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eign missions. Our brethren from abroad gave us excellent help. The reports which Elder Spicer brought from Europe and from the mission fields were an inspiration. They brought new courage and hope to the hearts of all our brethren. We are sure that our people will never forget the blessing that came to us during these good camp meetings. As others will report in detail from the different conferences we will only say that we thank the Lord and take courage because of our good summer camp meetings.

L. H. CHRISTIAN

The Commandments of God

When we keep all the Father's commandments,
And abide in the faith of His Son
We shall hear when the jewels are gathered,
The words, faithful servants, well done.
We shall enter the gateways immortal,
And rejoice where our foes come no more.
But safe in that heavenly portal,
Will the Saviour of sinners adore.

When we keep all the Father's commandments,
We have joy that the world cannot give.
There's a peace that abides like a river.
Oh, forsake each transgression and live.
Above are the evergreen mountains,
Enwrapped in the azure of heaven;
While the music of pure crystal fountains,
Speaks peace to the nations forgiven.

When we keep all the Father's commandments,
The Sabbath as well as the rest,
We shall dwell with the holy and happy,
We shall lean upon Jesus' breast.
And He who has wept o'er the fallen,
Whose pathway has led neath the rod,
Shall give to us life everlasting,
If we keep the commandments of God.

L. D. SANTEE

Pasadena, Calif.

Not Disappointed

The first five annual camp meetings for 1917 in the Lake Union are now in the past. We had been looking forward to these gatherings with the deepest interest. Now we are happy to report that we are not disappointed. With one exception our camp meetings this year were much larger than last year. Many people came, not only for a few days, but for the entire time. The spiritual interest at the meetings was the best that we have seen at any camp meeting the last twenty years. Our brethren are beginning to realize that we have entered into a sober, solemn time.

We had blessed consecration services, many giving themselves to the Lord for the first time. At some of the camp meetings the outside attendance was unusually large, and not a few began to keep the Sabbath. We are informed that about 250 were baptized and a little more than \$35,000 were paid or pledged to for-

Exemption from the Draft

The government is about ready to put the selective draft into operation. According to the latest report from Washington the following will be exempt:

Officials of the United States, of the several states, Alaska and the island possessions, and of the District of Columbia.

Regularly ordained ministers of religion.

Students of divinity preparing for the ministry on May 18, 1917.

Subjects of Germany residing in the United States. All alien residents who have not taken out first papers for American citizenship.

Local exemption boards have authority on investigation to exempt:

Employees in the federal customs service.

State, county and municipal officials.

Men employed in the government mail service.

United States navy yard, arsenal and armory employes and workmen.

Special United States employes to be designated by the President.

Pilots for steamers and steamships at American ports.

Mariners actually employed in sea service on ships owned by an American citizen.

Any married man whose wife or child is dependent solely on his labor for support.

Any son of a widow dependent solely on his labor for support.

Father of motherless child or children under 16 years of age, dependent solely upon his labor for support.

Brother of a child or children under 16 years of age who has or have neither father nor mother and is or are solely dependent upon his labor for support.

Any person who is a member of a recognized religious sect organized or existing May 18, 1917, whose creed forbids its members to participate in war.

All persons morally deficient.

Seventh-day Adventists are on record as a religious body that does not believe its members should bear arms. We have a right to claim exemption under the present law. But while doing this we must stand ready to serve our Nation in any way we can. We de-

sire to keep in touch with our brethren here and there in this crisis. Please write us freely. Further information and reports concerning the experiences of our brethren will be printed in the HERALD.

L. H. CHRISTIAN

Northern Illinois Conference

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Sabbath School Notes

Those who could not attend the camp meeting will be interested in a report of the two Sabbaths.

On June 23 there were nearly eight hundred present at the Sabbath school. Professor Avery gave a good ten minute review and Elder Wakeham, of Emmanuel Missionary College, took up the day's lesson.

A ship of missionaries going from New York to China was the device used. Three hundred dollars would carry her over to China. The amount raised was \$420.11, so the missionaries had something to get started with in their new field.

June 30 was the thirteenth Sabbath and we had over twelve hundred people present. Our songs were all thirteenth Sabbath songs. Fifteen children repeated together all the memory verses of the quarter and told where they were found.

The quarterly review was taken up in six topics by six members.

Before the thirteenth Sabbath offering was taken up Elder S. E. Wellman, just from India, told us of an experience a young man passed through in China. The skin of his tongue was scraped out so as to get him to give up the truth. Next live coals were placed on him which burned to the bone. He did not give up, and is one of our workers now.

Elder Spicer told us how Cecilia of Africa gave her ear rings, which were very dear to her, to missions. He showed them to us and the very envelope she used. He then pinned it onto a large envelope prepared for the occasion, and our offerings went into Cecilia's envelope. It weighed twenty pounds and the amount was \$731.43. The total of the two Sabbaths was \$1151.54. Several of the churches had taken their thirteenth Sabbath offering before they came to camp meeting.

Let us praise the Lord together for this splendid thank offering. I hope we can be on the honor roll this quarter. That means to average 15 cents per member each week of the quarter. As we draw near the end our offerings will increase as they do among our people in war-stricken Europe.

MRS. CLEORA WEBSTER

Words of Service

Genevieve Aplin. I have discovered a new way to canvass. Simply go into the house, introduce yourself, hand the prospective customer your book, sit down and talk about the weather while he looks over the book. Friday I secured twelve orders in that way. The only two places where I failed to get an order was where I gave a canvass. Of course the secret in that case is in getting the minister's order first. The Lord is indeed keeping his people. There has been an agent ahead of me also selling Bible books, but he did not

hinder very much. Wednesday I ran into territory in which Mr. Thiele sold books. I sold a few places where he did not, because the people who had the books were so well pleased with them.

