"Then They that Feared the Lord Spake Often One to Another"

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What Counts

"Let me but do my work from day to day,

In field or forest, at desk or loom; When vagrant wishes beekon me away, Let me but find it in my heart to say,

This is my work, my blessing not my doom;

Of all who live I am the only one by whom

This work can best be done.

"It matters little where I was born,
Or if my parents were rich or poor;
Whether they shrank from the cold
world's seorn,

Or walked in the pride of wealth secure;

But whether I live a surrendered man, And hold my integrity firm in my clutch, I tell you my brother, as plain as I can, It matters much.

"It matters little where be my grave, Or on the land or on the sea,

By purling brook, or 'neath stormy wave, It matters little or nought to me; But whether the angel of death comes

And marks my brow with his loving

touch,
As one that shall wear the victor's crown,
It matters much.

"When I am dying how glad I shall be That the lamp of my life had been blazed out for Thee.

I shall be glad in whatever I gave,

Labor, or money, one sinner to save; I shall not mind that the path has been rough,

That Thy dear feet led the way is enough.

When I am dying how glad I shall be, That the lamp of my life has been blazed out for Thee.''

The Field

Journey to South America

After having said farewell to our loved ones and our dear old Rush County home the 26th of January, the hardest part of our journey was over. It is indeed sad to say good-by to all that is near and dear to you, but the cause for which we have gone will amply repay for our sacrifice.

There are souls in this dark continent who are longing for the sweet story of salvation through Jesus Christ our Redeemer. That is the very object of our coming here. True happiness consists only in helping others to be happy.

On our way to New York we had two stop-overs, one in College View, Nebraska, where we spent a very pleasant day with our relatives, besides meeting many of our former friends and schoolmates.

The other stop was at Washington, D. C. There also we met some of our old friends and acquaintances. We spent four days in sightseeing in the city. Here in Washington we met our friend John A. Schmidt, who came with us to this country. He is engaged in selling our books, and has had good success so far.

Arriving in New York, we met Elder J. G. Hanhardt and family, with whom we spent a pleasant evening. The next day, February 6, we set sail for London on the Celtic, a White Star liner. The accommodations were good, and our voyage was a very pleasant one. February 15 we landed at Liverpool, and were again permitted to set our feet on old mother earth. Without much ceremony over our baggage, we soon were comfortably seated in a little compartment of one of the English through trains, or "flyer," if we dare call it such. To us Americans it seemed a little toy train. As we were crossing the island from Liverpool to London, we thought of the old English poets, such as Bacon, Shakespeare, Byron, who wrote concerning the beauties of nature. We remarked, as we were passing the small estates one by one, that they looked like fairy-land. The grass was a beautiful green. The estates are divided by neatly trimmed hedges. On almost every farm, a corner is left for forest and lakes. There are many brooks and streams. Here and there is a large estate left to forest for the hunting-grounds of the nobility. The houses are built of brick, the architecture being very different from that of our own country.

As we neared London the atmosphere became more and more smoky. At 2 P.M. February 15, we found ourselves at Euston Station, in the center of the great metropolis of the world. The atmosphere was dark with fog and smoke. The streets were lighted up by electricity. In every house lights were on. As I was meditating, a well-dressed gentleman wearing a high silk hat and having a cane in his hand stepped up to me and said. "Is your name Boehm? My name is Bacon." He is a man appointed by the General Conference to meet our missionaries in

London, as they pass through, to help them with their transportation. Meanwhile Mr. Boehm had gone to identify our baggage. Soon we were all together and Mr. Bacon directed the way to our lodging. Among other things he said: "You struck us in a bad time. It is a bit foggy to-day." And surely it was. Soon we reached our lodging, with a comfortable old fireplace in each room. Our time was limited so we started out sight-seeing next morning.

After a week's stay, we left for South Hampton, where we went on board the Danube, a royal mail steamer, bound for South America. The boat made several stops on the way, two or three along the European coast. Stopping several hours at Lisbon, a small party of us went ashore in a small sailboat, and spent several delightful hours in the city. We visited the old barracks, from which we had a fine view of the city. The Portuguese seem to be well pleased to think that they have adopted the republican form of government. The poorer class are great hands to go begging. We met them by the dozens as we walked the streets. They all knew one English word, and that was "penny."

Madeira Island was the next stop. It is a very beautiful place. Then came the St. Vincent Islands, a coaling station. Here also we went ashore. The islands are bare, and inhabited by Negroes. Thence we crossed the Atlantic to South America, stopping at several ports, Rio de Janeiro being the most important. It is called the Paris of South America. Its harbor is unrivaled. It abounds with wonders of nature. As we entered the harbor, the most prominent mountain is the Sugarloaf. It is more than a thousand feet high, rising out of the sea, and weighing billions of tons. Always in sight of the people of Rio is the Organ Mountain, like pipes of some gigantic organ, all washed, as it were, by the salt sea that flows in and out around them, singing to them the ceaseless music of the sea.

