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# THE RESULT OF THE CANVASSERS' INSTITUTE —— SOUTHERN JUNIOR COLLEGE ——

Before our brethren of the field came in to hold the Canvassers' Institute, some thirty of the students had organized themselves into a Canvassers' Band and had set their goal for the present year at \$25,000. About twenty went out last year and secured something over \$15,000. All during the year, however, a spirit of consecration has taken hold of these young people, such as we have never seen before.

When Bro. Cole first came he said, "We usually take a few meetings at the start to get the young people interested in the work, to arouse them to the need of canvassing;" but before he had been here very many hours he said, "These students are already aroused; they do not need any such meetings."

The Institute was well attended, and as a result 47 students decided that they would go out in the canvassing field, and set their goal at \$78,600. Let us pray that these young people may reach the goal, and that they may exceed it, for the time has come when this Message must go with unheard-of spirit. Let us do all we can to encourage them as they go into the field, for it will mean a great deal to them to be able to get money to go ahead with their schooling, and it will mean a great deal to the field to have these books and magazines scattered from door to door. These young people can truly be missionaries as they go to school, and we feel the Lord will greatly bless their efforts.

Bro. Cole was in charge of the Institute, and was assisted by Bro. Staton and Eld. Elliott from the Southern Union, and Bro. Dougherty, Bro. Washburn and Elder Spire of the Southeastern. We were very sorry Bro. Dillen could not be with us more, but other duties kept him from being with us but one or two days.

We feel that the results of this Institute marked a new departure in the work of the Southern Junior College. We feel it will rapidly become a recruiting station for workers to spread the glad tidings of salvation over the entire Southland.

Following is a list of the students who are going canvassing, together with their goal:

| Ralph Clark     | \$ 800 |
|-----------------|--------|
| Lester Holland  | 1,500  |
| Joe Curzon      | 2,000  |
| Jean Sawers     | 500    |
| Warren Franklin | 2,000  |
| Adam Meister    | 4,000  |
| Floy Morgan     | 500    |
| Carl Aiken      | 1,500  |
| Maggie Lee Hill | 500    |
| Harold Meister  | 2,500  |
| N. L. Ingram    | 2,500  |
| Robert Wynn     | 2,000  |
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|---|--|-------|
|   | Robert Bagley  | 1,500 |
|   | Ruth Bowen   | 300   |
|   | Wallace Campbell   | 2,000 |
|   | Edward Parker  | 2,000 |
|   | Julia Inabinet   | 1,000 |
|   | John T. Trimble  | 2,000 |
|   | Roy Campbell   | 2,500 |
|   | W. T. Hammond  | 2,000 |
|   | Mary Ford  | 500   |
|   | Chas. Starkweather   | 2,500 |
|   | Mary Aldridge  | 1,000 |
|   | Cleo Adams   | 1,000 |
|   | Eugene Shoemaker   | 1,500 |
|   | Pearl Reed   | 1,000 |
|   | Eunice Keller  | 1,000 |
|   | Wm. Crowson  | 2,000 |
|   | J. C. Holland  | 3,500 |
| , | Geo. N. Fuller   | 2,000 |
|   | Clarence Stagg   | 2,000 |
|   | Wm. E, Giles   | 2,000 |
|   | Clarence Giles   | 3,500 |
|   | J. T. Weed   | 3,000 |
|   | Wilmer Nelson  | 2,500 |
|   | W. T. Tucker   | 1,500 |
|   | Norman Waters  | 3,000 |
|   | Rosabelle Wood   | 800   |
|   | John Gardner   | 2,500 |
|   | Cristel Kalar  | 54)   |
|   | Dalton Frazier   | 1,500 |
|   | Forest Wade  | 2,000 |
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|   | Gladys Lambert   | 500   |
|   | Gladys Knox  | 500   |
|   | Margaret Woods   | 500   |
|   | Dorothy Tolman   | 500   |
|   | Total \$7  | 8,600 |
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Let us rejoice that the Lord has impressed the hearts of these young people with the need of the hour and do all we can to help them.

