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

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When Christ Shall Appear

How long shall I look for the Saviour
From morn till the day groweth late?
How many more times in the twilight
Shall I pray, and His coming await?
Oh, I long to exchange time's brief season
For eternity's glory crowned years,
And I look and I love for that reason
The hour when Christ shall appear.

How soon shall I meet with responses
From lips that grew dearer with years,
That failed in the midst of life's journey,
And were buried with sadness and tears?
How soon shall I clasp the dear fingers,—
The hand that each clasping endears?
Nor for aye will time's sad season linger,
For Christ will in heaven appear.

The trumpet of God wakes to beauty
Our loved from earth's populous loam,
Their earth lives were faithful to duty,
Now angels will welcome them home.
I rejoice that the signs are fulfilling,
And I say with delight, "He is near."
All His servants obedient and willing
Will be ransomed when Christ shall appear.

L. D. SANTEE

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The New Year

The year 1916 is in the past, and before us stretches the golden opportunities and duties of 1917. While the record for the past year is made and we cannot recall one single moment, let us enter upon the new year hopefully, and go forward with faith in God, and the new year will bring us all that is beautiful and blessed.

Just let us pause and review our course during the year gone by. The divine standard we set out to attain has not been reached, and our backslidings and discouragements have almost left us in hopeless despair. Then comes the comforting reminder, "I will never leave thee," and our hearts are cheered, while

we take up the daily burdens, and determinedly set out to live this year for Christ.

We try to think wherein we have gone amiss. God has been merciful, and granted us unnumbered blessings. What have we done for Him in return?

"Let us each bring our souls to task. Let us see if we have brought all our offerings to God. I would do this for myself as an individual. It may be that I have been remiss during the past year. I know not when or where, but to make sure that I have done my whole duty, I will at the first of the year bring an offering to God to be appropriated as may seem best, to some one of the branches of His work. If any of you, my brethren and sisters, are convicted that you have failed to render to God the things that are His; if you have not kindly considered the wants of the poor; or if you have withheld from any man his due, I entreat you to repent before the Lord, and to restore fourfold. Strict honesty toward God and men will alone meet the divine requirements."

The new year lies before us. The pages are white, and to us the opportunity is still extended to fill them with Christlike deeds. We must remember some of the duties of the old year will confront us again in the new, but we know He is willing, even anxious to give us the strength we need.

Science and invention is unfolding to mankind new scenes continually, changing views and conditions of this life. The great struggle of mankind should be to come into fellowship with God, who is the same yesterday, today, and forever. The thought of a never changing God, shaping all that is contingent and changing in our changeful lives, dissipates the darkness and illumines life with the clear light of an eternal day.

We must go forward out of the known and familiar into the unknown and unfamiliar. Great changes and reverses may befall us in the coming year, but as has been said, "Today's wealth may be tomorrow's poverty; today's health may be tomorrow's sickness; today's happy companionship of love, tomorrow's aching solitude of heart, but today's God will be tomorrow's God, and today's Christ will be tomorrow's Christ."

My prayer is that this year may bring to one and all, a deeper, more earnest desire to do His will, and He will give us greater blessings and joys, and best of all, His peace.

E. A. BRISTOL

Colporteurs' News Notes

Nearly all the canvassers were delivering last week. Some of them delivered every order. Approximately 11,920 pages of good Christian literature went into North Michigan homes, and eternity will reveal the results.

Brother A. P. Friday worked 1,680 hours during the year and the Lord gave him 390 orders valued at

"I called at a home yesterday. The woman said, 'We don't want any more books. We have a book that tells us all about the Bible. I can go to that and find anything I want.' It was 'Bible Readings.' When I told her I had the same book she said, 'It is a good book. I read it more than any other book I have.'"—G. W. Kimberlin.

"It gives me pleasure to know that I am entering a God-given work. I am just beginning to see the great need of colporteurs, and my earnest prayer is that God will trouble other hearts till we see twenty where we now see one in this glorious work."—O. A. Morse.

News Notes

A church with twelve members was organized at Centralia, December 26, and a full corps of officers elected.

Miss Mary B. Craig at Decatur reports three more of her readers have begun to keep the Sabbath, and attend church services.

The annual colporteurs' institute has been in session since January 5, and will continue to January 15. We trust this institute will give a new impetus to the canvassing work the coming year. Let us remember the faithful colporteur in our prayers.

