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Opening of the Camp-Meeting Season

The camp-meeting season for 1914 will soon be upon us. It opens in this union conference with the central California camp-meeting, to be held at Fresno, April 28 to May 10. Notice of this has already appeared in the RECORDER, so I will not need to speak specifically of it. I hope we may see a large number of brethren and sisters of this field at this conference. There will be important matters considered that all should be conversant with. I do not suppose we have ever held a series of camp-meetings where so many important features have been considered as will be taken up at our camp-meetings this summer.

All will remember that at our recent union conference meeting in Oakland a plan was recommended for the raising of \$150,000 for our educational work. This was designed to pay off our educational debt throughout the union; and also to furnish a fund for the completion of our college, for the building of small schools in Utah and Nevada, and also for such needed repairs on our present academies as may seem necessary to make them more effective.

This is a very large question, and should receive careful attention at each of our camp-meetings. It may be thought larger than we should undertake at this time, but the end is rapidly approaching, and we have no time for delay. Whatever is accomplished must be done quickly, and there can be no question but that we must raise the debts on our educational work in this union, and must provide necessary facilities for the training of our young people for field work.

We want all our people present at this meeting when this question is considered. The plan is somewhat novel, as you have noticed in the report of the union conference meeting, but all thought the Lord helped us in arranging the plan, and with consecration, energy, and perseverance it can be made a success.

There are other matters of great importance in our conference work that we wish to consider. Then, above all, we need to avail ourselves of every opportunity for spiritual help in preparing to meet the Saviour who is soon to return to earth. The Lord has told us that these camp-meetings are the Lord's own appointment to bestow His spirit and the gift of the latter rain. We can not afford to miss the Lord's appointment. It may be a financial loss to attend the meeting, but to absent ourselves from it will be a greater spiritual loss.

The Lord has greatly favored the people of this union conference this year with excellent seasons. There are splendid prospects of good crops, and it would be well for us to show our gratitude by attending the camp-meetings, and doing what we can to help advance the blessed cause. The dates and places of other meetings will be announced in due course.

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It may be proper for me to say here that it has been planned to hold a campmeeting in Nevada, June 1 to 7. This will be the first camp-meeting that has been held there for quite a number of years. Since we have organized this field, including the four California counties lying east of the Sierra Nevada Mountains, into a mission field, it seems proper that we should hold a campmeeting and organize our forces in that field for more aggressive work than we have ever carried forward in the past. We believe it will not be long until we shall see a strong constituency built up in that field, which we hope to be able to organize into a conference at no distant date. E. E. Andross,

Pres. Pacific Union Conf.

Twenty-Cent-a-Week Fund

A few days ago I received a report from Washington of the twenty-cent-aweek fund for the two months ending February 28, 1914. I find that according to this report the Pacific Union Conference has a net shortage of \$5,-258.16 for this period. One of our conferences, Southern California, with a reported membership of 3,397, reports \$3.82 over the twenty cents a week for this period. \$5,876.81 was required and \$5,880.63 was actually received in Washington from Southern California. All the other fields in the union were short. from \$12.21 up to \$3,243.91. The actual report stands as follows:

Conference	Member- ship	Amt. at \$1.73 a Memb.	Amt. Received	Amt. Short	Amt. Over	Net Amt. Short
Arizona	234	\$ 404.82	\$ 306.48	\$ 98.34		
California	2,698	4,667.54	1,423.63	3,243.91		
Central California	1,138	1,968.74	639.38	1,329.36		
Northern California	1,139	1,970.47	1,496.88	473.59		
Southern California	3,397	5,876.81	5,880.63		\$3.82	
Utah	173	299.29	194.72	104.57		
Nevada Mission	92	159.16	146.95	12.21		
Total	8,871	\$15,346.83	\$10,088.67	\$5,261.98	\$3.82	\$5,258.16

From careful study of this report it will be seen that it will be necessary to put forth a more vigorous effort in all our churches in the union in behalf of this fund, else we shall fall far short of the required amount. While it is necessary for the conference officers to take a large burden in the matter of raising this fund, the final responsibility must rest upon the officers of each church and company throughout the union. It is not possible for our conference officers to succeed in raising this amount if the local church officers do not heartily cooperate with them, not simply a portion of the time, but all of the time.