Ruth Everett. Am sorry not to be able to do as well as Miss Aplin but she seems to hypnotise folks. Only five Protestants refused me last week. All the rest were Catholics. Monday morning I was standing in the road consulting my map. An old man with a big straw hat held on by an elastic under his chin drove up with a load of hogs. I glanced up and spoke. He stopped and said, "Selling something?" I said, "Yes." I didn't think he was interested so went on looking at my map. Pretty soon he said, "What you selling?" "Books," I said. "Oh, let me see it." I handed him my prospectus. He was way up in the air on that wagon so he could hardly reach the book. He turned it over, looked at the name and without opening it asked the price. "All right, I'll take one, here's your money, deliver it up here at the store; like to see girls with grit like yours, success to you." And he drove off leaving me looking at his three silver dollars. I found out he is an old bachelor and keeps his gate padlocked for fear of agents and carries a gun to shoot them. I'm the first agent that ever sold him a book.

L. Jorgensen. No doubt, you look forward with great anticipation to see what another week brings forth; so do we. But I truthfully believe the Lord is in the work and is aiding us by unseen agencies. We are of good courage. We hope to sell about \$2000.00 worth of books in this county. We have \$900 now. As I meet the people it gives me still greater desire to carry this Gospel to them. One family are just as strong adventist as I am, but do not observe the Sabbath as yet. They all believe the end is near and very near. They study the prophecies and current events. My, I would just like to let loose and talk to them about the Scriptures, but I dare not. I simply have to let the book do the preaching. But I am keeping a list of those interested and shall send them literature next winter.

Ora R. Williams. I was able to canvass every house this week and if the rains had not stopped me Friday, I think I could have had a hundred dollar week. I met so many people who were interested in the prophecies. One lady seemed to have a real understanding of what is before us. I was glad to have these people order my books so that they may learn more.

Durward Williams. The Lord has surely blessed us richly this week. This has been my best week in more than one way. Surely one is blessed who lets the Holy Spirit work through him. I have felt his presence with me, and surely my success is due to the Spirit's working on hearts.

Oscar Olson. Early one morning I stepped into a cornfield. I sold a book to a farmer and his hired hand. Another hired hand listened to the canvass. I went out to the road and started off. I did not get far until I heard a terrible noise, "Booho," behind me, and the man waved for me to come back. I went back to the man who did not give an order and he said, "I will take a book in half leather. My wife can read it."

A. W. Wennerberg. I sat up three nights in succession, studying questions regarding the Sabbath and the

end of time with the people, and as a result a young couple have become interested in the truth. They said they have never heard anything so wonderful. I told them of our camp meeting. They decided at once to go. Please join with us in fervent prayer to God that this young couple in the flower of youth may take their stand at camp meeting and give their young lives to the Master's service.

Great gains are being made by our colporteurs in every respect. Our total sales to date are over \$8000. The average sales per hour is \$1.73, or a gain of 71 cents per hour over last year. The Lord is surely blessing our colporteurs as never before. The time for the finishing of the work is here.

J. C. KLOSE

North Wisconsin Conference

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Spoooner

Our camp meeting for 1917 is already in the past, the record has been made up and there is no possible chance for us to change it in any particular.

The attendance was much larger this year than last. On the last Sabbath of the camp meeting last year the attendance at Sabbath school was 120, while at this meeting on the last Sabbath there were 325. The offerings to missions totaled just a little less than \$1800 for the meeting. The Sabbath school offering for the last Sabbath was \$255.

We were favored with excellent help all through the meeting. We were glad to have with us Elder W. A. Spicer, whose talks on the work in the fields across the sea were much appreciated. Elder Eastman and J. W. Mace from Washington represented the book work. We also had Elder P. E. Broderson with us for the last of the meeting. In addition to these workers, we had the officers of the union conference and our own local conference workers. Elder S. N. Curtiss was able to spend a few days with us and gave us some interesting facts concerning the foreign work in our own country.

The last Sabbath of the meeting, in the praise service, practically everyone took part. It was universally stated that this was the best meeting they had ever attended. Sunday afternoon twenty-nine were baptized in the river near the town. A good impression was made on the people of the city and we feel confident that good will result from it. Brother J. A. Swenson will remain for a time to look after the interest and attend to the work there.

From the camp meeting we are sending a tent to Ironwood, Michigan. Brother George Wikander will have charge of this effort and will have associated with him Brother V. R. Hillman and wife and Miss Aurora Wearer. We expected to have another tent company in the field but the tent we ordered did not reach us in time. The factory had been held up on account of the government orders and so we were obliged to make changes in our plans.

A very interesting feature of the meeting was the report from the schools. We had men to represent Walderly, Hutchinson, Broadview, and Emmanuel Missionary College. At this meeting Doctor W. T.

Lindsay was present and spoke briefly concerning the work the sanitarium is doing in an educational way.

I do not know when I have attended a meeting where there was a better spirit on the grounds among the people than at this meeting. Surely the time has come for our people to come up on higher ground and I know this will be true in North Wisconsin as well as in others fields.

J. J. IRWIN

East Michigan Conference

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Some Interesting Experiences

Miss Lilah Beamer writes,—“It certainly give me an inspiration to find while canvassing in the towns that there are some who are really honest in heart. . . . The canvassing work is bringing a blessing to me, for it is surely helping me in my Christian experience.”

Ethel Beamer. The Lord has certainly been with me this week in giving me so many orders. I find that I enjoy the work more every day, and I am so thankful that He has called me to have a part in it. I have had two definite answers to prayers since I have been canvassing. In order to have success we must pray as we work, and pray constantly, for the prayer of the contrite soul availeth much.

