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

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## Results

Our Big Week is now in the past, but the effects and inspiration of that week will be with us for many days. Many of our conference workers have had rich experiences selling "World Peace." The writer was out a portion of three different days and sold seventy-three books. The experiences put into me some of the old-time feeling when I used to be in the field with literature, supplementing my tent efforts. I believe a large degree of my success in those days was due to the free use of literature.

Now that it has been shown that we can quickly earn five dollars by the sale of our small books, I trust that no individual will cease to be active until the five dollars has been turned in to the Educational Fund. I believe the experience thus gained will inspire continued activity for soul winning. One church in Greater New York is selling more than \$1,000 worth of literature each week. Who will go and do likewise?

Letters have been received from some of the church elders and pastors expressing their interest in our educational drive. They declare their hope that their churches will reach the goal of five dollars per member, and further, that they may secure at least one room by raising \$609.02, the cost of one square in the diagram as presented in the HERALD.

The education of our young people is one of the most vital issues now before us. It is the pivot on which the success of this message depends. Without consecrated workers all our efforts will fail both at home and in the foreign fields. We have 800 young men and young women of college age and 2,200 boys and girls ready to enter our academies. All of these are needed in the different lines of work. What shall we do for them? Shall we not train them at the same time we are looking after the training of those in foreign fields? Where is your daughter or son to spend eternity? Much depends on how they spend their lives here in this world. If they are trained for service with Christ they will turn their eyes heavenward and their steps as well.

We solicit your earnest prayers to the end that our youth may be turned toward our schools and the finishing of this work. WM. GUTHRIE

## Religious Liberty Day, May 24

Sabbath day, May 24, has been appointed to consider in a very definite way the work of our Religious Liberty Department. An excellent program has been provided, and the day will doubtless bring inspiration to our churches on a most important topic of the great movement assigned to Seventh-day Adventists.

The subject of liberty received a great baptism of fire, as it were, in the war just closed. Arrangements for adjusting matters of government, racial rights,

boundary lines, etc., are being conducted at Paris by the representatives of the nations, the uppermost thought being to make the world "safe for democracy," or the rule of the people as against the absolute rule of autocracy.

In the covenant of the League of Nations, which has just been reported in its revised form, provision for religious liberty is included in one of the articles thereof. But the Commission of International Labor Legislation has recommended and a plenary session of the peace conference has adopted the following clause to be incorporated in the peace document:

"Fifth—The adoption of a weekly day of rest of at least twenty-four hours, which should include Sunday whenever practicable."

We simply refer to this and without comment except to show that the Sunday institution is steadily forging its way to the front, and laws looking to its enforced observance internationally may be looked for in the near future. In view of the message committed to us regarding inalienable rights and liberty, in view of what we have been told by the spirit of prophecy, and in view of the opportune time yet afforded us of advocating and teaching these principles, no one should feel to relinquish for a moment the duty of keeping constantly alive the program we have marked out regarding religious liberty activities.

Besides, there are being added to the church federation movement other projects just as innocent looking as was the union of church and state movement in the early centuries of our era which led to the Dark Ages. There is the proposed League of Churches, without which, say its advocates, the League of Nations cannot successfully conduct its work. It will be recalled that certain bishops of Protestant churches went to the Pope in behalf of this movement, and received his qualified approval. Then there is the Inter-Church project more recently organized. At the meeting of this movement held in Cleveland the latter part of April a summary of plans was disclosed which contemplated "solving the questions of the religious occupancy of unoccupied territory," etc., which may (and likely will) interfere with the plans of those religious bodies that are not part of the movement.

We should not wait for threatening Sunday law impositions to spring into activity. Our work is educational and constructive and continuous. And while Sunday laws are unjust and their evil consequences should be pointed out to legislators, still our program includes much more; and for that reason we need to keep constantly informed for ourselves in order that we can the better and more efficiently labor for leaders of thought in our communities. Let us be constant readers of the *Liberty* magazine and see to it that it finds access to the homes and offices of lawyers, judges,

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legislators, and others. We should also see to it that sufficient funds abound with which to meet current necessities as well as emergencies that are always possible. In some conferences of this Union the religious liberty account has been overdrawn.

Shall we not, then, plan for an enthusiastic time on the coming Religious Liberty Day, May 24, and come prepared to give generously of our means on that day for the support of the departmental work which is second to no other in the great movement the Author of religious liberty has entrusted to us as a people.

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*Religious Liberty Secretary*

#### Chicago Conference

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#### The German Efforts in Chicago

I take great delight at this time in giving our dear people in the Lake Union a report of the German work in Chicago. The Lord is really good to His workers, blessing them in this field with health and strength, also in soul winning.

We started meetings on the north side of the city in our German church March 16, and are thankful to the Lord for the interest that is aroused among the strangers to the truth by these Sunday night lectures.

Last Sunday night, May 4, we had about one hundred and seventy-five visitors at the meeting. This is a very good number at this season of the year, and we know that with such an audience of German people we can expect souls for the truth of God. May 10 we expect to see a goodly number go forward in baptism, and on May 31 others will be baptized.

