

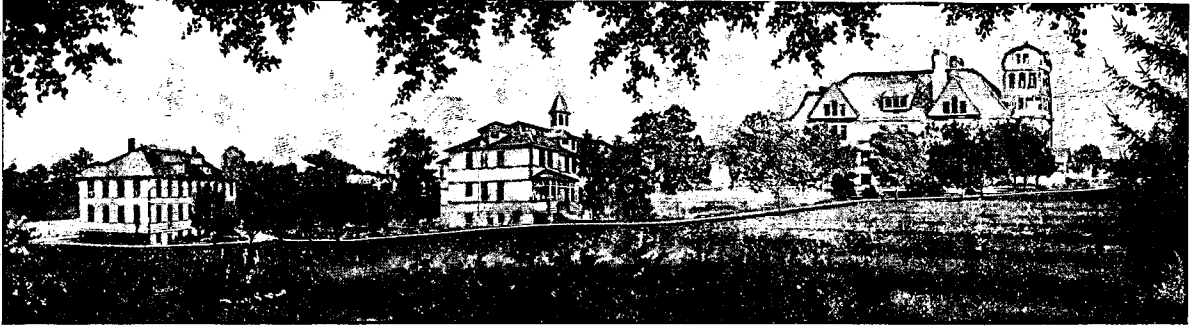
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School Gardens

It is none too early to begin to lay definite plans for a school garden, or a school-home garden. Some of our teachers as far north as Michigan have already placed an order for seeds. There are several reliable firms dealing in supplies for school gardens. Probably as good as any is The Children's Flower Mission, 5700 Detroit Ave., Cleveland, Ohio.

Both vegetable and flower seeds may be secured at one cent per packet. Send at once for a sufficient supply of order blanks to furnish each child. I suggest that the teacher plan with the children, collect the pennies, place the order, and distribute the packets upon their arrival.

Where large quantities of seeds of some standard vegetable is desired, it would be better to order from some regular seed firm, as D. M. Ferry & Co., Detroit, Mich. Their catalogue will be sent free upon application.

The cooperation of parents must be secured. In case the garden is upon the cooperative plan upon the school premises or some vacant lot, the parent-teacher association should assume the responsibility of looking after it during vacation. Unless this burden is placed somewhere in the absence of the teacher, the garden will soon become a disgrace to the community and a discouragement to the school.

Where the school-home plan is followed, an interest must be awakened in the school, the teacher discussing with her pupils seeds, germination, soil, planting, cultivation, etc.

Probably there are few children but who would willingly be given a few square yards or rods in the back yard if in the city, or alongside father's garden if in a rural district. This plan serves another most worthy purpose, that of more closely uniting the school and the home.

It is hoped that the sentiment created last year in favor of gardens as a "war measure" may not die out now that peace has come. Food production and food conservation is to be fostered as much as when the war was drenching Europe with blood, that the starv-

ing millions across the water may be fed by prosperous America.

Wonderful lessons impressing upon the mind of the child God's power and care may be taught from the germinating seed, the tender plant, the ripening grain. I quote the following from "Counsels to Teachers," pages 186, 187, 142:

"The cultivation of the soil is good for children and youth. It brings them into direct contact with nature and nature's God. And that they may have this advantage, there should be, as far as possible, in connection with our schools, large flower gardens and extensive lands for cultivation."

"The parable of the sower and the seed conveys a deep spiritual lesson. The seed represents the principles sown in the heart, and its growth the development of character. Make the teaching on this point practical. The children can prepare the soil and sow the seed; and as they work, the parent or teacher can explain to them the garden of the heart, with the good or bad seed sown there; and that as the garden must be prepared for the natural seed, so the heart must be prepared for the seed of truth. As the plant grows, the correspondence between the natural and the spiritual sowing can be continued." C. A. RUSSELL

The little that I have seen of the world and know of the history of mankind teaches me to look upon their errors in sorrow, not in anger. When I take the history of one poor heart that has sinned and suffered, and represent to myself the struggles and temptations it passed through—the brief pulsations of joy, the tears of regret, the feebleness of purpose, the scorn of the world—that has little charity—the desolation of the soul's sanctuary, and threatening words within, health gone, happiness gone—I would fain leave the erring soul of my fellowman with Him from whose hands it came.—*Dr. Chalmers.*

Let Us Smile

The thing that goes the farthest towards making life worth while,

That costs the least and does the most, is just a pleasant smile;

The smile that bubbles from a heart that loves its fellow-men

Will drive away the cloud of gloom and coax the sun again,

It's full of worth and gladness, too, with manly kindness blent—

It's worth a million dollars, and doesn't cost a cent.

There is no room for sadness when we see a cherry smile; It always has the same good look—it's never out of style— It nerves us on to try again when failure makes us blue; The dimples of encouragement are good for me and you. It pays a higher interest, for it is merely lent—

It's worth a million dollars, and doesn't cost a cent.

A smile comes very easy—you can wrinkle up with cheer A hundred times before you can squeeze out a soggy tear. It ripples out, moreover, to the heart-strings that will tug, And always leaves an echo that is very like a hug. So, smile away. Folks understand what by a smile is meant—

It's worth a million dollars, and doesn't cost a cent.

—W. D. Nesbit

Printing

"Manual training is deserving of far more attention than it has received. Schools should be established that, in addition to the highest mental and moral culture, shall provide the best possible facilities for physical development and industrial training. Instruction should be given in agriculture, manufactures,—covering as many as possible of the most useful trades. . . . Every youth, on leaving school, should have acquired a knowledge of some trade or occupation by which, if need be, he may earn a livelihood."—"Education," p. 218.

Believing the above statement true, Emmanuel Missionary College is strengthening her studies in industrial lines, that our school may be of the utmost value to those who attend, preparing them for greater efficiency in the finishing of this work. Useful labor was given to man before the fall. Note the following :

