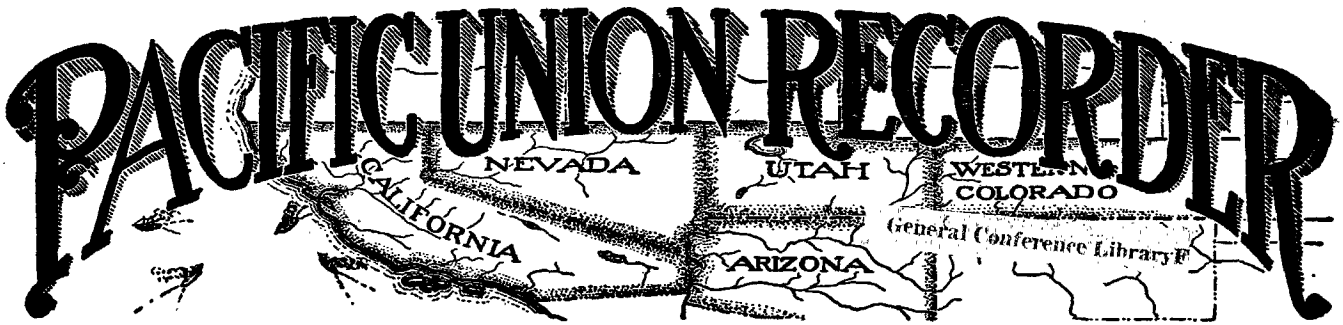


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Nevada Mission Camp Meeting

The camp meeting for the Nevada Mission was held at Reno, Nevada, June 10 to 16 inclusive. The camp was located in Chism's apple orchard, a beautiful, green-carpeted spot on the banks of the Truckee river. This is the place that was used last year. All the family tents owned by the conference were occupied, more were needed, but could not be secured. Several families had their own tents and others secured rooms. The attendance was the largest of any camp meeting held in this field. The location of the camp so near the city made possible a good attendance from those not of our faith, and the evening meetings were well attended.

From the very beginning of the meeting there was manifest an earnest desire for an experience that will endure. The labors of Elders J. W. Christian, F. C. Gilbert, W. W. Eastman, and others greatly helped the people. The solemnity of the times, the opportunities for service, the urgent necessity of a deeper spiritual experience were made very impressive, and there was a ready response to the call for consecration. Others attending from outside the conference were: Prof. W. A. Ruble, secretary of the missionary volunteer department of the Pacific Union Conference; Dr. A. W. Truman, of the College of Medical Evangelists; Prof. R. A. Hare, principal of Lodi Academy; Prof. C. E. Weniger, of Pacific Union College; J. M. Rowse, manager of the Pacific Branch, Pacific Press; E. H. Abbott, field secretary Northern California Conference and Nevada Mission, and the writer.

The spirit of revival, so manifest all through the meeting, was especial-

ly marked in the Sabbath services. When the invitation was given at the morning service to those who desired to give themselves wholly to God, the entire audience came forward, excepting one person, several giving their hearts to God for the first time.

Prof. Ruble arrived during the meeting to enter upon his new duties and labored earnestly for the young people. Prof. Hare, Prof. Weniger, and others assisted him. A number of young people from this field are planning to fit themselves for some part in the finishing of the work.

There was a liberal response to the calls for gifts to hasten on the Lord's work in the dark parts of the earth, \$4,264.50 in cash and pledges being given for foreign missions. There was also a marked willingness on the part of the laity to do even more than has been done for their neighbors and friends. A large part of the work of reaching the people in the Nevada Mission with the gospel must be done with literature, and the brethren took advantage of the opportunity to secure a good supply of literature to use in home missionary endeavors. Brother J. M. Rowse and Brother E. H. Abbott had charge of the book tent. Nearly \$700 worth of literature was sold during the meeting, including seventeen full sets of "Testimonies."

Brother C. Lester Bond had charge of the music, and the special singing was appreciated by all. Elder C. W. Fuller had the management of the cafeteria, and excellent service was provided. The tables were out-doors, an awning affording shelter from the sun. Careful attention was given to

the comfort of those attending the meeting, and it was a blessed season of seeking together for a deeper experience in the way of the Lord. Elder M. A. Hollister and his workers are laboring hard to give to every individual in their territory, the good news of a sin-pardoning Saviour and of His glorious coming. They have the loyal co-operation of every believer in their field.

J. Adams Stevens.

Arizona Camp Meeting

The camp meeting for the Arizona Conference, which closed June 1, was pronounced by those who have been with us the past few years as the best meeting ever held in the state. Eight individuals were baptized the last day of the meeting, and five others have followed in this ordinance since.

While the number camped on the ground was not large, it was almost double that of any other meeting held here, and as many came in from the farming district early in the day the attendance was very good.

