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

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## God Reigns, I Will Be True

What matter if the clouds hang low?

What matter if the bleak winds blow?

What matter if I may not know

The reason why these things are so?

God reigns!

I will be true.

What matter if my friends are few?

What matter where they are or who?

What matter what men say or do?

What matter what God leads me through?

He reigns!

I will be true.

What matter if this life is brief?

What matter if I've toil or grief?

I, in my Saviour find relief.

Of all my joy He is the chief.

God reigns!

I will be true.

No matter what I must resign;

No matter how the fires refine,

If I but with His image shine.

By faith I clasp His hand divine.

God reigns!

I will be true.

No matter if my bark is frail,

In Jesus' name I breast the gale,

No matter if all else should fail,

My anchor holds within the vail.

God reigns!

I will be true.

—L. P. J.

## From the Camp Meetings

I am sure our people will be glad to know something of what is happening at our camp meetings, and I am glad to report some items of interest. There has been more than usual interest in the distribution of our literature. As I have observed it in the four conferences visited thus far, it has exceeded all previous records in the same conferences. Hundred of dollars' worth of literature are being placed in the hands of our people, who are filled with a desire and enthusiasm to place this literature in the hands of a judgment-bound

world. Statistics handed me from West Michigan show the largest sales that we have ever made at a West Michigan meeting. On the last Sunday of the meeting 26,000 copies of "A world in Perplexity" were sold. During the meeting about \$16,000 was pledged for missions and mission work.

I have not the report as to the total offerings from Northern Illinois, nor the total book sales. Neither have I the report from East Michigan as to total book sales, but when present the sale of books seemed to be exceeding any previous record, and the offerings to missions, I am informed, were the largest at any camp meeting in the history of East Michigan, totalling in all nearly \$25,000.

The spirit of liberality manifested in the South Wisconsin Conference at this writing has been the best witnessed in a number of years, according to reports.

A deep spiritual interest is also being manifested in all the meetings, at the consecration meetings a large per cent of the congregation renewing their consecration and many new converts surrendering themselves to the Lord. When asked if they were willing to dedicate their children to the finishing of this work, together with their earthly possessions, nearly all have risen to their feet and have backed up this pledge with liberal offerings to missions. Truly it is the time of God's power and the Lord's people are showing their willingness. I am greatly encouraged to press forward to reach our goal of 2,500 souls for Christ this year. I am sure that with the cooperation of the people throughout the field, and a deep consecration on the part of the workers,—both ministers and Bible workers,—and the Lord's blessing upon our work, we shall succeed.

The Lord has given us excellent weather during the entire month, and we are trusting Him for the remaining days, which will complete our first series of camp meetings, numbering five, which end June 30.

As we look out into the world of war, bloodshed, and suffering, surely our hearts ought to rejoice as we see the willingness of God's people to press in and finish the work at the earliest possible moment. May He make you willing, dear reader, and give you the blessing of faithful service, and the joy of gathering fruit for His kingdom.

WM. GUTHRIE

## Educational Campaign

I am sure the readers of the HERALD will be anxious to know something of our educational campaign in its very inception. I have been more than encouraged at the way our brethren are taking hold of the education of our young people. A number of individuals have given us quite large offerings; one lady placing \$1,000 in cash and another \$1,200 in liberty bonds at our disposal. A number of others have given from one to

five hundred dollars each, the total amount pledged to date being \$12,522. A fair proportion of this has already been paid in, and the rest, I think, will be safe by December 31.

West Michigan has appointed a financial agent to take up this work at once. The man appointed is Brother I. A. Ford who has had a great deal of experience in our denominational work and who, we are sure, will give splendid assistance to West Michigan in the raising of its \$32,000 on its educational fund. We trust you will treat him cordially when he comes to your church, and that you will recognize the importance of the training and education of your children as workers to finish the third angel's message.

We shall endeavor in some later article to give the amounts raised in each conference, and later on, if statistics can be had, shall be glad to report the increase from week to week as the workers get into full swing in this great educational drive. We ought to have four thousand to six thousand young people of the Lake Union in our schools this fall. This will be an increase of one thousand over the past year. I believe the Lord will help us in doing this, which will mean in a short time an addition of thirty-three and one-third per cent to our graduates; hence a larger supply of workers and a more rapid movement in the completion of our work.

At this writing I have visited East Michigan, West Michigan, Northern Illinois, and South Wisconsin camp meetings. The people generally are taking a deep interest in the education of their children, and we are sure that God will give great victory as we work to get them into our schools and trained for the Master's service. We earnestly solicit the prayers of God's people for the success of this work, and assure you that we appreciate your cooperation in our efforts. May God bless and guide this people and make them faithful in their good work until the end.

WM. GUTHRIE

### Suppose

Suppose you were to be asked how many persons you had persistently tried to win to Christ during the past month, or even during the past year. What would your answer be? How many have you even spoken to? Have you let a whole year go by without so much as even trying to win one soul to Christ?

The story is told of a dear old Adventist sister who had been very faithful in distributing literature in the homes of San Francisco before the earthquake and fire which destroyed a large section of that city. After the fire as she stood out on Telegraph Hill with some friends, she looked down over the smoldering ruins of the burned section and said, "I stand before God this morning with a clear conscience, for I have visited and placed literature in every home in that burned area. They have had an opportunity to know this message."