Brother P. H. Herrman is holding some German meetings on the south side of Chicago, and the Bible worker from his meetings says there are some strangers attending his lectures. May the Lord bless Brother Herrman in this effort for his people on the South Side.

We are certainly of good courage in this part of the field. After working for the German people of Chicago

for three years, I have learned to love them as a Christian should, and shall continue to work for them in this great city with all the earnestness and kindness that Christ helps me to manifest.

Remember us in your prayers, for the summer tent meetings are coming on, which are larger than winter meetings, and being under canvass tents where thoughtless men can do about as they please, we especially need the guiding hand that intervenes.

J. H. MILLER

#### The Colored Church

The Sunday night meetings that are being conducted for the colored people are growing in interest. The Sabbath has been presented and several have admitted their conviction of its claims upon them. Some have decided, while many are halting between two opinions. We hope to see the honest in heart who are seeking for light take their stand boldly for the truth.

*Present Truth* is distributed after the preaching service, thus giving the people an opportunity for further study on the subject. This is helping to confirm the truth in their hearts and to bring them to a decision.

The Bible training class, organized for the purpose of training the members to give readings in the homes of their neighbors, is progressing encouragingly. We hope to turn out an efficient class of men and women who can do this phase of home missionary work intelligently. We are depending on God to do greater things for us than we have seen Him do in the past. We join in praying for success in every branch of the work in all the churches.

W. D. FORDE

#### Chicago Items

Elder B. L. Anderson, one of our missionaries to China who is here in this country on a furlough, spoke at the West Central church last Sabbath and gave a very interesting account of the work that is being done in China.

Elder R. C. Gardner and wife, who have been in Indianapolis while convalescing from their recent illness, have returned to Chicago ready for work again.

The interest at Central Music Hall is increasing from week to week. Last evening the subject was, "What Is Hell, and Where Is It?" This subject drew nearly a full house.

The conference committee has been disappointed in securing grounds at Berwyn for the coming camp meeting. Another location is being sought and we hope to be able to announce the location in the very near future. In the meantime we hope that every one will plan to attend camp meeting. It will be held in or near Chicago.

#### Interesting Colporteur Experiences

Our colporteurs are meeting with some very interesting experiences as they go from home to home that indicate the great need of workers and also the fact that there are many who are hungering for the bread of life in our cities as well as in the rural districts.

Brother K. G. Risetter, who is working in Whiting, Ind., reports the following: "I walked by a house that was being remodeled, thinking that it was empty, but upon looking a little closer I discovered curtains at the window. Upon inquiry of the workmen I found that the people were living in the back part of the house. I was invited in by the lady who listened very attentively to the canvass. When I was through she inquired, 'Could you get me those seventh-day tracts?' It did not take long to find out that she was asking for Seventh-day Adventist literature. I told her the nature of 'Bible Readings' and she said that that was just what she wanted. She told how she had visited many churches but the truth as we present it appealed to her as according to Scripture. She then told how Satan had been tempting her, and finally that she had prayed earnestly to the Lord for help and that she believed that I was there as an answer to prayer."

Brother Adam Hardt, who is working in Chicago, writes of an interesting experience: "Last week I canvassed a lady who seemed very much interested. When I had finished she said, 'About three weeks ago I went to a bookstore to see if I could find a book that dealt with prophecy and that speaks of our day.' She seemed surprised and was impressed with the fact that I had called with the very book she was looking for—'Our Day.' When I informed her that I had an extra copy of the book with me she bought it immediately and in addition gave me an order for another one."

Brother R. F. Sawyer, who is now located at Hammond, Ind., met with the following experience: "I called on a lady who at one time had been a Catholic, but the thought that the Lord would permit the massacre of so many Catholics in Europe had made her an infidel. I showed her the book 'Our Day' and the Lord so impressed her with the work that she called in seven of her neighbors and gave them a canvass in the Austrian language and secured all seven orders. Satan is determined to hinder if he can, and it may be that he was instrumental in causing me to be sick the next day but as the doctor was waiting on me I spoke to him about his soul and asked him to hand me the prospectus that was lying on the dresser. I gave him a canvass the best I could and secured his order."

The following was received from one of our energetic workers, Brother V. C. Tooley who is located at Aurora, working out from that point: "One night I was unable to find a place to stay until eight o'clock. At one home the lady was very much interested in the book 'Bible Readings' but her husband was not, nor was he very anxious for me to stay over night. She asked me if I had had supper. I told her that I had not. She said, 'Well, I can get your supper anyway.' As I was eating she asked to look at my prospectus. The Lord must have impressed her to provide me with a lodging for she became so interested in the book that she would not hand it back until bedtime in spite of the husband. Finally the man said, 'Well, I suppose you are ready for bed.' I took my prospectus and retired. In the morning I asked her if she did not want the book. She said she did, but her husband would not consent, but she wanted my address. Last Thursday I received a letter from her stating that she could not get along without the good book and that she wanted one in the best binding."

We feel thankful for the manner in which God is setting His hand to the work in this conference, and the way our workers are giving themselves to the cause. Will you not remember them in your prayers?