Testimonies from some of

those who attended the Colporteurs' Institute at the Southern Junior College:

"I am thankful that the Lord has put it into my heart to canvass this summer. My one great aim is to be a soul-winner for my Master." - Eunice Keller.

"The hearty response by so many to enter the canvassing field, and the evidence that God was leading, made this the best Institute I ever attended."—J. C. Holland.

"I am thankful for the blessing of the Lord to me during the Institute. I do want an interest in your prayers that I may reach my goal in both dollars and souls."—Mary Aldridge.

"As I go out to canvass this summer I want to put my whole life into the work, and let my one aim be to win souls."—Julia Inabinet.

"These good meetings have been a great inspiration to me to get into the Lord's work, I know that of myself it is impossible to reach my goal of \$2000, but by the Lord's help all things are possible."—Robert Wynn.

"I am indeed thankful that I can have a part in the finishing of this great work, and I ask your prayers that I may be a true soul-winner for Christ."—Floy Morgan.

"I certainly thank the Lord for the privilege of attending this Institute; it has been a blessing to me. I want to consecrate my life to the Lord that He may use me in finishing His work."—Eugene Shoemaker.

"This Institute has given me a clearer view of the great need for workers in the closing up of this message. My prayer is that each book will bring a soul into the truth."—Geo. N. Fuller.

"God was especially near during the recent Canvassers' Institute, and I received a great inspiration to put all my efforts into the finishing of this great work." — W. T. Hammond.

# "The Earth Was Filled With Violence"

The conditions in our world today are fast becoming like the days before the flood. The headlines in our dailies portray an alarming chaotic state in many parts of the world. The Spirit of God has plainly pictured before us the scenes of our day.

"I was shown that a terrible condition of things exists in our world. The angel of mercy is folding her wings, ready to depart. Already the Lord's restraining power is being withdrawn from the earth, and Satan is seeking to stir up the various elements in the religious world, leading men to place themselves under the training of the great deceiver, who works with all de-

ceivableness of unrighteousness in the children of disobedience. Already the inhabitants of the earth are marshaling under the leading of the prince of darkness, and this is but the beginning of the end.

"The law of God is made void. We see and hear of confusion and perplexity, want and famine, earthquakes and floods; terrible outrages will be committed by men: passion, not reason, bears sway. The wrath of God is upon the inhabitants of the world. who are fast becoming as corrupt as were the inhabitants of Sodom and Gomorrah. Already fire and flood are destroying thousands of lives, and property that has been selfishly accumulated by the oppression of the poor. The Lord is soon to cut short His work, and put an end to sin. the scenes which have come before me, of the iniquities practiced in these last days, might make a deep impression on the minds of God's professing peo-

"As it was in the days of Noah, so shall it be when the Son of man shall be revealed. The Lord is removing His restrictions from the earth, and soon there will be death and destruction, increasing crime, and evil working against the rich who have exalted themselves against the poor. Those who are without God's protection will find no safety in any place or position. Human agents are being trained, and are using their inventive power to put in operation the most powerful machinery to wound and to kill." Test. for the Church, Vol. 8, pp. 49, 50.

This warning and what we see in the world should stir us to great activities in the service of the Lord to warn the people and win souls for the kingdom before it is too late. Brother and sister, what are you doing to tell the

people the meaning of these things? Have you thought of selling the "Watchman?" Do you know it is one of the best mediums we have of getting the message before the people? The "Watchman" is up-to-date every month, and comes out in a new dress. Events are transpiring so rapidly nowadays that it doesn't take long for some of our books to get out of date, but not so with our good "Watchman." It has stirring articles every month on present-day conditions from the pen of our best writers.

As I go among the churches I hear so many say, "I cannot give a Bible reading nor the message in a connected way, as I cannot find the Scripture texts I want." But that is no reason why you cannot do a wonderful service for the Lord. Someone is just waitfor you to take the "Watchman" to them. Will you resolve to do Send in to your Tract Society for 50 copies, and start out Sunday morning, either in the country or city, and tell those you meet that you are doing missionary work, trying to get religious literature on the meaning of present-day events into hands of the people. You will be surprised how many are ready to investigate reading matter that sets forth from the Bible the meaning of these events.