"Until a few years ago, Rio had but little to boast of. Most of her houses were of medieval structure, in the Portuguese style. Worse than that, yellow fever raged the city over and over again, until it got the name of being the worst pest hole in the world. Tourists avoided it, merchants were afraid to live in it. This state of affairs continued down to this new twentieth century. In fact only until a few years ago the giant city

seemed to yawn, turn over, and shake herself, and determined to become Rio the beautiful, the finest city in the continent, perhaps in the world. The new Rio necessitated the pulling down the old Rio, and cleaning of the ruins, before another could be built. The old city was compactly built, the streets narrow and cheerless. A street called 'Avenida Central' I will not hesitate to pronounce the finest in the world. It lies where before there was no street. Old houses were bought and demolished. The street is a mile and one eighth long, over a hundred feet wide, and lined on either side by artistic buildings. The roadway is paved with asphalt, and down the center are fifty-five oval flower and foliage beds, with one brazil-tree springing from the center of the oval. The brazil-tree is a typical and beautiful shade-tree, from which the country received its name. The Avenida is beautifully illuminated at night."

The above paragraph is quoted from Francis E. Clark's book, "The Continent of Opportunity." In this city we spent several hours. As Clark says, truly it is beautiful. There are many parks and botanical gardens which beautify the city, besides the new buildings and streets. The work of reconstruction is still going on.

After a few hours' sightseeing in the hottest part of the day, we were glad to return to the Danube, our boat, where it was cooler. Our time was indeed well spent. Late in the afternoon our boat started out for Santos, our stopping-place. The next morning, March 12, we arrived at our port. We hardly knew whether to be glad or not that we had reached our destination, for it was very hot at Santos when we arrived.

Santos lies very low, and in past years was a great place for yellow fever; but the government has undertaken to drain and clean the city, till now yellow fever is a thing of the past.

Mr. A. Pages, our secretary of the Brazilian Union Conference, met us on our boat, and helped us through the custom-house with our baggage. We had no trouble in getting through. Then we started out by railroad train, which was drawn up the mountains by cable, for Sao Paulo. It is about a three hours' ride from Santos to Sao Paulo. As we came up higher, it became cooler, for which we were truly grateful. Sao Paulo is situated on the plateau, its elevation being about 2,500 feet above sea-level. It is a

real modern city. We stopped at a station called Sao Bernardo, where the headquarters of our Brazilian Conference are located. We also have a publishing house at this place. We were cordially welcomed by our workers there.

We spent but one week in this place, when a call came for Mr. Boehm to come further into the interior, for there were people much interested in our message. One of our canvassers found these people who were hungering for the word of God. Mr. Boehm went at once, and spent four days with them, holding meetings in the evening, and visiting families during the day. He brought back a very interesting and encouraging report. So a week later it was decided by the conference board, that was just in session at the time, that we should make this our field of labor for the present. Soon after the decision, we were on our way to our field, which is about a five hours' ride by railroad from Sao Paulo. It is a colony consisting of two hundred, mostly German families. The government built these houses before any settlers were here. So all the houses are exactly alike, about one fourth of a mile apart, a piece of land from fifteen to twenty acres with each house. The houses are built of soft brick, tiling roof, minus floor, ceiling, and glass windows, each having a small kitchen, and three rooms, with shutters on the windows.

But the climate is healthful. Ants are the pest of the country. They do their work mostly during the night, when there are no chickens around.

We find the people very kind and hospitable. The educational system is poor, hence some are quite ignorant in book knowledge, but they are very conscientious. We are living in one of these typical Brazilian houses. They are of course not all we could wish for, but we are enjoying ourselves nevertheless. We hold meetings four times a week. These people esteem it a privilege to attend gospel meetings, and our room is packed with hearers every evening. Many have expressed their gratitude for the interest we have taken in them. They have given us this house free of charge, and asked us to stay with them always. Just one month after our landing in Brazil, we had the happy privilege of organizing a Sabbath-school of fifteen members. Four families have decided to keep all of God's commandments. Most of these have broken away from Catholicism, and have been looking and praying for true Protestantism, and were glad and willing to

accept it when it came. There is no joy greater than helping wanderers on the way of salvation. We shall be glad to hear from any of our friends at any time. Our full address is given.

Mrs. J. H. Boehm.

Estacao de Sao Bernardo,

(S. P. R.) Sao Paulo, Brazil, S. A.

CENTRAL CALIFORNIA Conference Notes

P. E. Scoggins is managing a tent effort alone at Del Rey. He reports most encouragingly.

Elder H. C. Basney reports from Laton the best interest he has had for many years. He says the work at that place reminds him of the power in the message twenty-five years ago.

The interest at Bakersfield is still good. Richard Breitigam, who has had charge of the work since Elder Adams went to General Conference, has found it necessary to pitch a tent to continue the work, the building in which the meetings have been held having been rented for other purposes.

