

Lake Union Herald

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

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Need of Workers

I have now in my possession an unfilled list of workers needed in the foreign fields. This unfilled list numbers about one hundred and fifty. In other words, there are at the present time one hundred and fifty calls in the foreign field not yet filled or any provision made for them.

It is to meet the great demand in the regions beyond and to finish the work that God has

"This room was constructed from funds supplied in loving sacrifice by——— who expresses the earnest hope that its walls may enclose a sacred space where young men may meet their God in sacred fellowship while in preparation for service in the cause of Christ. May His blessed presence be a help to you each day."

This will be neatly framed and placed on the inside of the door of as many rooms as you are impressed to pay for. The \$609.02 completes

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given us to do that we have enlarged and are enlarging Emmanuel Missionary College.

As you will note from the above diagram, the funds for this enlargement have not yet come in in full. There are thirty-three rooms or sections of this diagram still untaken. I am reserving 58, 59 and 60 for individuals to whom I am personally writing. Are there not at least thirty other individuals who would like to supply the funds for one of these sections, amounting to \$609.02? We shall be glad to see your name in the following statement:

the room and equips it. It would be a lasting memorial to your devotion and interest in the cause of truth, should your name appear on the inside of at least one of these doors, while the institution continues to develop and train young men for the ministry. Should the sacrifice be great to you, the influence will be the greater upon the students, and when you and I are sleeping, our efforts to supply the needs of the foreign field will still be memorialized in the work we have done at E. M. C.

We have scoured the country to find young

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Lake Union Conference Directory

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men to fill these calls above mentioned, and it seems now they must be turned down, therefore we appeal to you to help meet the cost of construction of buildings for the training of these workers for the cause of truth. Soon the time will come when we shall have no more need for the money God has given us. The edict will go forth; we can neither buy nor sell. Shall we then have bank accounts or shall we have our treasures invested in the training of young men and women for the finishing of the work in this generation?

May the Lord guide you as you read these words and impress upon you just how many rooms you should take. Shall we not finish the work by December 31? WM. GUTHRIE

North Wisconsin Conference

Office Address, 620 Tenth Ave., West, Ashland, Wis.
Mail Address, Drawer 482
President, J. J. Irwin

An Encouraging Report

At our elders' meeting this year, the most of our churches were represented by their leader or home missionary secretary. Elder Guthrie and Brother McConaughy were with us as well as all the conference workers. Two features were made prominent—one, the home missionary work; getting all of our people to see the need of doing individual work, and in this way securing a revival in our churches; the other feature was the educational campaign, the gathering of all of our young people into our schools for training. The two-per-cent was presented in a forcible way by Elder Guthrie and others. Over forty pledge cards were signed, practically all of them for three years. All thought this was the best method that has been devised, and the leaders are encouraged to press this matter upon the individuals in their churches. At the teachers' convention held one week before, all the church-school teachers pledged themselves to secure funds for the building of our schools. The leaders expressed themselves as being very much pleased with the work that has been done in the building of the school, and felt that we should make some very definite efforts to finish the building and make some needed improvements

in the boys' dormitory. All were well pleased with the excellent spirit manifested among the students. Several of the students have their minds on definite mission fields, and have organized themselves into mission bands, each student joining the band represented by the field in which he is most interested. The evening after the Sabbath these students gave a program which deeply impressed our leaders, and it was clearly seen that this school stands for missionary activities, not only in the homeland, but in the fields beyond the sea. Many valuable suggestions were made for the furtherance of the work there, and the prospect looks bright for our educational work in this field. J. J. IRWIN

Indiana Conference

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

They Rest from their Labors

The HERALD readers will remember the recent accident which cut short the life of Brother and Sister Ellis, who were canvassing in southern Indiana. Yesterday we heard another portion of their life's history and we pass it on to you with the prayer that it may help all of us to a more faithful walk with God.

We at the office were enjoying a visit with Elder Jacobs of Great Falls, Montana, and in the course of the conversation he was asked if he had known Brother and Sister Ellis (who had come from Montana). "Well," he said, "I should say I did know them. I baptized them, but I did not bring them into the truth."