W. A. BERGHERM

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## Illinois Conference

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### Peoria

Since writing last, I have visited the companies in Farmington and Bloomington. At the former place several are ready for baptism. The work in Peoria advances, though not as rapidly as we could wish. Several have stated their determination to obey the truth, and others are studying with varying degrees of interest. It seems difficult to get large audiences unless large sums are spent in advertising and in securing elaborate and stylish meeting places. However, we are hoping that quality rather than quantity may characterize our audiences. We have secured a fine lot, in a convenient place, and near a street car line, on which to pitch our tent for the summer's effort. We are planning to flood this city with literature, and expect church members and workers to labor together to this end. As the day darkens towards that night in which no man can work, it is evident that our zeal and courage must increase in proportion to the enlarging difficulties. It will take real fighting to win the final battle. May God make us all good soldiers. We solicit the prayers of HERALD readers.

B. L. POST

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### Sabbath School Items

There are now fifty-four Sabbath schools in the Illinois Conference. Sixteen were added to our number when the twenty-five counties in the northern part of the state united with us the first of the year.

Thirty-nine of our fifty-four secretaries sent their quarterly reports to me on time and received an Honor Card on which had been placed a gold star to indicate their faithfulness in this respect. Their names will also be placed on an Honor Roll. I hope the other fifteen secretaries may be numbered with them at the close of the present quarter.

Nearly all the reports show that the schools have been making progress. More copies of the *Sabbath School Worker*, *Youth's Instructor* and *Little Friend* are being taken than in the previous quarter, and many of the schools are providing the other helps that are so necessary for the children's division; while the offerings show a decided increase over those reported by most of the schools for the last quarter of 1918. This indication of progress shows that the spirit of this message is taking deeper root in our hearts.

I am glad that many of the schools are giving more liberally in the Thirteenth Sabbath Offering. A number lacked only a few dollars of reaching the standard of "a dollar a member" for that offering and six did reach that goal. They are Kingston, with a membership of 3, giving an offering of \$3; Aledo, membership 65, offering \$76.38 which is an average of \$1.17 per

member; Pontiac, membership 17, offering \$21.16, average \$1.24; Belvidere, membership 8, offering \$10, average \$1.25; Moline, membership 81, offering \$123.46, average \$1.52; and West Frankfort with a membership of only 13 gave an offering of \$30 which is an average of \$2.30 per member. It seems to me that is a splendid showing and indicates what we can do for the mission fields if we are really interested in them and put forth an effort to do all that we can. It takes sacrifice on the part of most people to give such offerings, but it is time that the spirit of sacrifice were taking possession of all our hearts. Let us pray that many more of our schools may reach the "dollar a member" goal in the next Thirteenth Sabbath Offering.

Let every school, no matter how small it may be, plan to carry out the Rally Day program. Your school will miss much if it does not have this program and enter into the spirit of Rally Day. The Rally Day leaflets have been sent to all the schools. If any superintendent failed to get a supply or needs more than were sent, please let me know as I have enough for all the schools to have the number they need.

Let us pray that the Lord may help us to sense the importance of the Sabbath school work and strive to bring our Sabbath schools up to the standard that He has set for them.

MRS. W. H. HOLDEN  
*Sabbath School Secretary*

### East Saint Louis, Ill.

After binding off the work at Freeburg, I decided to come to this place to labor until time to begin tent meetings. I could not secure a suitable hall, so arranged for the use of a store room in which to hold meetings. Our services are held on Sunday and Wednesday evenings, our Bible band on Wednesday. We had cards printed for the Bible band. Fifty-two persons signed these. Our attendance on Sunday nights has been good. We did no advertising, but just did personal work with the people. We asked them to sign the cards agreeing to read their Bibles an hour or a half hour each day. There is an interest here. A strong effort would without doubt reach those who are now interested. We have made many friends while here and hope that the Lord will open the way in the near future for the people of East Saint Louis to hear the message for this time and be prepared to meet the Master at His soon coming. C. J. SMITH

### Colporteur Notes

Our institute is bearing fruit already. Four recruits now are at work. G. W. McBride and W. R. Bouton, both of Decatur, are doing good work in the field. Brother McBride took \$69.50 worth of orders for "Our Day" in three and one-half days. Brother Bouton started last week alone with "Daniel and Revelation." I reached him Tuesday afternoon. He already had seven orders, and by Thursday evening our sales were \$103.25. We had promised the profits of one day to E. M. C. Our sales for that day were \$43.25.

Miss Ruth Dillon of Peoria put in twenty hours with "Our Day" and received \$51.50 in orders.

Brother Robert Guyot started in Union County with "Our Day." The regular men also had a short week as it took Monday and Tuesday to get home from the institute.

Edward Drury took \$123 worth of orders, Brother Morse \$83.75, Brother Lager \$73.40, and Brother Kimberlin \$60 worth.

We shall have a number of students in the field this summer. Any one who desires to make a home for one or more of them will please write to me at once.

Duquoin, Ill.

