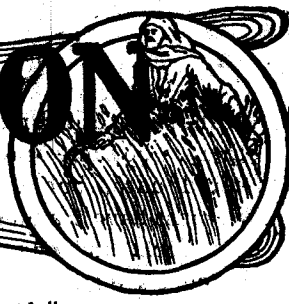


# SOUTHERN UNION WORKER



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

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## Report of Kentucky Campmeeting

The Kentucky campmeeting was held in Louisville, according to appointment, June 2d to 8th. It was a short meeting, but filled with interest from beginning to end. What was said with regard to the size of the campmeeting last year is true of the campmeeting this year, it being the largest probably ever held in the State.

The 60x70-ft. pavilion which has in the past accommodated the congregations easily was, on several occasions, much too small for the congregation this year.

This Conference is increasing fast. They must enlarge their tents for every department. The book tent was much too small. Plans are being laid for enlargement all along this line.

It certainly was encouraging to hear the reports of the laborers who came in from the field. They gave accounts of many people whom they found keeping the Sabbath, and many of them quite well posted on points of the truth, though they have never even heard a Seventh-day Adventist minister. These received the message through the printed page.

The last Sabbath of the meeting nearly the whole camp renewed their consecration, and fifteen were baptized. On Sunday a contribution of about

\$3000.00 was made to missions and the home field. A student's fund of \$500.00 was contributed to, which it is believed will be of great assistance in the building up of the educational work of the Conference.

Brother MacGuire attended the entire meeting. Bro. W. R. Elliott, president of the Tennessee River Conference, was in attendance the forepart of the meeting. Brother Martin spent two days with us, and Elder S. N. Haskell and wife were there for the last three days. Through the excellent instructions of these laborers the people were richly blessed.

At the same time the white meeting was held, a few blocks away the Mission held its meeting. Elder J. H. Lawrence, our Union evangelist, was there during the whole meeting and rendered most excellent service, which was appreciated by all.

Kentucky has laid her plans to become a self-supporting field. She hopes to do an eighty-thousand-dollar business in the Tract Society this year.

S. E. WIGHT.

## Special Notice

There is so much building work at the Southern Junior College this summer, and so many of our students have been released to go out into the canvassing field, that we are obliged to ask those who would be willing to come and help the school

put up these buildings to correspond with us.

We can use a large number of carpenters and mechanics practically all summer. We would be glad to get in touch with any who deem it a privilege to come and help advance the Lord's work. Address Lynn H. Wood, Ooltewah, Tenn.

## Ready For Service

"A vestibuled express train stood on the track equipped for its first swift flight of fifty miles without a stop. It still lacked many minutes of schedule starting time, yet the locomotive, with all steam up, was attached, the engineer and fireman were at their posts, the brakeman on duty, the porters standing by the steps of their cars. 'Prepared for service' was written on every line of the glistening train."

Prepared for service! What a world of meaning in those three short words; and if this great throbbing machine needed to be prepared for the work it was to do, how much more does the individual require a preparation for service. To be ready to act one's part in the work of life, to be equipped thoroughly to do in the most efficient way the task God sets—what is there so important, so worth while for every young man and woman?

Preparation means education. An education in a Christian school is an absolute essential to the person who would be prepared

for the service of Him who served others, who came "not to be ministered unto, but to minister." We must have training to do our best work; and educational advantages are within the reach of all who will use the golden key that unlocks the gates of fortune—and that key is called *Industry*.

"Life's master word is *work*. With this magic word in one's heart all things are possible. It is the touch-stone of progress—the secret of success." Almost without exception the lives of all truly great men have been lives of intense and untiring labor.

The great educator, Horace Mann, and Louis Agassiz, the Swiss naturalist of world renown, achieved their marvelous accomplishments only by a lifetime of incessant labor. Thomas A. Edison is another example of one whose unparalleled service to his fellowmen was and is being accomplished by the most strenuous and never ceasing industry. Biography and history give us scores of other worthy examples, and "one example," says Gladstone, "is worth a thousand arguments."