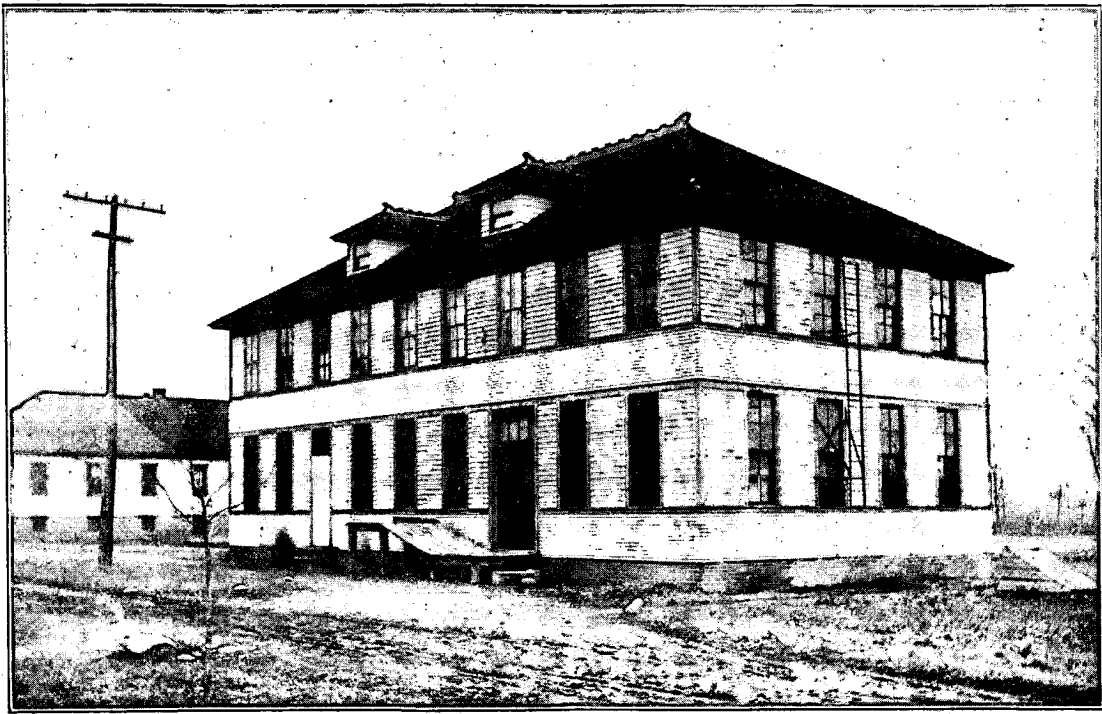
education which is "the harmonious development of the physical, the mental, and the spiritual powers."

As a disciplinarian, useful labor occupies first place. Note the following from "Counsels to Teachers," page 275 :

"One of the surest safeguards against evil is useful occupation, while idleness is one of the greatest curses ; for vice, crime, and poverty follow in its wake. Those who are always busy, who go cheerfully about their daily tasks, are the useful members of society Diligent labor keeps them from many of the snares of him who 'finds some mischief still for idle hands to do.'"

Note also this extract from "Education," page 213 : "As a safeguard against evil, the preoccupation of the mind with good is worth more than unnumbered barriers of law and discipline."

Believing the above to be true, the reason for the Lord instructing us to locate our schools in the country



THE PRINTING BUILDING

"To Adam and Eve was committed the care of the garden, to dress it and keep it. Though rich in all that the Owner of the Universe could supply, they were not to be idle. Useful occupation was provided them as a blessing, to strengthen the body, to expand the mind, and develop the character."—"Education," p. 21

If labor was a blessing before the fall, how much more of a blessing it is since the fall may be inferred from the fact that the garden was closed and the ground cursed that it should not yield so readily to the efforts of man, thus necessitating his more constant labor. This was done by a wise Creator, who knows how important it is that man should be kept employed in right lines that the enemy may not be allowed to control his mind and body. Notice also that it "strengthens the body, expands the mind, and develops the character," thus fulfilling the requirements of, and conforming to the best definition of true

is clear. They are to teach many trades, and to give the students much useful labor. The labor in our schools must be regular, and performed systematically, to best fulfill the requirements. The following from Testimonies, Volume IX, page 180, is to the point : "Daily, systematic labor should constitute a part of the education of youth even at this late period. Much can now be gained in this way. In following this plan the students will realize elasticity of spirit, and vigor of thought, and in a given time can accomplish more mental labor than they could by study alone. And they thus can leave school with constitutions unimpaired, and with strength and courage to persevere in any position where the providence of God may place them."

The student who includes a regular amount of systematic labor in his daily program not only gains a practical trade knowledge and earns a substantial part of his expenses in school, but he is the better in his

other studies for it. Experience proves this statement true.

Printing being one of the fundamentals in the progress of our work, and indeed the medium of communication that has made modern education and civilization possible, it should be one of the strongest industries in our school. The following from Testimonies Volume VI, page 176 bears this out:

"Because difficulties arise, we are not to drop the industries that have been taken hold of as branches of



THE MAILING ROOM

education. While attending school, the youth should have an opportunity for learning the use of tools. . . . The students should also be trained to manage all the different kinds of work connected with printing, such as type-setting, press-work, and bookbinding, together with tentmaking and other useful lines of work. . . . Thus, while exercising brain, bone, and muscle, they will also be gaining a knowledge of practical life."

"Culture on all these points will make our youth useful in carrying the truth to foreign countries."

Emmanuel Missionary College has a well-equipped printing department, which is prepared to teach this subject in a thorough way.

Our Equipment

The first requisite is the building. We have a good building. Our printing plant occupies nearly four thousand square feet of floor space. It is one of the best equipped school printing offices in our denomination. We have a No. 1 Miehle press, which is in almost perfect condition, and upon which we can do a great amount of good printing. We also have one Universal job press, and one Chandler and Price Gordon job press. With these three presses we are prepared to do a large amount of both small and large printing. In our mechanical line we also have a 39-inch Sheridan cutter, a Mentges folder, and a Latham wire-stitcher, capable of stitching a book nearly a half inch thick. All these machines are run by individual motors, which makes our power cost us the very minimum. We also have a number of machines used in binding, including a large first-class book press. Our type room is well equipped with three lots of type for general composition, and several series of good job type, which put us in a position to get out first-class work, and we believe we can do this at as reasonable a price as others who do work of equal quality.

Our Work

At the present time we are printing regularly the

LAKE UNION HERALD, which goes out weekly, and runs from eight to sixteen pages a week. This affords a large amount of work for students, both in setting type and in doing the work in the pressroom and mailing department. We also print the *Student Movement*, and the *College Bulletin*. Besides these regular lines of work, we of course do the printing for the College and the Lake Union Conference; and we also enjoy the patronage of most of our conference offices in the Union, and do most of the printing for our academies. This gives us work for a number of students. We have on our pay roll from twenty-five to thirty or more students each month. Some of these earn most of their way in the school; others work only a short time; about twenty work more than their regular time required as domestic work.

We would be glad if more of our brethren in the conferences would give us the privilege of serving them when they have printing to be done. This will assist in keeping students in school, as well as getting the work for no more than it would cost to have it done elsewhere. During the first seven months of this fiscal year, ending December 31, we paid for student labor over \$1,800. If we do as well, and we probably shall, during the last part of the year, we shall have paid between three and four thousand dollars for student labor, which would support about ten students in school earning their entire way.