R. J. WATSON  
*Field Missionary Secretary*

### News Notes

We have sent out to our church officers this week a statement of the standing of each church on its quota to missions for the first four months of the present year. This statement shows that we lack considerable of having paid in our quota for this period. Amidst the many calls for help for the work at home, let us not neglect the cause of our mission work in fields abroad. If any who made pledges to missions through our Sabbath school at the last camp meeting have not yet paid them, we would urge that they plan to meet these obligations soon, for these funds are greatly needed in answering the many urgent calls for means to carry the message of truth to those in darkened fields who are urgently calling for workers to bring the truth to them.

At our recent colporteurs' institute at the academy, those of our colporteurs present at a certain meeting pledged to donate the profits of their sales on Wednesday, April 30, to the Educational Fund. Every one set a goal for sales on that day, the total amounted to nearly \$600. In the next issue of the HERALD we will report the sales of each colporteur on that day. We feel sure all will be encouraged by this spirit of self sacrifice on the part of these faithful workers.

More than 6,000 copies of "World Peace" have thus far been sent out to our churches. The largest order thus far received comes from our church at Moline. It has ordered in all 1,300 copies. The following churches ordered 500 copies or more: Sheridan, Peoria, Decatur, and Danville.

The weekly report of our colporteurs appearing in this issue indicates that several recruits have been added to the list. The Lord is blessing the efforts of these new workers. Let us not cease to pray for their success.

Elder Holden attended a counsel of the Union Committee at Berrien Springs.

Mrs. Holden is spending some time with the Sabbath schools in the northern part of the field. Our records show that our Sabbath schools gave \$2,349.52 to missions for the quarter ending April 30.

The total tithe received at this office for quarter ending April 30 amounted to \$12,230.57, or a tithe per capita of \$8.47. We are indeed grateful for this good sum that has come in, for all of this will be needed in carrying on the work that has been planned for the coming season.

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### Educational, Sabbath School, and M. V. Work

I trust that all the readers of the LAKE UNION HERALD will unite with us in prayer for the finishing days of our school work. A number of schools have only two or three weeks and these are always very critical days in the school year.

One teacher writes: "The Lord is richly prospering our school here and we give Him thanks for it all. All in a night, as it were, as flowers bloom from buds as we are looking on, yet we do not see the change, my boys and girls have changed from rude, disorderly 'lumberjacks' to as quiet and polite little people as can be found."

This is the work that is going on in our training centers. It shows us the great need of having all of our boys and girls in our schools.

I am glad to report that all the Sabbath schools in this conference, except one, sent in their report. The progress of the Sabbath school work is indeed very encouraging. We have not yet quite reached our dollar per member for the Thirteenth Sabbath, but we are looking forward to a high standard this quarter. I trust that all will plan very definitely to help make Rally Day a perfect success. All who desire the special Rally Day *Sabbath School Worker* will be able to get it by sending to the office. Price 5 cents.

A number of our Missionary Volunteer societies are doing excellent work in putting out the *Present Truth*, magazines and the "World Peace." The Missionary Volunteers at Walderly Academy have definitely organized into different bands of which one is called the Literature Band. They have divided the territory around the the academy in sections and are following this up from week to week with the different magazines and *Present Truth*. Some results can be seen, as a few have already begun to keep the Sabbath as a result of their earnest and faithful work.

T. S. COPELAND

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## North Michigan Conference

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### Traverse City

April 24-27 Brother J. L. McConaughy and the writer met with the Traverse City church in a home missionary convention. Besides the evening meetings, the entire time of Sabbath and Sunday was devoted to the various phases of home missionary work. As the Lord has said, "Not by might, nor by power, but by My Spirit, saith the Lord of hosts," so we endeavored to so instruct the brethren that they would rely wholly upon His word and Spirit for success in all their missionary endeavors. Knowing the necessity of having system to the work in order to have it thoroughly done, we looked carefully after the organization according to the general plan. The evening after the Sabbath a few took various numbers of the World Crisis series into the city and met with good success in sel-

ling them. Some were encouraged to think they could raise their \$5 for the College by this means. From the response our brethren in North Michigan are making to the call to arise and finish the work, it seems that we will soon have it done. We have entered into it with the determination of not stopping until the Lord shall say, "It is done."

CHANCY WOOD

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### A Visit to Terre Haute

On Sabbath, May 3, the Terre Haute church held its Mother's Day program. Brother Maris, C. P. Hall, and the writer made an unannounced visit on that date, and the church generously offered to postpone their program for a week, but we insisted that they follow their previous plans.

The church was beautifully decorated with ferns and trailing vines, interspersed with lilacs, which made a very pleasing effect. All present, both old and young, wore the snow white bridal wreath blossom, and a sprig of fern. The program as carried out was the readings from our church papers, recitations by the little people, spiced by special music by both old and young. The meeting was a grand success, and all present felt that drawing toward each other that comes of being touched by the leadings of the Holy Spirit.