Statistics from the graduating classes of almost any school of advanced learning reveal the fact that a very large per cent of the students are wholly or partially self-supporting. Not long ago I read of a well-known institution where fifty per cent of the students worked their entire way through school, while ninety per cent of the total membership worked at least a part of their way. And the best part of it all is, that the student who works his way through college is better prepared for service when he leaves than his seemingly more fortunate classmate who has had his expenses paid for him and has not learned what it means to work.

The scholarship plan by means of which over two hundred of our students earned their entire expenses in school last year, during the summer months, is one of the very best ways of securing money for an education. By selling our books in summer one secures the double advantage of doing real soul-winning work, while at the same time he is earning his schooling. Five hundred students are in the canvassing field this summer, and it is not too late for others to enter.

In these busy days there are scores of opportunities of every kind open to the young person who is determined to earn his way through school. The farm, the office, the trades, work in printing houses, or other institutions—these all afford opportunities for the industrious, faithful worker. It will mean many a struggle, perhaps, but it is the struggle toward an ideal, constant endeavor to accomplish a worthy purpose that develops sterling character.

It may be that the remuneration for the work open to you is small and expense high; perhaps only by the strictest economy is it possible to see your savings grow; but be assured that your patient efforts and constant adherence to a worthy purpose will bring results. Mary Lyon, the famous founder of Mt. Holyoke Seminary, began at fourteen years of age to save for an advance education, working four years at one dollar per week before she secured a sufficient sum for her first term in a school of higher learning. And how many advantages are ours today! Surely we, too, can win the prize of a good education and so be prepared for service.

Resolve that you will enter school this fall in spite of all

seeming obstacles. Work steadily and perseveringly, improving every possible moment. "There is always room at the top" you know, but we must reach it by steadily climbing, for "the elevator to success is not running."

"We build the ladder by which we rise  
From the lowly earth to the vaulted skies,  
And we mount to the summit round by  
round."

ELLA IDEN.

## KENTUCKY CONFERENCE

### Office Mail Bag

The campmeeting for 1919 is now a matter of history. One reason why we had such a good meeting was because so many of the people who could not be present remembered to pray for it.

Bro. L. E. Christman has been called to take the work of Home Missionary Secretary in the Louisiana Conference. Brother and Sister Christman are spending a few days in Mt. Vernon, Ohio, before going to their new field of labor. We regret to lose these workers, and our prayers go with them.

As has been previously mentioned, Bro. James Hickman has taken up work as Field Missionary Secretary of the Southeastern Union Conference. We were glad to have Brother Hickman and his family with us during the campmeeting. We wish them the continued blessing of the Lord in their new field.

Bro Ira O. Wallace, one of our faithful colporteurs, has connected with the Louisville tent effort. Sister Wallace is in attendance at the summer school at Ooltewah, preparatory to teaching a church school the coming year.

Brother Wilber Moore has been chosen to take the place

made vacant by Brother James Hickman. On account of so many students coming to our field for the summer, it has been found necessary to appoint an assistant for Brother Moore. Brother R. R. Brooks has been chosen for this work.

It is expected that Sister Rose Bailey of Madisonville will connect with the Louisville tent effort as Bible worker.

Brother C. E. Hoover of Irvine was a caller at the office last week. Among others who called were Sister Bom of Henderson and Sister Schwarz and daughter from St. Louis, Mo.

The General Conference workers present at our campmeeting were Eld. Meade MacGuire, H. K. Christman, and Elder and Mrs. S. N. Haskell. The Union workers present were Elder Wight, Professors Trompson and Staines, Dr. Sutherland, Elder I. M. Martin, and Brother V. O. Cole. The President of the Tennessee River Conference, Elder W. R. Elliott, and the Secretary, Brother F. L. Harrison, spent a few days with us.

Elder Luzerne Thompson and family, from Indiana, were in attendance throughout the entire meeting.

Elder J. H. Lawrence, Southern Union Mission evangelist, attended the colored campmeeting and rendered valuable assistance in the meetings.

BURTON CASTLE.

### A Parting Word

Going on seven years ago I entered the book work in Kentucky, although a church elder advised me not to do so. I can truly say that I am not sorry for the effort put forth, for it has resulted in the salvation of souls

for the Master and ample supplies for my temporal needs.

