

SUPPLEMENT TO REVIEW and HERALD

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(Progress of the Cause—Continued.)

In July, in company with Brother J. F. Pogue, I visited Dassel, Hutchinson, East Hutchinson, and Litchfield. We were blessed with much of the Spirit of God. On my return home, the pressure of my work with the press was so great that it crowded out the coveted opportunity of reporting these interesting visits.

It was my privilege to attend the camp-meetings at Hewitt and Crow Wing in September, and to share in the labors of those meetings. The rich blessing of God in the witness of the Holy Spirit, was shared by all the laborers; and if the brethren do not let the instruction given run out, as from leaking vessels, they will work as never before.

Returning from these meetings, I held one service with the church at St. Cloud, reaching home after an absence of eighteen days. Here I found a large number of papers to look over, among which were eighteen containing the twenty articles before mentioned. After conducting some necessary correspondence with the papers, I attended quarterly meeting with the St. Paul church, the last Sabbath in September. This church has removed to a hall at the intersection of Sixth street with West Seventh, where it expects to hold its meetings during the winter.

From October 1-4 I was with the Hutchinson church in quarterly meeting. The Spirit of the Lord witnessed in all the meetings. One sad feature was that of dropping from the church records, for unchristian conduct, the name of one who had always been a dear brother. Ten members were added to the tract society. "Work as never before," was the counsel in all these meetings.

H. F. PHELPS.

NORTH CAROLINA.

SINCE our good camp-meeting, we have taken time to build our schoolhouse, which is now finished, ready for seating, and the lumber is on hand to furnish it with seats. We have two neat, cozy rooms, each twenty feet square. We expect to begin the school in a few days, and hope that the teachers will seek the Lord, and be guided by the Holy Spirit in this solemn and important work. Brother Johnson will continue as teacher, assisted by others as the work or interest may require. Who will send us an organ for this school? Any one desiring to do so should write to us.

Since my last report, I have visited Newton, Iron Station, and Cowans Ford. We are making arrangements to establish a circuit, so that we can hold meetings every day or night, and meet with the churches every second or third week. In this way we hope to reach more people; and as we expect to have a colporteur with us in our work, we hope thus to get many of our periodicals into the homes of the people. They seem anxious for us to extend our territory. May the angels of the Lord go before us.

We shall be glad to hear from all those who have been sending correspondence into this field during the last five years, also to furnish new names, and look after those whom you have corresponded with. Thus a deeper interest may be created as we work together. All sending

for names will please enclose a stamped envelope, with their own address, for return of names.

We have just held our first quarterly meeting with the Hildebrand church, and five were added to the church. Our permanent address is Hildebrand, N. C. D. T. SHIREMAN.

TENNESSEE.

THE Tennessee River camp-meeting was held at Milan, Tenn., the last week in August. Considerable interest was manifested by the citizens of the place during this meeting, and it was decided that Brother C. G. Lowry, his wife, and myself follow up the interest. Consequently a good location was found, and a large tent was pitched in the town. Meetings continued from September 5 to October 23, with a fairly good interest all the time.

Toward the close, some opposition developed. This rather helped than hindered the work, as the people were anxious to hear our explanation, after hearing the opposition.

The thoughtful can see a reason for the curious combinations which are formed in opposition to the truth. The disciples of the Pharisees, who were galled at the Roman yoke, could unite with the Herodians, who were loyalists, for the sake of trying to entangle Christ. Pilate and Herod could become united in condemning him.

Milan is a very nice town. A better behaved class of young folks could scarcely be found. As a result of our effort, a few decided to obey. It is difficult to say just how many will take this step, but I confidently expect to see a strong company of Sabbath-keepers there. We now leave the work in other hands, and go to Boydville, Ky., to hold a series of meetings. J. D. PEGG.

SINCE our good camp-meeting at Milan, Tenn., I have had opportunity to visit the churches at Nashville, Murfreesboro, Edgefield Junction, and Cross Plains. At all these places there are encouraging omens. It is true that the scarcity of means would threaten to impede the progress of the work, but faith bids us look at the things that are not seen, and trust the guidance, from day to day, of Him to whom this glorious closing work belongs.

I was pleased with the interest manifested by the members at Edgefield Junction. If all would be as faithful in the payment of tithes as some of this company are, there would be more in the treasury at the present time.

I also spent one day with Elder Huffman at Lebanon, visiting the new Sabbath-keepers there. Bitter opposition has recently been manifested, but the truth has some devoted adherents. We are thankful to God that the hand of oppression is yet restrained, giving us a better opportunity to work.

F. D. STARR.

COLORADO CONFERENCE PROCEEDINGS.

THE fifteenth annual session of the Colorado Conference was held at Colorado Springs, Colo., September 2-12.

