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President Wilson on the Missionary Campaign

Communication to the Methodist Episcopal Society

I ENTIRELY agree with you in regard to the missionary work. I think it would be a real misfortune, a misfortune of lasting consequence, if the missionary program for the world should be interrupted. There are many calls for money, of course, and I can quite understand that it may become more difficult than ever to obtain money for missionary enterprises, but that the work undertaken should be continued, and continued as far as possible at its full force, seems to me of capital necessity, and I, for one, hope that there may be no slackening or recession of any sort.

I wish that I had time to write to you as fully as this great subject demands, but I have put my whole thought into these few sentences, and I hope you will feel at liberty to use this expression of opinion in any way that you think best.

WOODROW WILSON

*From the
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Indiana Conference

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Indianapolis, Ind.
President, Wm. A. Westworth

Beechwood Academy

Will open its doors for the boys and girls prepared to enter the eighth, ninth, and tenth grades, Monday, September 9, 1918, and the first chapel exercises will be held Tuesday morning at eleven o'clock.

We hope students living near enough to do so will try to reach Needham on the morning trains Monday, so that those who come on the afternoon trains will more easily be conveyed to the academy without the usual congestion of trunks and suitcases. Students coming Monday or Tuesday will be conveyed with all baggage from station to school without charge. Let all who plan to come, write immediately what train they expect to arrive on, and which day.

There has been so much uncertainty about our school during the summer that we decided to issue no calendar this year, so this article must take the place of a school catalogue.

Very few changes are planned in the courses, books, or prices, so the items in last year's calendar will be found in general force this year. The chief changes are in the faculty,— Mr. C. J. Voris and wife, and Miss Olive Woodard being added to take much the same work as was last year performed by Mr. and Mrs. Hitchcock and Miss James.

It will likely cost a little more for food this year, but the room rent and tuition remain the same as last, and expenses will figure about as follows:

Tuition, per four weeks	\$6.00
Room	5.00
Board, average student	13.00
Laundry	1.00
Total	\$25.00

Five to seven dollars a week will be found to cover all the school expenses, but of course will not cover unusual items such as sickness, dental work, etc.

Pupils are encouraged to send their washing home where it is possible to do so, and the girls are permitted for a small fee to use the room set apart for a laundry. A library fee of seventy-five cents is charged in the regular account in September and January. This money is used to get papers and magazines, and for the repair of books.

Nothing more has developed lately in regard to a new school. The recent conference elected nine men as an Academy Locating Committee, and these will investigate and report upon all suggested sites. In the meantime there must be a good, faithful work done at Beechwood, and there are so many who desire an education that the rooms will likely be filled from the start. No student in the eighth, ninth, or tenth grades should think of applying to any other school without first getting a release or transfer from this school, and this release will be freely granted as soon as we know that our own rooms are filled.

Our appeal to the parents and youth must be made in few words. It ought not need much argument to show that the better educated a young man is the more he can do for his home and his country. Is it any the

less true that if heart and head and hand are trained he can be of much more service to his God? Loyalty to God makes a man more trustworthy in any sphere of life, and there is a question as to the loyalty of those who are content or satisfied with less than the full development of all the faculties God has given. We need a new school, and a larger school, in Indiana and that was the unanimous opinion at the conference, but while we are waiting for funds to be raised let us not fail to use to the utmost the facilities we now have for the education of the youth. If there is a vacant place in Beechwood this year it spells something much more serious than lack of funds,— it means indifference to Christian training. Send in the applications at once, and keep sending them till we say "Quit." Let all come with a will to work and endure to the very last day of school. Let boys bring work clothes, rubber boots, rain coats, and grit to work at hard things. The girls also should be prepared for outside work, as that spells health. We have one car of coal in and another promised, and that will keep us warm this winter.

News Notes

Miss Mabel Misner was the first to arrive. She was introduced to as fine a collection of cobwebs as Beechwood ever had, but with her strong right arm has made things look better in the building.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Fattic drove down from Middletown Sunday, August 25, picked out a room and have it all nicely settled for their daughter Katherine who will be a ninth grade student this year. Her brother Harold is also to be a student.

Brother Prickitt, who was severely injured at the camp ground, came home by trolley, and Brother Myers drove the mules through. Pete and Mike seemed just as glad as the rest of us to get home where we could "roll in our own beds."

The grapes are fine this year, and are being put up for use in the winter. We have a small crop of pears and a good growth of tomatoes.

Miss Helen Rogers and her sister arrived at the school Monday, August 26.