What a wonderful testimony! Suppose you, dear reader, should unexpectedly be placed under similar circumstances and a large section of the town in which you live or even your neighbor's home just next door should be burned and a number of lives be lost, could you stand before God with a clear conscience and say

that you had done your part in giving them an opportunity to know this truth? Let us be real frank with ourselves. Would your conscience be clear? Would you have a real satisfied feeling that you had done all you could for perishing souls if this message should suddenly close now? Is your church doing everything it can in placing the truth in every home in its community?

I wonder who will be the first to report that his or her church is placing literature in every home in its territory?  
J. L. McCONAUGHEY

## West Michigan Conference

Office Address, 8 Pearl Street, Grand Rapids, Mich  
President, E. K. Slade

### Resolutions

WHEREAS, The blessing of God has been manifested to us as a conference during the last year in so many ways, prospering us in our missionary endeavors, giving to our laborers health and crowning their efforts with success in winning souls, also in prospering the various lines of work carried on by the conference; therefore be it

1. *Resolved*, That we hereby express our gratitude to God for these tokens of His love and that we rededicate our lives and our all to Him for the finishing of the gospel work and the hastening of the coming of the Lord.

### In Memoriam

Since the last meeting of the West Michigan Conference, we have been called upon to part with three faithful laborers, Elders A. C. Bourdeau, William Reefman, and R. C. Horton.

Elder Bourdeau, one of our pioneers in the message, whose faithful labors contributed much in the development of the work in Canada, the East, and other parts, died in Battle Creek, July 7, 1916, at the age of eighty-two years and was buried there. Although on the list of retired ministers, Elder Bourdeau continued to exercise a lively interest in the work to which he had dedicated his life.

Since our last meeting, the West Michigan Conference has been called upon to part with Elder Wm. Reefman, who fell asleep in Jesus, May 17, 1918, at the age of fifty-eight years and six months lacking a day, also Elder R. C. Horton, who died in November, 1916. Their obituaries appeared in the LAKE UNION HERALD with which all are familiar.

In the death of these brethren the conference sustains the loss of faithful laborers; therefore,—

2. *Resolved*, That in memory of these dear brethren a copy of their obituaries be recorded on the minutes of this conference and that a copy of this proceeding be conveyed to the widows and families with an appropriate letter from the conference officials.

In view of the coming conflict and crisis relative to religious freedom,—

3. *We recommend*, (a) That our church officers continue to maintain and make prominent the fourth Sabbath in February as Religious Liberty Day, and utilize the religious liberty fund exclusively for the purpose for which it is given.

(b) That a *Liberty Magazine* goal be fixed equal to one subscription for each church member, and that the church officers be asked to plan accordingly at the earliest opportunity.

WHEREAS, There are over a million and a half people in the territory of the West Michigan Conference who must be reached with our message, and whereas the Testimonies tell us, "the work of God in 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 church officers"; therefore,—

4. *Resolved*, That we urge all the churches in the West Michigan Conference to engage in an aggressive campaign during the next two years to place the message in every home in the city, town, or community in which they are located :—

(a) By a liberal distribution of our literature in a systematic house-to-house work.

(b) To so organize this work that every member may be encouraged to take part in this campaign, using any and all methods of missionary activity possible.

WHEREAS, The Testimonies state that "the greatest help that can be given our people is to teach them to work for God," we recommend that when conference laborers raise up new churches or visit churches, they both encourage and teach the members to become workers for souls.

WHEREAS, The Lord has planned that the light of truth shall shine to all parts of the world, and the work be finished in a short time, and whereas, He has ordained that this in a large degree shall be done by the printed page; be it therefore

5. *Resolved*, That each church and individual take a personal interest in this line of endeavor :—

(a) By each prayerfully considering whether God would not have him devote all or a part of his time to it.

(b) By encouraging others to engage in it.

(c) By helping and encouraging those who are already devoting their time to this work.

(d) By those who are in this work being faithful, and by their success and prayers enlarge the number of those who should be doing this work.

6. In view of the great educational campaign to be launched this summer, and in harmony with the recommendation from the Union Conference, we would suggest that the president of this conference devote as much time as possible to the carrying out of the campaign policies and that two other conference workers devote full time; these workers not to include the representatives from the educational department, the academy, or College.

We further suggest that all conference ministers study to weave into every sermon delivered to our own churches a few pithy, striking, and effectual educational thoughts, and act as boosters to this campaign wherever they go.

That every worker become conversant with the campaign policies and literature, and become wise distributors of the same.

That every Bible worker accept as a part of her work, the soliciting of children for the church school and students for the academy and College in her local territory.

That every church be encouraged by its local elder and pastor to standardize its school at once so that it may bear the inspection of state officials.

That Educational Day, August 10, be observed by every conference worker, local elder, and school board, making special plans for a liberal offering on that day; all churches having no school to be included in this day's campaign.

