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

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### The Place of Prayer

When Moslems hear the call to prayer,  
They come to bow at Allah's shrine.  
Should Christians seem to have less care  
To join in services divine?

Shall we, since Christ our Saviour said,  
God's house shall be a place of prayer,  
Absent ourselves and miss the bread  
Of life, which he dispenses there?

Free access to the mercy seat  
Within the temple's veil was given  
To Jewish and to Gentile feet,  
When by the cross the veil was riven.

Forsake not, then, the Christian's shrine,  
When Moslems frequent mosque and fane;  
Lest thus the veil by thoes divine  
Shall have been rent for thee in vain.

MRS. S. L. STOUT

Mackinaw, Ill.

### Some Predictions Fulfilled

In the *Review* of Feb. 17, 1890, Sister White wrote as follows: "The Lord will arise to shake terribly the earth. We will see troubles on all sides. Thousands of ships will be whirled into the depths of the sea. Navies will go down and human lives will be sacrificed by the millions. Fires will break out unexpectedly and no human effort will be able to quench them. The palaces of the earth will be swept away in flames. Disasters by rail will become more and more frequent. Confusion, collision and death without a moment's warning will occur on the great lines of travel. The end is near, probation is closing."

In the *Signs of the Times* of April 21 that same year this quotation occurs in an article by Sister White entitled "The Danger of Skepticism In Our Youth": "We have an individual work to do to prepare for the great events that are before us. The youth should seek God more earnestly. The tempest is coming, and we must get ready for its fury, by having repentance toward God, and faith toward our Lord Jesus Christ. The Lord will arise to shake terribly the earth. We shall see troubles on all sides. Thousands of ships will be hurled into the depths of the sea. Navies will go down, and human lives will be sacrificed by millions. Fires will break out unexpectedly, and no human effort

will be able to quench them. The palaces of earth will be swept away in the fury of flames; disasters by rail will become more and more frequent, confusion, collision and death without a moment's warning will occur on the great lines of travel. The end is near; probation is closing. O let us seek God while He may be found, and call upon Him while He is near! The prophet says: 'Seek ye the Lord, all ye meek of the earth, which have wrought His judgments; seek righteousness, seek meekness: it may be ye shall be hid in the day of the Lord's anger.'"

How vividly these words from the Spirit of Prophecy are being fulfilled right before our eyes. Human lives have literally been "sacrificed by the millions." Each week and almost every day brings its reports of ships hurled into the deep in the "frightfulness" of the "ruthless" submarine warfare. Already 2,000 ships with a tonnage of more than 4,000,000 have been lost. And for three years the world has expectantly looked for some navy of the belligerent to be destroyed in the great sea battle of this war. The airships drop bombs, the traitors and spies, even in our country, plant dynamite, and fires do break out suddenly causing the death of hundreds. The Lord wants His people to understand the meaning of these events. It is certainly time to be sober minded and to seek God. Should not these things appeal to our youth? While thousands are drafted into the war our young men and women should volunteer for God, enter our schools and prepare for service.

L. H. CHRISTIAN

### "Others May; You Cannot"

"If God has called you to be really like Jesus, he will draw you into a life of crucifixion and humility, and put upon you such demands of obedience that you will not be able to follow other people or measure yourself by other Christians, and in many ways he will seem to let other good people do things which he will not let you do.

"Other Christians and ministers, who seem very religious and useful, may push themselves, pull wires and work schemes to carry out their plans, but you cannot do it; and if you attempt it, you will meet with such failure and rebuke from the Lord as to make you sorely penitent.

"Others may boast of themselves, of their work, of their success, of their writings, but the Holy Spirit will not allow you to do any such thing, and if you begin it, He will lead you into some deep mortification, that will make you despise yourself and all your good works.

"Others may be allowed to succeed in making money, or may have a legacy left them; but it is likely God will keep you poor, because He wants you to have something far better than gold; namely a helpless dependence on Him, that He may have the privilege of

supplying your needs day by day out of an unseen treasury.

"The Lord may let others be honored and put forward and keep you hidden in obscurity, because He wants to produce some choice fragrant fruit for His coming glory, which can only be produced in the shade. He may let others be great, but keep you small. He may let others do a work for Him and get the credit for it; but He may make you work and toil without knowing how much you are doing; and then to make your work still more precious, He may let others get the credit for the work which you have done, and thus make your reward ten times greater when Jesus comes.

"The Holy Spirit will put a strict watch over you with a jealous love and will rebuke you for little words and feelings, or for wasting your time, which other Christians never seem distressed over. So make up your mind that God is an infinite Sovereign, and has a right to do as He pleases with His own. He may not explain to you a thousand things which puzzle your reasons in His dealings with you, but if you absolutely sell yourself to be His love slave, He will wrap you up in a jealous love, and bestow upon you many blessings which come to those only who are in the inner circle.

"Settle it forever, then, that you are to deal directly with the Holy Spirit, and that He is to have the privilege of tying your tongue, or chaining your hand or closing your eyes in ways that He does not seem to use with others. Now when you are so possessed with the living God that you are, in your secret heart, pleased and delighted over this peculiar, personal, private, jealous guardianship and management of the Holy Spirit over your life, you will have found the vestibule of heaven."

### Organizing Our Resources to Finish the Work

Since it is a fact that "The work of God on this earth can never be finished until the men and women comprising our church membership rally to the work, and unite their efforts with those of ministers and and church officers" (Testimonies for the Church, Vol. IX p. 117); and that "Were every one of you a living missionary, the message for this time would speedily be proclaimed in all countries, to every people and nation and tongue" (Id. Vol. VI., p. 438); and furthermore, seeing the solemn statement is made that, "There will be no idler, no slothful one, found inside the kingdom of heaven" (Id., 434); and that the world is breaking to pieces before our eyes and millions of souls must soon face their Creator in judgment, is it not high time to awake out of sleep, consecrate our lives, which means literally to fill our hands with service for God and men (1 Chro. 29:5, margin); organize our forces more thoroughly, buckle on the armor, and go to work in a systematic, conscientious and faithful manner?

