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Farthest Out for Christ

By J. J. STRAHLE

Associate Secretary, General Conference Publishing Department

THE past four months I have been visiting our fields in the South American Division. It was a joy to meet with our workers, especially so the evangelists of the literature ministry. Conventions and institutes were held in every union, thus giving me the opportunity to contact our field missionary secretaries and colporteur evangelists.

While attending institutes in Argentina I was glad to meet our workers who had a part in bringing the gospel message to the southernmost part of South America. I remember when the word had come to us in America that colporteurs had reached Punta Arenas with our truth-filled literature. How happy we were for this word, for we felt that the southern tip of South America had been reached; but now we learn that our messengers of the printed page have gone beyond Punta Arenas, crossing the Strait of Magellan into the Tierra del Fuego Territory with our books and papers. God's last message has reached out to the extreme south, near Cape Horn. Since our truth-filled literature has been distributed in rocky Patagonia, the Falkland Islands, and Tierra del Fuego, many have accepted the truth. A number of these believers have felt the burden to bring a knowledge of present truth to others, so today are visiting the sheep ranches and mines of southern Argentina with the one purpose of reaching every one with the last message of mercy.

As a result of a faithful colporteur evangelist there is a new mark on

our mission map: Ushuaia, a city of Tierra del Fuego, near Cape Horn, is the southernmost city in the world. Here are believers today as the result of a literature evangelist. There is nothing farther south to be reached where man lives. The Tierra del Fuego Territory (Land of Fire) has been kindled by the fire of the last gospel message. Truly this advent movement is reaching out to the uttermost parts of the earth. (Acts 1:8). What is happening today is a sign that the Lord is finishing the work

and cutting it short in righteousness.

I am sure that our hearts are made glad when we hear how the Lord is going before His workers in the fields beyond, in bringing a knowledge of present truth to the people for these last days. No doubt all of us would like to see more accomplished here in the homeland. In view of the nearness of the end and the short time that remains for us to work, shouldn't we put forth a far greater effort than ever before to hasten the coming of the Lord while the opportunity is still ours?

May many of our people respond to the call of the hour to help finish God's work in the earth!

Clarifying the Report Blanks

By W. A. BUTLER

Associate Secretary, General Conference Home Missionary Department

Article No. 1

AT THE TIME of the Union Home Missionary Secretaries' Council held in Hinsdale, Ill., the latter part of 1938, thorough study was given to the question of more clearly defining the items listed on the home missionary report blank. On the back of the individual report blank and also the envelope containing the band report card, brief notes of explanation are given, but it is felt that many times, both lay members and missionary secretaries in churches, and even conference and union Home Missionary secretaries, do not have a uniform understanding of just what is involved. In response to urgent request, a series of three short articles are now furnished in the attempt to clarify the "Missionary Worker's Individual Report," also some items on special items on blanks.

Section B—Items of Personal Work

1. *Bible readings or gospel meetings.* A Bible reading means the conducting of a study on a particular point of faith, using a series of Scripture texts to prove the point and announcing them in the proper consecutive order to be convincing in the mind of the reader or listener. The time, place, or circumstances do not necessarily govern in the matter of holding a Bible reading. There may be times when a Bible reading is conducted when the Bible itself is not used—such as an unexpected opportunity to "give a reason of the hope within" while traveling or in conversation with a neighbor. Philip the evangelist gave a Bible reading to the Ethiopian eunuch as he rode along in his carriage, and the Saviour quoted the Scripture when talking with the

Samaritan woman at the well. But wherever possible to make a definite appointment for a Bible reading, Bibles should be in hand, and prayer should be offered, either before or at the close of the study. *A Gospel Meeting* is a Bible reading on a little larger scale, to accommodate groups of people who assembled in the home of a friend, or the audience in church or hall addressed by the lay preacher.

2. *Missionary Visits.* A personal interview with an individual who is not a Christian, or with a member of the church for the purpose of establishing him in the truth. The object in both cases is to lead to surrender to Christ and obedience to His requirements. Visiting the sick, people in prison and those in distress, seeking to impart cheer, comfort, and Christian counsel and, where circumstances permit, praying with people—all this is involved in a missionary visit.

3. *Persons Taken to Sabbath School or Meetings.* This covers all who respond to the invitation to attend services, whether conveyed by automobile or street car or those who walk. This may also include those of our faith who are aged, discouraged or backsliding, or who for any other reason would not attend services without special encouragement or assistance.