The complete story would be too long, but the main points are as follows: Someone (it may have been you) sent several numbers of the weekly *Signs of the Times* to a man by the name of Wolf. He accepted the message and immediately went to work. He began by ordering a club of *Signs* and distributing them among his neighbors. Brother Ellis and his wife were among them. Then followed the organization of a Sabbath-school, where all continued to study the message. Convinced of the truthfulness of the doctrine of our people, they wrote to the conference president and asked for baptism, and the first Adventist minister they ever saw

was Elder Jacobs when he arrived to baptize them. Now they have been called to their rest, but before they went it was given them to spread many of the pages of truth.

As you read this, remember that all around you are men and women out of Christ. They need some one to bring the light to them. Perhaps you cannot preach, or give Bible studies, but you can take to them the greatest printed preacher that we have, and it may be thus that they are to know the Lord. Ask for the guidance of the Holy Spirit in your efforts with the *Signs*.

O. B. HALL

Educational Notes

Harvest Ingathering

Did our Juniors make it? Of course they did! The Lake Union set our goal at \$256. The Juniors placed it at \$718.61 and by November 17, \$877.09 had been raised, which made an average of \$4.35 per student. The following students raised \$10 or more:

Anderson: Florence Parker, \$10; Marion: Rufus Dempsey, \$10.35, LeRoy Hosier, \$10.13; Sanitarium: Dorothy Dunscombe, \$10; Terre Haute: Mary Caton, \$12, Marie Sandberg, \$10; Richmond Family: Virginia Wier, \$10 plus; Crawfordsville: Hazel Mote, \$10; Indianapolis, 23d Prim: Ruth Wiest, \$11.95, Morris Hubbard, \$13.21; Indianapolis, 23d Adv: Wilford Albert, \$38.44, Howard Benson, \$10, Humphrey Olsen, \$11.88, Gertrude Olsen, \$10; Indianapolis, Union Adv: Roland Emmel, \$10, Mary Hodges, \$13.87, Bernice Hess, \$15.74, Alma Crombie, \$21.

If we had the rest of the year to work on the fund, I'm certain we would reach the \$1,000 mark and that was the goal set for all the church schools of the Lake Union, but we promised the boys and girls that if they made the goal by a certain date we would work for equipment in the local church schools. The "Push" and "Pull" clubs have been organized in each school. Their drive ends January 1. Watch for results.

Indiana Woman's Academy Movement

The Harvest Ingathering campaign is over! Now we must drive hard for the academy! Every woman at it, at it all the time, at it according to a program, at it under leadership. Ordinary women, doing ordinary tasks, selling "Epidemics" with extraordinary zeal will build the girls' dormitory fast.

The "Reds" and "Blues" of Marion have shown their love and spirit by each doing her part for the Academy Fund.

The following boys and girls of Logansport have given a dollar or more for laying bricks at the academy: Edgar and Paul Wilson, Harry and Edgar McFerran, Geneva Harvey, Elizabeth

Robison, Deward and Lawrence Dill, and Grace Dederick. Which church will be the next to report? We will send the pictures to these youths as soon as they are printed.

Ninety-eight church school boys and girls had a perfect attendance record for the first six weeks of school.

Educational Institute

The place is corner of Twentieth and Gallatin Streets, Marion, Ind. The date is January 2-6. All teachers will kindly be present at 4 P. M., January 2. Sabbath and Sunday will be special days for School Boards and Parent-Teacher Associations. Every church conducting a church-school or contemplating doing so next year should choose a delegate for this convention. Reports from working committees will be an interesting feature. Special instructors from the Union and local conferences will be present. Pray earnestly for the success of this important convention.

