



### A Glimpse Into North China

ONE gospel worker for a million people! This one fact about North China is enough to show us that we have but just begun to preach the everlasting gospel to the waiting souls in this great field. The one hundred workers for the one hundred million people are bravely pressing on into unentered sections and cities.

There are fifty-six Sabbath schools in this field, with an ever broadening circle of branch and home Sabbath schools. By far the greater number of these companies meet in rented quarters. One of our great needs is for church buildings. In this whole field there are only six mission-owned buildings—all other chapels and churches being either rented or donated. The work would be placed on a stronger basis if each company had a mission-owned building.

Our one hospital is located at Kalgan where it serves the northern area of the field. Being on the border of Mongolia, it is gradually meeting a long felt need for the Mongolian people, as well as for the Chinese in and around the city of Kalgan.

One of the strong features of the work in this field is the North China Training Institute, located near Peking. It is equipped to take care of one hundred students, who earn their board by working in a weaving industry. We are anxious to train an army of young people who will soon be able to take up active evangelistic work, and thus add greatly to the number of workers in the field. Trained workers is the greatest need in mission fields—national workers, who have a spirit of sacrifice and a burden for the message.

The experience of one of our faithful believers in the city of Peking will be of interest, and illustrates the spirit of service manifested by many of our lay members. Sung Wen-fa was left blind by an illness at the age of three. For several years he attended a school for the blind, where he learned to read and write the Chinese braille, gained a rudimentary education, and learned to play the organ and certain other musical instruments. While a youth he was trained in the art of Chinese necromancy, and day after day he could be seen sitting in the common thoroughfares of Peking, plying his trade as a fortuneteller.

A few years ago a young Seventh-day Adventist evangelist opened a series of meetings not far from the young fortuneteller's home. A friend became interested in the meetings, and invited him to attend to assist with the music. This Mr. Sung was glad to do, but though at first he went primarily to play the organ for the services he soon became interested in the truth he heard presented, and night after night he went to listen as well as to help. For about a year he studied the Bible with the evangelist, and became fully convinced of his need of a Saviour and of the importance of keeping all the commandments. He was convinced too, that his fortunetelling business was not a Christian business. It demanded many occasions of cheating and lying. He determined to give it all up, was baptized, and joined the church.

Being left without a way to contribute anything to the family income, he suffered bitter persecution from his father, who endeavored to

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### Church to Rally Without Delay

COULD the clock of time be reversed and the world be in the same condition that it was just at the close of the World War, it is likely that church members living in the ten countries overrun by the devastating war machine operated by a leader utterly opposed to the church of Christ, would work as never before to spread the message while they had the opportunity. Would it not be wise for us who are living in a land of peace to profit by the experience of our brethren living in land once free but now under the iron heel of a conqueror?

"To human agencies is committed the work of extending the triumphs of the cross from point to point. As the Head of the church, Christ is authoritatively calling upon every one who claims to believe on Him to follow His example of self-denial and self-sacrifice in working for the conversion of those whom Satan and his vast army are exerting every power to destroy. God's people are called upon to rally without delay under the blood-stained banner of Christ Jesus. Unceasingly they are to continue their warfare against the enemy, pressing the battle even to the gates. And every one who is added to the ranks by conversion is to be assigned his post of duty. Every one should be willing to be or to do anything in this warfare. When church-members put forth earnest efforts to advance the message, they will live in the joy of the Lord, and will meet with success. Triumph always follows decided effort." *"Testimonies," Vol. VII, p. 30.*

E. A. MANRY.

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**M. V's. in the Army**

EVERY church should make definite plans to keep in touch with their young men who will be called to the Army. Here are a few good suggestions, taken from notes from the recent council of Missionary Volunteer leaders held at St. Louis.

Have a rousing good farewell party for all Adventists inducted into service. Avoid sentimentalism. Stress cheerfulness.

Begin raising a fund to buy *Steps to Christ*, in Army and Navy edition, for all draftees from Adventist homes.

Take offerings to supply *Youth's Instructor* subscription to Adventist draftees.