Doctor Strickler and family left August 26 for an auto trip to Mammoth Cave and Nashville, to be gone about a week.

Sabbath, August 24, three were baptized in little Sugar Creek at Boggstown. Two of these are the indirect result of the meetings held a year ago at Shelbyville, and one is the result of Sabbath school and church work at Boggstown.

Brother Robert Strickler, wife, and daughter of Berrien Springs came to Boggstown after camp meeting to visit relatives and friends, in Shelby County. Brother Ewing and wife also renewed old friendships in and around Boggstown.

At camp meeting it was announced that the Needham rural route had been changed and mail was to be directed to Fairland. A late order from Washington revised this plan, and now the Fairland route no longer reaches the academy. All mail should be addressed to Needham.

J. G. LAMSON

"Duty shall never pass away. The hardness will be all gone out of it in heaven."

North Wisconsin Conference

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

Progress in All Lines of Work

A good many will be receiving the HERALD this week for the first time, so a few words will be in order about our work in the North Wisconsin Conference. We feel grateful for the material progress that has been made in all lines.

We have two tent companies in the field this year. The attendance has been small at both places, but a few have decided to walk in the path of life. I find among our people a greater desire to work for their neighbors. As a result of this activity, a number are being brought into the truth. With this increased activity in home missionary work, naturally comes an increased interest in the mission work carried forward in other lands.

For the first seven months of last year, we averaged nearly thirteen cents per week per member for foreign missions, while for the same period this year, our average has been eighteen and a fourth cents. Our aim is higher than last year. We expect to raise twenty-five cents per week per member for the entire year, and I believe that if all will take hold in a strong, united effort, we shall accomplish this.

Four of the churches have passed the twenty-five cent-a-week goal, and one has its full amount raised for the year, with a little surplus.

For some time it has been very apparent that our office rooms were inadequate to our needs. This, with the increased rent that we are being obliged to pay, has been a source of no small concern to us, and plans are being laid whereby we may have more suitable rooms of our own. The money that we are now paying for rent can then be used in advancing the message. Letters are being sent to individuals in the conference, asking for donations to this fund. If any of our readers did not receive a letter concerning this, please consider that it was an oversight on our part, and send a donation just the same.

The two-per-cent is making some slight gain, but not as much as it should. Those who are paying the two-per-cent, feel that it is a good plan and can heartily recommend it to the rest. Let us take hold of this, for it will relieve the pressure that always comes at camp meeting time.

By the time this paper reaches you, we shall be in the midst of the Harvest Ingathering campaign, and I trust that all our brethren and sisters will take hold of this work loyally and make it a success,—not stopping when the goal of \$5 is reached but will push beyond so that we may have our full amount raised.

J. J. IRWIN

Hudson and Cumberland

Last Thursday I had the privilege of visiting the tent at Hudson where Brethren Shebo and Hillman are conducting an effort for the Scandinavians. The attendance has not been large, but the people are deeply interested. The brethren are now in the midst

of the Sabbath question, and already a few have begun to obey the Lord. Calls for meetings are coming to them from the surrounding territory, and they hope to raise up a strong company in that vicinity.

I spent last Sabbath with the church at Cumberland. This company is small, but some of them have been doing missionary work, and as a result one man and his wife have lately begun the observance of the Sabbath. This is a matter of encouragement. If other churches and individuals will take hold of the work energetically, they will see precious souls accepting the truth, who will be stars in their crowns.

J. J. IRWIN

September 14

I trust all our people will bear in mind that Sabbath, September 14, is especially set apart for the colored work in the South. The offerings, aside from the Sabbath school, are to go to this needy field. It is earnestly hoped by the North American Division that our offerings on this day will equal \$1 for each member.

J. J. IRWIN

South Wisconsin Conference

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

War Savings Stamps

In my visits among the churches I have been asked many times about the War Savings Stamps, whether the conference is able to make use of them. The information I have at present permits me to say that those stamps that have not been pasted in any book in which you have your name written may be used either in the educational work or as mission funds. The stamps that have been pasted in the book which has been especially prepared for the stamps, and within which you have written your name in the place prepared for this purpose, we cannot well use. You will read below your signature that these stamps are not transferable and can only be cashed by the individual whose signature appears within the folder. If, however, your name does not appear, we can make use of the stamps.

I will say to those who have pledged their Liberty bonds or War Savings Stamps to the Educational Fund, we would be glad to have you send them in at once, so that we may continue our educational program.

