of the misfortune we gained a new and larger tent, and fifteen souls baptized on October 28, with one received on profession of faith, making a total of sixteen as a result of the effort so far.

The meetings are continued in a hall near where the tent was pitched. We thank God for His measureless blessings, feeling that we have only done a very small part of what ought to be done.

W. D. FORDE

News Notes

We received a nice order last week from one of our churches for three thousand Present Truth Series No. 23, entitled "What do these things mean?" This is a splendid number of this series to distribute just now.

The revised Home Workers' prospectuses were returned last week to those who had sent them in for revision. It is now called the Home Circle Library Prospectus and can be secured for fifty cents postpaid. Are there not others of our home workers who would like to take up this important work of the sale of our small books?

Now that the excitement of the election is over, we hope that all who have not done their share in the Harvest Ingathering work will improve these nice November days in meeting their friends and neighbors and telling them about the needs of our work in the fields abroad.

We were made sad recently to learn of the death of Brother C. P. Kellogg which occurred at his home at Elgin as the result of a stroke of apoplexy. He had many warm friends in this conference. Our deep sympathy goes out to those that mourn.

The Bloomington and Springfield churches have reached their goal in raising their apportionment in the Harvest Ingathering Campaign. We hope that by the close of November many of our other churches will have reached their goal in this good work.

North Michigan Conference

Office Address, 510 Petoskey St., Petoskey, Mich.
President, E. A. Bristol

Wanted—Help to Finish the Work

Do you know that during the general meeting last fall at Loma Linda, the leaders of this movement declared we had entered the loud cry of Revelation 18? Do you know that more than two years ago God, through His servant, sent out an appeal to the various churches of this denomination calling for the service of every member? And do you know that immediately afterwards the terrible war of Europe began?

I believe God has a purpose in allowing this calamity to befall the world. He wants to arouse us from the state of lethargy into which we have fallen, that we may be able to sense the duty we owe to fallen humanity. Paul's admonition is, "Owe no man anything." Jesus is calling for volunteers to help Him take the banner of Prince Emmanuel to the lost, and finish gathering out the 144,000. Our Captain said, "Enter the vineyard and I will pay what is right."

Below are the names of two faithful colporteurs who have answered the call, coming out from the Catholic Church, and who are doing a work for God, as the figures below clearly show. Brethren A. P. Friday and C. J. Mitchell worked 346 hours in the month of October and the Lord gave them 173 orders, valued at \$569.

God has many more people among the different denominations who would take an active part in searching for men if they were found and given the truth. My brother and sister, will you answer the call and help find the lost sheep of Israel? Jesus said, "I

must work the works of Him that sent Me while it is day; the night cometh when no man can work." John 9:4.

All who will heed the call of the hour, write immediately to 315 Fair Avenue, Alpena, Mich.

HUGH STEARNS

West Michigan Conference

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President, Wm. Guthrie

The Home Worker's Prospectus

Now is your time of opportunity. There is no better gift at holiday time than a good book. We have them. Mothers are searching for Christmas books which are not fiction to place in the hands of their children. Help supply this demand. Earn money and spread the message at the same time. Order prospectus immediately, only fifty cents.

A supply of each book is on hand at the conference office and those needed for your delivery can be shipped on short notice. Write today. Address 8 Pearl St., Grand Rapids, Mich.

LYLE SHEPARD, *Home Miss. Sec'y*

Sabbath School Report

The Sabbath schools in West Michigan have done well the part quarter and we are planning to do still better. Every school but one reported and that one begins with the letter "D."

From a membership of 2,975 there was given to missions \$3,034.97. Of this amount \$900.54 was given on the special fourteenth Sabbath, this being almost \$300 more than ever before received on the last Sabbath of any quarter. Shall we set our goal for \$1,000 for the next Thirteenth Sabbath, December 30?

The Ionia Sabbath school made a splendid record during the quarter, increasing its membership from ten to twenty, and its offerings from \$6.06 to \$27.44. Likewise other schools have grown and surprised themselves at what they accomplished. Every Sabbath school officer and teacher can expect progress as the result of faithfulness.