A week ago I was out doing missionary work of this kind. and I found a man who had already been reading our literature with his companion. He said as the startling events were transpiring his wife would say, "This is what the book said would come.'' This man and his wife are good subjects for the truth, and their names were given to the missionary leader. Hasten, my brother and sister, to have a part in this good work ere it will be too late. J. B. LOCKEN.

### Cumberland

Conference Directory

### The Gravsville School

At the Birmingham convention the subject of making the Graysville school a Conference school was discussed with the general educational men: later it was recommended to the Cumberland Conference committee by the Union Conference committee, and at a recent meeting of the Cumberland committee this recommendation was accepted and the board elected. The members of this board are: The President of the Conference. Union Educational secretary. Cumberberland Educational secretary, R. L. Williams, Judge Cyrus Simmons, Miss Rochelle Philmon, principal of the school, and Prof. G. H. Baber, secretary and business manager.

It is the desire of the board to obtain a suitable man and his wife to act the part of preceptor and preceptress, and plans are on foot now to get some one who will prove a father and mother to the boys and girls. We realize that children of the ages that come within ten grades must be cared for by one who can play this part.

The Graysville church has been financing and running this school for the last three years. The enrolment there for this year has been over 150. Splendid work has been done by the entire school. They have carried a double session on Monday in order to make up the time lost during the influenza epidemic. The students have shown their co-operation by standing with the members of the faculty, and in

giving themselves to the work. There is a senior class of nine who expect to graduate. All are planning for further educational advancement in other schools.

The main feature of the Graysville school is to prepare students for Collegedale. They wish to cater to the class that are too young to associate with college students. Graysville will be a feeding station for Collegedale, preparing the minds of our boys and girls for definite work.

The dormitory remains as it was left by the old Southern School. However. Training there is no furniture in the building, and this we plan to equip, also a dinning-room and kitchen. Some of the class-rooms need equipment, and a number of minor improvements must be made. This is now a Conference school, and as a Conference we must lift the burden. We must prepare training stations for our boys and girls-stations that will enable them to become efficient workers in the cause of God. This message will be carried to the ends of the earth and preached by the youth.

It is the duty of parents and church members to open the way of preparing our youth to become efficient in spreading this mes-This is my school and your school-what are you going to do for it? Are you interested? Do you wish to know more about Send your contributions to it? the Conference office, and ask us any questions that you may Think of some boy or wish to. girl, or your boy or girl, and plan for them to be there next year.

MARIAN BROOKE, Educational Sec. Cumberland Conference.

### **Cumberland Items**

The Knoxville Sabbath School Children's department raised \$88 for the Thirteenth Sabbath offering, while the Senior department only raised \$62. One class in the Children's department raised \$38.

Miss Marian Brooke spent a week in Graysville and Brayton, visiting the schools at both places, and also had the pleasure of meeting with the Brayton church on the Thirteenth Sabbath. Brayton church school is progressing nicely under the direction of Mrs. O. L. Dart. children there have fenced off part of their play-ground, and have turned it into a flower gar-It was not necessary for them to have a school garden plot to get exercise, because they have gardens at home.

Brother Everington, of Brayton, is very poorly, but able to attend church services in the day time. Bro. R. L. Ward has moved into his home there, after selling his farm out to Brother Branham from Mission Ridge.

Elder W. H. Branson spent several days in Knoxville last week and spoke to the church Sabbath and Sunday morning.

Elder Shoup and family of Asheville are spending a few days with Mrs. Johnston of this city.

Prof. Waller of Mt. Pisgah, Prof. Tucker, Prof. Staines, Dr. Parker, and Prof. John Thompson of the Southern Union were in Knoxville for a few days attending a Rural School convention, which was conducted at Hotel Atkin.

Miss Marian Brooke left Thursday morning for Washington, D. C., where she expects to remain for a couple of weeks. She is going there to attend an Educational convention, and later a Young People's convention.

