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"Lift up your eyes, and look on the fields; for they are white already to harvest"

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GENERAL ARTICLES

MAKING HISTORY

THERE is nothing more certain in all this world than the "more sure word of prophecy." Whosoever truly believes and builds upon that word can never fail or be deceived. Every great movement under God with which human agencies have been connected since the days of Noah have been in direct fulfilment of prophecy; for "surely the Lord God will do nothing but he revealeth his secrets unto his servants the prophets."

"By faith Noah, being warned of God of things not seen as yet, . . . prepared an ark to the saving of his house; by which he condemned the world, and became heir of the righteousness which is by faith."

The deliverance of the children of Israel from Egypt and their occupation of the land of promise was in direct fulfilment of the prophecy made to their father Abraham centuries before, that in the fourth generation they would come into possession of that land. "And it came to pass at the end of the four hundred and thirty years, even the selfsame day, it came to pass that the hosts of the Lord went out from the land of Egypt." When the fulness of the time came, men found their place in prophecy and went forward, nothing daunting.

The building of the walls of Jerusalem under Nehemiah in the brief space of fifty-two days, was in fulfilment of a time prophecy given through Daniel allotting forty-nine

years for the building of the walls which were to be completed in troublous times. No doubt Nehemiah's marvelous success in the speedy accomplishment of that great task was due to his implicit faith in the "more sure word of prophecy."

The great movement which preceded Christ's first coming was in fulfilment of prophecy. When the priests and Levites asked John the Baptist who he was, he spoke with absolute certainty as to his identity, mission, and work. His reply was, "I am the voice of one crying in the wilderness, Make straight the way of the Lord, as said the prophet Esaias." His work and message had all been outlined centuries before; and when he came on the stage of action he found his place in the plan of God and fulfilled his high commission.

When Jesus Christ began his public ministry, and there was delivered unto him the book of the prophet Esaias, he found the place where it was written of him, and when he had read that portion of the prophecy which briefly outlined his life's work, "he began to say to them, This day is this scripture fulfilled in our ears." He said, "In the volume of the book it is written of me." Christ found himself in the Scriptures, and it was the "more sure word of prophecy" that declared his connection with heaven. He searched the Scriptures daily, knowing that they testified of him. Everything that happened to Jesus Christ while in this world was foretold in prophecy, and that is why he said that all things must be fulfilled which were written in the law and in the prophets and in the psalms.

concerning him. John the Baptist and Christ spoke and taught with authority. They had definite convictions as to who they were, and what they were to do and be, based upon the "more sure word of prophecy." Their teaching was in the power and demonstration of the Spirit, and it moved the people. What could they have done in an unbelieving and scoffing world with a mere theory of what they ought to be, or what the prophecy had foretold they would be?

Now to the central thought that is before us. Is it not likewise true of us that in the volume of the book it is written of us? Is it not a fact that more has been written concerning the character and work of the remnant church than of any other people that have lived upon the earth? "For whatsoever things were written aforetime were written for our learning." Every detail and specification of the work we are to do and the character we are to develop, are clearly outlined in the "more sure word of prophecy."

It has cost something to fulfil prophecy in the past. It cost Noah all of his earthly possessions and one hundred and twenty years of faithfully witnessing for God in the midst of a crooked and perverse generation. It cost Moses the throne of Egypt and the highest honors this world could bestow. It cost John the Baptist his head, and the Saviour of the world a cruel death upon the cross. It has cost much to make history and to fulfil prophecy. There is still before us the high and exalted privilege of being instruments in the fulfilment of prophecy.

The prophecies in Revelation that point to the final accomplishment of God's eternal purpose will not be fulfilled without great personal sacrifice and the surrender of our all to God—time, talent, and means—upon the altar of loving service. But the reward will be in proportion to the sacrifice we make.

And now let us ask ourselves these living questions: Have we counted the cost? and are we willing to pay the price? Have we that faith in the "more sure word of prophecy" now in the process of fulfilment that we will definitely take our stand anew upon the word that declares that the everlasting gospel shall be preached to every nation, kindred, tongue, and people, and that this generation shall see the end? If so, let us no longer read our experience in Revelation 3: 14-17, but heed the counsel of the True Witness to the Laodiceans, and read our experience, by the triumphs of faith, in Revelation 14: 12, in the very words of the text which says, "Here is the patience of the saints: here are they that keep the commandments of God, and have the faith of Jesus."

R. D. QUINN.

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| Mrs. R. D. Quinn | 1 |
| D. H. Kress | 1 |
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| H. W. Carr | 1 |
| K. C. Russell | 1 |
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| J. E. Jayne | 1 |
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| C. L. and Mrs. Kilgore | 1 |
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| C. J. Tolf | 1 |
| Irene J. Cady | 1 |
| Pearl L. Rees | 1 |
| | \$21 00 |

| MASSACHUSETTS | |
|----------------------------|----|
| South Lancaster, Mem. 362 | |
| H. B. Tucker | 1 |
| L. J. Smith | 1 |
| E. E. and Mrs. Miles | 5 |
| J. E. and Mrs. Cross | 4 |
| W. A. Whitman | 1 |
| Mrs. W. A. Whitman | 1 |
| Mrs. M. N. Cross | 1 |
| Oscar Davis | 1 |
| J. R. Booth | 1 |
| Ella M. Wilber | 1 |
| R. T. Brooks | 1 |
| Mrs. R. T. Brooks | 1 |
| J. H. and Mrs. Battersby | 1 |
| F. B. and Mrs. Grant | 1 |
| F. M. Howard | 1 |
| Henry Choffin | 1 |
| Julius LaGrave | 1 |
| C. R. Chant | 1 |
| Celia Richmond | 1 |
| Ruth Meleen | 1 |
| Stillman Brown | 1 |
| Mrs. H. E. Osborne | 1 |
| A. C. Stevens | 1 |
| Mrs. A. C. Stevens | 1 |
| Mrs. J. L. Smith | 1 |
| Ray and Mrs. Kilburn | 1 |
| Henry Perkins | 1 |
| Geo. B. Mason | 1 |
| S. Herbert Miles | 1 |
| Inez Miles | 1 |
| Blanch Lord | 1 |
| Madge Moore | 1 |
| Mrs. Kreshaw | 1 |
| A Friend | 1 |
| Mrs. M. A. and May Wheeler | 1 |
| Mrs. Monro | 1 |
| Alex Munro | 1 |
| Mrs. S. E. Cherevoy | 75 |
| Mrs. Amy F. Wheeler | 50 |
| Mrs. C. B. Beckwith | 50 |
| A Sister | 50 |
| Mrs. L. A. Steadman | 50 |
| Andre Roth | 50 |
| Mrs. F. M. Howard | 50 |
| E. E. Thurlow | 50 |
| Mrs. E. E. Thurlow | 50 |
| E. E. Pringle | 50 |
| A. S. and Mrs. Miller | 50 |
| Edna S. Farnsworth | 50 |
| Dorothy J. Wheeler | 50 |
| Mrs. Harry E. Smart | 25 |
| Mrs. Lilla Kelsey | 25 |
| Mrs. Celia Belden | 25 |
| Mrs. Agnes Sinclair | 25 |
| Ruth Roth | 25 |
| W. H. Hall | 25 |
| Mrs. W. H. Hall | 25 |
| Rufus Gibbs | 25 |
| Richard Shepherd | 25 |
| Mrs. E. M. Farrow | 25 |
| Milton Howard | 25 |
| A Friend | 25 |
| Grace Steves | 25 |
| Floyd Walleker | 25 |
| Mrs. M. S. King | 25 |
| Mrs. H. S. Tay | 25 |
| Gladys Machlan | 25 |
| Robert Steves | 25 |
| Mrs. C. A. Israel | 25 |
| Rhona McGee | 25 |
| Bula R. Botsford | 25 |
| Mildred Howard | 25 |
| Harold Machlan | 25 |
| Harry House | 25 |
| Mrs. C. S. Botsford | 25 |

| Sanitarium, membership 123 | |
|----------------------------|----|
| J. G. White | 2 |
| Mrs. J. G. White | 1 |
| J. W. and Mrs. Hopkins | 1 |
| Estella M. Houser | 1 |
| G. B. and Mrs. Starr | 1 |
| Lenora Lacey | 1 |
| Claude Blandford | 1 |
| F. W. Munn | 1 |
| B. R. Rowell | 1 |
| H. K. Presley | 75 |
| Geo. E. Cornforth | 50 |
| O. C. Warner | 50 |
| Chas. Porter | 50 |
| Anna Frey | 50 |
| Dora V. Simon | 50 |
| Ruth Cline | 50 |
| Bertha Umlandt | 50 |
| L. E. Peterson | 50 |
| Joe Langille | 50 |
| Ellen Arvidson | 25 |
| Ruth Williams | 25 |
| Mabel Hawthorne | 25 |
| W. W. Webster | 25 |
| Mrs. W. W. Webster | 25 |
| Opal Kightlinger | 25 |
| Dorothy Haberly | 25 |
| W. P. Saxby | 25 |