The Sabbath school financial goal is fifteen cents per member each week. The following list shows that fifteen schools have reached the old goal of ten cents per member while some have gone past it reaching the new goal.

| (S. School) | Per member | (S. School) | Per member |
|-------------|------------|-------------|------------|
| Bushnell | .11 | Pullman | .10 |
| Carson City | .10 | Portland | .16½ |
| Fremont | .12½ | Maple Grove | .11 |
| Holton | .12 | Kent City | .17 |
| Zeeland | .10 | Grandville | .20 |
| Union City | .10 | Grant | .11½ |
| Trufant | .10 | Glenwood | .10 |
| Sturgis | .16½ | | |

While we are anxious and zealous to have the offerings large let us remember that the main object of the Sabbath school is to lead every member to *know* Christ.

EDNA L. WALKER

It is faith in something and enthusiasm for something that makes a life worth looking at.—Holmes.

South Wisconsin Conference

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President, P. A. Hanson

Sheboygan

Last Sunday forenoon the church met on the shore of Lake Michigan to witness the baptism of three precious souls. Let us earnestly pray for them that they may be able to withstand the evil one. Others are deciding for this blessed truth. The members are all enjoying their experiences in the Harvest Ingathering.

LOUIS DREWS

Sabbath School Conventions

A Sabbath school convention will be held at the Star church, La Farge, Wis., Sabbath, November 11. The first meeting will be held Friday evening at seven-thirty. Three meetings will be held on Sabbath besides the Sabbath school which will be at 10 A. M. Elder Hanson and other conference workers will be present. All who possibly can attend should plan to be present. A special invitation is extended to the Sabbath schools of Readstown, Viola, Yuba, and all near-by isolated brethren.

On the 18th a convention will be held at the Oshkosh church on the corner of Forest and Elm Streets. Members of the Fond du Lac, Neenah, and Appleton Sabbath schools are expected to be present to assist in the convention. Any others who can come are invited. The first meeting will be the Sabbath school at ten o'clock. Come on time.

Interesting and important subjects pertaining to various phases of Sabbath school work will be considered in both conventions.

MAY BELL

News Items

Miss Frances Perham, the Conference stenographer, attended the wedding of Miss Emma Pflugradt and Mr. Frank Trowbridge, in Milwaukee October 31.

An initial meeting was held in the Fond du Lac Jail Sunday morning, Nov 5. Several members of the office force took charge and we are planning to make this a regular weekly feature. Considerable interest was manifested on the part of the prisoners in the gospel talk and singing, one taking part in the prayer. We are in hopes this effort will result in the salvation of some souls.

Bethel News Notes

Archie Parfitt has enrolled.

Esther Janke of Oxford entered school last week.

Esther Miller of Grand Rapids spent a few days with friends at the Academy.

Chas. McCrillis and Carl Wilson of Marshfield, were Sabbath callers at Bethel.

Mrs. G. F. Hilton of Sturgeon Bay made a ten-day visit with her daughter Muriel at the school home.

There is no excuse now for Bethel folk having too long sermons, or being late to service for the new clock tells the time.

Elder Berthelson spent Sabbath with the Marshfield church. The ladies of the church have provided new carpets and new registers for the furnace. These add-

ed to the improvements of a year ago make a pleasant church home.

The program given in the ladies' assembly room the evening after the Sabbath, was well attended. A pleasing program was rendered.

Elder and Mrs. P. A. Hansen, Professor and Mrs. Fattic and Mr. Belding, came to the school Monday, the thirty-first. The men went on for a three weeks' trip through the state in the interests of the Harvest Ingathering; the ladies spent the week visiting friends at the school.

The gift to the library of fifty-four new books by the Review and Herald is much appreciated.

Sunday evening the church school children gave an interesting Harvest Ingathering program. Mrs. Bertha Peake is the teacher.