Elder J. R. Patterson writes from New Monterey: "Our meetings are quite well attended. Our best and most regular attendance is from the military post. They are splendid young men. One a short time ago bought his release and commenced to keep the Sabbath. He is now in Germany. What the outcome will be, we can not tell. Our collections the past month equal our expenses. The enemy is working hard against the truth, but we are confident that we will be blessed with souls for the truth."

GAW

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA-NEVADA

Conference Items

Brethren A. A. Cone and D. R. Sperry, of Mountain View, spent a few hours in Lodi Tuesday.

Elder C. M. Gardner spent a few hours in Lodi Tuesday, returning to Stockton to assist in the services that evening. He reports that the meetings opened very encouragingly last Sunday evening with a motored over to attend the first service. good attendance. A few from Lodi Brother C. W. Hansen left Wednesday morning for Carson City, Nevada, where he will engage in the canvassing work the remainder of the season.

Brethren R. H. Miller and J. W. Rich left Wednesday morning for Oakdale and Sonora, where they will engage in the canvassing work for a time.

Brother E. J. Urquhart writes from Yuba City: "We arrived here on Monday, and found the work well under way. Monday night a fair number were present; but as Tuesday night was rainy, not many came out. The last two nights, we have had an attendance of about fifty persons. We trust that a good work may be done at Yuba City, and with the blessing of the Lord attending the effort there, a goodly number of souls may be won for the kingdom of heaven."

Brother W. D. Fleming and family left Wednesday afternoon for Sacramento, where they will spend a few days in the interests of the magazine work, after which they will travel northward by motor, working the cities and towns as they go, previous to an extended trip through Montana, South Dakota, and Minnesota. We pray that the Lord will go with them on this journey, and that success may attend their efforts.

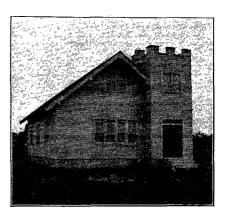
Mrs. Mina Mann spent last Sabbath and Sunday with the Chico church in the interest of the young people's work. Sister Mann left Wednesday for a ten days' visit with the churches in Nevada, where she will put forth an earnest effort to enlist all our young people in the Missionary Volunteer service. This line of our work is reaching a high standard throughout the Union; and with the many bright, energetic young people in our conference, we feel that a great work should and can be done by putting forth a little effort to encourage and strengthen them. The Reading Course is to receive special attention next year, and already a number are hard at work trying to get as many as will to take an active part.

Brother W. S. Brown, one of our most successful canvassers, reports some very interesting experiences among different classes of people whom he has met in the canvassing work. This brother has been out in the field for some months past, working from early morning till night scattering seeds of truth, and the Lord has blessed his efforts in a most wonderful manner. Owing to failing health, he will take a short vacation in the near future. We trust that a few weeks of rest and quiet will restore him to health and strength again, that he may be able soon to take up the duties that lie before him.

Merl Horton.

Galt

On the twenty-fifth of March I came here to help in the construction of a house of worship at this place. I am pleased to report that the effort has been successful through the associated efforts



of Brother Meyers and some faithful carpenter brethren of Lodi, and of the brethren here.

The little company now have a neat building in which to meet for divine worship. The photograph indicates the excellent design of the building, which is 26x40, well finished outside and in. It is paneled five feet high on the inside and plastered above.

The business men here took special interest in the building. One firm donated \$100, another \$50, until about \$250 was subscribed by them.

Our little company here are of good courage, and as Elder Ford has located here they are enthused over the prospect for the future. The church will be dedicated soon after the General Conference closes.

We leave here to take up work in Yuba City. Edward J. Urquhart.

Appointments

LODI —
June 14, C. M. Gardner;
June 21, F. Gauterau;
June 28, D. T. Fero.

STOCKTON -June 14, I. C. Colcord; June 21, E. D. Sharpe; June 28, C. M. Gardner. MANTECA -June 28, I. C. Colcord. SALIDA -June 28, F. Gauterau. HUGHSON -June 14, N. W. Kauble; June 21, J. W. Rich. TURLOCK June 28, N. W. Kauble. WINTON -June 14, F. Gauterau; June 21, C. M. Gardner. SACRAMÉNTO-June 14, A. J. Osborne; June 21, D. T. Fero; June 28, Mina Mann. WOODLAND . June 14, D. T. Fero; June 21, Mina Mann; June 28, E. Urquhart. CHICO -June 14, F. Brink; June 21, W. S. Holbrook. LOS MOLINOS-June 21, F. Brink; June 28, F. Brink. GALT -June 28, E. D. Sharpe. FALLON -June 14, Mina Mann. RENO-

CALIFORNIA Sanitarium

June 14, W. S. Holbrook.