The Beamer girls are between the ages of 14 and 16, “It is good that he bear the yoke in his youth.” Lam. 3:27.

H. O. Butler. This has been another good week. While at times it seems as if Satan and all of his host were about me, yet I find in Vol. 1, p. 310, that these are the times when faith is necessary. I make these times my best times in prayer for help.”

Brother Butler is working in a territory where there are two Catholics to one Protestant.

H. W. Perrin. Although on account of rain I was unable to work Thursday, yet this has been my best week, and I have also had my best day this week. I merely asked God to help me to give people the message, and let Him look after the orders. I find that He looks after the orders better than I would expect.

Clarence Budd. I have always feared the villages, but Wednesday afternoon, I tacked Shabbonia and secured orders amounting to \$22.75.

Glady's Keiser. The people treat us fine. They invite us to come and visit them over Sundays. Miss Boist and I visited a country church one Sunday, and they were very kind, I took two orders for two books. One lady wrote her name and address on a Sunday school quarterly in giving her order.

Floyd Myers. I am having some real good experiences with business men. Many seem to want to know what these things mean. I met a young lady yesterday in an office. She said her mother was an Adventist, and her sister was baptized at the camp meeting. She is living with her aunt who is very prejudiced. She bought two books, one for herself and one for her mother. She said she kept her convictions covered even from her mother, because of the prejudice of her aunt. She said however that she was thinking seriously of keeping the Sabbath. She further said her mother's cup of joy would be full if she accepted the Sabbath.

Olive Medford. One lady who is very unfavorable

to Adventists took an "Easy Steps," because she said it would be only Bible stories. I assured her that was true. She did not think that Bible stories are full of the Advent doctrine.

W. A. BERGHERM

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Energy

Energy is a small mining town in Williamson County quite largely made up of people who own their homes and not a floating class as we so often find in such places. While holding a few meetings with the Herrin church I was told there seemed to be some interest out here and on visiting the place was not favorably impressed with the outlook, but one young man seemed so anxious to have me come I consented to try it and began meetings in an old deserted hall April 15th. From the first the interest was far beyond my expectations and although the work has been interrupted several times by my being called away yet the interest continues to grow. Brother C. J. Smith has joined me and we have moved our meetings into a tent and more people seem to be getting concerned of their duty to keep all of God's commandments, six have already taken a definite stand.

Sabbath, June 23, the Herrin and Carterville churches joined in a union service at the tent bringing their dinners and staying all day. The Holy Spirit was present convicting all of their need of a pure heart and clean life, as those that wait for the return of their Lord. Following the afternoon service, old and young joined heartily in a consecration and testimony meeting, and all seemed to feel that the day had been well spent. Pray for the work in Energy.

C. W. CURTIS

Southern Illinois Canvassers' Notes

G. J. Talge. Doing fine as report will show. I met many lovely people who were interested. Sold a "Bible Readings" to a man who had had one twelve years and whose other copy was worn out with use.

Mary B. Long. I am enjoying the work very much and the Lord is blessing wonderfully.

Myrtle Hill. I certainly do enjoy this work. One learns many lessons, and likewise receives many blessings in this work.

R. J. Watson. I am of good courage. Have delivered thus far a little more than \$1000 worth of books.

John A. Evitts. The Lord has certainly proved his helping hand to me throughout the past week. We are sorry Sister Evitts is obliged to lay down her work for a while because of poor health, and hope that a rest at home will have the desired effects.

Brethren Anderson and Blomstedt are doing good work in McLean County.

Brethren Brownell and Talge write encouragingly of their work in Coles County.

C. B. Courville. Although my time was broken up by our moving this week, the Lord blessed me with more value in orders than any other week.

Brethren Courville, Laughlin, and Kimberlin have finished the small county of Wabash and are now working in White County.

G. W. Kimberlin. The orders are few but the experiences are good. I put in the thirteen hours Friday by commencing at five o'clock in the morning, going without dinner, and quitting at six P. M.

I think Brother Kimberlin now has given us the secret of those big hours he has been sending in from week to week.

C. A. Laughlin. Well, this has been a trying week to me, but it was a privilege to me to give forty Catholic canvasses. If there ever were more deceived people, I never want to see or visit them, but I am going to faithfully work the territory.

Francis Teas. This week with the help of the Lord I am determined to get in fifty-five hours.

Reports have come in from two more young recruits, Russell Foster and Clare Van Fossen.

Sisters McNabb and Locke have begun work at Rood House and write very encouragingly of their work.

Cora Anderson. I canvassed an old man last evening who said he kept an Adventist canvasser once and he thought he was the best fellow he ever knew. He said if I'd stay all night with them, he would take a book. I certainly hope to leave the same impression that canvasser did on those people.

Pauline Santee. The past week has been an encouraging one for me. It was the first whole week I have spent in the field.

Miss Santee's report amounted to \$110 in thirty-five hours.

Miss Lena Ambs working in same county for same week sends in a nice report amounting to \$103.50 in thirty-eight hours. She writes, "Night before last I came to a little town called Reno and the people here were all so good. They want me to stay over Sunday and give a talk in their Sunday meeting. Surely the Lord has gone before me and prepared the homes for my work."

Dear brothers and sisters throughout the conference, please do not forget these workers at your family worship. God is working mightily through them. Still a number of counties where there are no canvassers. Do you feel a burden for a part in this work?