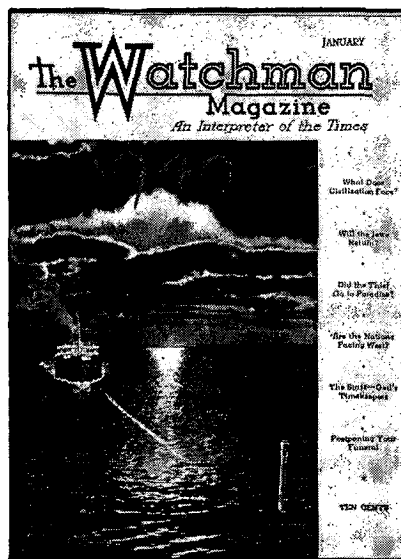
4. *Persons Given Needed Help.* This hardly calls for explanation. "Needed help" applies to treatments, food, fuel, clothing, money, protection—service of any kind of a voluntary nature.

(To be continued)

What Does Civilization Face?

"WHAT does civilization face? What does the world face? What do I face? The ship 'Civilization' has been swept by the furious waves of hate and greed upon the cruel rocks of nationalism. Despite the heroic efforts of the lifeguard—the League of Nations—wave after wave of suspi-

cion, jealousy, and animosity mountain high, are pounding the vessel to pieces. 'Civilization' has been irreparably damaged. It is doomed to Davy Jones' locker. Human ingenuity and resourcefulness are alike powerless to meet the momentous issues. Reform is impossible; the need of a rescue is imperative. . . . After six long millenniums of sin, we plead,



'Thy kingdom come.' We pray for the reign of the 'Prince of Peace.' We long for a new heaven and a new earth 'wherein dwelleth righteousness.'"

With this opening paragraph from the leading contribution under the above caption, DeWitt S. Osgood, surveys the horizon of a troubled, war-torn world in the January issue of *The Watchman Magazine*. It presents a most dramatic and vivid portrayal of our doomed and dying civilization, and at this period of transition—the New Year—prompts us to envision the world *beyond* tomorrow, where the Prince of Peace shall wield the scepter for an eternity over a kingdom of love.

With this issue of *The Watchman* it enters upon the first year of its fourth decade as our only monthly times-interpreting journal. With the passing of the year the curtain falls

on *The Watchman's* celebration of its tri-decennial anniversary. Its past, recorded in the archives of our literature ministry, presents a most fascinating story of soul-winning conquest, which will inspire the heart of any reader. And with the New Year *The Watchman* continues to blaze the trail in harmony with its most cherished traditions.

The cover page of the January *Watchman* visualizes the dream of an artist in a most magnificent setting. A lonely ship on a shoreless ocean beneath a heavily clouded sky; the visible movement of a destructive torpedo about to strike the object of its aim; and withal, the gorgeous sunset, painting the western sky with its magnificent sunset hues, all are so suggestive of the story of the leading article of this issue of *The Watchman*.

The article content of the January *Watchman* provides the background for a delightful introduction to the New Year for this effective missionary journal. Some of its further contributions include, The New Year, a masterly editorial; Will the Jews Return?; Did the Thief Go to Para-

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Blaze the trail of successful missionary adventure with the Watchman during 1940.

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MAKE WILLS AND LEGACIES IN FAVOR OF
THE ILLINOIS CONFERENCE ASSOCIATION OF
SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTISTS.

News Notes

THE success which is attending the evangelistic campaigns now in progress in our field is very gratifying. The attendance has been good in each one right up to the holiday season and forty-five are now reported keeping the Sabbath as a result of the meetings thus far. Some of these new converts will be baptized before the close of the year. Elder C. T. Everson, who is conducting a large effort in the North Side Auditorium, 3730 North Clark Street, in Chicago and Elder H. J. Capman who has been holding a series of meetings in Carpenter's Hall in Chicago Heights will each conduct baptismal services next Sabbath.

At the Brookfield church service last Sabbath, Mrs. H. D. Kneller, the leader of the Missionary Volunteer

society, passed out seventeen Senior Reading Course certificates, twenty-two Junior Reading Course certificates, and eighteen Senior and four Junior Bible Year certificates, making a total of sixty-one awards earned by members of this small society. This is a splendid accomplishment on the part of the leaders and members of the Brookfield society during 1939.