EDITH SHEPARD

Field Day at the Academy

Tuesday, December 2, was Field Day for the Indiana Academy. The weather was raw and cold, but, undaunted by this, our students—your boys and girls—went out to spread a knowledge of the truth and secure funds for its advancement in the dark corners of the world. Thirty students and seven teachers were divided into four bands. It was decided not to work at this late date near the school for Harvest Ingathering, but to save the territory for the "Epidemics" campaign. So the girls were taken to Tipton and the boys went to Westfield. No previous work had ever been done in these places, which as everyone knows who has done work along the Ingathering line, makes it much harder to do successful work. Most of these boys and girls went forth with fear and trembling, never having been out in this work before. But each worked about five hours, and when the count was taken at the experience meeting that night, they had gathered in \$154 to help along God's work; they had brought cheer into many homes; had secured a large list of names of those who wanted to know more of our message; had strengthened and increased their own spiritual experience. Do you wish you might have been in their experience meeting that night?

Indiana needs to receive almost \$1,500 in December if we reach our goal of \$8,000 in the Harvest Ingathering campaign. If every member had raised \$5 we would now have \$9,000. Are you one of those who failed to measure up to the test? God has no one to depend on but you. Will you fail Him? If there is a paper left

unused, take it and "go work in My vineyard." Shall we not have it said to us, "Well done"?

O. B. HALL

Colporteurs' Institute

Our colporteurs' institute will convene in Kokomo, December 19-28. We hope for a large attendance, and invite all who expect to enter this branch of the work the coming year to come and get the instruction.

The books will go where the living preacher does not go, and without a doubt the publishing work will be carried on to the end. It offers opportunity to those who are qualified as salesmen, and also to those who are not qualified to do other work, such as preaching, Bible work, etc. One of our good books places the truth in a permanent form in the home in the very best way it can be presented.

The Lord has told us that the ministry of angels attends the books the same as the living preacher. Now when men feel every earthly foundation slipping away from them is the time to offer them something heavenly and substantial that they can build their hopes on.

Press in, brethren, come to the institute and prepare for efficient work in the Lord's vineyard. Write me at 421, Castle Hall Bldg., so that I can arrange for your entertainment.

W. B. MARIS

South Wisconsin Conference

Office Address, Rooms 257-60 Washington Bldg.,
Madison, Wis.
President, E. A. Bristol

German Work in Milwaukee

After the tent meetings closed, which were held on the south side of the city, a hall was secured in the same locality where the meetings were continued four nights in the week and Sabbath meetings were held. In the mean time we baptized seven. The attendance increased after we began health and temperance meetings, which we conducted one evening a week.

November 22 we organized a Sabbath school of thirty members, and November 23 we organized a church of fourteen members. Several others are keeping the Sabbath who will be baptized and join the church later. Elder Bristol and Brother Walter of the conference office were with us at the church organization, also, Elder Hicks and the elders and treasurer of the Milwaukee German Church No. 1. Elder Bristol spoke on "Church Organization." The writer spoke on the same subject in German, and Elder G. P. Gaede on the duty of officers, and performed the organization in the German

language because some of the members cannot understand much English. Officers were elected and the new church was named Milwaukee German Church No. 2.

The new church voted a request to be received into the sisterhood of churches of the South Wisconsin Conference at its next session.

G. P. GAEDE

Illinois Conference

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

Wanted at Once

Twenty-five young men and women whom God has called to engage in the work of saving souls, to attend the colporteurs' institute at Decatur, Ill., December 26 to January 4. The first qualification in taking up this important branch of the Lord's work is a love for souls. "The Lord imparts a fitness for the work to every man and woman who will cooperate with divine power. All the requisite talent, courage, perseverance, faith, and tact will come as they put the armor on."—"Manual for Canvassers," page 72.

In Volume VII of the Testimonies, page 140, we read, "And in a large degree through our publishing houses is to be accomplished the work of that other angel who comes down from heaven with great power, and who lightens the earth with His glory." Do you desire to see the work finished? Is not God speaking to you, in the terrible events taking place in the world today, to enlist in definite service for souls? The cry all about us today is a piteous plea for help. Many will hear the glad message through the printed page. Someone must take it to them. Now, dear reader, is God calling you? Is there someone in your church who needs your encouragement in taking up the colporteur work?