Harvest Ingathering

Have you begun in the Harvest Ingathering campaign? Remember this is the week to begin. Think about it. Pray about it. Talk about it, and work at it. Let nothing hinder you from doing your part. Remember every individual goal is \$5. As soon as you have reached your goal send me a card to that effect. Let us not be defeated in our goal—\$10,000 for the South Wisconsin Conference.

C. S. WIEST

News Notes

Brother Alvin Perrine, our assistant tract society secretary, has gone to Ohio. He may soon be called to the army.

Elder Wiest met with the Neenah church on a recent Sabbath.

Elders French and Ferris stopped at Fond du Lac a few days ago. They are working in the interests of the Educational Fund. Elder French visited the Almond tent company August 22-25.

Brother Loren Shepard met with the New London church a few days ago in behalf of the colporteur work.

Professor G. R. Fattic, of Berrien Springs, is spending a few weeks in this field in the interests of the conference educational work.

Madison Sanitarium reports a full attendance. They have had some major operations during the past few days. Dr. R. S. Ingersoll, recently elected medical superintendent, has the confidence of the patients.

Mrs. Howell has returned from her vacation.

Miss Adele Draeger, who has been working in the office for two weeks in the absence of Sister Howell, has returned to Milwaukee.

The Bethel chapel building is being rapidly enclosed. The material for the building is practically all on the grounds. At the present time the educational fund in cash and pledges amounts to \$6,701.57.

July							
	Tithe	2%	Miss.		Tithe	2%	Miss.
Albany	\$.....	\$.....	\$.....	Mil'kee, Eng.	\$550 08	\$16 31	\$232 35
Albion	36 22	.....	4 52	" Ger.	220 79	1 95	124 55
Almond	64 67	.....	19 78	" Italian	60 29	.....	.....
Appleton	31 72	1 35	9 58	" Scand.	.....	.....	.....
Baraboo	86 01	5 00	86 13	Moon	174 95	.....	36 99
Beloit	41 05	1 01	18 75	Mt. Sterling	.....	.....	.....
Bethel	416 77	6 99	74 75	New London	98 99	.....	25 14
Berlin Co.	22 79	.....	8 15	Neenah	45 00	.....	54 47
Biramwood	.....	.....	.....	Oneida	6 59	.....	2 22
Clintonville	.....	.....	.....	Oakland	81 80	.....	36 28
Conference	135 97	44	69 15	Oshkosh	34 30	1 50	10 13
DeBello	105 61	.....	22 37	Oxford	64 15	1 40	46 15
Eau Claire	157 16	.....	46 56	Plainfield	.....	.....	.....
Elroy	.....	.....	.....	Portage	24 58	.....	5 36
Fish Creek	43 00	.....	4 29	Poy Sippi	140 85	2 40	45 95
Fond du Lac	170 93	6 41	75 32	Raymond	75 16	3 28	31 40
Gr. Rapids	1 00	.....	6 63	Racine	35 62	1 01	13 49
Granton	29 05	.....	4 56	Robinson	60 00	.....	32 17
Green Bay	84 44	.....	31 60	Sand Prairie	34 50	.....	29 83
Hebron	48 00	2 40	18 25	Sheboygan	83 86	.....	14 04
Hintz	112 42	.....	40 53	Sparta	37 30	32	54 27
H. M. Grove	26 90	35	63 80	Starr	.....	.....	.....
Kickapoo	50 28	.....	8 41	Stevens Point	43 02	.....	4 13
Kenosha	.....	.....	.....	Sturgeon Bay	16 86	.....	28 44
LaGrange	90 09	.....	28 84	Underhill	.....	.....	.....
La Crosse	.....	.....	.....	Victory	97 75	5 14	75 56
Lena	.....	.....	.....	Waterloo	.....	.....	.....
Linwood	72 25	.....	27 91	Wausau	94 17	.....	98 60
Madison	181 17	13	111 87	Welcome	46 00	.....	.....
Marshfield	.....	.....	.....	Individual	73 61	.....	1186 68
Mauston	.....	.....	.....		\$4359 75	57 39	3032 23
Milton Junct.	158 03	.....	62 26				

East Michigan Conference

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

News Notes

Miss Esther Frank and Miss Bertha Phelps have just returned from a vacation at their homes in Wisconsin.

Brother E. L. Peterson, who is conducting a tent effort at Otisville, called at the office this week. He reports a good interest.

In a letter received from Brother H. B. Westcott, he states that he is enjoying his work in West Virgin-

ia. He is conducting a tent effort in the city of Fairmount.

Brother A. L. Curtis, of Berrien Springs, was in Holly on business last week.

Several of the student canvassers have made their deliveries, and report excellent success. We trust that a number may be in school this fall as a result of their summer's work.