Bro. J. C. Newman took orders for \$123 worth of books this last week.

Brother Washburn is still in Chattanooga, helping our new colporteurs there make their first deliveries.

Bro. J. M. Draper of Bristol, Tenn., was an office visitor last Sunday morning.

# Report of \$3,500 Campaign for Finishing

TO BE COMPLETED BY MAY 1. WATCH IT GRO

| Alabama   |                          | Carolina  |      | Cumberland   | l                       | Florida   |              | Geo  |
|---|--------------------------|---|------|--|-------------------------|---|--------------|--|
| Ruth Johnston Clarence Giles Harold Boyd lrma Halladay l rs. Boyd Lynn H. Wood Aline Johnston Edna Ward   | 5<br>5<br>5<br>5<br>5555 | Isabel Kenyon Jessie Ingram F. W. Field Mrs. Field Frank Hudson Robert Wynn Alice Case Frances Case | 5    | Ruth Felker Cleo Adams Jeanetta Hardin Ruby Lea Rosa Meister Cecil King Clarence Field Eunice Felker | 55<br>55<br>5<br>5<br>5 | Jean. Richardson Mabel Branson T. R. Treece Horace Roberts Victor Ward Ivy McPherson O. R. Shreve Grace Bozarth                       | 5 5          | Anita Martir<br>Ruth Bowen<br>Adeline Curt<br>Helen Curtis<br>Edward Park<br>W. T. Hamm<br>Clarence Toll<br>John Brooke  |
| Alice Nelson Lucille Randall Mattie Goodner Josephine Cothren Eva Russell Sadie Harwell Metha Lohr J. T. Weed J. C. Holland Lester Holland Willie Crowson | 5                        | Mary Betts Robert Bagley Julia Inabinet Adam Meister Mrs. N. L. Ingram Martha Gandy                 | 5    | Dorothy Bailey DeLores Pierucci Cora Fox Warren Franklin T. R. Huxtable Kathryn McGee                | 55<br>5                 | Annie Jones Mamie Jones J. J. Gladden Mrs. Gladden Sue Houston Lillian Boyd B. J. Fountain Mrs. Fountain Otha Fountain Jamie Fountain | 5<br>55<br>5 | Edna Tramm<br>Alton Parker<br>John T. Trin<br>James Trimb<br>J. K. Macmi<br>J. R. Conger<br>Lucile Bower<br>Walter Davis<br>Harold Nico<br>Wallace Cam<br>Roy Campbe |
| Wilmer Nelson Gracie May Geo. N. Fuller Dorothy Tolman Matilda Nelson Ruth Whidden William Giles John Gardiner Eunice Keller Duffie Swofford              | 5                        | ·   |      |  |                         | Crisler Fountain<br>Clayton Fountain<br>C. E. Ledford   |              | Noble Harre<br>Irene Tolhur<br>Mrs. C. F. C<br>G. H. Straigh<br>Mrs. Straigh<br>Rebecca Sevi   |
| Total   | \$55                     | Total   | \$15 | Total  | \$55                    | Total   | \$30         | Total  |

Grand total \$405.00.

Every student is trying to raise \$25.00. They have name means \$5.00. Don't you want your Conference written you, send in your \$5.00 and we will put it to

### Our Message

"Give ear O ye heavens, and I will speak; and hear O earth the words of my mouth. My doctrine shall drop as the rain, my speech shall distill as the dew, as the small rain upon the tender herb, and as the showers upon the grass: Because I will publish the name of the Lord: ascribe ye greatness to our God." Deut. 32:1-3.

My dear fellow-workers, the above statement shows how anx-

ious our God is in the proclamation of the last message to the world, and how beautifully He describes the effects of His silent messengers as they fall into the hands of those who know the truth. "My Doctrine shall drop as the rain, shall distill as the dew, shall fall as the small rain." No outward demonstration, no noise, but when the sunlight of God's eternal truth shines upon the character then we see revealed, as the dewdrops in the

sun, sparkling diamonds of truth in the lives of men and women.