We will have Brother J. W. Davis and Brother Felix A. Lorenz from the Lake Union, Brother Bergherm of the Chicago Conference, Elder Holden, H. E. Moon, and the writer from our own conference to give their entire time for ten days in giving you the necessary training for service.

If God is calling you, write me so arrangements can be made for your entertainment.

R. J. WATSON

Report of Harvest Ingathering Fund to December 1, 1919

Aledo.....	\$331 90	Mattoon.....	\$ 21 35
Belvidere	39 91	Moline.....	434 61
Bloomington..	85 05	Noble.....	25 45
Bluford	50 79	Ottawa.....	115 03
Carterville....	32 81	Peoria	192 22

Charleston	13 69	Pontiac	152 47
Conference	296 96	Princeton	121 86
Danville	59 95	Quincy	32 75
Decatur	162 86	Rockford	220 85
Duquoin	117 88	Rock Falls	35 00
East Alton	25 10	2d Springfield	53 15
Farmington	71 75	Sheridan	256 45
1st Springfield	190 72	Shelbyville	7 95
Foosland	47 92	Stewardson	15 70
Galesburg	83 31	Stockton	85 02
Herrin	68 34	Streator	153 95
Kingman	55 17	Twin Cities	144 72
Lovington	20 59	Watseka	24 20
Martinsville	14 15	Individual	78 05

Total.....\$3949 63

November

	Tithe	2%	F. M.		Tithe	2%	F. M.
Aledo	\$280 78	\$34 35	\$67 80	Mattoon	11 31	12 19	31
Astoria				Moline	771 14	6 79	601 69
Belvidere	42 74	6 87	27 67	Noble	34 58		9 17
Bellville				Ottawa	95 75	4 06	154 53
Bloomington	282 83	6 56	119 30	Peoria	222 62	5 27	182 82
Bluford	31 37	2 19	42 43	Pana			
Brownstown				Pittwood	40 50		5 90
Cartersville	53 76	1 20	46 57	Pontiac	40 43	1 35	37 13
Charleston				Princeton			
Colp	2 50		5 70	Quincy			
Danville	51 32	6 03	29 20	Rock Falls			
Duquoin	103 07	10 32	70 04	Rockford	704 12	8 95	97 03
Decatur	352 73	13 92	203 61	Springfield 1st	118 00	9 87	83 18
East Alton	15 35	2 34	11 00	Springfield 2d	44 14	36 45	83
Farmington	50 59	1 55	18 72	Shelbyville	5 75		8 89
Foosland				Sheridan	214 12	4 66	276 33
Freeburg				Stewardson	9 33		6 13
Galesburg	93 61	1 67	46 31	Stockton	41 90	4 90	109 02
Herrin	26 06	5 85	11 82	Streator	36 36		20 83
Kingman	30 90		18 07	Twin City	36 61	2 80	72 62
Lovington	43 00	1 08	11 60	Watseka	32 61	3 45	26 83
Martinsville				Individuals	54 90		77 80
Maevstown				Conference	273 58	13 89	356 68
				Total	\$4245 86	160 42	2917 86

West Michigan Conference

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

Field Work at Cedar Lake

Our students are carrying on three public meetings each Sunday night in the surrounding country. These meetings are being held in a church and two schoolhouses. Professor Ford and Mr. Goffin have been conducting one of these efforts for several months. The interest has been excellent, and each Sunday night the large schoolhouse has been well filled. The people have come for miles to attend the meetings. They have been very liberal in supporting the effort financially. Without any solicitation on the part of those conducting the meetings, the people have from time to time taken up offerings and made personal gifts. The Ladies' Aid Society has assisted quite materially and not long ago, without our knowledge, planned an entertainment where they raised money for the meetings. The offerings so far have amounted to

about \$40. There are several families at this place who are earnestly studying the truth and we hope they will soon decide to keep the Sabbath. Our ministerial band here is well organized and doing aggressive work in the field. The church is taking an active part in the field work by furnishing automobiles and other means of conveyance for the students.

