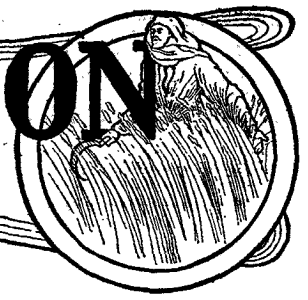


SOUTHERN UNION WORKER



"My meat is to do the will of Him that sent me, and to finish His work."

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Our Camp Meetings

Future Meeting Date

Mississippi, Jackson (colored) September 4-13

The Tennessee River Camp-Meeting

THE Tennessee River annual conference and camp-meeting were held again this year at Jackson, beginning Thursday night, August 27. Jackson is a city of about 20,000. The location selected for the meeting was a very pleasant one, the ground being well shaded and it was only about a five-minutes' walk from the main business section.

The first two or three days the weather was not the most pleasant and yet the outside attendance was good almost from the very beginning. The large tent was well filled nearly every night. The people listened most attentively and after a long struggle there now seems to be quite an interest in Jackson. The church there is erecting a commodious building of their own which they hope to have completed and dedicated free of debt before the close of the year.

During the past year one hundred and nineteen persons have been added to the conference making the total membership six hundred and seventy-six at the present time. The treasurer's report showed an increase in the title of something more than \$2,500 for 1913 as compared with 1912. And, from the amount received during the first seven months of 1914, it seems quite evident that this year will show an encouraging gain over that of 1913.

Professor L. H. Wood, principal of the Graysville school, was present during the first part of the meeting and rendered valuable assistance in the preaching. He also assisted Brother Atteberry in looking after the interests of the young people.

On Monday, Elder Wight together with Brethren G. H. Curtis and J. L. McConaughy arrived, while Elder C. S. Longacre, of Washington, reached the grounds the following morning. All of these brethren expected to remain throughout the remainder of the meeting. By Wednesday the requests had become so urgent for the *Watchman* Magazine Quartet, that we finally wired the Publishing House for the other two members, namely, Brethren Gray and Morphew, who left the same day for Jackson. Our boys surely know how to sing and draw the crowds, and we trust that their services will greatly help in increasing the interest that

is now being aroused on the part of the people of that city.

Up to the time that we left, the business sessions had passed off with the utmost harmony. Elder J. W. Norwood was reelected president with Brother F. C. Bruce as conference and tract society secretary and treasurer, and Brother I. C. Pound field missionary agent.

Brother Pound's report as field missionary agent showed a substantial increase in the sale of our literature over the previous year. During the meetings, this feature of the work received considerable attention and we believe that the coming year will witness some rapid strides in the colporteur work in the Tennessee River Conference. Some of the sisters who felt that it was impossible for them to get out decided that it would be much better for them to hire their washing and ironing done and spend that time in the sale of our magazines and the Home Workers' books. We believe this is a suggestion that is worthy of the careful consideration of many others.

On account of the rain during the early part of the meeting the Sabbath-school held on the first Sabbath was not a very large one, there being only about eighty present. Notwithstanding the small number the donations for that day amounted to thirty dollars.

One of the most interesting meetings was a business session of the conference held Monday morning. At that time Elder Norwood's report was read, after which he made some timely remarks regarding the great need of our people circulating our publications and in other ways doing what they can to give the message quickly. This was followed by a number of the other ministers earnestly speaking along the same line, after which a number of the Bible workers gave reports of their work. These were indeed most interesting and as they showed how the Lord is blessing the efforts being put forth to give the people the truth at this time, it brought in a spirit of devotion and consecration that had not been present before. Much of the time there was not a dry eye in the tent. There is a blessing that comes from working for the salvation of souls that those who have not experienced it can not appreciate. All felt that it was indeed high time for both workers and lay-members to go to work and thus help to sound the warning while conditions are so favorable.

As the writer in company with Brother J. W. Davis left the meeting on Wednesday afternoon, this report is only a partial one. No doubt others will report more fully in a future issue.