I have been made to rejoice as I visited the men with the books during the last few weeks, and the following statement rings in my ears as never before: "The great and wonderful work of the last Gospel message is to be carried on now as it never has been before. The world is to receive the light of truth through an evangelizing ministry of the Word in our books and periodicals."

## Girls' Dormitory Southern Junior College

W. TOTAL RECEIVED AT 6 P.M. APRIL 11, 1919.

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|                                     | \$80                                  | Total   | \$10 | Total   | \$25          | Total   | \$20    | Total  | \$115       |  |

written to at least five people, asking for at least \$5.00 from each. Every 5 after a ze to be the first one "over the top?" Answer your letters today. If they haven't 5 the credit of some who have received no answer to their calls.

"The Lord designs that the light He has given on the Scriptures shall shine forth in clear, bright rays, and it is the duty of our canvassers to put forth a strong, united effort that God's designs shall be accomplished. A great and important work is before us. The enemy of souls realizes this, and he is using every means in his power to lead the canvassers to take up some other line of work. God calls the canvassers back to their work. He

calls for volunteers who will give all their energies and enlightenment into this work."

The thing that interests Heaven the most should most concern us. The angelic host is astir and always ready to cooperate with every servant of God that will give his or her time to this ministry. This is no time for pleasure vacations; one who idles away time in pleasure of the world, or selfish ideals, is like one who plays on the crest of a

volcano. There is no satisfaction like being where our God is pleased with our work; it brings peace and joy and satisfies the hungry soul.

"And as the path of duty is made plain.

May Grace be given that I may walk
therein;

Not like the hireling, for his selfish gain.

With backward glances and reluctant tread.

Making a merit of his coward dread, But, cheerful in the light around me thrown,

Walking as one to pleasant service led: Doing God's will as if it were my own, Yet trusting not in mine, but in His strength alone."

W. P. DOUGHERTY.

### Who Did It?

Who did it in the Carolina Conference for January and February? Fred Meister, Henry A. Noble, O. R. Osman, and Willie White did it. Did what? Watch the reports and see. Willie White put in the most hours. which was 368, and Henry Noble followed closely with 334 hours. Henry Noble took the largest number of orders, with a value of \$1714.30, and Fred Meister was second, with \$1640.95. O. R. Osman delivered the most books, which totaled \$789.00. with Fred Meister a close second in delivering \$780.65. Meister sent in to the office the largest remittance, and of course he heads the A A list.

Watch the reports, for the Carolina men are doing things, and will continue to do things during this entire year.

Yes, we have set a \$100,000 goal, and all are pulling to reach it, and we are going to reach it and go "over the top." Who wants to join the faithful colporteur band and help to roll the goal to the top and over? Sixteen colporteurs are rolling the load now, but we hope to have 20 soon; let's make it 25; will you agree?

CLARA L. RUSSELL.

### The Orlando Bible Institute

The opening services of the Orlando Bible Institute, conducted by Evangelist J. L. Shuler, assisted by Prof. J. Ronald Diffenbacher, as musical director and soloist, began in the city of Orlando, Florida, Sunday night, March 23d, in a large pavilion tent with a seating capacity of nearly 1000.

The average attendance during the week is not far from 600 and the best attention is given the speaker. Many questions are asked at the close of the lecture which are answered from the