Teach all draftees to report to local M. V. secretary as soon as they are placed in camp. We must not let our boys slip into obscurity.

R. J. Roy.

**By Their Fruits**

IN OUR recent council held at Nashville, Tennessee, each secretary was given a few minutes to report the work accomplished in his conference. We were thrilled as we listened to the soul-winning side of the colporteur work. How interesting it

would have been to have each colporteur stand and relate what God has done. Here is an experience that came from Brother A. E. Eubanks of La Porte, Texas:

"When I delivered Mr. Davenport's book, he seemed to be undecided whether to take it or not. Before paying for his book, he asked me to tell him about the soul of man. Upon finishing the study, the father turned to his boy and said, 'Son, he is telling the truth.' Later a full series of Bible studies were given by one of our lay workers. This last Sabbath we had the privilege of seeing this family accept the whole truth." Then Brother Eubanks adds: "I am happy for this good experience. It only shows what can and is being accomplished by the colporteur ministry."

May we have more good experiences from our colporteur evangelists.

J. A. P. GREEN.



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**Gem Thought**

As we walk day by day in the light He (God) sends us, in willing obedience to all His requirements, our experience grows and broadens until we reach the full stature of men and women in Christ Jesus. MYP 15, 16.

**ARKANSAS-LOUISIANA**

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**Ozark Junior Academy**

IT WAS our privilege to spend the first week in December with the teachers and students of the Ozark Junior Academy. The Holy Spirit came preciously near as we presented the work of Jesus, our Great High Priest, in the most holy place of the heavenly sanctuary. Many found great bless-

ings as by faith they placed their sins upon the Lamb and through His blood saw them transferred to the temple above.

Definite efforts were put forth to make the work practical and permanent. Confession of sin and restitution gave evidence of true repentance on the part of many. Books of fiction, rouge and lipstick, and other idols were surrendered to the Master. The beautiful principles of health reform were seen in their true setting as a part of the preparation for the final cleansing of the sanctuary. Victory over appetite in the matter of eating between meals and excessive indulgence in sweets was claimed by many. Deliverance from other harmful habits was also experienced.

On the closing Sabbath the call of the Master to lifetime service in soul winning was presented and found a joyous response. Teachers and students have united for a real forward step in missionary endeavor, both in the school and in the surrounding community. As these plans are carried out, the result will be a continued growth in grace, for it is by working to save others that we keep our own souls alive.

Never in our ministry have we felt more conscious of our great need and of the special blessing of God. Brother and Sister Pierce and their associates gave strong cooperation and as we all sought the Lord from day to day, the Holy Spirit accomplished miracles of conversion.

We appreciate very much the pioneer spirit of this school and the principles of economy and sacrifice which are being practiced. This is the very training our young people need in this time where the tendency is so great to spend money needlessly for display and indulgence. May the Lord continue to bless at Ozark Junior Academy.

ELDER AND MRS. W. D. FRAZEE.

**News Notes from District No. 7**

AS WE review the past few months' work in our field, we are deeply grateful to the heavenly Father for His care over the work, and for the success that He has given.

Each of our groups now has, or is building, a church home. A very neat chapel is provided for the church in Monroe; the company at Weston is using a little log cabin for their Sab-

bath school; and the church at Hodge is building a church on their own property. It is a means of added strength to the work, for our people, as well as to nonmembers, that we have these buildings.

The financial report of the conference treasurer shows that the tithe from this district, for the eleven months of this year, is more than \$1000 above that of last year. The Lord is pouring out blessings on His people in financial matters, as He has promised to do.

A number of new folks attend the Monroe church regularly, and we hope that several of these will take a definite stand soon.

Continue to pray with us that God will do a quick work that He may return for His children.

VERNE KELSEY.

### News Notes

A number of students from Keene and Gentry are visiting their parents in Little Rock during the holidays. It is good to have them back for a few days.

Elder Pound visited the little company at Pochontas, Arkansas, last week end.

Elder and Mrs. G. A. Schwerin, of San Antonio, are spending the Christmas holidays in Little Rock. Sabbath, December 21, Elder Schwerin spoke at the eleven o'clock hour in the Little Rock church, and his message was greatly appreciated.