Elder Rees read his annual address, giving some most encouraging features of the work,

and comparing its growth during the years 1896 and 1897. It was shown that there had been three hundred converts during the year, and that nine new churches had been organized. These were admitted to the organization, as follows: Salida, Wentz, Pitkin, Hygiene, Durango, Fort Morgan, Cripple Creek, Florence, and Howard.

The Conference officers elected for the ensuing year were as follows: President, Elder J. M. Rees; Secretary, Elva Green; Treasurer, Colorado Tract Society. Executive Committee: J. M. Rees, W. Ziegler, C. P. Frederickson, J. B. Wilson, W. W. Hills.

Six resolutions were adopted by the Conference, which were, in substance, as follows: (1) Expressing thanks to God for the blessings that have been ours as individuals and as a Conference; (2) Recommending that a mission be established in Denver, and that it be conducted as a medical mission and workingmen's home; (3) That in addition to holding one large camp-meeting, we hold smaller camp-meetings in different sections of the State, as it seems advisable; (4) That steps be taken to increase the circulation of *Echoes*; (5) That we take a more active interest in the payment of the Conference debt; (6) That the Colorado Conference grant the request of the General Conference to take the watch-care of the New Mexican field, with its workers.

A donation of \$630.10 was given toward the medical mission to be established in Denver. Donations and pledges were also made toward lifting the Conference debt.

The committee on credentials and licenses submitted the following report, which was approved by the Conference:—

Credentials: J. M. Rees, Watson Ziegler, C. P. Frederickson, L. F. Trubey, J. A. Leland, J. B. Wilson, M. A. Altman, F. M. Wilcox, G. W. Anglebarger, and H. L. Hoover. Ordination and Credentials: W. W. Hills, B. W. Marsh, Jacob Kraft, and E. H. Curtis. Ministerial License: M. Mackintosh, W. E. Frederick, and Henry Block. Missionary License: D. H. Soggs, M. T. Ahlquist, Mrs. Bertie Herrell, Miss Elva Green, Miss Celia Green, and Julius Jensen.

Reports from the auditor and treasurer were read and approved. ELVA GREEN, Sec.

ARKANSAS CONFERENCE PROCEEDINGS.

THE tenth annual session of the Arkansas Conference was held at Ozark, September 22 to October 4, the president, J. A. Holbrook, in the chair. There were seventeen delegates present, representing eleven churches. Three new churches were received into the Conference; and one, on account of deaths and removals, was dropped from the list.

The following officers were elected for the coming year: President, J. A. Holbrook; Secretary, J. W. Norwood; Treasurer, Wm. Wiswell. Conference Committee: J. A. Holbrook, J. A. Sommerville, E. B. Hopkins, H. T. Darter, W. C. Green.

Renewal of credentials was granted to J. A. Holbrook and J. A. Sommerville. Ministerial license was granted to E. B. Hopkins, J. W. Norwood, C. W. Brimer, and S. S. Ryles. H. Clay Griffin received missionary credentials. J. W. Norwood, Sec.

News of the Week.

FOR WEEK ENDING NOVEMBER 13, 1897.

NEWS NOTES.

Nothing shows to a greater degree than the telegraph the vast facilities which the commercial world now has for the transacting and facilitating of business. In that line of thought these facts are interesting: "The total length of the world's telegraph system has now reached 4,908,921 miles, exclusive of 180,440 miles of submarine cables. Of this Europe has 1,764,790 miles; Asia, 310,685 miles; Africa, 99,419 miles; Australia, 217,479 miles; and America, 2,516,548 miles."

How enormous the manufacturing interests of our large cities have become is shown by the statistics of manufacturers of Philadelphia, which, although not known as distinctively a manufacturing city, has over 20,000 manufacturing establishments, with an invested capital of \$439,000,000 and employs over 260,000 people in these establishments. It consumes each year over \$311,000,000 worth of raw material, and turns out in finished products over \$600,000,000 annually.

An educational institution has just been opened in Chicago, of which its promoters say: "The German-American University lays particular claim to being a highly eminent scientific institution, conducted on a strictly ethical basis. This university is the only one of its kind in the United States, where instruction is given in all its departments, by separate faculties, in the English as well as in the German language. It is the only one of its kind which proposes to be an intermediate link between European and American teaching, and offers also special advantages for American students."

The chorus choir of the People's church of New York City, presided over by Rev. Thomas Dixon, refused to sing on the Sunday after the New York City election, because their pastor had favored the election of a man for the mayor of Greater New York who is known to be opposed to the United States intervention in Cuban affairs. The leader of the choir is a Cuban, and the strike was out of sympathy for him. Mr. Dixon has soothed their feelings by sympathizing with the aggrieved leader, and explaining. Such comical incidents as this are a natural resultant of the uncalled-for interference of the pulpit with politics.