### Colporteurs' Report

Southeastern Union Conference for the Week Ending April 5

|                |      |                 |                | ROLINA               |       |                      |          |
|----------------|------|-----------------|----------------|----------------------|-------|----------------------|----------|
| Name           | Book | Hrs.            | Order          |                      | Helps | Total                | Deliv'd  |
| O R Osman      | BR   | 60              | 0.0            | \$                   | \$    | \$                   | \$396.75 |
| Fred Meister   | BR   | 35              | 60             | 334.00               |       | 334.00               | 5.95     |
| H A Noble      | BR   | 43              | 37             | 321.00               | .85   | 321.85               | 63.65    |
| Willie White   | OD   | 54              | 41             | 177.50               |       | 177.50               | 20.50    |
| G C Wynn       | GC   | 44              | 41             | 171.00               |       | 171.00               |          |
| D J Peeler     | DR   | 40              | 34             | 152.00               |       | 152.00               |          |
| R H Gilman     | BR   | 46              | 30             | 134.00               | 5.10  | 139.10               | 7.55     |
| Chas W Evers   | BR   | 37              | 28             | 125.00               |       | 125.00               | 2.00     |
| Kasper Oertley |      | 34              | 22             | 100.00               | 40.00 | 100.00               | 5.25     |
| A Webster      | OD   | 27              | 33             | 84.50                | 10.00 | 94.50                | 17.50    |
| Mrs F Meister  | BR   | 5               | 18             | 93.00                |       | 93.00                |          |
| J A Henson     | BR   | 43              | 19             | 81.00                | 1.50  | 82.50                |          |
| Page Shepard   | OD   | 21              | 9              | 26.50                | 8.35  | 34.85                |          |
| N D Ingram     | BR   | 20              | 8              | 32.00                | .50   | 32.50                | 5.70     |
| J W Godwin     | BR   | 25              | 4              | $18.00\_$            | 2.00  | 20.00                | 16.00    |
| Total          |      | 534             | 384            | 1849,50              | 28.30 | 1877.80              | 540.85   |
|                |      |                 | GE             | ORGIA                |       |                      |          |
| E Bradley(2wk) | BR   | 49              | 67             | 295.00               |       | 295.00               |          |
| C A Lynes      | BR   | 57              | 58             | 261.00               | 14.70 | 275.70               | 46.70    |
| A W Clarke     | BR   | 51              | 56             | 239.80               | 16.05 | 255.85               | 28.70    |
| John Vickers   | BR   | 48              | 35             | 194.00               |       | 194.00               | 6.00     |
| Wayne Slawson  | BR   | 40              | 34             | 169.00               |       | 169.00               |          |
| B F Brown      | BR   | 40              | 21             | 85.00                | 6.75  | 91.75                |          |
| F H McRae      | BR   | 21              | 15             | 81.00                | 2.50  | 83.50                | 2.50     |
| E J Loyd       | BR   | 32              | 10             | 47.00                | 3.10  | 50.10                | 21.10    |
| E Vaughner     | OD   | 15              | 16             | 45.50                | 2.75  | 48.25                | 2.75     |
| W H King       | BR   | 59              |                | 39.50                | 8.55  | 48.05                |          |
| A L Purifoy    | OD   | 15              | 14             | 38.00                | 1.25  | 39.25                | 1.25     |
| Lucy McDonald  |      | 13              | 4              | 18.00                | 11.45 | 29.45                | 21,45    |
| W C Cheek      | BR   | 28              | $\overline{2}$ | 10.00                | .25   | 10.25                | 215.00   |
| A J Sharpe     | GC   | 42              | 2              | 8.00                 | 0     | 8.00                 | 118.60   |
| Mrs T Hendrix  | BR   | 2               | 11             | 7.70                 |       | 7.70                 | 1.70     |
| J L Nicholson  | GC   | $\overline{30}$ | * *            | 0                    |       |                      | 128.00   |
| Total          |      | 542             | 345            | 1538.50              | 67.35 | 1605.85              | 593.75   |
|                |      |                 | FL             | ORIDA                |       |                      |          |
| Eva Chandler   | OD   | 36              | 33             | 87.50                | 7.80  | 95.30                | 5.70     |
| D Summers      | OD   | 40              | 25             | 68.50                | 4.60  | 77.90                | 4.60     |
| Mrs J Houston  | BR   | 27              | 18             | 76.00                |       | 76.00                | 4.25     |
| M Moore        | BR   | 33              | 14             | 66.00                | 1.50  | 67.50                | 20.75    |
| G M Davis      | OD   | 20              | 12             | 32.50                | 6.00  | 38.50                | 2.75     |
| Nan Armstrong  |      | $\frac{12}{12}$ | 6              | 29.00                |       | 29.00                | 0        |
| Mrs Coward*    | OD   | 63              | 7              | 12.50                | 16.00 | 28.50                | 135.70   |
| Lula Green     | CK   | 15              | 6              | 16.00                | 10.00 | 16.00                | 21.25    |
| Mrs E Meyers*  | OD   | 49              | 4              | 12.00                | 3.40  | 15.40                | 139.40   |
| Gracie H Reno  | BF   | 31              | 4              | 10.00                | 1.00  | 11.00                | 5.75     |
| Bertha Rhodes  | OD   | 12              | 1              | $\frac{10.00}{2.50}$ | 1.00  | $\frac{11.00}{2.50}$ | 38.80    |
| Paul Nicholson | BR   | 30              | 1              | 2.00                 |       | <b>≟.</b> ⊍∪         | 202.00   |
| *—2wk Tota     |      | 394             | 134            | 426.00               | 40.30 | 471.10               | 665.50   |