June 7, Mina Mann. PLACERVILLE —

JANESVILLE -

June 21, A. J. Osborne;

June 28. A. J. Osborne,

Sabbath, May 31, a large company gathered around the pool in which six young people and one adult were buried with their Lord in baptism.

These young people have all been won for Christ by the church school, rounded off by a few meetings held with them by Elder C. L. Taylor. Our prayers go out for these dear young people.

June 4. S. T. Hare.

"God desires man to exercise his reasoning powers; and the study of the Bible will strengthen and elevate the mind as no other study can."

"If Christians would associate together, speaking to each other of the love of God, and of the precious truths of redemption, their own hearts would be refreshed, and they would refresh one another."

Educational

CALIFORNIA

Mountain View Church School Closing Exercises

"It is the purpose of God that through the excellence of the work done in our educational institutions the attention of the people shall be called to the last great effort to save the perishing."

Truly our church schools are being blessed to this end; and this year we are greatly encouraged, as we pass from school to school, to find a representative work being done—a work that reflects credit upon the cause of Christian education.

The recent closing exercises of the Mountain View church school afforded, we believe, another occasion for bringing favorable attention to the excellent work done in the elementary denominational schools of this conference. This program was rendered in the Pacific Press Assembly Hall, Monday evening, June 2.

The hall was appropriately decorated for the occasion, and was well filled before the hour arrived for the pupils of the school to march to the platform for the opening song. This was a song of welcome, following which the entire school of upwards of fifty boys and girls recited in concert selections upon the topic of Prayer, from that beautiful book "Steps to Christ."

Immediately following this concert recitation, Elder A. O. Tait invoked God's blessing upon the school and upon the exercises of the hour. How glad we are that in this work of training the boys and the girls for the great work before us, we are so very intimately associated with One—the great Teacher—who taught as never man taught! In this connection the motto above the heads of the pupils and before the audience seemed exceedingly appropriate: "All thy children shall be taught of the Lord."

The program as a whole was unusually interesting, being made up largely of class drills selected from the every-day work of the school. These drills were very cleverly arranged, and very admirably executed by the children. They were based upon such subjects as Bible, reading, physiology, nature study, grammar, and geography. The little first

grade read clearly and distinctly of Jesus' second coming. The seventh grade demonstrated the use of the bandage for the hand, the arm, the finger, etc. The boys of the sixth grade nature class performed simple experiments, demonstrating and explaining the nature and the use of oxygen and hydrogen, elements and compounds, and the inclined plane. The grammar class entered enthusiastically into the analysis of their sentences which they had previously diagramed upon the board. One of these read thus: "We have the best church school board in the world, because they are always ready to help us."

The memory verse exercise given by the oral Bible and nature class demonstrated that the primary pupils have had most careful and thorough drill in the recitation of many selected Scripture texts, which they could promptly give in concert, and to which they could also promptly turn in the Bible, as soon as the reference was given by the leader. Each of these verses had been appropriately illustrated with paper silhouette cuttings. This concert recitation of memory texts was greatly appreciated by all. In addition to this, Bible chalk talks were given by a class of first year pupils. Surely fact is more engaging than fiction, and the Bible stories are full of interest for these boys and girls of the church school.

We were favored with the presence of County Superintendent D. T. Bateman, superintendent of the public schools of Santa Clara County, who, at the close of the program, addressed the audience, congratulating the school board and patrons, not only upon the exercises of the hour, but also upon the excellent work done in their church school. "I had the extreme pleasure of spending a day with the Mountain View church school," said Superintendent Bateman, "and I do most heartily congratulate you upon the spirit of earnest activity found in your schoolrooms, and the excellent work that your teachers have been doing for your children."

We were glad to visit with Superintendent Bateman concerning our work not only in this school, but also in other schools in our conference. Surely these church schools are doing something to publish this message; and our prayer is that every church school in the land may, "through the excellence of the work done," call favorable attention to God's last message, just now when the boys

and girls must be prepared, in their childhood and youth, to meet the crisis Katherine B. Hale, of the ages.

Ed. Supt. Cal. Conf.

CENTRAL CALIFORNIA Closing Exercises of Armona Academy

The final examinations of the year were held on the last three school days of the week preceding the commencement. On Sabbath, May 24, at eleven o'clock, the faculty and students of the academy assembled at the Seventh-day Adventist church, where the baccalaureate sermon was delivered by Elder C. L. Taylor, of the St. Helena Sanitarium, from 2 Kings 6:17. Many beautiful and instructive thoughts were presented upon the subject of seeing the realities of the world and of life in their true light. The large congregation listened with evident interest, and, we believe, with great profit.

In the evening of the same day, at eight o'clock, the class day program was rendered. Miss Ola Buckridge, who constituted the class of 1913, read an interesting and instructive paper on the subject of education.