A. L. VAN FOSSEN

Indiana Conference

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Marion

Monday evening, July 2, the Marion church gave their thirteenth Sabbath program at the tent. It was a splendid occasion and several hundred who have been attending the meetings were present. We had set our goal this quarter for \$200 though our quota is \$174. Our thirteenth Sabbath offering amounted to \$144.74 and the offerings for the quarter \$37.18, making a total of \$182.92. We expect to raise the two hundred dollars.

The meetings being held here are creating a great deal of interest. Last Sunday evening the attendance was about five hundred and fifty, and during the week we average about three hundred. We gave an invitation last Sabbath and nine expressed their intentions of keeping the commandments. There are several

others who are keeping the Sabbath who were not there, so we are sure many more will take their stand before long. We hope for a rich harvest of souls and ask you to pray that God will give it to us. Not only are we preaching to good sized congregations, but we are getting a sketch of almost every sermon in the two daily papers. This means that a large number of people are hearing and reading the message.

We now have a good corps of workers; beside Broiher O. B. Hall we have Brother Ennis Moore of Emmanuel Missionary College who is leading our singing and calling on the people, and Miss Lucile Bradford our soloist. Miss Bradford helped me in our effort last winter and we appreciate her very much. Remember us at the throne of grace.

C. L. WHITE

Peru

After the handicap of having our tents delayed, bad weather, sickness, and a strong prejudice of the public, supposing we were Mormons, the work is onward and bids fair to the establishing of souls in the truth.

Last Sunday evening two hundred twenty-five or more were present and gave the best of attention to the study of United States in prophecy.

Some have come to the tent enquiring for truth. Homes have been open to visits. So we see many indications of the Spirit of God working in behalf of souls.

We ask a part in the prayers of the people of Indiana for the work here in Peru.

FRANK AND EARL DUDLEY

Red Cross Training Camp, Wabash Valley Sanitarium

Our Red Cross Training School is in full operation. God's rich blessings have been with us from the beginning, June 25th. We had expected about 30 students, but this has been exceeded by one-third. We have forty-three students enrolled and in attendance. Nineteen living tents and one large tent for class work are pitched on the premises.

The students who have come here for training are indeed a representative body of young people, intelligent, earnest, and faithful. A splendid spirit is pervading the encampment. Instructors have spoken to the writer of their appreciation of the mental grasp which the students manifest in getting hold of the different subjects in which they receive instruction. All seem to have a realization of the meaning of the causes which brought them here.

Five o'clock in the morning is rising time and at 10 P. M. for lights out and silence. We have a large corps of instructors and are able to give thorough instruction in nursing, accidents, emergency, first aid in disease, hygiene, sanitation, cooking, ambulance and litter drills.

Our spiritual needs have not been forgotten. Besides morning worship a half hour is devoted to private prayer and meditation, and forty-five minutes in the evening for collective Bible study and consecration.

We most earnestly ask all our brethren and sisters everywhere to remember this work daily in your prayers that God's blessings may continue to be with

us and that the object for which we are here assembled may be attained.

With Christian greetings from the encampment.

J. W. HOFSTRA

Colporteur Notes

Brother King writes, "I am glad to say this week's delivery is one of the best I have ever had. I delivered 105 out of 110. This is the cleanest large delivery I have ever had. For the first six months of this year, I have worked 905 hours, and secured orders amounting to \$928.88." Brother King had his stakes set for \$1,000 for the first half of the year, and would have reached it, had he not spent one week assisting me.

Brother Hackney has just finished a very successful delivery of \$160.

Our sales for the first 18 weeks of last year were approximately \$8,000, and this year they are \$12,000. This makes a clear gain of \$4,000, or 50%. We are expecting the sales for the first six months of the year to reach nearly \$16,000. With the strong force of regular workers that we now have in the field, we are placing our goal at \$30,000 for 1917. This will mean a gain of approximately \$5,000 over any previous year. Our business with the South Bend branch increased more than 100% during the month of May. If all of our colporteurs keep up their courage, we can continue to make a nice gain every month, which we believe the Lord is pleased to have us make. We suggest that when our home missionary secretary makes his rounds, our churches will not be slow in giving him a nice large order for "World War." Now is the time to sell this wonderful little book. Our colporteurs are writing in that this book sells like hot cakes. Just now is the time to sell our message-filled books. The Lord will hold each one of his professed followers to account for not sounding the alarm at such a time as this.

Brother Moore, "Well, I thank the Lord that I have had a good delivery. Some seem very anxious to get their books."

Brother Hall, "I broke my past records on full leather bindings last week." Brother Hall did this in Lawrence county.

This is a letter from a brother who has for some time been laboring under the conviction that he should keep the Sabbath, and enter the colporteur work: "Dear Brother: I told Dr. Floyd that I would quit, the same to take effect this coming Saturday, if he can get some one by that time, and if not, I will quit one week from next Saturday. I am going to keep the Sabbath and enter the canvassing work, let the results be what they may. Will you be able to go with me either this coming Monday or next? Hoping to hear from you soon, I am, Sincerely, F. E. Trees."

Brother Kaufman just made his first delivery—\$257.75 in 29 hours.

Brother Colton, who has been ill for some time, and who is the leader of six colporteurs located at North Vernon writes, "This seems like old times again, and I thank my Heavenly Father it is possible for me to put my shoulder to the wheel again. I want to see \$300 per week go in from North Vernon this summer."

Fred Rahm. "One man ordered a book for his wife

who is very ill. When he heard I delivered in September, he was very much disappointed, and wanted to know if I could not deliver it immediately. He said his wife would not live until September and he wanted her to read that book before she died."

G. F. Ruff. "Nearly every day I meet people to whom I have sold books, and they are only anxious to have me come and visit them. I feel more thankful to the Lord than ever that I know this truth. It is simply wonderful."