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|--------------|------|------|------|---------|--------|---------|---------|
| J C Newman   | BR   | 41   | 28   | 123.00  | 11.80  | 134.80  | 11.80   |
| W R Hanson   | DR   | 27   | 19   | 80.00   | 3.00   | 83.00   | 61.00   |
| C H Spurgeon | GC   | 37   | 11   | 52.05   | 15.85  | 67.90   | 15.85   |
| C B Sorrells | BR   | 30   | 10   | 50.00   |        | 50.00   |         |
| Mrs W C Boyd | GC   | 10   | 6    | 25.00   | 3.25   | 28.25   | 3.25    |
| J R Hames    | BR   | 47   |      | 4.50    |        | 4.50    | 8.50    |
| C F Dart H   | elps | 6    |      | ,       | 6.95   | 6.95    |         |
| Bibles       |      |      |      |         |        | 7.80    |         |
| Total        |      | 198  | 74   | 334.55  | 40.85  | 383.20  | 100.40  |
| Grand total  |      | 1668 | 937  | 4148.55 | 176.80 | 4337.95 | 1900.50 |

stand immediately, and this feature of the meetings adds greatly to the interest. Everybody remains to hear the questions answered.

About 200 persons have asked for literature bearing on the subjects which have been presented publicly, and the workers are kept busy delivering papers and other reading matter at the homes of these people.

Bible studies are being held with some who have already expressed a desire to become better acquainted with the wonderful Bible subjects they have heard discussed at the tent. The tender, melting influences of God's Holy Spirit is felt in all of the services thus far held. A lady who sat beside the writer one evening wept, as did others in This encourthe congregation. ages the workers to believe that God has precious souls in Orlando whom He desires to save in His soon-coming kingdom. In a recent meeting Brother Shuler portrayed the beauties, blessings and glories of the world to come, and while he was speaking it seemed as though the power of the Highest overshadowed him, and conviction of sin fastened itself on many minds and hearts. He asked those who would like to have a beautiful home in the earth when it shall have been made new, and who desired him to pray for them, to raise their

hand. A hundred or more hands went up, after which an earnest prayer went up to God for these dear souls.

Books are selling well, and the writer knows of one man (a doctor) who has purchased every book that has been offered for sale, and desires more of the same kind to send to friends.

The people are contributing liberally to help defray the expenses of the institute.

Brethren and sisters, we ask your prayers in behalf of this effort.

C. P. WHITFORD.

### Working Our Cities

"Unless more is done than has been done for the cities of America, ministers and people will have a heavy account to settle with the One who appointed to every man his work."-Vol. 8, p. 35.

"Let not the great cities of our land be lightly passed over and neglected." "The work in the home field is a vital problem just now. The present time is the most favorable opportunity that we shall have to work these fields."—From address by Mrs. E. G. White, 1910.

Who will answer this appeal from the servant of the Lord and circulate the "Watchman Magazine?" Some of the vital subjects in the May issue are: "Will Socialism Rule the World?" A study of Revelation, chapter 16, "When Right Conquered Might."