R. L. PIERCE.

"LORD, thou hast heard the desire of the humble: thou wilt prepare their heart, thou wilt cause thine ear to hear: to judge the fatherless and the oppressed, that the man of the earth may no more oppress."

Union Conference Miscellany

A Sign of the End

It has been some time since I have written for the *WORKER*, so I will take the time this morning to have a short visit with the *WORKER* family. For many years the truth has been very precious to us but never did it shine as it does this morning. The end of all things certainly is almost here. The signs are thickening on every side, but to my mind there is no sign greater than the sign which we see in the progress of the third angel's message. From a letter just received from Elder N. Z. Town, secretary of the Publishing Department of the General Conference, I quote the following:

"Our July report was far ahead of anything we have ever before published. The book sales amounted to over \$199,000, and adding to this the magazine and periodical sales we have a total of \$230,000. The combined sales of the books and periodicals for the same month of 1913 amounted to \$169,000, making a gain of over \$61,000.

"In talking with Elder Evans the other day regarding the progress which our publishing work has made, he stated that he knew of nothing that read so much like an 'Arabian Knight' tale as the history of this branch of our work. Those of you who read the *Review* please notice the splendid gains made in some of the southern conferences. Alabama has jumped from \$1,200 in 1913 to \$4,100 this year, Mississippi from \$1,500 to \$3,200, Georgia from \$1,000 to \$6,800, and Florida from \$489 to \$5,100. We must all take off our hats to the veteran in the southwest, Brother A. F. Harrison, who sends a report of nearly \$26,000, the largest ever received from any union conference for one month. . . . Great Britain and Australia show encouraging gains, while Scandinavia more than doubled her record for July 1913."

I felt that you would like to have this good word from the field and see what the work is doing. From every quarter comes the word that the work is going as it has not gone before. Just a few words regarding the camp-meetings which have just been held. In these meetings we have tried to hold the standard of the book work high and we feel that there are better days for this work in the Southern Union Conference. The total orders to date are almost \$70,000. Very likely they will reach this mark with the issue which contains this article. There are three and one-half months left for work this year and I feel that we are sure to make greater gain than we have made in the past. To the present our report is more than double the one for the same months of last year.

Now, it does seem to me that the condition of things in the East ought to make every man, woman, and child in this country get to work for the lost about us. The Lord has said that the publications should be scattered like the leaves of autumn. To do this means that every one will have to work as he never worked before.

Some of the conferences are setting their mark for 1914 far above what the whole union has been doing in the past. Some have set their mark \$5,000 above what the union has ever done in the past. Dear brethren, we are living in a time when we must work for great things and expect that we are to get them. God is in this thing and the end is right upon us. It means much when in great head lines the newspapers are saying, "All Eyes Are Turned Toward Turkey." If she has not already declared war she will very

likely do so in the near future. No one can have any hope for her when she does. What does it mean?

More men are enlisting every day and we are waiting for you.
J. W. DAVIS.

Things To Do Now

THE heart of every Seventh-day Adventist must be thrilled by the present situation in Europe. While we know this is not Armageddon, we can not help but realize that it is one of the landmarks that shows the end of the journey to be very near. Everything in the world is now in a condition which would make it easy for the remaining prophecies to be fulfilled in a short time. This should stir every one of God's people as nothing has yet done, for it means that our redemption is drawing very near and that our eternal home is plainly in sight.

Before we reach this home, however, there is still work for us to do. The present situation should cause us to devote all our energies to this work.

It is easy at this time to gain the attention of the public to anything bearing on the war question. In order to give our people the opportunity of making use of this interest three papers are being issued. One is a war extra of the *Review*, a four-page paper about the size of the weekly *Signs*. This is being sold at a low rate, as it is intended for free distribution. The prices are fifty cents a hundred, four dollars a thousand. These can be distributed everywhere for the people take them gladly. Orders are pouring in, but many more should come.