As the various phases of the work were considered a deep interest was manifested by all present. An offering of more than \$1,500 was taken for missions, and several hundred dollars were donated and pledged to the Conference school. The sales from the book tent were good and many new subscriptions were taken for the "Review."

The school problem occupied considerable time and a unanimous vote was cast in favor of locating the Conference school in the country where we can have a small farm, and where our members can find suitable locations to settle near the school. While it is not probable that

this can be done before the opening of school this fall, it is expected that a school site will soon be selected and work begun.

The medical work was represented by Dr. H. W. Vollmer, of Loma Linda; the home missionary department by Elder J. Adams Stevens; the educational branch by Professors M. E. Cady and A. E. Hall, besides the local representatives of these departments. Considerable time was given to each department as well as to the young peoples' work and the Sabbath school which was directed by Sister Jessie H. Dillon.

Elders W. W. Eastman and F. C. Gilbert, representing the General Conference, were with us for several days. The instruction and counsel given by these brethren was timely and full of inspiration. Elder J. W. Christian, president of the Pacific Union Conference was present the greater part of the meeting. His strong sermons were a great uplift to all.

As the General Conference had requested the writer to act as secretary of the Spanish department of the Bureau of Home Missions, Elder A. R. Sandborn who was present at the meeting, was asked to take the presidency of the Arizona Conference. We were very thankful to have this man of experience step into this place.

Elder E. C. Boger had charge of the cafeteria, while Elder I. P. Dillon had charge of the camp. Satisfaction prevailed throughout the meeting with the service rendered, and all returned to their homes full of courage and with a feeling that the time had been well spent.

J. Ernest Bond.

Too Good To Overlook

A letter from one of our Oklahoma sisters tells of a visit one morning to the home of a neighbor. Finding the neighbor busy, our sister, after a few pleasantries were exchanged expressed the desire to read a little from a certain "Signs" weekly article while the neighbor continued her work. "She seemed very glad to have me do so," wrote our sister, "and before I got half way through the article, she said: 'I must have that paper. And I want to send it to my daughter in Minnesota, too.' She subscribed for

the paper. A little later I moved away. One day, in answer to a letter she wrote: 'Yes, dear, I am a Sabbath-keeper now. And so is my son. The "Signs of the Times" is the most remarkable paper I have ever read. I could not get along without it. There are no more tangled threads in the prophecies now.' When I read that letter, I praised the Lord for the souls that are being saved by the wonderful literature He has given us, and I am glad that I have been used by Him to scatter some of it."

That was neighboring for God, wasn't it? And that is the kind of neighboring we should encourage each other to engage in more than we have in the past. Thus our visits with those around us may count definitely for the kingdom. And since our time is so limited, dear reader, how alert we should be to make the most of the daily opportunities that come to us. There are some doors open for the truth in every neighborhood. Other doors, slightly ajar, may be opened with a little gentle pressure, and, in a nice tactful manner we may get at least a few about us to read the "Signs" weekly. Surely we can each do as much as the Oklahoma sister and secure one reader, one subscription, one SOUL. And the woman she won through the "Signs" has brought her son to the light, and thus the good work goes on and on.

Would you like to have a few copies of the weekly "Signs" to use in a little missionary effort among your neighbors? The "Signs" office will send free a few copies of one issue of the weekly "Signs" to any of our brethren and sisters who will make good use of the papers in the way suggested. We have long been instructed in the Testimonies to the church that we should engage more and more in this work of interesting neighbors and friends in our periodicals and securing subscriptions from them. To obtain the free sample copies mentioned above, kindly decide on the number of papers you think you can use judiciously and order through your tract society.

Ernest Lloyd.

"While we look for a better day to come, let us see how good we can make to-day."

FIELD TIDINGS

INTER-MOUNTAIN

H. E. Lysinger, Pres. S. Donaldson, Sec.
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Home Missionary and Colporteur News

The following experience of one of our colporteurs again brings our minds to the fact that the hand of our God is leading in this work: "I started Tuesday morning and worked until noon without a single order. Took four orders that afternoon. Starting again the next morning in two hours I had secured \$27.00 worth of orders, and by night had four books sold outright. I feel as never before that God is opening the hearts of the people." When letters like the above are received from our faithful book missionaries it causes us to remember that "the colporteur work is one of God's great universal agencies for carrying the everlasting gospel to every nation and kindred, and tongue and people."

Again the magazine work comes before us by a report that has just lately reached the office from a brother in one of the scattered districts: "I worked five hours and in that time showing the magazine to 47 people, and sold 25 copies which brought me a total of \$4.05. My share of this was \$1.90, or an average of 43 cents per hour for my time as a missionary."

"The literature provided for the colporteurs' use is so varied in form, and can be used in so many ways that both young and old, educated and ignorant, are enabled to have a part in the work."

Grand Junction church is finishing up its campaign with the tracts in Grand Junction by distributing the last of the four tracts and with them an invitation to all to attend the camp meeting. Approximately 8,000 tracts have been distributed in Grand Junction in five weeks.