WHEREAS, There are in the Lake Union Conference seven hundred fifty young men and women of college age, according to a careful estimate, and

WHEREAS, There are accommodations at Emmanuel Missionary College for only about one hundred twenty-five in the College Homes, and two hundred in class and chapel rooms, and

WHEREAS, The advance of our cause in home and mission lands depends upon our bringing more young men and women into our work, and to do this we must have more room at the College, and

WHEREAS, To make this enlargement will require \$75,000, which the General Conference has authorized; therefore,—

7. *Resolved*, That we enter heartily upon the raising of our portion of this amount, which is approximately \$16,000, and further

*Resolved*, That we raise \$9,000 for buildings and improvements at Cedar Lake Academy; \$3,000 for Battle Creek Academy; and \$4,000 for our church schools, making a total of \$32,000 for our school interests, and that the money raised be disbursed proportionately according to these specified amounts.

WHEREAS, The Harvest Ingathering Campaign has proved a great blessing both in raising funds to help swell our gifts to missions, and at the same time to acquaint the public with the character and growth of this world-wide movement, be it

8. *Resolved*, (a) That the month of September of 1918 be the time to open the campaign.

(b) That we ask our members to make their individual goal at least \$5.

(c) That we aim to realize an average of twenty-five cents for each paper circulated.

WHEREAS, *Present Truth* meets the present day demands for cheap, attractive, and effective missionary literature, and

WHEREAS, This paper, through its encouraging results, stimulates the missionary spirit in our churches, and brings people quickly to a knowledge of the truth; therefore,—

9. *We recommend* it to all our churches for use in systematic missionary work.

10. *Resolved*, That in view of the fact that our Sabbath schools are constantly in need of new teachers, and that teachers already in charge of classes need to study better methods and plans for making their work more efficient; and that in view of the fact that few of our teachers have availed themselves of the Sabbath School Workers' Training Course, we recommend that an aggressive effort be made on the part of our Sabbath school officers and conference workers to have every Sabbath school teacher a member of the training class, and that each teacher be responsible for one member of his or her church to also enter this training class with the object of acting as alternate for the

regular teacher and eventually to become a regular teacher also, thus partly solving the ever present problem of supplying efficient teachers for our Sabbath schools.

*We recommend*, That the Sabbath School Teachers' Training Course be made a more important factor in our schools—(a) By each officer in the school becoming a member of this course, thus setting an example for the teachers.

(b) That each teacher be visited personally if necessary and invited to join this course.

(c) That the presentation of the studies be given in the most interesting and attractive manner possible.

In harmony with a resolution adopted at the Fall Council of 1917, we urge that this conference conduct an annual institute of at least four days' length for local Missionary Volunteer officers.

We reaffirm the following resolutions passed at the 1916 camp meeting:

"*We recommend*, That the church elders and officers do everything possible to encourage the organization and maintenance of Missionary Volunteer societies.

"Since good books greatly enrich one's store of knowledge and are potent factors in influencing the life, and since many are led into wrong paths by the reading of harmful literature, we urge

"That great pains be taken to place in the hands of the youth the valuable books recommended by the Missionary Volunteer Department.

"Since the example of the teacher or leader has such an influence over children and youth, we recommend to our churches, that the greatest care be exercised in the selection of the Sabbath school and Missionary Volunteer officers, only those being chosen who are living examples of the Bible standard in conversation, dress and deportment."

WHEREAS, The call of God for this hour is to quickly warn our cities, and whereas the scarcity of laborers in the field necessitates extraordinary effort on the part of ministers and Bible workers; therefore,—

11. *Be it recommended*, That special study and consideration be given by the Executive Committee and the workers to fill the calls for work in the cities of the West Michigan Conference in providing for a special evangelistic campaign to be conducted throughout the year.

WHEREAS, The liquor interests are secretly and openly carrying on a propaganda which, if successful, would turn the splendid victory for the cause of temperance into defeat; therefore,—

12. *Resolved*, (a) That we as delegates to the sixteenth session of the West Michigan Conference of Seventh-day Adventists again place ourselves as forever and unalterably opposed to the liquor traffic as the destroyer of homes and of morals, and we believe it to be our Christian duty as well as a patriotic one to throw the whole weight of our influence against the great destroyer by voice and pen and vote.

Believing the tobacco habit, and especially the cigarette, to be a curse second only to liquor, we reaffirm our stand upon this question as unalterably opposed to the use of tobacco in any form.

As a means for carrying forward an active temperance campaign, we recommend the use of the *Youth's*

*Instructor* Temperance Annual and the Anti-Tobacco number; also other temperance literature.

(b) That in harmony with the trend of public sentiment in behalf of the principle of conservation in food supply and the moral of the nation's manpower, this conference respectfully request the national Senate and House of Representatives to initiate and pass such legislation as will prohibit the manufacture and sale of alcoholic beverages for the period of the war.

(c) That we request the state legislature to ratify the recent Prohibition enactment of the national Congress.

13. *We recommend*, (a) That the medical secretary be requested to devote as much time as he can consistently with his other duties in the field, instructing our people in health principles.

*Resolved*, (b) That the conference and sanitarium conduct such a vigorous campaign in medical work as shall bring all new members and others of our people into full knowledge of the principles of health reform.