Our Needs

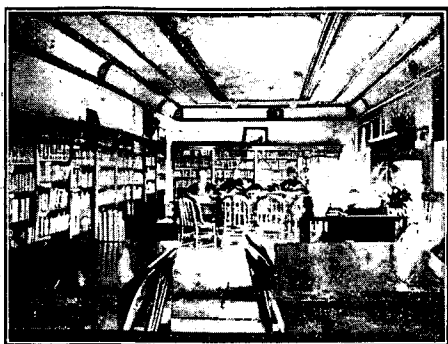
In most lines we are quite well equipped, but we have one outstanding need that should be met at no far-distant date. Our work has increased very materially during the last three or four years; in fact, I think it has doubled or more. This has necessitated a great deal more work on the part of the students, and now our work has reached the place that it is working a hardship for the students to put in as much time in typesetting as is required to keep the work up. We therefore need a typesetting machine. Some will say, doubtless, it will take work away from the students. To this I will answer both "yes" and "no." While it will take some of the composition away from the students, it will not impair our facilities for teaching hand-composition at all, but will increase them by allowing more room for beginners and we shall be able to do enough more work, so that added work in other departments will far more than balance the work that is taken out of the hands of the compositors. Besides working our students more than they really want to work, we are now hiring a large amount of linotyping done. With a linotype machine we would be able to save most of that expense, as we could do our own work for a fraction of what it costs us to send the work away, and we could do it much more satisfactorily. With this machine we could get out a much larger amount of work in the same time, and thus be able to serve our patrons more acceptably. One of our weaknesses is the fact that we are slow, and this machine would, to a very large extent, eliminate that difficulty.

For this department of our work and training here at Emmanuel Missionary College, we earnestly solicit your sincere support and cooperation.

CUSH SPARKS

Emmanuel Missionary College

Emmanuel Missionary College needs more room. The seating of the chapel has been rearranged, and still for Sabbath services and other large gatherings its capacity is taxed. Many teachers who should have regular rooms are compelled to exchange with other teachers in order to accommodate larger classes. The cooking classes of the primary grades and the manual training class of the normal department



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ment must now be held in one room in the basement of the training school building, which would be none too large for the entire interests of either. The efforts of those who do the laundry work are hampered because of lack of room in the once sufficiently large part of the laundry building. There is scarcely room enough in the part now used for the workers, to say nothing of necessary equipment. The kitchen needs to be enlarged and its equipment increased. Fourteen young men are now living on the fourth story of the women's dormitory, four in a cottage near by, and three in the printing building, because the regular men's dormitory is not large enough. During last year and the first semester of this year young men of the Home were housed in available buildings not near the main group of buildings. During the first part of this school year ten young women of the Home were compelled to room one-half mile from the main women's dormitory where all meals are served and where the young women have worship. There are, now on file, thirty applications for cottages during the coming year. The prospects indicate there will be but two cottages at the disposal of the College with which to supply this large demand. During the summer campaign for students a number of applications are usually received.

The enrollment is constantly on the increase. It has reached 319 already this year. Last year at the close of the school year the record showed an enrollment of 284. On a percentage basis this is a gain of over twelve per cent. This comparison is made on the year's enrollment now, and last year's, at the end of the school year. This year's enrollment may possibly be raised a little before May.

Organized methods demand more room. In the early days of our educational history class work was not so thoroughly organized as it is now. With time our literary lines have come to be conducted in a regular, systematic way. Now our industrial and music departments need to have added to their equipment sufficient room to give them an individual organization. Our printing department is in its own building. Our farm department has its separate part of the college plant. Our woodworking

department is not organized in a separate building as it should be. Our domestic science work has not reached the efficiency it might, were it in quarters made for that purpose. Until we have the work of our industries organized as well as our literary subjects, we cannot say they are on an equal footing. We need a building for the headquarters of these departments, a place where the teachers of these subjects can regularly and systematically hold classes and otherwise conduct their work according to the most scientific methods of instruction in these branches. We believe that the training of the hand is as important as the education of the head. Why not put these two on the same level, so far as teaching equipment is concerned?

The music department has instruments used for regular practice in all the main buildings. One can imagine how hard it might be to thoroughly systematize a department whose efforts are so scattered. There are now almost one hundred students taking work in the music department. The orchestra, chorus, and glee club which are being directed by the head of the music department are proving a credit to the school in their different fields. A class of sixteen is taking chorus conducting.

The students and teachers have realized the need of more room and have taken the first step in the enlargement. A two-hour chapel period on March 6 marked the opening of a drive to raise \$6,000 in thirty days for the erection of a music building.

The proposed building will be built with the idea of utility in mind. It will be located south of the present training school building. The director of music will have part in helping plan this structure so as to make it most suited to the interests of his department. The teaching rooms and some of the practice rooms of the music department are now located on the fourth floor of the regular college hall. The annoyance of the constant humdrum practice has been tolerated for some years by the teachers and students of literary subjects. The monotonous sounds of incessant practice is also detracting to those who do literary work. The floors and walls have been insulated but this precaution seems to be of very little benefit. When this department is put



ST. JOSEPH RIVER

in a separate building it will relieve the literary classes of the annoyance of the incessant practice, will give more room for the teaching of literary subjects, and will make the department more efficient because of consolidated organization. The rooms

the music department now occupies are actually needed for the other work of the school.

Music is vitally related to the education of an individual so far as his home life is concerned and so far as the benefit to be derived from his public service. One is much better prepared to meet his or her quiet times in life if able to play some instrument or to sing. In public a training in music "makes room" for one's other efforts. Music is one of the most popular means of employing one's leisure time. Its indulgence makes for inspiration to greater, nobler deeds.

Five thousand dollars of the proposed fund was pledged at the opening chapel period of the campaign. The whole attendance was divided into bands, representing the states of Wisconsin, Illinois, and Indiana, and the conferences East Michigan, West Michigan, and North Michigan. Those outside the Lake Union conference were known as "foreigners." Before the exercise closed \$1,000 had been paid in bankable notes. The next morning at the chapel period \$1,300 was reported in the hands of the treasurer. This \$1,300 included one \$500 note, the other \$500 note having been redeemed by cash solicited from members of the band which had given it—the "foreigners." Two thousand dollars was paid in during the first week which ended March 14. One-third of the money had been paid to the treasurer in one-fourth of the allotted time, thirty days.

Some of the students have pledged \$35, some of the teachers and employes have pledged as high as \$100, but the average is about \$25. Many students are undergoing keen sacrifices in order that they may have a small part in this cause. One young woman gladly donated \$15 which her father had sent her to get a wrist watch with. A young woman who received a \$5 check as a birthday present heartily contributed this to the campaign fund. One young man who has very little money for his expenses from now until school is out has donated \$35 and stands as surety for two others. One young woman solicited a woman who had carefully laid away \$5 with which to buy some pieces of wearing apparel. She gladly gave her treasured saving to the solicitor. One young man, a student, pledged \$100. He started out with a hundred dollar responsibility to solicit and about ten days later had received \$42 in three letters. A young woman wrote a business man. He answered her letter before opening his morning mail with a courteous, encouraging letter, enclosing two ten dollar bills.