Delta church writes: "Send us another 2,000 copies of 'Present Truth' we want to cover the town twice in August."

S. Donaldson.

NEVADA MISSION

M. A. Hollister, Supt. Otto Woesner, Sec.
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Items of Interest

Mrs. C. Lester Bond and Edward came over from California at the time of camp meeting, and are now at Lovelock where Brother Bond is laboring.

Remember this month is the seventieth anniversary of the "Review and Herald," and if you will send in a new subscription or renewal you may receive this good paper fourteen months for the price of one year, \$2.50.

Elder C. W. Fuller has gone to Las Vegas, Nevada, to begin aggressive house-to-house work in that end of our field, and we ask for him the prayers of God's people as well as for others of our laborers who also realize the benefits of united prayers.

Our camp meeting this year was one of great blessing and a continuous feast of good things. Let us not forget these good days and our renewed consecration at that time, but let us keep the altar fires burning and our bodies a living sacrifice.

The report this month of the twenty-five-cent-a-week fund puts the Nevada Mission at the head of the class in this union: 24.70 cents, or almost 25 cents a week is our standing now. Shall we keep up our Sabbath school and mission offerings, and thus maintain our lead?

How about your missionary ammunition? Remember we have it at the office, but do not want to keep it there. These are busy days for most of our members in the summer's harvest, but let us not forget the great work of seed-sowing and harvest in the Master's field.

Elder M. A. Hollister's wife and daughter, with Sister Hollister's mother have gone to Southern California for a time, and with Brother J. L. Humbert and his daughter, and Brother and Sister Curnow also gone to California. The little company in the church at Reno feels the effect of the loss of these members.

Elder M. A. Hollister made a trip to Fallon last week and baptized five adults, the result of the labors of the church members and Brother H. L. Wallace, who has been laboring there for several months past. He will now begin a campaign for souls in Reno and Sparks where we hope soon to see others uniting with the people of God on the way to the kingdom so soon to be ushered in.

Brother Eugene Woesner, who has just lately returned from twenty months of service for Uncle Sam, has been secured to take the secretary-treasurership of the Nevada Mission. The serious illness of Brother J. L. Humbert made his resignation necessary, and he is now at the sanitarium at St. Helena where he has been for more than a month. We will greatly miss him from this field although he has been here only a short time, and will continue to remember him before the Great Physician. He sends to his brethren in this field as well as other places where he has labored only words of encouragement.

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA

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Field News

Elder C. L. Snodgrass, assisted by Brother Lindt of Lodi Academy, has arranged to commence a meeting in Auburn. Other laborers are engaged, for a time, in other lines.

Our good camp meeting is in the past, and the laborers are again in the field. Elder N. W. Kauble and T. H. Watson have commenced a tent effort in Fair Oaks, a suburb of Stockton. Our Stockton workers are doing what they can to interest the people in this effort.

Elder A. J. Osborne, assisted by Brother Johnson and his wife, and Miss Lillian Cunningham, will soon start a meeting in Grass Valley. Brother James Crawford, with helpers, placed thousands of pages of literature in the homes in Grass Valley during the winter, and we hope to see tangible results for the faithful work done.

As we look at the troublous times

around us, how applicable are the words of the Saviour, "Go work today in my vineyard." With 8,800 people in one eastern city, and 10,000 in another, out on strike, as reported in today's daily, and a threatened combined strike of all associated unions from the Atlantic to the Pacific, which will tie up all activities, and bring a pall like death over the land, how necessary it is to heed the injunction concerning soul-winning effort. "Go work today."

Clarence Santee.

CENTRAL CALIFORNIA

H. S. Shaw, Pres. W. F. Field, Sec.
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News Items

Elder Frank Weeks reports a nice interest at Livingston.

Elder G. A. Grauer called at the office this week on his way to Dinuba. He intends to spend some time helping the German churches in the conferences.

Elder R. R. Breitigam, who held a meeting at Coalinga before camp meeting spent a few days at that place helping to plan for a new church building. Brother E. A. Vore is following up the work at Coalinga.

Week ending July 19 was "big week" for the colporteur work in the Central California Conference. It is called "big week" because every regular agent is supposed to do his best and others who do not canvass regularly are enlisted to canvass this particular week. Brethren Moon and Overholt are canvassing this week. The results of the week will be reported in the "Recorder" soon.

On Sabbath, July 12, a Sabbath school convention was held at Armona. It had been especially planned for the benefit of Hanford, Island, Lemoore, and the Armona churches. It was well attended and the house was full. There was a forenoon and afternoon session. The parts had been well prepared and were rendered exceptionally well, and we believe that these churches were greatly benefited by this convention.