. In the last RECORDER I noticed a report from the California Conference for the quarter ending March 31, showing a shortage of \$4,736.42. \$2,606.06 was raised for the mission fields during this quarter, averaging seven cents and two mills a member. It will be seen this is only a little more than one third the amount required. The churches of the conference have raised an amount varying from seven mills a member to forty-six cents and nine mills a member. Four churches in the conference exceeded the amount of twenty cents a week required for the mission field, while all the others fell below this amount, and many far below it. The fact that four churches, Petaluma, Hayward, Daly City, and Byron all exceeded the amount, shows a possibility of our other churches doing far in excess of what they are doing at present. These churches that have raised more than their quota are not financially better off than many of the other churches that fell far below the required amount.

I am persuaded that much depends upon the leadership in the matter of raising the funds, as in other matters pertaining to our church work. It is necessary to keep the matter before our people every Sabbath in order to succeed.

I hope our church officers will se-

riously study the report appearing in the RECORDER bearing date of April 16, not only throughout the California Conference, but in all the other conferences of the union, for undoubtedly this report is very much like the reports that should appear from our other conferences.

I hope that the officers of each church will meet together at an early date and seriously consider the question in each church. Would it not be well for the larger churches to divide up their membership and place a leader over each division, who will take the responsibility of working up the interest in this fund in his division? It seems to me in this way we can get closer to our people than we can do in a large congregation. It is easier to handle this matter in a small church than in a large one, and by dividing these congregations into small divisions, we can thus get close to the people. Whatever is done in this matter should be by counsel from your conference officers.

I most sincerely trust that no time may be lost in thoroughly organizing our forces for a vigorous campaign in the interest of this fund. If we let this matter go on as it is now going until the year is largely past, we shall find it almost if not quite an impossible task to not only raise the amount required week by week, but also to make up the deficit of the past. Will every church officer throughout the union seriously consider this matter and begin at once a vigorous effort in his church to raise the required amount?

This amount is not arbitrarily imposed upon our churches. It is something we have voluntarily assumed because of the command that comes to us from the Saviour, "Go ye into all the world, and preach the gospel to every creature," and this must be done in this generation that is now rapidly closing. In order to accomplish this a large amount of funds must be raised among our people to send missionaries to various parts of the earth. Already the missionaries that we have sent forth to the fields abroad require fully fifteen cents a week a member for their support. The rest of this amount asked for is understood to apply on our institutional indebtedness, but it will not be long until we shall require the full amount, twenty cents a week, to support our work in the mission fields.

The larger the amount of funds we raise for the mission work, the larger the force of workers that we shall be enabled to send forth in the mission fields, and the quicker the work of warning the world will be accomplished. While it may seem a heavy task we are undertaking, the sooner the work is finished, the sooner we shall be at home in the kingdom; and while we pray, "Even so, come, Lord Jesus, come quickly," we must make our work correspond with our prayers, and do everything in our power to finish the work committed to us. E. E. Andross,

Pres. Pac. Union Conf.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA Experiences Related by Workers Experience No. 8 How the Lord Helps the

Willing-Hearted I will relate the experience of Brother -, who, with his wife, will be received into the church next Sabbath. Brother ---- has been studying the message since last May, and for several months he and his wife have been under the conviction that they ought to obey, but his employment as foreman in the city public works department hindered him, since, to all appearances, there was no prospect of retaining his position should he begin to keep the Sabbath. However, as time passed he was considerably troubled over his Sabbath work. and finally on Sabbath, February 14, was taken suddenly ill. He then promised the Lord that he would not work another Sabbath. After a few days' rest he returned to his employer and explained to him the situation. The gentleman replied, "Then you are a Seventhday Adventist? Well, I will do nothing to oblige you to violate your conscience, so you may return to your work and have your day of rest." Brother - recognizes in this experience the kind providences of God, and is of good courage. A Minister.

PACIFIC UNION RECORDER

Experience No. 9

An Example of God's Leading

I called at a home one day, but no one came to the door. Seeing a child at the window, I continued ringing the door-bell. Finally the lady came and invited me in. I told her I was a missionary, and offered her the Signs of the Times. She seemed interested and said, "That is the same paper a man left me one day. I see these people keep Saturday for Sunday. I have never heard of them before. Tell me about the Sabbath."

I read a few texts to her and answered her questions. She told me that she and her husband had been praving for light. They had attended one church after another, including the Catholic Church, seeking truth, and to find one that they could join, but found none that seemed to be living up to the Bible. They continued praying; but this day she was very much discouraged, feeling that the Lord was not answering their prayers. When I arose to leave she took me by the hand and said, "I was not going to let you in, but when you continued ringing the door-bell, I was forced to come to the door. Now I know the Lord sent you, and our prayers have been answered." I had studies with them. She and her husband obeved and were taken into the church. After witnessing their baptism, their elevenyear-old boy said, "Now, mama, you are ready for the Lord when He comes, but I am not ready. Can't I be baptized too?" That was six months ago. and he has made the same request several times. He is to be baptized soon. They are now doing what they can to warn their neighbors and friends.