It will no doubt be conceded by the reader that the work called for is a stupendous task, seldom, if ever, equaled in the annals of the church, and one that will call for the use of every resource at its command.

Do we not find a parallel in the most desperate

struggle for victory and mastery, that is now being waged by seventeen nations of the earth? And may we not learn a lesson in the conduct of our spiritual warfare of this time, from the nations of earth? We read that the men of this world are wiser in their generation than the church is.

As we view the situation among the warring powers we are forced to the conclusion that thorough organization is one of the chief, if not the chief element sought for by each contending faction. All personal rights have been brushed aside in a determined effort to let nothing interfere with it. Every man and resource are at the command of the leaders, to be used wherever and whenever they think best. The most cherished and holy relations of life are ruthlessly torn asunder that victory may be assured.

We would not infer by this that the work of God can be conducted to such extremes, neither would we seem to teach that organization can take the place of the spirit of God, but we do think it is plain that we can not hope to successfully prosecute this tremendous task to a successful conclusion without a much more perfect and thorough organization of all our forces.

At the time of the exodus a very perfect organization was perfected of all the hosts of Israel. When the boundaries of the Judean kingdom were the farthest extended, it was under the guidance of that wonderful organizer, King David, and when the people of God were the most hopelessly persecuted and their cause the most forlorn, was, when there was no central authority and utter lack of organization, viz., in the days of the Judges. Therefore how appropriate the counsel that has been given us in the following. "The end is near! *God calls upon the church to set in order the things that REMAIN.*" (An Appeal to Our Church, p. 19.

The work of the third angel's message is very well organized from the General Conference down, until the local church is reached, then the system becomes very weak. Very little attention has yet been given to some very essential features. In some cases very little effort is made to organize the territory; no regular meetings conducted in a manner calculated to bring results, are held; the matter of reporting is very feebly prosecuted, and oftentimes valuable letters and readings sent to the leaders by the conference office and department secretaries, are not even read before the congregations.

The enemy is well pleased to have it thus. He does not tremble with fear at such a lack of care, system and cooperation; but no doubt is instead well pleased, knowing that his kingdom is not in much danger, and the believers are not courageous and very sure of eternal life. We are solemnly warned in the following language. "Brethren, if you continue to be as idle, as worldly, as selfish, as you have been, God will surely pass you by, and take those who are less selfcaring, less ambitious for worldly honor, and will not hesitate to go, as did their Master, without the camp, bearing the reproach." (Testimonies for the Church, Vol. V, p 461).

"We can never be saved in inactivity. To be an idler in the Lord's vineyard is to relinquish all title to the reward of the righteous." (Id., Vol IV p. 523.)

If we are weak in this matter of organized, cooperative effort, is it not logical and necessary that we begin the work, from the material side, by organizing our forces thoroughly, and actively cooperate with the conference officers in the future? I have seen small cottages built on a foundation of wooden blocks or posts, but when a skyscraper is built several months of time and hundreds of thousands of dollars are needed to lay a foundation that can be relied on to hold up the structure. So in this mighty undertaking we must lay a firm, deep, and strong foundation, that will not fail.

(To be continued)

## South Wisconsin Conference

Office Address, Room 305 Ruh Bldg., Fond du Lac, Wis.  
President, C. S. WIEST

### News Items

Mr. and Mrs. Perham paid a visit to their daughter here at the office this week.

Our magazine workers are working the cities of the Fox River Valley this week. They are enjoying success in their work.

Mr. Frank Howard has taken up work in Iowa county with Bible readings. His first report amounted to over \$100. He was a student of the University of Madison last year and plans to be at the College at Berrien Springs with a scholarship.

Mr. Arno Wangerin just completed a very successful delivery in Marquette county. Out of a delivery of \$230 he did not lose an order.

Miss Mae Christiansen has just taken up work in Dane county and with her report states that one day she made seven exhibitions for Bible Readings and took eight orders. Surely the Lord is preparing the people to receive the message.

The workers in Marathon county are still sending in large reports. Mr. Harry Reinmuth last week worked fifty hours with Daniel and Revelation securing orders amounting to \$150.25.

### Special Attention

At our recent camp meeting three resolutions were adopted which I hope every believer in the South Wisconsin Conference will support and endorse, viz:

"1. Whereas, We are living in a very solemn time when prices, wages, and the cost of living are increasing, and whereas, times bid fair to become still darker and harder, therefore

"Be it resolved, That, claiming God's promise and blessing, we pledge ourselves to greater faithfulness in tithes and offerings."

The discussion on this resolution gave evidence that there are those in this conference who fall short in this important obligation. Surely this condition must not continue. Let those who thus hinder the spread of the gospel by withholding their tithes and offerings, change and give that which is holy unto the Lord.

The second resolution is,—

"2. Be it resolved, That we set our goal to lift our entire remaining conference indebtedness this year."

The entire indebtedness amounts to \$10,500. There

is no more opportune time to liquidate this debt than this year of prosperity. There are those who can help to remove this indebtedness by donating as much as \$500; others \$100, and still others less and perhaps others more. Be it small or be it much, let us all help and see how this mountain will melt away.

The third question is,—

"3. Be it resolved, That we instruct and urge all our brethren to pay a faithful two per cent."

This is a two per cent of all our income, which fund will meet the financial necessity of the entire conference. It will buy all our tents and camp meeting equipment, and every other expense that does not legitimately come under the tithe fund. Coming to this conference I learned of this splendid method for the raising of the tent fund, etc. I am converted to the plan and have paid my first two per cent. I hope all will become converted to the system for it is a simple and systematic method.