After the reading of this paper, the various teachers of the academy gave reports of their work. Miss Kinniburgh spoke of the progress of her pupils, notwithstanding some difficulties, particularly changes in the organization in the middle of the year, and expressed her satisfaction with the work. Prof. W. A. Gonter then spoke briefly of his classes in ancient and modern history, physiology, botany, and agriculture. The school garden has been quite successful financially, showing a clear profit over all expenses, including some permanent improvements on the land. The writer then spoke of the work of his classes, emphasizing the importance of thorough work in languages, particularly in English and Prof. J. L. Jones reviewed Latin. briefly the progress of the year in industrial training, and made a strong plea for further development in this direction.

On Sunday evening, May 25, a large audience assembled at the church to listen to the commencement address by Prof. G. W. Rine, of Pacific Union College, upon the topic of the development of our powers of perception and understanding. The leading thought in the discourse, as the writer apprehended it, was that knowledge is a growth, an or-

ganic whole. But no brief statement can do justice to the address, which was full of profound thought as well as of striking and appropriate illustrations and applications.

At the close of Professor Rine's address, the academic diploma was conferred upon Miss Ola Buckridge by the principal, Prof. J. L. Jones, and the work of the year was committed to God in the benediction by the writer.

W. H. Buxton.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA Pasadena Church School

School closed Friday, May 30, with only a few less than it began with last fall. The last morning was spent in a prayer, testimony, and consecration service. Every child expressed the desire to remain faithful during the vacation, and a determination to do something for

About three weeks before school closed, we had a sale of all the manual training articles made during the year. There were raffia hand-bags, whiskbroom holders, reed baskets, raffia baskets, and various other things. We received \$13.60. With this we expect to purchase a new organ for our school, as the old one is beyond repair.

The school ordered one hundred and fifty of the missionary number of the Little Friend. I think it a little jewel. The children had no trouble in selling the paper. With the paper sales, and offerings during the year, we turned in \$12.24 for the child widows of India. The best record was made by a boy in the sixth grade. He sold thirty papers in about four hours. Every pupil in the school had some part. Some sold a few, and others more.

The Lord has richly blessed in our work here this school year, and I think the way is open for a still better year next term.

No nobler work was ever given to man than the training of our youth.

Mrs. W. G. Wheatley.

Wanted

A woman with two children wishes work in the country with a Seventh-day Adventist family. Boy is seven years old and the girl five. Address Mrs. F. Roth, 916 Laguna Street, San Francisco, California.

OBITUARIES

Cook. - John Cook was born near Louisville, Kentucky, December 23, 1827. and died May 19, 1913, at his home in Healdsburg, California. He had worked on his little ranch as common and in the evening appeared as well as usual. They studied the Bible together in the evening. He retired about an hour or so before his wife, and when she retired he was sleeping quietly. She was awakened soon after by her husband's coughing and lifting up his head, but he passed away without opening his eyes and apparently in his sleep.

He was married to Maggie Jones March 30, 1862, in Iowa Falls, Iowa, and the same year came across the plains to California. They located in Healdsburg May, 1865, and lived there continuously until his death. He was the father of six children; five of whom are still living. He and his wife accepted present truth under the labors of Elders Loughborough and Bourdeau in 1869, and were charter members of the Healdsburg church. He enjoyed good health all his life, and was never under the care of a doctor. He was a man of kindly nature and a firm believer in the Advent message, and hoped to live to see the Saviour come in the clouds of heaven to take His children home to glory. He was a faithful churchgoer, and he will be missed by all. Words of comfort were spoken by the writer from Rev. Andrew Nelson. 14:12-14.

Horning .- Edward F. Horning was born in Sacramento in 1864, month of March, and died May 12, 1913, in Lodi, California.

He was married twenty-two years ago to Clara M. Fisher, since which they have lived in San Jose, California, most of the time. Four children, daughters, have come as blessings to their home. Brother Horning was a man of sterling integrity, conscientious and faithful. He was not ambitious, but at the call of his brethren he filled official positions in the church nearly continuously. His field of activity was the home and the church. In his sphere he has left definite and lasting impressions for good, and will be missed.

His death was sudden. He ate his dinner, was in good spirits and apparently usual health, and went out to his work in the field. After a time his wife went out and found him fallen on his face. She raised him up, but so far as

she was able to judge, life was extinct. Besides his wife and four children, he leaves a mother, one sister, two brothers, and many friends to mourn his absence.

Funeral services by the writer.

D. T. Fero.

HAYNE .- Frank E. Havne was born in Harrison County, Ohio, on July 1, 1854, and fell asleep May 16, 1913. He accepted the third angel's message thirtysix years ago, and since that time has led a most earnest and devoted Christian life. He has been closely connected with the work for years. He was elder of the Barstow church until the past year.

The cause of his death was arteriosclerosis, and while his suffering was beyond words, he bore it with patience, and was ever thoughtful of those about him.