South Wisconsin

Harvest Ingathering Report, Nov. 1, 1916

| | Mem. Working | No. Papers | Receipts |
|--------------------|--------------|------------|----------|
| Appleton | 12 | 119 | \$11 46 |
| Bethel | 9 | 172 | 7 72 |
| Berlin | 6 | 56 | 10 80 |
| Chippewa Falls | | | 11 50 |
| De Bello | 11 | 32 | 8 47 |
| Eau Claire | 16 | | 17 96 |
| Fish Creek | 11 | 10 | 2 25 |
| Fond du Lac | 23 | 87 | 84 95 |
| Grand Rapids | 1 | 5 | 7 50 |
| Hundred Mile Grove | 4 | 56 | 11 11 |
| Kenosha | 5 | 14 | 3 15 |
| Madison | 19 | 600 | 129 91 |
| Marshfield | 9 | 4 | 40 |
| Milton Junction | 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 | 5 05 |
| Wausau | 4 | 68 | 13 35 |
| Individual | 2 | | 5 00 |

We are glad to add one new one this week to the list of those reporting, namely, Wausau. Will not all our churches and isolated ones who are working with the papers send in reports of their work for the encouragement of others?

P. A. HANSON

East Michigan Conference

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

Some Are Working and Some Are Not

"Enlarge the place of thy tent, and let them stretch forth the curtains of thine habitations."

In our Harvest Ingathering campaign there are those who have worked very hard and God has blessed them in their effort to gather means for the mission work, and also they have received a great blessing in doing this work. There are those who have done nothing scarcely, and as the result have lost a great blessing and have gathered no means for the missionary work. Our comparative statement is small to what it was last year at this time. Up to date there has been \$1,295.69 gathered for 1915, and \$547.01 this year. What are we doing? The Lord says, "Enlarge the place of thy tent." Have we enlarged the place of our tent? Have we stretched forth the cords of our habitations, or

have we spared and have not yet gone out to do the work that has been given us to do at this time. This promise is to all—not to just a few, but to all who will enlarge the place of their tent and will stretch forth the place of their habitations and will lengthen their cords and strengthen their stakes, then will the light break forth on the right hand and on the left.

Our neighbors need to be warned at this time. They are looking for something terrible to happen. The signs are fast fulfilling and Jesus will soon appear. Can we say that we have been faithful to the work that God has given us to do at this time? or will we like the unfaithful servant say, "I have hidden my talent in the earth." The world is looking to this people for the message for the closing scenes of this world's history.

I know that we have all been very busy. We have improved this good weather to gather in our crops, but, brethren and sisters, shall we neglect the work of God for our own work? I know that we are planning to take this work up more fully in the future, and we are looking forth in faith believing that our brethren will come to the help of the cause of God at this time. We are trusting that you will do your best, and that you will take this work up and push it on to the final consummation of all things. May God's blessing attend you all that your efforts may be crowned with success—not only in gathering means, but that you may see many souls gathered into the kingdom of God as a result of the effort you have put forth in the Harvest Ingathering.

O. M. KITTLE

Flint Missionary Volunteers at Work

It was only a temperance program by the young people of Flint; but God had blessed in the plans and in the work and all were grateful in the success He gave.

Only two weeks before the night of the meeting, Sunday, November 5, the society had appointed a committee to prepare the program. Its members had such minds to work that the shortness of time had no discouraging effects. Although the church is in process of repair, several willing hands, some of the few remaining autumn leaves, and the posters that could be secured, made the little place of worship truly inviting.

Miss Carmichael, our conference secretary, was with us and gave the introductory number of the program, stating the purpose of the effort and explaining the Seventh-day Adventist conception of temperance. Two recitations, two speeches, and a "prohibition cheer," made up the other literary parts of the program.

After the benediction the juniors sold the Temperance *Instructor* to the congregation.

It is the sincere prayer of all in the society that this humble effort may do its appointed work in the cause of temperance.