At this writing there is \$2,200 in the treasury. A vigorous effort is being made to keep the money in the treasury to the required amount for each week of the thirty-day period.

The students and teachers of Emmanuel Missionary College are thankful for the support given in former movements. We are relying on the friends and patrons of the school for the success of this one. We realize our dependence on God as the champion of every good cause and are trusting He will let His blessing rest richly on our school.

WALTER E. MURRAY

"There is no danger that the Lord will neglect the prayer of His people. The danger is that in temptation and trial they will become discouraged, and fail to persevere in prayer."

North Michigan Conference

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President, R. J. Nethery

News Notes

C. A. Smith, Rhodes, Michigan, has entered the colporteur work. We are receiving a number of orders for the Marked Bible. We will send ten to any one address for one dollar.

Elder Nethery visited the company at Wilson.

We have several twenty-five cent tract packages in the office that should be doing missionary work.

Brother Stearns was in the office last week. He reports gratifying progress in the colporteur work.

Brother Freeman put in forty-one hours one week, taking twenty-four orders valued at seventy-six dollars. We are glad to see so many orders for *Present Truth* coming to us. We hope this little messenger will have a wide circulation in this conference.

Carolyn Rasmusson recently visited Chicago, Berrien Springs, and Cedar Lake. L. M. Peterson recently visited the Cedar Lake Academy, also the companies at Edenville and Mt. Pleasant.

Brother Bogar and Brother May report a good attendance in their effort near Mt. Pleasant.

West Michigan Conference

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President, E. K. Slade

Three Rivers

It was my privilege to meet with the little church at Three Rivers Sabbath, March 15, and I am glad to report that they are very active and are accomplishing a good work in the use of our literature. They feel keenly the importance of their field and I was strongly impressed with the earnest endeavor they are making to do their part. Most careful attention is given to every phase of the work and every call that comes to them. If all of our churches throughout the conference could give as careful heed to all phases of the work as this little company at Three Rivers, we would see marked progress in all lines of work. Brother L. N. Nivison is acting elder of the Three Rivers church. They greatly desire to have special meetings held there, but without help from the conference the Three Rivers believers are determined to give the warning message as far as they can to the inhabitants of that city.

E. K. SLADE

Cedar Lake Academy

At a board meeting held March 13 some very definite plans were laid to better equip our school. Among other needed improvements, we are to have an adequate lighting plant and water system. Also, the beautiful home purchased last summer for boys is to have some much-needed facilities, and more classrooms are to be furnished in the academy building. These improvements will be made during the summer vacation, and at that time we will tell you more about them.

We have been listening to some very helpful talks from Professor Russell during the past few days. His

stay with us from Thursday morning till Sunday night was truly enjoyed by all. His final meeting with us was Sunday afternoon when we held our parent-teacher's meeting. At this time we received a new vision of our responsibility as parents toward our boys and girls.

Saturday evening the literary society gave a very interesting temperance program. One number was a debate on the temperance question, in connection with which, of course, the liquor interests were defeated.

A new room will soon be completed in connection with the principal's home. This room is to serve as an office.

The windmill at the boys' dormitory is now repaired, and also a water heater has been installed so that our boys have plenty of hot and cold water.

G. H. SIMPSON

News Items

Dr. B. E. Nicola of Attleboro, Mass., occupied the hour at the Grand Rapids church Sabbath, March 15, and those present greatly enjoyed his remarks.

Miss Mildred Van Horn of Jackson, Mich., has accepted a call to our office as stenographer.

Brother W. B. Maris, for several years our field agent, has accepted a call to the Indiana Conference. He left for Indianapolis March 17. We trust that we may be able to secure some one soon to fill this vacancy in our conference.

The Christian Record Publishing Company of College View, Nebr., put out literature bearing on present truth for the blind and will be pleased to send sample copy of their magazine. They desire, however, that those wishing a copy should specify the system of print, whether the New York Point or the American Braille.

South Wisconsin Conference

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Madison, Wis.
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A Call to Work

In this late hour of the world's history, with millions of people still unwarned, it is imperative that every believer in the message take an active part in the finishing of the gospel work.

We as a people are not afraid to make sacrifices. The Lord is pleased with such an attitude and is giving us so many opportunities to serve Him that all may find work in His vineyard. Some are called to serve as teachers, others as medical missionaries, and some are to sell our literature. To the last mentioned class I write this article in behalf of our Scandinavian work in this conference.

The Pacific Press at Brookfield is printing an extra edition of the Danish-Norwegian paper, the *Evangelists' Sendebud*. In this extra number the paper will come out in the form of the English *Signs Monthly*. This is a new feature in our Scandinavian literature, and one which we believe should have the cooperation and support of our people everywhere.

In order that the publishers do not lose financially in this undertaking it is necessary that about 14,000

or 15,000 copies be sold. This means work. It means that all our people of the Danish-Norwegian nationalities should engage in the selling of these papers. We in the South Wisconsin Conference must sell and dispose of at least one thousand copies. I believe that this can be done if all will work.

Order at once through our tract society office. This is an opportunity for our brethren of other nationalities who have neighbors and friends that read Danish and Norwegian, to give these people the message in the language that makes it plain to them.

The magazines will sell for fifteen cents each. They cost seven cents at the tract society; your profit on each, therefore, is eight cents.

May God bless this effort, that many souls may be led to the saving truths for this time.

Racine, Wis.

J. D. JOHNSON

News Notes

A convention in the interests of home missionary and young people's work was held March 15 and 16 at Baraboo, conducted by Elder Bristol, Sister Bell, and Brother Jorgensen. The rain interfered some on Sunday but there was a good attendance of interested people on Sabbath.

Brother King reports that a number of those who attended the recent South Wisconsin colporteurs' institute have started in the work.

The meeting for workers and elders was held at Bethel according to appointment March 20-23, with a good interest. A more complete report will be given in a future issue of the HERALD.

Reports have come in to the office of a good interest at Victory where Brother Charles W. Johnson has been holding meetings for some time.

A number of our office force have had to drop out recently because of sickness, but all are improving at this time.

Among last week's callers we number Elders French, Chas. Johnson, and J. D. Johnson, also Brother Larson and Dr. R. S. Ingersoll of the sanitarium. The brethren from the sanitarium report a splendid patronage.

Sister Johnson, formerly of Milton Junction, is very sick at the sanitarium.