17 25

Springfield, membership 43

| | |
|-----------------------|----|
| W.W. and Mrs. Rice | 1 |
| Lena K. Matson | 1 |
| C. W. White | 1 |
| Mrs. F. E. Treuchet | 1 |
| W. C. Myers | 1 |
| Miss M. B. Judd | 1 |
| Mrs. W. H. Sutherland | 1 |
| Mrs. M. J. Bryant | 1 |
| A Member | 1 |
| Master Frank Treuchet | 20 |

9 20

Fitchburg, membership 38

| | |
|---------------|----|
| Chas. Mason | 1 |
| C. M. Gleason | 1 |
| Mrs. Hughes | 50 |

2 50

Leominster, membership 31

| | |
|----------------------|----|
| H. H. and Mrs. Stacy | 1 |
| L. A. Cousins | 1 |
| Mrs. E. A. Warner | 50 |
| H. L. Warner | 25 |
| W. R. Snow | 25 |

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Westfield, membership 11

| | |
|-------------------|----|
| Mrs. M. A. Pardee | 1 |
| Mrs. A. M. Porter | 1 |
| Karl Schmidt | 1 |
| W. W. Whelpley | 50 |
| A Member | 25 |

3 75

Boston, membership 143

| | |
|---------------------------|------|
| A. V. Cotton | 1 |
| F. E. Hinkley | 1 |
| Mrs. M. S. Boyd | 1 |
| Miss Jennie Bailey | 1 |
| Mrs. Emma S. Noyes | 1 |
| C. J. Springer | 1 |
| C. A. Warner | 1 25 |
| Miss M. Stewart | 1 |
| Mrs. C. C. Patten | 1 |
| Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hooper | 5 |
| Miss A. M. Phillips | 1 |
| Mrs. M. C. Howlett | 1 |

\$57 00

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|------------------------|----|
| Mrs. A. Morgan | I |
| Miss Ethel Burt | I |
| Mrs. F. W. Leonard | I |
| Mrs. I. M. Lufkin | I |
| Mrs. F. L. Hardy | 50 |
| Mrs. M. J. Wood | 50 |
| Miss Loretta MacDonald | 50 |
| B. F. Holt | 50 |
| A Member | 50 |
| Miss A. Neason | 50 |
| H. E. Robinson | 50 |
| D. M. Hull | 50 |
| Mrs. A. A. Bird | 25 |
| Mrs. Geo. Woodward | 25 |
| Benj. Goodman | 25 |
| Mrs. A. J. Bailey | 25 |
| Mrs. A. Kennedy | 25 |
| Mrs. I. W. Paul | 25 |
| Mrs. Edith Laycock | 25 |
| Mrs. E. L. Messenger | 25 |
| Mrs. M. J. Ormsby | 25 |
| Mrs. H. E. Davinport | 25 |
| W. F. Childs | 25 |
| Miss E. M. Mooney | 25 |
| Mrs. A. E. Morrissey | 25 |
| W. R. Taylor | 25 |
| Mrs. Moses Johnson | 25 |
| Moses H. Johnson | 25 |
| Mrs. G. H. Hastings | 25 |

Somerville, membership 76

| | |
|--------------------------|----|
| Miss Ethel Meek | I |
| Mrs. A. E. Olesen | I |
| Mr. and Mrs. Allen Smith | I |
| Mrs. B. L. Grant | I |
| E. L. Rochussen | I |
| A Member | I |
| W. R. Uchtmann | I |
| Miss J. M. Joy | 50 |
| Mrs. B. Macbeth | 50 |
| Mrs. C. E. Russell | 50 |
| Mrs. A. E. Orr | 25 |
| D. D. Whitney | 25 |
| Mrs. Mary Peach | 25 |
| Mrs. A. S. Godfrey | 25 |
| Mrs. Agnes Marden | 25 |
| Mrs. R. Glover | 25 |
| Miss Mary Bell | 25 |
| Mrs. E. D. Hoffman | 25 |
| Mrs. E. J. Joy | 25 |
| Mrs. D. E. Dodd | 25 |
| Mrs. A. Bain | 25 |

New Bedford, membership 61

| | |
|--------------------------|----|
| E. P. Auger | I |
| M. O. Bradford | I |
| Mrs. M. O. Bradford | I |
| Guy Miner | I |
| Mrs. Louise Winterlottom | I |
| Mrs. Harriett Chase | I |
| Mrs. Arline Collins | I |
| Ira Collins | 50 |
| Mrs. Delia Wood | 50 |
| Mrs. Evelyn S. Wood | 25 |
| Mrs. Caroline E. Wright | 25 |
| Mrs. Mary Kilburn | 25 |
| Mrs. E. P. Auger | 25 |
| Mrs. W. J. Maxon | 25 |
| Olive Piffy | 25 |
| James MacGinn | 25 |
| Annabel MacGinn | 25 |

Worcester (Swedish), mem 28

| | |
|----------------|----|
| Clara Lindberg | 25 |
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Worcester, membership 69

| | |
|-----------------|---|
| P. P. Lane | I |
| Mrs. P. P. Lane | I |

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|----------------------|----|
| Cora A. Spencer | I |
| George Bowers | I |
| H. L. White | I |
| James G. Hardie | I |
| Chester Murphy | I |
| F. A. Luce | I |
| D. P. Waldo | I |
| A. Cutting | 50 |
| Mrs. Julia A. Hazard | 50 |

Natick, membership 15

| | |
|-------------------|----|
| J. W. Sypher | I |
| Mrs. J. W. Sypher | I |
| J. R. Foster | I |
| Hilma Nelson | I |
| L. R. Grieshaber | I |
| Benj. H. Hartman | 50 |
| Mrs. H. M. Rice | 50 |
| Helen Redmond | 25 |
| Maria E. Hammond | 25 |
| Mrs. Josie Travis | 25 |

Haverhill, membership 42

| | |
|---------------|---|
| F. S. Burgess | I |
|---------------|---|

Lowell, membership 30

| | |
|---------------------------|----|
| Henry A. Derby | I |
| Mrs. R. L. Clark | 50 |
| Florence Campbell Wheeler | 25 |
| A Friend | 25 |

South Amherst, membership 9

| | |
|----------------------|----|
| W. H. Dickinson | 50 |
| Mrs. W. H. Dickinson | 50 |
| A Member | 50 |

Gloucester

| | |
|-----------------|----|
| Mrs. Wm. Nelson | 50 |
|-----------------|----|

Boston (Colored), membership 24

| | |
|-------------------|----|
| Mrs. A. M. Lyons | I |
| Mrs. W. Somers | 75 |
| Mrs. S. Steele | 50 |
| Samuel Laviscount | 50 |
| Miss J. Sims | 50 |
| Miss A. Sims | 50 |
| Miss M. Palmer | 25 |
| Mrs. H. Miller | 25 |

Athol, membership 34

| | |
|----------------------|----|
| Horace Mann | I |
| Mrs. Horace Mann | I |
| F. C. Bee and Family | 50 |
| Mr. and Mrs. Garlick | 50 |
| Mrs. Rider | 25 |

Fiskdale, membership 16

| | |
|--------------------------|----|
| Mrs. Lorinda A. Blodgett | 25 |
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Mansfield, membership 18

| | |
|------------------------|----|
| J. K. Jones and Family | I |
| E. C. Codding | 50 |
| Mrs. Emily N. Dow | 25 |
| A. D. Lyman | 25 |
| J. V. Lapham | 25 |

Reading, membership 7

| | |
|----------------|----|
| A. W. Sennett | I |
| J. A. Bills | 50 |
| Annie C. Giles | 25 |