In view of the need of medical training in the work of the denomination, and also in the world,

*Resolved*, (c) That our young people of sufficient age and experience who desire to be medical missionaries be urged to seek a training in medical lines in our institutions.

*Resolved*, (d) That all our people be encouraged to subscribe for *Life and Health*, and provide themselves with such other of our health literature as will enable them to become thoroughly prepared in healthful living and the rational treatment of disease.

WHEREAS, For nearly seventy years our general church paper, *The Advent Review and Sabbath Herald*, has been one of the leading factors in establishing unity of purpose and action in our work, and has kept our members informed regarding the progress of the message throughout the entire field, and

WHEREAS, Those who do not regularly read our church paper are missing that which is a great help to them in maintaining their Christian experience; therefore,—

14. *We recommend*, That earnest efforts be continued to place the *Review* in the home of every English reading believer.

WHEREAS, The two-per-cent Fund has been a great help to the conference in defraying local expenses, such as the purchase of tents and equipments, the caring for the poor, etc., and whereas more funds are required to meet these needs; therefore,—

15. *Resolved*, That we ask all our people to adopt the two-per-cent plan.

16. *Resolved*, That we hereby express our appreciation to the people of Allegan for the splendid reception accorded us, and for the hospitality provided during this encampment; also to the *Gazette and News* for freely publishing announcements and items pertaining to the meetings.

*Further resolved*, That we express our grateful thanks to Grinnell Brothers Music House of Kalamazoo for their generosity in providing for our use during the meeting one of their splendid pianos free of cost.

COMMITTEE

### Colporteur Notes

Brother Wiggins: "I sold a book to a lady who was an Adventist but is now a teacher in a Later-day Saint college. I also secured orders from many Catholic families."

Brother Mulholland sends a report of \$85 this week from Grant, Michigan, where he is working with "Our Day," and informs us that he has another canvasser ready for the work.

Sisters Bylsma, Klose, Stevens, and Keeney, working in and near Charlotte report excellent sales the past week and good experiences. The girls are putting forth their first efforts in this work, and God is blessing them beyond their expectations.

Brother Zwemer, who is working in Kent County, has had a very successful week.

Brother Paul Coppock reports a successful delivery in La Grange County, Indiana.

Sister Rubie Boyd has taken up the sale of "Our Day" in Muskegon, and in thirteen hours she secured seventeen orders.

Marian Owen writes: "The Lord has blessed me this week. While canvassing a lady several teams went by hauling gravel on the road. After getting the lady's order I went out and met one of the teams that had gone by and was coming back after another load. The driver asked, 'How much are those books?' I took out my prospectus and told him. He said, 'What kind of books are they, war books?' As he was in the wagon I could not canvass him, so I handed him my prospectus. He told me to put him down for one and that I could get the pay Saturday night."

Brother Ferney, canvassing among Holland people, reports good success.

Sisters Magoon and Webber have a cheery word also, and are doing well in Ottawa County.

Dear readers, as you read these experiences cannot you hear God calling you to the work? We have territory to be worked and would be glad to enlist you.

Address me at Grand Rapids, Box 55.

W. B. MARIS

### Educational Rallies

#### Grand Rapids

On July 6 will be an educational rally in Grand Rapids. Prof. C. A. Russell will be present. Near-by churches, Bauer, Wright, and others who may desire to join us on this occasion should feel free to do so. Other workers may be present.

#### Greenville

On July 13 a rally will be held in Greenville when Elder E. K. Slade, I. A. Ford, Mr. G. A. Simpson and others will be present. Such churches as Ionia, Sheridan, Carson City, Cedar Springs, Sand Lake, Trufant, Howard City, Lakeview, Frost, and any others who may desire should feel free to attend. The new school building will be dedicated at this time.

Two meetings will be held on Sabbath, one at the hour of the regular morning services and the other early in the afternoon. Come prepared to stay the entire day.

EDUCATIONAL SUPERINTENDENT

### Southern Illinois Conference

Office Address, 304 W. Allen St., Springfield, Ill.  
President, W. H. Holden

#### Decatur

June 15, seven went forward in the ordinance of baptism at this place, all adults except one. The Sunday evening meetings at the church closed June 9. The week following a tent was located in the central part of the city, and June 16 the first meeting was held. We have had a fair attendance. Friday evening many more came to hear the subject, "Will Wilhelm the Second and His Successors Dominate the World?"

We desire to make this effort an "extraordinary" one as the Spirit of prophecy tells us ("Gospel Workers," page 345) that "no ordinary effort will interest the people in the cities where there is so much to attract and please." As we pray for the great work here and elsewhere, we earnestly solicit the prayers of our people in this field for the work at Decatur.

MARY B. CRAIG

### Cheering Reports from the Canvassers

Miss Myrtle Hill, a student of Fox River Academy, who is now located at Springfield, worked about forty hours in the country and took fifty-two orders for "Our day," which amounted to \$105. She says, "I have certainly enjoyed my first week's work. The Lord has blessed wonderfully, and the people were very kind and hospitable. There seems to be a desire for a book like 'Our Day.' Many ask if this world war is not Armageddon."