The other two are the war specials of the *Signs* weekly and the *Watchman*, both excellent papers. These should be sold in large quantities, for they will be found to sell readily. The public are troubled and they want to know what these things mean. Indifferent in times of peace, they are by no means so when trouble comes. When literature is offered to them giving a Bible answer to their questions of what these things mean, they will gladly take it and pay for it. Every church should take large clubs of these two papers. We do not know how soon our opportunities may be abruptly cut off, as they have been in Europe, so the utmost possible use should be made of this present wonderful opening for the truth.

Let us not forget the prohibition issue for it is still on. The temperance *Signs* is a fine paper, one which will commend itself to every thinking man and woman. These should be sold in large quantities and at the same time donations should be solicited for its distribution in the poorer districts and among the young. Many people will gladly contribute to such a fund as they recognize the value of such temperance educational work.

One boy of eleven has sold over twelve hundred Temperance *Instructors* in one city. A gentleman who purchased a copy of this paper in one place bought one hundred more for his own use. These are two among many instances which show how easily our temperance papers may be circulated.

Brethren and sisters, *now* is the time to work. As faithful soldiers, come to the help of the Lord now.

E. M. GRAHAM.

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to the support of the *Watchman* magazine and make it a guest in many homes. Order a good club to use in missionary work.

Those attending the camp-meeting from outside our conference were Elders Wight, Longacre, Professors Atteberry and Wood, Brother R. L. Pierce, manager of the Southern Publishing Association, Brethren Davis and Curtis besides the *Watchman* representatives, Brethren McConaughey, Gray, and Morphew.

Tithe and Mission Funds, Second Quarter, 1914

Church	Tithe	Rel. Lib.	Har. In.	Missions	Sab. Sch.	Y. P. M. V.	Misc.	Total
Bowling Green	\$33 44	\$ 10	\$	\$ 1 86	\$ 7 77	\$	\$	\$ 43 17
Conference Church	430 55	1 50		21 31	84 78		10 00	548 14
Ford	19 53							19 53
Grove	55 65				17 53			73 18
Hartford	1 11				1 15			2 26
Lexington	9 50			1 26	1 63	47		12 86
Locust Branch	5 44							5 44
Louisville	496 32		45	6 31	82 38	3 29	2 00	590 75
Sand Hill	20 39	2 10	1 00	1 53	3 88			28 90
Totals	\$1071 93	\$3 70	\$1 45	\$32 27	\$199 12	\$3 76	\$12 00	\$1324 23

S. F. LOVE, *Treasurer.*

News Notes

THE camp-meeting is now past and those who did not get to attend missed a feast of good things.

Elder Rees did not attend the camp-meeting. The interest at Slick Rock was so good that he did not feel free to leave it.

Brother Minton of the Hartford church writes that another family is beginning the observance of the Sabbath.

Brother Sutton of Leitchfield did not forget to send an offering for missions even if he could not be present at the camp-meeting.

Elder Brown left in the midst of the camp-meeting for Boulder, Col., to be at the bedside of his mother, who was not expected to live.

Elder Lawrence reports seventeen more additions to the colored church in Louisville as a result of the present tent effort. This makes thirty-seven in all who have united with the church. The dragon is wroth and has tried to frighten Brother Lawrence by threatening to take his life if he did not stop preaching the truth. We hope all will remember this brother in prayer.

Sister Bom of Henderson sends in an order for tracts and states that she is of good courage though amidst difficulties. She is pressing onward, trusting God.

Brother Osterman reports seven new Sabbath-keepers at Bowling Green as a result of the tent effort in that place.

Elder Lindsay will pitch a tent again in Louisville and he will need the prayers of every believer that he may reach the people who are honest in heart in that city.

Brother Hickman, the field agent, is assisting Brother Rowe to deliver at the present time, in the vicinity of Central City.

Several new workers joined the ranks of the colporteurs at camp-meeting. We all expect God to do a mighty work through these faithful workers.