It was after carefully considering, with many tears, the call to the Southeastern Union Secretaryship that I decided to leave my home Conference and friends. I thank the members of our Conference and Union for the many kindnesses shown and for your hearty co-operation in the book work. The association with you will always be a green spot in my memory. My new address will be 169 Bryan St., Atlanta, Georgia. I trust that the same hearty co-operation will be given my successor that has been given me in this department. I will pray that the book work in the Kentucky Conference and Southern Union may continue to grow in just as marvelous a manner as it has in the past.

JAMES HICKMAN.

## ALABAMA CONFERENCE

### Alabama News Notes

Clarence Giles, his brother William, and Willie Crowson, students from Ooltewah, recently paid the office a pleasant visit on their way to the canvassing field. These will help to swell our weekly reports. Be sure to watch reports from our students in the WORKER from now on.

From the word coming in from the different churches, it appears that the Sabbath School Rally Day was a grand success. We hope that the inspiration brought in will aid this department greatly.

Last Sabbath was a good day for the Birmingham Church. Six more new ones took their stand and were added to the church.

A baptismal service is planned for next Sabbath. The Lord is blessing Elder Martin in his effort.

Brother Wilson is busy pitching the tent at Sheffield. He is being assisted by Brother Harrison, who is to act as tent master. Elder Frank expects to be with them and open the meeting Sunday night, June 15th. Pray that the Lord will bless in this effort.

Miss Addie May Kalar, Bible worker at Mobile, writes: "Talking about the work down here, twenty members reporting six to fifteen Bible studies given a week, 375 Present Truth given away weekly, certain ones having districts for regular delivery. I wish you could know Bro. Meyer, local elder; he is the life of the missionary work. I've never seen a more enthusiastic worker." We are pleased to hear this good word and hope that other churches will catch the spirit.

The following school teachers from Alabama are attending the summer schools: Mrs. Ada Hughes, Mrs. Amy Kellogg, Julia Wesley, Wilhelmina Cantrell, and others will soon arrive.

Elder Wright has just returned from Anniston and will visit Montevallo, Sheffield, Huntsville, Oakwood, Elkwood and Long Island on his next trip. He expects to have Professor Staines with him in interest of the Home Missionary work.

Brother Staton doesn't spend very much time in the office these days. He is putting almost his entire time in the field with the colporteurs.

The Birmingham Church School rendered an excellent program Thursday evening, June 5th. This program was the closing of a very successful year for the Birmingham school.

# Colporteurs' Report Southern Union

## LOUISIANA CONFERENCE

Name	Book	Hours	Orders	Value	Helps	Total	Deliv'd
A J Thiele	BR	50	72	\$339.00	\$5.55	\$344.55	\$
Edward Kelley	DR	41	42	179.00	1.00	180.00	
A. Sawyer	BR	26	34	172.00	2.95	174.95	
*E L Hunt	BR	60	49	173.00	1.00	174.00	34.50
H Lanoix	BR	52	27	157.00	1.75	158.75	1.75
Thos Goodman	GC	42	23	101.00	3.40	104.40	
Israel Landry	BR	36	28	118.00		118.00	
M B Wilson	BR	38	23	112.00		112.00	65.00
J R Williams	BR	24	18	68.00		68.00	
R A Freed	BR	16	16	71.00		71.00	
B Wiggan	DR	41	16	69.00		69.00	26.00
Oliver Stephen	DR	41	14	68.00	.75	68.75	
W V Wilfong	DR	42	14	64.00		64.00	
J B Hardy	BR	18	11	55.00	6.50	61.50	46.50
R R Coble	BR	16	11	49.00		49.00	8.00
R N Kerr	BR	28	11	48.00		48.00	
Emily Dawson	OD	22	13	33.00	6.80	39.80	
Hardy Mann	BR	3	5	26.00	3.00	29.00	
Mrs C H Britton	OD	12	8	19.50		19.50	23.70
Lewis Dawson	DR	6	1	4.00	.85	4.85	
Bibles						35.85	
(*2wk)	Total	615	436	1961.35	33.55	1994.90	205.45