William Bergherm. "Met a Methodist pastor the first thing Monday morning. He took my book and then gave me a good recommendation for it. He then gave me a list of his members upon whom I should call. He also invited me back to dinner. I stayed with him that night. He was so much pleased with my book that he put my name in the paper." Brother Bergherm has worked 125 hours and secured orders amounting to \$467.25.

E. M. FISHELL

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News Notes

Sabbath evening June 23 at the home of Mr. Forrester, Douglas, Mr. Ralph C. Thorp and Miss Daisy I. Middaugh were united in the holy bonds of matrimony. A large number of friends gathered to witness the ceremony and to give the young people a pleasant evening. Elder Wm. Guthrie officiated.

Obituaries

COTTON.—Marguerite Mae, little daughter of Elder and Mrs. A. V. Cotton, of Detroit, Michigan, fell asleep June 15, 1917, to await the call of Jesus in that day when the little lambs of the flock will be once more laid in their mother's arms, Margurite was a sweet child and in many ways manifested her interest in divine things even though she was only about three years old. She was born in Melrose, Mass., June 28, 1914, and came to Detroit last fall with the parents, who with three brothers and sisters are left, but they are comforted by the promises of God's Word and the realization that they will soon be fulfilled. Words of comfort were spoken by the writer.

A. J. CLARK

MILLER.—Sabina, the daughter of Alva N. and Susan Jones was born June 7, 1847, being 70 years and 16 days of age, and parted this life June 24, 1917. She accepted the truth under the labors of Elders Joseph Bates and J. H. Waggoner at the age of ten years. At the tender age of eleven years she was baptized and joined the church at Burlington, Mich. In 1883 she with her husband became connected with the work in Jackson, Michigan. Three years later they took charge of the Mission Training School in Grand Rapids. During 1895 to 1897 she was connected with the faculty of Battle Creek College. Her faith in this truth was firm to the end and though a great sufferer for eleven years she was patient and resigned. She leaves a husband and two sons to mourn their loss. She sleeps in hope of a part in the first resurrection. Words of comfort were spoken from Rev. 14:13.

WM. GÜTHRIE

CASTLE.—Mary R. Nichols Castle was born in Charlotte, Michigan, November 11, 1841, and died at Hartford, Michigan, May 31, 1917, being seventy-five years and six months and twenty days old. She was married November 30, 1863, to Alfred B. Castle; to this union were born six children, of

whom three sons and one daughter with the father survive. At the age of 14, with her mother and sister, she began the observance of the Sabbath under the labors of Elder Joseph Bates, and was baptized and united with the Seventh-day Adventist church, of which she remained a faithful member, a loyal and devoted wife, a patient and true mother, a kind neighbor. A mother in Israel is taken from us, but if faithful, we shall meet our beloved sister in the morning of the resurrection, clad in immortality. Sister Castle has been in poor health for some time, and in her last sickness her suffering was intense, yet she bore it patiently and cheerfully submitted to the will of God, only longing that Revelation 14:13 be fulfilled in her case, and after exhorting all her children and companion to be faithful and meet her in the resurrection morning, she fell asleep in Jesus. Words of comfort were spoken by the writer to a large and attentive audience, assisted by Brother T. D. Rowe of Emmanuel Missionary College and the pastor of the local Presbyterian Church. Interment at Maple Hill cemetery.

W. C. HEBNER

Business Notices

CHANGE IN OIL PRICES.—Two five-gallon cans Mazola cooking oil \$14.75 f. o. b. Chicago or Detroit. Single cans \$7.50, from Holly. Wesson Oil \$18 per case, 1 can \$9.25 f. o. b. Holly. Snowdrift Shortening \$11.75 per 60-pound case, from Holly. Adelpian Mercantile Co., Holly, Mich. 5

WANTED.—An experienced Seventh-day Adventist farm hand to work by month for rest of season. State age, wages, and experience. Milford Summerton, R. F. D. 3, Oxford, Wis.

FOR SALE.—Good 1½ story 8 room house, barn, wood house, cement walks, and good cellar; 3 miles from Beechwood Academy, 2 blocks from church and church school. Price \$1,800. Mrs. B. F. McLean, R. F. D. 1, Fairland Ind. 2

WANTED.—A place for an aged worthy brother where he can have a small house or room by himself and near enough to some of our brethren so they could look after him in case of sickness. He would be able to pay a small weekly allowance. Any one knowing of such an opportunity kindly notify the LAKE UNION HERALD.

WANTED AT ONCE.—Four men to cut bolts by cord or by month. Good wages. Seventh-day Adventists preferred. For particulars write Leonard Gebaner, Route 1, Gleason, Wis.

Wanted, Names of Medical Workers

We desire the name of every Seventh-day Adventist doctor, nurse, treatment room worker, and any others engaged in medical work, to place on our mailing list for matter of special interest to such workers. Just now we wish to send sample copies of the *Sanitarium Quarterly* to all who have not received it. This journal is now printed in this country, and is to be a departmental medium of communication, containing much matter that cannot well be published in our other papers. Medical Department of S. D. A., Takoma Park, D. C.

Fruit Wanted by the Wabash Valley Sanitarium

The Wabash Valley Sanitarium is desirous of canning a considerable amount of fruit this year. We would be glad to have all our brethren and sisters who grow large quantities of fruit correspond with us, letting us know what kind of fruit they can furnish and what will be the probable cost of the fruit and shipping. W. C. Dunscombe, M. D., Superintendent, Wabash Valley Sanitarium, LaFayette, Ind.

