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FROM THE FIELD.

ON Nov. 28, I left London for a tour in the North. I first called at Birmingham, remaining there over Sabbath and First-day, with Brother Andross. The North England Conference Committee held a meeting considering plans and arrangements for the work in the Conference.

On Dec 2, Brother Andross and I went on to Liverpool to meet our brethren coming from America on the *Majestic*. Dec. 4. There were in all, twenty-two in number, destined for the British field and other parts of Europe. The Lord had blessed them with a good passage for this season of the year. We extend to all a most hearty welcome.

From Liverpool I went on to Belfast. Here I remained till Dec. 17. I was much pleased to find Brother Hutchinson and all the workers of good courage and very busy, and the work making steady headway. At the time I was with them some precious souls took their stand for the Lord, and identified themselves with the Gospel message for this time.

The health work has made a decided advance. They have been able to secure a rented house at a very cheap rate, and in a very good situation, which they have fitted up very neatly and conveniently for a sanitarium. They were just getting in is readiness to receive patients, and give the various kinds of treatment. I am also much pleased to say that the new institution is well equipped with a small but good staff of workers. Dr. Bell, the physician, is remarkably well fitted for his position, and he is very ably assisted by Brother Reptogle and Sister Wright—thoroughly trained and experienced nurses. I much enjoyed my short stay with them in the sanitarium, and was much pleased, not only with the pleasant and convenient arrangement, but also with the spirit of earnest devotion. The presence of the Lord was very manifest around the family altar.

The Lord has greatly blessed the faithful and earnest labours of Brother and Sister Hutchinson. They began the work alone and under many diffi-

culties, but the Lord has been with them, and now their heart is much rejoiced to see the enlarged developments of the work in these various lines. We are also glad that there are prospects of an increase in the labouring force in that field. May the Lord continue to bless and prosper the work there very much.

O. A. OLSEN.

LABOUR FOR ALL.

THE following from an appeal to the people in the California Conference in the *Pacific Union Recorder*, is equally applicable to Seventh-day Adventists on this side of the ocean, and so we pass it on:—

Let us all wake up, and stand up, and enter heartily, prayerfully, and vigorously upon the work of spreading the Third Angel's Message as never before. Please do not wait to be licensed or otherwise "recognised" by formal action of the Conference Committee. Ask the Lord what there is that you can do. Consecrate yourself to Him, and ask earnestly what He will have you to do. Then begin just where you are, at whatever Christian work your hand shall find to do. And there is abundance of this that can be done everywhere by all.

Many of our people have lived where they now are long enough for all the people of the community to know that they are Seventh-day Adventists, and, through them, that the seventh day is the Sabbath. Many have distributed literature in the neighbourhood where they are to such an extent that they think that the people do not want to read any more. But there is one phase of the work of the Third Angel's Message that has not been so fully employed. That is the Christian help work, or medical missionary work—personally visiting, to help the sick, the sorrowing; taking a personal interest in the daily life and affairs of all who are round about you, to help them in every possible way that need may demand or opportunity offer. This is now the wide-open door through which all our people can enter into the very heart of the work of the Third Angel's Message. And this work, taken up care-

Canvassers' Report for Week ending January 2, 1903.

Agent's Name.	Territory.	Name of Book.	No. Agt.	No. of days.	No. of Ord's Tak'n	No. of Helps sold.	Total Value		Books delivered	
							£ s. d.	£ s. d.	No. of B'ks.	Value
Irish Mission Field.										
A. A. Carscallen,	Belfast	Home Hand-Book,		4	27	1		£ 18 6		
L. A. Hartford,	"	" " "		4	26	3		2 19 6	4	3 18 0
Robt. Whiteside,	"	Christ Our Saviour,								
James Barker,	"	" " "								
Miss S. Barker,	"	" " "								
Wm. Shafer,	"	" " "								
Miss E. M. Jackson,	"	Christ's Object Lessons,								
Miss Sarah Pace,	"	" " "								
Miss M. Hanna,	"	" " "								
Miscellaneous,	"	" " "								
Total,			10	8	53	4		3 18 0	4	6 18 0
North England Conference.										
R. Compton,	Blackbur	Home Hand-Book,								
G. W. Short,	Doncaster,	Patriarchs and Prophets,								
Walter R. Short,	"	" " "								
C. E. Holmes,	Leeds,	Great Controversy,								
Joseph Brandt,	Hull,	" " "								
A. E. Freeth,	Barrow-in-Furness	Christ Our Saviour,								
John Elli,	Wolverhampton,	" " "								
Mrs. M. J. Elli,	"	" " "								
W. O. James,	Newcastle,	Christ's Object Lessons,								
W. H. Musgrave,	"	" " "								
W. A. Slater,	"	" " "								
T. Winstanley,	Gateshead,	" " "								
A. Wood,	Ten Acres,	Bible Readings,								
J. Gillatt,	Newcastle,	" " "								
Mrs. A. Cope,	Nottingham,	Eden to Eden,								
Total,			15							
South England Conference.										
Mrs. Loal,	Ventnor,	Great Controversy,								
Miscellaneous,	"	" " "								
J. Pickard,	Bristol,	Christ Our Saviour,								
E. Armstrong,	London, W.	" " "								
Mrs. S. Joyce,	London,	Ladies' Guide,								
E. Brown,	West'n-Sup'r-Mare	Prophetic Lights,								
Total.			6							
Scotch Mission Field.										
E. S. Taylor,	Glasgow,	Home Hand-Book,		2	8	3		3 3 6		
W. B. Scott,	"	" " "						9 5 0	2	1 17 0
C. Dyer,	"	Christ Our Saviour,								
R. M. Lamie,	"	" " "								
Miss E. Cail,	Falkirk,	" " "		5	28	45	8 4	6 13 4	14	1 15 0
Miss A. Sparks,	"	" " "								
A. E. Earle,	Troon,	" " "								
Wm. Brown,	Salcoats,	" " "		2	9	13	1 3 6	2 14 6		
Chas. Aplin,	Glasgow,	" " "								
James Rodney,	Larkhall,	His Glorious Appearing,								
Total,			10	9	55	71	1 11 10	21 16 4	18	3 12 0
Welsh Mission Field.										
A. Bodd,	Cardiff	Home Hand Book,								
G. J. Howard,	"	" " "					17 0	17 0		
W. H. Olmsted,	St. David's,	Great Controversy,		4	16	12		4 18 6		
G. W. Bailey,	Fishguard,	" " "		4	18	8	1 6	3 15 0		
A. C. Johnson,	Port Talbot,	Christ Our Saviour,								
Thos. Briggs,	Merthyr,	" " "								
M. Hussey,	Swansea,	Steps to Christ, (Welsh)								
Mrs. M. A. Parry,	Cardiff,	His Glorious Appearing,								
Total,			8	8	34	20	18 6	9 11 0		
Students.										
T. Pike,	London.	Great Controversy,								
Geo. Nickels,	"	" " "								
R. Mussen,	"	" " "				5		1 17 6		
Bertie Armstrong,	"	Christ Our Saviour,								
H. A. Shoreley,	"	" " "								
Eddie Spicer,	"	" " "								
Grace	"	" " "				3	5 10	12 7	3	6 9
Miss W. Kennington	"	" " "								
Douglas Armstrong,	"	Christ's Object Lessons,		1	1	2		5 0		
Miss M. Niner,	"	" " "		5	19	3		12 0	7	1 8 0
C. Davies,	"	" " "		6	27	2		8 0	1	4 0
George Keough,	"	" " "								
Miss Ruby Cross,	"	" " "								
Frank Bond,	"	" " "								
Walter Bond,	"	" " "								
Miss M. Brown,	"	Prophetic Lights,								
A. Roach,	"	" " "								
Mrs. Nethery,	"	Ladies' Guide,								
Miscellaneous	"	" " "						22 12 6		
Total,			18	12	47	15	5 10	26 7 7	11	1 18 9
Grand Total,			87	37	189	110	42 16 2	461 12 11	31	49 8 9