In the afternoon we met again, and the time was divided between the visitors. All enjoyed a blessed season with the Lord. The church received an enlarged vision and increased courage, and as an evidence it determined on greater missionary activities in the future. They ordered 200 "World Peace" for first operations. We feel very much encouraged with the outlook in Terre Haute. Will you pray that God will greatly bless the efforts of this church, and that their vision may be broadened as they go forward in the Master's work.

O. B. HALL

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### My Experience

I have not accomplished all I had hoped to this week, as the weather has been bad and our books were late in coming, but I have earned my five dollars for the College, and had many good experiences.

During the year and a half that I have been in New Castle, Ind., I have from time to time engaged in house-to-house work with our literature, but this campaign week gave me a special reason for going out, and thus an opportunity to discover some precious souls who are just waiting to be gathered in.

I did not hurry over the ground, but tried in each case to find some way of reaching hearts, and God has blessed my efforts.

I have worked among a splendid class of people and have seen a number brought to tears as I have talked with them concerning these solemn, precious truths, and have endeavored to bring Jesus before them.

On leaving, several have grasped my hand and said, "I thank you for coming, won't you come again? You will be welcome any time."

Many interesting experiences might be related but space will forbid, but I am sure that to our people who have taken part in the work of this week a threefold blessing has been evident—Homes have been entered with this message, our own souls have been blessed, and our college has been materially aided, thus making for greater efficiency in the training of workers. What more could we ask?

MRS. A. C. GAYLORD

New Castle, Ind.  
May 2, 1919

**Farmersburg Church School**

The church at Farmersburg had the first Seventh-day Adventist church school conducted in the state. It was in the year 1897, taught by Maude Atherton. It is our earnest desire to give our children a Christian education. We are taking an advance step at the close of the present school year. Our new school board has been elected. The plan has been adopted for each member to pay a sum monthly, the donations to commence at once so as to have a fund on hand at the beginning of the school year, next September.

A MEMBER

**West Michigan Conference**

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**A New Church at St. Joseph**

It was a great pleasure for me to meet with the new believers in the city of St. Joseph Sabbath, May 3. Elder A. E. Serns has been laboring in this place for some time and during last summer conducted a successful tent effort. Since then he has been following the work up carefully. He has been assisted by Miss Nina Fleetwood, and some assistance has been given in this work by Brother and Sister Hebner and some students from the College. It is certainly gratifying to realize that a good company of substantial believers has been established in the third angel's message in this city.

We organized a church of twenty-three members, with the prospects of several others uniting later. A full corps of officers was elected. Elder Anderson, who was present at the organization, will act as elder and in a measure follow up this work for a time. It was a pleasure to see Elder and Mrs. Hebner, Elder and Mrs. Garrett, Elder Orva Lee Ice, and Miss Harding, at this meeting to rejoice with us in the formation of this new church.

St. Joseph in some ways is a difficult field. It is a resort town, and it seemed difficult to awaken an interest in spiritual matters there. We feel that Sister Amadon and her daughter Grace have been a great assistance to the work, as they are well known in the city, and from the beginning their influence and endeavors have greatly aided in the work. It brings great rejoicing to them to see a church organized there. We look to this new church with deep interest and expect to see it become strong and active in this field. Naturally the members regret to see Elder and Mrs. Serns pass on to another field, but they cheerfully pledged themselves to do their best in carrying forward the work in St. Joseph.

E. K. SLADE

**Carlton Center Church**

Sabbath, April 12, I spent with the Carlton Center church in the interest of the home missionary work. Two services were held on the Sabbath and one on Sunday evening. This was a very enjoyable season indeed. It was encouraging to see how anxiously and willingly our people took hold of the work there. The church was divided into four bands with their respective leaders, and plans were laid for an organized missionary effort. It is for this purpose that Christ has placed the church in the earth. "The church of Christ has been organized on earth for missionary purposes." —"An Appeal to Our Churches," p. 28.

B. F. WILLIAMS

**Home Missionary Work**

Since our elders' meeting I have visited the following places in the interest of the home missionary work: Covert, Climax, Union City, and Buchanan. At all these places I have found our people ready to cooperate in the home missionary work.

At Buchanan I held an effort and our brethren planned to put literature in every home as far as they can reach out in the surrounding territory. Already some have begun to keep the Sabbath and others are interested.