## KENTUCKY CONFERENCE

Don Courville	BR	51	15	62.00	.85	62.85	
Lee Crutcher	OD	21					44.50
R W Harris	BR	22					148.00
*Lydia Marsh	BR	51	21	91.00	10.00	101.00	
E W Marsh	BR	51	33	144.00		144.00	
Roy E Mote	BR	36	52	223.00	21.60	244.60	
Archie Nelson	BR	45	16	65.00	1.50	66.50	
Harry Perrin	BR	46	24	99.00	1.00	100.00	
Lester Sevensen	BR	45	18	77.00	3.00	80.00	
Fred Shasky	BR	21					215.00
R C Stadleman	BR	28	10	43.00	2.00	45.00	2.00
Ed Whittier	BR	18					167.00
*Verna Young	BR	33	8	34.00	10.25	44.25	
(*2wk)	Total	468	197	838.00	50.20	888.25	577.10

## Would Give His Pillow

A little boy, between four and five years, was one day reading to his mother in the New Testament, and when he came to these words, "The foxes have holes, and the birds of the air have nests, but the Son of man hath

not where to lay his head," his eyes filled with tears, and with a child's unrestrained gush of feeling, he said to his mother, "I am sure, mama, if I had been there I would have given him my pillow."—Sel.

## MISSISSIPPI

E R Francis	BR	45	10
A Toms	BR	39	8
Alex Cox	BR	46	8
Fannie Cox	BR	32	7
L H Conolly	BR	43	6
W Pergande	BR	54	5
Fred Rahm	BR	54	4
C H Gordon	BR	26	3
H S Little	BR	22	3
J E Jervis	DR	33	3
Emily Billups	RR	30	
C B Courville	BR	61	4
T J Connors	BR	47	3
Byron Young	BR	55	2
A A Johnson	OD	42	4
M Hastings	BR	36	1
H H Howard	BR	54	2
M J Patrick	DR	50	1
A L Hamm	DR	12	1
J H Patterson		21	1
West Brown	BR	41	1
Ruby Hamm	BR	12	
Odell McAdory	BR	17	
H Balsbaugh	GC	12	
E Chastain	DR	5	
J T Cowart	OD	1	
Mrs I Harrel	GC	6	
Bertha Cade	BR	34	3
M A Murphy	DR	5	
Lorine Woods	BR	37	2
H O Rogers	BR	16	
H D Brooks	BR	3	
C R Cannada	DR	19	2
Bibles			
Total		794	94

## TENNESSEE

M Zalabak	BR	6	
Dora Samson	BR	33	
Ruby Johnson	BR	34	1
H Cheshier	DR	36	
Mollie Hurdle	BR	17	
Susie McGee	BR	19	
John Grout	DR	5	
L Rayford	DR, BR	39	
L B Getter	DR	22	
Jno Williams	DR	29	
R J Hyatt	Misc	72	
F L Harrison	BR	15	
W D Wade	GC	15	
Bibles			
Total		342	

## Conference for Week Ending June 7

## CONFERENCE

41.00		\$441.00	\$
34.00	4.25	438.25	
86.00		386.00	
60.00		360.00	
98.00	.50	298.50	
51.00	18.00	269.00	
89.00	7.00	189.00	
78.00	4.75	182.75	
79.00	1.80	180.80	
71.00	4.05	175.05	
		361.00	
72.00	3.55	175.55	
43.50	6.80	150.30	
32.00	13.60	145.60	
24.50	2.45	126.95	
73.00		73.00	
90.00	10.20	100.20	
53.00	.60	53.60	
60.00	.50	60.50	
56.50		56.50	
47.00	5.95	52.95	
51.00	1.10	52.10	
43.00		43.00	
19.00	.85	19.85	91.00
12.00	3.10	15.10	47.00
7.50		7.50	
4.00	.75	4.75	22.00
44.00	5.40	149.40	
	10.25	10.25	
37.00	4.20	141.20	
		210.00	
		4.00	
37.00	11.60	148.60	
		73.98	
86.00	121.25	4581.23	735.00

## CONFERENCE

			48.00
			2.55
50.00	14.45	64.45	
45.00	11.90	56.90	
22.00	3.75	25.75	11.00
26.00		26.00	40.00
26.75	9.50	36.25	8.00
			28.00
24.00		124.00	
20.00		20.00	
40.00		40.00	
20.25		20.25	47.45
			84.50
4.00	.85	4.85	58.65
		15.05	50.75
23.05	40.45	433.50	382.90