Misses Magda and Elvina Granlund from the Swedish Seminary, are located at Astoria, working in Schuyler County with "Bible Readings." Miss Magda writes, "We are enjoying the work and are thankful that we have a part in it. Our sales amount to \$80.60 for forty-one hours. Miss Elvina says, "I am of good courage and glad to have a part in finishing the work of the Lord. This is my first week. My sales were \$51 in thirty-eight hours."

Miss Iva Klomp from the College, says, "We are still of good courage and determined to reach our goal which is \$100."

Miss Pauline Santee from the College, writes, "I spent nearly all afternoon talking with an old lady who had lost faith in God. I felt so incapable of doing anything to comfort her, but I just asked the Lord to help me. When I arose to go she asked me not to leave her, and begged me to come back that night. The Lord has a greater work for us to do in the canvassing field than earning our scholarship." I just received another report from Miss Santee for twenty-eight hours with orders for \$155.55.

Miss Mary Long, a student of Fox River Academy, writes, "A man told me Thursday that he had \$2 put away for the book I have. He said, 'I knew that some one was coming with a book of that kind,' and when I was showing it to him he stopped me and said, 'That is the book, and there is the very picture I have been

looking for.' He got up and went into another room and soon returned with a \$2 bill."

C. B. Courville said, "I took three orders on Thursday and five on Friday. I remembered a few things about 'staying by,' and I stayed by till I got my order."

Now I have a question for you men who have the skill, strength, and wisdom to dig coal, shoe horses, mend automobiles, etc. If a meek little school girl can make wages of from \$10 to \$15 a day, how can you say, "I can't make a living canvassing"? Yet you are making only half that amount at your present occupation.

R. J. WATSON

## North Michigan Conference

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

### Boyne City Church

Sabbath, June 22, I had the privilege of meeting with the Boyne City brethren, where Brother Piper and Brother Wilcox have been laboring for the past few months, and a company of believers has been raised up.

The work was greatly hindered owing to the fact that in the midst of a good interest they were compelled to close their meetings on account of the fuel situation, but, in spite of this, some were brought to a knowledge of the truth.

After giving consideration to the work in Boyne City, it was thought best to organize the company into a church. A full corps of officers were installed and they have an active missionary society. They have been able to rent a neat little church building for a place of worship, and we are looking forward to active work being continued by the members.

E. A. BRISTOL

God has put us here to make the world brighter, happier and better by our lives, and by helping bear one another's burdens. Every one of us should study how he can be a blessing to others. Let us cheer up the discouraged. If the love of God beats in warm pulsations in our hearts, how easy it will be to win souls for Christ! I have known a whole family to be won to Christ by a smile. We must get the wrinkles out of our brows, and we must have smiling faces. The world is after the best thing, and we must show them that we have something better than they have.  
—Moody.

### Time for Kindness

There is always time to find  
Ways of being sweet and kind;  
There is always time to share  
Smiles and kindness everywhere.  
Time to send the frowns away,  
Time a gentle word to say,  
Time for helpfulness, and time  
To assist the weak to climb.  
Time to give a little flower,  
Time for friendship any hour,  
But there is no time to spare,  
For unkindness anywhere.

—Selected

## Avoid the Year-End Pressure

In writing to our churches in Kansas, Elder F. W. Stray, the conference president, makes an earnest appeal to our people to avoid the usual year-end pressure in reaching the twenty-five cents a week for missions. He says:

"We all agree with the General Conference in setting a goal of twenty-five cents a week for missions, and then make no particular effort to reach it until we have rolled up a deficit of thousands of dollars, and then confronted by the alarming shortage toward the last of the year, we wake out of sleep, as it were, and make a desperate effort to recover ourselves, and by means of mighty appeals, a few men of means come to the rescue, and we finish the year triumphantly, and after the great pull we return to our homes and put nickels and dimes in the Sabbath school offering, when many of us might be putting in dollars and large bills every Sabbath. And so we continue to carry our money with us until the next annual round-up, the richest conferences in the world, away in the rear a large part of the year on mission offerings.

"Coming from the most wonderful of all General Conference sessions, with its soul-compelling message to give freely of our means to missions, I appeal to all our people to determine by God's help to double, to triple, and to quadruple our people's individual Sabbath school donations. Wherever possible, let us put in a dollar, or five or ten dollars every Sabbath. If you have the slightest idea of giving one hundred, or one thousand dollars to missions this year, begin now and week by week put your \$2 or \$20 in the envelope, and you will experience a weekly blessing."

The suggestion that Elder Stray makes should appeal to all as a practical way of accomplishing a definite purpose. The reaching of the quarterly goal is the surest, easiest, and best way of reaching the yearly goal. We have been instructed through the Spirit of prophecy that there should be regular, systematic giving on the part of every one. The Sabbath school affords a convenient and proper channel for such gifts.

SABBATH SCHOOL DEPARTMENT

"Prayer moves the arm of Omnipotence."

"He will change our vile bodies, and fashion them like unto His glorious body."

## Obituaries

WAY.—Eli Way, born October 3, 1866, died April 24, 1917 at Peoria, Ill. Although not a Christian, Mr. Way believed the truth and during the last few days of his life he prayed to the Lord. His wife, Sister Bertha Way, remains to mourn the loss of her companion.