All who attended the camp-meeting appreciated the music rendered by the *Watchman* Quartet. Let our people rally

Louisiana Conference

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Report of Missionary Volunteers of Louisiana

FOR QUARTER ENDING JUNE 30, 1914

Membership	77
Number of societies	7
Number taking Reading Course	12
Number studying for Standard of Attainment	8
Letters written	81
Letters received	49
Missionary visits (personal work)	152
Bible readings given	77
Subscriptions taken for periodicals	1
Papers sold	161
Papers mailed, lent, or given away	278
Books sold, lent, or given away	80
Tracts lent or given away	177
Hours of Christian help work	177
Articles of clothing given away	37
Number of meals provided	52
Bouquets given	46
Scripture cards given	56
Treatments given	18
Offerings for foreign missions	\$13 04
Offerings for home missions	6 10
Offerings for local society work	1 66

C. B. CALDWELL, *Secretary.*

Louisiana Sabbath-School Report, Quarter Ending June 30, 1914

	Memb.	Av. Att.	School Exp.	13th Sab.	Total to Miss.	Av. per Memb.
Hammond	16	13	\$ 8 00	\$ 7 01	\$ 26 70	\$ 1 67
DeRidder	7	5		1 20	12 05	1 58
New Orleans	70	59	7 21	18 66	102 00	1 46
Welsh	12	17	1 85	6 01	14 54	1 21
Lake Arthur	8	7	30	1 70	9 01	1 13
Alexandria	24	16	1 85	10 90	23 85	99
Home Department	19	19		2 80	13 65	77
Hobart	10	8		1 83	6 55	65½
Lake Charles	20	15	4 32	4 28	12 58	63
Shreveport	26	19	75	1 06	10 81	42
Natalbany	15	8		2 00	6 05	40
Sugartown	16	12	95	36	3 54	22
Evangeline	16	11		1 27	3 20	20
New Orleans No. 2	85	53	3 67	2 90	15 43	19
Newellton No. 2	10	7		35	1 83	18½
Arcadia Rural	47	30		2 07	7 97	17
Shreveport City	35	18	2 93	4 38	23 93	16
Ringgold	11	11		1 00	1 65	15
Shreveport No. 2	9	7		1 30	1 30	14
Lena Station	15	10		13	1 28	08
Cleora	8	8			57	07
Totals	479	353	\$ 31 86	\$ 70 73	\$ 297 51	\$ 62
Previous quarter	464	330	\$ 24 33	\$ 49 41	\$ 257 59	\$ 55½

Evangeline—Report for last nine weeks of quarter.
Ringgold—Report for last two weeks of quarter.

Cleora—Report for last nine weeks of quarter.

C. B. CALDWELL, *Sabbath-School Secretary.*

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News Notes

OUR colored camp-meeting, which convened September fourth, has called our colored colporteurs out of the field, and hence the absence of a report this week. We feel assured that they will be amply repaid by attending the camp-meeting, and therefore sacrifice their excellent reports ungrudgingly.

Elder Wiest expects to spend some time with the Meridian effort this week, as they need his help very much. They still report excellent attendance, and have reason to feel encouraged over the situation.

Orders are constantly pouring into this office for the special *Review*, and the tract, "Is It Armageddon?" by L. A. Smith. We have been obliged to order a second lot of these to supply our Mississippi brethren, and we hope that they will force us to order still another supply. Over 5,000 copies of the special *Review* have been ordered to date by our little handful of believers scattered over the state, and the orders are still coming on almost every mail. Truly the harvest is now ripe!

We are glad to welcome into our office the new 1914 edition of "Bible Readings," and of "Past, Present, and Future." These are exceptionally well improved, and we feel confident that all who provide themselves with a copy of the

new edition will be well pleased. Our colporteurs are already sending in their orders for the new edition for their fall delivery, as every one seems to want the "latest style" in this case.

