



# SOUTHERN UNION WORKER



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

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## PROGRESS OF THE WORK

It is difficult to express the praise due our Heavenly Father for the many blessings He is now bestowing upon the colporteurs in the Southern Union Conference. During the first three months of the year \$39,293.83 worth of orders were taken and \$13,306.40 worth were delivered. This makes a gain for the corresponding period last year of \$11,228.24 in orders and \$9,108.72 in deliveries.

Our colporteurs are now taking orders at the rate of nearly \$8000 worth per week, and a large portion of these orders are for deliveries to be made within from one to two months.

New colporteurs are being continually added to the list in each local Conference, and this, in addition to the fact that many student colporteurs are becoming restless to get back into the field, and will, no doubt, carry with them much of their "pent-up energies" to be utilized in pushing forward the work, certainly looks good to everyone who is anxious to see the message carried quickly into every nook and corner of the world.

We have held 11 colporteur institutes during the past season, and by the time this goes to press there will be another one in session at New Orleans, La., which will make the even dozen. The Lord has come preciously

near in all these meetings, and a spirit of renewed consecration to service has taken hold of those present that is seldom seen.

The most of our colporteurs are not only working hard, but they are earnestly praying. They have decided to turn aside to some secret place each evening about 8 o'clock, or as near that as possible, and earnestly seek the Lord for not only help individually, but that He might help their comrades in this work who are meeting with similar experiences.

The Publishing family at Nashville have unanimously expressed their desire to join these colporteurs in this special evening prayer, and we think this very befitting, for really we are one large family, carrying one great message to a large and dying world. We believe that these special prayers are having much to do with the success we now see in the work, and would like to ask the members of our churches throughout the Southern Union to join with us in daily seeking the Lord.

Now just a few words in general, not only to our colporteurs and lay-members, but also to those of us who bear some responsibility in the work: The present prosperity in this work and also the little time of peace and prosperity in the world should

not only be a call to greater service, but a call to our knees, for history shows us plainly that in the religious world as well as in the political world, that in prosperity lurks our greatest danger. Let us therefore pray as though everything depended upon prayer, and then work as though everything depended upon work.

V. O. COLE.

### The Value of a Scholarship

There are at least three good reasons why students should earn a scholarship this summer. First, the work of spreading the gospel was never in greater need of consecrated workers. Second, the experience and blessings that come as a result of such missionary activities greatly strengthen one's Christian character. Third, to have earned through your own efforts all expenses for an entire school year is a mark of accomplishment that commands the respect of others.

The *Watchman Magazine* scholarship plan is very simple and successful. To earn a \$200 scholarship requires less than \$300 in *Watchman Magazine* sales. Magazines are a cash sale proposition and the most current form of literature for presenting the Message. Moreover, our cities, where more than 60 per cent of the people live, are greatly in need of the gospel of a soon-

coming Saviour. The servant of the Lord has said, "Unless more is done than has been done for the cities of America, ministers and people will have a heavy account to settle with the One who has given to every man his work." Vol. 8, p. 35. Let each one realize that this summer is his or her greatest opportunity.

A. W. SPALDING.

## Tithing

"God has given special direction as to the use of the tithe. He does not design that His work shall be crippled for want of means. That there may be no haphazard work and no error. He has made our duty on these points very plain. The portion that God has reserved for Himself is not to be diverted to any other purpose than that which He has specified. Let none feel at liberty to retain their tithe, to use according to their own judgment. They are not to use it for themselves in an emergency, nor to apply it as they see fit, even in what they may regard as the Lord's work." It is quite evident from this quotation that our tithe should flow through the regular channels and be used in the regular way. We are not at liberty to withhold our tithes, nor are we at liberty to use them in some other branch of the work which, while it may be good in itself, is to be supported in some other way than by the tithe.

In the payment of the tithe, God leaves men free to decide just what is a tenth, but keeps a record of their faithfulness or unfaithfulness in this matter. He says through His servant in Volume 3, page 394:

"As to the amount required, God has specified one-tenth of the increase. This is left to the conscience and benevolence of

men, whose judgment in this tithing system should have free play. And while it is left free to the conscience, a plan has been laid out definite enough for all. No compulsion is required.