U. S. ANDERSON

**April**

	Tithe	2%	F. M.		Tithe	2%	F. M.
Albion	\$34 05	\$4 46	\$67 85	Greenville	143 61	1 53	25 55
Allegan	40 32	4 20	19 23	Hartford	17 75	53	1 28
Allendale	27 53	5 01		Hastings	48 14	8 61	14 85
Bangor	3 00			Holland	89 35	4 80	16 37
Battle Creek	2303 48	17 29	192 68	Homer	19 28	2 39	12 77
Bauer	46 30	1 11	25 23	Howard City	10 95	1 40	5 16
Bedford	586 35	9 60	13 10	Indiana Harbor			
Belding	7 00		10 00	Kalamazoo	246 62	5 20	16 19
Benton Harbor	93 60	1 70	46 22	Kent City	69 42		5 06
B. S. College	559 68	22 56	100 89	Kinderhook			
B. S. Village	199 62	7 65	59 08	Lakeview	9 45		5 28
Bloomington				Long Lake	6 00		1 28
Brookfield				Lyons			
Buchanan	57 21	2 80	6 06	Maple Grove	76 76	1 82	31 17
Bushnell				Mendon	31 52	3 47	5 87
Byron Center				Monterey			
Carlton Center	47 27	3 19	15 11	Muskegon	80 12	5 36	41 53
Carson City	106 20	4 55	20 22	N. Liberty, Ind.	38 11	1 00	4 38
Cedar Lake	282 38	27 42	44 08	Otsego	206 86	11 67	31 19
Charlotte	100 23		8 01	Palo	16 75	1 00	3 00
Clifford Lake	54 96	1 07	8 70	Paw Paw	31 56	3 09	18 89
Coldwater				Portland	30 96	8 88	17 76
Covert	45 30		16 31	Pottsville			
Decatur				Quincy	24 99	1 42	3 55
Dimondale	30 70	4 16	6 75	Sand Lake	84 37	5 05	10 81
Douglas	3 50		3 50	South Bend	250 98	2 70	39 87
Eaton Rapids	16 05		12 63	St. Joseph	32 10	3 04	17 85
Edmore	110 51	96	7 98	Sturgis	48 13		13 84
Elkhart, Ind.	169 65	3 01	17 24	Three Rivers	21 52	3 37	6 00
Fremont	20 23	2 36	4 34	Trufant	69 50	2 90	27 84
Frost	74 23	14	6 79	Union City	34 50	60	4 85
Glenwood	42 97	1 45	17 39	Urbandale	97 69	35	17 92
Grand Haven	18 20			West LeRoy	116 17		13 72
Grand Ledge	37 56		7 10	Wright	85 65	8 30	5 12
Gobleville	76 30		21 39	Conference	30 33	5 20	5 02
Gowen				Individuals	270 90	16	68 98
Grand Rapids	\$401 17	\$18 48	\$22 32	Total	7535 43	229 01	1273 05

**Cedar Lake Academy**

A canvassers' institute is being held here at the academy. We have with us Brother Davis, the Lake Union field secretary, and Brethren Stearns and Kaufman of North and West Michigan. The instruction is proving very inspiring and helpful to all. The evening meetings are so well attended that our chapel

room is seriously taxed to accommodate all who come.

Considerable poetic inspiration was recently engendered among our students when Professor Simpson announced that three prizes would be given for the three best original school songs. The collection of songs produced was a credit to the writers, and from among them we have selected one which we have adopted as our school song.

An order has recently been placed for a new Delco lighting plant of sufficient capacity to furnish light for all our buildings. The plant we are using at present is a splendid one except that it is too small to meet our needs. The engine is a Fairbanks-Morse six-horse power. This used plant will be for sale in a few weeks.

Before these lines reach the readers we expect to have begun the excavating for the addition to the academy building.

The spray machine went through our apple orchards last week and the trees are now in splendid condition.

### South Wisconsin Conference

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### Underhill, Milwaukee, Watertown

I believe a short report from this part of the field is due the readers of the HERALD.

Since my last report I have visited the Underhill German church twice, both times we celebrated the ordinances and held business meeting. The first visit we had the privilege of adding five members to the church. This is a working, growing church. Its membership is getting too large to meet in their private homes longer. There are thirty-two members, I believe, so we decided to build a church. All the members took an active interest in the plan, some pledging \$100, others \$50, and \$25 and smaller amounts, while others promised a definite amount of lumber and other things needed. We had a week's meeting with this church and all are of good courage. They are planning for an Investment Day to bring up their twenty-five cents per week. The members are also in harmony with the two-per-cent plan, and they were planning to carry forward the educational drive. I am sure the Lord will prosper them in all their good endeavors.

The Milwaukee German church has definite plans laid for the educational campaign. Some members have already paid in more than their goal from the sale of our literature; others are in the midst of the work, and we believe that we can reach our goal. At the same time we are paying off our church debt here. We have made our goal of five dollars per member by selling "Ministry of Healing" and *Signs of the Times* in German. To encourage the members in this drive Mrs. Gaede and I went out one afternoon and sold "World Peace" and other German books, securing \$11 in a few hours. This we have repeated several times since, and we know that the work can be done.

In the Watertown church the members are doing well in the educational drive. Some have already sold their quota of "World Peace" and secured their

five dollars. We are still having Sunday night meetings in the church, and eight more are keeping the Sabbath who have not yet joined the church. Some of these are already paying a good tithe, for which we give God the glory. The Lord willing we plan to have baptism as soon as the weather will permit.

G. P. GAEDE

### Bethel News Notes

Elder French of Baraboo spent a day at the school this week.

Mrs. Cash and Miss Rothenbach are entertaining their brother who has recently returned from France.

The juniors honored the seniors by a picnic Thursday. Although a steady drizzle was the order of the weather, a very pleasant time is reported.

Miss May Bell told us in chapel Monday the life story of Harry Orchard as she knew it as a worker in Idaho at the time of his trial. When we realize the power of God in transforming this sin-hardened life, it gives us more zeal in our work for souls.

