


SOUTHERN UNION WORKER



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

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COLPORTEURS' WORK

More than likely the readers of this paper have been watching the reports coming in from the colporteurs in the field and have rejoiced with them in the success attained. It is very gratifying to read the reports. It is evidently the work of the Holy Spirit and not of human hands. The Lord has most signally blessed, going out before the colporteurs and preparing the way for the sale of the books. It leads one to believe that the great work is a part of the loud cry of the third angel's message.

The great majority of the workers in the field are putting in faithful time and much effort. We must not expect the majority of those who are now engaged in the colporteur work to put in more time and sell more books, but we should expect many people who are not today in the work to enlist and lighten the burdens of those who are already in the fields.

These encouraging reports should cheer the hearts of the believers and be the means of changing the occupation of many people. We are told that some will come from the plow and from the work-shop; and is it possible that today able men are still working to earn their livelihood when so many people are in darkness? The light of this message is to shine through this darkened world through the efforts of men

and women who have had the privilege of knowing this message.

The Lord is revealing Himself today to the faithful workers. We invite all to engage in some branch in this great work, and those whom the Lord is calling to the colporteur work we especially invite to enter at once. This is the time of our visitation.

Changes are taking place fast. Soon the work will be finished and there will be no more need for books or pamphlets.

S. E. WIGHT.

Notice

I wonder how many of our people enjoyed the Missionary Readings for Educational Rally Day, Sabbath, Aug. 16. Do you know where these readings were taken from? No. Well then, I shall tell you a secret. All of these articles appeared in the August issue of "Christian Educator" quite a while before they came out as special readings. Many of

them were much longer and more interesting in their first form. Moral: Subscribe for and become a regular reader of this splendid monthly magazine. It is replete in each issue with an abundance of good material for those interested in our educational problems and kindred subjects. The subscription price is but one dollar a year.

JOHN C. THOMPSON.

Missionary Volunteer Work

"Train the young to do what is appointed them, and from week to week let them bring their reports to the missionary meeting, telling what they have experienced and through the grace of Christ what success has been theirs. If such reports were brought in by consecrated workers, the missionary meetings would not be dull and tedious. They would be full of interest, and there would be no lack in attendance." Vol. 6, p. 436.

The reports which came in from all parts of the field indicate that this instruction given by the servant of the Lord is being carried out. Then, too, I have been privileged to visit a

Report of Young People's Missionary Volunteer Work for Six Months
Ending June 30, 1919

	Alabama		Kentucky		Louisiana		Mississippi		Tenn. River		Union	
	Goal	Results	Goal	Results	Goal	Results	Goal	Results	Goal	Results	Goal	Results
Conversions	24	—	30	9	12	35	10	0	34	35	110	79
Bible Year Readers	10	18	11	13	6	25	5	5	16	18	48	79
Standard of Attainment	19	0	22	0	12	0	9	0	28	8	90	8
Reading Course	32	0	32	0	18	3	15	22	48	51	145	76
Instructor	125	115	126	64	82	96	42	50	175	212	550	476
Reporting Members	118	—	122	—	62	57	40	51	178	207	520	315
Mission	\$335	\$12	\$315	\$54	\$225	\$32	\$125	\$26	\$500	\$622	\$1500	\$746

JOHN C. THOMPSON.

number of our societies and have not found a single meeting to be "dull and tedious." Often after a well-prepared program, which inspired the young people to live a better Christian life, was rendered, time was given to individuals to relate some experiences they had while doing missionary work that week. Those experiences were really the life of the meeting.

The most encouraging feature of what was done the first half of this year is that 35 young people were converted. True, we are living in the sifting time, but it is very evident that Christ is earnestly calling individuals to Him, and we rejoice with Him that 35 of our young people responded to His call.