We also have organized what we call a Bible Workers' Training Class for the church here. This class is held each week in connection with our midweek prayer meeting. Each member is given a week to prepare a subject and then is asked to give the Bible reading to the class. In this way each one receives a practical training in this line of work. The church is taking an active interest in this Bible class. I believe there are many churches in the Lake Union Conference that would be benefited by just such a practical experience, and wherever there is a Bible worker or minister this kind of assistance could well be given, and before long a large army of the lay members would be out in the field giving this message. The Lord is blessing our work at Cedar Lake, and we hope as a ministerial band to make this our banner year in getting the truth before the people. We earnestly solicit your prayers in behalf of the work at the academy.

B. M. BUTTERFIELD

Church School Report

The Grand Rapids teacher says: "Some of my pupils leave home at seven in the morning, coming from beyond the city limits. They surely have a definite reason for coming to our church-school, and I'm trying to make each day so profitable that they will not feel the day is wasted after coming so far to our school."

The Urbandale teacher tells of a program held in their church. The children's work was neatly displayed and the room appropriately decorated. The program consisted entirely of school work taken from the regular program, or from the missionary stories they had learned. Every parent was present as well as many young people. This is the beginning of a Parent-Teacher Association. The young people seem to be an important part of the permanent organization. It is a pleasure to get good reports from so new a school, and all should take courage. At the close of the program came a surprise when several children filed in with two big baskets of fruit for the teacher. May Urbandale continue its happy associations with its own children and bind their hearts to the little church home.

Miss Leiby writes that she is preparing a pro-

gram to present in the Frost church on December 18 and Miss Strickland likewise for Berrien Springs village on December 23 and Mrs. Korn for Muskegon near Christmas time. These efforts will surely be appreciated by the parents and children.

A teacher writes of her experience with two unconverted boys, and the process by which she brought them to the deciding point and lead them to make the decision. These boys had played pool, smoked, attended shows, etc. The opportunity came one night after school (Doesn't it sound natural? The personal touch). These boys want their teacher's prayers and have taken up some missionary endeavor with the others. She adds, "It is wonderful the influence they are having in the school. You never saw more sincere boys. This is just one of the joys of church-school teaching, and I assure you I like it.

If these few lines fall under the eye of any teacher who is giving his talent to the world, I trust he may make the decision here to devote his time to the church-school next year.

Miss Bond writes: "We have received 200 'Epidemics' which the children have started to sell—the money to go for equipment and supplies." Success will come in this double-mission enterprise.

From Miss Leiby: "We are selling 'Epidemics' in order to purchase a new blackboard. Have disposed of 12 books already."

Miss Lindberg writes: "We had a real good Thanksgiving program, getting about \$3 for a special gift to a mountain school. They sadly needed two brooms and a few books, so we are going to supply them. Our room was prettily decorated. The table for the gifts for the poor was well loaded. Our school sent out about fourteen bushel baskets well filled with good things."

From Otsego we have the following Harvest Ingathering report: "We canvassed only one and a fourth hours in the morning, and as a result had \$14.80. We had lunch early. After lunch we had prayer and started out again. The boys who had bicycles went to the country; the rest of us to a nearby town for we had finished our given territory in the morning. Our goal is \$15 but we have \$25. We bought our tickets for home and while waiting a man who had given one of the girls 50 cents came along with an auto. He told us to return our tickets and he would take us home. Fourteen of us came home in his car. This morning we had an experience meeting and I wish you could have heard the glad ring in the happy voices. The smallest girl received 65 cents."

LOTTA E. BELL

Cedar Lake Notes

Professor Simpson attended a conference committee meeting in Grand Rapids last Thursday.

The Misses Witt and Shaw spent the Thanksgiving week-end at the College visiting friends.

There has been a new Holstein cow added to our dairy herd.

Our boys and girls have been enjoying good skating on Cedar Lake for the last two weeks.

Elder Piper, the new president of the West Michigan Conference, visited our school during the week of prayer.

We were all glad to have Professor Fattic with us the latter part of the week of prayer.

The school and church at Cedar Lake were greatly blessed during the meetings of the past week.