## ALABAMA CONFERENCE

Wesley Adair	BR	41	28	\$136.00	\$6.35	\$142.35	\$
Carl Aiken	BR	15	17	74.00		74.00	
Frank Banks	GC	11	6	24.00	1.95	25.95	
Charles Berry	BR	39	42	206.00	6.45	212.45	
G W Brown	BR	50	5	24.00		24.00	6.00
Roy Campbell	BR	27	48	194.00		194.00	
R D Capps	BR	14	13	58.00		58.00	12.00
R J Cook	GC	43	38	164.50	4.25	168.75	
Leonora Eldon	BR	24	17	74.00	2.40	76.40	
Thos Fountain	BR	37	42	208.00	5.00	213.00	
J C Holland	BR	2	4	21.00		21.00	
A C Hughes	OD	31					166.00
Rosa Johnson	BR	21	15	75.00	3.00	78.00	
Hugh Jones	GC	19	12	54.00	3.00	57.00	
Ed Lockett	RB	51	29	169.00	11.75	180.75	
Emmet McCoy	GC	43	24	109.00		109.00	
W C Mullins	BR	40	30	148.00	20.85	168.85	
Wilmer Nelson	BR	21	6	27.00		27.00	
C A Powers	BR	2	2	10.00		10.00	6.00
R L Smith	BR	38					359.00
R I Thomas	BR	45	47	246.00		246.00	
J T Weed	BR	27	48	222.00		222.00	
M E Whatley	BR	42	44	188.00	4.05	192.05	
E Widgery	DR, BR	29	22	91.00		91.00	
Jas Williams	BR	31	15	69.00		69.00	
J A Williams	BR	50	9	45.00	8.70	53.70	48.00
Bibles				20.30		20.30	
Total		793	563	2656.80	77.75	2734.55	597.00
Grand total		3012	2223	10235.20	323.20	10632.43	2497.45

Summary of the Book Work in the Southern Union  
Conference for May, 1919

Conference	Colporteurs	Hours	Orders	Value	Deliveries
Kentucky	25	8567	1948	\$8789.95	\$8112.68
Mississippi	38	2845	1756	8673.12	1254.20
Alabama	25	2498	1480	6945.95	1963.40
Louisiana	25	1608	922	4924.40	1876.75
Tennessee River	19	1683	550	2809.70	860.00
	127	12,151	6656	32,143.12	13,567.03

## Comparative Sales for the Corresponding Month Last Year

Conference	1918	1919	Gain	Loss
Kentucky	\$4361.90	\$8789.95	\$4428.25	
Mississippi	4466.10	8673.12	207.02	
Alabama	2326.40	6945.95	4619.55	
Louisiana	4012.00	4924.40	902.40	
Tennessee River	1276.35	2809.70	1533.35	
	20,442.55	32,143.12	11,700.57	

Gain 57%.

V. O. COLE.

## TENNESSEE RIVER CONFERENCE

### Change of School Location

It will probably be a surprise to some when they learn that it has been decided to close Hazel School, sell the property and move the school to a more central location, probably in the neighborhood of Guthrie or Bowling Green, but this step has been made necessary by the experiences of the past two or three years and the changes incident to the constant growth of the work in Tennessee and Kentucky. Hazel has never had a large attendance, though financially the school has been a success until the last year or two. Our work is constantly growing, and I am sure we are all glad to have it so, but it must be remembered that this very fact makes it necessary to make changes from time to time. When the school was started at Ooltewah, many students who should have gone to Hazel went to the new school and this has continued right along. For this and other reasons that might be mentioned, Hazel has not prospered the last few years, and it was run at a considerable loss the last year.

Recently at a meeting of the Southern Union Committee it was voted that the Committee look with favor upon the erection of a school in Southern Mississippi for the three Conferences—Alabama, Mississippi, and Louisiana. This takes from us any hope of support from these fields in the future. Hazel is too remote from the Kentucky Conference for them to give us very much support, and there are many of our own people in the eastern part of the Tennessee River Conference who feel and have felt for a long time that

the school should be removed to a more convenient and central point, and that if this were done they could give it more support. At the recent campmeeting in Louisville, Ky., the question of a school for that field came up for consideration, and after Elders Wight and Keate had laid the matter before the people and told them that Tennessee might be willing to move their school to a point more convenient for Kentucky, the people were asked for an expression, and voted almost unanimously that they were willing to unite with Tennessee in securing a location and establishing a school at some central point which could be used by the two fields.