C. S. WIEST

### Eau Claire

The city of Eau Claire has the largest Norwegian population of any city in the South Wisconsin Conference. Much literature has been distributed among this people. A few have accepted the truth, others are reading our books and papers, and some seem interested. On my way, since camp meeting, I have met four times with our church in Eau Claire.

Sabbath forenoon, July 7, the ordinances of the Lord were celebrated, and the church business meeting was held on Sunday, two weeks later. The membership of the church is about forty and very cosmopolitan. The leader is a German, the deacon a Norwegian, and the clerk American, in love enjoying the sweet peace of God together. Quite a number of the church members are workers in home missionary lines, and that brings life and rich blessings to the church.

P. M. HANSON

### Summer Campaign

The readers of the HERALD will be pleased to learn of the location of the summer's efforts.

At the close of the camp meeting the committee gave careful study to the planning of our tent companies. We would have been glad to put five efforts in the field, but the financial condition of the conference would not permit this. It was therefore decided to have only four efforts.

On Sunday, July 15, was the opening service of the tent company that is conducting an effort at Marshfield. This is being conducted by Elder E. F. Ferris and E. E. Trowbridge. Elder Ferris writes that a splendid interest has been awakened, the attendance being as high as one hundred fifty persons.

The German tent is located in the city of Milwaukee. This effort is conducted by Elder G. P. Gaede assisted by brethren Westermeyer and Lorentz. It has now been running one week, with a splendid interest.

It was also decided to hold an effort in the city of Racine. No real English effort has been held in this city for many years. Elder Hicks and Brother Nels Peterson are conducting this series of meetings. This opened Sunday, July 22.

The fourth effort opened on July 22 also. This is conducted in Beloit by Elder A. F. French and Brother Chas. Johnson. The last two companies have had considerable difficulty in securing a tent site and were thus delayed in pitching.

We are expecting great things for the tent efforts this season. These brethren need your constant prayers. It is a great encouragement to our ministers when they know the believers are holding up their hands by their daily prayers. We shall report from time to time the success of these meetings.

C. S. WIEST

### West Michigan Conference

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President, Wm. Guthrie

### Union Meeting

The quarterly union meeting of the four churches of Allegan, Kalamazoo, Monterey and Otsego will be held at Monterey, Sabbath, Aug. 4. Elders S. B. Horton and F. H. Wright will be in attendance. A program has been arranged which it is hoped will be an inspiration and encouragement to all. There will be baptism after the forenoon service. An invitation is extended to all who can meet with us. Sabbath school at 10 A. M.

### Sabbath School Notes

The special 13th Sabbath offering for June 30 brought in \$1012.62 for Central China. The best record previous to this was \$900.54 given September 30, 1916. The total offerings for the past quarter were \$3104.95, the largest amount ever given by the West Michigan Sabbath schools in one quarter.

There have been sent out 397 Perfect Attendance cards and 53 ribbon bookmarks denoting one year's perfect attendance.

Our Sabbath schools are doing a double work, working for souls in foreign lands, as indicated by the offerings, and doing effectual soul winning work in their own conference as is shown by the 109 baptisms reported for the second quarter. These items should bring courage to every Sabbath school worker.

EDNA L. WALKER

### Holland

At the time of our distribution of labor it was assigned me to continue with the work at Holland, where I had preached Sunday evenings since the beginning of the year. On a recent Sunday morning it was our privilege to take five new members into fellowship by baptism. There still are many interested people here, who come to our Sunday evening meetings, to the Sabbath services and the midweek cottage meetings, who readily assent to the truths of the message, but fear of pecuniary loss or inability to procure a livelihood causes them to hesitate in obeying its just demands. But we are hopeful and not cast down. The Lord knoweth His own and He will give us fruits of our labors. Dear brethren and sisters in West Michigan, may we not ask an interest in your prayers that the Lord may advance His work in this part of the great harvest field?

WM. REEFMAN

### North Wisconsin Conference

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President, J. J. Irwin

### Chippewa Falls, Knapp, and Beldenville

In the afternoon, Sabbath, July 7, it was my privilege to meet with our church at Chippewa Falls in quarterly services. The Lord is blessing the missionary efforts of the faithful brethren and sisters. During the last quarter six new members were added to the church. May this good work continue is my prayer.

The following week, on my way to Beldenville, I stopped one day at Knapp where I had an enjoyable visit at the home of Brother Hanson. In the evening we had a well attended meeting in the church. One new member has been added to this church and several others are interested in the truth.

At Beldenville we held four meetings. On the Sabbath, as we celebrated the ordinances of the Lord, the sweet influence of the Spirit of God brought victory and peace to troubled souls. I will again meet with the Beldenville church Sabbath, October 6.

P. M. HANSON

### Walderly Academy Notes

Principal von Pohle has just returned from a visit to the Superior, Orange, Bone Lake, Cumberland and Bashaw Lake churches. He reports a good interest along educational lines in these churches. Within the next ten days he expects to visit the churches at Chippewa Falls, Jim Falls, Prentice, Ashland, and Washburn.

A fine set of Ridpath's "History of the World," and one also of Gibbon's "Decline and Fall of the Roman Empire," have recently been donated to the school. Our library is constantly growing.

Mr. George Andrus of the Bear Lake church, and Miss Gladys Englebert of Cumberland, are the latest additions to the school.

We have a number of boys and girls with us at the present time. All are too busy to be unhappy or discontented and the work in all departments is going nicely.

Misses Elizabeth and Florence Waterbury and Mr. B. E. Nelson have resumed their duties at the school.

### Southern Illinois Conference

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

### Among the Churches

Wednesday, July 18, I visited the tent company in Peoria. The attendance is not as large as we had hoped for but some are attending regularly and definite results are looked for with at least a few persons. The workers connected with this effort assisted by the Peoria church members are praying and working for an increasing interest. Let us all pray especially for this effort.