Decatur Youths' Effort

ELDERS T. E. Unruh and W. C. Loveless have just returned from their eight-day evangelistic effort which was conducted for the youth in Decatur. The young people of the church cooperated in passing out handbills and in other activities of the effort. Each evening a very splendid group of people in addition to our own members attended the meetings and they seemed to be very interested in the messages presented. Those who turned in their names as being desirous of receiving further information on the various subjects are being sent literature. There is a definite conviction on the part of the members of the church that the effort should be resumed after the Christmas holidays. It is the hope of all that these interested persons will come back to the next series of meetings and that a large number will take their stand for the Lord and be baptized into this faith.

The Missionary Volunteer society which has been inactive for some time has been completely reorganized and promises to be a very active society during the coming year. The young people are taking a definite interest in the Bible Year, Morning Watch and the reading course books, and they are starting a vigorous literature campaign.

It was a privilege to have Elder Unruh associated with this evangelistic effort for the youth and he expressed himself as having a very fine and profitable time with our members in Decatur.

Week of Prayer Blessings

THE annual Week of Prayer has just closed and reports of the blessings derived from this special period of seeking after God are being received from many sections of the conference. Expressions of appreciation for the splendid readings in the Week of Prayer number of the *Review and Herald* have been heard from all parts of the field.

Not only in our churches has this period been a blessing, but also in the church school rooms where faithful teachers have endeavored to lead young minds to a fuller realization of the love of Jesus and their need for His help. One consecrated teacher of the primary grades has written the following account of the Week of Prayer meetings in her school:

"This past Week of Prayer has certainly meant much to my pupils. The excellent material given in the *Review* afforded a good basis for little talks. At the beginning of the week the children decided on definite things which they wanted to overcome. However, I did not ask them to make them public. All week we prayed. Friday morning, after the presentation of the lesson regarding the work of the Holy Spirit, we took time for a testimony service. My heart was touched, indeed, for I do not believe that I ever saw a more wholesome, heartfelt response from any group of pupils before. I was greatly surprised at the victories which they related and while they may appear childish, I believe these are thinking boys and girls. One little eight-year-old girl said, 'I prayed that Jesus would help me not to whisper so much, and I haven't.' Another boy, whose studies are a trial, explained, 'I prayed for help in spelling and I got one hundred.' Another nine-year-old girl stated, 'My brother always wants to play "jacks" with me and I wouldn't let him. Now I tell him he may.' If only all of us who are older could overcome our selfish traits, too! These

are just a few of the varied experiences among the children, but they help me to appreciate more the possibilities of Christian education and the solemn responsibility we have for training the lambs of the flock."

We believe this Week of Prayer has been a time when God has been very near to those who have sought Him, and we trust that our members will not lose this precious experience but will invite God through His Spirit to dwell in their hearts continuously and thereby extend the blessings of this season throughout the new year.

WISCONSIN

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PRESIDENT, W. H. HOLDEN

Investiture Service at Reedsburg

"LENORE! Lenore! Don't you know that we are going to have company today? And there you sit playing the piano!"

With these exclamatory remarks to her daughter, Mrs. Harry Hearn, Missionary Volunteer leader, provided a very unique introduction to a fine Investiture service in the Reedsburg church on Sabbath, December 16.

As you may have guessed, Lenore was seated at the piano, apparently practicing a sacred selection, when her mother stepped on the rostrum and reminded her in this manner that the Progressive Class was coming to complete their work and be invested as Friends and Companions.

The remainder of the class of eleven soon arrived and took their places on the platform, after which a fine program was rendered in symposium form. During the course of the program each member demonstrated some phase of the Progressive Class work, showing that much benefit had been gained through the Bible memory work, Reading Course work, star study, health habit, and first-aid training, knot tying, and other practical and inspirational activities.

After the program had been completed, the writer gave a short talk on the purpose and aims of the M. V. Progressive Class work and presented pins to the eleven candidates. As the charge was given to these young people as recommended by the M. V. department, each solemnly promised to uphold the ideals for which his insignia stands.

Many vocational honors were also presented, showing that the young people are learning to do those practical things which will one day aid them in the establishment of a real Christian home.

The service was enjoyed by all who were present and the writer feels that the Reedsburg society and their leader, Mrs. Hearn, are to be congratulated on the unusually fine program that they provided.

G. CLAYTON SOWLER

Milwaukee M. V.'s

ELDER Dunbar and the writer had the privilege of ministering to the young people of Milwaukee during the latter half of the Week of Prayer.

The meetings for Thursday and Friday nights were held in the German church. Stirring practical addresses on Christian living for youths were given by Elder Dunbar. The response on the part of the young people was unanimous.

After the meeting Friday night the M. V. officers of the English, German, and colored churches met to redeclare their determination to press forward for 1940.