A Bible Worker. (Furnished by F. M. Burg.)

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA

Conference Items

Sabbath, April 25, Elder D. T. Fero will meet with the Sabbath-school and company at Arbuckle.

Elder Henry Shultz, who has been spending several months in the Middle West, has just returned to Lodi.

Brother J. W. Rich went to Oroville on Wednesday, to remain with the church there over Sabbath, the 18th. F. L. Bonney, of Australia, was at the office the 16th, on his way to Woodland. His brother will join him there, and together they will enter the canvassing work.

Elder Fred Brink writes that his meetings at Millville are continuing with interest. He has just reached the critical point, and has great hopes that some will embrace the truth.

We shall probably be able next week to state definitely relative to the campmeeting. We hope all our people are planning to attend. We believe that a great deal is lost in not attending these annual gatherings.

Brother A. M. Davis, of Esmerelda, California, wishes to correspond with any who may wish to locate where there is a church school, so as to strengthen the work at that place. Arrangements might be made whereby work could be given those who would care to locate there.

The meetings at Sacramento continue with interest. While the attendance is not as large as it was at the first, yet additional ones continue to accept the truth. Every effort is put forth to make the work a success. Dr. Thomason spoke Thursday night, the 16th. The meetings will continue at least one month longer. It has been arranged for Elder Taggart to speak one night or more each week. Elder and Mrs. Osborne, together with the corps of workers, are busy every day visiting from home to home among the interested ones.

Brother S. J. Whitney, elder of the Salida church, is conducting a Sundayschool in the country near Ripon. He writes that some at this place are greatly interested in Bible study. We hope this effort will bring some to a saving knowledge of the truth. We believe that in many places throughout the conference something along this line could be done. We have quite a few isolated people who might start Sundayschools, and by this means assist in educating the people in Bible doctrines, which we believe would eventually cause them to become Seventh-day Adventists. We should study every means that will forward the cause of God.



Pacific Union College Summer School

A summer school will be conducted at Pacific Union College beginning about July 14, and continuing for six weeks.

Studies will be offered in the normal, academic, and collegiate departments.

This summer session is to be a regular feature of the college work in the future, and will afford an excellent opportunity for teachers to raise the grade of their certificates, and for students to carry academic and collegiate subjects for credit in the regular courses.

In order to arrange the program satisfactorily, all prospective students should immediately enroll by correspondence, stating the subject or subjects they wish to pursue. Full particulars will be embodied in a circular to be issued in the near future.

Address Pacific Union College, St. Helena, California.

Final Examination Questions

The final examination questions for grades seven to ten are now being printed, and will be ready for mailing by May I. Teachers will send to their conference superintendent for the examination questions. Principals of academies, and teachers in conferences not having a superintendent, will secure the questions from the union conference educational secretary, addressing him at 537 Twenty-fifth Street, Oakland, California. Be sure to indicate the number of copies of questions desired, in each subject.

M. E. Cady, Pacific Union Conf. Educational Sec.

The Summer School

All our teachers should read carefully the notice regarding the summer school, which appears in this issue of the RE-CORDER. As requested, let all who expect to attend send in at once a list of the subjects they wish to pursue. Pacific Union College will spare no pains in making this summer session meet the needs of our teachers, as well as any students who want to receive academic credit on regular college courses.

At the recent session of the Pacific Union Conference, it was voted that the local conferences continue the plan of paving the transportation of such teachers as they recommend to attend the summer school, and also to pay their board to the amount of \$2.00 a week. Teachers who expect to receive this allowance for board and transportation must previously make such arrangement with their local conference officers. M. E. Cady,

Pacific Union Conf. Educational Sec.

Vacation Studies

Our schools are about to close, and students will soon be enjoying the vacation. How shall the time be spent to best advantage? Many will have their hands full of solid work, but all will have some leisure, and will want to keep in touch with their studies. They may have some subject to make up, some study to review, in order to square themselves with their courses: or they may wish to make credits for their regular work. To all such students the Fireside Correspondence School offers its assistance. It fills the chinks in our educational system. It reaches those who can not avail themsolves of the advantages of our regular schools. It is open all the year. The summer vacation is its best opportunity to help you. It has thirty subjects ready, and is adding to this list as fast as possible. The undersigned will be glad to correspond with any who may be interested in making the most of their vacation. Please write him freely in regard to your desires, addressing him at Takoma Park, Washington, D. C.