E. N. SARGEANT

PERREN.—Mary Judson was born at Wright, Mich., July 13, 1875, died Feb. 13, 1918 at the Wabash Valley Sanitarium where she had undergone an operation. She leaves to mourn her husband, two sons, an aged mother, three brothers, and four sisters. Sister Perren was a faithful member of the Edmore church. Words of comfort were spoken by Elder Sherrig. Interment in Wright Cemetery.

R. U. GARRETT

## Business Notices

Approved advertisements will be published in the HERALD at the following rates: Forty words or less, fifty cents for each insertion, and one cent per word for each additional word. Each group of initials or figures counts as one word. Cash must accompany copy for all advertisements.

**WANTED.**—To work during the summer at Adelphian Academy, a strong young girl who can do housework. A good chance to earn tuition for the coming year. Address Principal, Adelphian Academy, Holly, Mich.

**FOR SALE.**—Eight-room house, one acre of land; fronting on Main Street at Omer, Mich. A pleasant location. Also a five-room house, one-fourth acre of land, two doors east of church at Lakeview, Mich. Address Albert Weeks, Omer, Michigan.

**FOR SALE.**—Treatment rooms, thoroughly equipped for all sanitarium treatments and Turkish baths. In city of 40,000; fine patronage. Owner in draft and must sell. Terms very reasonable, and to suit buyer. Write at once for particulars. L. B. D., care Lake Union Herald.

**COMPLETE TREATMENT-ROOM OUTFIT FOR SALE.**—Consisting of 1 electric light bath cabinet, 4 massage tables, 1 enameled 5 ft. 6 in. bath tub, 1 shower needle spray and percussion, 1 bath with white Italian marble stall, 7 white enameled 6x7 ft. wood partition, 1 steam bath cabinet, iron pipe, etc. For particulars apply to Chris. Andreason, 318½ So. 5th St., Springfield, Ill.

**WANTED.**—The Sanitarium is in need of mature, experienced workers for the kitchen and laundry and for domestic and outside work, as well as prospective nurses for the new training class to start in the fall. The Testimonies tell us that "There are those of ability, who, for the love of Christ, His cause, and the suffering followers of their Master, will fill stations in the sanitarium faithfully and cheerfully, and with a spirit of sacrifice." We would like to hear at once from any such who would feel it a privilege to connect with the Wabash Valley Sanitarium. Address F. R. Eastman, Wabash Valley Sanitarium, LaFayette, Indiana.

## Canvassers' Report for the Week Ending

June 22, 1918

## North Michigan

Canvasser	Book	Hrs	Ords	Value	Helps	Total	Del
Emma Gooden.....	OD	24	25	56 00	1 00	57 00	.....
T. Konechav.....	OD	43	7	14 00	.....	14 00	.....
K. Schmidt.....	BR	25	15	62 00	1 25	63 25	.....
I. E. Emerson.....	OD	28	6	12 00	2 45	14 45	86 00
Clara Greve.....	OD	24	30	63 00	.....	63 00	.....
L. Schmidt.....	OD	43	35	76 00	1 50	77 50	1 50
W. I. Coleman.....	WW	48	.....	91 25	14 25	105 50	105 50
W. L. Freeman.....	BR	.....	4	18 00	.....	18 00	.....
		235	122	392 25	20 45	412 70	193 00

## West Michigan

†Florence Bylsma.....	OD	99	54	113 00	2 75	115 75	2 50
*Wm Mulholland.....	OD	98	46	90 00	18 95	117 95	7 20
*John Zwemer.....	BR	87	39	169 00	3 00	172 00	1 50
*V. W. Ferney.....	GC	87	17	74 00	14 30	88 30	9 05
*Fred Wiggins.....	OD	84	66	146 00	2 50	148 50	.....
*Marian Owens.....	OD	74	43	95 00	10 50	105 50	6 25
*J. E. Herrington.....	OD	74	29	60 00	5 25	65 25	.....
*Forst Rohr.....	OD	73	49	106 00	.....	106 00	.....
*W. E. Peacock.....	DR	71	20	86 00	7 00	93 00	.....
*Effie Magoon.....	OD	65	27	54 00	5 60	59 60	2 75
*Bernice Webber.....	OD	65	44	90 00	5 10	95 10	3 55
*Amy Klose.....	OD	61	24	50 00	2 00	52 00	2 00
*Fern Stevens.....	OD	48	42	92 00	5 00	97 00	5 00
Mayme Keeney.....	OD	45	13	28 00	6 25	34 25	6 25
*G. E. Sharp.....	OD	32	30	61 00	25	61 25	4 25
*W. P. Coppock.....	BF BR	29	7	20 00	.....	20 00	148 00
K. F. Ambs.....	OD	30	19	41 00	2 00	43 00	2 00

Rubie Boyd.....	OD	13	17	36 00	.....	00	.....
Mrs. G. E. Sharp.....	OD	5	26	53 00	.....	53 00	.....
		1140	612	1473 00	90 45	1563 45	200 30