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Field Report

Recently while out in the field I visited the believers at Shelbyville. The church at this place is not large,

there being only twelve resident members. There are a number of children and youth, however, that we hope to see join the church as they get ready for membership. The members had been out in the Harvest Ingathering work, and while no large amount was received by anyone, yet in total nearly as much has been received as last year. They are still working in the campaign and ought to go beyond the amount realized last year.

En route to Kingman from Shelbyville, a visit was made to one of our isolated members at Tower Hill. This sister accepted the truth many years ago under the labors of Elder Fred Wheeler. Although alone in the faith all these years yet she still has the love of the truth in her heart and cherishes the hope of a soon-coming Saviour to redeem His own unto Himself. Let us often remember the isolated in prayer, and how it would encourage them to receive a letter from some one who too is rejoicing in the blessed hope. Why not sit down and write a letter to some isolated member you are acquainted with? "There are lonely hearts to cherish, while the days are going by; There are weary souls who perish while the days are going by; If a smile we can renew, as our journey we pursue,—O, the good we all may do, while the days are going by!"

Journeying on, Kingman was reached where I found our brethren with a rig to take us to the church elder's home. Brother J. W. Mace joined me here and together we held several meetings Sabbath and Sunday in the interest of the home missionary work. Several personal visits were made and we counseled and prayed together for God's blessing on the church and members of the different families. The evening services were held in the interest of the public, and a lively interest was manifested by a good attendance each evening. As Brother Mace took up the different lines of work the members could do, much enthusiasm was shown. Several "World's Crisis" and Home Circle Prospectuses were sold which indicates that the members intend to get busy in selling small books this fall and winter. Other supplies were also ordered including some subscriptions taken for our periodicals. Members from a few of the near-by churches attended the meetings and received the benefit of the instruction given. All together we feel it was a profitable gathering and in the future we shall look for good reports from the churches represented at the meetings, along home missionary lines.

E. F. PETERSON

West Frankfort

Knowing the interest with which the readers of the LAKE UNION HERALD follow the progress of the work and the whereabouts of the workers in the field, I am writing this report. As previously reported I, in company with Elder C. W. Curtis, opened meetings in West Frankfort, September 10.

From the very beginning the interest and attendance were small, and the enemy had many other attractions for the people. Yet we found a few who had for years been feeling that there was more light for them than they had been able to get from the preaching in the popular churches, and when the truth was presented with a clear "Thus saith the Lord" as its foundation, they gladly accepted it.

The meetings closed Sunday night, October 29. But Brother Curtis, who has located his family at Centralia, will continue to strengthen and develop the interest in those who have started, as well as to look after others who are hopeful subjects.

During the time spent at West Frankfort we were able to get out some in the interest of the Harvest Ingathering. I have just about reached my goal, and expect to go beyond it. I have truly enjoyed this work this year, and am confident our people are going to this year far exceed the amount of other years.

As some of the brethren and sisters in the conference know, I have responded to the request of West Michigan to labor in that field, and at this writing I am at Berrien Springs on my way to my location at Greenville.

I enjoyed my work in Southern Illinois, and while I labor in other fields will never forget the cause and the brethren and sisters who so kindly received me and loyally cooperated with me in my work in the conference.