He leaves, besides his widow, five children; namely, Lowell B. Hayne, Mrs. Mae Mark, Mrs. Opal Barton, Mrs. Fae Welliver, and Miss Eva; also two brothers and three sisters. A large crowd gathered at the Seventh-day Adventist church at Fresno, where words of comfort were spoken by Brother Amos Stevens. Brother Havne was laid to rest in the Mountain View Cemetery to await the coming of the Life-giver.

PAULIN .- Trixie Boegle Paulin, wife of Brother Noah E. Paulin, died at her mother's home in Findlay, Ohio, May 13, 1913, at the age of 33 years, 10 months, and 28 days. Mrs. Paulin had undergone an operation, from which she rallied nicely, but weak heart action failed to meet the demands made upon it.

She was a member of the First Methodist Episcopal Church in Findlay, at which church the funeral services took

Brother Paulin is the highly respected and much loved local elder of the Seventh-day Adventist church in Santa Barbara, California, and Mrs. Paulin was planning on joining her husband as soon as her strength would permit. The news of her death was wholly unexpected, and came as a great shock to Brother Paulin. The heartfelt sympathy of all is extended to him in this his great bereavement. B. M. Heald.

"One ray of the glory of God, one gleam of the purity of Christ, penetrating the soul, makes every spot of defilement painfully distinct, and lays bare the deformity and defects of the human character."

PERIODICAL REPORTS

Southern California Conference

May, 1913

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Signs		
Mrs. A. M. Althaus	200	
H. E. Farmer	200 50	
Miss Helen Huntington	825	
Miss India Johnson	425	
W I Koolo	130	
G B Pileta	25	
Miss Lydia Johnson W. J. Keele G. R. Pilate Mrs. W. A. Thayer Mrs. Isabella Richmond	25	
Mrs Isabella Richmond	50	
Miscellaneous	103	
Total	100	1,833
Life and Health		_,000
H. E. Farmer	50	
Mrs. D. W. Frazier	50 50	
Miss Helen Huntington	20	
Miss Irelea Truncington	339	
Miss Lydia Johnson Will Strickland	250	
Mrs. Isabella Richmond	50	
Miscellaneous	73	
Total	10	832
Watchman		002
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Mrs. A. M. Althaus Miss Lydia Johnson	277	
Mrs. Isabella Richmond	50	
Miscellaneous	22	
Total	22	649
Protestant		OŦĐ
Miscellaneous		7
Instructor		
Mrs. J. E. Bond	200	
Will Strickland	547	
Will Strickland San Diego Miss. Society	50	
Mrs. Cena Wilson	40	
Mrs. G. M. Price	25	
Miscellaneous	32	
Total		894
Liberty		
Miss Lydia Johnson	140	
Mrs. Isabella Richmond	50	
Miscellaneous	19	
Total		209
Chinese		
Miss Lydia Johnson		75
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Japanese		
Miss Lydia Johnson		115
$\mathbf{Spanish}$		
E. W. Snyder	100	
E. W. Snyder C. Castillo	25	
Total		125
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Grand total		4,739

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Mr. M. M. Hust		
Oakland Miss. Society	50	5.00
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Mrs. E. M. Cook	25	2.50
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Miss Florence Morser	289	\$28.90
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Mrs. E. M. Cook Mrs. Grimmett	50	5.00
San Francisco Miss. Societ	y 50	5.00
Office sales	61	6.10
Chinese Signs	3	
Mr. W. D. Fleming	50	#5 00
		\$5.00
Miss Florence Morser	100	10.00
Miss Ruth Crane	200	20.00
Mr. G. A. Ferry	50	5.00
Liberty		
Mrs. E. M. Cook	33	\$3.30
Miss Florence Morser	31	3.10
Office sales	22	2.20
Temperance Instr		
Mr. Van Renssllear	200	\$20.00
Miss Ruth Crane	100	10.00
Mrs. Grimmett	25	2.50
Miscellaneous magazine sal	es 72	7.20
Total	6.754	\$675.40
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Mr. F. A. Lasher	100	\$5.00
Sanitarium Miss. Society	100	5.00
Eureka Miss. Society	40	2.00
Eureka Miss. Society Ukiah Miss. Society	50	2.50
Office sales	13	.65
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This report shows an increase in magazine sales over April of 3,451 copies.

> H. B. Thomas, Miss. Sec. Cal. Conf.

"The spirit of unselfish labor for others gives depth, stability, and Christlike loveliness to the character, and brings peace and happiness to its possessor.''