Sabbath was indeed a day of inspiration for youth. Elder Dunbar spoke in the morning, and in the afternoon all societies assembled in the young people's room of the English church. The room was crowded to capacity. We appreciate the hearty cooperation of our Milwaukee youth.

Saturday night recreation was arranged for, during which time Elder Dunbar gave a cigarette demonstra-

The youth of Wisconsin are arming themselves for the final conflict. May our motto this coming year be—"Forward for 1940." THEODORE LUCAS

INDIANA

310 E. 23rd St., Indianapolis, Ind.

PRESIDENT, S. E. WIGHT

THOSE WHO WISH TO MAKE WILLS OR LEGACIES, PLEASE CORRESPOND WITH THE INDIANA CONFERENCE, 310 EAST 23RD STREET, INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA.

Northeastern District Moves Ahead

THE Lord has been especially gracious to us here in the Fort Wayne district during the past year. As we reflect upon the activities of this district during the year, we are made glad for many reasons. In many things we see the direct hand of God intervening for us. Sometimes we failed in our attempts, more often we succeeded in our goal, but whether triumph or defeat, great success or little success, we can see God's hand guiding us all the way.

This district has tackled its tasks with courage. The spirit of the field is demonstrated by its valiant achievements during the Harvest Ingathering campaign. Every church reached its goal in rapid succession. A friendly and cooperative spirit was manifested in this campaign. Consequently we enjoy the distinction of finishing first in our home conference and also to be first district in the Lake Union to reach our district goal with every church over the top! But now a greater challenge confronts us. Shall we repeat this achievement next year? We shall try! Already some of our churches have made Harvest Ingathering plans for 1940.

Immediately following the Harvest Ingathering campaign we started an evangelistic campaign in Marion. The Lord has marvelously watched over His work here. Our crowds, while in the large civic hall, numbered between five and six hundred every

Sunday night. Eleven have already identified themselves with God's people, and another baptism of ten more will take place in another two weeks. In addition to these, almost a hundred are on our list of men and women who have definitely committed themselves in favor of this truth. We earnestly solicit your prayers for us in this campaign. Brother Richard Mitchell and his wife are laboring with us and Mrs. Eckenroth is our pianist. Thus far this effort has proven almost self-supporting, except for the workers' salaries.

Beginning December 31 we will conduct a series of radio lectures over the Anderson radio station WHBU. The time of the broadcast is from 1:45 to 2:15 every Sunday afternoon. These programs are supported by the gifts of our believers in this district and the Anderson church. We trust all of our people in this area will listen in and write us a card or letter concerning the reception of the program.

Assuring you that we are all of good courage and strong faith, we still trust we may have an interest in your prayers. We want to take this opportunity to thank all of our people in this district for their splendid cooperation throughout this year. Your prayers, your words of encouragement, your every kind attention, has meant more to us than we can ever tell you. As we face this new year, with all of its multiplied privileges and opportunities, we can only say that we trust we can walk closer to our God and be a greater blessing to you.

May this Christmas season find you all of good courage, and may you have a prosperous New Year.

M. K. ECKENROTH

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News Notes

ELDER H. K. Halladay arrived in Indianapolis last Thursday and began his work Sunday morning. We are sure that the Indiana people will wel-

come Brother Halladay to the home missionary and Sabbath school departments of Indiana.

A. E. Mobley was in Buffalo, New York, a few days last week on business for the conference.

Elder A. M. Tillman and Teresa Goff were married last Thursday evening at the Paradise Valley Sanitarium in California.

Miss Vivian Ellis had an opportunity to ride through to California with a friend; so she is vacationing in San Diego.

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Indianapolis Area Dorcas

THE federated Dorcas societies of the Indianapolis area will meet December 28, 1939, 10:30 A. M., at the Episcopal Church located on Delaware Street between 10th and 11th. Elder H. K. Halladay, our new home missionary secretary, will be present. A lunch will be served by the Anderson society for the sum of 25 cents each. Leaders, be sure to have a complete report of work done by your society for this last quarter. There will be an annual election of officers at this meeting.

Mrs. A. C. GAYLORD, *President*

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"The man who really does his best is a success whether or not the world thinks so."