Brother E. V. Sykes, who is at Camp Custer, writes that he is employed as a teacher for the foreigners of his company. He is teaching them to read and write English.

Last week the tract society received an order from Brother Glen Evans, who is in the base hospital at Camp Custer, for some of the little book, "World in Perplexity." In just a few days he ordered more, saying they were all gone. The boys came to his bunk to buy them.

Brother Frank Wheelock from Camp Custer, spent Sunday with friends in Holly. Our boys in the camp all seem to be of good courage.

Brother Thiele recently visited the churches at Fenton and Linden, and in each place they are planning to do active missionary work.

We are waiting for your order for school books.

Mrs. Mallory is in Holly for a few days, before leaving for South America, where she will join Professor and Mrs. Steen.

Elder Clark visited the tent company at Otisville, Sunday, and spoke at the evening service.

When in need of cooking oil or shortening, we shall be glad to supply you. See our advertisement in this paper.

Brother VanFossen spent last Sabbath at Memphis.

It may be of interest to our readers to know that we have used more than eight thousand copies of the book, "World in Perplexity," in East Michigan in the past four months. The orders are coming in every day from all parts of the conference, and we are glad to wrap the books and send them out, for we know the seed will some day spring up and bear fruit. Ten copies, postpaid, \$1.34.

Harry Streggo and Raymond Kinsey left this week for Camp Custer.

Brother and Sister Michel Luchenbill called at the office Monday and secured a good supply of small books which they are selling as they visit their relatives and friends.

West Michigan Conference

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

Prompt Action Required in Our Harvest Ingathering Work

We have been doing all in our power to have all material in readiness in the churches, and in the hands of our people, for a prompt beginning in our Harvest Ingathering work the first of September. We desire very much that this work shall be finished if possible during the first three weeks of September. After the twenty-eighth it will be more difficult and embarrassing to solicit in behalf of missions inasmuch as there will be an important campaign of the gov-

ernment in the new Liberty loan drive. We are loyal to our government, and in all propriety it seems as though we should endeavor to get our mission campaign out of the way before then. I would like to urge our church officers and our leaders in the work throughout the conference to use every influence possible to have a prompt and energetic effort made beginning with the first of the month.

We are endeavoring to have placed in the hands of all workers the statement made by President Wilson which recently appeared on the first page of the *Review*, expressing his views regarding the continuation of foreign mission operations and solicitations. Everyone should be supplied with one of these slips, and I hope that no workers will go out without having one which will certainly prove a great assistance. The Lord is using the minds of, and the speech of our leaders and government officials in giving assistance to the great world-wide mission effort in this particular time. Let us profit by the remarkable and timely utterances that have been made by our President. I begged the believers of Ohio to make the campaign this year more successful than ever before. We are much behind on our mission offerings and this should be a means by which this fund may be brought up.

E. K. SLADE

In Training for Service

It is recognized by all classes that men and women entering into public service of any kind today must have a special training. It is useless to undertake a large enterprise without spending a proper amount of time in real efficient preparation. It is recognized in the time of a great crisis of the government that billions of dollars can well be spent first in gathering the man power of the government into great training camps for special preparation. Without this preparatory work it would be difficult, regardless of the number sent across, for our men to accomplish anything for the good of the government.

We have a world-wide work calling for an army of efficient men and women who need to be especially trained and equipped for their work. It is coming home to us in these recent years and months as never before that an education is absolutely necessary to make workers efficient in the accomplishment of the task that is before us in our closing work. It is this great realization that leads us to be anxious to have all of our training centers well equipped and well filled to do a strong work during this coming school year. It is this that is leading our people to contribute so liberally in all of our churches to the fund that is now being raised for this purpose. We are thankful, indeed, for the good response that has already been made. Nearly \$10,000 has been pledged and paid in thus far.

With the soliciting of this money we find that there is being awakened a greater interest on the part of our people in our educational institutions and in our young people who should be in training. There is a feeling that though we are living in very unusual times and confronted by great difficulties, there should be a larger number than heretofore in our schools, and that our young people should have an education whether called to the service of the government or to the proclamation

of the message that is committed to our hands for this time.

I wish to urge upon the believers in West Michigan the importance of continuing the good work that is begun, and of working to the end of raising the whole amount of money that we need at this time, and of reaching our goal of having every boy and girl in one of our schools. We have reached the time for prompt action and vigorous effort, but I believe we should be alert in every home and in every church to the end of greatly strengthening our educational work in these important days.