Taunton, membership 27

| | |
|------------|----|
| Ida Stadig | 25 |
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West Newton, membership 24

| | |
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| A Sister | 50 |
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Everett, membership 49

| | |
|--------------|---|
| C. E. Palmer | I |
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|------------------------|----|
| Miss Blanch Palmer | I |
| James Macginn and wife | I |
| D. A. Gregg | I |
| Mrs. Chas. Flemming | 75 |
| L. F. Elliott | 50 |
| Mrs. J. W. Ray | 50 |
| Mrs. M. Munroe | 50 |
| H. O. Knight | 50 |
| Mrs. R. M. Tait | 50 |
| Mrs. F. E. McGreggor | 25 |
| Mrs. E. E. Slaney | 25 |

Newburyport, membership 20

| | |
|---------------|------|
| Edwin P. Rice | I 00 |
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Danvers, membership 20

| | |
|--------------------|----------|
| Mrs. M. A. Goodwin | 25 |
| Mass. Totals | \$185 95 |
| " last week | 158 25 |

EASTERN NEW YORK**Adams Center**

| | |
|--------------------|----|
| Mrs. Rose Whitford | 25 |
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Albany

| | |
|-----------------------|------|
| W. M. and Mrs. Vehorn | I 25 |
| Mrs. M. A. F. Weeks | I |
| Mrs. Olive Strawford | I |
| M. Perry | I |
| Mrs. F. Whitney | 50 |
| Mrs. Adele Dewey | 25 |
| Anna Weeks | 25 |
| Mrs. Mary Alger | 25 |
| Mrs. E. J. Kenny | 25 |

Amsterdam

| | |
|-----------------|----|
| Miss B. Bell | 25 |
| Harriet A. Kipp | 30 |

Binghamton

| | |
|---------------------|----|
| D. E. and Mrs. Wood | 50 |
| Mrs. J. R. Gorton | 25 |
| Mrs. E. L. Rodman | 25 |

Cleveland

| | |
|---------------|----|
| William Groff | 25 |
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East Galway

| | |
|--------------------|----|
| Mary A. Greenfield | 25 |
| Nina D. Halliday | 25 |

Norwich

| | |
|---------------|---|
| A. L. Chalker | I |
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North Creek

| | |
|------------------------|---|
| Paul Baroudi | I |
| Slayman and Mrs. Dabee | I |

Ogdensburg

| | |
|--------------------|----|
| Mrs. H. M. Jarvais | I |
| T. H. O'Neal | 50 |

Oswego

| | |
|----------------------|------|
| M. W. and Mrs. Milks | 2 50 |
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Ox Bow

| | |
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| C. B. and Mrs. Lynde | I |
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Rome

| | |
|-----------------------------|----|
| Henry S. Reid | 2 |
| E. E. and Mrs. Covey | I |
| John and Mrs. VanValkenburg | 50 |
| Mrs. J. A. Kling | 50 |
| A. L. Griffis | 25 |
| Mrs. A. L. Griffis | 25 |

Schenectady

| | |
|----------------|---|
| Elsie Mae Wood | I |
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South Onondaga

| | |
|------------------|----|
| A. E. Huntington | 25 |
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Syracuse

| | |
|---------------------|----|
| Mrs. Abbie Chapman | 50 |
| Mrs. K. L. Hutchins | 50 |
| Louise Weddle | 50 |
| Cora R. Abbott | 50 |
| Mrs. Asa Bennett | 25 |
| Hattie Ghee | 25 |

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|------------------------|---------|--|
| Utica | | |
| Mrs. Rose Mingst | 25 | |
| Watertown | | |
| Mrs. Johanna F. Gerner | 25 | |
| Sarah M. Bunse | 25 | |
| West Bangor | | |
| Fred Snide | 75 | |
| Emma L. Lawrence | 25 | |
| Grace Lawrence | 25 | |
| Harold Snide | 25 | |
| E. N. Y. Totals | \$26 80 | |
| " last week | 10 55 | |

NORTHERN NEW ENGLAND

| | | |
|---------------------------------|---------|--|
| Bordoville | | |
| Mrs. Nellie C. Walbridge | 25 | |
| Brattleboro and Vernon | | |
| Mrs. Anna E. Arling | 25 | |
| Burlington | | |
| Benton Haynes | 1 | |
| Lizzie Stone | 50 | |
| Mrs. A. H. Rugg | 25 | |
| Claremont | | |
| R. A. Johnson | 50 | |
| Mrs. R. A. Johnson | 25 | |
| Mrs. Lois Sage | 25 | |
| Concord | | |
| D. K. and Mrs. Royer | 50 | |
| E. J. Marsh | 50 | |
| Corinth | | |
| P. F. and Mrs. Foster | 50 | |
| Hyde Park | | |
| R. T. Foster | 25 | |
| Jamaica | | |
| Calvin N. Pike | 1 | |
| Floyd C. Hurd | 25 | |
| Mrs. C. W. Ward | 25 | |
| Nashua | | |
| Mrs. M. J. Estes | 25 | |
| Mrs. Dora C. Foster | 25 | |
| Northfield and Braintree | | |
| A. D. Ladeau | 1 | |
| A. M. and Mrs. Cram | 1 | |
| M. F. and Mrs. Cram | 75 | |
| Chas. E. Sumner | 25 | |
| North Wolcott | | |
| Fannie Silloway | 25 | |
| Randolph | | |
| Mrs. J. W. Untiedt | 25 | |
| Della A. Untiedt | 25 | |
| Rutland | | |
| Ruth Silleck | 25 | |
| West Burke | | |
| Mrs. Ellen Deos | 1 | |
| Geo. M. Dean | 50 | |
| Mrs. Ellen L. Dean | 50 | |
| Mrs. Lathera Hammond | 25 | |
| Conference | | |
| Augusta E. Farrington | 25 | |
| Mary A. Sanders | 25 | |
| N. N. E. Totals | \$13 75 | |
| " last week | \$4 75 | |
| MAINE | | |
| Auburn | | |
| Mrs. J. H. Pratt | 25 | |
| Bath | | |
| Jennie R. Bates | 50 | |
| Blaine | | |
| Mrs. W. W. Pyle | 50 | |
| Mrs. Nellie Smith | 25 | |

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| Camden | | |
| E. E. Osborne | 1 | |
| Dyer Brook | | |
| Robert Haines | 25 | |
| Mrs. Fannie Anderson | 25 | |
| Mrs. J. B. Goodrich | 25 | |
| J. W. Chute | 25 | |
| Hartland | | |
| P. B. Osborne | 1 | |
| Annie F. Clark | 25 | |
| Kezar Falls | | |
| G. W. Howard | 25 | |
| Norridgewock | | |
| Forest Farley | 1 | |
| Portland | | |
| Mrs. Florence N. Norton | 1 | |
| W. J. Duncombe | 1 | |
| L. L. and Mrs. Howard | 1 | |
| A. E. Sanderson | 50 | |
| Mattie Lawry | 25 | |
| Mrs. Roena S. Townsend | 25 | |
| Sadie Pearson | 25 | |
| Richmond | | |
| Mrs. H. E. Briggs | 25 | |
| Shawmut | | |
| Luther L. and Mrs. Allen | 2 50 | |
| Helen P. Hazeltine | 25 | |
| South Woodstock | | |
| Wm. M. Russell | 1 | |
| J. H. Pratt | 50 | |
| Skowhegan | | |
| Mrs. Jane Barrows | 25 | |
| Mrs. Eli Carpenter | 25 | |
| Washburn | | |
| Mrs. Sarah A. Furbish | 1 | |
| Conference | | |
| S. C. and Mrs. M. L. C. Davis | 50 | |
| C. J. Kinney | 50 | |
| Mrs. Sarah Redman | 25 | |
| Mrs. Nellie M. Pratt | 25 | |
| J. E. and Mrs. Dow | 25 | |
| Maine Totals | \$18 00 | |
| " last week | 7 00 | |

SOUTHERN NEW ENGLAND

| | | |
|------------------------|----|--|
| Bridgeport | | |
| M. L. Pence | 1 | |
| Cora Booth | 50 | |
| F. S. Hartwell | 50 | |
| Anna O. Wykman | 50 | |
| Mrs. F. H. Thomas | 25 | |
| Hartford | | |
| W. E. Fortune | 1 | |
| Mrs. S. B. Stewart | 1 | |
| Mrs. C. A. Wood | 1 | |
| Mrs. Anna Bell | 25 | |
| Wm. F. Woodward | 25 | |
| Middletown | | |
| Arthur A. Curtis | 25 | |
| New Haven | | |
| Richard W. Brown | 50 | |
| James A. O'Brien | 50 | |
| Mrs. E. S. Eby | 25 | |
| Mrs. C. Symon | 25 | |
| Mrs. J. Martin | 25 | |
| New London | | |
| Wm. F. Baker | 1 | |
| Hannah C. Champlin | 25 | |
| Norwich | | |
| Master Fawce Rainville | 25 | |
| Mrs. Apley | 25 | |
| A. E. Sturtevant | 25 | |