Elder J. O. Wilson spent some time recently visiting some of the churches in Arkansas in the interest of our Ozark Junior Academy at Gentry. The enrollment this year is about four times what it was two or three years ago, and to make it possible for the school to accommodate all these extra students, some buildings have had to be erected and furnishings provided. This has brought about a financial problem which the school is trying hard to solve. If any of our readers are in position to help some in a financial way we know that such help will be more than appreciated. This is a very worthy project and deserves our support, because this school is providing many of our young people with an education which they could not get if the school were not in existence.

Dr. Horace Hall, who has pioneered three major projects including our

sanitarium at Manilla, spent two days in New Orleans last week.

Have you ordered your *Review* yet? If not, you had better do so soon and save some money. The subscription price will advance very soon to \$2.50. It is now \$2.25. You need the *Review*.

The members of the Little Rock church are going to see that two hundred or more people who have expressed a desire to receive our literature receive *Present Truth*. This literature will be followed up by personal contacts and we are hoping for some souls as the result of this effort.

If you are anxious for your neighbor or loved one to learn about the truth, but you feel incapable of giving Bible studies, let us suggest that you do the next best thing. Send the *Present Truth*. This little missionary paper will make its regular visits into the home, and it is possible that this very definite effort on your part to give the truth to someone may result in the winning of some soul. The price of a year's subscription is only 35 cents. You can send three for \$1.

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## OKLAHOMA

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PRESIDENT, J. L. McCONAUGHEY  
SEC'Y-TREAS., J. O. HANSON

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### Missionary Volunteers in the Army

I. Have a good, rousing farewell party for all Adventists inducted into service. Avoid sentimentalism. Stress cheerfulness. Close with prayer.

II. Begin raising a fund to buy *Steps to Christ* in the Army and Navy edition for all draftees from Adventist homes.

III. Take offerings to supply *Youth's Instructor* subscription to Adventist draftees.

IV. Place in their hands a Sabbath School Quarterly, Morning Watch Calendar, and a new Bible. Do not send them away empty-handed.

V. Teach all draftees to report to the Oklahoma Missionary Volunteer secretary as soon as they are placed in camp, regardless of where the camp is located. We must not let our boys slip into obscurity.

R. A. NESMITH.

### Singing Convention

MEMBERS of the Ardmore Seventh-day Adventist church welcomed

visitors from Madill, Addington, Ada, Seminole, Konawa, Wynnewood, Gainesville, and Oklahoma City to the second of the Southern Oklahoma Singing Conventions which was held on December 8.

Representatives of these various churches spent the afternoon singing songs of praise and thanksgiving in the form of congregational singing, solos, duets, and quartettes. The program was arranged by Elder R. E. Browning.

Due to the cool weather, the picnic supper was served in the basement of the church.

As a result of a series of meetings conducted by Elder R. E. Browning in the Wynnewood locality six persons were baptized. Following the baptism, Elder J. L. McConaughy gave an intensely interesting report of the Fall Council held in St. Paul, Minnesota. At the climax of the evening service, the women of the Ardmore church gave Mrs. Helen Maxwell and Miss Naomi Draper, who were leaving, a handkerchief shower as an expression of appreciation for their loyalty and fine support for the past few months. They will be greatly missed.

The members of the local church also presented Elder Browning with a gift, acknowledging his consecrated service and faithful stewardship. We hope he receives much pleasure from the use of the Gladstone bag, *Testimonies to Ministers*, *Index to Sister White's Writings*, and *Songbook of Solos*.

It was voted that the next singing convention be held at Ardmore on Sabbath, January 4, in order that the isolated members might celebrate the ordinances. Elder R. A. Smithwick of Oklahoma City plans to be here that day.

An invitation was given to all to come in time for Sabbath school, enjoy spreading dinner together, and an afternoon of singing.

MRS. OLETA PHILLIPS.

### News Notes

Brother R. F. Marshall reports encouraging experiences with the churches of the Weatherford District during the Week of Prayer. In each church consecration services were held. One person at Binger, not of our faith, expressed her desire to be baptized and to join the Binger S.D.