Thorough experiments in the use of electricity for cooking purposes, lately carried on in New York, show electricity to be both cheaper and quicker than the alcohol lamps now so much used with chafing-dishes, and for the quick heating of water or milk, in the bedroom and nursery. Electric heaters are already used in many New York houses for light cooking. Mr. Tesla, the great electrician, sums up the results by saying that for general use in heating and cooking, electricity must be made cheaper than it is now. But already it is useful and even economical in light housekeeping, or when a quick fire is wanted in hot weather.

President Harper, of the University of Chicago, has presented to the students of the university a plan for military organization, which he favors. That which influences President Harper in making this recommendation seems to be pleasure in the pomp and show of military display, with which he was surrounded in a late European visit. He says that the idea came to him last summer, while attending an educational conference in Paris, where the government furnished the members of the conference with a military escort. As in this country the government is not in the habit of showing any such attentions, he proposes that the university shall fit itself to furnish military ceremonial to its distinguished visitors. Dr. Harper's closing words are: "For myself, I am in favor of the plan, and see no reason why it should not in the near future play an important part in our university life." Thus the idea of militarism continually develops.

ITEMS.

—Mt. Vesuvius is reported to be in a state of great activity.

—The average wage paid to laborers in Michigan this year has been \$1.37.

—The bubonic plague has again broken out in parts of India, and in one place has attacked a colony of monkeys.

—The circulating department of the Chicago public library will be opened on Sundays.

—The new Tammany mayor of Greater New York will control the distribution of patronage to the amount of \$300,000,000.

—A steamer will leave New York City on December 1, in which sixty women are booked as passengers en route for Klondike.

—The University of Chicago has spent more than one million dollars the past year. A still larger outlay will be made the coming year.

—The bill forbidding football, which was before the Georgia Legislature, has passed. A similar measure is already contemplated in Chicago.

—Specialists upon the eye say that only one person in fifteen has perfect eyes, and that the greatest defectiveness is found among fair-haired people.

—Rev. Dr. Geo. H. Hepworth has gone to Armenia in the interests of the New York *Herald*, to report upon the present and prospective condition of the Armenians.

—Attempts are to be made to carry provisions with dog sledges to the sailors of the ice-bound whaling fleet which is imprisoned for the winter off Point Barrow.

—New York City proposes to establish public playgrounds in fourteen different places throughout the city. The expense of this, it is estimated, will be \$3,580,000.

—The brewers are said to be taking concerted action with a view to attempting to obtain the repeal of prohibition in Kansas, during the next session of the legislature.

—An expedition is about to start for the purpose of searching for traces of the Andree balloon, in which three men floated away toward the north pole nearly four months ago.

—One of the latest novelties in horticulture is the grafting of chrysanthemums. At a flower show just held in Chicago, some plants were shown having as many as twenty different varieties on one stalk.

—The production of peanut-oil is increasing and it may yet rival olive-oil as an article of food. When properly refined, it is claimed that it is not likely to become rancid as readily as is olive-oil.

—The French claim for damages against the World's Columbian Exposition, for destruction of exhibits by fire and delay in returning material, has been upheld by the court. The claim is for \$75,000.

—A mail steamer, while crossing the channel from Dover to Calais, on November 10, narrowly escaped collision with a large whale. These are small boats, and such a conflict might have resulted seriously for the steamer.

—Mr. Ira D. Sankey is writing a book which ought to make a very interesting volume; it is to be a history of popular hymns and their authors. He intends to give the story of all well-known hymns, especially narrating the circumstances under which they were written.

—A young woman died at the city hospital in St. Paul, on November 11, after having been kept alive for forty-two days by artificial respiration. Continuous manipulation was necessary, as five minutes' respite would have resulted in death; the patient finally died from congestion.

—Sir Wilfrid Laurier, the premier of Canada, has suggested as a settlement of the Manitoba school question, neutral schools, that is, with religious instruction given after school hours only. It is, however, officially declared from the Vatican that no such compromise will be accepted.

—In New York, on November 10, the Roentgen rays were first used in open court for the benefit of justice. By the use of the rays, the condition of the broken bone in a boy's shoulder was shown, in a damage suit brought to recover for injuries received through being forcibly ejected from a street-car.

—The American Express Company is about to introduce electric-motor express wagons in Chicago and New York. The Knickerbocker Ice Company is also about to adopt horseless wagons, and the Citizens' Omnibus Line of Chicago has decided to put twenty-five motor omnibuses in operation early in the year.

—San José, the capital of Costa Rica, is said to be overrun with rats of a species unknown there a few years ago. It is supposed that they have multiplied from individuals imported in bales of goods. They now infest the city in such numbers as to threaten the destruction of everything eatable. Chickens and small live stock have to be carefully guarded, and even children are not safe from their attacks.

—A new system of electric motors is about to be adopted on the South Side elevated railroad of Chicago, in which each car will be a motor car, and the train can be operated from the platform of any car composing the train. The system is known as the "Sprague multiple-unit electric railway system."