Canvassers' Report for Week Ending

June 29, 1917

Indiana							
Canvasser	Book	Hrs	Ords	Value	Helps	Total	Del
Edythe All.....	BR	27	14	52 00	6 25	58 25	.....
W. H. Bergherm.....	BR	19	14	56 00	6 75	62 75	.....
Raymond Brooks.....	BR	27	14	50 00	1 75	51 75	.....
Ford P. Cadv.....	BR	34	23	90 50	2 25	92 75	.....
C. F. Colton.....	BR	50	15	53 50	.....	53 50	.....
M. S. Grim.....	BR	20	3	11 50	1 50	13 00	.....
Clinton P. Hall.....	BR	22	.....	.....	.....	.....	162 00
O. L. Hackney.....	BR	34	.....	.....	.....	.....	160 00
Ethel Haven.....	BR	39	7	25 50	25	25 75	.....
Bessie Harrison.....	BR	35	16	71 00	8 50	79 50	.....
C. C. King.....	BR	41	3	13 50	.....	13 50	384 70
F. Kaufman.....	BR	36	4	14 00	.....	14 00	75 00
James Lecklider.....	GC	35	2	7 00	.....	7 00	.....
Wilbur Moore.....	BR	33	14	50 00	2 00	52 00	.....
Leah Misner.....	GC	28	11	38 50	4 75	43 25	.....
Lydia Passer.....	BR	12	.....	.....	.....	.....	81 25
Fred Possman.....	BR	11	.....	.....	.....	.....	142 50
W. H. Flake.....	BR	38	18	66 00	2 25	68 25	.....
G. F. Ruf.....	DR	29	20	72 00	.....	72 00	.....
Adam F. Ruf.....	GC	38	19	74 50	.....	74 50	.....
Fred Rahm.....	GC	36	7	24 50	.....	24 50	.....
Panamah Saucerman.....	GC	29	16	58 00	3 50	61 50	.....
Vivian Thomas.....	BR	28	9	36 50	8 75	45 25	.....
Fred Wiggins.....	BR	29	5	17 50	.....	17 50	.....
Miscellaneous.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	625 00	625 00	.....
		731	234	882 00	673 50	1555 50	1005 45

Southern Illinois

C. W. Saunders.....	BR	35	11	38 50	3 00	41 50	.....
Russel Foster.....	BF	31	5	10 00	4 50	14 50	4 75
Mrs. J. McNabb.....	BR	13	6	22 00	1 90	23 90	.....
Pearl Locke.....	BR	15	6	21 00	2 55	23 55	.....
Clare VanFossen.....	BF	20	17	36 00	2 00	38 00	2 00
F. H. Johnson.....	BR	25	18	66 00	.....	66 00	.....
Katherine Drurv.....	BR	32	30	110 00	2 25	112 25	.....
G. W. Kimberlin.....	BR	58	23	85 50	.....	85 50	.....
Jerry Suda.....	BR	12	.....	.....	.....	.....	200 00
A. Blomstedt.....	BR	46	16	61 00	1 75	62 75	.....
B. Anderson.....	BR	43	3	11 50	3 00	14 50	3 00
Cyril Courville.....	DR	60	18	83 00	.....	83 00	.....
Mary B. Long.....	BF	34	24	48 00	.....	48 00	.....
C. A. Laughlin.....	BR	50	28	103 00	.....	103 00	.....
Lena Ambs.....	BR	35	25	90 50	2 25	92 75	.....
R. Francis Teas.....	BF	31	4	9 50	6 00	15 50	6 00
R. J. Watson.....	BR	44	13	64 00	1 50	65 50	3 50
Paul Frasier.....	BF	32	4	9 00	5 00	14 00	.....
A. P. Lager.....	BR	47	11	38 50	3 75	42 25	3 50
O. A. Morse.....	BR	44	3	10 50	75	11 25	50 50
Myrtle E. Hill.....	BF	36	13	27 00	10 75	37 75	.....
Miscellaneous.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	212 00	.....
		743	283	1136 50	50 95	1187 45	273 25

West Michigan

W. A. Mallernee.....	BR	42	31	111 50	8 25	119 75	11 75
F. Stuart Thompson.....	BR	43	29	109 50	5 00	110 00	50
Mrs. John Worrell.....	BR	29	18	63 00	2 50	65 50	3 50
Clara Garber.....	BR	37	16	62 00	1 25	63 25	3 25
Iva E. Garber.....	BR	35	16	62 00	50	62 50	1 50
Mary DeVillez.....	BR	28	13	51 50	9 50	61 00	.....
Ruby Ford.....	BR	22	14	51 00	.....	51 00	.....
J. T. Worrell.....	BR	49	11	44 50	25	44 75	25
Scott Ford.....	BR	34	11	42 50	2 00	44 50	20 00
V. W. Ferpey.....	GC	33	11	39 50	5 50	45 00	4 75
Edith DeVillez.....	BR	34	10	40 00	1 50	41 50	1 50
Marian J. Owens.....	BR	32	9	35 50	2 00	37 50	1 25
Dick Hamstra.....	BR	30	8	28 00	4 75	32 75	4 25
Bernice Webber.....	DR	39	6	21 00	3 50	24 50	1 20
George DeCamp.....	CK	47	6	12 00	8 25	20 25	1 00
G. A. Potter.....	BR	42	5	17 50	2 50	20 00	.....
Mildred McBeth.....	WW	14	13	3 25	12 25	15 50	12 25
*Joseph Wrate.....	DR	58	7	24 50	4 25	28 75	102 75
C. M. Joslin.....	WW	5	.....	3 75	.....	3 75	.....
F. W. Root.....	WW	5	.....	2 50	.....	2 50	.....
		653	234	825 00	69 25	894 25	169 70