Elder E. F. Peterson visited the East Alton church over Sabbath, January 6.

One of the new converts at Witt is very active in selling and distributing our truth filled literature. If you have left that first love for the truth "repent and do the first works" by engaging in more active missionary endeavor.

Have you secured your Morning Watch Calendar for 1917? If not, send your order to the Tract Society, the price is five cents each.

Indiana Conference

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

Week of Prayer Report

December 7 Mrs. Allen and I arrived in South Bend from Ontario, Canada, where we have been laboring for the past eight years. At the request of the conference president we visited the churches at South Bend, Elkhart, and North Liberty during the week of prayer. The South Bend members met each evening in a hall. There was a good attendance. They seem to be a live company, enjoying the Lord's blessing.

The Elkhart members met in the homes of the different members each evening. Here there was a good attendance.

At North Liberty they have a nice church building which was erected about fifty years ago. The company is small but they are of good courage. We held a Friday night and Sabbath meeting with them.

We then returned to South Bend, and by request visited Laporte. We met one sister there who has been keeping the Sabbath for over twenty years. She is the only member as far as she knows in that city.

From there we went to Michigan City where we secured a comfortable room and started out to see if we could locate any of our people. We remained there two days and found eight or nine people who

believe this truth, and all of them were at one time Sabbath-keepers. A tent effort was held there seven or eight years ago, and a small company organized, but they have not had a meeting on the Sabbath for about five years. One or two are still faithful, and they are hoping a worker may be sent there to revive the work. The husband of one of our sisters died while we were in Michigan City. Although he never fully obeyed, he believed our truth.

From there we came to Elkhart, and at the request of the conference we are located in this progressive city. We shall begin public meetings on Sunday night, January 7. We have secured a beautiful hall on the main street.

We are not strangers in the United States. We spent twenty years in business between Minnesota and California, and now we return to work for the Master in winning souls for His kingdom.

M. J. ALLEN

124 Garfield Ave., Elkhart, Ind.

Wolcott Home School

Out on the prairie where the winds whistle and the mercury goes away down, I am teaching a home school of four students, and three grades. I have plenty of variety this year, as I teach everything from sewing cards to general history. I found it a little hard at first, as I was unfamiliar with such close association with strangers, but now we are like one great big family.

The trustee of the township was very kind and gave us all the equipment we needed for our school-room. The county superintendent visited us the first day of school, and I received him with a quaking heart and gave him the best speech I knew how to make.

We met with a splendid reception from the neighbors when we went out in the Harvest Ingathering campaign. I trust that the school may be an opportunity to tell others of this message. We have collected \$11.80 on Harvest Ingathering Fund.

Even though I tramp half a mile to the mail box and back again through the snow, still I would be very grateful for a letter from my old friends.

LETHA LE FEVRE.

Harvest Ingathering

I distributed fifteen papers, ten English and five German. I received \$2.75 for the English papers. The Germans did not feel inclined to give.

Franklin Grove, Ind.,

DANIEL E. MINOR

Beechwood Academy News Notes

During the Christmas vacation the kitchen floor was painted, thus improving the appearance of the room considerably.

Miss Mina Amundsen, the graduate nurse who is taking special classes at Beechwood, was called to her home in Broton, Minn., by the serious illness of her aged father. Later word reports a decided improvement in the father's condition, and Miss Amundsen plans to return in time to teach the class in hydrotherapy.

Professor Lamson was called, last Monday, to Maxwell to preach the funeral sermon of Raymond Potts, brother of one of our students, Burt Potts.

Mr. Hitchcock made a short trip into Michigan to visit his parents at Muskegon, and stopping at Berrien Springs on the way back brought his brother-in-law, Mr. Charles Marsh, down to Beechwood for a visit of two or three days.

Professor and Mrs. Lamson celebrated their 24th wedding anniversary, December 28, 1916, by an automobile trip to Indianapolis.

One of the very first men to make a donation for Beechwood Academy recently signified his willingness to be one of a hundred men who would pledge themselves to give \$10 a year to the support of the Students' Aid Fund of Beechwood Academy. The idea is a good one. Such a plan would put a thousand dollars a year in the hands of the school for use in helping the worthy poor students of Indiana to gain a Christian education. We are wondering if Indiana will not produce the other ninety-nine men.