—A physician of New Orleans has patented a new flying-machine made of aluminum, rendered buoyant with hydrogen gas, and propelled and guided by wings. The machine is said to be unique, and its inventor is very sanguine of its practical success. The action of the mechanism is based upon the flight of birds.

—The supreme court of Illinois has handed down a decision dedicating the lake front permanently to park uses for the benefit of the city. The art institute erected by consent of owners' frontage will alone remain of all the buildings which encroach upon the people's lake front park. The decree does not interfere with previously acquired railroad rights.

—Mrs. A. J. Baird, a Christian Science healer of Kansas City, has concealed a case of diphtheria from the authorities, contrary to the law in reference to contagious diseases. She has been arrested, and a test case will be made. The authorities consider the offense a serious one. She has many supporters, and if convicted, will carry the case to the higher court.

—These library statistics show how books are multiplying and knowledge increasing in these last days: "The following libraries in New York State added over 10,000 books in 1896; Columbia College library, 20,580; New York State library, 14,570; Cornell University library, 13,578; New York free circulating library, 11,201; New York public library, 15,594."

—The Peruvian Congress has passed a bill legalizing non-Catholic marriages, and also all civil marriage ceremonies performed by mayors of towns in the presence of two witnesses. The measure was bitterly opposed by the clericals, and was passed amid great excitement. This is an almost unlooked-for triumph for liberal views as against Roman Catholic ideas.

—Consul Deuster, at Krefeld, Germany, reports to the State department a discovery of a process of lighting which he thinks will revolutionize methods now in vogue. It is an incandescent jet, and one light of the size of an ordinary gas-jet will give a light of more than 1,000 candle-power, by which fine print can be read at a distance of one hundred feet. The cost is not more than one sixth that of the ordinary electric light.

Special Notices.

DISTRICT NO. 6, NOTICE!

ARRANGEMENTS having been made for me to labor in District No. 6, I would be pleased to hear from any of the brethren in regard to any openings for meetings, or help needed, in their respective churches. My address is 1319 Ann Arbor St., Flint, Mich. J. L. EDGAR.

WISCONSIN, NOTICE!

THERE will be a general meeting held at Milton Junction, Wis., November 30 to December 6. We have the promise of Professor Sutherland that he will be in attendance at this meeting, and also that the Wisconsin Conference Committee will attend. We would like to see representatives from all the churches and companies of our people in that part of the State. Come so as to be early at the meeting and stay till the close. WM. COVERT.

UNION COLLEGE SPECIAL SCHOOL.

THE managers of the Union College, desiring to adopt and carry into effect such plans as will meet the mind of the Lord, have decided to offer a special term of ten weeks, complete in itself, to those who desire to fit themselves for the work, but who cannot consistently remain longer in school.

The work promised along this special line will be with direct reference to fitting persons for work at once in some department of the Master's cause.

Special attention will be given to the following subjects: How to Study, How to Teach, and General and Special Methods of Labor in the Home Field. These subjects, it will be readily seen, include a study of ministerial work, canvassing, cooking, sanitation, rational treatment of common diseases, labor for the lower classes, the organization and conducting of church schools, and such other kin-

dred subjects as circumstances may demand to fit persons for immediate usefulness.

In connection with the Bible as a text-book, our denominational works, especially "Spirit of Prophecy" and the "Testimonies for the Church," will be found very helpful. Further announcements will be made later. All desiring to take such a course of instruction should at once communicate with the president of Union College.

N. W. KAUBLE.

DEDICATION AT MIDDLETOWN, IND.

THE brethren at Middletown, Ind., have completed a very pleasant house of worship, which will be dedicated to the service of God on Sunday, November 28, at two o'clock P. M.

The dedicatory sermon will be preached by Elder I. D. Van Horn. Services will be held with the church during the preceding week, beginning Tuesday evening. The brethren and sisters living near are invited to attend the meetings, and to be present at the dedicatory services.

W. B. WHITE.

NEW TESTAMENT GREEK.

PROF. E. D. KIRBY, of Battle Creek College, has for more than a year been successfully carrying on a correspondence class in New Testament Greek. The results have been highly satisfactory to those who have pursued the course. The following lesson has been offered to our readers as a sample of what can be taught and learned through this medium. The subject of Biblical Greek should be of especial interest to ministers and teachers who have never yet had the opportunity of learning it. No grammar or other book is needed for this first lesson, and those who are interested are invited to send to the *Christian Educator* an autograph copy of the Greek alphabet, with its English equivalents and pronunciation written out, without referring to this lesson. If a sufficient interest is shown, these lessons will be continued. A fair knowledge of English grammar, good spelling, and legible penmanship is necessary to succeed. We advise no one to rush into this subject, but do not fail to respond promptly if you really desire to learn Greek in the easiest way it has ever been offered to you. Professor Kirby has a recognized university standing as a teacher of Greek and Latin.