Outside interest in the meetings which Elder French has been conducting at Baraboo continues so good that he did not close the meetings March 15 as planned. He will continue at least another week.

Bethel News Notes

Our enrollment has reached one hundred forty-one.

One of last year's students, Elmer Nelson of Franksville, is the last one to enroll. Mr. Nelson comes back to us from Hutchinson where he has been the past winter.

The evening after the Sabbath witnessed the first real rain storm of the season. However the program was rendered as posted, and the recitations, dialogue, orations, and musical numbers were heartily appreciated by those present.

The history of missions class is making good use of the new missions books recently placed in the library.

The Misses Bidwell were made glad by the arrival of their parents who are locating near the school.

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Can I Go to School?

Your purpose in life, your determination, your pluck, your perseverance are all centered in your mind. As the Scripture says: "First a willing mind."

Have persistence, courage, and vim, and success will come to you. There is no real failure except in giving up, no real fall if one gets up and tries again. There can be no real defeats from setbacks, for setbacks only make the strong wise, and mistakes become the stepping-stones on which the streams of difficulty can be crossed. "If what a far, so grand, turn to nothing in thy hand, on again. The victory lies in the effort, not the prize."

E. A. VON POHLE

A Good Report

The following has just been received from one of the new members at Ironwood:

"In regard to our missionary bands. There are only four of our little company that are able to work, but we are making a real tour of every bit of territory in our city and all the surrounding locations. We have set aside one day in each week for selling and distributing our papers and books and we plan, with God's help, to continue with this good work until all have had a chance to read the wonderful truths. We are all joyful and full of courage when Thursday comes, and off we go with our papers and books tucked under our arms. The Lord has wonderfully blessed us on these missionary trips, and it makes us feel so happy to be able to work for the Master that we find ourselves singing His praises as we go from house to house.

"I am sure that if more of our people would join in this blessed work they would enjoy the blessings and courage that comes to our workers."

NORTH WISCONSIN TRACT SOCIETY

Waldery Academy Notes

I am glad to report that all those who were sick with the influenza are out again.

Miss Mercer, a trained nurse from the Hinsdale Sanitarium returned to Spooner Sunday, where she will meet her brother who is just back from France. We are very thankful for the faithful services of Sister Mercer during the recent epidemic at Waldery.

Mrs. Parish recently received a telephone message that her brother, Mr. Albert Tweedy, was severely injured by a falling tree while working in a logging camp near Superior.

Miss Florence Oliver, who underwent an operation for appendicitis last week, is improving nicely. We hope to see her back at school in a short time.

Notwithstanding the sickness here on account of influenza and mumps we feel that the teachers' institute, which was held in our academy chapel March 6-9, was a decided success. Although it was held for the church school teachers of our conference, the academy

teachers wish to express their appreciation of it also. We are all church school teachers and so what is good for one teacher is good for another. We are here for the purpose of studying North Wisconsin boys and girls and to teach *them* instead of teaching English, history, Bible, and mathematics. In other words, we are a person-centered school instead of the traditional study-centered institution of the hickory stick type.

We have received the freight bill for our piano which was shipped from Chicago on March 6. We wish to express our appreciation to all of those who so cheerfully donated toward our piano. Although we have not as yet received all the money pledged at the elders' meeting, we feel that it will come in soon. Again we thank Prof. C. A. Russell and Brother J. L. McConaughy for the good turn they did in purchasing our piano from W. W. Kimball & Co. This is just a beginning, it is true, in the way of building up our musical department but we take courage when we think how a good beginning is generally a good omen for the future.

O. P. WILSON

Illinois Conference

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President, W. H. Holden

Field Notes

These are very busy days in the office and in the field. We are glad to tell our brethren that we have more office help now and from this time forth expect to do better work and hope to be more prompt in filling orders from the office, in answering correspondence, and in reporting more faithfully through the LAKE UNION HERALD. It will be of interest to our friends to know that we now have a strong force of workers in the field and the Lord is blessing their efforts.

Seven of our ministers are now holding Sunday night meetings and Brother C. J. Smith will begin meetings in East St. Louis next Sunday night.

Brother B. M. Butterfield reports an excellent interest at Rockford, his attendance having reached one hundred and seventy.

Elder L. O. Drews is now nicely located in Ottawa, where he is holding Sunday night meetings in the church and getting hold of the work there in an acceptable manner. He recently moved to the city, but already has some interest.

Elder P. C. Hanson is acting as chaplain at the Tri-City Sanitarium temporarily, awaiting the arrival of their new chaplain, Elder O. M. Kittle, of Jackson, Mich. Elder Hanson reports an excellent interest in the Sunday night meetings he is conducting in the church at Moline.

Elder E. N. Sargeant has moved to Danville to begin work in that city, but will for some time continue his Sunday night meetings in Decatur to bind off his work there.

Elder B. L. Post has begun a series of Sunday night meetings in Peoria, and reports a good interest in the Bible work. The first meeting was well attended.

Brother W. J. Harris reports an excellent interest at Cissna Park, where he is holding evening meetings during the week. Brother J. C. Nixon is doing successful work in Galesburg.

Elder F. C. Phipps has decided not to hold Sun-

day night meetings this winter, but is devoting his time to Bible study with the colored people in Springfield and reports a good interest.

The conference has called Brother and Sister Timothy Summerville of East Michigan to locate in this Conference, and they expect to be with us early for the tent season. With these ministers actively engaged in the field, assisted by a strong corps of Bible workers, the conference treasury is necessarily placed under a very heavy strain and we earnestly solicit the faithful cooperation of all our people in supporting the work at this time. When tent season opens we plan to begin a strong work in several of the large cities. In addition to the force of laborers mentioned above, we hope to hold an effort for the Swedish people in Moline.

We were made happy last week when one individual sent to the office \$1,212.50 tithe. This is an excellent beginning for the new year.

I have recently visited most of the workers personally and find them doing faithful service. Our churches are now in good working condition and I am confident that our brethren throughout the state of Illinois are faithful lovers of the truth which we are attempting to carry to the three and one-half million people in the Illinois Conference. What a great joy it will be when Jesus comes and we, together with the sheaves we gather, are ushered into the kingdom of God.

W. H. HOLDEN

Institute Notice

The colporteurs' annual institute for the Illinois Conference will be held at Fox River Academy, Sheridan, Ill., April 11-20. All the regular colporteurs will receive the usual courtesies. New recruits will receive free board while attending the institute (providing they have made previous arrangement) and car fare will be refunded after they have delivered \$150 worth of books.

Those interested in attending the institute should write me at once so arrangements can be made.

R. J. WATSON

Indiana Conference

Office Address, 417-421 Castle Hall Bldg., 230 E. Ohio St.
Indianapolis, Ind.
President, C. S. Wiest

The Wabash Valley Sanitarium Training School for Nurses

This article is addressed particularly to those who are planning to take a training along medical lines in the near future.