E. K. SLADE

Special Offering for Our Colored Training School

Sabbath, September 14, is the date set aside by the General Conference for this special offering to be taken in all our churches. General notices have been appearing in our papers, and our people have become very well acquainted with this call and the importance of the enterprise. The work is to close up rapidly in the South. They are greatly in need of this fund that is intended for this important institution. I hope that there may be a liberal response from all of our people. Let us remember the date, September 14. It is suggested by the General Conference that we endeavor to make this an offering amounting to a dollar for each member of our churches. That would mean, of course, a great many of us would have to give much more than that because there are many who could not give that amount. This is to suggest that it is not a dime or nickle offering. It ought to be a liberal donation because the need of this institution just now is very urgent.

E. K. SLADE

Among the Churches

I have recently visited Charlotte, Muskegon, Otsego, and Paw Paw. A state of real activity and earnest endeavor exists in these churches and I am pleased to report good progress. There seems to be a sincere desire on the part of those who are leading out, as well as the entire church membership, to arise to the call of the hour for a richer personal experience, and a stronger and more effective work for helping to hasten on the message.

E. K. SLADE

Notice

Elder Slade will meet with the Grand Ledge church Friday evening, September 13; with the Charlotte church Sabbath morning, and the Eaton Rapids church Sabbath afternoon of September 14.

Conference Items

W. H. Sherrig, formerly pastor of the Grand Rapids church, and now stationed at Camp Beauregard, Louisiana, has returned to Grand Rapids for a visit with his family.

Miss Grace Kelsey, of the office, received notice of the death of her grandmother, Mrs. Lucinda Strickland, of Edmore, who had attained the age of ninety-three years. Interment took place at Union City.

The Harvest Ingathering *Watchman* papers have

now all arrived, and our churches are supplied with them, as well as with instruction leaflets, solicitor's cards, etc., so that they should now begin in good earnest so as to be able to finish the greater part of the work during the first three weeks in the month of September, as outlined by the conference committee.

The Harvest Ingathering work has already begun with the Office, the conference bank having donated thirty dollars.

Northern Illinois Conference

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President, J. H. Schilling

Progress

The work in the Northern Illinois Conference is still onward bound. The attendance at our tent meetings so far during this summer has been very gratifying. In fact at our last workers' meeting each tent company reported greater interest now than at any previous time this summer. This is certainly very encouraging to us all. Large numbers are interested and a number have already been baptized. We feel sure that we shall reach our goal of five hundred souls by the end of this year. Our brethren are very much encouraged over their success.

Notwithstanding the fact that our Italian tent was taken down by the fire department on account of Catholic opposition, our Italian workers have had good success. Our Italian minister has baptized twenty-four persons this year, and has a large number yet to be baptized. In a few weeks we shall organize a church for the Polish-speaking people, and one for the Hungarian people in the city of Chicago. Our work among the foreign people is progressing very encouragingly.

With reference to the German tent, I might state that we carried on our work exclusively in the German language without any trouble. There were a few threats in the beginning, but everything quieted down nicely so that our German workers could work unmolested. They had to be very careful of course in what they said, which they were. A large number of German people will be baptized.

The Danish-Norwegian work is also progressing in a satisfactory manner. In fact, we have nothing but success in every direction to report. Our tithes and offerings are far in advance of what they were last year, which shows that our people are loyal to God's own system of ministerial support and the great demands made upon us for foreign missions.

So far as the support of our educational work is concerned, our people are very loyal. Nearly \$6,000 has now been given in cash and pledges toward the \$14,000 voted at our camp meeting. We believe that by the end of the year, the \$14,000 will not only have been pledged but will have been paid in. The work demands it.

J. H. SCHILLING

Rockford and Camp Grant

We began our summer tent effort July 7, and closed August 20. The first ten days of the meeting I was called to Washington, D. C., to attend a council, thus leaving Brother Gardner to bear the responsibility dur-

ing that time. The attendance was not what we had hoped it would be, but there were some who came every night showing a deep interest in the truth. As a result of the meetings we baptized six and received two others into the church on profession of faith. We expect others to take their stand later. Miss Ellen Knudson assisted in the Bible work.

The work at Camp Grant is moving along as usual. At present there are about twenty-five of our boys here, and more will come as a result of the new draft. The boys are enjoying a good Christian experience, and with few exceptions are favored with privileges from their officers. As a people we ought to be thankful for this. Our Government has shown kindness and consideration in giving our boys religious freedom and liberty. Let us not forget to remember the leaders of our Government in prayer, that in this hour of peril nothing may be done to interfere with the liberty and freedom that God's people have enjoyed in the past. Some of our boys here are engaged in hospital work, and others in the quartermaster's work. Some are being transferred to other camps, while others are sent across the sea to assist in hospital work at the front. If you know any of the boys in camp, write them a letter of courage and good cheer, and let them know that you are thinking of them. Such letters are greatly appreciated. Pray for the success of the work here.