The following encouraging word was received from Brother M. L. Rice

from Los Banos where he is conducting a tent meeting: "We have been trying to make seats to accommodate our crowd, but we find it quite a problem. To solve the question, I am asking you to send 30 more chairs at once. Our meetings are all that we could hope for thus far. Some have been forced to stand every night; but for fear they will get tired of standing, I think we had better get more chairs." A few days later Brother Kiehnhoff, who is assisting in the meeting, writes that the meetings are progressing nicely and the interest is good.

Book Work at the Visalia Camp Meeting

One of the important features of the Central California camp meeting was the activity of the colporteur and book work. We have been told that "if there is one work more important than another, it is that of getting our publications before the public, thus leading them to search the Scriptures." Vol. 4, page 390. This truth was emphasized a number of times during the camp meeting at Visalia.

Each morning at 8:15 a meeting was held for colporteurs and others who were interested in the canvassing work. At these meetings helpful instruction was given and many interesting and inspiring experiences were related by Elder F. C. Gilbert, Elder W. W. Eastman, Brother F. E. Painter and others, showing God's care for the faithful colporteur.

Our new 24x36 khaki book tent provided ample space in which to display a very representative stock of books and other literature, including a complete assortment of Bibles and also a selected line of books and tracts in foreign languages. Most of the books were sold at reduced prices, but at one end of the book tent was a "bargain counter" on which were placed slightly damaged and shelf-worn books which were offered at unusually reduced prices. A large number of subscriptions were taken for our denominational periodicals, especially the "Review and Herald," "Signs of the Times" and "Pacific Union Recorder."

The forenoon of Wednesday, June 4, was given over almost entirely to

the book work. Elder W. W. Eastman preached at the 9:30 meeting, and at the eleven o'clock hour Elder F. C. Gilbert briefly reminded the people of the importance of placing literature containing the third angel's message in the hands of their neighbors and friends; of the seriousness of the times and of the need of having our denominational literature in their own homes. Elder Gilbert then invited the people to buy the books that were piled on the platform. Ushers had been stationed at several places in the large tent to take the books to the people and in just a few minutes several hundred dollars worth of our truth-filled literature had been sold. At the close of the meeting the brethren could be seen going from the tent with literally armloads of books.

This was an exact working out of what the servant of the Lord saw in vision several years ago, and is recorded on page 71 of "Testimonies for the Church," Vol. 9. "We were in camp meetings and in large meetings in our churches, where the ministers presented clearly the perils of the times in which we live, and the great importance of making haste in the circulation of our literature. In response to these appeals, the brethren and sisters came forward and purchased many books. Some took a few, and some purchased large quantities."

Brother J. M. Rowse, of the Pacific Press, was with us several days and his assistance and timely advice was helpful in making the work at our book tent successful. Approximately fifteen large cases of books were purchased by the people of this conference during the camp meeting. This literature represented a total net value of \$2,627.97 which is considerably in excess of the total sales of our camp meeting last year.

Since the close of the camp meeting, a well attended colporteurs' institute has been held in Fresno, and already several of the workers who attended are in the field making encouraging records.

E. A. Moon.

"Take care lest thou appear to be what thou art not."—Ovid.

CALIFORNIA

G. W. Wells, Pres. H. B. Thomas, Sec.
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Special Notice

In a few weeks it will be time for our camp meeting, and many children will accompany their parents to the camp ground. We wish to make the children's meetings as pleasant and profitable as possible this year, and so we are asking the parents to cooperate with us. Please have your children who are old enough to read, and have Bibles, bring them; also copies of "Christ in Song" and scissors.

In many of our churches there are young people, young men and young women, who are interested in teaching children. If there are any of these young people who would be willing to help in the children's divisions at camp meeting for the experience they will gain, we would be glad to receive their names at once. In writing, please state whether time can be given to help in two meetings a day or only one. Send reply to Mrs. Belle C. Hall, Box 438, Mountain View, Cal.

Oakland Camp Meeting Notice

At a meeting of the conference committee held July 13, it was voted to use all our own tents at the camp meeting. Prices are as follows:

City tents 14x16 \$6.00.
Our tents 12x17 \$6.00.
Our tents 10x12 \$4.50.

There are only a limited number of the last two tents mentioned and when these are taken all orders will be filled with city tents.

All tents will be furnished with partition and what camp chairs you need, at these prices.

We cannot secure furniture of any kind for tents except double springs, straw ticks, and small plain tables, so we urge all those who can possibly do so, to bring their own furnishings.

For directions how to reach the camp, see last week's "Recorder."

H. B. Thomas.

To Missionary Volunteers

Our camp meeting is drawing very near. As it approaches a sense of its great importance becomes more

and more impressive. Surely in view of the times this ought to be by far the best camp meeting in the history of the California Conference, and such it promises to be. But as good as it will be, it cannot be the help to those who stay away that it will be to those who attend, hence we are very desirous that every missionary volunteer come early and remain throughout this "feast of tabernacles."