MICHIGAN

Box 900, Lansing, Michigan
PRESIDENT, C. B. HAYNES

Courage for the Conflict

AFTER sixteen years in the State of Michigan, we must now say farewell to our many good friends scattered over the southern half of the State. These years have brought to us many pleasant experiences in our associations with the various churches with which we have been connected. It has been a pleasure to have had the privilege of encouraging the church members in their conflicts with the forces

of evil, and to have seen a large number of new recruits join the Lord's army as soldiers of the cross. We would urge each one of you, fellow comrades, to "endure hardness, as a good soldier of Jesus Christ." Our hope is to see you crowned with glory and decorated with the palm of victory for your deeds of valor in the cause of our Captain, as we stand before the throne of the universe on that glorious day which is so soon to come.

Our last Sabbath with the Ferndale and Field Avenue churches was indeed a happy one. On that occasion we had the pleasure of baptizing eleven candidates in each one of these churches. I think the Ferndale church was especially thrilled with joy as they witnessed the nineteen new members (including eight who were baptized two weeks previously) receive their baptismal certificates.

At each of these churches a farewell service was held which will long be remembered. The gifts presented were lovely, but the thing that touched our hearts most was the earnest expressions of appreciation of our endeavors to build them up spiritually. When one's efforts are appreciated, and definite results are seen, it inspires courage for the conflict. May God be with you, my dear people, to the end of the way.

We are now quite comfortably located in our new field of labor, with headquarters at Lafayette, Indiana. Our address is 627 South 10th Street.

We have been here two Sabbaths, and have had the pleasure of visiting four of the nine churches in this district. We are endeavoring to start all of them in a systematic literature distribution campaign.

It has been a real satisfaction to meet with these churches and to witness their appreciative and responsive spirit. As they take hold of the work with a determination to reach every individual in their respective communities, we are confident they are go-

ing to experience a spiritual revival in their own hearts, and have the pleasure of seeing their churches grow.

W. L. LATHAM

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District Leaders Urge Members to Read the "Review"

"SELDOM, if at all, do we find a constant reader of the *Review* growing cold in the faith. There is a reason for this: It keeps us informed concerning the progress of our message throughout the world. As we read of the toil, sacrifice, and blessing experienced by our brethren in the early history of the movement, as well as at the present time, we are inspired to greater faithfulness in living and giving.

"Appearing on the pages of the *Review* are deeply spiritual articles, significant happenings in world events, presentations of our fundamental truths in a new setting, instruction relating to the home life, answers to questions in science and theology, inspirational help for young people, timely admonitions to keep our title to heaven clear, all of which produce a wholesome reaction in our lives as we receive a weekly visit from the good old *Review*. This paper above all others, should be in every Seventh-day Adventist home."

H. B. TAYLOR

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The Bible and the New Year

ON DECEMBER 31 I will complete another Bible Year. On that day I will finish reading the Bible through. I began on January 1.

I have lost count of the times I have done this. But I know I am not tired of doing it. Indeed, I am eager for January 1 to come again so that I may turn back to Genesis 1, and begin all over again with another Bible Year.

There was one year I read the Bible through twice. There was another I read it four times. But I am not in such a hurry now. Once a

year gives me time to think along with the reading, to live over the great scenes of the Bible, to follow closely the wonderful dealings of God with men, to saturate my soul with the literature of heaven.

Yes, I am going to do it all over again in 1940. You see, I find so much more in the Old Book every time I read it that I am sure I will strike new and richer lodes of precious ore the next time.

And I would like to have company. This mine, you know, is not staked off for my private use. You can dig, too. And you are bound to strike precious metal and jewels of rare value.

Come, let us all join the Bible Year, and read the Bible through in 1940. Plan to begin on January 1. Three chapters a day and five on the Sabbath will bring you to Revelation 22 by December 31. If you have never done it before, you have a real treat coming for 1940.

CARLYLE B. HAYNES

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Asking for Bible Studies

A LEADING magazine stated recently: "The hills and the plains are full of people whose hungering for the religious is so great that it is pathetic." The Spirit of prophecy says, "All over the world men and women are looking wistfully to heaven. Prayers and tears and inquiries go up from souls longing for light." (Acts of the Apostles, p. 109.) Another magazine has recently been started to answer the longing for faith. Its first number says: "Never before in the history of the world has there gone up from the bewildered soul of humanity such an appeal for a renewal of faith. The time is ripe for a spiritual revolution."

Our colporteurs and missionary workers in our churches are finding these statements are not exaggerations. A few weeks ago a colporteur in Owosso met a lady on the steps of her home and explained her mission.