"All that is withheld of that which God claims, the tenth of the increase, is recorded in the books of heaven as robbery against Him. Such defraud their Creator; and when this sin of neglect is brought before them, it is not enough for them to change their course and begin to work from that time upon the right principle. This will not correct the figures made in the heavenly record for embezzling the property committed to them in trust to be returned to the Lender. Repentance for unfaithful dealing with God, and for base ingratitude, is required."

In this Testimony, the Lord, through His servant, says that withholding the tithe is embezzlement. Embezzlement is a violation of law, both human and divine. What can one do who is guilty of embezzling the funds of the Almighty?

In Volume 5, page 643, the servant of the Lord has told us of some of the results seen in a meeting held in Battle Creek at which she was present. She says: "Some had not dealt honestly with their neighbors, and they confessed their sins, and have since made restitution. During the following week some of those who had not been dealing justly with God, and consequently had been separating themselves from Him, began to restore that which they had withheld. One brother had not paid tithes for two years. He gave his note to the secretary of the Conference for the tithe he had withheld and the interest on it, amounting to \$571.50. I thank the Lord that he had the cour-

age to do this. Another gave his note for \$300. Another man who had backslidden from God so far that but little hope was cherished that he would ever turn his feet into the path of righteousness again, gave his note for \$1000."

This may raise the query, what shall one do who has been withholding his tithe and finds himself utterly unable to make it up? To all such I would say that where there is real repentance and sorrow for sin the Lord knows whether we are able to make these things good or not, and, if we are unable, His righteousness will cover all our sins. But where it is possible for one to make up the tithe he has withheld, God will hold him responsible to do so.

*To be continued.*

W. R. ELLIOTT.

## LOUISIANA CONFERENCE

### Louisiana Items

We are pleased to note two new names on the Louisiana colporteur list this week, Jaunita Britton of Shreveport, and A. Sawyer, who is now working Morehouse Paris with his wife, whose good reports have been appearing for several weeks past. If Brother Sawyer's report for the three days he worked last week is an indication of what he is going to do this year, he will prove a splendid help in reaching our goal for the State.

We are glad to see the splendid report from Brother Harzman this week, it being the first we have had from him for a long time. The \$214.85 for the week shows that he is fully alive to the work.

Mrs. Sanders reports that the good work of Harvest Ingathering still goes on. From a paper sent out last November a dollar

New Orleans, Louisiana,  
April 29, 1919.

came in a letter this week. This makes \$6.50 for the six papers sent out at that time.

**Sales of Crisis Books**

Week ending April 26, 1919

	Number of books	Value
Elizabeth Mitchell	150	\$37.50
Hattie Pack	100	25.00
Ida Perry	40	10.00
Percy Augustine	20	5.00
Westley Eyster	20	5.00
Cecil Gordon	10	2.50

What these have done others can do. Every member of the church should find some time each week to do some missionary work.

Considerable missionary work can be done with the Crisis books by placing them in the homes of your friends and neighbors, and the time spent in this work will prove a financial help to those working.

These books sell for 25c a copy, and in lots of ten or more the price 12½c, plus postage. The following books are available:

World Peace	Armageddon
Christian Sabbath	Other Side of Death
Our Lord's Return	Shadow of the Bottle
World Problems	World in Perplexity
World War	Glorious Appearing
Our Paradise Home	Spiritualism versus Christianity

Brother J. B. Hardy writes: "Here is that report that you are looking forward to: short hours, short orders, but a start has been made and I praise the good Lord for what He has done for me. I spent the night with a family that I had delivered a book to last year and they said they would not take \$50 for this book if they could not get another."

**Notice**

There is something to be done. You ask what it is? Here is the answer—There are five full sets each of the M. V. Reading Course books for the 1918-1919 course on the shelves of the Tract Society office and they do not belong there. Who will share in the good work of changing them from their resting place to the libraries of the home, where they can be doing something? These books are filled with good, interesting facts. Look at the list:

Senior Course — "Makers of South America;" "The Days of June;" "The Story of Prophets and Kings;" "Making Good." Club price, (very special) postpaid \$2.75.