Special attention will be given to plans and methods for making this occasion all that it may be in interest, inspiration, and real Christian advancement for all our young people. Dear young friends, do you not feel a deep yearning after God? A longing for a victorious life in Christ Jesus? A hungering and thirsting for the bread and water of life? Are you not getting "homesick" for camp meeting? Plan, then, to lay aside your work, as far as possible, and come to this banquet over which will float the banner of His love. Surely you will never regret your coming to this camp meeting. On the other hand you may always regret, with bitter remorse, the blessing missed if you remain away.

In view of the blessings in store, and in view of the opening providences of God for every loyal missionary volunteer, I take pleasure in extending to every young person in the California Conference a most cordial and urgent invitation to be present at the Oakland camp meeting, August 7 to 17.

L. L. Moffitt.

Reports From Church Missionary Secretaries

By the way, have you turned in your report to the church missionary secretary this week?

One secretary writes: "Our members who work are few, all old people," and encloses a report covering every item on the report blank save two.

Another secretary forwards a report listing papers mailed and given away by the thousands and tracts by the hundreds, while nearly every other item on the blank shows an energetic work along its line. The secretary says, "Am sorry to send in such a small report."

Still another makes this remark on a blank, neatly totaled in the column

for that purpose: "Valley divided into five districts and 150 'Present Truth' distributed by five autos. Some very encouraging experiences by district bands. Other churches should act thus." And we say "amen."

A fourth one says: "Our church here is small but we are trying to do all we can. Each family here takes the 'Review.'" And lest we forget, July is "Review" month.

This sister has the extra home cares that come to mother with small children, but finds time to encourage others in missionary work.

Last week while visiting churches in the Napa Valley, the home missionary secretary found many of our people planning to attend camp meeting. Let us all plan to go.

J. D. Alder.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

M. M. Hare, Pres. W. L. Mecum, Sec.
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News Notes

It is with pleasure that we welcome Elder G. W. Reaser to the Southern California Conference office. This arrangement was made possible when at the recent meeting of the Pacific Union Conference committee held in Lodi, Elder Reaser was released to Southern California in response to a call from this field for his labor. We sincerely appreciate the privilege of his help and counsel at this time. His long experience in connection with our work will enable him to render invaluable help. We are confident that his association with the work will be appreciated by all of our people throughout Southern California.

Miss Matilda Voss, whose name appears elsewhere in connection with a report of our home missionary institutes and who has recently come to this country from Australia, has connected with our work in Southern California. She will devote her attention to helping in home and medical missionary work and will be associated with Miss Ireland and possibly others in conducting the missionary training classes which we have begun to organize. We trust this work will develop among our church members until all who possibly can will be enrolled in these classes for the purpose of receiving training for efficient service.

The following from Pomona will be read with interest: "The last week has been an interesting one for the workers of the Knox Evangelistic company at Pomona. The Sabbath of July 12 found ten of the new Sabbath-keepers at the Pomona church. We believe there were others who kept the Sabbath in a quiet way at home. We rejoice as we see God's word entering the hearts and lives of men; and are inspired to know that His divine spirit has the work in charge and that He will accomplish His own purpose through us. We realize that God has been leading us in a definite way and our prayer is that we may keep in a position where He can use us mightily in the salvation of souls. Sunday night, July 13, our tent was crowded with people, an audience of over 400 being present. Elder Knox presented the question of spiritualism and the people were very enthusiastic about it. We received the names of several who desired literature. A number of souls who attended the meeting that night for the first time are now in regular attendance. We are glad to see this increased interest. We have had some really interesting visits with the people here. There are many points still to be brought out and we can but humble ourselves before God and ask Him to continue to lead as He has led thus far. We ask the prayers of our people that we may be the means of getting an abundant harvest of souls here at Pomona."

Missionary Volunteer Department

We are pleased to report that arrangements have been made with Elder C. S. Prout, recently from Boise, Southern Idaho, to act as secretary of the missionary volunteer department in the Southern California Conference. Some months ago, Mrs. Hare, who has been serving the conference in this capacity for some time, requested the committee to release her from this work, feeling that because of home duties and responsibilities she was unable to give the work as full attention as it merited. Not until last week did we succeed in making desired arrangements for help. Elder Prout's previous connection with the work of this department in the Northwestern California Conference, and his further experience as

a successful pastor and evangelist, we feel fit him for successful service in behalf of our young people. We feel assured that he will receive a hearty welcome throughout Southern California and would bespeak for him the earnest co-operation of all, officers and church members alike, in his efforts in this work. Local missionary volunteer officers will please take note of this change in the secretary of the department which is already effective.

M. M. Hare.

Camp Meeting Notice

On account of having to rent extra tents so as to accommodate all who attend the coming camp meeting, we are anxious to have tent and furniture orders sent in early. This will enable us to provide the extra tents needed.