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|------------------------|---------|--|
| Pawtucket | | |
| Mrs. R. K. Gemberling | 1 | |
| Mrs. Olive B. Parker | 25 | |
| Peacedale | | |
| Mrs. C. K. Tucker | 25 | |
| Providence | | |
| Leonard L. Potter | 1 | |
| Minnie Anderson | 1 | |
| Henry Manton | 1 | |
| Alma Carlson | 50 | |
| Westerly | | |
| S. C. and Mrs. Peckham | 1 25 | |
| Rasmus Rasmussen | 1 | |
| A. F. Thomas | 1 | |
| Mrs. Howard P. Wilcox | 25 | |
| Willimantic | | |
| Mrs. Aris Colburn | 50 | |
| Conference | | |
| Mrs. Louise Vassar | 25 | |
| Samuel C. Mansfield | 25 | |
| S. N. E. Totals | \$19 75 | |
| " last week | 9 75 | |

WESTERN NEW YORK

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| Buffalo | | |
| Mary J. Delano | 1 | |
| Mrs. Emma E. Prescott | 1 | |
| Mary A. Sharick | 25 | |
| Belle S. Mundie | 50 | |
| Lucy Kellogg | 50 | |
| H. Lesley Shoup | 40 | |
| Buffalo (German) | | |
| G. P. Gaede | 50 | |
| Mrs. H. Wisser | 25 | |
| Darien Center | | |
| Jerome and Mrs. Sumner | 1 | |
| Elmira | | |
| J. E. Belknap | 1 | |
| Mrs. T. A. Cooper | 25 | |
| Hornell | | |
| Rose Ellis | 50 | |
| Mrs. O. P. Foster | 25 | |
| Jamestown | | |
| Paul F. Hilekman | 1 | |
| Mrs. Emma Carr Nordquist | 1 | |
| Mrs. C. E. Fiske | 1 | |
| Frank E. Johnson | 50 | |
| H. Leah Haskin | 25 | |
| Jamestown (Swedish) | | |
| F. C. Carlson | 25 | |
| Jeddo | | |
| J. S. Jenks | 1 | |
| Mrs. R. E. Hall | 25 | |
| Medina | | |
| Mrs. R. B. Vedder | 25 | |
| Randolph | | |
| Mrs. Rose Mighells | 25 | |
| Rochester | | |
| T. B. and Mrs. Westbrook | 1 | |
| Mrs. Bella Dorsey | 1 | |
| Mrs. J. H. Gibson | 50 | |
| A. W. Force | 25 | |
| Salamanca | | |
| F. H. Hicks | 1 | |
| Mrs. H. W. Carr | 1 | |
| Mrs. Rose Kightlinger | 1 | |
| Mrs. H. E. Peabody | 25 | |
| Mrs. Rebecca Landon | 25 | |
| Stockton | | |
| Mrs. L. E. Taylor | 50 | |
| Wellsville | | |
| Mrs. H. L. Gilbert | 25 | |
| Mrs. Ethel Potter | 25 | |

| West Valley | |
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| Mrs. Della Woodruff | 25 |
| Conference | |
| John Croft | 65 |
| Thomas E. Hitchcock | 50 |
| Mrs. Belle Berkeley | 25 |
| Mrs. M. A. Bates | 25 |
| W. N. Y. Totals | \$22 30 |
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GREATER NEW YORK

| New York No. 1 | |
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| Sophie Saxild | 1 |
| Paul Derby | 50 |
| Martha Dean | 25 |
| Margaret Wilson | 25 |
| Sadie Wilson | 25 |
| Florence Wilson | 25 |
| Mrs. Clark | 25 |

| Brooklyn (English) | |
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| E. L. Cardey | 1 |
| J. L. Johnson | 1 |
| Doctor Vaughn | 1 |
| Henry Pepper | 2 |
| Lena Lewis | 1 |
| Mrs. Fabel | 1 |
| T. Moore | 1 |
| Mrs. Sittig | 1 |
| Mrs. Gair | 1 |
| Martha Wade | 1 |
| Miss C. Johnson | 1 |
| Mrs. Brada | 1 |
| Mrs. Wein | 1 |
| Mrs. Yule | 1 |
| Mrs. Wellbrock | 1 |
| Mrs. Gourlay | 1 |
| Mrs. Frey | 1 |
| Mrs. Potthoff | 1 |
| Mrs. Seckles | 1 |
| Mrs. Martin | 50 |
| Mrs. Broome | 50 |
| Mrs. McDade | 50 |
| Mrs. Harding | 50 |
| Anna Jensen | 25 |

| Brooklyn (Danish-Norwegian) | |
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| H. C. J. Walleker | 25 |
| Anna Hansen | 25 |

| Brooklyn (German) | |
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| Caroline Markle | 25 |
| Mr. and Mrs. Schmidt | 25 |

| Bronx | |
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| J. and Mrs. Mitchell | 1 |
| Mrs. J. A. Jenny | 1 |
| A Member | 1 25 |
| S. Gordon | 1 |
| Mrs. G. Richards and Daughters | 1 |
| I. E. Kimball | 1 |
| Mrs. M. Abrahamsen | 1 |
| C. S. Countryman | 1 |
| Mrs. C. S. Countryman | 1 |
| Mrs. Ida Deys | 1 |
| Susie Lyttle | 1 |
| Mrs. F. Doonan | 1 |
| M. Jackson | 50 |
| Beatrice Gordon | 50 |
| Theodore E. Williams | 50 |
| N. C. VanHorn | 50 |
| J. Chamberlain | 25 |
| Mrs. I. Smith | 25 |
| Mrs. E. Ervin | 25 |
| Henry Pearl | 25 |
| H. W. Herrell, Jr. | 25 |

| Harlem | |
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| Mrs. Bessie M. Rich | 50 |
| Frederick G. Matthew | 50 |

| Mt. Vernon | |
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| H. Swanson | 1 |
| M. S. Rockett | 1 |
| Conference | |
| Harry Hunt | 4 |
| G. N. Y. Totals | \$48 50 |
| " last week | 1 25 |
| Grand Total | \$356.05 |
| Grand Total last week | \$218.80 |

SO. NEW ENGLAND

51 Whitmore St., Hartford, Conn.

CAMP-MEETING WITHDRAWN

THE principal nations of Europe are engaged in a desperate war. Apparently this must deal a terrible blow to the flower of its manhood, destroy much that is best in its civilization, and transfer to new hands the control of its affairs.

No one knows just what has occurred or what will happen. Of a few things we are certain. Each group of allies has vowed to subjugate its adversaries, and, armed with the most terrible instruments of destruction the world has ever produced, are attacking each other with a rapidity and a fury unequalled in human history.

For the preservation, protection, or glory of their earthly homes, more than 18,500,000 armed men are gathering beneath their national standards. No one of this mighty host knows that he will ever return to the country, home, or loved ones for whom he is jeopardizing his life. Their spirit of devotion to their companions in arms is admirably illustrated by the conduct of the men of two cruisers that took refuge from the enemy in a neutral port. According to the law of nations, they were given the choice of dismantling their ships and remaining in port until the end of the war or leaving within twenty-four hours. Within the harbor was life, safety, and even ease, but it could be purchased only at the price of forsaking their countrymen in the hour of peril. Without the harbor was a chance to do at

least some harm to their enemies and render some aid to their comrades, but at the risk of almost certain annihilation by a superior force of the enemies' ships. It is reported that, when the circumstances were made known to the men, their faces paled, their lips tightened, and they returned their answer by stripping their ships for action and rushing to sea to make a dash for their lives. They did not have long to wait, because, upon the horizon curled the smoke of their enemies' ships. If what happened is known, it has been concealed by the rigor of the censor; but in days to come it will often be repeated around the firesides of their grateful countryman.

When the people of this world can make such heroic sacrifice for their companions and their earthly homes, what cannot we sacrifice for our co-workers, the finishing of God's work in this earth, and the soon establishing of our eternal home?