After a journey of a few hours, Friday, July 20, Centralia was reached, where a Sabbath school convention was held over Sabbath, July 21, conducted by Miss Grace Evans, our conference Sabbath school secretary. This was the third such convention held during the past month, the other two being at Duquoin and Kingman respectively. We cannot but feel that much good will come to these schools as the result of the topics presented and discussed relating to the Sabbath school work. Further detailed report will no doubt be given of these conventions in another article.

Sunday, July 22, I visited Elder C. W. Curtis and Brother and Sister C. J. Smith at Energy, where they are conducting tent meetings, and found a deepening interest in the message. On Sabbath, July 21, at the close of a short sermon by one of the brethren, a call was made for all who were going to obey God and unite with His people to stand and testify their faith and hope. Two more adults in addition to those who had already committed themselves in past meetings arose and expressed their intention to join the church. Quite a number are preparing for baptism which had to be deferred on account of the illness of some of the candidates.

The widespread interest in the community is arousing the opposition of some members of the Baptist church, who have talked of sending away for a minister of their belief to come and champion the Sunday cause and engage in debate with our brethren. Thus far, however, no definite developments have taken place to warrant our brethren considering the challenge at all. More good can be accomplished by continuing to present the message in a clear positive way and leave it with the people and God.

The new members will very likely join the Herrin church which is located about two miles from where the tent meetings are being held. A church school much larger than for some time past is planned for in the Herrin church school room.

E. F. PETERSON

## Indiana Conference

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President, Wm. A. Westworth

### Notices

The forty-fourth annual session of the Indiana Conference of Seventh-day Adventists, will be held in connection with the camp meeting in Wabash, Indiana, August 16-27, 1917. The first meeting will be held August 17, 1917, at 9, A. M. Such business will be transacted as may properly come before the conference.

W. A. WESTWORTH, *President*  
D. A. BAILEY, *Secretary*

The annual meeting of the Indiana Association of Seventh-day Adventists will be held in connection with the camp meeting in Wabash, Indiana, August 16-27, 1917. The first meeting will be called August 20, 1917 at 9:00 A. M. Such business will be transacted as may properly come before the Association. All duly accredited delegates to the Indiana Conference are delegates to the Association.

W. A. WESTWORTH, *President*  
M. C. GUILD, *Secretary*

The Indiana Medical Missionary and Benevolent Association will hold its regular annual meeting in connection with the conference in Wabash, Indiana, August 16-27, 1917.

The first meeting will be held August 20, 1917, at 9:30 A. M. Such business will be transacted as is deemed necessary. All accredited delegates to the conference are delegates to this Association.

W. A. WESTWORTH, *President*  
W. C. DUNSCOMBE, *Secretary*

## Summary for First Six Months of 1917

Name	Bk.	hrs.	ords.	sales	helps	total	del.
C. C. King	BR	905	245	901 50	34 38	935 88	759 04
W. H. Plake	BR	872	140	515 50	87 75	602 25	330 50
H. P. Brodt	BR	798	259	967 40	37 45	1009 65	439 50
Fred Possman	BR	641	148	544 50	2 25	546 75	413 00
Clinton Hall	BR	768	337	1237 50	2 75	1240 25	637 50
Ethel Haven	BR	572	117	431 75	31 80	463 55	150 80
C. F. Colton	BR	555	182	652 50	19 46	672 46	353 11
W. B. Ware	BR	541	169	625 00	30 85	655 60	241 50
Wilbur Moore	BR	511	180	672 50	27 75	700 25	528 50
Ray Brooks	BR	454	149	541 00	6 50	547 50	406 50
Fred Kaufman	BR	406	184	616 00	24 75	640 75	340 25
O. L. Hackney	BR	405	167	601 50	6 80	609 30	163 50
W. L. Dickerson	GC	383	99	364 50	4 50	369 00	337 75
E. L. Young	BR	347	96	338 00	7 05	345 05	167 50
L. E. Vance	BR	264	118	451 00	.....	451 00	421 00
Adam Ruf	GC	234	87	317 50	.....	317 50	.....
Fred Rahm	GC	202	70	256 00	3 00	259 00	.....
G. F. Ruf	GC	195	114	440 00	1 00	441 00	.....
Lydia Passer	GC	162	34	122 00	11 75	133 75	89 50
Leah Misner	GC	161	83	296 00	24 85	320 85	.....
Bessie Harrison	BR	157	80	320 00	16 75	336 75	.....
James Lecklider	GC	157	23	83 50	1 50	85 00	.....
Ford P. Cady	BR	152	92	309 00	21 00	330 00	7 50
H. J. Capman	ES	149	103	404 50	10 50	415 00	.....
W. H. Bergherm	BR	144	132	510 50	20 50	531 00	2 25
Vivian Thomas	BR	130	36	146 25	18 00	164 25	12 25
Edythe All	BR	114	61	228 50	14 75	243 25	1 75
Fred Wiggins	BR	113	33	120 50	.....	120 50	.....
Angeline Webster	BR	78	27	96 50	.....	96 50	.....
John C. Gavert	GC	76	17	59 50	75	60 25	75
Glady's King	DR	63	11	40 75	75	41 75	.....
M. S. Grimm	BR	55	16	66 50	5 00	71 50	17 50
F. S. Thompson	GC	49	18	58 00	.....	58 00	.....
James Keesling	GC	42	16	56 00	1 00	57 00	1 00
Ethyl Wood	BR	27	.....	39 50	.....	39 50	.....
T. A. Stottlemeyer	GC	21	6	21 00	.....	21 00	21 00
Glenn Bish	BR	149	56	237 00	1 25	238 25	.....
Sallie Bird	GC	43	16	60 75	4 50	65 25	.....
Panamah Saucerman	GC	109	55	162 50	10 00	172 50	6 00
Miscellaneous	.....	21	6	1771 00	.....	1771 00	.....
Totals			11,225	3777	490 89	5958 95	
					15,650 15	16,179 59	

It is somewhat of a coincidence that 1916 and 1917 should find the same number of workers in the field for the first six months of the year, but it is of far greater interest when we find that this same number of workers realized a substantial gain of \$5,259.99 for the first six months of this year over the corresponding six months of last year.