Our young people have cultivated an exceptionally good appetite for the reading of the best books. They agree with an aged minister who said: "I find that I haven't time to read good books, for there are too many which keep me busy reading the best books." I am also sending Reading Course books from the Circulating Library to a number of people who are not Adventists. One lady who is a Methodist writes: "Miss Rogers, I think the Reading Course books just wonderful. I certainly appreciate the opportunity to obtain them to read, and I feel so much better for having read them. I find life more bright than ever before." She reads more of the Library books than anyone else, and passes them on to her neighbors to read. She is going to attend campmeeting if she can, and if she does, I fully believe she will accept the truth.

Even though we issued only eight Standard of Attainment Certificates, there are about fifty who are studying for the next examination. We are living in an age when people are required to

know things, and not to guess at them. We, as Adventists, should be able to give a reason for the hope that is within us, not, I think, I guess, but "I know that my Redeemer liveth and that we shall stand at the latter day upon the earth." If you have not already enrolled for the Standard of Attainment, enroll now.

In nearly every Union paper we pick up we read of some great

record being broken. Our Missionary Volunteers have caught the breaking record spirit. Never before have the Missionary Volunteers of the Tennessee River Conference given \$911.80 to missions in a year's time, while this amount was given by them during the first six months of 1919. I like to look at our goals and the amount attained the first six months of the year in the following form:

	Conference Goal	Amount attained first 6 mos. 1919
Young people converted	34	35
Reading Course Certificates	48	51
Standard of Attainment Certificates	16	8
Persons to read the Bible through	28	33 Reading
Youth's Instructor subscriptions	175	213
Reporting membership	178	207
Money for Missions	\$500.00	\$911.80

SADIE ROGERS.

KENTUCKY CONFERENCE

Room 621 Crutcher and Starks Building
Louisville, Kentucky.

News Notes

Sister R. Y. Howard of Covington writes: "The preachers here, and also in Cincinnati, are trying to block our work by preaching against us and giving out Canright's books.

Where Mr. Howard was delivering in the country two girls from here were visiting, and when he handed the book to his subscriber, they began saying it was an old Seventh-day Adventist book, and that they were filling Covington with their papers and books. They also said, 'If you could hear what our preacher says about them, you would never have anything to do with it.' " All our workers need our earnest prayers, for they are meeting with opposition like this right along.

Elder W. H. White sends in a good report of his series of meetings held at Powder Millis. The church now has a full set of of-

ficers for the first time in some years. Then Sabbath school is organized, and they have made plans to do their part in the Harvest Ingathering campaign. The ordinances were celebrated.

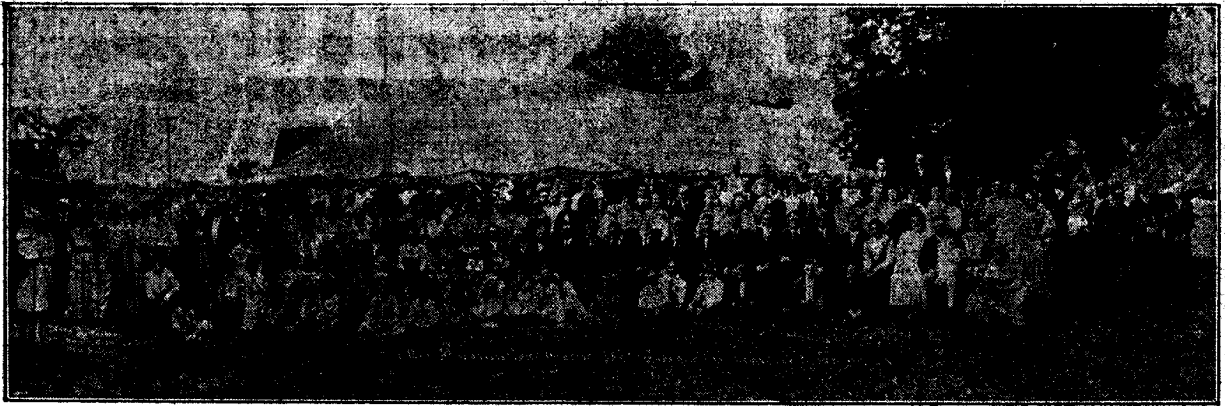
F. F. Harrison writes of an excellent interest at Slaughter, where he has been working.