The effect of evolution on the World's imagination is portrayed under the subject of "A Fogged View." Other good articles are, "A Son of the Soil," "God Stoops Down and Whispers," "Tested Seeds," "Why Do You Pray?" etc. The Outlook, the Register, and the Simple Truth contain strong features in this issue.

With such an array of gospel truth presented in such a forceful way there should be hundreds enter the Lord's work in our cities. No form of literature is more current than our monthly magazines, and certainly none more appealing to the reading public. As one reader expresses it, he says, "Another factor which makes your magazine valuable is that it has news of the day that is necessary to know. and when a business man has so little time, he will read the religious as well as the current news as it is all placed before him." Will you be one to help circulate the "Watchman?"

C. E. HOOPER.

### Summer School

Summer School for our Mission teachers will be held at Oakwood, beginning June 10 and closing July 22. This school has been made permanent, and is now a regular part of the Oakwood School. The Conferences are planning to send all who will teach another year. Let those who are planning to teach immediately get in touch with their Conference superintendent and plan for the Summer School. J. A. TUCKER.

#### The Home Study Habit

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

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

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### Southern Junior College

Charles W. Bozarth, who was with the A. E. F. in France. is visiting his sister and friends At chapel last Wednesday he gave us a very interesting account of some of his experiences while engaged in first aid work on the battle front.

Professor Wood left Thursday morning to attend the Educational Council at Washington.

Glenn Curtis, Mrs. Jeffers, and Zoa Shreve, with other friends from Atlanta, are spending a few days at the School.

Mrs. Rose Cox stopped a few days at the College en route to Arizona.

Have you noticed the report of the "Collegedale Catchem Club" in this issue? If you haven't, you at least ought to notice how your Conference stands, and send in your "five" at once, if you have not already done so.

Norman Waters and John Gardiner left today for Alabama where they will spend the summer in the canvassing work. We trust the Lord will greatly bless their efforts to spread the truth through the printed pages.

Miss Matilda Nelson returned Thursday night from Reeves, Georgia.

Mr. Alvin Perrine is visiting Prof. and Mrs. Straight. He recently received his discharge from Camp Gordan.

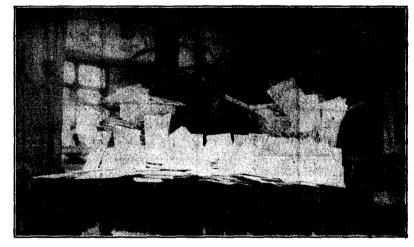
One of Collegedale's former students, Miss Masie White, who has been teaching the church school in Mobile this year, is here visiting friends.

### Summer School

Our Summer School is now a permanent institution and a regular department of the Southeast. The session this year will begin June 5 and close July 20, running eight weeks. We have planned for a good strong corps of teachers, and we are looking forward to the best Summer School the South has ever had. We have outlined a good strong course in Medical Missionary work and simple treatments, which I am sure our teachers will be glad to know about. Work will be given in Methods, Management, and Reviews. The Conference will see that all their teachers attend, and I would suggest that those who plan to attend take the matter up immediately with your Conference. Let us all work and make this the best Summer School we have ever held. Teachers are needed very much. New schools are being started, and old ones need teachers.

J. A. TUCKER.

#### SENDING OUT THE LETTERS



These are not such letters as one usually finds in a waste-basket—they're the first seven hundred of the Campaign letters that were ready to mail on Tuesday, April 1, the opening day of the campaign. Teachers and students entered enthusiastically into writing these letters. Scarcely anyone was satisfied to write only five—in fact, one young lady wrote twenty-one. At four o'clock that afternoon the chapel was filled, and as we thought of these letters going out on their mission, some of them to people not acquainted with the school here at Ooltewah and the work it is doing for the young people, our hearts joined in the earnest prayers that were offered by Elders Wight,Branson,Cole,and others,for the Holy Spirit to accompany these requests for help.

Because of the wonderful promises of God's willingness to give good things to His children, and this earnest spirit on the part of the student body, we feel that this campaign for \$3,500 will be successful. Have you helped to make it so?