Prices for tents, including fly, will be \$5.00 for the 12x17 tents, and \$3.50 for the 10x12. Floor covering 50 cents extra. Furniture at reasonable rates.

Since there is a shortage of floor coverings, we will appreciate it very much if those who can provide for themselves will do so. Bring your own straw ticks.

W. L. Mecum, Secretary.

SOUTHEASTERN CALIFORNIA

J. L. McElhany, Pres. J. C. McReynolds, Sec.
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Orange Camp Meeting

Work is now progressing rapidly on the camp ground. A number of men are employed, and it is expected that everything will be in readiness on the opening date.

The conference committee has decided not to open the cafeteria on the Sabbath during the camp meeting session. This plan will make it possible for those employed in the cafeteria to attend the Sabbath services. All should bear this in mind, and come prepared to look after their own necessities on the Sabbath.

From indications rooms will not be plentiful. Those who desire to have tents reserved for them should place their orders AT ONCE. This is necessary in order to avoid disappointment. In order to furnish tents for all who desire them, the conference

will have to rent some tents. We desire to know at the earliest possible date the number we shall have to arrange for. Send all orders to the conference office.

J. L. McElhany.

Camp Meeting Music

Good music is a very important factor in our worship of God. The ability to play and sing is a gift from heaven to be employed in praising our heavenly Father. We trust that the coming Southeastern California camp meeting will be the most spiritual ever held in this part of the great field. The character of the music there rendered will determine to a greater or less degree whether or not this hope shall be realized. In view of this important fact, would it not be pleasing to God if we would earnestly endeavor to make the music of this soul-winning occasion just what He would have it be?

In order to accomplish this grand result it will be necessary for those who sing or play to first exercise willingness to help in this part of the Lord's service, and second, make a special endeavor to help, that is to avoid arranging for yourself so many duties at camp meeting that you will have little or no time to spend in assisting with the music; thirdly, individually seek God in earnest prayer for the necessary grace to do your part in a manner that will honor and glorify His name and truth.

We hope to have at least as large a choir as we had last year, and shall be pleased if those who helped us then can do so again. We will use "Hymns and Tunes," "Christ in Song" and "Gospel Hymns and Songs" the new book we used last year. Please bring these books if you have them.

And may the same Spirit that we trust shall have complete control in the other phases of the camp meeting also direct in this part of the work.

L. E. Folkenburg.

Keep My commandments, and live; and My law as the apple of thine eye. Bind them upon thy fingers, write them upon the table of thine heart.—Proverbs 7: 2, 3.

Obituary

Death of Sister Irwin

Mrs. George A. Irwin, well known to many readers of the "Recorder," died at the home of her son, Prof. C. W. Irwin, president of Pacific Union College, Sabbath afternoon, May 31, at seven o'clock.

Sister Irwin had led a very busy life, and exceeded the allotted time of three-score years and ten, by four months and two days. About two years ago she was prevailed upon to lay down her work as matron of the Loma Linda Sanitarium, and rest. After a few months spent at the home of her son, she responded to an invitation from Elder and Sister Haskell to spend some time with them in Nashville. A few weeks were spent pleasantly with them, when she suffered a severe stroke of paralysis.

Prof. Irwin brought her to his home at the college and with the very best of medical care she recovered sufficiently to be able to converse with friends, and walk out daily.

In November 1918, there came other strokes, and she was confined to the house. Slowly she failed and was not able to converse during the last month of her sickness.

Her death, like that of her noble husband, came at a time of great activity. He died in the midst of the General Conference of 1913. She died in the midst of the closing exercises of the college.

Sunday afternoon, June 1, the funeral was held in the college chapel. The college faculty and the students, with the exception of a few who had left early, were in attendance at the funeral.

Words of comfort were spoken by Elder G. W. Wells, president of the California Conference, and a brief sketch of her life work was read by the writer.

It was Sister Irwin's wish to be buried beside her husband in Rock Creek cemetery, Washington, D. C. Prof. Irwin left early Monday morning to accompany the body of his mother to Washington for burial.

The sympathy of many warm friends are with him and his companion in this hour of sorrow.

W. C. White.

ADVERTISEMENTS

SPECIAL NOTICE—TERMS

Advertising rate: 50 words or less, first insertion, \$1.00. Each additional insertion, if run consecutively, 50 cents. No advertisement will be accepted unless cash accompanies the same.

References from the conference president must accompany requests for advertising space in the "Recorder," where individuals are not personally known to the "Recorder" management.