B. M. BUTTERFIELD

Fox River Academy

I am glad to report to our brethren that our Fox River Academy is now ready to do regular twelfth grade academic work. We have spent over a thousand dollars this summer to equip the school with classroom and library facilities, as well as with a physical laboratory with sufficient apparatus.

Fox River Academy is right up to date, and is able to do standard academic work. Since this is so, we of course urge all of our people in both the Illinois conferences to send their boys and girls in academic grades to the academy. The academy is the school for our two Illinois conferences, and inasmuch as we have spent a considerable sum of money during the last two years in getting the school up to date and standard, we think that parents should rally around the academy as enthusiastically as possible by sending their children there and nowhere else.

I might say in regard to first aid work, if that is being given in any of our schools, we shall try to give it at Fox River Academy. We have a class in physiology, and the doctor from the village will be only too glad to come out to the academy twice a week and give necessary instruction in that line to those who are old enough to take it, so none of our boys need to go outside of our conference for that instruction. We shall be able to take care of them. So my dear brethren and sisters, let the words, Fox River Academy, ring in your ears louder and louder as we get nearer to the time when the academy will open, which will be Wednesday, September 11.

Hoping to see no less than seventy or seventy-five students there, and hoping also that our parents will stand right by us in giving us their children, and wishing all God's richest blessing, I am

Truly your brother,

J. H. SCHILLING

How One Church Assisted a Canvasser

The Joliet church is a live one, and naturally very much interested in the colporteur work, as the following experience will reveal. For a number of weeks E. A. Clough, one of our canvassers, had been having some reverses in his work, that proved quite a test to him. The members of this church learned of his experience, and decided among themselves to seek the Lord in his behalf during the week. When our brother reached home Friday of the week in question, his wife said that she could see he had had a good week, as his face was all aglow with success. Needless to say, there was much rejoicing and lighter hearts that night as he related how the Lord's presence had been felt during the week, in spite of the fact that he had been working in a territory which had been gone over two years before with the same book, "Bible Readings." Nothing was said, however, at this time about the prayers of the church.

The following day, Sabbath, the first thing that a number asked him was, "How did you get along this week?" He wondered why so many should ask this question, and with such interest as they manifested. Upon inquiring he was informed of what the church had been doing. The writer was present at the Joliet church this Sabbath, and heard our brother with tears in his eyes tell how the Lord had blessed him, and how thankful he was for the interest the church had shown in his work. He had taken \$100 worth of orders that week. Do you suppose he felt inspired to push with new vigor the good work? Do you think it meant anything to him to know that while he was out at the front, as it were, meeting the varied experiences that a canvasser must meet, that back at home the church was praying for him? If there is a canvasser working from your church just try it and see.

I next visited one of our canvassers at Pontiac, who was to start delivering the next day. I found plans had been made for the delivery, and Brother C. W. Bennett, glad to have the books placed in the homes, secured an automobile and offered a week of his time to assist. I was very much encouraged to see the interest being shown, and felt assured of a successful delivery when Brother Bennett stated very confidently, "We are going to deliver every book. While Miss Butcher is in the house making the delivery, I shall sit in the automobile and pray."

From these experiences, I was impressed that the Lord is working on the hearts of His people, bringing in a spirit of unity and interest in the forwarding of this message. Let us keep the good work going, and thus the sooner gain the reward.

I want to take this opportunity to thank the many of this conference who have opened their homes, and have helped in many ways the canvassers working in their community. I know this has been appreciated, and that you will share in the reward.

W. A. BERGHERM

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.

COOKING OIL AND SHORTENING.—Mazola oil, two 5-gallon cans for \$20, f. o. b. Holly; one 5-gallon can, \$10.25. Snowdrift shortening, case containing six 8-pound pails to case, \$14 a case. East Michigan Tract Society, Holly, Mich.

WANTED.—Girl, or middle-aged woman, for general housework. Church privileges. State wages desired. C. L. Plague, R. F. D. 3, Box 22, Romulus, Mich.

WANTED.—Work on farm by month or year, with church school privileges. Have had experience with tractors. State wages in first letter. Will rent small farm if furnished. Can give references. Leo Bacheller, Grant, Mich.