REPORT OF BOOK WORK FOR WEEK ENDING MAY 30, 1913

Agent	Book	Hrs.	Ords.	Helps	Value	Delivered
Northern California	a-Nevada					
W. S. Brown	В. В.	22	6	\$7.75	\$17.75	
California						-
E. A. Hamilton* *2 weeks.	P. G.	16	7		\$31.50	
Arizona						
B. Van Tassel	C. K.	$17\frac{1}{2}$	20	\$9.75	\$42.75	
Comer Thompson	C. K.	$19\frac{1}{2}$	15		24.50	10150
C. F. Innis H. G. M. Martin	& H. Span.	$\frac{25}{30}$	3		6.00	\$34.50 60.00
4 Agents		92		\$9.75	\$73.25	\$94.50
Southern California	,	7,0				,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,
John J. Batchelor	B. R.	$14\frac{1}{2}$	4		\$14.00	•
Henry Block	B. R.	31	16		52.00	
W. J. Camp	P. G.	10	5		19.00	
A. B. Chase*	B. R.	77	21		69.25	
H. E. Farmer	B. R.	16	8	\$ 7.50	37.50	
C. Egner	Misc.			32.00	32.00	
W. J. Keele	B. S.	33		4.00	17.25	
	& H. Span.	24	0.9		14.00	
John Livingstone*	B. R.	98	23		82.00	
T. Martin	P. G.	41 29	5 9		$17.50 \\ 29.00$	
D. F. Sakuth W. J. Merickle		29	g	18.00	18.00	
W. J. Merickie				9.75	9.75	
Miscellaneous				\$71.25	\$411.25	
* 3 weeks.						
Central California						
Dan Breitigam	P. G.	20	9	\$3.55	\$36.05	
J. E. Krieger	G. C.	8	4	4.50	18.50	
Mrs. Rudolph	B. R.		5	5.65	22.65	
F. O. Jensen	H.	37	24	3.45	51.45	\$ 7.75
I. & Ben Gregory	B. R.	5	7	3.25	24.25	
A. R. Barnes*	P. G.	51	31	3.60	119.50	133.85
7 Agents		121	80	\$24.00	\$272.40	\$141.80
*2 weeks.						···
Utah	· —					
Paul Moore	Heralds	38	14		\$ 42.00	
A. C. Walgamott	B. R.	38	33		125.00	
L. R. Ackerman	B. R.	33	28		128.00	
3 Agents		109	75		\$295.00	

Utah Field Work

As time goes on and the end draws near and nearer, the urgency of giving the last message of mercy to the world becomes more and more apparent. The time has come when we should attempt great things for God, and expect great things from God. He can do marvelous things, even in the darkest places.

Utah is conceded to be one of the hardest fields there is for our work in general. Many have said, "You can not sell books to those Mormons." Some have told us that even magazines could not be sold successfully. We were not from Missouri, but—. A few faithful workers that caught the spirit of the Master, who said, "I can of Mine own

self do nothing," set to work to put to a test the principle "I can do all things through Christ which strengtheneth me."

One of our workers, Sister Walgamott, began selling the Temperance Instructor, Life and Health, and Signs Magazine. Hundreds of copies were sold within a few weeks. Sister Caroline Miller also spent some of her spare time in selling magazines, and was successful in disposing of a large number.

Brother A. C. Walgamott, who had a very desirable worldly position, left it in response to the call from the Lord of the harvest, attended our institute, and shortly after began soliciting yearly subscriptions for *Life and Health* and *Signs*. In five weeks his orders amounted to

about 325 yearly subscriptions. Being convinced that his canvass for the magazines would sell a subscription book, Brother Walgamott began to work with "Bible Readings." His reports show that success has attended his efforts, his sales averaging between \$25 and \$30 each day. Sister Walgamott has also been working some with "Bible Readings."

The readers of the RECORDER will remember the young man who was rescued from the Mormon faith through the efforts of one of our canvassers. Brother Moore attended our institute, and the writer had the pleasure of initiating him into the book work week before last. Brother Moore is taking hold of the work like an old-timer, and we predict a very successful summer's work for him. He is working for a scholarship. We put in twenty-nine hours together, and secured sixty-seven dollars worth of orders for "Heralds." Of this amount, Brother Moore took a number of orders by himself.

Brother Robinson is still in Salina, and while he has not accomplished much in the book work, still he has not been idle. Through his work in that place, an interest has been awakened that seemed to demand attention, so Brother Robinson has been holding up the light of truth there.

We will be glad to receive Brother Robinson's weekly reports again. He will join Brother Moore soon.

We are often reminded of the statement that we are living in a time when "things move along so rapidly that people who say 'It can't be done,' are always being interrupted by somebody's doing it." The past week has been one of the best in all the writer's experi-The Spirit of the Lord never seemed nearer, to touch the hearts of the people. The first three days' report is as follows: 20 hours; 14 orders - 8 morocco, 4 half morocco, 2 cloth; value, \$62. The report for Thursday was: 10 hours; 13 orders - 11 morocco, 1 half morocco, 1 cloth; value, \$62 - exactly the amount of the previous three days' work. These sales are nearly all to Mormon people. The Lord be praised, as it was His Spirit that did the work. It is indeed a great blessing to be an instrument in His hands. We hope for still others to invest their talents and all there is of them in the Lord's great work. We solicit the prayers of God's people for the success of our work.