LESSON I.

Greek Alphabet: Forms, Names, and Sounds of Greek Letters.¹

Grammar: Sections 5; 6; 8 with a; 11; 19; 20; 21 with a and b. In section 5, page 3, of grammar is given the Greek alphabet. Commit thoroughly, pronouncing the names as follows (Webster's diacritical marks are used):—

Capital Letters.	Small Letters.	Pronunciation of Names.	Sounds of Letters.	Capital Letters.	Small Letters.	Pronunciation of Names.	Sounds of Letters.
A	α	äl'fä	ä	N	ν	nōō	n
B	β	bä'tä	b	Ξ	ξ	ksē	ks
Γ	γ	gäm'mä	g	Ο	ο	ō'mē-krōn'	ō
Δ	δ	däl'tä	d	Π	π	pē	p
E	ε	ē'psē-lōn'	ē	P	ρ	rō	r
Z	ζ	zä'tä	z	Σ	σ	sēg'mä	s
H	η	ä'tä	ä	T	τ	tau	t
Θ	θ	thä'tä	th	Υ	υ	ōō'psē-lōn'	ōō
I	ι	ē-ō'tä	ē	Φ	φ	fē	f
K	κ	käp'pä	k	X	χ	kē	k
A	λ	ämb'dä	l	Ψ	ψ	psē	ps
M	μ	mōō	m	Ω	ω	ō'm'ē'gä	ō

A Greek letter has always the same sound. The sounds of ρ, υ, and χ are slightly inaccurate as given; yet for practical purposes it is thought better to take the easier pronunciation here given. The names also of μ, ν, ρ, and χ are slightly changed in pronunciation; cf. (compare) grammar.

α, π, etc., when used in science are commonly pronounced ä'l'fä, pī, etc.

WRITTEN EXERCISE.

Write the pronunciation of the following words, accenting after the Greek (do not regard ' over ε and α):—

θεός god, ἐντολή commandment, ἀγάπη love, βαπτίζω baptize, κύριος lord, Χριστός Christ, ξένος alien, ζωή life, φῶς light, ἀγκυρα anchor (grammar: section 20).

γ before κ, γ, λ, or ξ has the sound of ng; as ἀγκυρα (pronounced äng'kōō-rä).

ς is used only at the end of a word; elsewhere sigma has the form σ.

In the oldest manuscripts only capital letters are used, and these are not divided up into words by spaces between successive words, but written in a continuous line, and, for the most part, without punctuation marks. See the article "New Testament" in Smith's Bible Dictionary for facsimiles of N. T. MSS.

¹In the lessons as used in correspondence work and also in classes in school, references are given to the Hadley-Allen Greek Grammar. This lesson, however, is complete without the grammar.

IN the REVIEW of October 12, page 653, under the head, "Atlantic Conference Proceedings," there were named on the Conference Committee, S. F. Svensson, H. W. Herrell, E. E. Franke, and A. Kalstrom. To these names should have been added that of A. B. Smith. The committee stands, therefore, as follows: S. F. Svensson, H. W. Herrell, E. E. Franke, A. Kalstrom, and A. B. Smith.

CHAS. D. ZIRKLE.

DISTRICT NO. 3, NOTICE!

THERE will be a council meeting held in General Conference District No. 3, in Battle Creek, Mich., Dec. 2-6, 1897.

The first meeting will be held December 2, at 9 A. M. We trust that each Conference will be as liberally represented as is consistent with the circumstances, as there will be matters to be considered in which all the conferences are equally concerned, such as the exchange of laborers and the laying of plans to carry on our work.

It is evident to all that the message is taking on new phases in almost all the branches of the work, and we want to be ready to push it forward.

J. H. MORRISON.

STOCKHOLDERS OF THE SOUTH LANCASTER ACADEMY CORPORATION,

NOTICE!

THE 14th annual session of this corporation will be held in connection with the district conference meeting at South Lancaster, Mass. Its first meeting is appointed for December 9, at 10 A. M.

The object of the meeting will be the election of a board of trustees, and the transaction of such other business as may come before the corporation. Important subjects that need the consideration of the stockholders are the practical combination of physical and mental labor in the school, and the time for the school year to begin and close.

Board of Trustees

- R. A. UNDERWOOD,
- H. W. COTTRELL,
- A. E. PLACE,
- H. C. BASNEY,
- J. E. JAYNE,
- P. F. BICKNELL.

Publishers' Department.

THE president of one of our State tract societies writes as follows in regard to the REVIEW:—

"To keep pace with the message, we must read the REVIEW, as I am sure that light is now shining through its pages which it will be terrible, if not fatal, to lose."

It is useless to say that this brother is doing all he can to increase the circulation of the REVIEW in his field.