Junior Course — "The White Queen of Okoyong;" "Early Writings;" "The Land of the Golden Man;" "Outdoors, Indoors, and Up the Chimney." Club price, (very special) postpaid \$2.45.

Who will be first to answer this call? Do not delay, for there are only five sets of each course. If these books are not needed in your home, have them sent to some young friend or to some home where they are needed.

One sister who is too old to be classed with the young people, has read every book in all the courses so far and has already asked for the 1919-1920 course. She is a farmer's busy wife, yet she finds time to read. Make use of spare moments and reading time is yours.

Send the orders to the Tract Society. MRS. C. N. SANDERS.

The meetings conducted by Evangelist Taylor G. Bunch in New Orleans have been in progress 18 nights. The interest seems to be growing instead of decreasing, although he has passed over some very stirring and testing prophecies. The large Athenaeum hall is well filled each night, although there are many attractions in this large, wicked city to call them to other places. And, too, the city is said to be 70% Catholic.

We are very much cheered by this and by the steady attendance of many. By looking over the congregation one can see so many faces who have not missed a night. I do not think that I have ever attended a meeting where was manifested a deeper interest by the whole congregation.

Many questions are coming in each night on the subject presented, which we believe is a manifestation of a desire on their part to study deeper in this mes-

**Louisiana Report of Tithe and Donations for First Quarter 1919**

Church	Tithe	Harvest Ing.	Miss.	S.S.	Total 25c a wk. funds
Alexandria	35.56			8.02	8.02
Conference	404.10	81.80	140.80	103.20	325.80
Hammond	195.08	1.00	1.00	18.33	20.33
Hobart	52.40				
Lake Charles	155.84	232.90	110.00	4.71	347.61
Lena Station	1.25			1.45	1.45
Mansfield	42.35	6.00	9.63	44.16	59.79
New Orleans No. 1	971.95	17.00	100.32	256.11	373.43
Ringgold				3.20	3.20
Shreveport No. 1	448.97	7.25	20.00	93.52	120.77
Sugartown	85.28		10.75	67.68	78.43
Welsh	54.40	26.00	25.00	17.11	68.11
<b>Total</b>	<b>2347.18</b>	<b>371.95</b>	<b>417.50</b>	<b>617.49</b>	<b>1406.94</b>

**Mission Department**

Newellton	10.00	2.30		17.10	19.40
New Orleans No. 2	680.17	29.51	105.24	188.80	323.55
Mission	1.82	1.80		6.67	8.47
Hammond No. 2	116.49	11.25	25.00	22.69	58.94
Shreveport No. 2	81.34		50.00	11.05	61.05
<b>Total</b>	<b>889.82</b>	<b>44.86</b>	<b>180.24</b>	<b>246.31</b>	<b>471.41</b>

The above report is very interesting, especially when it is realized that not only have a number of churches gone "over the top" for the first quarter of the year, but the State as a whole has considerably more than met its quota. In a later issue will appear the exact standing of each church.