Brother Brownlie is holding meetings at Betsey. He was not able to get the place to hold meetings that we expected, and so has started under difficulties. He writes encouragingly of the prospects. Don't fail to remember him in your prayers.

Bro. Noal C. Bennett, one of our isolated members who lives at Woodrow, writes in that he has been holding some meetings, and urges that some one come down to visit and help him.

Brother Lee Crutcher writes of one ready for baptism and others keeping the Sabbath. He is urgently requesting some one to hold some meetings down there. We should not forget to continue to petition the Throne of Grace for more laborers. Truly the harvest is great, but the laborers are few.

R. I. KEATE.



Seventh-day Adventist Campmeeting, 35th and Garland Sts., Louisville, Ky., June, 1919.

Office Mail Bag

The Harvest Ingathering work was launched Sabbath. Monday was spent in active service by the Louisville church. The amount gathered has not yet been ascertained, but will be reported later.

Sabbath service, August 16th, was given to the consideration of the importance of Christian education. Bro. A. A. Davis presented many impressive thoughts.

Brother Castle is out of the office for a few days. He went to Owensboro last Friday, where he spent the Sabbath and conducted a baptismal service. The person who followed their Lord in baptism was the fruit of the faithful efforts of one of our colporteurs.

Elder Keate is spending a little time in the office. He has already secured \$5.40 and Mrs. Keate \$7.00 on the Harvest Ingathering goal. Elder and Mrs. Keate are the first to report having reached the \$5.00 goal.

Bro. Frank Thompson and family were happily surprised by a short visit over the week-end by his brother, Prof. P. Lamont Thompson, and wife, two sisters, Martha and Marita, also father and mother,—almost a family reunion.

Bro. J. W. Rowe, who is working in a town that seems to be given over to the world, writes: "I am sure the Lord is with me, and I am of good courage and more desirous than ever to go forward and help finish this

great work. Pray that I may be faithful until the Lord says, 'It is done'."

Bro. Fred A. Mote had a fine delivery over in Rockcastle County last week. "I took some extra books with me and failed to deliver one, but came back without any. The Lord surely blessed me."

Do not forget the collection on August 30 for the SOUTHERN UNION WORKER. We hope every member in Kentucky will be very liberal in this collection. Those that do not have church privileges can send their donations in to the Conference office and it will be much appreciated.

DELLA BLEWETTE.

The Kentucky Campmeetings

Two campmeetings—the colored and the white—were held by the Kentucky Conference in Louisville June 2-8. Each was the largest of its kind ever held in this conference, and those present said the best. Eld. and Sister Haskell, Elder Meade MacGuire, Harry K. Christmah from the General Conference, gave valuable and much appreciated instruction. Elder S. E. Wight, Elder I. M. Martin, Prof. O. R. Staines, Bro. V. O. Cole, Prof. J. C. Thompson, Doctor Sutherland, and Elder W. R. Elliott, president of the Tennessee River Conference, contributed very materially to the success of the good meetings we had. Eld. J. H. Lawrence also gave much appreciated help at the colored meetings.

Some of the interesting features of the white meeting were: The Spirit of the Lord was present in a marked way, and was especially manifested at the consecration service Sabbath morning when a large number came forward to gain victories, renew their consecrations, or give themselves to the Lord. It was larger than any previous meeting. There were 40 colporteurs present. There were 56 young people on the ground. The meeting was only six days long, though it was preceded by a workers' meeting, which lasted a couple of days. Fifteen were baptized. Forty members of the Conference church were present. At 6:30 Sabbath morning the ordinances of the Lord's house were celebrated by the members of the Conference church, and the Lord truly came near in this meeting. The Sabbath school collection amounted to about \$450, and \$3000 more was given in cash and pledges for foreign missions and for local purposes.

No conference sessions were held, but one period was devoted to reports of the various lines of our work, all of which indicated that marked progress was being made, for which we sincerely thank our Heavenly Father.