C. C. Lewis, Principal.



Good Words for the "Church Officers' Gazette"

"We are much pleased with the first issue of the Church Officers' Gazette. We are also receiving good words from others who have seen the paper."

"The Church Officers' Gazette is very interesting and instructive."

"I am surely pleased with the Church Officers' Gazette, and can hardly wait until the next one comes. It has been a real help in our Missionary Volunteer Society work, and I feel so glad for it."

"I think the Church Officers' Gazette will be a great help to our churches. Most of them see a minister so seldom, they need some one to help them plan programs for their missionary meetings."

"We are very glad to see the Church Officers' Gazette coming out each month, for we know it will mean better informed leaders in our churches."

"We have received the Church Officers' Gazette, and believe that as it is printed month by month it will surely be a strong factor in strengthening our church officers for the duties and responsibilities they carry."

"We are well pleased to have the good instruction to church officers now appearing in the Church Officers' Gazette."

"I am very much pleased with the Church Officers' Gazette. I believe this is going to be a great help to us with its practical suggestions for our missionary meetings."

"I am glad the Church Officers' Gazette is going to cover instruction to practically all our church officers. This will be generally appreciated."

"I have just received the Church Officers' Gazette, and think it is an excellent paper. I would like to see it in all our churches."

"We are very pleased with the Church Officers' Gazette. It is a very great need supplied."

"I have just been wondering how successful you have been in getting the Church Officers' Gazette into every church. We are anxious that it shall reach every officer in our conference, for we believe it will be of great value to the people."

"I have just received and read the Church . Officers' Gazette. Its contents are very helpful. I thank God we have the publication. It will give me real pleasure to do what I can to extend its circulation."

"The Church Officers' Gazette has been welcomed as it has come to my desk, month after month, and it will always be a welcome visitor and companion."

These are some of the good words that have come from our subscribers. Are there not other church officers who desire to subscribe for this paper, and receive the same help and instruction?

E. M. Graham.

The "Watchman" for May One Thing All Can Do

The simple art of magazine selling has been brought to its highest state of effectiveness in such countries as England and Germany. In these countries, men and women make a regular life business of selling our truth-laden papers from house to house, newsboy fashion. By this method, it is not long before they have a permanent paying proposition that offers abundant opportunity for missionary work.

This is the ideal toward which we should work, for it is practical and has been demonstrated in our country. One Watchman evangelist, a woman of middle age, spent some time in one of the larger cities, and has, by perseverance and tact, built up a permanent route on which she delivers about three hundred Watchman a month, besides filling in other weeks with other good magazines. She reports a growing interest among her readers, and not a few have been greatly blessed spiritually as a result of her faithful efforts. To hear this good woman relate her experiences is to catch a new glimpse of the possibilities of this splendid evangelistic agency.

Some Good Things for the People

Christ as Prophet, Priest, and King;

The Hand of God in History:

Predestination;

When Jesus Comes;

The Promises Made to the Fathers;

The Apostolic and Remnant Church; Why Eat Meat?

Startling Facts About Habit-Forming Drugs.

In addition, remember the Outlook, Scripture Study, and Home and Health departments, and good, live reports from the mission fields abroad.

Rates in quantities: five to forty copies, 5 cents each; 50 or more, 4 cents each. To Canada, 5 cents straight. Single copies, 10 cents.

Canvassing Institutes

We are now in the midst of our series of spring institutes, which are annually held in connection with our schools, in the interest of our canvassing work. The first one opened at Fernando Academy, March 31, and continued for ten days. While the attendance was not as large as it has been at times in the past, I am told, yet from fifteen to twenty met with us each day.