# Report of \$3,500 Campaign for Finish

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Alabama		Carolina		Cumberland		Florida		
Ruth Johnston	55555	Isabel Kenyon	55555	Ruth Felker	55555	Jean. Richardson	55555	Anit
Clarence Giles	55555	Jessie Ingram	55555	Cleo Adams	55555	Mabel Branson	55555	Ruth
Harold Boyd	55555	F. W. Field	55555	Jeanetta Hardin	55555	T. R. Treece	55555	Adel
Irma Halladay	55555	Mrs. Field	55555	Ruby Lea	55555	Horace Roberts	55555	Hele
Mrs. Boyd	55555	Frank Hudson	55555	Rosa Meister	55555	Mabel Treece	55555	Edw
Lynn H. Wood	55555	Robert Wynn	555	Cecil King	55555	Ivy McPherson	55555	W. T
Aline Johnston	55555	Alice Case	55	Clarence Field	55555	O. R. Shreve	55555	Clar
Edna Ward	55555	Frances Case	5	Eunice Felker	55555	Grace Bozarth	55555	John
Alice Nelson	55555	Mary Betts	555	Dorothy Bailey	55555	Annie Jones	55555	Edna
Lucille Randall	55555	Robert Bagley	55	DeLores Pierucci	55555	Mamie Jones	55555	John
Mattie Goodner	55555	Julia Inabinet	55	Cora Fox	55555	J. J. Gladden	55555	Jam
Josephine Cothren	55555	Adam Meister	5555	Warren Franklin	55555	Mrs. Gladden	555	J. K
Eva Russell	55555	Mrs. N. L. Ingram	55555	T. R. Huxtable	55555	Sue Houston	55555	J. R
Sadie Harwell	55555	Martha Gandy	55	Kathryn McGee	55555	Lillian Boyd	55555	Luci
Metha Lohr	55555					B. J. Fountain	555	Walt
J. T. Weed	55555					Mrs. Fountain		Har
J. C. Holland	55555					Jamie Fountain	55555	Wall
Lester Holland	55555					C. E. Ledford	555	Roy
Willie Crowson	55555							Nob
Wilmer Nelson	55555							Iren
Gracie May	55555							Mrs.
Geo. N. Fuller	55555							G. H
Dorothy Tolman	55555							Mrs.
Matilda Nelson	55555							Reb
Ruth Whidden	55555							
William Giles	55555							
John Gardiner	55555							
Eunice Keller	55555							
Total	\$700	Total	\$245	Total	\$350	Total	\$395	

Grand total \$3531.40

**Over the top!** We wish you all could have been teachers paid practically the last thousand and such sacrifice—some put in all they had—will

early pioneers of this Message is returning in the hearts of their children. Make your money. We need \$3,000 more on barns and tool sheds. We need \$12,000 in it! Hasten and put your money into the training of young people who are coming has started—let us keep it moving with ever increasing speed.

sage. Much literature is taken at the close of the service, and we have secured about 200 names of those who desire more literature on the subjects. We are visiting these interested ones and learning more of their needs. We find these families very friendly to us and the Truth.

We are looking for a good harvest of souls as a result of this

effort. To this end we earnestly desire the prayers of all who read this article. G. B. BOSWELL.

## MISSISSIPPI CONFERENCE

At the close of the prayer-meeting here in Jackson, April 23, we received a call from Amory that Sister Weaver had

just died. I left on the midnight train, by way of Memphis, to reach Amory the next afternoon in time for the funeral. This was held about ten miles in the country. There had just been another burial, and those attending remained for the funeral of Sister Weaver. There were between four and five hundred people present. All listened at-



mitted to the operation, hoping that it might prolong her life, but she died soon after. She was fully resigned to the Lord. She rests with the bright hope in the first resurrection. She leaves a mother 78 years old, a husband, one son, one adopted girl of ten, five sisters and two brothers, to mourn their loss. All who knew her speak highly of her Christian character, and believe the future was bright to her at her death.

C. J. BUHALTS.

## KENTUCKY CONFERENCE

### Office Mail Bag

Elder Keate has returned from his trip to Eastern Kentucky. He has been just about sick for several days.

Brother F. E. Thompson is visiting several places in the interests of the educational work.

The following sad news has been received from Sister Mary Bell Potter of Bowling Green, Kentucky: "Sister Helen Holcomb of Bowling Green died April 12, 1919. She leaves a husband and two little girls, ages 9 and 13. She was a splendid Christian woman and will be missed by all."

Brother Frank H. Johnson and family are returning to their home in Illinois after a stay in Louisville of more than a year. Brother Johnson has been serving very efficiently as superintendent of the Louisville Sabbath School. We are sorry to lose him from this office.

Mrs. O. M. Smith of Hartford, Michigan, is visiting relatives in the city. She is sister to the Conference secretary.