R. I. KEATE.

Special Offerings for 1919
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Colporteurs' Report Southern Union

Thirteen Accept the Truth As the Result of One Harvest Ingathering Paper

Referring to the Harvest Ingathering work in the Australasian Union, Elder Cecil K. Meyers, the Union Home Missionary Secretary, writes:

"Apart from the value this work is in getting money for missions, it is a great help to fire the missionary spirit in our people. We are having definite results in winning souls from the circulation of these magazines also. The giving of one paper in Victoria last year brought thirteen people into the truth."

This is the story: "One of our sisters called upon a lady in her territory in the interests of the Harvest Ingathering work. At first the visit was resented, but the resentment was broken down by the talk on missions which ensued, and finally the door of the home was thrown open for Bible studies. Our sister took one of our Bible workers with her, and as a result of the Bible study, the lady in this home, and her mother also, accepted the truth. Two of the lady's sisters, living in another state, were communicated with, and now these two women, with their husbands, living in New South Wales, are in the truth. In addition to these six adults, seven children belonging to the families represented are in the truth. This all started from the giving of this one paper. We have many other cases of individuals coming into the truth as a direct result of the work being done by our 'Appeal for Missions' workers."

The opportunity to engage in this work, so far-reaching in results, has again returned. Upon every man, woman and child in our ranks rests the responsibility of doing his part. Not only in

KENTUCKY CONFERENCE

Name	Book	Hrs.	Orders	Value	Helps	Total	Deliv'd
May Armstrong	BR	28	28	\$118.00	\$	\$118.00	\$1.25
Mary Aldridge	BR	50	25	102.00	24.50	118.00	10.00
Cleo Adams	BR	43	25	112.00	24.75	136.75	
G T Ashlock	OD	52	41	102.50		102.50	
W H Buckles	OD	26			.25	.25	34.50
Don Courville	BR	42	9	36.00	2.00	38.00	
Dorris Davis	BR	28	1	6.00		6.00	33.00
Gertrude Falls	OD	14	16	40.00		40.00	
H M Gibson	BR	38	30	133.00	40.50	173.50	
*F F Harrison	BR	51	21	97.00	4.60	101.60	392.45
Raymond Harp	BR	6	7	28.00		28.00	
M L Howard	BR	30					266.50
Claud Hughes	BR	42	89	401.00	8.50	409.50	3.75
Julia Inabinet	BR	21					65.85
Wilmer Lyon	BR	10	2	8.00	2.95	10.95	
Roscoe Moore	BR	18	10	41.00		41.00	
Fred A Mote	BR	10					65.70
H W Perrin	BR	43	27	114.00	8.80	122.80	
C B Sherer	BR	6					24.00
Lester Sevener	BR	50	26	109.00	6.80	115.80	
M Thompson	OD	30	31	87.50	5.00	92.50	
* I O Wallace	BR	64	6	25.00		25.00	278.70
Mag Weeden	OD	33	20	51.00	9.00	60.00	
*2wk Total		735	414	1611.00	137.65	1748.65	1175.70

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*H Moomaugh	BR	10	71	\$337.00	\$	\$337.00	
W C Causey	BR	26	66	286.00	5.00	291.00	
A Pendas	BR	33	26	112.00		112.00	21.80
C Shaskey	BR	10	22	93.00	12.00	105.00	
W D Bush	DR	34	19	92.00		92.00	6.00
G B Richardson	OD	11	26	72.00		72.00	72.00
W B Wilfong	DR	32	17	69.00	2.50	71.50	
**B Wiggan	DR	48	14	61.00		61.00	25.00
A Sawyer	BR	8	12	52.00	2.45	54.45	
C Starkweather	BR	29	10	47.00		47.00	42.75
W Watson	BR	8	7	30.00		30.00	38.00
*J A Doran	DR	39	3	12.00		12.00	127.00
O Stephen	DR	11	2	9.00		9.00	15.00
W A Hunt	BR	25	2	8.00	.75	8.75	151.00
H W Sellers	DR	21			7.25	7.25	16.25
R Harris	OD	62					22.95
Bibles				35.55		35.55	21.30
Total		407	297	1315.55	29.95	1345.50	559.05

*-Aug. 9, **-Aug. 2, 9, 16.