A. church.

Two young people were baptized and united with the Elk City church on the closing Sabbath of the Week of Prayer. These were Ethel M. Reynolds and DeWitt Wilson. We are glad to see our young people take their stand for Christ and His truth.

Mrs. S. G. Pain, a former member of the Sapulpa church but who now lives at Chattanooga, Tennessee, visited at Sapulpa and Oklahoma City recently.

Brother R. A. Nesmith is spending this week and the next two weeks at Keene, Texas, in the Medical Cadet Training Corps. Several young men have enrolled for this training from Oklahoma among whom are A. S. Lutz of Oklahoma City, Kent Strader of Waurika, Orlando Hansen of Hitchcock, Ralph Jameson of Addington, John Winters of Hitchcock, Alvin Meier of Okeene, Murel Moddrell of Seminole, Aubry Lemons of Waurika, E. R. Hoehn of Waurika, and Alfred Newton of Bristow, Oklahoma.

Brother Plue has spent part of this week helping some of the colporteurs with deliveries. He will spend Sabbath with the Pleasant View church.

Elder J. L. McConaughy is out of the field on a trip to the west coast to visit his wife who is ill and in the St. Helena Sanitarium.

## TEXAS

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 PRESIDENT, F. D. WELLS  
 SEC'Y-TREAS., G. T. BURGESS

### One More Opportunity

THE last opportunity during 1940 to contribute to the Elementary School Offering fund will be given in the churches of Texas Sabbath, December 28. We trust that every church member in Texas will come prepared to give a liberal offering as the appeal is made in your church.

Undoubtedly all of our members know that this money is used to help our own church schools buy necessary equipment. No other funds are available for this purpose. We must depend entirely on the offerings that are received in our churches at these appointed times. You can rest assured that all of the money received will be used to good advantage.

Many of our hopes will be realized if a substantial offering is received on

the last Sabbath of the year.

V. W. BECKER.

### News Notes

Elder J. B. Ross from the Arkansas-Louisiana Conference was a caller at our office this past week. He was on his way to Keene to attend the Medical Cadet Corps.

Elder W. L. Barclay and F. D. Wells of our conference office, Elder E. A. Manry of the union office, and Elder G. E. Nord of the Northern European Division, drove to the Valley where they joined together with Elder A. G. Youngberg and Brother A. K. Phillips in conducting a Sabbath school and Home Missionary Convention at the McAllen-Pharr church last week end.

Elder A. A. Leiske went to Denver last week to attend a Central Union Workers' Meeting. Elder Westbrook carried the burden of his work in Houston during his absence.

Elder Barclay reports that he had a very interesting and profitable time at Jefferson during the Week of Prayer and on the last Sabbath conducted a baptismal service when four of the young people were baptized.

We understand that Elder B. L. Hassenpflug is looking forward to conducting a two weeks' evangelistic effort in the Valley View church before rebuilding his tabernacle at Sherman. We have not yet received the exact date of this evangelistic meeting, but we are certain that the Valley View church will take advantage of this opportunity to invite their friends who may be interested in our message.

Elder V. W. Becker is spending much of his time with the Medical Cadet Corps at Keene which began Wednesday, December 18. We believe a goodly number of our young men in Texas have enrolled for the classes.

The Houston Church No. 2 was very glad to have Elder Dasent spend the Week of Prayer with them and in that district. Elder Dasent gave a series of lectures also on the destiny of man which was very inspirational and instructive to all. We are praying that the spiritual atmosphere created during the Week of Prayer will continue throughout the coming year.

"No one can stand upon a lofty height without danger." *"Education,"* p. 51.

## TEXICO

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 PRESIDENT, V. A. LAGRONE  
 SEC'Y-TREAS., T. R. GARDNER

### News Notes

Christmas is over and we hurry on into the new year. May we call this time "My Square-up Week with God." This would, of course, first of all deal with the confession and putting away of all sins; checking up my account with God in my tithe for the old year, and the offerings and pledges for missions and church school tuition. Perhaps we have not been as faithful as we might have been in attending Sabbath school, and in the daily lesson study, also the church services, if the opportunity of attendance has been ours. It might be other things, but may we have a determination for the new year: Resolved, that "I will walk more closely with and do more for God during '41, that under His blessings I will win at least one soul for Him during the new year."