East Michigan Conference

Office Address, Holly, Mich.
President, Wm. A. Westworth

Items of Interest from East Michigan

The workers' and elders' meeting has just closed at Holly. It was well attended, and all who were present expressed themselves as feeling well paid for the time spent. They go to their respective fields with a new determination to work as never before for the spread of the message.

Elder Pool is ill at this writing. We trust he will soon be well again, for his services are needed in the work.

The conference workers left Holly Monday morning to visit the different churches throughout the conference during the week of prayer. Plans were laid for every church to have a worker part of the time during the week.

Brother Newbold moved his furniture to Saginaw the past week and will soon be permanently located there.

Elder Gardner has returned from the Sanitarium improved in health. He plans a vigorous campaign in Jackson this winter.

The Trumbull Avenue society is planning to erect a new church building in Detroit, the old Mission on Trumbull Avenue having been disposed of.

The colored brethren of Detroit are hard at work erecting a new house of worship. The hard winds about two weeks ago did a large amount of damage to the walls.

Miss Grace Shepard has come to Holly to teach in the primary grades at the acadamey. Two of the teachers have been sick and some one had to be secured to keep the school going.

Miss Mabel Patterson, who taught at the academy last year, has responded to a call to go to South America to enter school work in that field. She spent a couple of days with friends in Holly last week en route to New York.

Brother W. E. Perrin, former laborer in East Michigan, writes that he is enjoying his work in the East. He is now laboring in the New York Conference, acting as secretary and treasurer.

One of our ministers who attended the workers' meeting at Holly and who is ninety-one years of age has raised \$41 in the Harvest Ingathering campaign. Can we who are younger do as much?

Don't forget the prices on a large number of our books and periodicals will be advanced soon. Better take advantage of the old rate.

Quarterlies for the first quarter of 1920 are ready for mailing. Morning Watch Calendars are also ready. Don't wait until the last day of 1919 to order and then expect the supplies to reach you in time. Order early.

Brother Frank McKenney is spending some time in the office each day, assisting in tract society work.

A number of churches have sent in their club of *Signs* weekly. Has your church done anything along this line? The *Signs* brings people into this truth. Five papers to different addresses for one year, \$5.75.

Obituaries

WILD.—Melina Arvilla Hicks was born in McGrawville, New York, Feb. 21, 1852, being the youngest of eight children born to Danforth and Polly Hicks. She was baptized at the Oneida, New York, camp-meeting by Elder J. N. Andrews fifty years ago. January 1, 1870, she was united in marriage to William Henry Wild, who preceded her in death about a year and nine months. The two children born of this union, Dr. Mary Paulson and Mrs. Caroline Louise Clough, both of Hinsdale, Ill., survive the parents. Mrs. Wild gave her life to unselfish service for her family. Her husband's time was largely spent in missionary endeavor as a Bible worker and colporteur, and the mother devoted herself to the rearing of her children. Shortly after the Hinsdale Sanitarium was established, Brother and Sister Wild moved to Hinsdale so as to be near their children, and both the father and mother were permitted to close their work under the watchcare and love of their children. Sister Wild passed away July 15, 1919, and was laid to rest beside her husband in the Bronswood Cemetery, at Hinsdale, Ill.

J. G. LAMSON

ESCHER.—Mrs. Marië Escher was born in Baden, Germany, May 5, 1834. In 1859 she was married to William Escher. In 1884 the family came to America and made Prentice, Wis., their home. For many years Sister Escher rejoiced in the message of the third angel. She fell asleep in the hope of a soon coming Saviour, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Bissegger, on Nov. 29, 1919, at the age of 85 years, 6 months, and 24 days. Words of comfort and hope were spoken to her children and friends from Rev. 21:7, "He that overcometh shall inherit all things; and I will be his God, and he shall be My son."

W. A. SCHEBO

Business Notices

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

WANTED.—Home in Adventist family for boy of 11 years. Church school privileges desired. Give references and address LAKE UNION HERALD, Berrien Springs, Mich.