## Northern Illinois

*G. Adams.....	OD	77	111	234 00	2 00	236 00	.....
R. Anderson.....	BR	41	12	52 00	15 45	67 45	.....
		23	12	50 00	4 25	54 25	.....
Almon Balkins.....	BR	30	13	56 00	.....	56 00	.....
R. Brownell.....	BR	55	22	88 00	4 20	92 20	3 45
*C. Butcher.....	OD	67	59	121 00	.....	121 00	.....
*O. F. Endriss.....	OD	51	25	59 00	1 50	60 50	.....
*Donovan Johnson.....	BR	67	25	114 00	3 70	117 70	.....
*E. A. Johnson.....	OD	43	39	87 00	.....	87 00	.....
L. Gibson.....	BR	32	36	160 55	.....	160 55	1 70
J. LeBrasca.....	OD	21	8	17 00	30	17 30	30
A. Mast.....	OD	32	28	60 80	85	60 85	.....
K. G. Risetter.....	OD	.....	6	12 00	.....	12 00	234 50
Hazel Strickler.....	BR	33	26	113 00	6 80	119 80	2 55
*E. Svenson.....	OD	46	31	69 00	85	69 85	85
*E. Upson.....	OD	50	19	39 00	1 00	40 00	1 00
Adam Hardt.....	BR	50	6	25 00	1 50	26 50	1 50
		718	478	1356 55	42 40	1398 95	245 85

## Indiana

H. P. Brodt.....	BR	42	9	44 00	4 00	48 00	.....
M. G. Bish.....	BR	28	5	12 00	2 75	14 75	37 50
Hildur Carlson.....	BR	38	22	52 00	.....	52 00	.....
Frank Caton.....	OD	37	24	48 00	.....	48 00	.....
B. E. DeBolt.....	OD	31	43	89 00	85	89 85	85
Hazel Fosberg.....	OD	38	19	42 00	25	42 25	.....
A. E. Goodman.....	BR	42	5	23 00	8 85	31 85	4 50
M. S. Grim.....	BR	33	3	13 00	2 50	15 50	101 00
Bessie Harrison.....	BR	36	12	55 00	5 50	60 50	2 10
Ruth Johnson.....	OD	29	32	66 00	.....	66 00	.....
C. C. King.....	BR	32	3	12 00	.....	12 00	.....
Wilber Moore.....	BR	8	.....	.....	.....	.....	38 65
Dora Samson.....	ES	38	9	40 50	13 15	53 65	2 95
Fred Possman.....	OD	29	12	30 00	.....	30 00	.....
Claude Sullivan.....	BR	32	14	60 00	.....	60 00	.....
Fred Thompson.....	OD	23	.....	.....	.....	.....	60 00
Martha Thompson.....	OD	29	30	61 00	25	61 25	.....
Ora Unthank.....	OD	16	7	14 00	2 00	16 00	.....
Sallie Bird.....	OD	22	11	23 00	1 25	24 25	.....
Walter Gettys.....	BR	26	15	64 00	.....	64 00	171 00
		610	275	748 50	41 35	789 85	418 55

## Southern Illinois

Magda Granlund.....	BR	35	16	63 00	11 05	74 05	2 55
Elvira Granlund.....	BR	37	8	33 00	1 50	34 50	.....
Mrs. Cecile Young.....	OD	23	10	22 00	1 65	23 65	.....
Merle Hewlett.....	OD	27	35	73 00	.....	73 00	.....
L. F. Harrison.....	OD	42	40	80 00	5 10	85 10	.....
Mrs. L. F. Harrison.....	OD	21	34	68 00	1 65	69 65	.....
Mary B. Long.....	OD	38	37	76 00	50	76 50	.....
S. E. Teas.....	OD	28	4	8 00	3 50	11 50	.....
Jerry Suda.....	BR	37	16	72 00	3 40	75 40	.....
Laura Drury.....	OD	8	10	42 00	85	42 85	.....
D. Courville.....	OD	40	15	30 00	.....	30 00	2 00
R. Stadelmann.....	OD	37	11	36 00	.....	36 00	.....
O. A. Morse.....	BR	39	21	86 00	4 75	90 75	.....
C. B. Courville.....	DR	5	15	61 00	.....	61 00	.....
Pauline Santee.....	BR	16	19	87 00	1 70	88 70	.....
Edward Drury.....	BR	8	5	20 00	.....	20 00	.....
Bernice Howard.....	OD	29	20	41 00	10 20	51 20	.....
Ivah Klomp.....	OD	32	25	48 00	4 25	52 25	.....
B. Anderson.....	BR	24	1	4 00	1 50	5 50	.....
G. W. Kimberlin.....	BR	31	7	28 00	1 75	29 75	.....
Myrl Hanson.....	BR	31	3	13 00	7 80	20 80	.....
Ralph Hanson.....	OD	25	14	30 00	9 10	39 10	.....
*Myrle Hill.....	OD	65	60	127 00	.....	127 00	.....
Gladys Scott.....	OD	25	21	43 00	.....	43 00	.....
Miscellaneous.....	.....	.....	.....	285 25	.....	285 25	.....
		784	444	1476 25	70 25	1546 50	6 05