Sabbath-School Report, Quarter Ending June 30, 1914

School	Mem.	Att.	13th Sab.	Missions
Meridian	28	22	\$ 13 45	\$ 60 11
Jackson	32	24	15 50	40 97
Hattiesburg	25	17	8 44	33 61
Cedar Creek	33	31	3 40	19 65
Hatley	17	15	2 76	10 09
Vicksburg	7	6	54	4 10
Biloxi	3	3	75	8 30
Ellisville	11	10	92	8 82
Brookhaven	7	7	37	4 30
Natchez	5	5	90	6 98
Home Department	12	12	12 00	28 59

FAMILY SCHOOLS

Mrs Ben Morgan	4	4	1 00	3 00
Laurenzo McSwain	7	7	10	35
Mrs E L Satcher	4	4		37
E D Scales	2	2	1 25	5 40
Wash Speed	2	2		10
A E Tinsley	3	3	1 00	4 00
C R Canada	4	4	25	1 00
C Stewart	9	9	51	5 69

Totals

MISSION SCHOOLS

Greenville	13	6	\$ 81	\$ 4 12
Vicksburg	29	23	1 00	2 92
Yazoo City	15	11	3 63	10 50
Brookhaven	20	18	7 86	16 60
Meridian	22	20	2 15	13 46

Hattiesburg	13	9	2 58	5 10	Lake	15540 03	6785 93
Hazelhurst	12	8	4 10	7 70	E Canadian	1102 56	187 56
Ellisville	12	8	2 56	3 70	Southern	13861 25	7460 55
Jackson	17	15	1 82	11 72	Southeastern	18032 52	12573 41
Soso	13	12	46	91	Southwestern	25884 17	5792 32
Home Department	7	7	1 95	3 26	Central	10419 70	3888 70
Natchez	14	11	1 56	5 56	Northern	14412 17	3846 52
					Pacific	6792 25	2126 85
					North Pacific	12342 60	6354 15
					W Canadian	8786 90	1173 10
					Totals	\$154148 00	\$53409 24

FAMILY SCHOOLS

Augusta Watts	5	5	1 00	3 94
Floyd Boath	4	4	1 00	1 66
C Stewart	10	5	30	2 47
N W Olvin	2	2	1 00	1 00
James Stewart	2	2		
Totals	210	166	\$ 33 78	\$ 94 62
Grand Totals	425	353	\$ 96 92	\$ 340 05

MRS. E. L. MORROW, *Sabbath-School Secretary.*

Publishing and Colporteur Work

With the Men Behind the Books

DURING the past two weeks the writer has had the privilege of attending two of our camp-meetings. If there is one thing more than another that has been impressive at these meetings, it is the fact that our people are becoming aroused as never before regarding the nearness of the end and the great need of quickly giving this message. Although the present situation in Europe is a most potent sign of the times in which we are living, yet we believe that none the less important is the rapidity with which this work is going. When we consider the advancement that is being made in the sale of our publications, it is indeed remarkable and nothing short of the power of God could give the success that our colporteurs and magazine workers are having at the present time.

LAY-MEMBERS AT WORK

In a personal letter received from Elder W. W. Eastman, written on the Cumberland camp ground at Lenoir City, Tenn., he states:

"I sold eighteen Home Workers' prospectuses here to-day which makes more than fifty that I have sold during these meetings, so you may expect an increased demand for your small books by the laymen. The movement is on in earnest and the end is not far off. We may be paralyzed in this country as they are now in Europe if things continue to develop as rapidly as they have for the past few weeks. Truly we are in the perils of the last days."

We are also rejoiced to say that at both the Kentucky and the Tennessee River camp-meetings, an encouraging number of the Home Workers' prospectus was sold and we sincerely trust and believe that through this means much good will be accomplished by many who have not been doing practically anything in the past to help save souls.