R. J. NETHERY

Canvassers' Report for Week Ending November 3, 1916

| Southern Illinois | | | | | | | |
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| Canvasser | Book | Hrs | Ords | Value | Helps | Total | Dei |
| W. B. Maris..... | BR | 34 | 10 | 31 00 | 2 25 | 33 25 | 14 50 |
| G. W. Kimberlin..... | BR | 44 | 12 | 39 00 | | 39 00 | |
| A. P. Lager..... | BR | 46 | 17 | 53 00 | 3 75 | 56 75 | |
| Edward Drury..... | BR | 40 | 14 | 44 00 | 2 25 | 46 25 | |
| Katherine Drury..... | BR | 38 | 39 | 121 00 | 9 00 | 130 00 | |
| C. W. Saunders..... | BR | 7 | | | | | 52 00 |
| S. E. Teas..... | BR | 25 | 12 | 18 00 | 2 25 | 20 25 | |
| R. J. Watson..... | BR | 39 | 21 | 64 00 | 75 | 64 75 | |
| Jerry Suda..... | BR | 47 | 27 | 85 00 | 6 00 | 91 00 | |
| A. D. Kaufman..... | BR | 10 | | | 50 | 50 | 22 00 |
| *P. R. March..... | BR | 42 | 14 | 44 00 | 1 00 | 45 00 | |
| | | 372 | 166 | 499 00 | 27 75 | 526 75 | 88 50 |
| East Michigan | | | | | | | |
| *Alphonso Ford..... | Arm | 80 | | 30 05 | 7 50 | 37 55 | |
| C. R. Lawrence..... | BR | 26 | 12 | 39 00 | | 39 00 | |
| Chas. E. Felton..... | BR | 15 | 1 | 4 00 | | 4 00 | |
| Jennie Peavey..... | CK | 17 | 3 | 4 50 | 1 00 | 5 50 | 3 00 |
| N. Radosvlyeevick..... | WCS | 27 | | 5 50 | | 5 50 | 51 25 |
| Theresa Warnemunde..... | HM | 30 | 7 | 14 00 | 2 50 | 16 50 | |
| | | 195 | 97 | 97 05 | 11 00 | 108 05 | 54 25 |
| Indiana | | | | | | | |
| C. F. Colton..... | BR | 43 | 21 | 64 00 | 1 75 | 65 75 | 267 00 |
| Ethel Haven..... | BR | 37 | 9 | 27 00 | 4 75 | 31 75 | |
| C. C. King..... | BR | 45 | 10 | 30 00 | | 30 00 | |
| Henry Larimer..... | BR | 24 | 4 | 12 00 | 1 00 | 13 00 | 36 00 |
| W. H. Plake..... | BR | 23 | 5 | 16 00 | 1 50 | 17 50 | 86 00 |
| Fred Possman..... | BR | 22 | 10 | 30 00 | | 30 00 | |
| Lewis E. Vance..... | BR | 43 | 22 | 69 00 | | 69 00 | |
| W. B. Ware..... | BR | 37 | 7 | 21 00 | 3 00 | 24 00 | |
| | | 274 | 83 | 269 00 | 12 00 | 281 00 | 389 00 |
| Northern Illinois | | | | | | | |
| A. M. Tatton..... | BR | 35 | 12 | 41 00 | 6 00 | 47 00 | |
| D. J. Graham..... | BR | 38 | 8 | 30 00 | | 30 00 | |
| J. Gillespie..... | BR | 22 | 8 | 27 00 | 1 50 | 28 50 | |
| E. A. Rideout..... | GC | 30 | 6 | 15 00 | 15 00 | 30 00 | 4 25 |
| Will J. Harris..... | GC | 45 | 26 | 83 00 | 1 75 | 84 75 | |
| | | 170 | 50 | 196 00 | 24 25 | 220 25 | 4 25 |
| South Wisconsin | | | | | | | |
| Ferd. Passer..... | GC | 39 | 15 | 51 00 | 4 25 | 55 25 | |
| Mrs. E. M. Bisbee..... | BR | 42 | 7 | 22 00 | 6 00 | 28 00 | 1 50 |
| Emelia Roberson..... | GC | 23 | 4 | 12 00 | 6 75 | 18 75 | |
| H. F. Bernitt..... | BR | 39 | 8 | 26 00 | 6 00 | 32 00 | 75 |
| | | 143 | 34 | 111 00 | 23 00 | 134 00 | 2 25 |
| North Michigan | | | | | | | |
| C. Jack Mitchell..... | BR | 44 | 21 | 69 00 | | 69 00 | |
| Mrs. Geo. Grahl..... | H. C. L. | 4 | 8 | 4 25 | | 4 25 | |
| | | 48 | 29 | 73 25 | | 73 25 | |
| North Wisconsin | | | | | | | |
| Elmer Erickson..... | GC | 39 | 9 | 27 00 | 5 00 | 32 00 | |
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Mrs. Lou Kirby Curtis