## North Wisconsin

Lillian Derwae.....	OD	31	22	49 80	21 00	70 00	.....
N. H. Hollingsworth.....	DR	12	.....	.....	.....	.....	21 00
Hedvig Nelson.....	OD	19	10	18 00	4 40	22 40	.....
Mina R. Rafferty.....	PG	35	3	12 00	.....	12 00	.....
Margaret Christensen.....	BR	46	11	45 00	.....	45 00	.....
Johanne Bentsen.....	BR	42	13	65 00	1 25	66 25	.....
Eliza Hummel.....	PG	40	15	40 50	2 25	42 75	.....
Ruth Miller.....	PG	40	12	30 00	1 70	31 70	.....
Horace Wheeler.....	OD	11	.....	.....	.....	.....	73 00
Clark Bennett.....	HM	39	7	17 50	4 05	21 55	.....
Clifford Murray.....	HM	28	12	31 00	.....	31 00	.....
L. E. Rafferty.....	PG	48	15	60 00	2 25	62 25	.....
Esther Brazier.....	OD	40	12	27 00	.....	27 00	.....
E. A. Belin.....	OD	37	5	10 00	.....	10 00	.....
Fern Carpenter.....	HM	34	7	18 50	.....	18 50	.....
		502	144	423 50	37 20	460 70	94 00

\*Two weeks  
†Three weeks

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## Emmanuel Missionary College

The farm department bought a black horse to mate the one they already have, making a fine team of about thirty hundred pounds.

Paul N. Pearce, our English teacher for next year, made a brief visit at the College.

Rubie Boyd arrived at the College Friday. She will assist in the summer school in the normal department.

Mrs. C. L. Taylor left this week for Hinsdale. Her son, George Taylor, is now rooming in North Hall.

A new house for the farm manager was started this week. The walls have been finished already. The house is near Brooknook, facing the south.

Mr. Miles stopped at the College this week. He is out in the educational campaign in West Michigan to help gather in the necessary \$32,000. Next year he will be at Battle Creek Academy.

Mr. Babienco will leave shortly for South Bend, where he is to help Elder Johnston in a tent effort. H. O. Butler will be in a tent effort about ten miles from the College.

Our canvassers continue to do well. The good reports of those in our Union can be read in the canvassers' report every week in this paper. Hazel Strickler and Lillian Gibson, working in Northern Illinois, already have their scholarships and have gone home. Mosser Taylor, in N. Carolina, had a \$200 week last week. Mr. Perrin, in Kentucky, was away above the hundred dollar mark again.

Arthur Owens returned from Kentucky to prepare for the draft. He will brighten up in shorthand a little.

Summer school starts this week. Everyone is anxious to see the buildings become alive with students again. The college building is not ready for use.

CLARENCE M. ELLIOTT

## Summer School

Time, July 2 to August 13.

Place, Emmanuel Missionary College, Berrien Springs, Michigan.

Purpose, Greater efficiency and deeper consecration.

Cost, time, effort, willingness. Teachers and those under appointment to teach have fare paid both ways, are charged no tuition or room rent, and are allowed \$2 per week on board.

Value, unmeasured, inestimable. Progressive teachers never fossilize. They progress.

Opportunity is also afforded students to make up back work, or to secure credits to be applied on a regular course.

Summer school announcements may be secured for the asking. Apply to your conference educational superintendent, or to Emmanuel Missionary College, Berrien Springs, Mich.

C. A. RUSSELL

## An Excellent Report

The following from a letter recently received from Sister C. N. Sanders, for many years a faithful worker in the Lake Union Conference, will be read with interest:

"I do not want to miss one number of the LAKE UNION HERALD. It is like hearing from old friends to read the contents of this paper.

"I wonder if you would be interested in some good news from this field. Maybe your readers would be interested to know how the work is going down here.

"One of the students from Keene, Texas is canvassing for 'Bible Readings.' His first week's orders amounted to \$1,049.10 in 49 hours; \$973 for 'Bible Readings'; \$75.40 for Bibles, and 70 cents for helps. In one day he made 48 exhibitions and took \$208 worth of orders for 'Bible Readings.' On Friday of that week he made 20 exhibitions and took 20 orders. All the canvassers are doing well. The eight canvassers in one week took \$2,532.90 worth of orders. This is all done in Louisiana where many think but little can be done. It is the Lord's work and to Him be all the praise.

"We do not worry over the delivery, for last year these same canvassers delivered from 90 to 100 per cent."

The August *Life and Health* magazine is up-to-date and practical. Every one should see that the people in his district have the privilege of receiving its instruction.

Third quarter *Liberty* is now being mailed to subscribers. It is a real patriotic number, and will have a large circulation. What plans are you making for its distribution in your district?

To churches who are trying to reduce their church indebtedness or make repairs and are raising the money through the sale of literature, *The Watchman Magazine* will give ten per cent in free copies on all orders received.

One hundred eight-six copies of the May *Signs Magazine* were sold in one day in Kansas City, Mo. This record was made in a residential part of the city, by "just a normal young woman, blessed with a pleasant smile, some originality, and ability to work fast."

## Camp Meeting Dates

Indiana, Frankfort	- - - -	Aug. 8-18
North Michigan, Cadillac	. . . .	Aug. 29-Sept. 9