Surely, "it is nothing for Thee to help, whether with many, or with few, or with them that have no power," even amid war times.

E. M. FISHELL

## East Michigan Conference

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President, A. J. Clark

## Adelphian Academy Notes

The doors and other finishing material for the new addition arrived last Wednesday. The plastering is now well under way and the rooms are being rapidly finished.

A modern bath room has been constructed on the second floor of the Main Building for the boys rooming on that floor, and connections for hot and cold running water are now being extended to the third floor also.

Mr. Phipps and Mr. Newbold, of the Academy faculty, are now visiting among the churches in the interests of the educational work. Most encouraging

reports are being received. A detailed statement of their work will shortly appear.

The boarding department is canning a considerable amount of fruit this summer. Miss Patterson is directing this work during the absence of Miss Phelps.

All will be interested to know that the present condition of the crops on the Academy farm is most encouraging. Potatoes, beans, and corn are all making splendid progress. The garden is also producing more than it has for some time.

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### News Notes

Elder Westcott is pitching his tent at Pontiac this week, and preparing for the meetings to be begun next Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Paddock, of the Tract Society, were pleased to have Misses Clark and Parish, of the West Michigan conference office, with them over Sabbath and Sunday.

Reports of scholarships earned are coming in. We are very much pleased to see the canvassing work going along so nicely.

"World War" is doing much good. Some who buy it are loaning it to friends, and they in turn become interested and order the book.

A number of the brethren and sisters from Holly were in attendance at the dedicatory services held at Brent Creek last Sabbath and Sunday. This new building is not a great distance from another one of our organizations, and we trust that the light of truth may ever shine brightly in the community.

(Received too late for last week)

Elder Guthrie and family paid us a visit at the office this week. He will attend a dedication of the Brent Creek Church while with us.

Elder Willess and family received a call to labor in the Wyoming Conference, and have accepted the call. When we last heard from them they planned to leave the conference Monday, July 23.

Elder N. H. Pool and family are now located in their new home in Saginaw. They are occupying the same house which was occupied by Elder Woodman.

Mrs. J. B. McKenney had an operation at the Wabash Valley Sanitarium shortly after camp meeting. We are glad to know that she has returned home and is gaining rapidly.

Elder Clark just returned from Wabash Valley Sanitarium where he was called to attend a committee meeting.

Elder H. B. Westcott was a caller at the office this week. He was in Holly a short time on business.

The work on the addition at the Academy is progressing nicely. From all appearances everything will be in readiness when school begins.

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### An Experience with a Minister

Brother H. O. Butler writes, "I came to the home of a minister about seven Monday evening, and found him at the barn where I gave him a canvass. He seemed to be pleased with the book *Great Controversy* but did not feel able to buy. I suggested to him that perhaps I might stay over night and make the book somewhat cheaper for him. He told me that if his wife could manage to keep me that I might stay

over night. Well, the wife agreed and we had supper. After supper I again made an effort to get his order, but did not succeed. However he took my prospectus and looked it through very carefully. He agreed that it was a very good book. During our conversation he made some very complimentary remarks about Seventh-day Adventists. He was receiving the *Review Extra* and said he was much pleased to read it. At last, he asked if I was not an Adventist. Of course I informed him that I was. Well, to make a long story short, after an effort to get his order had failed, I asked him if he would recommend the book to his members in writing. He consented and took my pen and wrote a good word for me. It was better than an order. I sold a book to all of his members including the Superintendent of the Sunday school.

"In the small hours of the morning following, I began to plan as to how I could get a book into his home. The plan came to me to ask his members to donate a little and make him a present of a book. I followed the plan, and at the close of the week had nearly enough subscribed to buy him one of the best bindings, with the most of it paid in cash. So he will get a book anyway. We have a God that is still doing things on earth. I am glad to be able to cooperate with him in the salvation of men."

Brother Butler has worked 7 weeks and has taken \$833 worth of orders. W. H. BERGHERM

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### North Michigan Conference

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

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### New Notes

A. N. Anderson is at the office this week auditing the books.

Do not forget the camp meeting to be held in Cadillac, August 23 to September 3, 1917.

Brother and Sister Herman Chubb are working at West Branch. Brother Chubb's report last week totaled \$142.50, working 41 hours. Sister Chubb, working 23 hours, had sales amounting to \$66.50.

Encouraging reports come from the tent effort in Boyne City. Between 75 and 100 were present at the opening of the effort a week ago and the interest has continued.

A Missionary Volunteer convention was held in Rothbury, July 14 and 15. The Shelby church met at Rothbury also, and an excellent interest was manifested. Professors Russell and Garrett, and Miss Rasmusson were in attendance. The Young People's society furnished special music, and several excellent talks were given by its members.

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### Obituaries

STEWART.—Vidella Smith was born in River Falls, Oct. 7, 1892. She was married to Clinton Stewart, Sept. 21, 1915, and died very suddenly at her home near Ellsworth, Feb. 28, 1917. Sister Stewart was brought up an Adventist by her step-mother, Mrs. M. D. Smith, her parents passing away when she was a small child. She was baptized and joined the Beldenville church in 1911 of which she was a faithful and devoted member until her death. She leaves a husband,

a mother, and a brother, Floyd Smith, of Chicago. She was laid to rest with the assurance that the Master's blessing is hers.