Wanted.—An all-round competent painter. None other need apply; 62½ cents an hour, 50 hours per week of five days. Address Box 364, Glendora, Cal. 3t

For Sale or Exchange.—Well finished modern bungalow; large porch; chicken run; one acre land; trees; adjoining St. Helena Sanitarium property; desirable climate for those suffering with asthma, hay fever, etc. Low price, easy terms. Address Box 47, Sanitarium, Cal. 2t

Help Wanted.—Women and girls, also a few men, to work in the Seventh-day Adventist cannery at McHenry Station, Stanislaus County, Cal., work beginning between August 15 and September 1, and lasting three to four months. Send in your application early to McHenry Cannery, Inc., Box 282-C, Route A, Modesto, Cal. 3t

For Sale.—Treatment rooms and physician's practice in Salt Lake City, Utah. Established 18 years; best of modern equipment; electric light baths, tubs, Sitz bath, white glass marble sprays. Clearing from \$500 to \$800 a month. Best office building in city. Address W. L. Gardner, M. D., 219 Boston Bldg., Salt Lake City, Utah. 3t

The Glendale Sanitarium desires consecrated young people to enter the Nurses' Training Course which will begin August 15. Through an affiliation a portion of the nurses' time will be spent in the White Memorial Hospital, Los Angeles. Write at once for application blank and information to the Superintendent of Nurses, Glendale Sanitarium, Glendale, Cal.

The Paradise Valley Sanitarium Training School for Nurses, desires a few more consecrated young people to enter the Nurses' Training Course which will begin August 4, 1919. Through an affiliation with the White Memorial Hospital, of Los Angeles, a portion of the nurses' time will be spent there. For information and application blank, write to the Superintendent of Nurses, Paradise Valley Sanitarium, National City, Cal. 4t

For Sale.—Good seven-room house with screen sleeping porch, bath and modern conveniences, water, electric lights, etc.; about twenty minutes walk from Pacific Union College.

Book Report, Week Ending July 11, 1919

Agent	Book	Hours	Orders	Helps	Value	Del.
California						
M. K. Graham	G.C.	7	4	\$.50	\$ 19.50	\$
Y. L. Kum	P.G.	35	10	4.00	67.00	
M. A. Reese	D.R.	32	10	2.10	48.60	8.85
W. G. Wightman	D.R.	33	5		23.50	
John Borresen	P.G.	17	6	9.75	42.75	
G. A. Roth	G.C., P.G.	31	12	6.75	66.25	20.50
Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Utt	P.G., G.C.	35	24	22.50	101.75	24.25
Miscellaneous					302.70	
8 Agents		190	71	\$ 45.60	\$672.05	\$ 53.60
Northern California						
H. D. Strever	O.D.	14	2	\$ 4.50	\$ 16.50	\$
J. N. Strever	G.C.	3	3	7.00	20.00	
Howard Carter	G.C., C.K.	35	6	3.35	26.35	
Fred Meisner	G.C., C.K.	36	21	2.50	96.50	
Mrs. Marie Buccci		8		13.60	13.60	
Mrs. E. J. Nugent	O.D.	11	5		18.50	
Jacob Spuehler	D.R.	4	2	.25	8.75	
James Sims	O.D.	23	3	1.25	11.25	
8 Agents		134	42	\$ 32.45	\$211.45	\$
Southern California						
J. L. Butler	P.G.	35	9	\$	\$ 45.00	\$ 15.25
S. H. Coombs	P.G.	25	8		44.00	
Isaac Cruz	P.G., C.K.	57	26		118.50	
D. A. Dale	P.G.	20	8		39.00	
F. B. Desmarests	G.C.	41	24		117.00	
H. C. Singleton	P.G.	33	44		201.00	
W. F. Mayers	M.U.	25	15		32.50	23.45
7 Agents		236	134	\$	\$597.00	\$ 28.70
Southeastern California						
A. P. Pond	P.G.	36	15	\$	\$ 76.00	\$
H. Mangold	P.G.	33	48	1.75	237.75	
Samuel Schafer	P.G.	42	24	11.50	126.50	
H. G. Warden	O.D.	32	7	4.30	29.30	
4 Agents		143	94	\$ 17.55	\$469.55	\$
Inter-Mountain						
A. A. Bennett*	B.R.	44	16	\$ 3.40	\$ 80.40	\$
Oliver Coombs	G.C.	14		1.35	1.35	
J. N. Mock	P.G.	25	18	2.00	96.00	
Mrs. B. B. Nelson*	B.R.	50	21	.85	106.85	
J. E. Lovell		5	27	4.05	4.05	
5 Agents *2 Weeks		138	82	\$ 11.65	\$288.65	\$
Totals		841	423	\$107.25	\$2,238.70	\$ 92.30

The only plastered house available in vicinity of school. House alone cost about \$3300. One and one-third acres of land, small barn and garage, wood shed, chicken house, etc. Ideal place for family wishing to attend school. Price \$1500; reasonable terms. Address Pacific Union College, St. Helena, Cal. 2t

The Nurses' Course in the Loma Linda Training School will begin August 17, 1919. The White Memorial Hospital in Los Angeles is the Clinical Hospital for the Loma Linda Medical College, and student nurses spend a portion of their time in training there.