The teachers at the school wish to take this opportunity of expressing to the brethren and sisters a wish and prayer that 1917 may be to them a year of greater blessings, greater prosperity, greater happiness, and last, but not least, for it includes all of these first things, a closer walk with God.

North Wisconsin Conference

Office Address, Room 5, Ashland National Bank Building, Ashland, Wis.
President, J. J. Irwin

A Hopeful Outlook

Another year has come to us bringing its many possibilities. Doubtless many of us would be glad if we could know before hand what would transpire during its hours, but this is impossible, and doubtless it is well for us that we cannot know. There are many possibilities in store for us here in the North Wisconsin Conference, and I hope and pray that the coming year may be one that will result in many souls being brought to the Master. In many ways this is brought forcibly to our attention, and one way in which we can think of it more fully is for each one to adopt this aim,—"One soul or more brought to the Master this year as a result of my efforts." The past year has been one of progress in this new field. The amount of business done by the tract society has been very encouraging to Brother Johnson. The volume of business is steadily increasing, which speaks well for the efforts that our people are putting forth. It has taken some time for us to get adjusted to our new conditions, but I believe that we are all in good working order and this year will bring decided results.

We wish to thank all who have taken part in the work in the past, and we also wish to pledge ourselves to renewed consecration to the Lord.

It is too early to report what the mission funds were for the year, but I hope soon to be able to report. Now we should begin to plan for this year, and it would be a grand, good thing for us to have the funds so well in hand that by the end of the year we can

come out with our twenty-cents-a-week and have a surplus. Let us all pray and work earnestly that God's cause may be advanced in this field. J. J. IRWIN

News Notes

The institute for the church school teachers will be held at Walderly Academy, January 11-14. All the church school teachers are expected to attend. Professor Russell will be with us during the entire time.

Brother T. S. Copeland is glad to see the Sabbath school reports coming in so rapidly. He hopes to have them all in by the close of this week. The Washburn Sabbath school is the first one to send in a report.

Loren C. Shepard has been visiting his relatives in Michigan, and has just returned to the office. He reports an enjoyable trip.

Brother Claude Morris has just completed his fourth 100 per cent delivery of "Bible Readings."

Miss Beulah Johns expects to commence work with "Bible Readings" in the city of Menomonie, Wis.

Walderly Academy Notes

Miss Marian Engelbert is visiting her brother Guy for a few days. Miss Engelbert is a teacher in Wisconsin.

Simon Lyberg returned with his brother Ole at the close of his vacation to take up school work at the academy.

The new bookshelves and reading rack with their array of new books and papers, give quite an inviting, library air to the rear of the chapel.

Extra radiators have been placed in the school building, thus doubling the heating surface and adding greatly to the comfort of the rooms.

J. M. Colburn of Paw Paw, Mich., has rented the Habenicht farm, and will send his children to school.

Miss Edith Colburn, formerly a teacher in West Michigan, is assisting in the office work and taking classes.

We have been greatly favored the past three weeks with visits from Elders Irwin, Edwardson, and Mr. Copeland.

At a recent business meeting, Professor Von Pohle was elected elder of the Walderly church.

Mrs. Colburn's mother, Mrs. Field, is leaving to spend the winter with her daughter in Marion, Ill.

Miss Adams was agreeably surprised by a call from her father recently.

Prof. E. C. Blue of Union College, a friend of Prof. Von Pohle and Mr. Vollmer, was a recent visitor.

New stoves have been ordered for the girls' dormitory. We are also putting storm doors and windows on some of our doors and windows.

Now is a good time to enter school as new classes are to be formed in bookkeeping, botany, and agriculture. There are other classes which can be entered to advantage at this time, also. A strong course in Bible prophecy and Spirit of prophecy is now starting.

Phones have been bought to connect the main buildings on the farm, thereby enabling us to economize in both time and energy.

The North Wisconsin teacher's institute will be held

at Walderly, January 11-14. We are anticipating a pleasant and profitable occasion.

The holiday vacation was put to good use by both teachers and students at the academy. We were able to finish the boys' assembly room, besides the general work. We also enjoyed a few pleasant evenings together in the dormitories.