MRS. BERL B. WILLIAMS

**SHELLEY.**—Loren L. Shelley was born in Gratiot County, Mich., April 20, 1877. When he was four years of age his mother died, and the family moved to Cedar Lake. Returning to his boyhood home, at the age of twenty-two he was married to Lettie Tryon. To this union four children were born, two of whom are living. The last fourteen years of his life were spent at Cedar Lake. He leaves a wife and two children, Elmer L. and Harry E., one brother in Honolulu, with other relatives and a host of friends. About two years ago he accepted the third angel's message and joined the Seventh-day Adventist church, of which he remained a faithful member. He died with a bright hope of the resurrection, May 28, 1917. Words of comfort were spoken by the pastor of the Congregational church at Edmore, Mich.

R. U. GARRETT

**KING.**—Ella Berch, born at Lafayette, Ind., Jan. 1, 1848, died at Turners, Mo., June 11, 1917, aged 69 years, 5 months, and 11 days. Sister King spent the greater part of her life in Indiana, but in 1904 came to Wayne County, Missouri, and in 1911 to Turners, where she spent the remainder of her life. She was married to George Apple in February, 1867, and to this union were born five children. Her husband, a son and daughter died, leaving her with three daughters. In March, 1902, she married Brother A. E. King, who with the three daughters, eleven grand children and a brother, with a host of friends, are left to mourn, but not without hope, for we believe that she sleeps in Jesus. The deceased united with the Seventh-day Adventist denomination in 1884, and remained a faithful member until death. The funeral service was conducted by the writer.

D. P. MILLER

### Canvassers' Report for Week Ending

July 20, 1917

#### South Wisconsin

Canvasser	Book	Hrs	Ords	Value	Helps	Total	Del
Lew Howard	DR	35	15	54 00	1 50	55 05	.....
	DR	43	9	31 50	3 75	35 25	.....
*Earnest Lutz	DR	98	29	103 50	6 25	109 75	.....
Emelia Robinson	GC	15	5	18 50	3 25	21 75	.....
Sam Meier	HM	33	22	57 00	1 00	58 00	.....
F. H. Boettger	GC	32	6	21 00	75	21 75	.....
Arno Wangerin	BR	36	16	60 00	1 50	61 50	.....
L. M. Feyen	BR	40	12	42 00	.....	42 00	.....
Alvin Thompson	DR	20	5	17 50	.....	17 50	.....
Ben Merickle	BR	16	7	24 50	.....	24 50	.....
Rose Trummer	BR	14	5	19 50	1 50	21 00	.....
F. A. Schilling	DR	28	3	7 00	.....	7 00	.....
*Mabel Woodbury	BR	33	28	109 00	.....	109 00	.....
John Evert	DR	43	4	14 00	1 50	15 50	.....
H. F. Bernitt	BR	56	13	46 50	15 75	62 25	.....
E. M. Bisbee	GC	40	4	15 50	11 75	27 25	.....
Ruth Bisbee	GC	43	4	14 00	12 00	26 00	.....
J. C. Frank	BR	20	3	11 50	4 75	16 25	98 50
May Christianson	BR	22	16	61 25	1 00	62 25	.....
G. Christiansen	BR	22	8	28 00	1 25	29 25	.....
W. A. Griffith	BR	24	9	33 50	.....	33 50	.....
Oscar Reinmuth	DR	50	22	90 00	75	90 75	.....
Harold Schilling	DR	46	22	86 00	2 00	88 00	.....
H. G. Reinmuth	DR	50	35	149 50	75	150 25	.....
L. E. Janke	BR	36	10	38 00	6 65	44 65	.....
K. Macauley	BR	41	20	66 50	2 25	68 75	.....
Wm. Smith	GC	42	8	28 00	2 00	30 00	.....
Frank Howard	BR	37	26	91 00	.....	91 00	.....
M. Christiansen	BR	39	5	20 50	.....	20 50	.....
Elmer Nelson	BR	34	4	17 50	1 50	19 00	.....
H. C. Chapman	BR	37	13	49 50	1 00	50 50	.....
Florence Smith	BR	26	8	28 00	1 50	29 50	.....
Ruth Carlson	BR	29	7	24 50	2 25	26 75	.....
*Ella Gilchrist	WC	.....	.....	.....	293 00	293 00	.....
J. S. Koehler	DR	53	16	60 00	.....	60 00	.....
Geo. Draeger	WW	.....	.....	.....	22 00	22 00	.....
Miscellaneous	.....	.....	.....	778 05	.....	778 05	.....
		1233	419	2316 30	463 15	2719 45	98 50

#### Indiana

Edythe All	BR	52	29	107 50	9 75	119 25	.....
Raymond Brooks	BR	68	26	94 00	.....	94 00	.....

M. G. Bish	BR	31	10	35 00	.....	35 00	.....
H. P. Brodt	BR	50	10	38 00	3 75	41 75	.....
W. H. Bergherm	BR	39	41	153 50	7 70	161 20	.....
C. F. Colton	BR	42	10	35 00	.....	35 00	.....
Ford Cadv	BR	26	16	65 00	3 00	68 00	.....
H. Capman	ES	43	18	67 00	13 00	87 00	.....
W. L. Dickerson	ES	31	9	34 50	2 75	37 25	.....
	ES	18	3	10 50	2 00	12 50	.....
M. S. Grim	BR	32	7	25 50	3 00	28 50	50 50
John C. Gaevart	GC	41	6	21 00	.....	21 00	.....
Ethel Haven	BR	21	3	10 50	2 75	13 25	.....
O. L. Hackney	BR	36	16	59 00	4 50	63 50	.....
Bessie Harrison	BR	35	18	70 00	5 25	75 25	.....
Clinton P. Hall	DR	54	34	124 00	.....	124 00	.....
F. Kaufman	BR	24	3	10 50	.....	10 50	.....
Gladys King	BR	25	6	21 00	25	21 25	.....
C. C. King	ES	48	21	78 50	.....	78 50	.....
James Lecklider	GC	45	7	24 50	.....	24 50	.....
Wilbur Moore	BR	45	18	75 00	.....	75 00	.....
Leah Misner	GC	32	7	24 50	5 00	29 50	.....
C. F. Mundy	GC	54	6	22 00	1 00	23 00	.....
W. H. Plake	BR	24	1	3 50	3 75	7 25	45 50
Fred Possman	BR	42	7	24 50	.....	24 50	.....
W. E. Peacock	ES	40	12	42 00	3 45	45 45	.....
Fred Rahm	GC	34	14	49 00	50	49 50	.....
Adam F. Ruf	GC	18	3	13 50	.....	13 50	.....
Panamah Saucerman	GC	30	6	21 00	4 50	25 50	.....
F. E. Thompson	GC	71	17	62 50	.....	62 50	.....
F. E. Trees	GC	42	2	7 00	1 00	8 00	.....
Fred Wiggins	GC	45	16	60 00	.....	60 00	.....
W. B. Ware	GC	26	3	11 50	2 50	14 00	.....
E. L. Young	GC	67	5	17 50	.....	17 50	92 00
		1331	410	1518 00	79 40	1597 40	188 00