A most inspiring Missionary Volunteer convention convened at Bethel May 2, 3. Delegates from near-by churches attended. Professors Russell and Fattic were present to give valuable aid.

### Home Missionary Conventions

April 5-7 a home missionary convention was held with the Wausau company. The membership is small, consisting of thirteen adults, but they are all doing something along missionary lines. Three hundred *Present Truth* papers are being distributed every month by the members. The members of the Wausau church are a challenge to other churches in the conference in the aggressive missionary work. April 12-14 a convention was held at Green Bay with a splendid attendance. The distribution of *Present Truth* was taken up and the church is doing all it can in a systematic way to bring the message to the people. A large part of the west side is worked with *Present Truth*. On Sunday twenty-two members went out with small books and all came back with helpful experiences. Nearly a thousand "World Peace" has been ordered by the church.

April 19-21 a home missionary convention was held with the Milwaukee church. Nineteen hundred "World Peace" were ordered and a large amount of foreign literature. *Present Truth* is systematically used throughout the city.

April 26, 27 a convention was held at Milton Junction, where a good spirit for missionary work was manifested. On Sunday four auto loads went to the neighboring towns to sell "World Peace." Nearly five hundred were disposed of the first few days of the Big Week. The church is doing excellent work in various lines of missionary work. A few new members are joining the church every year through the constant effort of live church members. "By their fruits ye shall know them." The Milton Junction church is planning to work the neighboring towns and country with *Present Truth*.

The last convention was held at Madison, May 3. The Madison church is well organized and a good work is being accomplished in the city.

L. G. JORGENSEN

**Hinsdale Sanitarium Items**

Dr. J. A. McDonald, who for a long time was editor of the Toronto Globe, has been at the sanitarium for some time. He left for his home in Toronto last week, very much improved in health. Dr. McDonald was in Muckden, Manchuria, when the armistice was signed. He came home from Japan somewhat in ill health and came directly to Hinsdale Sanitarium where he and his wife received much help.

Dr. and Mrs. Selmon of China are in Chicago taking some post-graduate work. They have been guests at the sanitarium for a few days. Dr. Selmon gave a very interesting talk on China to the patients in the parlor.

Last Sunday evening the helpers of the sanitarium were called together in the gymnasium for a Victory Loan rally. After an address by Mr. Paulson, the manager of the sanitarium, about \$2,500 was subscribed for the Victory Loan.

Mr. A. C. Graefe formerly of Clinton, Missouri, a landscape gardener of considerable experience, has been engaged by the sanitarium to look after the grounds. One of the very best and first improvements is the arrangement of a new lawn across the road from the sanitarium.

The great demand for rooms for helpers has compelled the sanitarium to rent a large house on Chicago Ave., just across the bridge from the sanitarium. This will be occupied during the first week in May.

The architects are at present working upon plans for an addition to the sanitarium, together with plans for a new, large fire-proof building to be connected to the old building by sun parlors. According to present plans, work on this new improvement will begin in two or three weeks.

The management of the Sanitarium Nurses' Training School has decided to admit fifty members to the beginning nurses' class this year. Of this number, twenty-five already have been voted in.

At the last helpers' meeting, the business manager stated that we have now on the pay roll 133 helpers. At the same time he stated that we are entertaining 110 guests.

Dr. S. L. Strickler of Boggstown, Ind., who has been a guest of the sanitarium for about three weeks, left for home May 5.

**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.

**FOR SALE.**—One hundred and ten acres, or will board and furnish everything, and give ambitious young farmer one-third of crops. I am physically unable to do heavy lifting. Write immediately. C. Baragar, Shelby, Mich.

**WANTED.**—Man to work on farm by month or year, married or single. I also want a girl to assist with the housework. A good home for some bright young woman. Must be Seventh-day Adventist. Address Wm. C. Hipkins, R. F. D. 1, Mecosta, Mich.

**STRAWBERRY PLANTS.**—Grown on new ground, dug fresh for your order. Senator Dunlap and Warfield \$1 per 100 sent postpaid—\$6 per thousand by express not prepaid. Order direct from this adv. Fountain Valley Nursery, Poy Sippi, Wis.