REPORT OF BO	OK WORK	FOR	FOUR V	VEEKS EN	DING MA	RCH 31
Agent Arizona	Book	Hrs.	Ords.	Helps	Value	Delivered
A. E. Gann	D.&R.	69	20	\$ 5.75	\$ 78.75	
G. H. Reese	С. К.	75	92	16.50	154.50	
2 Agents		144	II2	\$22.25	\$233.25	
REPORT OF I	BOOK WORK	FOR	WEEF	K ENDING	APRIL 10), 1914
Central California						
F. O. Jensen	P. G.	18	11	\$.75	\$40.25	\$ 9.60
W. B. Findley	P. G.	25	12		47.50	
E. R. Tuttle	B. R.				17.00	17.00
3 Agents				\$.75	\$104.75	\$26.60
Southern Californ	ia					
H. E. Farmer	B. R. & C. K.	29	8	\$6.35	\$24.35	
W. O. James	H. & H.	ъб	5		12.50	
E. W. Snyder	Span. & Rus.				29.75	
C. F. Parmele	C. K.				б.00	
	. G. & Hydro.				22.75	
Miscellaneous					17.25	
				\$6.35	\$112.60	
California (Suppl	ementary)					
A. R. Hill	B. F. L.	23	4	\$2.75	\$ 8.25	
L. E. Hill	B. F. L.	ığ	4 6	5.00	14.50	
Mrs. H. C. Walke	r G.C.	5		č	5.75	
3 Agents		44		\$7.75	\$28.50	

Not all these will enter the field this year, yet I believe Fernando will be well represented in the field by a few strong young men who, in answer to the call of God, will go from home to home with the message contained in our books.

From Fernando, Brother Morlan and I came to Loma Linda, and began work on April 11. While the young people at this place are exceptionally busy, especially those who are attending the medical college, it has been gratifying to see the effort that they have put forth to attend the institute. Elder Andross was with us at the beginning, and his help was greatly appreciated. The brethren who are connected with the institution appreciate the sacredness and importance of this work, and other class work has been shortened in order to give more young people the opportunity of attending the institute. We meet together in the evening from seven-thirty until nine. We have also held some early morning meetings from five until six. About twenty-five has been the average attendance.

One encouraging feature of the Loma Linda institute is that several of our people from the outside have come in to be with us to prepare for this line of service. Surely the time is here when an army of our people should enter the field to devote their time to this line of work!

Three more spring institutes will follow this one, as follows:

Armona, Central California Conference, April 18-26.

Lodi, Northern California Conference, April 25 to May 9.

Pacific Union College, May 9-23.

If there are any of our people living near where these institutes will be held, who feel called to this work, we would be pleased to have them attend and prepare for field work.

Pray for the work of these institutes. C. E. Weaks,

General Field Agent.

Obituary

BRUMMETTE.— Marie Cordelia Brummette was born in Denver, Colorado, January 6, 1896, and died at Glendale Sanitarium, March 16, 1914, of acute Bright's disease.

For over five months she lay on her bed of pain, but during those months the Lord ripened her life for eternity. Notwithstanding all that medical skill and careful nursing could accomplish, we were forced to lay our loved one to rest. And now she sleeps in Forest Lawn Cemetery, while we tread the path alone. She sleeps! Yes, her life of activity is over, but her works do follow her.

At the age of nine years she accepted Jesus as her personal Saviour, and her growth in grace was a living testimony of the power and molding influence of the Holy Spirit in the life of man. As we review God's handiwork in her life and character, we note how quickly He can do a finished work. Marie early showed marked ability in music and composing, and through careful instruction given her by her parents, she was at the time of her death a fine pianist, and during her last sickness she wrote and dictated several articles, one of which appeared in the Youth's Instructor.

Though our hearts are wrung by the loss of our loved one, we read the inspired word of the living God coming down to us through the centuries: "I would not have you to be ignorant, brethren, concerning them which are asleep, that ye sorrow not, even as others which have no hope. For if we believe that Jesus died and rose again, even so them also which sleep in Jesus will God bring with Him." I Thess. 4:13, 14.

The funeral services were conducted at the Glendale church, by Elder J. W. Adams, assisted by Elder Proctor.

Mrs. S. F. Livingston.

Central California Conference

The third annual session of the Central California Conference of Seventhday Adventists will be held April 28 to May 10, at Fresno, California, for the purpose of electing officers and of transacting such other business as may come before the meeting. The first session of the conference is called to meet Wednesday, April 29, at 10 A. M. A full attendance of the delegates is earnestly requested, the ratio of delegates being one delegate for the organization of each church, and one additional delegate for every fifteen members or fraction thereof when more than seven. The conference committee and ordained ministers are delegates at large.

The location of the camp will be announced in a later issue. It is hoped that all will begin to plan to attend this important gathering.

> J. H. Behrens, *President*. G. A. Wheeler, *Secretary*.

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THURSDAY, APRIL 23, 1914

A telegram dated April 21 announces the arrival of H. H. Hall at New Orleans. He will reach Mountain View about May 1.