Canvassers' Report for the Week Ending

August 24, 1918

West Michigan

Canvasser	Book	Hrs	Ords	Value	Helps	Total	Del
R. Boothby.....	OD	55	44	105 00	40 73	145 73	.....
W. P. Coppock.....	BF	25	8	17 50	1 75	19 25	41 25
V. W. Ferney.....	GC	47	8	33 00	3 10	36 10	3 10
J. E. Herrington.....	OD	51	11	22 00	4 25	26 25	.....
Crystal Lavendar.....	OD	10	4	8 00	13 00	21 00	.....
C. L. Magee.....	OD	58	17	34 00	50	34 50	50
W. B. Maris.....	OD	7	8	16 00	6 25	22 25	.....
Effie Magoon.....	OD	25	17	34 00	2 20	36 20	1 35
Wm. Mulholland.....	OD	39	8	19 00	8 50	27 50	8 50
Mrs. L. Prason.....	BR	23	8	43 00	.....	43 00	.....
Frank E. Powers.....	OD	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	52 25
		340	133	331 50	80 28	411 78	106 95

Southern Illinois

Velma Ward.....	OD	32	34	69 00	.....	69 00	.....
S. E. Teas.....	OD	6	.....	.....	.....	.....	13 75
*Iyah Klomp.....	OD	79	21	49 00	.....	49 00	298 00
P. R. March.....	BR	45	51	226 00	1 50	227 50	17 50
G. W. Kimberlin.....	BR	27	.....	.....	.....	.....	345 00
A. J. Swenson.....	BR	45	30	125 00	5 10	130 10	1 70
		234	136	469 00	6 60	475 60	675 95

North Wisconsin

Claude Morris.....	BR	28	.....	.....	.....	.....	500 10
Horace Wheeler.....	BR	44	32	140 00	8 00	148 00	8 00
Johanne Bentsen.....	BR	27	6	33 00	1 00	34 00	1 00
E. H. Kovsky.....	HM	40	17	48 50	5 20	53 70	.....
Clifford Murray.....	HM	24	5	14 50	3 75	18 25	.....
I. Loyd E. Rafferty.....	HM	15	7	19 50	75	20 25	75
Signe Dahl.....	OD	38	46	101 00	12 50	113 50	2 50
†Hedvig Nelson.....	OD	69	27	62 00	53 60	115 60	.....
†Lillian Derwae.....	OD	82	38	82 00	50 40	132 40	133 50
Freda Anderson.....	OD	5	5	11 00	.....	11 00	.....
		372	183	511 50	135 20	646 70	645 85

East Michigan

*Fred Otto.....	OD	70	35	79 00	16 20	95 20	94 05
*Ruby Carlson.....	BR	51	6	29 00	3 50	32 50	3 50
W. Spaulding.....	OD	54	6	10 00	3 25	13 25	77 35
R. C. Cabin.....	OD	32	5	10 00	14 60	24 60	10 50
Mae Grills.....	OD	25	9	18 00	3 25	21 25	.....
L. Beamer.....	OD	26	7	14 00	4 00	18 00	3 50
Nina Hulett.....	OD	24	2	4 00	.....	4 00	7 25
Signe Jensen.....	BR	35	10	42 00	7 65	49 65	.....
Alma Carlson.....	BR	29	15	65 00	2 70	67 70	2 70
Anna Erikson.....	BR	38	14	59 00	2 55	61 55	.....
		386	108	330 00	57 70	387 70	198 85

Northern Illinois

H. E. Berg.....	OD	32	.....	61 00	4 50	65 50	2 00
C. Butcher.....	OD	16	11	22 00	.....	22 00	.....
D. R. Devereaux.....	HM	27	9	27 50	1 00	28 50	.....
*O. F. Endriss.....	OD	69	31	72 00	2 00	74 00	2 00
*L. E. Gibson.....	BR	26	11	50 00	2 55	52 55	85
Adam Hardt.....	BR	46	14	58 00	1 00	59 00	1 00
J. LeBrasca.....	OD	46	13	30 00	1 80	31 80	1 80
E. A. Clough.....	BR	50	12	52 00	2 50	54 50
E. Svenson.....	OD	41	16	36 00	2 55	38 55
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Indiana

W. H. Addis.....	OD	50	120 00	120 00
M. G. Bish.....	BR	29	7	24 00	24 00	107 00
Hildur Carlson.....	OD	10	7	13 00	50	13 50
Hazel Fosberg.....	OD	10	7	16 00	50	16 50	.....
E. L. Graham.....	OD	90	.....	245 00	19 65	264 65	.....
C. C. King.....	BR	16	.....	.....	.....	.....	303 70
Wilber Moore.....	BR	16	.....	.....	.....	.....	257 25
Dora Samson.....	ES	30	2	9 00	4 30	13 30	3 45
Mildred Young.....	OD	16	30	63 00	.....	63 00	.....
H. P. Brodt.....	BR	11	2	9 25	1 25	10 50
		228	105	499 25	26 20	525 45	671 40

*Two weeks

†Three weeks

‡Four weeks

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The Harvest Ingathering Campaign

By the time this paper reaches you, the first week of the Harvest Ingathering campaign will be nearing its close, and the different conference offices are anxiously waiting the reports of the first week's "drive."