If you have not seen the special offer to those subscribing now, please get your last week's paper, and read it on the last page. After reading it, stop and think if there is not some one whom you ought to see right away, and try to induce to take advantage of this liberal offer.

"GOOD HEALTH."

A PROMINENT business man in Connecticut writes thus:—

"I send you draft for the amount of my subscription to *Good Health*. The magazine has become a part of my life, and I cannot get along very well without it. I wish to thank you for sending the October number. I regard *Good Health* as a necessity in my home, and will do what I can toward disseminating the principles for which it contends. When I subscribed for it, it was several months before my people would read it, as they believed it to be an outgrowth of fanaticism; but now it is read with avidity, and quoted almost daily in discussions of hygienic questions."

One of our workers, who has recently begun circulating *Good Health*, states:—

"This was election week, and Monday and Tuesday scarcely anything could be done in canvassing. Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday, I took about twenty-three orders for *Good Health*, one for 'Home Hand-Book,' one for 'Ladies' Guide,' and one for 'The Stomach,' and found where whole sets of our books could be sold later on. I see that *Good Health* can be used as a power in advertising our work and books, and also to hundreds of people who will not buy the books on account of hard times."

"I have concluded to put *Good Health* in the front, and canvass for it alone for a while. The result will be that scores of books will be sold where *Good Health* is taken, and no time will be lost in the

end. From the middle of this month till February is the best time to canvass for magazine matter.

"My future plans are to canvass for health literature as long as I remain in business; and I expect to remain in business until the Lord comes, or my days of working are ended."

"Twenty-five years ago the 9th of next January, I started out in the work. The *Health Reformer* was the only standby we had, and it seems that I am to wind up the quarter of a century with the old standby made new. I am rejoiced to know that I am to begin the next quarter of a century with a good class of books of the latest date, and magazines up to time, with the best of health, some knowledge, and twenty-five years' experience; and from my new home I hope to pour out millions of pages of health literature into the homes of all classes of people in these wicked cities; for, as the little boy said, 'I have come, and come to stay, and not to melt and run away.'"

The above are a few of the encouraging words that come from representative people who are becoming interested in the health principles. It seems to us that these should arouse to activity those who are capable of doing something in this line of work.

We shall be glad to hear from any who can devote even a small portion of their time to the circulation of these periodicals. Address *Good Health* Pub. Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

A LADY in Iowa writes thus: "Mrs. S. M. I. Henry's tract, 'How the Sabbath Came to Me,' was the crowning argument to me. I had been halting between two opinions for a long time." Now can't you give some other one such a chance?

TRACTS! TRACTS! TRACTS!

THE readers of the REVIEW have frequently been spoken to about the "long winter evenings." Well, they are here. During this time people will read. Why not hand them some of our tracts to read? We have some tracts of recent issue that are most excellent, and all know the value of our old standard and time-tried tracts. If you have forgotten about these recent tracts, please read again what you saw in late REVIEWS about "How the Sabbath Came to Me" and "Personal Questions and Answers." These and many other tracts should be pushed just now. Are you helping to do this work? If not, please do not wait another day. Vigorous efforts are needed at once. Much more can be done during the next few months in getting people to read, than in all the rest of the year.

"GOOD HEALTH" AND THE "TESTIMONIES."

THERE seems to be a growing interest among our churches that have received our offer to furnish a set of the "Testimonies" for ten subscriptions to *Good Health*. We trust that all will realize the importance of making an effort to extend the circulation of this magazine at this time, and that each one will also procure a set of the "Testimonies," and give time to their study during the winter months.

If any of our churches have decided to accept our offer, but have not yet received the requisite number of subscriptions, we will forward the four volumes, and allow such to send in the subscriptions later. We desire to have you secure the "Testimonies" as soon as possible, so that you can begin their study at once. GOOD HEALTH PUB. CO.

A FEW LETTERS.

OUT of the letters which show a warm appreciation of the mission of the *Christian Educator*, many are so direct and sympathetic that we cannot forbear publishing some extracts. They may encourage others to write in this way; and the more such letters we receive, the better the paper will be. Here is the first one:—

"Please send me the *Christian Educator*. It is just the paper I have been wanting. So glad it has been started."

And hear the second and third:—

"I am glad that such a publication has come into existence, and trust that it will do as much good to others as it has in my own family."

"We consider its contents valuable indeed. I trust it may have a wide circulation, and accomplish much good. Its principles are sadly needed in many homes. Our prayers for its success."

Here is a family letter:—

"As a family we are pleased with the prospect indicated in the *Christian Educator*, of having instruction given to parents through its columns. We think it is a grand idea, and hope it may be

the beginning of better things for many of our families."

This from another appreciative mother:—

"I am very anxious to have every number of the paper, and I need it now to help me in teaching my little girl. Can you not send it at once, with all the back numbers?"