If the great world war has taught us anything, it has taught us not only the great value, but also the great necessity of a training along medical lines. It has demonstrated that a nurse's training is of inestimable value at a time like this. We are having a blessed little time of peace at the present time, but soon the very darkest pages of earth's history will unfold, and the nations of earth will gather to that terrible battle where blood will flow so freely that the bridles of the horses will dip into the crimson flood.

The terrible influenza pandemic has burned into our very souls the necessity of knowing how to care for the sick and suffering, yes, and the dying, in our own homes as well as in our immediate neighborhoods. This

plague, and a plague it certainly has been, is but a sample of what we may expect in the future.

Every person between the ages of nineteen and thirty-five, whom the Lord is not calling to make a definite preparation along other lines, should begin now to prepare for the future by obtaining a training that will fit him to care for the sick, the wounded and the Christless.

The patronage of the Wabash Valley Sanitarium has been steadily increasing until for a long time we have been crowded to the limit. This increase of patients is not a spasmodic one for we have had very few influenza cases.

The sanitarium is in a position to give the very best training to those who can enter the June or September classes. Those who start training in June will be ready to give bath-room treatments and do nursing by the time the fall class starts.

To the faculty are being added four very competent teachers. Dr. Satterlee who did such excellent work in training the Red-Cross students over a year ago, is joining our staff immediately. His wife will also help in the teaching. Mrs. Janie Albro, formerly Miss Janie Harrison, will take the matron's work the first of May. Those who know Mrs. Albro will realize that we could not secure a person better suited to this position. Miss Anna Balding will also join our staff very soon, probably by the first of April.

We believe in giving our students the very best training possible along medical lines. The Indiana State Board secretary says that we are giving the best training along theoretical lines that is being given in the entire state. With the sanitarium full of patients month by month our nurses receive a very thorough training in practical nursing with many different cases. The classrooms are large and pleasant and the dormitory rooms are everything that can be desired.

Training school booklets will be sent to all those interested, also application blanks. Those who are between the ages of nineteen and thirty-five, and have had nine full grades of schooling may apply. Applications will be acted upon by the faculty very promptly upon receipt of properly filled out application blank. Address all mail to

C. E. GARNSEY

Superintendent Training School

News Notes

Elder Wiest, who has been quite ill with influenza for the past week, is somewhat improved.

Elder S. E. Wight, from the Southern Union Conference, spoke at the Union and Twenty-third Street churches in the interest of the Southern Junior College.

Brother O. B. Hall is spending the week with the Elwood, Peru, Wabash, and Logansport churches in the interest of the home missionary work.

Elder Hubbard is having large audiences at his Sunday night services held in the Twenty-third Street church. Twenty-two were baptized during February.

Among the visitors at the office this week were Elder W. A. Young of Kokomo, Brother Geo. Jones of Greenwood, Elder B. J. White, and J. V. Moore of Anderson, Prof. C. W. Marsh and C. J. Voris from the academy.

The Colporteur Work

When Brother Fishell was called to Canada, I was elected to take charge of the work until his successor arrived. I am glad to report that the book work is progressing nicely in Indiana. Since the institute our men are going out with a stronger determination to give the message of warning to the people. Several new men have decided to give their time to canvassing, for which we know the Lord will richly bless them.

Brother Brodt was in this morning. He has just completed a good delivery in the southern part of the state. He is going out with a stronger determination to give the Lord faithful time.

Brother Payne has been having some good experiences, and says his courage is good.

I was out with Brother Knight last week. We found the people anxious to get our literature, and they know that it is put out by the Seventh-day Adventist people. After leaving Brother Knight, I came to Marengo where I gave four exhibitions and secured six orders. Many are asking the question, "What do these things mean?" I wonder if there are some who feel impressed to go out with our good books to help them understand the answer? Sister White says, in Volume VI, page 313, "All who consecrate themselves to God to work as canvassers, are assisting to give the last message of warning to the world." We cannot too highly estimate this work, for were it not for the effort of the canvasser many would never hear the warning.

C. P. HALL

Wabash Valley Sanitarium Notes

Mrs. Minnie Wilcox of Mt. Pleasant, Mich., has been at the sanitarium for several days now and has just undergone a very severe operation.

Mrs. John Roughley of Detroit, Mich., has just returned to her home in Detroit in excellent health and spirits. She recovered in a marvelously short time from a severe major operation, and she feels very grateful to God that such institutions have been established where the sick may receive Christian care.

Mrs. Rachel Coomler of Kokomo, who has been taking a course of treatment here for severe bronchitis following influenza, has now practically recovered.

The pleasant spring weather we have been enjoying for the last two or three weeks seems to have put new life into our veins, and a spirit of activity holds sway over the whole atmosphere of the sanitarium. The lawn has been very nicely cleaned up, hotbeds are started, sweet-pea seeds have been in the ground for a week now, and the carpenters are rapidly transforming the old laundry building into a comfortable cottage to provide more dormitory rooms for the nurses. A flock of robins arrived last Sabbath morning to make life more enjoyable for us and they give us a grand concert every morning just a little while before the rising hour for the majority of sanitarium inhabitants.

Should anyone happen to arrive at the sanitarium at eight-thirty in the morning or at five-thirty in the evening he would find the lobby and parlors quite deserted, for at these times each day the patients enjoy a helpful series of breathing exercises and physical culture movements. These are under the supervision

of Mrs. Dunscombe, and are held either in the chapel or when conditions permit, out on the lawn.

A Thirteenth Sabbath Offering at Kalyan, India

The largest Thirteenth Sabbath offering that we had ever given in the Kalyan Sabbath school was seven rupees. Although we had talked and talked, and tried and tried, yet we never seemed to be able to get beyond that seven rupees. Nevertheless, I felt sure that it was possible for us to do so, and made up my mind to make an attempt to break the former record.

We gathered up all the tin cans that we could find and asked our friends to give us old cocoa tins, baking-powder tins, etc. We cut a slit in those tins, tied them with a stout cord, and then sealed them. Then we distributed them among the different members of the Sabbath school whom we thought could and should gather pice for the Lord; in this way sixteen tins were given out. A list of those who received them was carefully kept by our Sabbath school secretary. We prayed and asked the Lord to help us to be faithful to do our very best. At the same time, we suggested to all that we must be faithful in paying our tithes and other regular offerings, and that, if possible, we must not make this offering from our salaries or regular income; but that each one should endeavor to do some extra work or some special thing whereby we might gain money for the Lord.