RAPID ADVANCEMENT

In order to get some idea of the advancement that is being made in our regular colporteur work, we give the following figures as furnished by the General Conference Publishing Department:

BOOK WORKERS' SUMMARY IN NORTH AMERICA FOR JULY, 1914

Unions	Sales	Gain over last year
Atlantic	\$ 8535 05	\$ 160 75
Columbia	18418 80	3359 40

In a later letter just received from Elder N. Z. Town, he writes as follows:

"I write you this morning to congratulate you on the good work that is being done in the South and Southeast. I was very much surprised and also encouraged when we made up the summary last week and saw the splendid results in those two unions. The gains in Alabama and Mississippi, Georgia and Florida are really remarkable. Think of Georgia leading the whole South in the sale of books! When Elder Charles Thompson was in the Southeast, he used to tell us that some of his territory was so poor that when a crow flew over it he had to take his dinner with him, but evidently our colporteurs seem to find people who can buy books. I am sure, my brother, that these splendid reports are a great encouragement to you and your associates in the Publishing House. It is remarkable what a sale our literature is having. The Review and Herald plant never was more busy than at the present time.

"I wish to thank you for the copy of Brother Smith's tract on Armageddon. I have read it through and enjoyed very much its clear presentation of the question. . . .

"I am glad for the encouraging words which you put out in your *News Letter* in regard to the financial situation in this country and the probable advantage which this war will give to business here and thus help our colporteurs in the sale of our books."

Thus encouraging reports are being received throughout the entire field. The report of the Southwestern Union Conference for July was the largest ever received for any union conference in all the history of our work. Surely we have come to a time when we must work for, pray for, and expect great things.

LARGE ORDER FROM ATLANTA

The past week the Home Office received an order from our Atlanta Branch for twenty-four cases of books, or something over three tons. In this shipment there were six cases of "Daniel and the Revelation," six cases of the new "Bible Readings," and three cases of "Great Controversy." We are indeed glad to see so many of these large books being called for at one time.

HOME OFFICE STILL BUSY

The Home Office is still rushed in all departments. The orders are being received for Brother Smith's tract on Armageddon by the thousands every day. In addition to these many orders are coming in right along for books and other literature. Four editions of the September *Watchman* have been printed. We are certainly in stirring times and it is indeed encouraging to see so many of our people beginning to realize that it is high time to awake out of sleep and work for the salvation of souls by scattering the printed pages.

R. L. PIERCE.

Colporteurs' Report for the Southern Union Conference, Week Ending August 29, 1914

NAME	Book	LOUISIANA CONFERENCE						Summary from January 1 to date		
		Hours	Orders	Value	Helps	Total	Deliveries	Orders	Helps	Deliveries
E E Ballard*GC		34	22	\$ 64 00	\$ 2 15	\$ 66 15	\$	\$ 684 15	\$	\$ 63 00
J J BallardCK								10 55		
C P Bodwell*								675 40		242 50
G W Colvin								71 00		
E Eaton*D&R		32	7	22 00		22 00		1119 60		19 50
J Harzman*PP&F		53			7 50	7 50	106 50	1226 80		699 50
W J HirstGC								598 00		63 50
Bethel MannBF								232 50		76 95
Viola Mann*								100 40		45 00
Lura Reed **BF		91	64	71 50		71 50	15 50	356 50		108 50
Pearl Reed**BF		67	36	39 00	75	39 75		200 25		26 50
James Turner*BR		86	48	153 00	2 40	155 40		1957 55		971 00
Irregulars								608 55		758 75
Totals (Agts. 12)		363	177	\$ 349 50	\$ 12 80	\$ 362 30	\$ 122 00	\$7841 25	\$	\$3074 70

MISSISSIPPI CONFERENCE										
Emily BillupsPP&F				\$	\$	\$	\$	\$1408 00	\$ 17 25	\$ 350 00
Annie BoydPP&F								792 00	7 10	124 00
L M CampbellBR								939 00	37 20	175 00
C R CanadaD&R								1576 50	132 05	102 50
Elmer Chastain								1354 00	60 00	117 00
Millie ConnerPP&F								797 00	7 35	68 50
Lamar CooperBR								253 00	8 05	24 00
W E CovingtonBR								473 00	17 25	113 00
Fannie DorseyBF								557 00	12 60	
M C EllisD&R								1371 50	2 60	
A M FinleyPP&F								1174 50	20 45	71 50
J S FryD&R								753 00	48 25	422 00
Hattie JacobsCK								232 00	11 65	70 50
Ella JohnsonPP&F								2214 50	34 40	111 00
L J McElroyPP&F								2068 50	58 70	
M A MurphyPP&F								1883 00	38 00	216 00
H NixonD&R								521 00		
R D PetersonBR								1167 00	48 45	
Medea PetersonBR								119 00	28 10	24 00
Miss M SparksD&R								504 00	63 55	89 50
E A TaylorBR								1803 00	77 60	55 00
C E TerryBR								1381 00	29 60	
Annie WattsPP&F								596 00	20 85	217 50
Mary WolfeBR								165 00	22 75	60 00
Irregulars								2471 00	192 20	1139 50
Bibles								558 25		146 95
Totals Agts. 24)				\$	\$	\$	\$	\$27034 50	\$ 993 75	\$3736 45