Editor

Sabbath, November 18

This date has been set apart as the time when the annual offering for the work among the Negro people shall be taken in all our churches, and we desire to avail ourselves of this last opportunity we shall have through the columns of the HERALD to present an appeal for a liberal offering. Articles written by officers of the Division Conference have already appeared in previous numbers of this paper as well as in the *Review and Herald*, in which it has been made very plain that never have the needs been so great among these people in our land. A good work has already been done, and now is the opportune time for a still greater campaign for the giving of the message in the southern states. We trust that no church will overlook this special offering which is to be taken November 18, and that as a result we may include in our next remittance to the Division Conference treasurer a very generous sum for the work of the Negro department.

A. N. ANDERSON

Notice

Emmanuel Missionary College Catalogs Wanted

The demand for College catalogs has been so great this year that we have very nearly exhausted our supply and should have at least one hundred more to take us through the school year. If any of our friends have College catalogs, even if somewhat soiled, that can be spared we will appreciate it very much if you will send them to us, postpaid. We will be pleased to reimburse you for the necessary postage. Send all catalogs to O. J. Graf, Berrien Springs, Mich.

College

Misses Ella Clark and Olive Shadel of the Grand Rapids conference office, and Misses Lulu Sellers and Margaret Morse of Battle Creek were visitors last week.

At present the enrollment is 262. This time last year it was 234.

Out of twenty-eight boys and nineteen girls who canvassed last summer, nineteen boys and fourteen girls earned scholarships.

Prof. C. S. Longacre was at the College, November 4. The most of his speech was on Religious Liberty. He told us many instances which show beyond doubt that God is working on the hearts of the great men of

our nation, to bring them to the knowledge of this truth and that He is causing them to defend the truth, sometimes even against their own will.

The state of Michigan has gone dry, therefore we had a very enthusiastic program in chapel November 8.

On the evening of November 9, Miss Elizabeth Lennox, the College voice teacher, gave an excellent recital.

The Harvest Ingathering goal for the College this year was \$500. By October 24 the church treasurer had received \$533.96. We are certainly thankful for the Lord's blessing in the campaign.

We were recently favored by a visit from Dr. P. T. Magan who was connected with this school before and after it was moved to Berrien Springs. We listened with intense interest while he told us of the growth of our school and the educational work of our denomination. Their faith in God and implicit trust in the spirit of prophecy caused them to forge ahead in spite of opposition.

Now we see the truth of God's word vindicated and our educational work prospering. Dr. Magan said that, "Not even Rome itself has as perfect a system of schools as we have." He also stated that our medical work would be a success only when we fully follow the Lord's direction in this line. After one of his speeches Professor Haughey said, "It does do me good to hear a man talk when he believes what he says."

A Request

My father, Elder R. C. Horton, met with a serious accident Friday, November 3, by a large auto crashing into his rig throwing him from the buggy on to the hard brick pavement.

An electric storm was raging at the same time and as he saw lightning and heard the thunder he thought he was struck and knew nothing more until he found himself at the Brunson Hospital, with his arms and limbs paralyzed. He most earnestly requests the prayers of all the brethren for his speedy recovery.

MRS. HATTIE BENTON

Get a copy of the December number of the *Signs Magazine*, now ready, and see why the *Signs* is popular with so many. Then tell your tract society secretary how many you want for your neighbors.

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WANTED.—Men for the woods. Will need about ten good men—sawyers, swampers, and cant hook men. Will pay \$35 to \$40 per month and board. Sabbath privileges. Write or come to LaMont Boyer, Pelican, Wis.

FOR SALE.—Well equipped Sanitarium Treatment Rooms for ladies and men. Doing a good business, in rapidly growing city. Price very reasonable. Good proposition for anyone but especially desirable for man and wife, nurses. Hydropathic Treatment Rooms, Lansing, Mich.

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