Brother Claud Hughes tells us that he has just delivered books to two preachers. He says the outlook is good for a number of Sabbath-keepers in the vicinity

# COLPORTEURS' REPORT

## SOUTHERN UNION CONFERENCE FOR WEEK ENDING APRIL 26

### KENTUCKY CONFERENCE

Name	Book	Hours	Orders	Value	Helps	Total	Deliv'd
D R Allman	DR	35	23	\$98.00	\$8.50	\$106.50	\$
W H Buckles	OD	39	1	2.50		2.50	112.00
Lindsay Cooper	BR	42	32	141.00		141.00	
Mrs L Crutcher	OD	1	3	7.50		7.50	2.50
*Lee Crutcher	BR	61	37	142.50		142.50	5.00
H M Gibson	BR	40	46	219.00	46.20	265.20	1.00
Raymond Harp	BR	20	28	112.00		112.00	
F F Harrison	BR	15	10	41.00		41.00	
Jeff Hickman	BR	22	53	240.00		240.00	
R F Hickman	BR	34	71	317.00	3.05	320.05	5.00
*R Y Howard	BR	70	25	100.00	8.00	108.00	
M L Howard	BR	52	38	179.00	7.45	186.45	.85
Claud Hughes	BR	42	47	205.00	1.25	206.25	1.25
Wm Martin		42			13.00	13.00	.75
Chas Minnis	OD	28	3	9.50	1.50	11.00	28.50
Wilber Moore	BR	45	58	260.00	15.05	275.05	.50
Lee Page	BR	16	12	52.00		52.00	14.00
D C Ray	BR	19	13	73.00		73.00	
A B Rhodes	OD	26	27	72.00	7.25	79.25	23.75
R M Roberts	BR	40	13	55.50		55.50	
J W Rowe	BR	43	3	7.50	1.25	8.75	258.25
V Schroader	BR	22	11	50.00	1.00	51.00	
C B Sherer	BR	39	23	97.00		97.00	
G H Slaughter	OD	17	2	6.00		6.00	21.75
Claud Sullivan	BR	26	17	68.00	5.95	73.95	
Ira O Wallace	BR	28	12	46.00		46.00	9.00
J W Wilhelm	BR	45	35	143.00	4.60	147.60	
(*2wk) Total		909	643	2744.00	124.05	2868.05	484.10

### MISSISSIPPI CONFERENCE

J L Waller	DR	50	53	245.00	.25	245.25	
A L Hamm	DR	43	35	174.00	9.35	183.35	
Ruby Hamm	BR	43	29	138.00	6.75	144.75	
S J Thigpen	BR	24	17	95.00	13.40	108.40	
H D Brooks	BR	34	25	107.00	.50	107.50	
C R Cannada	DR	28			7.20		189.80
H Balsbaugh	GC	30	19	84.00	1.00	85.00	
M J Patrick	DR	42	23	98.00	3.25	101.25	4.00
L J McElroy	BR	57	11	41.25	.25	41.50	4.00
A A Johnson	OD	34	7	17.50	3.70	21.20	
Wm Watts	BR	34	13	56.00	2.20	58.20	
West Brown	BR	52	17	68.00	.85	68.85	45.00
C B White	BR	40	29	132.00		132.00	
J W Taylor	CK	46	51	130.50	12.50	143.00	
M Hastings	BR	19	22	99.00		99.00	
P Hampton		6	1	3.50	.85	4.35	
Mrs I Harrell		8		2.00		2.00	
James Miller	BR	16	30	164.00		164.00	
Mattie Lee	BFL	7	5	14.50	.25	14.75	
E Chastine	DR	34	25	112.00	7.30	119.30	
Bibles						44.40	
Total		647	412	1179.25	71.60	1895.25	243.60