Brother A. T. King has been with the church in Causey assisting in their Week of Prayer.

Brother Vargas reports that he is having good success in his meetings in Socorro. They have organized a Sabbath school of 19 members. We hope that the Lord will give them a number of souls in that place.

For a number of weeks Brother and Sister Schneider have been speaking over the radio and holding services in the church in Midland. A baptismal service has been planned there. The church has been strengthened by this effort.

Elder Delafield writes that they have some lots ready for inspection. They have in mind to buy one of these lots and to build a church in the near future. This will be a great strength to the work in San Angelo.

Our members in Portales have their lot purchased and expect to begin building right away.

If you have not had the privilege of reporting your missionary work done during 1940, won't you send it to us at once so that we might have a complete report?

Elder Lee Carter will spend three weeks at Keene taking the Medical Cadet training.

Brother G. W. Casebeer is in Albuquerque and is planning to spend some time there with the church.

Brother G. A. LaGrone has spent this past week with our believers in Wellington.

Even though Christmas came ahead of the Thirteenth Sabbath, we hope that no one will allow this to affect their Thirteenth Sabbath offering. Brethren, we have so many things for which to praise God, we ought to be so appreciative of His tokens of divine blessing, that the Thirteenth Sabbath should be one of the largest that we have ever had and we believe that you will help us to make it just that way. If you are not a member of the Sabbath school, please send your offering to the office before the close of the year.

Doctor A. D. Tuttle held open house December 15, for the beautiful clinic which he has just completed in Portales. It is a two-story structure with all modern conveniences and new equipment. It is a real credit to our work in this field. May God bless in this endeavor to promote His cause in this locality.

The offer for the discount on the *Review and Herald* is over January 15. We will be looking for many new orders for this church paper. If you have not placed your order, won't you do so immediately? Thank you for your kindness.

Brother W. E. Abernathy, union auditor, spent a little time in our office last week checking the treasurer's records.

Brother A. T. King, superintendent of the Roswell district, was an office caller one day last week. While in Clovis he visited the Lafon family, who at one time lived at Causey, New Mexico.

**WE WISH EACH OF YOU A HAPPY AND PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR FOR 1941.**

The Office Force, Texico Conference.

**From the Book and Bible House**

*Christian Home Calendar*—The new 1941 Christian Home Calendar is completed and ready for shipment. It carries a number of pictures that have never before been featured in former calendars. On the reverse side of the front cover, there is given interesting and unusual information concerning the lives of the twelve apostles. Other interesting things al-

so mentioned in the Bible are featured. We believe this is the most unusual and attractive home calendar yet produced. Price, only 25 cents.

*Morning Watch*—The Morning Watch for 1941 is ready. Eternity alone with reveal the good that has been accomplished by this little messenger of love, and the inspiration it has brought to those on beds of sickness, to the group at the family altar, and to the busy traveler on his way. Regular edition, 5 cents; de luxe edition, 15 cents. Envelopes for remaining upon request.



**SUNSET CALENDAR**

For Friday, January 3, 1940

New Orleans, Louisiana .....	5:13
Little Rock, Arkansas .....	5:11
Shreveport, Louisiana .....	5:21
Muskogee, Oklahoma .....	5:19
Oklahoma City, Oklahoma .....	5:28
Galveston, Texas .....	5:32
Dallas, Texas .....	5:33
San Antonio, Texas .....	5:47
El Paso, Texas .....	5:12
Santa Fe, New Mexico .....	5:02



Elder Tucker has just returned from the Texico Conference where he reports a very interesting itinerary among the churches. He was absent from the office twelve days during which time he visited fifteen churches. The prospects are that several new recruits will arrange to enter the colporteur work.

Those who have received the monthly sales review for November will be happy to note that the retail value of the sales of the Book Department for the past eleven months is 9.5 per cent greater than for the corresponding period of last year.