America, but in the mission fields as well, the Harvest Ingathering work is being carried on with marvelous results. The present time of cessation from war, with prosperity on every hand, is

most opportune for the children of God to gather funds for investment in heavenly treasure. Let each be faithful in doing his part, and results will be manifold.
C. V. LEACH, Sec.
General Conference Home Missionary Dept.

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C R Cannada	DR	56	93	\$493.00	\$48.90	\$541.90	\$
Andrew Toms	BR	47	104	441.00		441.00	
Paul Quimby	BR	47	85	402.00		402.00	
E R Francis	BR	39	54	266.00		266.00	
E S Scales	BR	31	59	258.00	3.65	261.65	
P Hampton	BR	40	38	193.00	3.50	196.50	
M Hastings	BR	40	44	188.00		188.00	
T J Connors	BR	41	31	161.00	3.40	164.40	
E Billups	BR	40	25	119.00		119.00	
Fred Rahm	BR	30	27	117.00	1.00	118.00	
M J Patrick	DR	49					114.00
*R S Little	BR	107	160	807.00	12.70	819.70	
*H Howard	BR	68	38	170.00	12.75	182.75	
C H Gordon	BR	19	17	92.00	5.60	97.60	
Byron Young	BR	32	18	79.00	6.80	85.80	
C E Collins	BR	30	18	81.00	9.00	90.00	
J W Taylor	CK	56	34	82.00		82.00	
A A Johnson	BR	17	18	77.00	.50	77.50	
H D Brooks	BR	31	14	64.00	5.00	69.00	
C B White	BR	30	10	49.00		49.00	
Mrs T J Connors	BR	5	7	35.00	3.40	38.40	
M A Murphy	DR	21					34.00
R Clark	BR	21					28.00
J H Patterson	BR	59	5	24.00		24.00	14.00
West Brown	BR	28			4.20	4.20	20.00
Mrs Harrell	GC	6			4.20	4.20	9.00
Bertha Cade	BR	5	1	5.00	3.25	8.25	
E Chastain	BR	2	1	4.00	3.15	7.15	
Jacob Sougths	BR	2			1.70	1.70	4.00
Bibles						85.65	
*2wk	Total	993	901	4207.00	132.70	4425.35	223.00

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B F Swan	BR	30					114.10
L Rayford & H S							
Baskerville	DR, BR	28	23	108.70		108.70	
Forrest Wade	BR	11	30	79.00	11.05	90.05	1.70
W J Keele	DR, BFL	32	16	34.50	22.95	57.45	9.95
P Zalabak	DR, BR	36	11	46.00		46.00	13.00
Mollie Hurdle	BR	25	11	50.00		50.00	13.00
H Cheshier	DR	33	2	8.00	1.70	9.70	44.00
K McComas	BR	6					41.55
Elton Chapman	BR	49	7	28.00	3.40	31.40	3.40
Mark Zalabak	BR	49	4	16.00	5.10	21.10	5.10
R J Hyatt	Misc			7.00		7.00	18.35
L B Getter	Helps	42		15.25		15.25	15.25
Susie McGee	BR	31	2	8.00	13.50	21.50	4.00
P Keele	OD, Helps	14					10.85
John Williams	DR	32	5				10.00
Total		418	111	400.45	57.70	458.15	334.25
Grand total		2558	1723	7234.00	310.95	7977.65	2292.00

To the Colored Believers of Alabama

The campmeeting is drawing on apace and we thank God for it. Those who attended the meetings in Anniston last year realize the great blessings they received. This year brings us one year nearer our "Eternal Home" and we are looking for much greater blessings. As the rain comes down to water the earth and give bread to the eater and seed to the sower, so will the Lord "rain" upon His people, to prepare them for a greater and grander work the next twelve months.