North Michigan

Mary DePas.....	BR	25	12	45 00	3 50	48 50	3 50
Katherine Rode.....	BR	26	9	29 50	4 25	33 75	4 25
Bessie Wery.....	BR	36	13	50 00	5 50	55 50	5 50
Bernard Hamilton.....	BR	8	3	11 75	50	12 25	75
A. P. Friday.....	BR	43	18	69 00	2 25	71 25	2 25
Katherine Schmidt.....	BR	27	13	46 50	75	47 25	.....
Roy Simot.....	BR	29	2	8 00	.....	8 00	144 50
Miscellaneous.....	.....	.....	.....	100 75	.....	100 75	.....
A. J. Lock.....	BR	56	23	83 00	25	83 25	25
Edna Fitton.....	BR	18	8	29 00	2 25	31 25	.....
Essie Burgess.....	BR	9	4	13 00	75	18 75	.....
Herman Chubb.....	BR	28	8	31 50	4 50	36 00	4 50
Carrie Chubb.....	BR	24	4	14 00	4 50	18 50	4 50
Alice Wery.....	BR	28	19	72 50	5 50	78 00	5 50
J. L. Bentley.....	BR	18	5	19 50	3 65	23 15	.....
		375	136	627 75	38 40	666 15	175 50

North Wisconsin

Johanne Benston.....	BR	34	8	29 50	50	30 00	.....
L. Darwae.....	BR	7	3	10 50	3 75	14 25	.....
Eliza Hummel.....	PG	35	18	63 00	1 50	64 50	.....
Bertha Jensen.....	BR	40	6	23 00	1 25	24 25	.....
Alfreda Hanson.....	BR	23	8	30 00	.....	30 00	.....
Claud Morris.....	BR	40	11	41 50	13 45	54 95	.....
Mollie Neilson.....	BR	32	12	45 00	2 25	47 25	.....
Grace Oswald.....	PG	35	18	67 00	50	67 50	.....
Ruth Oswald.....	PG	39	6	24 00	75	24 75	.....
Esther Ohlson.....	BR	32	18	65 00	2 50	67 50	.....
E. Macauley.....	BR	23	15	58 50	6 25	64 75	.....
Mabel Selby.....	BR	21	9	27 50	4 00	31 50	.....
Miscellaneous.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	271 25	271 25	.....
Jewel Hanson.....	PG	26	7	24 50	3 00	27 50	.....
		387	139	509 00	310 95	819 95	.....

South Wisconsin

F. H. Boettger.....	GC	21	15	57 50	1 00	58 50	.....
John Evert.....	DR	45	7	24 50	1 50	26 00	.....
Fred Schilling.....	DR	35	5	18 50	.....	18 50	.....
J. S. Koehler.....	DR	51	16	57 00	.....	57 00	.....
H. G. Reinmuth.....	DR	39	22	84 00	75	84 75	.....
Oscar Reinmuth.....	DR	45	27	104 00	75	104 75	.....
Harold Schilling.....	DR	36	16	62 00	75	62 75	.....
Florence Smith.....	BR	20	16	57 00	1 50	58 50	.....
Ruth Carlson.....	BR	13	2	8 00	1 75	9 75	.....
John Baker.....	WW	.....	.....	.....	1 00	1 00	.....
S. D. Meier.....	HM	31	21	52 50	50	53 00	.....
M. Henricksen.....	BR	24	4	14 00	.....	14 00	.....
		360	151	539 00	9 50	548 50	.....

East Michigan

E. V. Sykes.....	.....	16	3	10 50	1 75	12 25	.....
Floyd Myers.....	.....	40	.....	40 00	.....	40 00	40 00
J. Pengelly.....	.....	51	13	52 50	24 00	76 50	.....
Clarence Budd.....	.....	26	7	26 50	7 75	34 25	28 75
Jessie Boist.....	.....	18	7	28 50	50	29 00	.....
H. O. Butler.....	.....	57	35	127 50	9 00	136 50	.....
Harry W. Perrin.....	.....	33	17	65 50	75	66 25	.....
Mrs. Nettie Butler.....	.....	9	2	8 00	1 50	9 50	.....
Olive Medford.....	.....	9	2	7 00	2 00	9 00	2 00
Lilah Beamer.....	.....	36	10	28 50	3 00	31 50	3 00
Ethel Beamer.....	.....	38	18	50 50	4 25	54 75	3 75
		314	114	445 00	54 50	499 50	77 50

Northern Illinois

May Brownell.....	BR	32	26	96 00	6 75	102 75	.....
Otto Cedarvall.....	BR	4	2	8 00	.....	8 00	.....
Ruth Everett.....	BR	17	11	40 50	1 50	42 00	.....
E. A. Rideout.....	GC	17	6	22 00	3 75	25 75	.....
A. J. Swenson.....	BR	43	10	38 00	2 00	40 00	.....
A. W. Wennerberg.....	GC	42	6	23 00	7 50	30 50	.....
Durward Williams.....	BR	37	26	94 00	75	94 75	.....
Ora R. Williams.....	BR	25	19	66 50	3 75	70 25	.....
		217	106	383 00	26 00	414 00

*Two weeks

123 Agents.....	3780	1397	5352 25	1233 05	6585 30	1701 40
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Canvassing Pays

Canvassing pays. There is nothing like it. It pays in dollars and cents; it pay because it develops character; and pays because it draws the student nearer his God.

It is not easy work, but like everything else that takes a little effort, it brings happiness in the end. A hard experience will come once in a while but is forgotten as soon as it is past. And the good experiences come so much thicker.