TENNESSEE RIVER CONFERENCE										
Ralph CantrellBF				\$	\$	\$	\$	\$ 137 25	\$ 1 00	\$ 59 90
C F DartsofP								790 25	76 70	531 50
A L HamD&R								26 00	60	
Berdon HamptonD&R								616 95	22 40	61 00
R H HazeltonGC								761 68	26 10	247 00
F D KnoxBR								243 00	5 80	
J S MooreBF&D&R								936 50	29 05	269 50
R H ThorneD&R								68 00	3 85	
B E WagnerD&R								52 00		
F E WagnerGC								767 30	21 50	511 75
E C WidgeryD&R								359 50	5 70	
J A YoungGC								370 02	20 00	25 00
Irregulars								1449 40		677 50
Totals (Agts. 12)				\$	\$	\$	\$	\$6577 85	\$ 212 70	\$2383 15

NAME	Book	Hours	Orders	ALABAMA CONFERENCE			Summary from January 1 to date			
				Value	Helps	Total	Deliveries	Orders	Helps	Deliveries
				\$	\$	\$	\$	\$ 8 00	\$	\$
Annie AllenCK							263 00	375 00	
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U BracyGC							534 60	24 40	98 25
Geo W Brown	..BR	33	3	3 50		3 50	4 60	330 20	29 70	71 25
C S CarlyleGC	16	8	26 00	1 30	27 30		151 00	5 20	
B D Crawford	..BR							1003 00	5 15	38 50
E D Coleman	..BF							279 50		10 00
T G Culpepper	PP&F							649 00	49 15	
Chas Griffiths	..BR	28	18	73 00		73 00		1059 00		
S S Guilford	....BR	16	7	21 00		21 00		839 55		7 50
P Hampton	....BF	45	13	23 00	2 70	25 70		218 55	20 50	4 00
M L Ivory	....D&R							1248 65	61 28	71 00
R T Jacks	.....BR	39					162 00	752 00	45 45	404 50
C Jenson	.....GC							484 00		3 00
Earl Jeys	.....GC	56	6	19 00	3 75	22 75		256 00	11 00	7 55
Milo Jeys	.....D&R							177 60	3 60	3 00
P H Jones	.....GC							743 00	21 25	29 00
S W Lorren	....BR	12	10	36 00		36 00		36 00		
H C Mathews	..BR							603 00	1 20	3 50
M L Mathews	..CK							93 00		10 50
E H McKay	....BF	4	3	4 50		4 50		4 50		
Frank McRae	..BR							661 00	11 95	
I W Peevy	.....D&R							296 50	3 75	37 50
C P Rainwater	GC	32	10	49 00	2 45	51 45		51 45		
J H Reames	..BR							1012 00	49 35	173 50
J S Spraggs	....CK							575 00	26 35	
J D Stephens	..BR							299 00	7 75	
J W Wade	.....BR							347 00	14 40	
Mrs E Wade	....BR							61 00	1 40	
Ed Whittier	..PP&F	25	3	6 00	70	6 70		6 00	70	
F R Wilson								16 50	16 50
Alexander Wood	D&R	42	10	33 00		33 00		1004 00		
Carrie YoungCK							84 00	2 50	7 50
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Sie H GreenBF							657 00		
Anna M Gossom	D&R							1701 00	51 65	993 50
James Hickman	D&R							95 00		
JeffersonHickman	D&R							33 00	4 30	11 00
J W HicksPP&F							1174 00	110 85	389 00
Jesse E Miller	D&R							705 00		21 00
Mary E Miles	..BR							253 75	2 75	
Bessie Mount	..D&R							457 00	30	110 80
Alexander Perry	BR							99 00	15 75	13 00
A Reichenbach	..ES							798 00	7 75	230 50
J B Reichenbach	BR							15 00		
Andy Schroader	..BR							546 00	10 80	358 65
M WheelerD&R							72 00	27 60	
W B WilsonBR							752 00	10 85	303 50
P M Winkler	..D&R							2739 15	94 75	466 70
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The October Watchman