The proposal of a home university seems to be meeting with warm approval:—

"I think the plan of the home school just the thing for this time and for all people. I trust the parents will study these lessons with the children. Press on in this way; I believe it is in the right direction."

Some are letting others have the benefit of their subscription:—

"I want it to place in the hands of educators here, as I judge they need the instruction it is filled with in every issue. The Educator fills a long-felt want."

One more:—

"I must have this paper; it has inspired me so much. I shall do all I can to get my young friends who are seeking for an education to take it. May God bless it! It has just what I need to know. I want you to send me all the back numbers of this splendid little Educator."

We had expected that the work of the Educator would be appreciated; we expect it still more in the future. When its friends help to extend its field as far as it ought to go, we believe it will have become a necessity in every Christian school and family. The Christian-home-university idea is taking shape; and with the next number it is hoped to outline a definite plan of co-operative educational work. In the meantime further suggestions are wanted, especially from parents and teachers. The Christian Educator ought to be the official organ of a far-reaching permanent association of Christian educators. Will all our teachers who are in sympathy with such a plan immediately send in their best suggestions to the editor, F. W. Howe?

"GOSPEL OF HEALTH" FOR NOVEMBER.

THE current number of Gospel of Health is full of interesting and instructive matter. No less than nine of our physicians have contributed to make it thus. Here are some of the subjects discussed:—"The Physical Development of Girls," "Economy in Diet," "Colds and How to Treat Them," "Caring for the Sick," "Hygiene in the Home," "Preparing for Winter," "Rheumatism; Its Cause and Cure," "Health Missionaries," etc., etc.

The journal is brimful of simple, practical instruction in the things most needed. It costs only forty cents a year, and will save subscribers many times that amount in doctors' bills.

Sample copies sent free to all who wish to use them in securing subscriptions. Apply for a copy of the current number, and then visit your neighbors, and take their subscriptions.

Address inquiries, etc., to Gospel of Health, Battle Creek, Mich.

CHEERING WORDS.

ONE brother in California, who has been a reader of the REVIEW for a number of years, writes: "I prize the REVIEW above gold or silver; and what I should do without its weekly visits, I cannot say."

A lady in Texas, in sending in her renewal, says: "I am thankful to be able to send at this time money for a year's subscription to our dear church paper. It contains food for my hungry soul, which, when I am denied, I miss far more than I am able to write. I thank you much for sending a few numbers since my subscription expired."

These are only two letters, we receive many like them. If those who are taking and reading the paper each week receive so much good from it, imagine the loss that is sustained by those who are not reading it. Do not we who are being benefited by the REVIEW have some responsibility in the matter of getting others to take it, that they may receive the same help and encouragement? And should we not feel a burden in that direction?

We appreciate the efforts that are being put forth by some in helping to extend the circulation of the REVIEW; and we are sure that if all will take hold of the work, great results will surely and easily be accomplished. Sample copies sent free on application. Address the REVIEW and HERALD Pub. Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

NEWS FROM TONGA.

THE other day we received a letter from one of the island specks of the South Pacific Ocean. Among other interesting items, the writer says:—

"We are getting along well in the work. A number are reading our Youth's Instructor with interest;

and we hope ere long to induce some of these persons to subscribe for it."

We are daily receiving such encouraging letters as this. It affords the publishers of this paper much pleasure to receive such words of commendation.

If you do not already know it, we hereby wish to inform you that the Youth's Instructor is fast becoming a well-known publication in every civilized part of the world. We could easily select from our letter-files scores of unsolicited testimonials for the Instructor.

Reader, have you not a child or some young friend who would be delighted to receive as a present from you a year's subscription to the Instructor? Send us 75 cents, together with the name and address desired, and we will send the paper to your friend. All orders should be sent to the REVIEW AND HERALD Pub. Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

A. J. BOURDEAU.

Obituaries.

"I am the resurrection and the life."—Jesus.

DUNBAR.—At Lajunta, Colo., Sept. 19, 1897, Jessie Leona, daughter of W. H. and Lizzie E. Dunbar, aged 6 years, 8 months, and 24 days.

B. E. CONNEOLY.

DIXON.—Died at Portis, Kan., of bronchitis, Hattie, wife of A. C. Dixon, in the thirty-third year of her age. Sister Dixon belonged to the Portis church, and died with a bright hope in the first resurrection.

C. H. A.

CASEBAR.—Died at Highland Valley, —, Sept. 30, 1897, of tuberculosis of the brain, Albert Casebar, aged 18 years. He bore his great suffering with patience. Funeral services conducted by the writer.

F. W. HIDDLESON.

PAUL.—Calvin Paul was born in Bangor, Me., March 22, 1810, and died in Eagle Lake, Minn., Oct. 29, 1897. For nearly forty years he has been a member of the Seventh-day Adventist Church. Discourse by the writer. Text, Isa. 38: 1; 2 Cor. 1: 3, 4.