L. R. Ackerman.

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An interesting account of Brother and Sister J. H. Boehm's journey to Brazil, South America, is given in this number. Brother and Sister Boehm were formerly from California.

Brother I. P. Dillon, laboring in Arizona, reports the addition of two adult sisters to the Globe church. These souls he baptized May 31. Still others are awaiting the same rite.

On May 21, a short memorial service was held at Takoma Park in celebration of the fiftieth anniversary of the organization of the General Conference. Out of the eight men that drew up the original constitution, there are only two living: namely, Elder J. N. Loughborough and Elder Isaac Sanborn, aged eightytwo and ninety respectively. There are three persons in attendance at this 1913 session of the General Conference who were in the city of Battle Creek, Michigan, at the organization of the conference. These are Elder J. N. Loughborough, Sister R. M. Kilgore, and Brother W. C. White, the latter at that time being a boy of nine years.

Later.—After the above note was written, we notice by the *Review and Herald* dated June 5 that Elder Isaac Sanborn died at St. Thomas, Ontario, May 24.

For Sale

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"Live so that those who know you and do not know Him will want to know Him because they know you."

CALIFORNIA

Comparative Statement of Tithe To May 31, 1913

	1912	1913
Alameda	\$ 389.82	\$ 488.18
Arcata	145.08	84.09
Berkeley	310.26	1,077.51
Byron		71.00
Calistoga	139.24	74.86
Daly City	186.39	243.36
Eureka	221.42	374.95
Ferndale	63.10	35 90
Fortuna	334.30	172.07
Guerneville	69.00	21.90
Hayward	67.05	71.64
Healdsburg	355.45	464.44
Kelseyville	64.32	22.45
Los Gatos	36.75	90.79
McKinleyville	42.70	40.40
Melrose	934.45	847.95
Morgan Hill	311.34	100.95
Mountain View	2,284.99	2,054.81
Napa	222.53	464.45
Oakland	1,188.22	1,640.18
Pacific College	737.20	660.48
Park, S. F.	130.42	161.42
Pepperwood	73.45	23.05
Petaluma	141.80	82.40
Richmond	152.99	256.54
St. Helena	414.43	641.76
San Francisco	1,247.73	3,056.89
Sanitarium	2,301.08	2,093.35
San Jose	849.99	556.00
Santa Cruz	235.90	144.26
Santa Rosa	93.25	328.17
Sebastopol	218.30	150.22
Smith River	16.10	2.00
Sonoma	116.33	138.70
Soquel	12.00	33.05
Ukiah	81.25	119.01
Vallejo	44.10	56.45
Watsonville	66.40	79.70
Personal	547.76	471.18
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Totals	\$14,846.89	\$17,496.51

The July "Watchman"

The contents of the July Watchman will be—as usual—interesting and up to standard. The following is a portion of the contents:

- "Was America Discovered by Accident?"
- "The Imminent God."
- "The Return of Our Lord."
- "Is the Law of Christ the Law of the Ten Commandments?"
- "Christ and Moses in the Redemption

In addition to these interesting articles, we will continue our Scripture study and Washington correspondence. The Outlook Department will contain current comment upon affairs engaging worldwide attention. We have practically exhausted every edition thus far this year, and the indications are that we will break all our records the coming summer.

To show how the magazine work is a great help to the book work, and that both are a part of the great whole, we quote the following extract which we have received this date:

"Enclosed find check for \$2.00 for Daniel and the Revelation." I buy the Watchman every month, and read the same with great interest. I am deeply interested in the line of thought presented therein."

As the summer is our busiest season, will you not kindly help us to help you by sending in your orders early in the month? Rates in quantities, 10 to 40 copies, 5 cents; over 50 copies, 4 cents each; to Canada, 5 cents straight.

"Our Little Friend"

Announces an Advance in Subscription Rates, Effective July 1, 1913

Single subscriptions advanced from 60 cents a year to 70 cents a year. Clubs advanced from 50 cents a year to 60 cents a year. An advance of 10 cents a year in each case. All subscriptions or renewals sent in by the tract society before July 1 will be entered at the old rates. Those leaving the tract society on or after that date will be entered at the new rates. Get your renewals in early.

The Temperance Call

"When temperance is presented as a part of the gospel, many will see their need of reform. They will see the evil of intoxicating liquors, and that total abstinence is the only platform on which God's people can conscientiously stand. As this instruction is given, the people will become interested in other lines of Bible study."—"Testimonies," volume 7, page 75.

Speaking of the same subject, in another place we read these words: "Great light has been shining upon us, but how little of this light we reflect to the world! Heavenly angels are waiting for human beings to cooperate with them in the practical carrying out of the principles of truth."—"Testimonies," volume 7, page 58.

To aid us in carrying out this instruction, there has been placed in our hands one of the easiest and simplest of methods—the Temperance Instructor.

Many are availing themselves of this opportunity, and are receiving a blessing. Many more are missing both.

[&]quot;A fault denied is twice committed."