Our brethren in Europe now face suffering and trial such as we have never experienced. Besides this, our churches in Europe have the oversight of and supply all the money for the support of certain of our mission fields. It appears that while this war lasts it will be almost impossible for our churches in Europe to support those missions that have been committed to their care. What shall our people in America do about it? We cannot and we will not forsake our brethren who are in peril and need. We live in the midst of peace and plenty. We cannot share their perils, but *we can* share their toil and sacrifice. *We can* limit our expenditures and give to missions as never before in our lives. *We can*, until this war ends, both provide for our own missions and support our mission fields that have been sustained by our churches in Europe. America will be enriched by supplying the requirements of those nations that are at war. Our flag is respected every-

where and will go throughout the world. *We can* see that none of our mission fields suffer for lack of men or means. *We can* do this without making sacrifices that are in any sense equal to those sacrifices that the people of this world, among those warring nations, are making for their own countrymen. And what we should and can do, by the grace of God, we will do.

Each member of our conference committee is convinced that, just now, all expenditures not absolutely necessary are unwarranted. They are planning and working accordingly. In studying how best to achieve the desired end, they conclude that, among other measures, we should hold local meetings this year, recall the camp-meeting appointed to be held in New Haven, August 27-September 7; and devote the money it would have cost to a missionary emergency fund to aid those fields that shall suffer because of this war. We counseled with the available members of the Atlantic Union Conference Committee and brethren of this conference. The plan met their hearty approval; therefore it was decided not to hold the camp-meeting and to earnestly invite all of our people to give the money they intended to use for car-fare and for other expenses in connection with the camp-meeting to a missionary emergency fund to be used as above suggested. Give the money to your church treasurer, or send it to Brother W. E. Fortune, 51 Whitmore Street, Hartford, Connecticut. Have it plainly marked so that it will be known for what it is intended.

Under normal circumstance we should have been greatly disappointed not to have had a good camp-meeting; but under present conditions we are glad that we can make this sacrifice.

J. E. JAYNE.

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"THOUGHT alone is eternal."

LONSDALE, R. I.

We workers who are connected with the Lonsdale, R. I., tent effort are of good courage. Our meetings have been well attended, and our hearts rejoice to see the same faces night after night.

Sunday night, July 26, we presented the "Perpetuity of the Law" to an audience that filled the tent. The Baptist minister was present, and dismissed the meeting with the prayer that God's law might be written in the heart. Sunday night, August 2, another large audience heard "Who Changed the Sabbath."

Our Bible workers, Mrs. Gemberling and Miss M. Kleuser, report a good interest in some homes. The health work is a feature of our work, and Miss Zimmerman, a graduate nurse, is having a good company of women attend the mother's meeting held every Thursday afternoon.

Brethren, pray for us, that souls may accept this precious truth in Catholic Rhode Island.

W. G. WIRTH.

NO. NEW ENGLAND

136 No. Main St., Concord, N. H.

CAMP-MEETING

Claremont, N. H.

August 20-30

Specific Directions for Reaching the Camp-ground

ALL baggage should be checked to Claremont, N. H. We will not get any from the Junction, which is too far from the camp-ground. Bring all baggage checks to the book tent. We will transport your baggage.

All should give the conductor mileage to Claremont Junction, and get off the train there, and take the electric car, asking the conductor to let you off at Mulberry Street. You will see the tents near by when you get off the car. The only exception is in the case of those who come over the railroad from Concord, N. H. They get off at Claremont, and cross

the tracks toward the Junction, walking up Pleasant Street (the first street to the right), and reach the grounds in about a five-minutes' walk on that street.

If you have not ordered your tent, do so at once.

We have secured the necessary help for pitching, so that no one else will be needed until the meeting begins.

No bedding is furnished; that is for you to bring. Also bring plenty of wraps.

Pray for us during the ensuing days, that we may be blessed in the heavy task of getting the camp ready; that we may work to advantage with no haste that wastes; that the angels may help us, so that when you arrive we shall all be fresh and cheerful, able to assist you in getting located.

Finally, do not arrive at the beginning of the Sabbath, for we lay no plans to locate persons or get their baggage then. We plan to have our baggage transfer team stop work at 6 P. M., Friday, and the whole encampment gathered for worship and praise at the beginning of the sacred hours. The camp-meeting begins Thursday evening, and we anticipate that Friday will be one of the best days of the meeting.

F. W. STRAY.

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TO THE CHILDREN OF NORTHERN NEW ENGLAND

WHEN you read these lines there will not be much time left to prepare for camp-meeting, but I felt I must write you urging you to be sure to bring your Bibles, small note-books, and pencils, if convenient; if not these may be obtained later.

Come prepared to study, and to do your part that our meetings may prove to be a real spiritual blessing to all. Possibly some of you have grown so during the past year that I shall hardly recognize you, but you will know me. I hope to see all I

met last year and many new faces.

Let us pray, plan, and work for the camp-meeting.

MRS. E. L. KNIGHT.

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OUR SABBATH-SCHOOLS

WE are much pleased with the increased interest that seems to be manifest in the Sabbath-schools of Northern New England, not only in increasing their membership, but in the donations as well. But best of all is the interest being taken to bring the children and youth to Christ. This is the most important work of all, I believe; for they are the lambs of the flock, and need our love and tender care. They are like plants which can be trained to grow aright, and blossom and bear precious fruit for the Master.

Let not the older ones of the Lord's household forget or become careless and indifferent to the younger ones of the fold, but work earnestly and untiringly for their salvation. The Lord has need of them.

At the beginning of the year, the president of the conference wrote a letter to the schools asking them to endeavor this year to raise their donations. The schools responded well, and the first six months of this year show a gain of three hundred dollars over what it was for the corresponding six months of last year. This is a gain of about thirty-three and one-third per cent. We are indeed encouraged at the outlook, and trust that the remaining six months will show an even greater increase.

MRS. L. P. PASSEBOIS, *Sec.*

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BARRE AND WINDHAM

THE writer spent Sunday, July 19, with the tent company in Barre. An interest has been aroused in the message, and a good audience was present at both meetings. It turned cold before the evening service, but the tent was filled, so that extra chairs were brought in. It was a very representative audience, in-

cluding at least one clergyman, and the subject of the millennium seemed to make a deep impression.

We are very glad to report the conversion of Miss Parnell, an Irish Catholic young lady of Burlington. She accepted the truth through the winter effort conducted by Elder Passebois. Miss Parnell has left her work in a store, and is working for Brother Roscoe. The priest visited her there, and tried to persuade her that she is in the wrong, but she is firm, and seems to enjoy her freedom. Brother Roscoe secured some very interesting statements from him.

Sabbath, July 25, was spent with the Windham church. An excellent spirit is prevailing in this company. Some here are awaiting baptism, and real missionary work is being done. The strength of our work is found in these faithful little companies that are feeding upon the Bible, the Testimonies, and our denominational papers rather than the voice of the preacher.

We look for a good representation from the west valley at our coming camp-meeting. F. W. STRAY.

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NOTICE

ON account of our camp-meeting, all mail from August 16 until September 1, should be addressed to us in care of Seventh-day Adventist camp, Claremont, N. H. After September 1 send to the office in Concord, N. H., as usual.

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NORTHERN NEW ENGLAND CONFERENCE ASSOCIATION

THE first meeting of the regular annual session of the Northern New England Conference Association of Seventh-day Adventists will be held in Claremont, N. H., in connection with the Northern New England Conference camp-meeting, Tuesday, August 25, 1914, at 5 P. M. The purpose of this meeting is to elect a board of trustees for the ensuing year, and to transact such other bus-

iness as may properly come before the association. Accredited delegates to the regular session of the Northern New England Conference of Seventh-day Adventists (unincorporated) are members of the association.

FREDERICK W. STRAY, *Pres.*;

DAVID K. ROYER, *Clerk.*

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NORTHERN NEW ENGLAND CONFERENCE (INCORPORATED)

NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the Northern New England Conference of Seventh-day Adventists (incorporated) will be held at Claremont, N. H., in connection with the regular conference camp-meeting, August 20-30, 1914, for the purpose of dissolving the corporation and of transacting such other business as may be necessary. The first meeting will be held Monday, August 24, 1914, at 5 P. M. Accredited delegates to the regular session of the Northern New England Conference of Seventh-day Adventists (unincorporated) are members of this corporation.

FREDERICK W. STRAY, *Pres.*;

CLARENCE F. BALL, *Clerk.*

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PLEASE order your tents, rooms, etc., of D. K. Royer, Concord, N. H., at once.