One soon gets used to the walking and really enjoys it. The people in this territory are very hospitable. During the short time I have been out I have been invited to come back many places and stay over night for a visit. I seldom have to ask for a meal or for a place to stay over night.

No student need feel that he cannot come back to school for lack of means. What one can do all can do. There is plenty of time yet to earn a scholarship. I have made one and expect to go on and earn another and I have never canvassed before.

The people are ready for the Message. Now is the time to start canvassing.

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A good large list of subscriptions has just come from the Northern Illinois camp meeting which, with others that have come in since last issue, keeps up the average of a hundred a week. Will not our missionary secretaries who read this take up the matter and get after those who need the HERALD's weekly visits.

A Day of Fasting

There are many instances recorded in the Bible where the children of the Lord had a special season of fasting and prayer. The Saviour Himself told us that after His ascension His children on earth would fast and pray. These times are seasons of refreshing and spiritual awakening to God's people. The work of God at this time is in great need of consecrated Christian lives and of liberal gifts and donations.

Sabbath, July 14, is the day of our mid-summer offering. We are much behind on our 20 cents a week this year. Could not every church take this question under consideration and try to bring its quota up-to-date at the time of the mid-summer offering? It might be well to have a special prayer meeting Friday evening and begin this sacred Sabbath by fasting and seeking God. Our great need in the Lake Union is a closer walk with the Lord. If every child and all our isolated members observe July 14 as a day of fasting and prayer in harmony with the will of the Lord a great blessing will come to us all.

L. H. CHRISTIAN

The Summer School

We can say that the school has started off auspiciously, the number matriculating the first day exceeding the total enrollment of last year by two. The present enrollment is one hundred, while the total enrollment last year was eighty-five.

A very large per cent are church school teachers and they are taking hold in earnest. The prospects are for a very successful summer school.

A real spiritual uplift was given by the earnest talks from Eld. W. A. Spicer, who told us of his recent missionary trips, and especially of his visit to Ger-

many. Some very helpful suggestions were made to the church school teachers concerning the teaching of missionary geography. Elder Spicer gave four addresses to the teachers, all of which were greatly appreciated.

Word has been received that Professor Graf has had a successful operation. He will probably resume his duties at the College about the first of August.

W. H. WAKEHAM

Summer School Enrollment

WEST MICHIGAN.—Bertha E. Allen, Florence J. Ashley, Mildred E. Avery, Viola Boat, Harold W. Bullock, Florence Bylsma, Edith L. Christiansen, J. D. Clark, Mrs. J. D. Clark, T. Rose Curtis, Edna S. Decker, Mrs. Mary De Villez, Pearl L. Drumb, Mrs. Lillian Hanson-Eyestone, Flora K. Jensen, Hazel Klose, Winona G. Sevey, L. Faye Strickland, Maiziebelle Terry, Dorothy White.

EAST MICHIGAN.—Frances W. C. Ammon, Inez Bird, I. Marian Briggs, Beatrice Connor, Ruby L. Crain, Violette Hall, Ivah Klomp, Zeo Lehman, Abbie Little, Grace A. Martin, Dot McCormick, Ernestine Miller, Mrs. Nellie Vargason-Munger, Matilda J. Russell, M. Grace Shepard, Ruth J. Shepard, Ruth Tenny, R. Marguerite Tows, Esther I. Upson.

SOUTHERN ILLINOIS.—Alta H. Anderson, Cora L. Anderson, Bessie Hopkins.

NORTHERN ILLINOIS.—Anna A. Anderson, Mrs. Luulle Brannon-Birdwell, Dorothea F. Case, Ella Foreman, Josephine A. Holmes, Olive C. Jensen, Mamie Meleen, Edith Peterson, Marguerite Porter, Florence W. Puels, Mabel Rank, Harriette E. Schadway.

SOUTH WISCONSIN.—Maude Bisbee, Evelyn M. Broient, Grace L. Bush, Glen R. Chapman, Frances De Vinney, Matie Hanson, Edith Hickok, Kittie Hickok, Mabel V. Jenson, Helen M. Johnson, Grace M. Jorgensen, Lillian Mc Dowell, Hilda E. Nielsen, Grace Parfitt, Mabel H. Parfitt, Mrs. Bertha Peake, Nita Sackett, Dora E. Samson, Carl K. Wilson, Della M. Wood.

FOREIGN.—L. Vesta Clymer, Ohio; N. Nora Hyman, Washington, D. C.; Ella E. Knudson, Texas; Bessie Lee Morgan, Mississippi; Sallie Oberholzer, Texas.

NORTH WISCONSIN.—Harris M. Colburn, Laura A. Ellis, Mrs. Hazel Fink, Gertrude R. Holmes, Esther N. Kirschner, Lillian E. Kirschner, Pearl Squires, Minnie Wells.

NORTH MICHIGAN.—Myrtle C. Grahl, Grace L. Kemstra, Effie Mac Donald, Florence Orth, Shirley G. Waters, Nora Willaman.

INDIANA.—Hazel Guild, Ruth McCreery, Thelma O'Connor, Irene Pressnall, Donna L. Priddy, Ruby Ratcliffe, Edna Stureman.

Beautiful Songs

1. "The Paradise Home." The words give a beautiful description of the city of God. Ps. 87:3. The melody is pleasing.

2. "A Light in the Window up There." The two songs sent postpaid for 25 cents. Address, C. P. Whitford Orlando, Fla.

Camp Meeting Dates

Indiana, Wabash	- - - -	Aug. 16 to 27
North Michigan	- - - -	Aug. 23 to Sept. 3
Southern Illinois, Pana	- - - -	Aug. 30 to Sept. 9