After this meeting, I called the Tennessee River Conference Committee to meet the 9th of June at Hazel, Ky., to decide what we should do, whether we should endeavor to go ahead with the school where it is, or join Kentucky in a move to build up a school for the two fields.

I invited a number of leading brethren in our Conference to attend this meeting and several of them did so. After studying the whole question and discussing every phase of it as fully as possible, it was at last moved and carried by a large majority of those present that we sell the property, and with Kentucky seek out a suitable location for the school and proceed to erect a new school. I was also asked by the Committee to appoint a committee of five to work with a like committee, appointed by Kentucky, in seeking for a new location.

While for sentimental reasons some of us are sorry to see the school at Hazel close, yet the development of the work in the South is making many changes necessary these days. I think

no one doubts the wisdom of moving the school from Graysville to Ooltewah. We now see how God is blessing in the new location, and I believe that the plans for Hazel, if carried out, will result in further strengthening the educational work in our field, and will also result in blessings to both Tennessee and Kentucky. We shall begin at once to search for a location, and you will probably hear from us regarding this in the very near future. We hope to have your support and prayers in this move.

W. R. ELLIOTT.

### Memphis

I am glad to tell the readers of the WORKER my courage is good. The work here is encouraging in many ways. There is a greater interest here in the city than there ever has been. Some are so interested that they come in a downpour of rain rather than miss the meeting on Sunday night. A Sunday School teacher I am reading with is so enthused she is studying and pouring over the studies. Every time when I get there for her study she is studying the book "Daniel and Revelation" verse at a time and going over and over it. She said she wished her minister could be at the studies. I told her her minister would tell her she had better let these studies alone, and she said she didn't listen to any man, but was studying for herself. She certainly will accept the truth.

A lady here who lost her little boy recently, who is very sad, met Bro. Keele while he was out canvassing, while she was visiting in Paducah. His talk and prayer with her was such a source of comfort to her she will never get through talking about it. He and his wife then visited her and she is so interested now that

she wants to study the truth and attend our church. They wrote and asked me to visit her, and then told her I would go to see her. Yesterday when I called she was the happiest woman to see someone else of the same faith, and was so charmed that I could study with her and she was so carried away with our little study. So you see what grand opportunities the colporteurs have when out. They find the dear souls who are hungry for the truth that are not found otherwise; they not only help others, but their own souls are watered.

Oh, that all might have a part in the work. It is encouraging what our Missionary Secretary is doing here, and those who are at work, they come to the services with their faces beaming with joy.

MRS. H. EDER.

#### Memphis Church School

A very successful school year has just closed for the Memphis Church School. Five have finished the school and some are planning on attending our higher school next year. The prospect of a large attendance looks bright for another year.

The closing exercises of the school were held in the church auditorium Thursday evening, June 5th, at 8:30 o'clock. There was an extra large attendance. The program rendered under the direction of Miss Minnie Brown, the teacher, was an excellent one and was much enjoyed by all. Good music was a special feature. The Memphis church is well pleased with its church school and the results accomplished with the young children.

At the close a vote of thanks was given Miss Brown for her untiring efforts in making this school a success.

### Gives the Message

The following are expressive of the many letters the publishers have received from all parts of the field in regard to Elder Haynes' latest book, "Bible Prophecies Unfolding." One of the General Conference Home Missionary Secretaries writes:

"Since receiving this book I have had an opportunity to analyze it carefully from cover to cover, and I want to say that to my mind it is the most comprehensive and all inclusive presentation of the message we have to date in any of our small books."

Bro. J. B. Blosser, the veteran field secretary of the Central Union Conference, writes of "Bible Prophecies Unfolding" as follows:

"To say I am pleased with it does not half tell the story. It appeals to me that it is a book that will have a large circulation because it has so much of the message in it. That fact is the only thing that interests me in any of the books. Besides, that is what sells them, for this truth is what the world needs to know and desires to know when it is presented to them in the right way."