MAINE

75 Grant St., Portland, Me.

PROGRESS OF THE WORK

IT has been several weeks since I have reported the progress of the work in Maine. I am glad to say that our people are sharing a lively and earnest interest in the work wherever anything is being done. Our ministers and helpers are trying to do all that they can in the places where they are working, and our church-members in Camden and Portland are very faithful, and indeed sacrificing to do their part.

In Camden, the new company is watching developments with great interest. A chapel has been pur-

chased, and some of the sisters are taking in washings and doing anything possible to help bring in funds to pay for it. In providing for the present and future needs there, our brethren are quite anxious to see the chapel moved to a more convenient and serviceable location. Brethren Osborne and McKeen and I studied the need carefully last week; and in cooperation with our committee and the people of Camden, we are now working to secure a very good lot at a reasonable price near the center of the village, and move the chapel as soon as possible. This will enable the Camden company to better represent the truth and be a saving to us in the matter of rent. We are not making a public call for funds throughout the State, but many who have learned of the needs there have been sending in their offerings, which, with the funds from friends in various parts of the State, have helped the Camden brethren to get a good start on the chapel. A baptism was to be held by Elder Osborne last Sabbath, and we are sure the interest there is encouraging.

Elder Sanderson is pushing the work in Portland, and the church has been nearly filled to its seating capacity several times of late. Brethren, Elder Sanderson ought to have four or five workers to connect with him at once to care for the interest that has developed. We regret that the tithe and other funds for our regular work are so low as to forbid our placing more workers there at this time of great need. This surely is a great and urgent appeal for every believer to be faithful in sending in his tithe and offerings for our work at this time when the interest is so ripe.

I am trying to visit some of the companies that have long been calling for assistance, answering some special calls for help in the churches, and caring, as best I can, for the general interests in the conference.

I trust every soul will pray for the workers, and remember the interests in Maine in a loyal and devoted way. Foster the work in your own districts, brethren, by personal missionary work, and assist in these days of stress and great need in any way possible to help finish the work. We join you all in the work itself, in prayer and hope and confidence, and trust all will recognize the opening providence of God before us at this time in our work.

F. M. DANA, *President.*

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PORTLAND

We are sure that you are interested in the work of the Lord in the city of Portland, and this is the reason we report so often. We wish to tell you about the way the Lord is working to help us pay off the church debt. As you all know, the Portland church was heavily laden with a debt of nearly \$8000 until Elder and Sister Haskell began to work on it. With the cooperation of the brethren and sisters, and the blessing of God, the indebtedness has been reduced to about \$4000. We are trusting that this amount will be all paid by January 1, 1915. The handsome sum of \$535 was raised at the Camden camp-meeting to help us in this good work. The Portland church felt so grateful for this that in just a few minutes they raised \$556, although they had given much before.

We decided that it would be better to conduct a series of meetings for the summer in the church, instead of pitching a tent, believing that the Lord would have us use the beautiful church building here for the purpose for which it was erected. We have not been disappointed in getting an audience, but happily surprised to see how well the public attend the services. We are holding services on Sunday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday evenings. Doctor Maroon, our State medical secretary, is conducting a series of

health meetings each Wednesday evening. All the services are as well attended as any meetings which I ever held in a tent.

The attendance and interest have been steadily growing from the first, and Sunday night, July 26, although the evening was very warm, the church, which has a seating capacity of about two hundred and fifty, was crowded, including the gallery, and chairs had to be brought from the vestry to seat the people. We studied Revelation 12 and 13, and all gave the best attention. The evening offering lacked only a little of being eighteen dollars. We obtained the names and addresses of about ninety strangers. In just two nights we have obtained about one hundred twenty-five names. This will make our calling list over one hundred and fifty.

Sister Eliza Morton, with whom so many of the GLEANER readers are acquainted, is working zealously and untiringly for the interests of the work here. She is interesting her neighbors in North Deering to attend the meetings in this city, and last Sunday evening ten came with her to the service.

Elder H. C. Hartwell, president of the Massachusetts Conference, was with us Sunday night, August 9, and gave a stereopticon lecture on "Religious Liberty." He also gave a stereopticon lecture on the following Monday and Tuesday evenings. The subject Monday night was "Christ's Prophecy of Matthew 24," and Tuesday night, "How the Sabbath was Changed."

We earnestly solicit your prayers in behalf of the work and workers here. We are all of good courage and working hard, together with the church-members. The brethren and sisters here desire to give themselves wholly to the Lord for his work at this time.

If the dear Lord should put it into your heart to send us a donation, be it

large or small, to help pay off the church debt, he will surely bless you, and you can be sure that we shall be very thankful. To our Heavenly Father be all the honor and glory and thanks for the advancement of his work and his kindness toward us.

A. E. SANDERSON,

69 Grant Street.

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"CHOOSE always the way that seems the best, however rough it may be. Custom will render it easy and agreeable."

WESTERN NEW YORK

8 Jefferson St., Salamanca, N. Y.

THE BUFFALO TENT

WE were greatly favored in securing our tent site this season in one of the best suburb districts of the city. The advance advertising filled the tent, and during the weeks that have followed the interest has been most encouraging.

While soliciting a large attendance, we have directed our special attention toward those who have returned regularly to the services. At this writing the congregation is largely made up of such persons. A constructive work is being done, which is beginning to manifest itself in the hearts of these people, for they say they are with us in the cardinal points of faith which have been presented.

Our Bible workers are receiving invitations to study with the people, and a most excellent beginning has been made. The children's meetings, which are held three times a week, are growing in interest, and many of the parents are anxious to have their children attend.

One of the leading features of the meetings is the school of health conducted Monday evenings. Simple treatments for common complaints were demonstrated the first evening of the series, and proved to be a striking attraction. At the last meeting,

the principles of health reform were set forth by serving a model health meal to about one hundred persons. The recipes were in great demand at the close of the service.

We are praying earnestly that the Lord will add to our number such as shall be saved. We are of good courage, and feel to press the battle to the gates.

BUFFALO TENT COMPANY.

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ITEMS

THE English tent efforts in Rochester and Buffalo continue with good interests.

We learn of the illness, with typhoid fever, of Sister I. N. Williams, of Fredonia.

One paper worker has been selling one hundred magazines a day some of the time, and that in territory that has been considered practically impregnable.

The German tent company in Buffalo reports that the attendance is better than it has ever been before, and a good class of people are coming. The outlook is bright.

A short time ago a southern firm sent twenty-seven canvassers into Western New York to sell Bibles. Others besides our canvassers have found that books can be sold in Western New York.

Mrs. Louise Allison, one of our canvassers, has been helping to care for a sick lady in Fredonia at the home of Sister Eleanor Himebaugh.

An aggressive home missionary campaign is to begin October 1. This is being diligently planned for, and more will be said about it later.

A good attendance is reported in the tent meetings at Corning. The children are showing a special interest, and the workers are kept busy following up the demands of the work.

A good interest is reported in the Swedish tent effort. A number of interested ones are continuing from

last year's work, and the prospects are good for a harvest. A number have already been converted.

We note that the Educational Sabbath and the day for the Second Sabbath Missionary Reading conflicted, both being appointed for August 8. The program which had to be omitted last Sabbath in the services should be given August 15.

One of our canvassers recently found a home where "Great Controversy," "Coming King," "Best Stories," and "Past, Present, and Future" were in the library. The lady ordered "Steps to Christ."

The tent effort in Salamanca closed Sunday, July 26, and the equipment was shipped to Corning, where a second effort is being held. The Salamanca newspaper gave good space nearly every day for the articles, and many read these with interest.

The Rochester tent has been moved to the corner of Peck and Fourth Streets. Several new Sabbath-keepers are reported from the first effort, and others are interested. This interest will be followed up while the second effort is in progress.

Brother George Owens, from the school, visited the Richburg church Sabbath, August 1. There is quite an interest in our work in that vicinity. Brother James Moran, one of this year's graduates from the Fernwood School, has been holding meetings as he could while pursuing his canvassing work.

Brother J. Howard Weaks and wife arrived in Salamanca Thursday evening, July 30, from Washington, D. C., where Brother Weaks has been employed with the Review and Herald for the past year. He has commenced work in the conference office, and will carry on the office work after the first of September, when Brother Ruland Bowen plans to leave for South Lancaster to take up further school work.

GREATER NEW YORK

Room 904, 32 Union Square,
New York, N. Y.