Everybody went to work with a happy heart and a determination to do his best. Many began to collect newspapers and sell them for wrapping paper in the bazar. On this they realized six annas per set. Others sold eggs. One woman worked as a coolie several days; others sold flowers; some painted, while others collected money from their friends outside. The nurses and helpers at the hospital explained the use of the tin boxes to the well-to-do patients, and received quite a lot in this way. Our school boys seemed to have few ways to collect, so they went to the town and sang Christian songs to the Europeans and asked for a donation. I am glad to say that this was a success and nine boys thus earned eight rupees and two annas; in several places they were treated to biscuits and lemonade. So it went on for day after day and week after week, until within a few days for the collection.

We tried to encourage one another, and yet no one had the least idea what the boxes actually contained, for they were all sealed and could not be opened and no one kept an account of what he gleaned day by day. When the day arrived to bring in the boxes containing the offerings, everyone was filled with joyful expectation. We had decided that we must have a special program for that day, as that was a very special day for the Kalyan Sabbath school, Dec. 28, 1918. The program was as follows:

1. Silent prayer, all kneeling.
2. A special song by all.
3. Prayer by one of the mothers.
4. Song by one of the nurses.
5. The Sabbath school secretary's report.
6. A song by our "boy pice gleaners."
7. Scripture read by different ones on giving to the Lord.
8. A song by the Sabbath school.
9. Roll call.

10. Our weekly offering and march around the church with song and doxology.

11. A paper read in Marathi on the S. D. A. schools in Africa and their great need.

12. Song by a nurse.

13. The boxes and tins opened one by one and the amounts gathered recorded by the secretary.

14. The full amount announced.

15. Special prayer offered for Africa.

16. A song by the whole Sabbath school.

17. Sabbath school closed in silent prayer.

To our surprise the boxes contained fifty rupees and one anna. Oh, how happy everybody was. We had gone beyond the old standard and accomplished by prayer and united effort what no one had believed possible. Our membership of seventy-five is composed mostly of Indian young people, who are very poor; but even though they do not have money of their own to give, they can earn it in various ways as they did this time, and they receive a great blessing in doing so.

M. D. WOOD

Forward, the Signal

(Tune: "Brighten the Corner Where You Are")

The clarion note is sounding over vale and hill,

'Tis the rally call to fight against the foe.

Rouse ye freemen brave and strong,

Sound the bugle loud and long—

Forward, the signal, who will go?

Chorus:

Forward, the signal, who will go?

Forward, the signal, who will go?

Here am I, my Captain, send me forth against the foe—

Forward, the signal, I will go.

The hosts of Rum are gathering for the last great fight;

'Tis a battle to the death against the foe.

Let the banner be unfurled,

Christian temperance for the world,

Forward, the signal, who will go?

For God and home and native land we pledge our lives,

To drive the great destroyer's cry of woe

Out forever from our shore.

To return, no, never more—

Forward, the signal, who will go?

C. A. RUSSELL

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.

PRICES DROPPED ON COOKING OIL.—Mazola or Wesson's cooking oil \$9.25 for 5 gallons; case containing two 5-gallon cans \$18. Snowdrift, case containing 6 8-pound pails \$14.50. Prices subject to change. East Michigan Tract Society, Holly, Mich.

WANTED.—A middle-aged woman to work in a family of two, in the country. Privilege of Sabbath school. None need apply but Sabbath-keeper. State wages wanted. D. C. Horlacher, R. F. D. 6, Frankfort, Ind.

CONCRETE MIXER WANTED.—Walderly Academy is preparing to erect several buildings at once and needs a concrete mixer. Has some one of our brethren in the Lake Union a mixer that he will donate to this work? Address E. A. von Pohle, Hines, Wis.

WANTED.—Place in refined home as housekeeper by Seventh-day Adventist sister with long experience in cooking, sewing, nursing, and general matron's work. Excellent references. Write Editor Lake Union Herald, Berrien Springs, Mich.

EMPLOYMENT WANTED.—By experienced man with small family—two children. Will work by month or year. Preferably for Adventist, near church school, where no hogs are kept. Can do milking, will do plastering and cement work. References given and required. W. Alvord, 320 Lakeview Ave., Sturgis, Mich.

Madison Sanitarium School for Nurses

The next class at the Madison Sanitarium and hospital training school for nurses will begin July 10, 1919. The school affiliates with Chicago Lying-in Hospital and the Children's Memorial, Chicago, where the student nurses receive a portion of their training. Write for information and application blank to Superintendent of Nurses, Madison Sanitarium, Madison, Wis.

Canvassers' Report for the Week Ending

March 15, 1919

West Michigan

Canvasser	Book	Hrs	Ords	Value	Helps	Total	Del
J. E. Herrington.....	OD	85	39	\$106 50	\$4 75	\$111 25	\$4 75
J. Worrell.....	OD	42	6	15 00	.....	15 00	3 20
*W. P. Coppock.....	BF	41	16	32 00	.....	32 00	106 00
J. E. Kidder.....	OD	40	18	45 00	6 00	51 00	6 00
L. Lautenbach.....	BR	30	1	4 00	11 90	15 90	12 70
George Mattison.....	OD	28	20	51 00	1 50	52 50	.....
Mrs. C. G. Nelson.....	DR	22	1	4 00	.....	4 00	.....
Wm. Lieby.....	OD	19	7	17 50	.....	17 50	.....
Mrs. C. A. Loveland.....	BF	19	4	11 00	50	11 50	2 50
C. G. Nelson.....	BF	4	1	5 00	1 70	6 70	9 85
		330	113	291 00	26 35	317 35	145 00

North Wisconsin

F. J. Olson.....	GC	17	4	17 00	1 00	18 00	.....
Claude Morris.....	BR	26	1	4 00	.....	4 00	202 00
		43	5	21 00	1 00	22 00	202 00

East Michigan

Pearl Morrison.....	OD	11	8	21 00	4 25	25 25	.....
C. B. Graham.....	PG	21	3	12 00	3 25	15 25	16 00
Fred Otto.....	OD	34	12	38 00	7 25	45 25	83 80
L. Ream.....	OD	32	12	30 50	.....	30 50	.....
		98	35	101 50	14 75	116 25	99 80

North Michigan

M. J. Pierce.....	DR	25	4	19 00	.....	19 00	.....
E. J. Peterson.....	OD	14	5	12 50	.....	12 50	.....
Roy Peterson.....	OD	19	8	23 00	5 95	28 95	.....
John F. Ives.....	BR	41	7	34 00	3 50	37 50	.....
Wm. L. Freeman.....	BR	47	15	68 00	4 00	72 00	.....
		146	39	156 50	13 45	169 95	.....