The Speakers

Elder S. E. Wight, the Union president, will be there to advise; Elder J. F. Wright, the local president, will admirably fill his place; Brother B. C. Marshall, the Alabama secretary, will tell what goes with the money; Brethren V. O. Cole, O. R. Staines, and Professor Thompson will be there to take their turns. Elders W. H. Green, Secretary of the North American Negro Department, with his "round table" talks; J. H. Lawrence, Union evangelist, with his spiritual advice; Randall Johnson, of Mississippi, and J. G. Dasent, of Kentucky, both men of experience and sound judgment, are expected to visit us.

Expenses

Tent, with floor	\$3.50.
Tent, without floor	\$3.00.
Single cots (if possible)	.50.
Double cots (if possible)	.75.
Chairs, each	.25.

Note: Where two persons occupy one tent together it will be \$1.75 each for the floored tent and \$1.50 each for tent unfloored. Shavings will be used to floor tents.

Bring your own bedding, such as quilts, sheets, pillow cases, bed spreads, and any other thing

that will make your tent look neat. The camp will be ready to receive the guests Friday, Sept. 12. Campmeeting proper opens Monday, September 15. Be on time. Write T. H. Allison, 1109 College St., Birmingham, Ala., telling him what you want. Tent and cots are limited, so write for yours today.

MISSISSIPPI CONFERENCE

The Work at Edwards and Hattiesburg

Ecclesiastes 11:6

If there is joy in heaven among the angels when souls "come to themselves," and their God, what does it mean to fallible sons of men to share this joy of the angels?

Extracts gathered from our consecrated colporteurs' letters sounding the note of victory seem to us a bunch of beautiful flowers whose fragrance cheers other workers on their way.

So when ministers and Bible workers hear the testimony of precious souls coming to the light of Present Truth they see in a measure the "travail of their soul" and rejoice to lay the trophies at the feet of their King, Jesus.

It was the writer's happy lot to be associated in an effort at Edwards, Miss., where in the face of strong, determined opposition six precious souls accepted God's last warning message. Two of these were born and reared Roman Catholics. One was a man of some 86 years of age, unusually well preserved, mentally, with clear, active mind, keen discernment, and sound judgment. This dear old man had been afflicted for some time with such deafness that he could not hear a minister speak in the church, and as they did

not have a burden to make him hear at home, the old gentleman was somewhat gospel-starved.

Our young minister came into this man's home with a real love for souls, and with a Christ-like patience used his strong, clear voice to carry God's message of love and warning. The wise old man detected the true ring of heavenly love and responded. Oh! It was worth weeks of toil to see the white-haired old man in his arm-chair with his keen eye riveted on the young minister as a child sits spellbound when the parent tells a wondrous story, or with his arm around his teacher in a fond embrace. This old gentleman and his wife gladly embraced God's Sabbath and he was willing to break with an almost life-long tobacco habit, promising his pipe to the minister as an encouragement to younger men to follow in the good way.

One of the converts from Catholicism writes: "It makes me so happy to know that I am one of God's chosen disciples. May He grant that I grow in grace and become more like Him every day. Well, I did go to Jackson the last Sabbath in June and took the blessed sacrament of our Lord Jesus Christ with the rest of my dear sisters. It was a grand sweet Sabbath to me."

Other points of interest would make this too long, as we wish to speak of the work at Hattiesburg.

But we're thankful that more than six who did yield were left earnestly studying God's Holy Word.

The work at Edwards was cut a little short to begin the tent work at Hattiesburg June 12th. Soon after this meeting began there came a splendid old gentleman of more than 60 who has traveled over this country from Alaska to Panama, and farther,

into South America where he has seen our missionaries abused by the Roman Catholics.