SOME idea of the contents and scope covered by the October *Watchman* can be obtained from the following leading articles that will appear in this issue:

"The Madness of the War."

"The Imprisoned Empires and Their Struggle for the Sea."

"The Navies of the Air; Their Part in the Great War."

"A New Pope."

"Spiritualism; What Is It? and Why Is It?"

"The Blessedness of the 'Blessed Hope'" by Elder W. A. Spicer.

"The Other Side of Death"—(Continued).

"Political Condition of Mexico" by G. W. Caviness.

"Has the Bible Foretold Present-day Conditions?"

All these articles have been prepared with much care, and some of them at considerable expense. Dealing as they do with topics in which the whole civilized world is deeply interested at the present time, this number of *The Watchman* can not fail to attract the attention of the reading public.

The Outlook, Home and Health, and other departments will appear as usual. The cover design is a representation of a battle in the air, and is very impressive.

In addition to some carefully selected photographs there will also be some striking cartoons on the war. Hence, this issue will be well illustrated, which will add another strong feature to its selling qualities.

Not only will the October number be a good seller, but it will be one of the best missionary issues published thus far. This is due to the fact that it shows the relation of the prophecies to the startling events now taking place with such terrible rapidity—events in which every one is interested. The information it gives concerning the war is reliable, and will be appreciated by many not of our faith simply for that reason. And, while they are reading it for that purpose, they will be getting the message at the same time. We therefore trust that our people generally will order large quantities of this number for missionary use among their friends and neighbors.

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Study at Home

MANY young people are prevented from attending school by circumstances over which they have no control. But they need not despair. They should avail themselves of the opportunity afforded by the Fireside Correspondence School to keep up their studies until circumstances permit them to attend a resident school. One lady writes as follows: "I am enjoying my study (Bible Doctrines) very much indeed, and I find that the message as outlined in the study is clearer to me than at any time during the ten years I have been an

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Adventist. I thank you for urging me to start in when I did." Another student, engaged in ministerial work, says: "I assure you that from actual experience in both, I place the 'Fireside' above the International Correspondence School in every respect." Certainly he does not refer to the number of courses offered.

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Keeping Up With the Message

WORD recently came to the office about a church that takes pride in keeping up with the different phases of the message. That is a proper kind of pride which it would be well if every church had.

A church that has this pride does not let its mission clock run slow, but keeps it well up to time, a little fast if anything, to be on the safe side.

Such a church has a good Sabbath-school. It takes pride in having well studied lessons, and a well managed school. Every member feels a responsibility for making the school all it should be.

It has good Sabbath services, for the members gather to feed upon the Word and to learn how they and their church may come nearer to God's ideal.

It has good missionary prayer meetings, for the members know that they can not keep up with the message without prayer and work. They take pride in taking an active part in every campaign and plan for work in God's cause. In such a church the leading thought is not how little may be done and the church be clear, but how much can be possibly accomplished for the Lord.

Such a church as this is a solid support to the conference, as it may always be depended on to advance as the message advances. In a church like this the Lord himself takes pride, for he sees it is wholly following him. Why should not every Seventh-day Adventist church take pride in keeping up with the message? E. M. GRAHAM.

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