#### Southern Illinois

*S. M. Stone	BR	82	23	83 50	5 00	88 50	.....
Jerry Suda	BR	43	13	46 50	4 50	51 00	.....
I. S. Falconer	BR	40	29	105 50	75	106 25	7 75
S. E. Teas	BF	33	18	36 00	75	36 75	.....
R. J. Watson	BR	45	17	60 50	6 75	67 25	.....
A. P. Lager	BR	11	5	17 50	4 50	22 00	.....
Paul Frasier	BF	36	4	8 00	2 50	10 50	.....
O. A. Morse	BR	41	13	46 50	1 50	48 00	.....
G. W. Kimberlin	BR	58	11	38 50	.....	38 50	.....
G. J. Taige	BR	42	6	22 00	1 00	23 00	.....
R. H. Brownell	BR	35	21	74 50	50	75 00	.....
Katherine Drury	BR	47	15	52 50	75	53 25	384 50
A. Blomstedt	BR	38	13	46 50	1 25	47 75	1 25
B. Anderson	BR	37	7	24 50	1 00	25 50	1 00
F. H. Johnson	BR	36	37	149 50	.....	149 50	.....
P. R. March	BR	38	16	58 00	2 75	60 75	.....
E. O. Dickson	BR	30	6	21 00	5 55	26 55	5 55
Myrtle E. Hill	BF	39	7	16 00	8 85	24 85	56 75
Cyril Courville	DR	55	11	39 50	.....	39 50	.....
John A. Evitts	BR	40	.....	.....	.....	.....	311 25
Ada Evitts	BF	20	.....	.....	.....	.....	129 13
Mary B. Long	BF	16	.....	.....	1 00	1 00	61 05
Lena Amba	BR	19	12	47 00	4 50	51 50	1 50
Pauline Santee	BR	16	10	37 00	.....	37 00	.....
Rav C. Carter	BR	39	11	38 50	1 50	40 00	.....
Mrs. J. McNabb	BR	19	5	17 50	1 00	18 50	37 00
Aaron Foster	BR	30	6	21 00	17 40	38 40	8 75
Russell Foster	BF	28	7	14 00	6 70	20 70	7 35
		1013	323	1121 50	80 00	1201 50	1012 83

Magazines: Russell Foster, \$2.

#### West Michigan

John T. Worrell	BR	36	17	59 50	1 75	61 25	.....
F. Stuart Thompson	BR	36	15	58 50	.....	58 50	.....
Scott Ford	BR	37	15	54 50	1 75	56 25	.....
John E. Kidder	HM	51	13	33 50	5 00	38 50	5 00
*W. A. Mallernee	BR	53	16	56 00	7 50	63 50	11 00
F. J. Steinkrauss	CK	69	14	28 00	4 20	32 20	.....
Mrs. S. A. McCov	ES	10	9	31 50	.....	31 50	.....
Bernice Webber	DR	26	5	17 50	3 50	21 00	2 25
Clara Garber	BR	25	7	24 50	2 75	27 25	2 00
Iva E. Garber	BR	25	6	21 00	5 25	26 25	4 00
Mrs. J. T. Worrell	BR	25	6	21 00	2 00	23 00	2 00
*Geo. DeCamp	CK	34	11	23 50	3 25	26 75	70 75
H. L. Kever	DR	16	4	14 00	2 50	16 50	6 00
G. A. Potter	BR	28	3	10 50	75	11 25	.....
C. F. McCoy	BR	13	3	10 50	1 00	11 50	.....
Mrs. Hibbard	BR	5	1	3 50	75	4 25	.....
		490	145	469 50	41 95	511 45	103 00

#### North Michigan

*Hermon Chubb	BR	68	59	215 50	8 00	223 50	8 25
Katherine Schmidt	BR	49	25	88 50	50	89 00	.....
*Carrie Chubb	BR	28	21	79 00	10 50	89 50	7 50
B. Hamilton	BR	41	10	36 00	2 75	38 75	2 75
L. G. Lamb	BR	27	7	25 50	8 00	33 50	.....
Alice Wery	BR	27	6	22 00	3 75	25 75	3 75
A. P. Friday	BR	42	7	24 50	1 25	25 75	.....
Bessie Wery	BR	28	3	10 50	4 75	15 25	4 75
Roy Simot	BR	38	1	3 50	3 00	6 50	17 00
G. C. LaCount	BR	23	.....	.....	.....	.....	107 50
		372	139	505 00	42 50	547 50	151 50