· Elder Andrew Nelson went this week to labor in the various churches in Humboldt County until the time of the California camp-meeting.

On account of the illness of her mother, Mrs. V. J. Farnsworth is at College Place, Washington. If there is any delay in her correspondence with the California Conference Sabbathschools, this will be understood as the cause.

After eighteen months of faithful service, Brother F. A. Coffin is leaving the California Bible House and taking up publicity and Bible work in connection with the meetings in San Francisco and other places in the California Conference.

Brother Frank E. Crane, of Cedar Creek, Arkansas, wishes to express through the RECORDER his appreciation for the receipt of several bundles of the Signs, Review, and Instructor, to be used in missionary lines. Although very isolated, Brother Crane is of good courage in the Lord, and asks us to pray for him that he may do better service for the cause.

The average nightly attendance at the meetings being conducted in San Francisco by Elders J. W. McCord and R. S. Fries, is three hundred and twenty-five. The first Sunday night over five hundred people were turned away. "In former series of meetings," said Elder Fries in conversation with reference to these meetings, "we have had a hard time to get a start, but in this effort it seems that the Spirit of the Lord has come in in a very marked way. Already fifteen persons have signified their intention of leading Christian lives. The Lord seems to have broken down all the prejudice." The meetings are held in a distinctly Catholic neighborhood. One Catholic family has already accepted the truth. They had received just one Bible reading when the lady asked when the Sunday-school was held, that she might send her children. The sister giving the readings explained that our services are held on Sabbath morning, which seemed to be quite a surprise to the lady; but when she was shown the Sabbath commandment, the whole question seemed clear, and not only her children but she and her husband were present at last Sabbath's services.

An Important Day

Another Young People's Day is here. Sabbath, May 2, is the day. Every lover of children and young people will be glad to get the word and to unite in this year's special effort to give our dear young people a lift. And what Christian does not love the young? Who is so advanced in years that he can not remember the days of his youth,- his desires and ambitions, his fears and trembling? Who does not remember the man who was thoughtful and kind enough to smile upon him, place a warm hand upon his head, and say something encouraging? Love expressed to the young even in little ways makes a deep impression upon them. Personally I remember very distinctly the first preacher who gave me a warm smile and spoke a few words of encouragement and inspiration to my poor trembling heart. Later that same minister baptized me. and still later ordained me to the work of the gospel ministry.

If only we could all realize the tremendous uplift our personal efforts give young people, this Young People's Day would be gladly and earnestly improved. Every minister, every church officer, every parent, every grown Christian, would study and pray for divine help to say some word and to do some deed that would help some boy or girl toward the kingdom.

The Missionary Volunteer Department has prepared a program for the day. Every arrangement for a good, helpful day has been made. But all this must largely fail unless the program is carried out by those whose hearts are yearning to help the young. It should need no appeal for cooperation from our people. Brethren and sisters, let us all take hold to make the Young People's Day for 1914 one that shall never be forgotten.

A. G. Daniells.

Central California Conference Association

The Central California Conference Association of Seventh-day Adventists will hold its second annual meeting in connection with the conference and camp-meeting at Fresno, California, April 28 to May 10, 1914, for the purpose of electing a board of seven trustees and transacting such other business as may come before it. The first meeting of the association is called for Thursday, April 30, at 10 o'clock A. M. All delegates of the conference are members of the association.

> J. H. Behrens, *President*. G. A. Wheeler, *Secretary*.

Ten Acre Farm for Sale

In order to dispose of the remaining ten acres of my thirty acre farm at Galt, California, will make a special price for the next thirty days. This ten acres is situated one mile west of the center of Galt, California, has three large, massive 'oak-trees, a four room frame house, wood-shed, chicken house and run, good well and pump, abundance of good water, all excellent land, in volunteer crop. Price \$2,900, \$1,566 cash, \$1,334 on terms of five years, yearly payments of \$266, interest six per cent. For further particulars write to W. P. Plummer, Galt, Cal.

C. E. Ford.

Notice

We desire to communicate with consecrated Seventh-day Adventist young men who wish employment in the following lines: vegetable gardening, landscape gardening, dairying, night watching, kitchen work. Address Paradise Valley Sanitarium, National City, California.

For Sale

Thirty horse-power thoroughly equipped four passenger automobile. Newly overhauled and in good running order. Will be sacrificed for \$300 with terms, or \$250 cash. Address J. D., 537 Twenty-fifth Street, Oakland, California, care California Bible House.