We trust all our churches are now organized and every member is at work helping to swing the Lake Union "over the top," with \$65,000 for missions.

If your church has not received papers or supplies, or if you are an isolated member and have not yet received your instructions, write to your conference office without delay and request them to send you as many papers as you think you can legitimately use.

Let us go confidently to the people, praying God to impress them to give liberally for the cause of missions. If each worker goes out with this spirit, surely God will abundantly bless.

J. L. McCONAUGHEY

Emmanuel Missionary College**Attend College and Be Loyal to Our Government**

In my conversation and correspondence with students of Emmanuel Missionary College, I have learned that a number of our young men feel that it will not pay them to attend school this year, on account of the draft law just enacted requiring those from the age of eighteen to forty-five to enter army service. Seventh-day Adventists are loyal to their country and have plainly set forth in their publications, their desire to serve their country in this, its time of need. One means of doing this is for every young man who can do so, to be in school until such time as he is called into service. He may be able to complete a half, or even a whole year's work, before he is called into training.

The army is in great need of physicians and we understand that those planning for the medical course may enter the preparatory medical course offered by our college, and secure exemption which will allow them to continue their course of study. Twelve grades of work are the prerequisite of the premedical course. We feel to encourage our young men and women to enter our premedical course. The need of physicians in the service of the government and in the mission field is a very great one. The training in Emmanuel Missionary College and in Loma Linda College of Medical Evangelists will amply qualify one for such service. Our cause of truth is in need of Christian

physicians as well as ministers, Bible workers and Christian teachers.

Every effort is being made by the government to maintain the schools of the country on a strong basis during these war times. The schools of the allied nations of Europe are being carried forward under the most distressing circumstances. So we are only in keeping with the spirit of loyalty and good common sense when we urge the young men and women not to put their schooling off until a more convenient time, but to press forward, and secure a good education even though it be at a sacrifice and unusual endeavor. Our elementary schools and academies as well as our colleges, must be filled, and their endeavor must be for more efficient service both for God and man.

FREDERICK GRIGGS

Emmanuel Missionary College

The threshing for the College is now being done. This includes all the rye, oats, and wheat.

Many canvassers are now returning from their work. Dora Sampson and Bessie Harrison came from Indiana, and the Courville boys, Paul Quimby, and Bernice Howard from Southern Illinois. Most everyone has a scholarship.

Bryan Robison stopped at the College on his way home from the South. He and Olin Cray, another former E. M. C. student, held a tent effort at Valdosta, Ga., and several have been converted already. He was the best man at the wedding of Ford Cady and Lena Brown.

Our new preceptor, Jess Marshall, arrived Friday. He will soon move into the preceptor's rooms.

The early grapes have already been picked. The later ones will be ripe about the time school starts. Some early apples have also been picked.

Prof. and Mrs. Birt Summers and Mrs. Summer's sister are here now in order to get moved before school opens. They will live in the A. G. Ford house on the west side of College Avenue.

Mrs. Thomson and son Milton, Miss Thomson, Mr. Thomson, and Mrs. Long, all of Chicago, spent a few days at the College visiting Mr. Thomson and Mr. Long, who are doing the painting and paper hanging for the College. Mrs. Thomson is Elder Christian's stenographer, and Mrs. Long is matron of the Northern Illinois mission home.

CLARENCE M. ELLIOTT

Students' Aid Fund

Will those friends of the academy who took Students' Aid Fund Pledge Cards with them at the close of the meeting the last Sunday of the camp meeting at Frankfort, please fill out the amount you will contribute to that fund and mail the cards without delay to Beechwood Academy, Needham, Ind. There are several calls for aid from this fund, and there is not enough in the fund so that I can assure any one of aid. Please accept this as a personal appeal for help on this fund.

J. G. LAMSON, *Principal*

Camp Meeting Dates

North Michigan, Cadillac - - - Aug. 29-Sept. 9