**"GREAT CONTROVERSY,"**

An Inspired Book

BELIEVING that it is the very best book for this crisis hour, I feel impressed to pass on to our brethren and sisters some special testimonies relating to the use of *Great Controversy*. Here is what the servant of the Lord, Mrs. E. G. White, wrote concerning it:

"I was moved by the Spirit of the Lord to write that book, and while working upon it, I felt a great burden upon

my soul. I knew that time was short, that the scenes which are soon to crowd upon us, would at the last come very suddenly and swiftly, as represented in the words of Scripture: 'The day of the Lord so cometh as a thief in the night.'" B-1-1890.

"'Great Controversy' should be very widely circulated. It contains the story of the past, the present, and the future. In its outline of the closing scenes of this earth's history, it bears a powerful testimony in behalf of the truth. I am more anxious to see a wide circulation for this book than for any others I have written; for in 'Great Controversy' the last message of warning to the world is given more distinctly than in any of my other books." K-281-1905.

Brethren and sisters, let us redeem the time by placing every copy possible in the hands of honest, sincere souls about us. Remember the special price for lending purposes. Now obtainable in twelve languages at only \$1.95, postpaid.

Place all orders with your nearest Book and Bible House secretary, giving the names and addresses to which you wish copies sent. D. A. Cone.

**SOUTHERN UNION BENEVOLENT SOCIETY (Colored)**

Assessment No. 55

Due to the deaths of Sister Henrietta Brown and Sister Willianna Reid, who were both members of the Society, we are now calling for Assessment No. 55 covering both burial payments.

Assessment notices have been mailed to the last known address of all members, but should you not have received your notice and know yourself to be a member, kindly mail your assessment direct to the Society not later than January 14, 1941.

**SOUTHERN UNION BENEVOLENT SOCIETY**

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## SOUTHWESTERN JR. COLLEGE

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BUSINESS MGR., H. W. EMMERSON

### News Notes

Elder J. E. Nord, who represented the General Conference in the Home Missionary Convention last week, spoke to the students in chapel Monday. Having spent many years in Europe he was able to give some enlightening information concerning our work there during these war times.

During the chapel period on Tuesday the music department, through its various organizations, gave some Christmas music.

The Christmas holidays began at noon Thursday. By night the campus was pretty quiet for most of the students were gone. Only thirty-five were here over the week end

Dr. Everett Dick, professor of history at Union College who is in charge of the Medical Cadet Corps being conducted in Keene, spoke at the church on Sabbath. His rather unusual subject was "Salt" based on the text "Ye are the salt of the earth."

Many former students are here for all or part of the vacation. Some of them are Mrs. Moyers, Morris Lowry, Frank Rice, Mary Sue Huffhines, and Evelyn Roll, all of Union College, Jack and Billy Bowers from Emmanuel Missionary College, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Alexander of Nevada, Iowa, Mr. and Mrs. Irwin McCormick of Oregon, Helen Huffhines of Terrel, Texas, Billie Berry of Cuthbert, Texas, and Varina Liggett Hight of Grand Prairie.

President and Mrs. Hamilton have their children with them through the holidays. Mr. and Mrs. William Shepard and daughter, Carolyn, of Cedar Lake, Michigan, and John T. Hamilton of Chicago are here. Mr. Shepard is the principal of the Cedar Lake Academy and Mr. Hamilton will graduate from the Northwestern School of Music next summer.

The students at the college had Christmas programs in their respective dormitories Tuesday night.

The North Hall girls are rejoicing over some new chimes, a Christmas gift from Miss Ambs, which sound at the pushing of the door button.

Miss Ambs went to her home in Michigan for the holidays. Miss Basham is acting dean during her ab-

sence.

At a recent baptism in the Keene church six students were baptized.

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force him to continue to ply his trade. Mr. Sung remained firm for the truth, however, and eventually the church members came to his aid by helping him to become established in a ricksha station, whereby he could support himself by renting out a few rickshas. Through the influence of his godly life, Mr. Sung's mother joined him in his new-found faith, and later his father also was won.