H. M. COLBURN

West Michigan Conference

Office Address, 8 Pearl Street, Grand Rapids, Mich.
President, Wm. Guthrie

Kalamazoo

The year 1916 did not present all the results we had hoped for in the way of accessions to our ranks, though a large number are in the valley of decision. One thing, however, is encouraging—our people here have taken a new hold, as it were, and propose by a renewal of individual consecration to make 1917 count as no previous year has. We have met our goal for missions, and have a record account in tithes.

S. B. HORTON

East Michigan Conference

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

Colored Work

Detroit, Mich., Second Church is located at 921 Hastings Street. The membership of the church has grown from forty to fifty-two. Four have been received by letter.

We have a live Sabbath school and Young People's Society. In the Sabbath school more than fifteen cents of the twenty-cents-per-member-per-week was raised for missions.

Our church school of sixteen pupils is doing good work under our competent teacher, Mrs. Ida A. Parker-Ford. But we are still greatly in need of a building of our own, which we hope to have before the close of 1917.

Our financial showing for the past year is as follows: Tithes, \$1,085.05; Church expenses, \$259.94; Harvest Ingathering, \$194.75; Sabbath school, \$189.72; all other offerings, \$171.21; total \$1,898.67. Per capita, tithe, \$27; Harvest Ingathering, \$4.86; to missions per week, 32 cents; total, \$47.71.

Sister Bush, our Bible worker (until recently), the writer, and the members have extended the call of salvation to many, but only a few have responded. "Many are called but few are chosen." We are pressing on toward the "mark of the high calling of God."

W. H. GREEN

Workers for Christ are never to think much less speak of failure in their work.—*Vol. VI, p. 467.*

Health Reform

Health reform is to do among our people a work which it has not yet done. There are those who ought to be awake to the danger of meat eating, who are still eating the flesh of animals, thus endangering the

physical, mental, and spiritual health. *Many who are now only half converted on the question of meat eating will go from God's people to walk no more with them.*

Ministers should be strictly temperate in their eating and drinking, lest they make crooked paths for their feet, turning the lame—those weak in the faith—out of the way. If while proclaiming the most solemn and important message God has ever given, men war against the truth by indulging wrong habits of eating and drinking, they take all the force from the message they bear. . . . The failure to follow sound principles has marred the history of God's people. There has been a continual backsliding in health reform, and as a result God is dishonored by a great lack of spirituality. Barriers have been erected which would never have been seen had God's people walked in the light.—*Mrs. E. G. White in Review and Herald, May 27, 1902.*

When you get into a tight place and everything goes against you till it seems as though you could not hold on a minute longer, never give up then, for that's just the place and time that the tide will turn.—*Harriet Beecher Stowe*

Obituaries

PITCAIRN.—John Pitcairn was born in Scotland in the year 1838, and died in Joliet, Dec. 5, 1916, aged 78 years. Mr. Pitcairn was a believer in the Saviour and found comfort in the Scriptures. The writer visited him many times and believes that he will have a place in the kingdom of heaven. He is survived by two sons, one daughter, one brother, and a sister. Words of comfort were spoken by the undersigned.

E. R. LAUDA

HILL.—Miss Abigail R. Ferris was born in Monroe Co., Conn., July 5, 1838. She was married to George Curtiss Hill, April 18, 1857, and with him came to Wisconsin, residing for the past forty years at Eau Claire, and where she died Dec. 6, 1916, aged 78 years and 5 months. Her husband preceded her in death about four months. Six of the eight boys born to this union survive. Mrs. Hill was favorable to the truths held by Seventh-day Adventists and was keeping the Sabbath at the time of her death. Her friends mourn in hope.

P. A. HANSON

REED.—James C. Reed, one of the early pioneers of Reed City, was born in New Castle, Canada, Jan. 26, 1840. In 1866, he came to Reed City, Mich., then known as Todd's Slashing, before there were any buildings, and has spent all his life in that vicinity. Dec. 21, 1870, he was married to Miss Almena Evans. To this union three children were born. He gave his heart to the Lord in early life. About twenty-three years ago, he united with the Seventh-day Adventist Church. Brother Reed was a firm believer in the second coming of Christ, and died Dec. 21, 1916, in the full hope of the first resurrection. He leaves to mourn their loss, his companion, three children, a sister, and one brother. Words of comfort were spoken by the writer.

E. A. BRISTOL

KOPITZKE.—Edna May Kopitzke was born May 30, 1913 near Underhill, Wis., and died Dec. 21, 1916, aged 3 years, 6 months, and 22 days. Father, mother, three brothers, and five sisters mourn their loss, but we laid her to rest in the bright hope of seeing her again in the morning of the resurrection.