It was a home in the better residence part of the city. She was met with the question, "You are an Adventist, are you not?" and on replying in the affirmative, the lady said, "I want some Bible studies." The colporteur responded, "Surely you shall have them; when shall we begin?" The answer was, "As soon as possible." The colporteur then asked, "Shall we begin right now?" and went to her car for the Bible. She was invited into the spacious living room by this lady who then said, "Wait a few minutes and I will get some neighbors." Soon the colporteur began her study with six interested ladies. At its close another study was arranged for. God has this case in hand and we trust fruitage will be reaped.

"Now is our golden opportunity to cooperate with heavenly intelligences in enlightening the understanding of those who are studying the meaning of the rapid increase in crime and disaster. As we do our part faithfully the Lord will bless our efforts to the saving of many souls." (E. G. White in *Review and Herald*, Oct. 25, 1903.)

The colporteur institute to be held January 3-11, and the lay preachers' institute January 12-14 should be well attended by our fine men and women who wish to receive a training to find these souls and to satisfy their longings for eternal life.

HENRY F. BROWN

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Our Faith Is Made Strong

It is not only from foreign fields that we receive reports of progress and faithfulness on the part of our workers and our people. Brother and Sister L. E. Ludeman, the teachers of our Holly church school, recently sent me what they termed were "A few lines to advise you of some of the activities of our school this fall." These few lines were so inspiring to me that I take pleasure in passing on excerpts to the *HERALD*.

"During the past few weeks grades 5-8 have been giving musical pro-

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everyone would have his offering at the end of the week with the exception of two little girls. Thursday night came and their prospects of having any money seemed far distant. However, before they went to bed that night they asked Jesus to help them have their offering by school time on Friday.

"Friday morning one of these little girls arose earlier than usual and, taking a box of soap, for which her mother has the agency, she started out. At the very first house she stopped, the lady took a bar of the soap and as the little girl turned to go down the steps the lady said, 'Wait a minute, little girl, I want the whole box of soap.' The child came to school happy to have her offering and much strengthened in faith.

"The other child had on her hat and coat and was ready for school, but still no offering. She was wondering just how Jesus was going to answer her prayer before time to give her offering when a knock came at the door. Her mother answered the door and there stood a lady with a fifty-cent piece. She said she had owed them the money for a long time and had just remembered about it that morning. The fifty cents found its way directly to school and into the Week of Sacrifice Fund. Another prayer had been answered and another child's faith in Jesus had been made strong." G. M. MATHEWS

Illinois, P. M. Lewis, Sec.

	Bk.	Hrs.	Total	Del.
R. Crawford	BR	44	\$86.75	\$15.75
A colporteur	H&T	44	219.80	219.80
Frank Ullrich	BR	41	65.25	10.00
R. A. Shackell	BR	36	30.75	19.25
Emma Peterson	BR	32	12.40	12.40
Hugo Mitzelfelt	Misc	25	19.50	57.00
Lawrence Evitts	Misc	18	11.00	11.00
C. H. Schroeder	Misc	17	5.25	2.75
Clinton Hill	Misc	10	5.00	1.00
Ruth Emerson	HW	7	6.00	
A. J. Walker	HW	6	4.75	
Lawrence Evitts	Misc	6	16.75	10.50
Lydia Walker	HW	5	7.25	
Mrs. J. Osborn	BTS	4	1.50	14.75
Mary A. Rogers	Mag	31	17.20	17.20
Frances Brant	Mag	28	17.80	17.80
Mae Macklin	Mag	28	14.80	14.80
E. Herman	Mag	25	17.05	17.05
J. M. Anderson	Mag	18	10.50	10.50
Mary Weiss	Mag	17	18.80	18.80
Ruth Prust	Mag	14	13.10	13.10
Julia Pryor	Mag	7	4.00	4.00
Judith Stenberg	Mag	4	3.00	3.00
Mrs. Geer	Mag	3	3.00	3.00
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Indiana, C. H. Smith, Sec.