For many months Mr. Sung has conducted a branch Sabbath school in his home. Sometime during the week a young Missionary Volunteer from our chapel in a distant part of the city visits him and reads to him the Sabbath school lesson from the simplified quarterly, while he patiently writes it all out by hand in braille. It was necessary at first for him to write all the texts in full, but later a New Testament and such books of the Old as are available in braille were secured for him. The lessons are prepared thus two weeks in advance of the schedule, so that he can have ample time to study them thoroughly in preparation for teaching them to his little branch school, where ten to fifteen friends and neighbors gather Sabbath by Sabbath. Mr. Sung memorizes most of the texts used. He has also written out in braille the hymns in our Chinese hymnbook, and has memorized all the more familiar ones. At the mere mention of the number of any one of these, he can lead out immediately in singing it, playing meanwhile on his little Chinese violin.

Mr. Sung lives with his father and mother in the typical Chinese home of the poorer classes, consisting of but one room, with earthen floor and scanty furnishings. His ambition is to open a school for the blind, where he can personally teach the gospel, as well as the principles of the braille system of reading and writing. Though his eyes are sightless his face beams with love for the truth and with the joy of Christian service, as he endeavors to make use of every opportunity to witness for his Saviour.

One of our ordained ministers has

### COLPORTEUR REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING DECEMBER 14, 1940

Bk. Hrs. Orders Del.

#### Ark.-La., C. L. Grandon, Sec.

Harry Vought	HR	46	64.75	19.25
Archie Peek	MR	39	34.50	5.40
*Glenn M. Cox	HG	82	143.00	63.65
W. M. Ladd	BR	34	25.25	24.25
Mrs. M. A. Gillon	Mes.	34	11.00	11.00
Vida Brooks	Wat.	30	24.70	24.70
J. H. Wardrop	BR	29	54.50	22.25
Jeff Young	BR	24	18.75	12.00
Kate Pope	GC	20	38.00	25.50

#### Home Workers:

*Hattie Maury	Mes.	62	21.25	21.25
Mrs. V. Fields	HR	17	2.75	12.38
Elbert Rowe	BR	15	3.35	6.00
Louis Battiste	Mes.	10	.50	.50
W. M. Brinegar	OT		9.00	9.00
Neville Jones	Helps		.59	1.27

Total 442 451.89 258.40

#### Texas, A. E. Van Noty, Sec.

Plez Underdown	BR	44	84.50	
A. E. Eubanks	BR	32	75.50	8.75
B. E. Wood	BR	40	39.95	12.95
Marion Brown	BR	35	26.25	10.00
Alva Cadenhead	Mag.	30	11.00	11.00
D. E. Swartz	BR	30	8.25	5.75

#### Home Workers:

A. J. Blevins	BR	5	13.00	.75
Mrs. H. Callender	BS	5	10.75	10.75
Edith Swartz	BR	20	1.50	5.75
G. M. Jorgenson	Mag.	15	3.05	3.05
Miss V. Granger	Mag.	6	1.00	1.00

Total 262 274.75 69.75

#### Oklahoma, O. S. Plue, Sec.

S. B. Scaggs	OT	46	32.25	20.75
G. D. O'Brien	BR	36	74.00	11.50
A. S. Lutz	BR	30		11.50
Millard Taylor	BR	25	104.75	22.75
Forrest D. Smith	BR	21	19.00	5.00
M. C. Graves	GC	18		60.75
Murel Moddrell	BR	16	26.10	7.10
Mrs. T. D. Wharton	BTS	14	5.50	105.30
G. C. Kendall	BR	13	20.50	20.50
Jimmy Long	Mag.	3	1.00	1.00

Total 222 283.10 266.15

Grand Total 926 1009.74 594.30

never missed attending Sabbath school during the twenty years he has been a church member. One Sabbath when he was sick and unable to walk he was carried to Sabbath school on a stretcher by other members.

In this great field of opportunity and need, we could go on with such stories and experiences of faith and Christian development. Every offering through the Sabbath school to help through this people see the light and be prepared for Jesus' soon coming, is truly a treasure laid up in heaven, where it will bear fruit in souls saved for eternity.

C. B. GREEN.