**Canvassers' Report for the Week Ending**

May 3, 1919

West Michigan							
Canvasser	Book	Hrs	Ords	Value	Helps	Total	Del
George Mattison.....	OD	29	23	\$57 50	\$2 25	\$59 75	.....
East Michigan							
O. D. Graham.....	GC	16	2	8 00	3 55	11 55	1 35
Ray Birmingham.....	OD	15	2	8 00	1 00	9 00	.....
Fred Otto.....	OD	36	17	48 50	6 60	55 10	42 25
		67	21	64 50	11 15	75 65	43 60
North Wisconsin							
Emanuel Remsen.....	BR	27	18	73 00	7 20	80 20	.....
Mrs. E. E. Brewer.....	OD	33	17	46 50	1 50	48 00	.....
D. Blake.....	OD	24	10	27 00	1 75	28 75	7 75
F. H. Hall.....	BR	22	11	52 00	1 00	53 00	1 00
Mrs. S. M. Olson.....	OD	6	.....	.....	.....	.....	83 25
Claude Morris.....	BR	47	31	137 00	2 50	139 50	.....
H. M. Zinzer.....	OD	25	7	19 50	.....	19 50	.....
		184	94	355 00	13 95	368 95	92 00
South Wisconsin							
John Anderson.....	CK	23	27	70 00	75	70 75	.....
I. D. Barton.....	PG	43	20	83 00	.....	83 00	.....
Mabel Crandall.....	OD	31	22	59 00	.....	59 00	.....
Marie Crandall.....	OD	31	19	47 50	.....	47 50	.....
A. C. Hirsch.....	GC	31	8	36 00	9 30	45 30	.....
R. L. Vincent.....	GC	24	4	17 00	.....	17 00	.....
A. Bliss.....	GC	21	1	4 50	3 10	7 60	.....
Mrs. A. Thompson.....	OD	8	5	14 50	1 25	15 75	.....
		212	106	331 50	14 40	345 90	.....
Chicago							
Bessie Frasier.....	GC	18	5	21 00	3 55	24 55	3 55
Wm. Frasier.....	GC	35	6	27 00	2 35	29 35	2 35
D. J. Graham.....	OD	32	5	19 50	.....	19 50	40 00
Adam Hardt.....	OD	31	9	22 50	22 35	44 85	23 85
J. A. Lumley.....	OD	21	13	39 50	.....	39 50	33 00
E. Lundberg.....	OD	31	29	82 00	.....	82 00	9 00
K. G. Risetter.....	OD	22	17	48 00	3 25	51 25	1 25
A. Sommerowske.....	OD	37	4	10 00	2 00	12 00	14 50
V. C. Tooley.....	BR	21	14	68 00	3 50	71 50	3 50
E. A. Clough.....	PP	40	9	46 00	6 65	52 65	3 25
G. Vas.....	HGA	25	.....	122 45	.....	122 45	.....
Chas. Paul Jr.....	OD	40	.....	27 50	.....	27 50	25 00
		353	111	533 45	43 65	577 10	159 25
Indiana							
W. E. Knight.....	OD	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	139 00
H. P. Brodt.....	OD	42	22	92 00	14 65	106 65	6 90
C. B. Gilbert.....	OD	29	11	29 50	2 00	31 50	2 00
M. M. Sterner.....	GC	18	5	20 00	2 10	22 10	2 10
E. L. Graham.....	DR	20	10	39 50	3 90	43 40	27 35
G. M. Wagner.....	GC	42	16	70 00	10 10	80 10	.....
Clyde Hubbard.....	OD	.....	4	11 90	4 00	15 00	85 00
J. A. Jackson.....	OD	44	20	59 00	.....	59 00	11 00
Vern Payne.....	DR	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	192 50
W. B. Ware.....	OD	38	13	35 50	3 25	38 75	3 25
F. B. Hainey.....	OD	20	13	32 50	1 00	33 50	1 00
Joe Welsh.....	OD	15	18	46 00	75	46 75	75
Mildred Young.....	OD	11	4	10 00	8 75	18 75	33 75
		279	136	445 00	50 50	495 50	504 60
North Michigan							
E. J. Peterson.....	OD	30	24	80 00	2 80	82 80	.....
Wm. L. Freeman.....	BR	50	37	171 00	6 00	177 00	.....
Wm. F. McPherson.....	PG	44	31	143 00	.....	143 00	20 00
R. A. McPherson.....	PG	55	41	182 00	.....	182 00	13 00
John F. Ives.....	BR	49	4	19 00	22 05	41 05	3 25
Nettie Herriman.....	CK	10	5	14 50	.....	14 50	.....
J. D. Stone.....	BR	8	6	30 50	.....	30 50	.....
Harry Pierce.....	BR	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8 00
Roy Peterson.....	OD	16	3	7 50	1 70	9 20	.....
		262	151	647 50	32 55	680 05	44 25
Illinois							
V. Watson.....	OD	35	9	22 50	.....	22 50	.....
G. W. Kimberlin.....	DR	55	21	84 00	.....	84 00	8 00
Robert P. Guyot.....	OD	13	6	15 00	85	15 85	.....
G. W. McBride.....	OD	47	19	55 50	.....	55 50	.....
Ruth Dillon.....	OD	3	3	7 50	.....	7 50	.....
A. P. Lager.....	BR	53	25	111 00	8 50	119 50	4 85
J. Suda.....	BR	31	.....	.....	.....	.....	227 00
U. A. Morse.....	DR	29	11	46 00	3 40	49 40	144 00
Katherine Drury.....	BR	25	44	203 00	.....	203 00	270 00
Edward Drury.....	BR	37	34	150 00	.....	150 00	.....
G. W. Bouton.....	DR	42	19	80 00	5 95	85 95	.....
		370	191	774 50	18 70	793 20	653 85
64 Agents		1756	833	3208 95	187 15	3396 10	1497 55

**East Michigan Camp Meeting**

Lapeer, Mich. June 5-15, 1919