From the first he was interested and one could see the working of the Holy Spirit. During a visit one day he frankly stated that he was (as he said) a "rough fellow" who could not talk without "cussing." One Friday evening, after the elder had presented the testing truths, he asked for an expression from those who would surrender fully to their God. This man arose. Tuesday he had the misfortune to drive a nail through his finger. What do you think happened? Why, never an ugly word! The One to whom he had committed the keeping of his soul was able to do for him "exceeding abundantly."

Last Sabbath, this excellent (now) Christian gentleman and his splendid wife became members of the Hattiesburg Church. And this is not all that our dear God has wrought, because a dozen more are obeying fully their God's commands, most of whom are coming to the Sabbath school and church. One of these is a prominent business woman who dared to stop her work and pin a Sabbath notice to her door.

One sister who seemed so earnest thought she could not keep the Sabbath until the next week, so we had to leave her, commending her to God. Friday she put some clothes to soak, intending to wash them her last working Sabbath. Early Sabbath morning, about 3 o'clock, she had a dream and such an experience that she woke her husband to tell him that God was calling after her and that she must keep this Sabbath *now*. She put all work aside and came to Sabbath school and preaching.

The one city paper has treated us ideally. While we have paid for 95 inches of advertising, they

have given us 319 inches, which, if paid for, would have cost \$111.85. They have courteously published the full synopsis of every sermon, except two, when the columns were crowded by unusual local happenings. The synopses were given a prominent place, too. This included the one on the Sabbath, which was not abridged in the least.

One of our colporteurs stated that all Jones county was stirred by reading these articles in the daily paper. Not only were these published daily, but also put in the special noon edition for sale on trains.

The expense of our first pitching, freight and all, was \$116.27, while our donations were \$105. Of course we have our lumber and tent furnishings, which are worth \$18.43.

Mrs. H. BALSBAUGH.

times the amount. You can see how the outpouring of the Holy Spirit has come to Louisiana.”

**TENNESSEE
RIVER
CONFERENCE**

Colored Campmeeting

The accompanying cut is a picture of the grove where we will hold our campmeeting Sept. 4-14.

This is a very desirable place for a meeting of this kind, and we are quite fortunate in securing it. Every member of the Tennessee River Mission should be present at the opening meeting.

We are living in a wonderful

tance. Every church officer should, by all means, attend, as we need to better understand methods of giving the message quickly to our own people. The expense will be small. Tents will rent at \$3.50; cots 50 cents extra. Meals will be served on the cafeteria plan. You should bring your bedding.

“It is important that the members of our churches should attend our campmeetings. The enemies of truth are many, and because our numbers are few, we should present as strong a front as possible. Individually you need the benefits of the meetings and God calls upon you to number one in the ranks of truth.”
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**LOUISIANA
CONFERENCE**

**Louisiana Report of Sales of Crisis Books
For Week Ending August 16, 1919**

	No.	Value
A. Harrell	20	\$ 5.00
Elizabeth Mitchell	20	5.00
Ida Perry	50	12.50
Mrs. S. J. Webb	40	10.00
Augustine Percy	20	5.00
Mrs. M. E. Perry	8	2.00
Robert Burke	20	5.00
C. L. Hamilton	170	42.50
Fred Spencer	32	8.00
Mrs. Grantham	12	3.00

Bro. C. J. Starkweather writes: “I walked up to a lady’s house and told her my business and she said she already had one book just like it. I then asked her to let me see it, as some say that they have one already just to get rid of you. She then brought it to me. I asked her if she liked the book, and she said she did; so I asked her if she would take the \$4.00 back again, and she said no, not three

period of this world’s history and the times demand that we come together to seek God for the outpouring of His Holy Spirit. We need a deeper experience if we survive the anarchy, deception and trials just ahead of us.

Here we will have those who have had long experience in this message to counsel and give the help each one may need.

The white campmeeting will be held at the same time and this will enable us to secure strong help from their meeting.

This is also “Conference Year” and many things of importance will come before us. You should be here to discuss and vote upon matters of far-reaching impor-

Elder Green, our general secretary, and Elder Lawrence, our Union evangelist, are expected. Also Elders Wight and Staines and other strong help will be on the ground.