W. A. SWEANY.

BLAKE.—At Sand Prairie, Wis., Nov. 18, 1897, of old age, Isabella Blake, aged 83 years. She passed through the disappointment in 1844, embraced the third angel's message nearly forty years ago, and was a worthy member of the church till her death. Funeral services conducted by the writer.

I. SANBORN.

WOODHULL.—Died at his home in Duffield, Mich., Oct. 16, 1897, Samuel Woodhull, aged nearly seventy-five years. He had been for many years a firm believer in the truths of the third angel's message, and had served as elder and deacon of his home church. Funeral services were held in the Methodist Episcopal church at Duffield.

T. M. STEWARD.

PETTIT.—Died in Battle Creek, Mich., Feb. 25, 1897, of abscess on the liver, Mary E. Pettit, aged 48 years, 3 months, and 29 days. She accepted present truth, with her husband, at Bavington, Pa., about thirteen years ago, and freely said, in her last moments, that all was well with her. She leaves a husband, a daughter, and other relatives and friends to mourn. Services at Midway, Pa., conducted by the writer.

A. C. BOURDEAU.

NOTICES.

AGENTS WANTED.—Men and women to sell a first-class bread baker, automatic steam cooker, and other household utensils. Address A. J. Iden, 610 Clybourn St., Milwaukee, Wis.

EMPLOYMENT WANTED.—Morgan Strawn, Box 548, Wanesburg, Pa., wishes to get work among Seventh-day Adventists. Willing to work in store or on farm or to do any kind of work. Can give good references. Address as above.

We receive many inquiries in reference to our nut mill, prices of foods, etc. Have space here only to say that our mill does good work, weighs five pounds, and costs \$1.75. Send two-cent stamp for our price-list, with "Helpful Hints on Making and Using Health Foods," "Nut Preparations," "How to Make a Nut Mill," etc. Address M. A. Winchell, 2908 Harriet Ave., Minneapolis, Minn.

ADDRESSES.

THE address of Elder Lewis C. Sheafe is Lexington, Ky.

THE address of Elder Charles Keslake is 206 St. Nicholas Ave., New York City.

PUBLICATIONS WANTED.

TRACTS and papers, Mrs. D. G. Robertson, Palm View, Fla.

REVIEW and Signs, Mrs. Josephine Hoxie, Sly, Midland Co., Mich.

Signs and other papers, S. D. V. Mission, 18 Snow St., Providence, R. I.

Publications in tract form on the use of tobacco and alcohol, Mrs. J. E. Atkins, Prescott, Ark.

G. E. Norwood, Fayetteville, Ark., would like clean copies of all Seventh-day Adventist publications. Send post-paid.

Charles T. Wood, 120 N. Mount St., Baltimore, Md., would like clean copies of all our publications, for ship mission work. Send post-paid.

ELDER E. H. GATES, Harriman, Tenn., would like clean copies of late numbers of the Good Health, Instructor, Little Friend, and tracts on health topics, second advent, and kindred subjects, all that the brethren can spare, as it is the desire of the workers there to make a thorough canvass of the town, and the country for miles around, on these lines. Let those who respond to this request be sure to pay postage on everything sent. Address as above.

MRS. H. F. STEVENS, Bristol, S. Dak., has all the papers she needs at present.

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY SYSTEM.

DEPARTURE OF TRAINS AT BATTLE CREEK.

In Effect October 3, 1897.

EASTBOUND.

Bay City, Detroit, Port Huron, and East..... * 7.00 A. M.
Bay City, Detroit, Port Huron, and Int. Stations... * 3.45 P. M.
Port Huron, Susp. Bridge, New York, and Montreal... * 8.22 P. M.
Detroit, Port Huron, Susp. Bridge, New York, and Boston..... * 2.25 A. M.

WESTBOUND.

South Bend, Chicago, and West..... * 8.42 A. M.
Chicago and Intermediate Stations..... * 12.15 P. M.
Mixed, Valparaiso and Int. Stations..... * 7.05 A. M.
South Bend, Chicago, and West..... * 4.05 P. M.
South Bend, Chicago, and West..... * 12.50 A. M.

SLEEPING AND THROUGH CAR SERVICE.

EASTBOUND.

8.22 P. M. train has Pullman vestibule sleeping car to Boston via Stratford, Montreal, and C. V. Ry., Pullman vestibule buffet sleeping cars to New York via Niagara Falls and Buffalo, and Lehigh Valley R. R. Through coach to Toronto via Port Huron.

2.25 A. M. train has Pullman buffet sleeping cars to New York and Philadelphia via Buffalo and L. V. R. R., Pullman sleeper to Bay City via Flint, Pullman buffet sleeping car to Detroit and Mt. Clemens via Durand, Pullman sleeping car to Montreal via Port Huron, Hamilton, and Toronto. Through coach to Niagara Falls.

WESTBOUND.

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