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Per W. C. SISLEY.

FROM this time on, the price of *Present Truth* will be in accordance with the following, which was adopted at the Leeds meeting:—

The regular *Present Truth* canvassers, earning their living by the sale of the paper, and with no other means of support, will be charged at the rate of 3/6 per hundred, and be remunerated by the Conferences to the extent of 1/6 for every hundred copies sold. The book canvassers will also be charged 3/6 per hundred. Those taking less than one hundred copies, and those who are not regular agents, will be charged sixpence per dozen, or 4/2 per hundred;

Per W. C. SISLEY.

LEEDS AND HULL.

VISITING recently the churches at Leeds and Hull, I was pleased to note a very genuine interest in our health work. The Leeds company is already handling very successfully quite a long list of *Present Truths*. The members are now laying out the city in districts, and planning to work it, or as much as they are able to cover, faithfully month by month with our health magazine. Brother Bramhill kindly consented to take the general oversight of this work, and will have the hearty co-operation of Elder Altman, and the whole company.

At Hull the little company, only recently organised into a church, have been taking a club of 1,500 or more copies of *Good Health* monthly for a full year. They gave this number as their permanent order in December 1901, and have faithfully lived up to it. The Lord has also blessed their efforts, and I was rejoiced not only to find a very active interest in the church members, but also a considerable growth in numbers since I spent a

few weeks with the company a year ago. The labours of Brother and Sister Brandt have been greatly blessed of the Lord to the encouraging of brothers and sisters, and the bringing in of interested ones. Brother Ellis, the present church librarian, is giving careful attention to the organising of the work, the collecting of accounts, etc.

Both at Leeds and at Hull a deep interest was manifested in our sanitarium project, and the brothers and sisters will put forth earnest efforts to raise means to swell the fund of £1,000, which is needed immediately. Some will set apart the profits made by the sale of *Good Health* for this purpose.

M. E. OLSEN.

AN ENCOURAGING TESTIMONY.

DEAR FELLOW WORKERS:—It is a good thing to give praise unto the Lord and to tell of His blessings received, and what He permits us to do through Him in carrying forth the "Seeds of Truth" which, if we work faithfully, and pray earnestly will, in due time bring forth fruit so His honour and glory. Just recently I had a most blessed and encouraging experience with three of my customers who have each had "Great Controversy." The orders were given in faith, for they were in rather poor circumstances, especially one, but they believed that God would give them the money to pay for the book when it should be brought.

This is the experience of the poorer one, showing how the Lord opened up the way for her to have the book she desired. When I went with it, she came to the door smiling, saying, "I have the money for my book," and went on to say how God had helped her. The same week the order was given, she had work given her, but to test her faith her husband lost three days' work that same week and expected to do so for some time. This did not discourage her, for she felt it would be all right. And it was, for the next week her husband had another situation offered him, to keep him through the winter, and the wife had more work given her. She said "she should never forget the experience passed through that week." Time and space will not permit me to write about the others, only that their faith in God increased, seeing how He had prepared the way, which I said He would do if they would trust in Him for all things. May God keep us all from getting "weary in well doing." It is my desire to press forward this year as never before in winning souls for His kingdom. God help us all to do this, is my earnest prayer. I take this opportunity of wishing the Workers and all readers of the *WORKER* a bright and prosperous New Year, and may God continue to bless all is the sincere wish from yours in the Master's work.

E. A. LOAL.