That it gives the message is the reason for the first edition, 50,000, having been sold within a few days. It is a book that will be found very useful in tent meetings, as well as for Bible workers and lay members of our churches in doing effectual missionary work with their friends and neighbors. Price 25c, postpaid. Usual discount in quantities of ten or more. Place all orders through your tract society.



#### The Home Study Habit

This is a habit to form if you cannot go to school. And the Fireside Correspondence School was organized to help you form this habit. The President of the General Conference says: "I believe this school is conferring an unspeakable benefit upon our people."

For full particulars write today to the Principal, C. C. Lewis, Takoma Park, D. C.

#### "Out of the Fire"

"One of my sons was passing along a place a few days ago

where was destroyed worthless matter. He saw a partly burned copy of your Magazine, which he brought home. I looked it over and read what little was left to read. I found it to be of religious sentiment, which was very pleasing to my heart.

"I will enclose a few fragments so you may know how the Gospel of Jesus Christ is found even amongst fragments of refuse. I desire you to send me a copy of the Watchman Magazine, as I am inclined to subscribe for the same."

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## Summer Schools

Ooltewah.....June 5 - July 31

Oakwood.....June 10 - July 22

## Campmeeting

Alabama, white.....Aug. 21-31

Mississippi, white and

colored.....Aug. 28-Sept. 7

Tennessee, white and

colored.....Sept. 4-14

Alabama, colored... Sept. 15-21

## Southern Junior College

### Notes

This last week has been an especially busy one at the Southern Junior College. Tuesday a carload of plaster came in; and that night, there being bright moonlight, the boys unloaded the entire car, working practically the whole night. The sand is now in for the plastering and they are unloading the car today. Two other cars are on the way, as well as a car of lime. The fire escapes have come for the boys' dormitory, and some of the braces are already up. The plasterers are expected this week. Brethren Woodall and

Anderson, of High Point, North Carolina, are to do the work. They gave us a very satisfactory job on the girls' home, and we look forward to having the boys' building finished as nicely as the girls'.

The hole for the septic tank is finished, and part of the concrete work done. They are expecting to have the tank completed this week. Just as soon as we can get the floors laid in the bath-rooms we will be ready for the installation of bath-room fixtures.

Electricity at the school this fall is practically assured. Every arrangement is made with the Tennessee Power Company, which is to furnish the current, and it is merely a question of finding the best right-of-way and a few other details before signing up and beginning work.

We were very much pleased with the reports coming from the students who have gone out into the canvassing work. A report just came in from Julia Inabinet, who is canvassing in Kentucky for one of our books, stating that her first day out, working from 7 o'clock in the morning until 5:30 in the evening, brought her \$69 worth of orders. We think this is the record, so far as we have heard, for any student, and this is her first year out. Let the students who are canvassing remember the goal that has been set for the Southern Junior College this year. Seventy-two thousand dollars' worth of books is a good big goal, and yet it can be reached. The school is laying plans to keep in touch with every student this summer, and we are anxious to get the address of all the students, so that we can send them weekly information as to how this campaign is progressing.

Summer School has begun in

earnest. At the present time there are thirty-seven teachers from the different Conferences enrolled. Every room in the girls' home is filled, there being quite a number of students who are staying at the school this summer.

Everything bids fair for a very successful year on the farm and garden. We have had good rains, and our garden is in ship-shape all the way around.

Mrs. L. H. Wood left the past week for an extended visit in the North.

## Alone With Jesus

Alone with Jesus! What a sweet and holy spot! What a blessed refuge to which the soul may betake itself from the charges of Satan, the accusations of the world, and the sorrows of life! Sweet spots for the heart to unfold itself, to tell its hidden tale in the ear of infinite love, tenderness and compassion. Alone with Jesus.

How different a front would Christianity present to the world if the Lord's people were oftener there! What humility and gentleness and love would characterize all their dealings! What holiness stamped on every brow, that all might read! What few judgments passed on others; how many more on ourselves! What calmness and resignation and joyful submissions to all the Lord's dealings!

It is good to have money, and the things money will buy; but it is good to check up once in a while and make sure you have not lost the things that money will not buy.—Dr. G. H. Lormer.

## Special Offerings for 1919

Midsummer.....July 12

Colored Work.....Oct. 11

Annual Offering.....Dec. 20