WORK AMONG THE COLORED PEOPLE

OUR work among the colored people in New York City is prospering beyond the most sanguine expectations of its managers. The effort now in full tide began June 15, when Pastor J. K. Humphrey pitched his tent. We have been having good meetings from the start. Hundreds visit the tent each night, not from a mere passing curiosity, but from a determination to know what is truth, in order ultimately to attain to that real freedom which only a knowledge of present truth can bring. We can hardly accommodate the Sunday night crowds, and it is a real problem with us how to provide for them.

Pastor Humphrey is working as he has never worked before. We pray that his strength fail not, that he shall always realize his sole dependence upon God, and keep humble. Therein has been his remarkable success thus far. He has a strong corps of volunteer workers, not paid by the conference, who are enthusiastic in their service for the truth. These workers Pastor Humphrey trained in his winter school, and he is now reaping the fruits of his efforts in that little winter school. New York Number 2 is a live church because it is a working church.

Every morning at eight o'clock, during the present campaign, Elder Humphrey meets with his band of workers, gives them helpful counsel, helps them with their problems which arise in the daily performance of their duties; and all earnestly pray together. Then each is given a long list of names, about seventy-five at present, and must give some account of each. Under the tactful direction of these shrewd ambassadors, the people find themselves coming, night

after night, to the tent, and becoming truly interested in something that they had already concluded was dull and uninteresting to them.

In connection with the present campaign is also conducted a "Daily Vacation Bible School" for children, in which boys are taught to make hammocks and baskets, and girls to sew and weave. This school is under undenominational auspices and directed by one of the many social welfare societies in New York that provide for the care and best interests of the children of the city.

Pastor Humphrey made a proposition to the society showing them the advantages of his tent for a summer school, and the society accepted. The fact is, Pastor Humphrey was appointed superintendent, and three or four from among his workers are his assistants. A young white lady teacher from the society has charge of the music and manual training.

In conclusion we wish to say in all earnestness that Ethiopia shall soon stretch forth her hands unto God. This truth shall indeed go as a whirlwind among this people.

C. A. CRICKLOW.

OBITUARY NOTICES

GRANT.—Mrs. Melissa A. Grant died at the home of Andrew Johnson, at Athens, Me., June 25, 1914. Sister Grant was born in Troy, Me., and was a believer in the Adventist faith for nearly sixty years, being connected with the Sabbath truth for thirty years. We know of one sister and one brother residing in Maine, and one niece in Massachusetts. Her many friends will be glad to know that all was done for her comfort that could be, and through the assistance of the niece, she was buried in Plymouth, Me., beside her husband, who died some thirty-four years ago.

F. M. DANA.

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PRINCE.—Died at his home in Cattaraugus, July 15, 1914, Martin W. Prince, aged 80 years, 1 month, and 7 days. Brother Prince accepted the truth thirty years ago through the labors of Elder D. T. Fero. He has ever manifested a clearness in the

faith, and died with a bright hope. Brother and Sister Prince have lived together in Cattaraugus for more than fifty years. Three children, four grandchildren, and six great-grandchildren survive him. A large audience composed of relatives and acquaintances gave attentive interest to an outline of the simple truths which had made Brother and Sister Prince peculiar in the village for so many years. A deep impression was made upon many. This answered Brother Prince's earnest desire that the community should have an opportunity to listen to the faith, and an invitation once more to accept.

H. W. CARR.

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GAY.—Died at her home in Hudson, N. H., of heart disease, Sabbath, July 18, Lydia M. Gay, aged seventy years. She had been a member of the Nashua church for about twenty years, first hearing the truth preached by Brother Mace. Two sons, two daughters, and eight grandchildren are left. The funeral was held at the home, July 21, the writer speaking words of comfort based on Ps. 116:15. Interment was in Woodlawn Cemetery, Nashua.

F. W. STRAY.

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EASLER.—Died of peritonitis July 3, 1914, at Crouseville, Aroostook Co., Maine, Verne Easler, who was born Feb. 6, 1901. Although quite young, she took an active part in the Sabbath-school work at her home. About three years ago she was engaged in Bible work in the city of Portland. While she desired to live, she felt her peace was made with God, and was resigned to pass under the dominion of the enemy, knowing the triumph of all the saints in the resurrection. Words of comfort were spoken by Pastor Woodworth, of the local Protestant church, who was very kind to her during her last sickness.

W. J. DUNSCOMBE.

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WINSLOW.—Alice Winslow, only child of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Winslow, died July 10, 1914, aged 2 years, 3 months, and 10 days. The circumstances concerning her death were sad, as she was accidentally scalded. The sufferings resulting were intense, until just before the end. Her parents laid her to rest with a firm trust that He who doeth all things well will one day unite them in the earth made new. Words of comfort were spoken by Brother C. O. Perkins, the message of consolation being found in the precious promise of Jer. 31:15.

FOREST PRATT.

PERRY.—Myron A. Perry was born in Rome, N. Y., July 26, 1855, and died at the home of his son in Cortland, N. Y., July 15, 1914. Brother Perry was a member of the Williamstown church. He had suffered from tuberculosis for a long time, having spent some time in the Adirondacks, having returned seemingly improved in health. The disease, however, had too firm a hold on him so that he again began to decline, and it was thought best for him to go to Cortland, where he died. He leaves a wife and two children. The funeral services were held in Camden, where he was buried. * * *

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SAGE.—Robert Fiske Sage, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sage, died at the home of his parents at Jamestown, N. Y., July 2, 1914, aged 1 year, 9 months, and 14 days. When but a few months old he was stricken with infantile paralysis, which made him a great care to his parents, but which only endeared him all the more to their fond hearts. His sunny smiles will be greatly missed by his grief-stricken father and mother, who feel keenly their need of God's help in this their hour of trial. Words of comfort were spoken by the writer, based on Psalms 68:20.

H. LESLEY SHOUP.

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MARR.—Died in Clinton, Maine, July 6, 1914, Mrs. Sarah J. Marr, aged eighty-four years. She leaves three sons, one daughter, and many other relatives to mourn their loss. Sister Marr was feeble for a long time, but she is now at rest free from all the troubles this present world had brought to her in the many years she witnessed its sorrows and trials. May the relatives all seek for that better world where death can never come, and all tears will be wiped from all faces. Rev. 21:4. Remarks were made at the funeral by the writer.

P. B. OSBORNE.

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"COMMON sense bows to the inevitable and makes use of it."

ADVERTISEMENTS

CLASSES in nurses' training course, started in July, will be open to others until October. Any one wishing to enter the course should arrange to do so as early as possible.

ATTLEBORO SANITARIUM,
Attleboro, Mass.

THE BOOK WORK

Massachusetts, week ending July 31, 1914

| Name | Place | Book | Hrs | Ords | Value | Helps | Total | Del |
|-----------------------------|-------|------|-----|------|----------|----------|----------|---------|
| * Anna Blythe | | D A | 81 | 14 | 48 00 | 26 70 | 74 70 | 6 15 |
| Corinne Brewer, Brookfield | | D A | 37 | 2 | 6 00 | 7 60 | 13 60 | |
| Vieva Barrows, Williamstown | | D A | 32 | 4 | 15 00 | 9 90 | 24 90 | 11 00 |
| F. S. Burgess, Haverhill | | | | | | 2 00 | 2 00 | 2 00 |
| Clara Catudal, Methuen | | D A | 33 | 11 | 27 00 | 8 35 | 35 35 | |
| * Marvel Eastman | | D A | 89 | 5 | 19 50 | 46 32 | 65 82 | 2 10 |
| Hazel A. Felton, Somerville | | P G | 35 | 2 | 7 00 | 4 45 | 11 45 | 2 55 |
| Mrs. C. Feltus, Everett | | D A | 5 | | | 6 00 | 6 00 | 3 00 |
| Bessie Jamieson, Methuen | | D A | 33 | 4 | 12 00 | 7 25 | 19 25 | |
| Mrs. E. Laycock, Cambridge | | D A | 25 | 3 | 9 00 | 13 75 | 22 75 | 2 25 |
| Roy C. Twing | | D A | 40 | 3 | 9 00 | 5 25 | 14 25 | 36 75 |
| Amalia Umlandt, Brookfield | | | 37 | 5 | 15 00 | 3 75 | 18 75 | 22 50 |
| Totals, 12 Agents | | | 447 | 53 | \$167 50 | \$141 32 | \$308 82 | \$88 30 |