	Bk.	Hrs.	Total	Del.
Mrs. Andersen	BTS	10	\$28.25	\$ 2.25
Mrs. G. Baker	GC	15	5.50	52.00
W. E. Beal	GC	23		11.00
Mrs. Chandler	Mag		1.00	1.00
H. Christensen	Mag	36	34.50	34.50
Mrs. B. Clark	BTS	12	12.00	111.75
J. T. Clark	BR	44	51.90	1.00
H. Compton	BTS	14	3.75	
Martha Gibson	BTS	10	15.00	15.00
Hilda Hack	Mag	16	12.50	12.50
Lyle Handley	GC	21	5.75	4.25
Mrs. F. Heltzel	BTS	2	8.25	23.25
Mrs. G. Henley	Hlps	7	1.90	10.15
J. A. Jackson	Hlps		8.25	9.05
Hugh Lawson	FC	30	38.75	3.60
A. S. Lutz	BR	39	28.65	11.50
Forrest Skaggs	BR	41	32.00	63.25
Mrs. Sprong	BR	1	6.75	
C. C. Stoner	Hlps		29.50	28.00
Mrs. M. Swem	GC	28	18.20	43.80
Edith Taylor	Mag	16	12.05	14.05
M. Taylor	BR	38	40.90	50.10
J. B. Thayer	Hlps	8	2.00	2.00
Mrs. E. Thiele	BTS	15	6.25	144.25
Mrs. C. Turner	BR	17	52.75	11.00
Nancy Turner	BR	4	3.00	6.50
W. B. Ware	OWB	15	8.55	5.15
Mrs. H. Welch	Hlps	12	4.75	
Sadie Wright	BR	6		.50
			480	\$472.65 \$671.40

Michigan, A. G. Sutton, Sec.

	Bk.	Hrs.	Total	Del.
Joe Wazdatskey	BR	37	\$28.50	\$ 6.25
Wm. Ingersoll	BR	36	22.75	1.25
Joe Sutton	BL	33	11.25	.40
Carl Ahlberg	BR	30	22.25	13.50
John Harsany	BR	29	47.00	6.50
C. L. Finney	BR	17	24.75	4.00
Arthur Wood	BR	14	4.50	8.75
John Senker	BR	8	9.25	.50
Mrs. Robertson	BR	8	12.50	21.25
A. L. McCauley	DA	5	5.25	
Clayford Moore	BR			30.50
L. Lundgren	BTS	20	39.00	
Mrs. E. Beadle	BTS	18	11.00	
Mrs. A. Clute	BTS	18	8.90	8.90
Ruth Rohlf	BTS	17	27.75	
Marzella Sell	BTS	12	11.25	
Mrs. H. Harter	BTS	9	4.00	11.50
Mrs. E. Nielsen	BTS		3.00	3.00
Mrs. Hollick	Misc		28.60	
Mrs. Reedy	Misc	10	10.50	3.50
Mrs. Rose Parks	Mag	27	29.70	29.70
Marj. Cornell	Mag	25	18.70	18.70
A. Stevenson	Mag	21	17.80	17.80
Aileen Pfeifle	Mag	12	6.00	6.00
Mrs. Neilsen	Mag	7	5.40	5.40
Mrs. Davis	Mag	6	3.40	3.40
Clayford Moore	Mag	4	1.00	1.00
Ruth Pyke	Mag	2	1.20	1.20
Bessie Dreier	Mag		7.00	7.00
			425	\$422.20 \$210.00

Wisconsin, M. H. Odegaard, Sec.

	Bk.	Hrs.	Total	Del.
A colporteur	FC	3	\$ 7.00	\$
D. Anderson	Hlps	11	2.50	1.00
Mrs. Behnken	Hlps	5	2.00	2.00
Roger Clausen	FC	1		8.00
Ethel Cronk	Hlps		3.55	5.00
G. Holmes	Misc	6	6.20	6.20
M. Holven	BR	31	17.25	33.75
L. Knutson	BL	33	38.90	3.15
Mrs. McKellar	BTS		3.00	3.00
Jenne Parfitt	BTS		3.00	3.00
Mrs. Roth'back	Misc	10	2.45	2.10
Anna Smith	BTS	44	6.75	
L. Torkelsen	Misc	37	71.80	71.80
Mrs. E. Wise	Hlps	12	3.00	3.00
Mrs. V. Bretz	Mag	12	14.05	14.05
Mabel Dreier	Mag	32	20.00	20.00
B. Ferguson	Mag	31	18.90	18.90
Martha Follett	Mag	2	4.00	4.00
Dorothy Hilt	Mag	2	1.30	1.30
Ella Kasten	Mag	26	25.25	25.25
			298	\$250.90 \$225.50

grams at various churches in the vicinity of Holly in the interest of the Investment program. On this program the children sing, play instrumental solos, duets, and trios. . . . The program is of a strictly religious nature, highly creditable for a group of this kind. We hope to secure time on the

radio station at Lapeer soon. Our school turned in \$60. for Sabbath school Investment.

"For the Week of Sacrifice we were very happy to turn \$17.86 over to our church treasurer.

"We planned and prayed during the entire week and it seemed that

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E. M. C. Campus Notes

By H. M. TIPPETT

FORMER President T. W. Steen visited the college Wednesday after having received his doctoral degree at the University of Chicago. He accompanied his daughter, Mrs. Kuhlman, with her husband and children to Washington, D. C., for a family reunion.