By an action of the State Board of Health which was intended to become effective September 1, 1918, it was required that students entering the nurses' course in an accredited school should have completed twelve grades of regular school work. How-

ever, conditions brought into existence by the war caused a temporary revision in this requirement and provision has been made by the State whereby students having less than twelve grades may still enter accredited training schools. Write for information and calendar to Superintendent of Nurses, Loma Linda, Cal.

Wanted at Once.—Eight Seventh-day Adventist men to work on Western Pacific railroad track at Honcut, Cal. Steady work; \$3.00 per day for eight hours; house, fuel, lights and bunks free; men can batch or board. Free transportation from any point on the Western Pacific between Salt Lake City and San Francisco. For further information, address J. J. Hanley, Honcut, Cal., enclosing stamp.

(In a recent issue, by mistake, the word Hemet was inserted in place of Honcut, in the above advertisement. We regret this error.)

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THURSDAY, JULY 24, 1919

San Fernando Academy

Half of the summer vacation is now in the past. Young men, young women, who are of school age, are you aware that in a few weeks you will be in one of our schools, or in the public schools, or not in school at all? It is a serious question which should be decided once and for all that if there is any possible opportunity you will attend one of our schools this year.

We dare not neglect the instruction of the Lord concerning the matter of gaining an education which will fit us for work in the cause and a place in the kingdom now being prepared for the faithful. Young people, you need the training our schools give in intellectual lines; you need the help in social and spiritual lines; and the physical man is not to be neglected in any way. Come to our schools and grow up to be all-round, full-orbed men and women, ready for a part in the closing work.

San Fernando Academy opens its eighteenth year on September 10. Last year our goal for enrollment was 125, and we reached it. For this year it is 150. Help us to reach this mark. Remember that our library and laboratories are up to standard. In addition to the regular amount spent in repairs, some extensive additions and improvements will be made this year. The new sewing machines will be a real joy to the young ladies we are sure.

The writer spent a few days at the camp meeting in Phoenix and a week at the teachers' institute, at Lodi. In both places the interest in education

runs high. A marked desire on the part of the young people was seen at the camp meetings held thus far in the union. This is as it should be; let the good work go on and extend to the camp meetings in this field at Los Angeles and Orange. Come to the academy tent at these places and be at home. Let us get acquainted and see if we cannot help you in some way.

Send for calendar and learn what we are planning to do next year. Plan to come. Bring some one with you when you come. Let us fill San Fernando Academy to the doors. It can be done. Let's do it.

A. Earl Hall.

Book Work—A Good Report

Doubtless all will be interested in a glimpse at the best report ever sent in from this union conference. That is our colporteurs' report the month of June. It is as follows:

Conference	No. Colporteurs	Hours	Orders	Value
Arizona	6	239	57	\$ 276.20
California	10	1,014	413	1,813.20
California-Nevada	10	862	199	969.85
Central California	8	338	147	793.84
Southern California	7	589	234	1,054.55
Southeastern California	8	623	318	1,604.20
Inter-Mountain	9	1,050	538	2,736.05
Totals	58	4,695	1,903	\$9,247.89

This is practically all large subscription books, and does not include the smaller books sold by local church workers.

This report is \$4,000 to \$5,000 better than our average monthly sales of the past. This shows how the Lord is prospering this department of His work at the present time, and we are convinced that this is only a beginning, and that there is every assurance of still greater advancement.

Now is the time to cut loose from secular employment and get into the Lord's work, for its final triumph is at hand.
F. E. Painter.

To the Ministers and Bible Workers of the Pacific Union Conference

Our missionary correspondence band in Mountain View needs your co-operation. The members of this band are chiefly young people who work in the Pacific Press. Once a week they meet to send out the "Signs" weekly to interested names, and to write the follow up letters. It is in this connection that we need the co-operation suggested.

We suppose you make it a point to take the names of those you find in your work who are somewhat interested in the truth, and we would like to have some of these passed on to us so that they may be followed up with the "Signs." We do not want names that should be cared for by the church where you are working, but if there is no correspondence band here, or you have a surplus number of such names, kindly remember our Mountain View band. We believe

this is a plan of co-operation which will appeal to you. Many of our members are willing to do correspondence work and pay for papers to be sent out, but where to get names has been quite a problem. With our number of regular conference workers coming in contact with people, we believe an excellent list of names can be supplied us. These names will be put on the mailing list for the "Signs" weekly for a month or six weeks, and followed up with careful correspondence. Kindly send names to Miss Verua Griffin, Pacific Press Publishing Association, Mountain View, California.

CAMP-MEETING DATES

- Inter-Mountain, Grand Junction July 17 to 27
- Southeastern California, Orange.....July 31 to August 10
- California, Beulah Park, Oakland.....August 7 to 17
- Southern California, Los Angeles..... August 18 to 31