* Three weeks

Greater New York, week ending July 31, 1914

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|----------------------------|-----|-----|----|---------|---------|----------|---------|
| Mrs. Countryman, St'n Is. | CK | 6 | 5 | 7 50 | 2 25 | 9 75 | |
| C. S. Countryman, St'n Is. | DR | | 3 | 9 00 | | 9 00 | 9 00 |
| Mrs. Fryer, Sag Harbor | D A | 27 | 7 | 21 00 | 9 10 | 30 10 | 20 10 |
| H. P. Hansen, Brooklyn | M N | | | 6 00 | | 6 00 | |
| Wm. Langrebe, Slate Hill | BR | | 4 | 16 00 | 3 70 | 19 70 | |
| A. Lewis, New York | DR | 39 | 2 | 6 00 | 6 50 | 12 50 | 6 75 |
| J. Manuel, Poughkeepsie | BR | 4 | 2 | 7 00 | | 7 00 | 32 20 |
| G. R. Meyers, New York | G C | | 4 | 14 00 | 16 50 | 30 50 | 10 55 |
| J. Revans, Matteawan | | 36 | 4 | 13 00 | | 13 00 | |
| Totals, 9 Agents | | 112 | 31 | \$99 50 | \$38 05 | \$137 55 | \$78 60 |

Western New York, week ending July 31, 1914

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|--------------------------|-----|-----|----|----------|---------|----------|--------|
| Floyd Bellinger, Jasper | D A | 43 | 8 | 25 50 | 10 50 | 36 00 | |
| Konrad Arvin, Harmony | CK | 39 | 19 | 31 00 | 1 95 | 32 95 | 2 75 |
| James Moran, Clarksville | ES | 36 | 7 | 22 00 | 9 50 | 31 50 | 1 00 |
| John S. Keeler, Royton | D A | 33 | 7 | 21 00 | 9 75 | 30 75 | 75 |
| A. R. Evans, Canistota | D A | 26 | 9 | 29 50 | 8 55 | 38 05 | 1 55 |
| Carl Carlson, Ashville | DR | 20 | 3 | 12 00 | | 12 00 | |
| Mary Chisholm, Elmira | CK | 14 | 4 | 6 00 | 1 50 | 7 50 | 75 |
| G. F. Evans, Hornell | D A | 11 | 1 | 4 50 | | 5 25 | |
| F. N. Stanley, Buffalo | DR | 9 | 19 | 38 00 | | 38 00 | 1 00 |
| Totals, 9 Agents | | 231 | 77 | \$189 50 | \$42 50 | \$232 00 | \$7 80 |

Maine, week ending July 31, 1914

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|----------------------------|-----|-----|----|----------|---------|----------|---------|
| Clarence Gerald, Blue Hill | H M | 30 | 36 | 72 00 | 8 00 | 80 00 | |
| Forest Pratt, Mars Hill | P G | 36 | 16 | 54 00 | 13 50 | 67 50 | |
| Wm. Edwards, Blue Hill | H M | 36 | 24 | 48 00 | 6 18 | 54 18 | |
| Chester Perkins, Littleton | H M | 31 | 16 | 37 50 | 16 25 | 53 75 | |
| Bruce Chase, Livermore | D A | 10 | 2 | 6 00 | | 6 75 | 9 00 |
| Maurice Bowers, Camden | | 10 | | | 5 25 | 5 25 | |
| Hiram Morrell, Webster | H H | 1 | | | | | 2 50 |
| Totals, 7 Agents | | 154 | 94 | \$217 50 | \$49 93 | \$267 43 | \$11 50 |

Northern New England, week ending July 31, 1914

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|-------------------------|-------|----|----|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| Paul Quimby, Coventry | H M | 24 | 8 | 18 50 | 11 55 | 30 05 | |
| H. M. Kirtland, Laconia | | | | | | | 3 00 |
| Ruby Roscoe, Chittenden | P P F | 8 | 8 | 13 50 | | 13 50 | |
| Rose Cushman, Barton | P P F | 4 | | | | | 30 75 |
| Totals, 4 Agents | | 36 | 16 | \$32 00 | \$11 55 | \$43 55 | \$33 75 |

Southern New England, week ending July 31, 1914

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|---------------------------|-----|----|----|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| Mabel G. Broome, Madison | D A | 24 | 9 | 27 00 | 14 25 | 41 25 | 7 20 |
| H. C. Wilcox, New Haven | SP | 20 | 9 | 12 25 | 14 25 | 26 50 | |
| Louise Kleuser, Montowese | D A | 5 | | | | | 21 60 |
| Totals, 3 Agents | | 49 | 18 | \$39 25 | \$28 50 | \$67 75 | \$28 80 |

| A. U. C. Totals, July 31, 1914 | Hrs | Ords | Value | Helps | Total | Del |
|-----------------------------------|------|------|-----------|----------|-----------|-----------|
| 44 Agents | 1029 | 289 | \$745 25 | \$311 85 | \$1057 10 | \$248 75 |
| Totals for corresp. wk. last year | | | | | | |
| 47 Agents | 1622 | 530 | \$1315 25 | \$444 49 | \$1759 74 | \$1561 35 |

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MISS SUSIE BARROWS, matron of South Lancaster Academy, is at Melrose for rest and treatment.

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MISS ADELINE L. CHAPMAN, Manual Training and Art teacher in the Normal Department of South Lancaster Academy, is improving rapidly at the sanitarium in Melrose.

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ELDER AND MRS. QUINN and Professor Machlan attended the young people's rally in the Greater New York Conference last Sabbath. They report splendid meetings.

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A SAD accident occurred in Clinton last week, when Mr. Geo. W. Bartlett, whose wife is a member of the South Lancaster church, was killed by an automobile, as he was taking the street-car for his home. Our sympathies are extended to Sister Bartlett and her son.

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THE supply of postal cards sent out for foreign mission pledges is now exhausted, but we shall be glad to receive pledges from all, whether they receive the cards or not. If you will send your name, stating the amount you wish to pledge each week until January 1, 1915, together with the name of the church and the local conference to which you belong, we can list it and place it in its proper place. Every day brings in

a large bundle of cards containing pledges.

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SPACE would not permit our publishing a number of good articles which were received for this week's issue. Please have patience with us, brethren, and we will publish them as soon as possible. We wish to hear from our workers often, but trust you will condense your reports as much as possible, that there may be room for all.

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THE WAR AS A SIGNAL OF ADVANCE

How appropriate are the following words of inspiration to our day:—

"When the storm of God's wrath breaks upon the world, it will be a terrible revelation for souls to find that their house is being swept away because it is built upon the sand. Let the warning be given them before it is too late. We should now feel the responsibility of laboring with intense earnestness to impart to others the truths that God has given for this time. We can not be too much in earnest.

"Now is the time for the last warning to be given. There is a special power in the presentation of the truth at the present time; *but how long will it continue? — Only a little while.* If there ever was a crisis, it is now." — "*Testimonies for the Church,*" Vol. VI, page 16.

The terrible condition in Europe ought to stir us as never before. It gives us a great advantage in selling our literature. Why should we not drop our worldly vocations and take advantage of this opportunity to sell our books and magazines? Nearly every one of these deal with this war question as a sign of the times.

Brethren and sisters, may not this be a signal to us to arouse from slumber and go out to give the last warning message? The people will be glad to hear you now. Lose not

a day, but arrange with your field agent at once.

"Daniel and Revelation," "Heralds of the Morning," "Past, Present, and Future," and "Coming King" are some of the books dealing with this war question. No doubt the *Watchman* and *Signs* magazines are doing the same. Then we have tracts, such as "The Alarm of War" at two cents, "Turkey and Its End," two cents, "The Eastern Question," one cent, etc., that deal with this same question.

C. J. TOLF.

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"THE MESSAGE"

Notice to Church-members

A SET of ten six-page illustrated leaflets, attractively arranged, on various subjects, including "The Change of the Sabbath," "Signs of the Times," "Spiritualism," "Daniel 2," etc., have been prepared, and are now ready for any who would like to have them to use.

The copy for these leaflets was given to Brother C. E. Hooper to be arranged and printed under his supervision. They are especially intended for our workers to use in their advertising, the fifth page being left blank for the program of meetings to be printed in by any local printer. Being printed with attractive titles and written up in a way to interest the ordinary reader, they are especially good for any of our church-members to use in the place of tracts in their missionary work as an entering wedge for our other literature. Price, \$2 a thousand; in smaller quantities, 30 cents a hundred, or if it is desired to have the blank page filled in with a special insert advertising our other books and tracts, they will be furnished at a slight additional charge. Send five cents for a complete set of ten, postage prepaid, to Brother H. B. Tucker, at South Lancaster, Mass.

H. C. Hartwell.