FOR SALE.—Twelve-room brick house with electric light, water, and sewer connections up stairs and down, 2 large lots with small fruit, good garage. Would exchange for farm. Give price, full particulars in first letter. L. Macomber, Gladwin, Mich. 3

FOR SALE.—Large store building and living rooms, only five minutes walk from Cedar Lake Academy. Just the place for Seventh-day Adventist to do business and send children to school. Address Mrs. Nettie N. Phillips, R. F. D. 2 Glendale, Arizona. 3

HONEY.—The Bible sweet, also that of nature, is the concentrated nectar of flowers. It is a kind of medicine as well as a food, and should take the place of candies and other injurious confectioneries. Send for prices. J. H. Haughey, R. F. D. 1, Berrien Springs, Mich.

Canvassers' Report for the Week Ending December 6, 1919

East Michigan									
Canvasser	Book	Hrs	Ords	Value	Helps	Total	Del		
J. Pengelly.....	OD	42	22	91 00	22 80	113 80	9 55		
G. W. Hainer.....	PG	11	2	10 00		10 00			
Lawrence Lee.....	BR	18	15	84 85	5 10	89 95	101 10		
		71	39	185 85	27 90	213 75	110 65		
Indiana									
Olis Bradburn.....	BF	22	20	51 50	5 55	57 05			
H. T. Byers.....	OD	20	18	49 00	1 10	50 10	216 50		
H. P. Brodt.....	BR	10	9	36 00	1 00	37 00			
Mildred Bryan.....	OD				50	50	56 40		
C. W. Bryan.....	OD	32	17	43 50	25	43 75			
Eva Cox.....	OD	26	1	3 50	11 25	14 75			
J. A. Jackson.....	OD	23	9	22 50		22 50			
G. A. Jones.....	OD	25	19	50 50	3 40	53 90	11 00		
Naomi Kelley.....	OD	16	1	2 50	1 50	4 00	10 00		
W. G. Kelley.....	OD	4	6	15 00		15 00	61 75		
John Manuel.....	BR	8	4	16 00	6 00	22 00			
Albert Mobley.....	GC	36	15	68 00	1 70	69 70			
Vern Payne.....	OD	20	11	39 50		39 50	64 00		
W. H. Plake.....	OD	40	21	56 50	3 40	59 90			
G. M. Wagner.....	OD	27	9	22 00	7 30	28 30			
W. B. Ware.....	OD	8	2	6 00	1 25	7 25	1 25		
		317	162	481 00	44 20	525 20	420 90		
† North Wisconsin									
Emanuel Remsen.....	PG	37	24	107 00	1 90	108 90			
W. E. Tharp.....	GC	37	10	42 00	5 80	47 80			
Mrs. E. E. Brewer.....	PG	16	10	40 00		40 00			
Mabel Olson.....	OD	28		13 70		13 70			
Joe Levens.....	PG	18					148 00		
		136	44	202 00	7 70	209 70	148 00		
† Illinois									
Cora DeVoe.....	OD	51	3	7 50		7 50	126 40		
J. E. Fox.....	DR	25	6	24 00	9 35	33 35			
G. W. Kimberlin.....	DR	36	6	24 00	1 00	25 00	12 00		
A. P. Lager.....	PG	33	17	68 00	12 95	80 95	22 85		
Mrs. A. P. Lager.....	PG	32	9	36 00	15 55	51 55			
F. G. McAlister.....	OD	25	11	27 50	5 20	32 70	75		
J. Suda.....	BR	50	28	115 00	15 30	130 30			
		252	80	302 00	59 35	361 35	162 00		
Chicago									
V. Anderson.....	OD	7	2	7 00		7 00			
M. E. Baumont.....	OD	10	6	15 00		15 00			
*E. A. Clough.....	PP	74	13	62 00	5 25	67 25	371 95		
A. Colporteur.....	PG	28	22	89 00		89 00			
*B. D. Crawford.....	OD	58	11	85 50		85 50	64 25		
Adam Hardt.....	OD	5	4	10 00		10 00			
A. M. Tatton.....	BR	11	5	25 00		25 00			
Gabriel Vass.....	Misc	32		117 37		117 37			
D. J. Graham.....	BR	27	11	51 00	7 00	58 00			
*H. L. Spiers.....	BR	42	20	84 00		84 00	88 00		
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*Two weeks

†Week ending Nov. 29

"Signs" Campaign

December 14-20 has been set apart as Big Week for the circulation of the *Signs of the Times*. It seems to me this is one of the greatest opportunities to do good and get the truth into the homes of the people that has ever been given to us. Could we not, many of us, after our very interesting experiences in Harvest Ingathering, get out among our neighbors and get subscriptions for the *Signs* and have them go to their homes not once, but fifty times during the coming year?