Those desiring tents should write the undersigned, Box 13, Jackson, Tenn.

MILTON YOUNG.

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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

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Publishing House Notes

Last week we were pleased to receive a visit from Bro. E. B. Jones, formerly foreman of the composing room of the *Review and Herald*, who is now on his way to India to connect with the Lucknow printing office. He expressed himself as very much pleased with the arrangement and equipment of our factory.

One of our former employees, Miss Alice Beard of Loveland, Colo., returned to Nashville a few days ago and has again taken up work in the editorial and proofreading department. We are pleased to welcome Miss Beard back as a member of the Publishing House family.

Professor Spalding, editor of *The Watchman Magazine*, leaves this week to attend the campmeetings in the Southern Union. He expects to be away until the middle of September.

Owing to one of the assistants in the Atlanta Branch, Robert Cowdrick, having gotten the "canvassing fever," he resigned in order to make a scholarship so that he can attend school at Ooltewah this coming winter. This left Brother Randall short

of help and he therefore wired the Home Office for a stenographer. Accordingly Miss Eleanor Paustain was released from her work here and was expecting to leave the first of this week for Atlanta.

A new record was established last week so far as the Southern Publishing Association is concerned in shipping books by express. The shipment consisted of 23 cases of "Practical Guide to Health," containing 1,648 copies and weighing 6,570 lbs., or over 3¼ tons. This is the largest express shipment ever made by this office. It was consigned to Canada, in response to an order received by wire.

Some splendid records are being made this year in getting out the Harvest Ingathering *Watchman*. Our Dexter Kast Machine inserts, jogs, stitches and counts the magazines. As the covers are put on at the same time, four girls are required to operate it. Two shifts are working on this machine, one in the forenoon and the other in the afternoon. Between these shifts there is a friendly rivalry as to which one will put through the largest number in the same length of time. One day last week these young ladies reached the magnificent figure of 47,500 magazines in nine and three-quarter hours. The young ladies who succeeded in reaching these figures are: Misses Ida Smith, Minnie Brown, Mary Ethel Stanfield, Annie May Hogan, Helen Sinclair, Emma Schwarz, Helen Curtis and Edith White. Every other day from 75,000 to 80,000 copies of the Harvest Ingathering *Watchman* are being mailed.

Owing to the desire of his wife to return East, Brother Dan Brown has resigned his position at the Publishing House Cafeteria. At this writing no one has been found to take this work,

so there is a good opening for a suitable person. It should be someone who could not only do the cooking, but also look after the buying quite largely. Anyone interested should communicate with the Southern Publishing Association, Nashville, Tenn., at once, enclosing recommendations.

Southern Junior College

Notes

Sunday, August 24th.

Several from the school have attended at least a part of the campmeeting at Lenoir City the past week. Among them are Mrs. Tucker, Misses Maxwell, Fox, Nelson, Branson, Wolf, Professor and Mrs. Straight, Mr. Shreve and Mr. Anderson.

Miss Ruth Felker left this morning for a visit to friends and relatives in North Carolina. She plans to attend the Carolina campmeeting also.

Clarence Field, who spent the summer in tent work in Louisiana, returned to the school last week. He is being kept busy now finishing the painting on the girls' dormitory.

Mrs. A. H. Wood, of Quanah, Tex., is spending a few days with her son, Professor Wood.

Mr. Kennedy attended the latter part of the campmeeting. He planned to spend a day or two in Knoxville in the interest of the school.

Miss Jeanetta Hardin returned last week from an extended stay at the Reeves, Georgia, Sanitarium.

The watermelons from the school garden are being served in the dining room. Needless to say, we all enjoy them.

Have you noticed the reports from the students of the S. J. C. who are spending their vacation in the colporteur work? They are simply wonderful! They show what can be done by the young people when they are anxious to help themselves through school and enter the canvassing work to this end. The blessing of the Lord has attended their efforts to a remarkable degree this summer.