## ALABAMA CONFERENCE

Frank Banks	GC	44	31	159.00	5.35	164.35	
U Bracy	GC	32	31	134.00	3.60	137.60	
G W Brown	GC	12	5	20.00	2.00	22.00	
R D Capps	BR	37	43	194.00	3.35	197.35	
R J Cook	GC	42	28	130.90	5.60	136.50	9.00
H Edwards	BR,GC	36	17	70.50	5.55	76.05	
J E Foley	BR	48	14	57.00	9.75	66.75	
John Gardiner	BR	45	13	61.00		61.00	12.00
J W Harrison	BR	13					39.00
Chas Hubbard	BR	27	30	124.50	2.70	127.20	
A C Hughes	OD	40	9	22.50	1.20	23.70	
H W Jones	GC	44	24	101.00	1.20	102.20	
E McCoy	GC	50	19	69.00	3.55	72.55	
Effie McCoy	GC	38	8	34.00		34.00	
G W Powers	GC	42	51	248.00	6.25	254.25	
F J Rowland	BR	12	3	51.00		51.00	
R Smith & wife	BR	43	28	114.00	7.50	121.50	
Q Tew	BR	47	38	179.00		179.00	
N H Waters	BR	50	63	315.00		315.00	15.00
J Williams	BR	61	36	174.00	3.00	175.00	
J A Williams	BR	28	19	76.35	17.25	93.60	
Bibles				26.55		26.55	15.50
Totals		791	510	2359.30	77.85	2437.15	90.50

## TENNESSEE RIVER CONFERENCE

Paul Zalabak	DR	26	7	28.00	2.55	30.55	10.55
B Paul Keele	DR	38	4	16.00	10.20	26.20	10.80
John Williams	DR	30	6	25.00		25.00	
R J Hyatt	BFL, Misc		19	32.50		32.50	15.05
Mollie Hurdle	BR	16	18	85.00		85.00	
H T Forsythe	GC	27	9	39.00	11.90	50.90	
Lizzie Getter	DR	21	1	5.00		5.00	
Roy Story	DR	31	12	51.00	2.95	53.95	14.95
H G Miller	OD	33	1	2.50	4.75	7.25	176.15
H Cheshier	DR	39	17	73.00	1.70	74.70	1.70
Mary Surn	BR	45	2	8.00	6.85	14.85	
Louis Rayford	DR	34	34	164.00		164.00	
Wm J Keele	DR	38	11	49.00	31.75	80.75	7.65
Susie McGee	BR	20	6	26.00		26.00	18.00
Bibles				39.65		39.65	10.15
Total		398	147	643.65	72.65	716.30	265.00

## LOUISIANA CONFERENCE

*Lizzie Sawyer	BR	53	54	243.00	3.25	246.25	3.25
L B Spear	BR	38	49	235.00		235.00	
John Harzman	BF	42	94	209.50	5.35	214.85	5.35
A Sawyer	BR	25	42	175.00		175.00	
Wm Watson	BR	32	28	119.00		119.00	8.00
H W Sellars	DR	23	26	105.00		105.00	5.00
J B Hardy	BR	18	17	71.00	4.00	75.00	12.00
M B Wilson	BR	36	18	73.00	1.50	74.50	1.50
Amine Pendas	BR	21	12	51.00	.25	51.25	.25
Jaunita Britton	OD	9	16	44.00	4.75	48.75	4.75
Bibles				49.00		49.00	4.25
Total		297	356	1374.50	19.10	1393.60	44.35
Grand total		3042	2068	8300.70	365.45	9310.35	987.55

of Williamsburg. One lady with whom his wife has been talking has about decided to keep the Sabbath.

Brother Claud Sullivan, who has recently come down from Indiana, is canvassing at Vanceburg, and he is having excellent success.

Mrs. T. O. Bivin of Lexington is having excellent success selling the "Watchman." She writes: "The Lord is certainly blessing me in my 'Watchman' work. Two men told me last night how good the last month's paper was, and they wanted the next number." BURTON CASTLE.

## ALABAMA CONFERENCE

### Alabama News Notes

Brother Staton, who returned recently from Ooltewah, tells us, aside from the fact that we will have our old student colporteurs, several new ones are planning on entering the field this summer.