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## Northern Illinois

Ruth Anderson	BR	30	11	40	50	3	80	44	30	.....
Arthur Anderson	BR	14	8	30	00	2	25	32	25	.....
Otto Cedarvall	BR	47	9	36	50	4	25	40	75	.....
O. F. Endriss	BR	28	1	4	50			4	50	140 00
Ruth Everett	BR	21	11	39	50	2	25	41	75	.....
Magda Granlund	BR	31	10	37	00	6	80	43	80	.....
M. V. Haight	BR	26	9	33	50	2	00	35	50	.....
Mrs. Helen Hibben	BR	33	16	66	00			66	00	.....
F. G. Hibben	BR	41	23	97	50	1	50	99	00	.....
L. Jorgensen	BR	26	16	65	00	2	20	67	20	.....
J. C. Nixon	BR	7								64 25
Oscar Olson	BR	42	33	120	50	12	25	132	75	.....
A. J. Swenson	BR	44	11	44	50	2	50	47	00	225 00
A. M. Tatton	BR	46	13	48	50	5	50	54	00	.....
E. R. Thiele	BR	31	29	115	50	1	80	117	30	.....
F. E. Vaughan	BR	33	18	70	00	5	50	75	50	.....
Roy Van Buren	BR	31	10	35	50	8	85	44	35	.....
Melissa West	HC	4	5	3	40			3	40	.....
Durward Williams	BR	40	24	85	00			85	00	.....
*Ora R. Williams	BR	31	16	57	00	3	75	60	75	.....
		606	273	1029	90	65	20	1095	10	429 25

## North Wisconsin

Helen Aunet	ES	27	7	25	50	2	00	27	50	.....
Mabel Seiby	BR	32	13	37	50			47	50	.....
Alfreda Hanson	BR	34	11	44	00		75	44	75	.....
Jewel Hanson	PG	17	2	7	00	1	50	8	50	1 50
Eliza Hummel	PG	12	5	19	50	1	50	21	00	.....
Ruth Hoffman	HM	44	33	92	50	1	50	94	00	1 50
Bertha Jenson	BR	40	8	32	00	2	00	34	00	2 00
Mollie Nelson	BR	18	9	36	50	1	50	38	00	3 50
Esther Ohlson	BR	18	7	27	50	5	10	32	60	.....
Beulah Johns	BR	33	11	39	50	2	25	41	75	2 25
Horace Wheeler	BR	1	1	3	50			3	50	.....
E. Macauley	BR	37	8	29	00	6	00	35	00	6 00
Guy Engelbert	BR	39	3	10	50	3	75	14	25	1 25
Ole Lyberg	BR	39	10	39	00	3	75	42	75	.....
Johanne Bentson	BR	41	12	49	00	3	25	52	25	2 75
Marion Engelbert	HM	40	24	65	00	1	50	66	50	.....
Miscellaneous				41	25			41	25	.....
		472	164	608	75	36	35	645	10	20 75

## East Michigan

H. O. Butler	GC	47	37	143	50	4	00	147	50	4 00
Harry W. Perrin	BR	42	17	65	50	1	50	67	00	.....
Clayton Kelser	BR	45	16	60	00	2	50	62	50	2 50
Ethel Beamer	HM	39	13	32	50	15	00	47	50	3 75
J. Pengelly	BR	53	6	23	00	19	25	42	25	42 25
Lilah Beamer	HM	35	13	33	50	8	00	41	50	2 25
B. Wonders	BR	42	7	26	50			26	50	.....
Anita Thurgood	HM	15	7	20	50	1	25	21	75	1 25
Edna Andrews	ES	20	3	10	50	4	00	14	50	.....
Ruth Hawke	HM	25	5	13	50	1	50	15	00	.....
Grace O'Brien	HM	15	4	10	00	1	25	11	25	1 25
D. M. Robb	GC	38	8	28	00	2	50	30	50	2 50
Floyd Myers	VW	45		49	50			49	50	49 50
Miscellaneous						1000	00	1000	00	1000 00
		464	136	516	50	1060	75	1577	25	1109 25

\*Two weeks

171 Agents 5980 2009 8085 45 1809 30 9894 75 3113 08

## Summer School and Teachers' Institute

In many ways the Lord is richly blessing us at the summer school. Our enrollment is 110. This is 25 more than the total for last year. It is the largest enrollment since the days of the Summer Assembly when this was the only Summer School east of the Mississippi.

A spirit of earnest and willing work has prevailed from the first. Nearly all are planning on teaching in our church schools next year. Of actual teachers enrolled South Wisconsin has the largest number.

One interesting feature this year is the fact that there are enrolled several who are new in the faith. These are taking a deep interest in Bible study and in the spiritual life of the school.

Institute will begin Thursday afternoon, August 9, and continue until Sunday night August 12. Teachers' examinations will be held the 13th and 14th. Examinations in subjects required for the Third Grade, Second Grade, First Grade, and Professional certificates will be given. Only second and third grade subjects may be taken at the special examinations in the local conferences.

Those who have been unable to enter the Summer School will find it greatly to their advantage at least to attend the Institute. One or more representatives from the General Department will be in attendance. The Institute will immediately follow the Normal Council to be held at College View, Neb., and those who attend will receive the benefit of a first knowledge of the actions taken at this important gathering. Your only expense while here attending the Institute will be for board. Every teacher in the Union should plan to be present during this time. Anything that will make for greater efficiency in our work should not be lightly regarded. Our best is none to good for our Master. If you hope to come, drop a line addressed Emmanuel Missionary College, Berrien Springs, Mich.

C. A. RUSSELL

## Business Notices

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**WANTED.**—Steady position on farm by young man and wife. Have had some farm experience. My wife is experienced in house work. Would like to locate near church. Address Roy Churchill, 536 Grover St., Owosso, Mich.

**WANTED.**—A place to work in a Christian home where I can keep the Sabbath. Have one child. Mrs. Gillmore, Gen. Del., Lafayette, Ind.

## Camp Meeting Dates

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