I trust that each elder and home missionary secretary in the Lake Union Conference will make this a matter of earnest prayer, and that our churches may very largely improve the opportunities of presenting the truth in this way to their neighbors. A few hours during the week will place from one to ten subscriptions in the homes of your neighbors and give opportunity for hundreds of visits and Bible studies during the year. Let us rally in this great campaign and do our bit in the finishing of the work.

WM. GUTHRIE

College Items

It was announced in chapel that several persons had been appointed to visit the students with Red Cross seals in the interest of the new Tri-County Tuberculosis Hospital soon to be built.

On Friday, November 28, President Griggs gave another one of those chapel talks so greatly enjoyed and appreciated by his students. His subject was, "Sincerity."

Miss Mable Patterson, who has been attending school, left for her home in Nova Scotia, where she will spend a few weeks then go to Soa Paula, South America, to engage in teaching.

Another interesting stereopticon lecture was given by Doctor Edgar Banks, Saturday evening, December 6. His subject this time was, "The Dwindling Empire of the Turk."

Elder G. B. Thompson of Washington, D. C., spoke to the students Monday night and Tuesday morning during the week of prayer.

The College is conserving coal by shutting the heat off the dormitories from 7 A. M. to 6 P. M. The students study in the library, chapel, or assembly rooms.

Elder R. D. Quinn was with us the first Sabbath of the week of prayer. His practical instruction was a great blessing to all.

Up to January first a club of five or more subscriptions to *The Watchman Magazine* may be secured for only 90 cents each.

Chicago Conference

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Teachers' Institute at Sheridan

The annual educational institute of Chicago and Illinois was held December 3-6, at Fox River Academy. With one exception, all the twenty-nine teachers of primary and intermediate schools attended.

Professors Russell and Fattic of the Union and Miss Evelyn Meleen of Illinois were present throughout the session. Various subjects of technical and professional importance were presented. Misses Dorothy White and Bernice Webber gave valuable assistance. One roll call entitled, "My Problem," met a hearty response. General discussions based on individual experiences discovered solutions to most of the problems. Prof. Frederick Griggs spoke one evening on "The Teen Age," a subject which proved of interest to both students and teachers.

In keeping with the week of prayer into which the institute merged, the spirit of devotion characterized the meetings. Elders W. H. Holden and A. J. Clark each emphasized consecration, as a necessary asset of the Christian teacher.

The institute guests extended a unanimous vote of appreciation to the faculty and students of the academy by whom they were comfortably entertained. One pleasant feature was the musical program, given Saturday night, under the direction of the instructor, Maude Warren.

The teachers left the names of their advanced pupils with the academy principal, Prof. E. U. Ayars, to help swell his list of prospective students, and returned to their schools in various parts of the state with renewed enthusiasm.

FYRNN N. FORD

Chicago Conference Notes

The West Central and South Side Sabbath schools plan to reach a two thousand dollar goal for the year in their offerings. The children in the Joliet Sabbath school are working hard to reach a goal of five dollars each for their next Thirteenth Sabbath Offering. This is a splendid education for our children.

Brother Alex Kubrock has again returned to Chicago to canvass among the Russian people.

If our colporteurs sell \$1,850 worth of our subscription books this month we will reach the \$25,000 mark in sales for the year 1919. Last year with a much larger territory the sales amounted to \$21,720.

The Chicago churches were divided into bands and a splendid interest is being manifested during our week of prayer. Elders Thompson and Quinn are spending a part of the week with us.