Brother and Sister Smith sold their farm and attended our Colporteurs' Institute, and since they have started in the work they have been taking orders amounting to over \$200 a week. A letter received from them had the following:

"Again we are sending in our report and we feel so encouraged, for we begin to believe that the Lord can use us, even though advanced in years." There are no doubt many more in Alabama who should follow the example set by Brother and Sister Smith.

The following was received from Brother Dobbs: "As I read of the good work our people are doing, and yet have not the means to do and answer the calls, it makes me feel more anxious to help. So you will find enclosed \$100 tithe." We are glad to see our people being faithful in rendering unto the Lord His own.

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Nashville, Tenn.

## Union Conference News Notes

Brother S. E. McNeill, the General Conference Auditor, left Tuesday night, April 29th, for Oklahoma City, after finishing the audit of the books of the Southern Union Conference. We greatly appreciated the visit of Brother McNeill and his helpful suggestions.

Brother O. R. Staines also left April 30th for Birmingham, Ala., planning on spending a day or so at this place and visiting other points in North Alabama and spending last Sabbath and Sunday at Mobile, Ala.

Brother G. H. Curtis left the office Friday morning for Mobile and New Orleans, planning to spend some time at these places. He also visited the Tuskegee Institute, Tuskegee, Ala., on his way South.

Elder Morris Lukens, President of the Southwestern Union Conference, was visiting in Nashville Friday, April 25th, on his way to the General Conference Council at Washington, D. C. Brother Lukens spent but a few hours in the city, call-

ing at the Publishing House and the various offices. We were glad to have Brother Lukens make the Union Conference office a call.

Last week was "Big Week" for the Tennessee River Conference, and our veteran field leader, Bro. V. O. Cole, went out in the field with his prospectus with the other workers from the Tennessee River Conference, and we are looking for a big report in the Tennessee column shortly.

For the information of our people who are seeking a place to secure their supply of cooking oil we have learned that arrangements have been made whereby these supplies may be purchased from one of our brethren in Nashville, and this is placed in the paper to assist you in securing these supplies. Wesson Salad Oil is the line carried, and can be secured as follows:

5 gallon cans	\$10.50
8 1 gallon cans	17.30
12 1 quart cans	7.15
24 1 pint cans	7.60

In these lots they are crated and ready for shipment f.o.b. Nashville. If you wish some of these supplies, address Encore Press, 2003 23d Ave. N., Nashville, Tenn. Cash should accompany order. We understand these prices are subject to market changes. If you wish any further information, kindly address the above.

In some of the local Conferences of the Union "Big Week" in the Colporteurs' work has begun. For example, look at the report from Alabama and see if you do not think so. Then look at the grand total for the Union for one week. Value of orders \$8298.90 and deliveries amounting to \$4207.69. Watch out for Tennessee River Conference next, then keep your eyes on the other Conferences of the Union, for things are happening these days.

## Southern Junior College

### Notes

Mrs. Morgan, from Reeves, Ga., is visiting her daughters, Bessie Lee and Floy.

Miss Panza Garrigan and Mr. Buford Staton, of Birmingham, are spending a few days here visiting friends.

We were glad to have Dr. and Mrs. Godsmark with us for a few hours on Sabbath.

Prof. Straight is busy preparing the cantata, "Daniel," to be given soon. We are all anticipating a treat.

Mr. Duffie Swofford has returned for a few days to the College.

We have been enjoying beautiful weather, and from the looks of the farm the crops have too.

## Announcement

The Florida Sanitarium offers to those desiring to enter training for nurses a strong, full three years' course. A new class is to be formed July 1, and we urge those contemplating such a course to correspond with us at once. An outline of the course with requirements for entrance will be sent upon request. Address The Superintendent of Nurses, Florida Sanitarium, Orlando Florida.

## Special Offerings for 1919

Religious Liberty . . . . .	May 24
Midsummer . . . . .	July 12
Colored Work . . . . .	Oct. 11
Annual Offering . . . . .	Dec. 20

## To Correspondents

Some reports left out for the want of space. We would ask you in the future please cut your items as close as possible. We dislike to leave out.