E. F. FERRIS

MERRITT.—Mrs. Carrie Merritt was born in Iowa, Dec. 7, 1859, and died Oct. 27, 1916, at Champaign, where she lived

for the past nine years. Her husband preceeded her in death twenty-three years. She leaves to morn their loss two sons and two daughters. She joined the Seventh-day Adventist Church about twenty years ago and constantly tried to live a faithful Christian life. Funeral services were conducted by the writer.

P. C. HANSON

Business Notices

WANTED.—Location preferred among Seventh-day Adventists for a family where a furnished farm can be rented, or work for two men can be had by the day or month. Robt. Turner, Graysville, Tenn.

WANTED AT ONCE.—Graduate lady nurse for duty in fifteen-bed sanitarium-hospital. Pleasant variety of work, including considerable surgery. State age, school, experience, health, and salary expected. Permanent employment for right person. La Grange Sanitarium and Hospital, La Grange, Ill.

BASKETS FOR SALE.—Men desirous of working on good commission will do well to correspond with the Berrien Springs Basket Co. M. D. Henise, Mgr., Berrien Springs, Mich.

NEW HONEY.—Clover, best grade, cheap as sugar; 1 gallon by parcel post, 1st and 2d zones, \$1.70; 1 case, 2-cans (120 lbs.), \$12; 1 case, 10 one-gallon cans, \$13.20. Several persons may unite and obtain lowest prices, in case lots, by freight. Address J. H. Haughey, Berrien Springs, Mich.

NURSERY STOCK.—Send for our new and descriptive catalog of hardy northern grown nursery stock. A large stock of Asparagus and Rhubarb plants for spring planting, one and two years old. Our Strawberry plants were never better. Fountain Valley Nursery, Box 80, Poy Sippi, Wis.

Canvasser's Report for Week Ending

December 29, 1916

Southern Illinois

Canvasser	Book	Hrs	Ords	Value	Helps	Total	Del
O. A. Morse	BR	35	15	52 50	75	53 75	
C. W. Saunders	BR	45	4	12 00		12 00	12 75
P. R. March	BR	18	6	18 00	3 00	21 00	
A. P. Lager	BR	31	11	36 00	3 00	39 00	75
W. B. Maris	BR	19	1	24 00	1 50	25 50	19 50
G. W. Kimberlin	BR	21	7	26 00		26 00	
R. J. Watson	BR	23	13	40 00	5 25	45 25	
A. D. Kaufman	BR	26	3	11 00	1 75	12 75	6 75
Jerry Suda	BR	25	160 20
		242	67	219 50	15 25	234 75	199 95

Indiana

M. G. Bish	BR	15	4	6 00		6 00	
C. F. Colton	BR	36					229 87
M. S. Grimm	BR	18	1	3 50		3 50	57 00
C. C. King	BR	19	1	3 00		3 00	90 20
L. Passer	BR	6	3	10 00		10 00	
Fred Possman	BR	37					275 25
W. H. Plake	BR	38	4	14 00	2 25	16 25	143 00
W. B. Ware	BR	40	1	3 00	75	3 75	152 75
		209	14	39 50	3 09	42 50	948 07

West Michigan

H. Kent Nelson	HM	9					44 00
R. Boothby	BR	32	2	2 25		2 25	8 25
John Kidder	PG	49	8	24 00	4 00	28 00	59 50
C. M. Joslin	PG	21	3	10 00		10 00	13 00
		111	13	36 25	4 00	40 25	124 75

Northern Illinois

D. R. Devereaux	BR	16					132 20
*E. A. Rideout	GC	44	2	6 00	6 25	12 25	118 00
D. J. Graham	BR	21	10	38 00		38 00	8 00
		81	12	44 00	6 25	50 25	258 20

East Michigan

Jennie Peavey	CK	1			50	50	
Nitya Radosavlevich	Arm	19	39	9 75	6 10	15 85	
		20	39	9 75	6 60	16 35	

*Two weeks

26 Agents	663	145	349 00	35 10	384 10	1530 97	
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Canvassers' Report for Week Ending

December 22, 1916

[Crowded out of Canvassers' Special.]