Indiana

Mildred Young.....	OD	10	11	27 50	2 00	29 50	2 00
*E. L. Graham.....	DR	75	22	79 50	9 80	87 30	19 25
F. B. Hainey.....	OD	17	11	27 50	.....	27 50	.....
C. L. Young.....	OD	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	60 44
Verna Payne.....	OD	38	18	48 00	.....	48 00	.....
J. A. Jackson.....	OD	50	21	57 50	.....	57 50	.....
W. B. Ware.....	OD	36	9	22 50	2 75	25 25	108 45
R. C. Gabin.....	OD	88	6	18 50	8 20	26 70	33 95
A. E. Goodman.....	PG	34	10	41 50	9 85	51 35	1 60
Wm. L. Peterson.....	OD	18	9	23 50	.....	23 50	87 50
H. P. Brodt.....	BR	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	406 50
		312	117	344 00	32 60	376 70	719 69

South Wisconsin

Arthur Bliss.....	GC	36	12	54 00	.....	54 00	.....
C. M. Hutchings.....	PG	14	2	10 00	.....	10 00	.....
I. D. Barton.....	PG	3	4	19 00	.....	19 00	.....
		53	18	83 00	.....	83 00	.....

Chicago

D. J. Graham.....	OD	29	31	100 50	.....	100 50	15 00
A. Haggard.....	OD	28	8	21 00	2 00	23 00	2 00
Adam Hardt.....	OD	33	7	18 50	7 95	26 45	19 45
A. P. Kubrock.....	GC	9	3	9 00	.....	9 00	31 00
L. Lee.....	OD	47	10	49 50	.....	49 50	.....
E. Lundberg.....	OD	3	4	9 50	9 50	73 50
R. F. Sawyer.....	OD	41	12	31 25	1 25	32 50
V. C. Tooley.....	BR	40	15	72 00	3 00	75 00	8 00
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*Two weeks							

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Secretary-Treasurer

As all are no doubt aware we have secured Mr. H. K. Presley formerly of Melrose, Mass., and lately of Washington, D. C., to act as secretary-treasurer of the Lake Union Conference. Brother Presley arrived Friday, March 14, and has taken over his duties in the office. All mail intended for the treasury department should be addressed either to H. K. Presley or to the Lake Union Conference. He will do his first outside work in the Wabash Valley Sanitarium.

We believe Brother Presley will do our work well and will soon be one of our united family well beloved and trusted. I am sure it will not be necessary for me to request the cooperation of our conference secretaries as your faithful service in the past assures me of your loyal support without asking it of you.

WM. GUTHRIE

Emmanuel Missionary College Notes

The student campaign for \$6,000 to build a new music building reached the half-way mark on Friday and just one-half of the goal was already paid.

Sabbath school classes are now being held in the Spanish and French languages for the benefit of the Spanish and French students. A good interest is taken in this work.

The canvassing bands are busy preparing for the institute to be held here in April. The canvassers expect to have their canvasses well learned by that time. A few of the boys are working hard on a Spanish canvass with the intention of carrying the gospel in literature to the people of Cuba.

They are now excavating just north of the laundry for the new heating plant.

Mrs. J. W. Hubbard, of Detroit, was here for a few days last week visiting her daughter, Frances Ammon.

We have enjoyed the visit of one of our former students, Mrs. Gordon MacKenzie, this week. She sang several songs for us during her stay.

Several temperance programs have been given in the near-by towns. The College orchestra furnishes the music, and enthusiastic audiences have always been out to greet the campaigners. They hope to talk, sing, and play this county dry.

At the industrial meeting every other Wednesday evening a prize of one dollar is offered for the best suggestion for the improvement of the College. Mr. Longway won the dollar last time with the suggestion that the walk between the College and Dr. Cooper's house be improved.

Several students now do a little canvassing after school hours and on Saturday night. One student pays most of his expenses this way. They sell subscriptions to the *Watchman* and also canvass for books.

CLARENCE M. ELLIOTT

Hinsdale Sanitarium

For nearly two months now the Hinsdale Sanitarium has had a waiting list. As I am writing these notes, March 17, every room is reserved up to April 5 and from three to twelve applicants are disappointed each day.

The Good Samaritan Inn is equally crowded and every room spoken for up to April 15.

A lecture by Professor Powles, of Chicago, entitled "Ben Hur," another by Mr. Herman Weig, about "Alaska, Atlin, and the Yukon," and one by Mr. Julius Paulson on "Conditions in Mexico," were all most heartily enjoyed. Miss Margaret Wiley, a soloist from Chicago, assisted by Mrs. Marie Jones Anderson, gave one of the pleasantest evenings of all. This week Dr. Julian B. Arnold, son of Sir Edwin Arnold of England, will give us a trip via stereopticon across Africa, and next week the same speaker will tell us of Mesopotamia.

Dr. Mary Paulson, her sister, Mrs. C. L. Clough, and mother, Mrs. Wild, returned last week from a ten weeks' vacation, the most of which was spent in California. All were looking hale and hearty and reported a most enjoyable trip.

The new refrigerating plant is now running and is furnishing twice as much ice as can be used, besides cooling ice chests and drinking fountains. From present indications it will completely pay for itself in two years.

Elder and Mrs. Gardner, who have been at the Sanitarium for a little over a month, returned to their home March 17, much improved in health but not fully recovered. They will not take up active conference work for some time yet.

The parlor has been furnished through the assistance of guests and friends with a fine new Mason & Hamlin piano.

A farewell reception was recently held in the gymnasium in honor of Mr. Archie Field and his wife, Mrs. Mary Borg Field, both graduates of Hinsdale Sanitarium nurses' training school. They left the next night for California and the Lake Titicaca mission field, with the hearty good wishes of the whole sanitarium family.

Monday, March 10, 1919, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Colburn, Hinsdale, occurred the marriage of Mr. James Bennett to Miss Margaret Erickson, both formerly students at Walderly Academy. They have recently been employees at the sanitarium but will make their future home on a farm in Wisconsin.

Mr. Charles Wineland, who has been for nearly two years head painter at the sanitarium, has severed his connection with the institution and will move with his family to Missouri where he will take up farm work. His work in the painting department is taken up by Mr. Gilbert Johnston of Boggs town, Ind., who is already in charge, having moved here last week.

Several members of the sanitarium family assisted Mr. and Mrs. Julius Paulson to celebrate their nineteenth wedding anniversary last week. Interesting reminiscences of Mexican life made the evening pass all too soon.

Elder S. N. Haskell and wife spent a week with us recently. His early morning talks to the helpers were much appreciated. Brother Haskell seems daily to renew his youth, and his earnest talks are an inspiration to all lovers of present truth.

J. G. LAMSON

In the HERALD of March 12, on page four, the cut we called "Scene on the College Farm" is a scene on Fox River Academy farm. A mistake was made in the cut used.