A "Victory" supper and program was enjoyed by the entire college family on the night before the last school session preceding the holidays. The awards for most subscriptions secured were passed out. Miss Glee King, instructor in secretarial training, received the faculty award.

Anticipating the departure of many students from the campus for their homes during the Christmas recess, December 20 to January 2, several group festivities were held during the few days prior to the vacation. In Birch Hall the "Friendship Sisters" exchanged small gifts at a happy evening session in the parlor. The Every Man's Club likewise made pleasantly merry in Maple Hall. Tributes of appreciation in the form of gifts were made to both dormitory deans.

The last chapel session of 1939 was given over to a Christmas program under the direction of Prof. H. M. Tippett. One of the colorful items on the program was a candlelight procession by students in the French classes, who sang "Sainte Nuit" (Holy Night) around a brilliantly lighted rustic cradle. German classes sang their always favored fir tree song: "O Tannenbaum." Laurence Downing, appropriately dressed in cotton wool and carrying a scythe, represented the old year, to whom the chairman had dedicated a poem of appreciation.

The "Messiah" chorus and orchestra, under the leadership of Prof. J. H. Metzger, presented an excellent program of selections from the great oratorio on December 16. The assist-

ance of the Battle Creek Tabernacle choir under Mr. Francis Foote greatly augmented the volume and tonal beauty of the well-loved choruses. A reciprocal presentation of the oratorio was given in the Battle Creek Tabernacle the following evening when forty singers and the orchestra went from the college to assist.

The college church officers for 1940 have been selected and a strong missionary and spiritually active year is in prospect. Prof. H. J. Klooster, Dean H. E. Edwards, and Dr. H. F. Halenz were selected from the faculty as elders. Dr. J. L. Thompson was reelected Sabbath school superintendent.

MICHIGAN CONFERENCE

Remember Our Youth

THE third Sabbath of each month is Pink Envelope Day. At that time a special invitation is given to all members to give a liberal offering for the Educational and Improvement Fund. Information regarding this fund has been given in the columns of the LAKE UNION HERALD from time to time, so we all know more or less about how this offering is used to help worthy students and to make necessary improvements in our schools throughout the Union. As faithful believers in the third angel's message, we are all anxious to support a good cause, and it is our duty to encourage and aid the children and youth among us to receive a Christian education. Past experience has taught us again and again that the teachings in the public schools undermine faith in the Bible in the minds of the youth.

The other day while canvassing, I called at a home and while talking with a young mother about the creation story, a seven-year old child interrupted by saying, "I will tell you

how man came into existence. In the beginning a little piece of dirt began to wiggle. Life came into it. It grew and grew until it became a monkey and it developed until it became a man." I asked the child who had taught her this. She answered, "I was taught this in the first grade of school last year."

This is just one instance which we know can be multiplied a thousand times. It is no wonder that our young people hesitate to expose themselves to such erroneous teachings. I have talked, personally, to many young people who were anxious to attend our schools. They have worked and saved, still they do not have enough money to enter the academy or college. Why should we not have as much interest in giving our own youth a Christian education as we have for the youth in other lands.

When the offering is received January 20, remember our youth with a liberal offering. M. H. ODEGAARD

BUSINESS NOTICES

Baker Wanted.—Experienced commercial baker capable of acting as superintendent in cake and cookie shop. Give age, experience, and references. Address Pierce Specialty Baking Co., 3118 N. Main St., Dayton, Ohio.

Spend your sunset years in sunny California at Park Hill Rest Home. A quiet, restful spot, surrounded by orange groves and avocado trees. Church attendance possible. Adventist physicians available. Reasonable rates. Write for information. Park Hill Rest Home, Mrs. C. H. Wicol, Rt. 2, Box 183, Escondido, California.

For Sale.—Seven-room modern house, 2-car garage, 8 acres good garden land in city limits, 1 mile from pavement. Good market for all one can raise. Price \$4,500. John De-Back, 177 Ridgmore St., Battle Creek, Mich.

Wanted.—Home near church school by dependable young S. D. A. couple, 3 children. Man can handle dairy farming; is also experienced tractor, truck driver. Willing to rent or work by month. Write Alfred Taylor, Route 1, Mayville, Michigan.

Sunset Table

December 29, 1939

Chicago	4:27	Lansing	5:11
Detroit	5:09	Madison	4:31
Indianapolis	4:28	Springfield	4:42