*Southern Illinois

Canvasser	Book	Hrs	Ords	Value	Helps	Total	Del.
Edward Drury	BR	30	6	19 00	75	19 75	59 25
Katherine Drury	BR	31	6	19 00	4 50	23 50	168 25
R. O. Dickson	BR	22	2	7 00	3 00	10 00	18 00
A. D. Kaufman	BR	29	2	7 00		7 00	47 00
G. W. Kimberlin	BR	80	18	57 00		57 00	
A. P. Lager	BR	76	24	79 00	8 25	87 25	122 50
W. B. Maris	BR	53	15	47 00	5 25	52 25	70 00
O. A. Morse	BR	53	3	9 00	75	9 75	110 50
P. R. March	BR	59	26	78 00	6 50	84 50	24 00
S. E. Teas	BF						16 50
R. J. Watson	BR	78	28	86 00	5 25	91 25	141 25
J. L. Wilson	BR						236 00
J. F. Saunders	BR	14	3	9 00		9 00	
Jerry Suda	BR	36	12	36 00	4 45	40 45	
C. W. Saunders	BR	28	2	6 00	2 25	8 25	
Cecil McMurry	BR	35	1	4 00		4 00	
L. P. Crabtree	BR	18					90 75
		642	148	463 00	40 95	503 95	1104 00

Indiana

M. G. Bish	BR	24	11	34 00		34 00	
C. F. Colton	BR	36					201 00
Bertha Davis	BF	5					8 50
M. S. Grimm	BR	25	3	10 50		10 50	
Fred Possman	BR	10	3	9 00		9 00	
W. H. Plake	BR	57	16	53 00	5 25	58 25	
J. Klose	BR	12					101 00
Ethel Haven	BR	17					238 45
W. B. Ware	BR	30	10	31 00		31 00	9 00
Lewis E. Vance	BR	20					162 00
C. C. King	BR	43					200 00
		279	43	137 50	5 25	142 75	919 95

*East Michigan

Chas. E. Felton	BR		3	9 00		9 00	
E. V. Sykes	BR	49	21	77 00	10 25	87 25	19 00
C. B. Graham	GC	55	3	9 00	9 00	9 00	114 00
Jennie Peavey	CK	24	4	6 00	2 25	8 25	5 50
Mrs. P. Clinansmith	CM	12			1 50	1 50	
N. Radosvlyeevick	Arm	53	3	34 90	9 50	44 40	13 50
Clarence Budd	BR	6	3	9 00	2 00	11 00	
Alphonso Ford	ARM-VAT.			10 10		10 10	
C. Bair	BR	40	7	24 00		24 00	
		264	44	179 00	25 50	204 50	161 00

South Wisconsin

*H. F. Bernitt	BR	43			2 00	2 00	166 25
Paul Mayer	GC	23	6	22 00		22 00	23 50
Emella Roberson		17					81 00
Bea Merickle	BR	21					126 00
Ferd. Passer	GC	69	1	3 00		3 00	256 75
Mrs. M. F. Madigan	BR	27	8	25 00		25 00	
M. F. Madigan	BR	24	8	27 00		27 00	
*Mrs. E. M. Bisbee	BR	34					140 75
		258	23	77 00	2 00	79 00	894 25

*North Michigan

A. P. Friday	BR	78	5	15 00		15 00	239 00
Milton Marks	BR	82	19	63 50		63 50	48 00
I. M. Emerson	BR MH	6					6 00
F. R. Johnson	BR	22	5	13 25	75	14 00	33 00
J. B. Newstead	BR	62	18	62 50	1 75	64 25	1 75
K. V. Bjork	BR	49	7	7 50	10 70	18 20	14 90
Miscellaneous		2		9 25		9 25	
		301	54	171 00	13 20	184 20	342 65

*Northern Illinois

D. J. Graham	BR	52	17	62 00		62 00	
W. J. Harris	BR			224 75		224 75	205 90
E. A. Rideout	GC	36	17	61 00	7 75	68 75	50
L. Clarke	BR						241 00
A. M. Tatton	BR						107 00
		88	34	347 75	7 75	355 50	554 40

West Michigan

C. M. Joslin	PG	24					15 00
J. T. Worrell	BR	63	27	83 00	5 60	88 60	87 60
Lucene Wright	BR	1	3	9 00		9 00	
H. K. Nelson	HM	9					8 00
		97	30	92 00	5 60	97 60	110 60

North Wisconsin

Claude Morris	BR	22	3	9 00	3 00	12 00	
John Baker	GC	24	5	19 50		19 50	
C. A. Peterson	BR	32	1	3 00	2 00	5 00	28 00
		78	9	31 50	5 00	36 50	28 00

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The German Morning Watch Calendar

A neat edition of the German Morning Watch Calendar has just been received, published by the Pacific Press at Brookfield, Illinois. It is a translation of the English edition, containing the same scripture references, the individual report pages, the sunset features, etc. Let all our German people, old and young, secure it. The Morning Watch habit means success in Christian living. Doubtless many of our English people have German friends who are Christians who would appreciate a copy. This little devotional booklet might prove to be an opening wedge for other literature.

The Cost of Living

Ten clear, snappy, right-to-the-point articles in the February number of *Life and Health* will solve the cost of living problem in your family. What will benefit you will benefit every home in the Lake Union. Five to forty copies cost 5 cents each; fifty or more copies cost 4 cents each. Your conference tract society will be glad to handle your order.

College

Mr. N. L. Taylor and family have recently moved to the College vicinity. Mr. Taylor has entered school.

Leonard and Joseph Timmerman of Grand Rapids, Mich., have entered school. We are expecting more students soon.

A metal ceiling has been put on in room 20, the guests' chamber has been repainted, an overhead radiator has been placed in the business office, the rearrangement of the music rooms has been completed, and an excellent chapel organ for the music students has been purchased.

A good supply of coal is on hand so we will not suffer from the coal famine.

Elder F. C. Gilbert was at the College January 3-5. His earnest speeches were a great inspiration to all. Some of his epigrammatic expressions were the following,—The Lord does not work peculiarly and miraculously when it isn't necessary; Orthodoxy is a splendid thing if only "orthopraxy" goes with it; Our business is to get ready for the coming of the Lord; Jesus Christ was never a believer in the spectacular.

We don't need to look for anything spectacular; One reason why the Lord doesn't do more for us is not because He will not or can't, but because He lacks the opportunity; With the man fully consecrated to the Lord, things don't happen; they all come to pass.

Where to Leave Cares Overnight

I sleep. That is "good medicine." I used to be foolish enough to go to bed to think of my sins and my mistakes and my foolishness and my misfortunes, and all the things that happened to me.

When I put out the light, the room would become luminous with cares and lurid with regrets. But it dawned upon me that a bed was not made for that sort of thing. It was made to sleep in; and I purposed to use it for that purpose. It was no easy task to overcome the evil habit which long indulgence in the luxury of bedtime worry had fastened upon me. But I did it. And now when I want to go to sleep, I can. I don't care what the trouble and fret, the irritation and the trials, the blunders and the disappointments of the day have been; I leave them at the door; they are on the outside. They may lie in wait for me as I come out next morning, but they have to abide out in the cold and gloomy hall all night. They do not come to bed with me. And the next morning I am all ready for them after a long, sound sleep.

But most of them die over night from exposure and loneliness. Nothing requires more tender and constant nursing to keep it alive than worry. You don't worry because you have to; you worry because you like it, you enjoy it. I used to myself; used to like to get away from people; used to be glad when bedtime came so that I could worry over my troubles comfortably, without being interrupted. By and by I had some real troubles; then I learned to do better.—R. J. Burdette

Smile

It doesn't pay to be ill-natured. A grouch in the system is as deadly to progress as a ball and chain at the ankle. The ball-and-chain combination doesn't keep the wearer from toiling like all creation, but it holds him back quite effectively. It is the same way with the grouch.

Sometimes ill nature is a disease—sometimes just a habit. Even when it is a disease, there is usually a cure for it. Calomel has been known to work wonders with people who could not see anything in a doughnut but the hole, whose mere presence was enough to blot out a rainbow. Ill nature as a habit is no harder to break than any other of the evil habits that afflict the human kind.

The fellow who gets up in the morning with a smile, carries it with him all day, and takes it home at night—ah, the world will smile with him, at him, and for him. He may not amass great riches, but he will glory in a priceless wealth of friends. Men may not uncover at mention of his name, but wife and children will listen for his footsteps and crown him with affection. He may not be hailed as the conqueror of others, but he will be blessed in the realization that he has conquered himself. The feeling that expresses itself in a smile is worth cultivating.—Ambition