


SOUTHERN UNION WORKER



"My meat is to do the will of Him that sent me, and to finish His work."

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Summer Schools

Ooltewah.....June 5 -July 31

Oakwood.....June 10 -July 22

Tithing

In former articles on this question of tithing we find that God has endeavored in every way to place a hedge around His tithe that men might not feel free to withhold it or to use it wherever their fancy might prompt, and has left them without excuse.

"It is a heaven-appointed plan that men should return to the Lord His own; and this is plainly stated that men and women have no excuse for misunderstanding or evading the duties and responsibilities God has laid upon them. Those who claim that they cannot see this to be their duty, reveal to the heavenly universe, to the church and to the world that they do not want to see this plainly stated requirement. They think that by following the Lord's plan they would detract from their own possessions. In the covetousness of their selfish souls they desire to have the whole capital,

both principle and interest, to use for their own benefit.

"God lays His hand upon all man's possessions, saying, I am the owner of the universe, and these goods are Mine. The tithe you have withheld I reserved for the support of My servants in their work of opening the Scriptures to those who are in the regions of darkness, who do not understand My law. In using My reserve fund to gratify your own desires, you have robbed souls of the light which I made provision for them to receive. You have had opportunity to show your loyalty to Me, but you have not done this. You have robbed Me; you have stolen My reserve fund. 'Ye are cursed with a curse'" Volume 6, page 387.

In these studies from the Testimonies I have endeavored to bring out and emphasize the thought that the tithe is not ours, but the Lord's. He claims one-tenth of our increase, and one-seventh of our time is His. Some have gotten the idea that in paying their tithe they are giving something to the Lord, but this is a mistake. The Lord says the tithe is His. It is His

whether we pay it or not; and in withholding it we are withholding what does not belong to us, but to God.

May God help us all in these closing days of peril and world-need to say with Jacob: "If God will be with me and keep me in this way that I go, and will give me bread to eat, and raiment to put on, so that I come again to my Father's house in peace, then shall the Lord be my God: And this stone, which I have set for a pillar, shall be God's house: and of all that thou shalt give me I will surely give the tenth unto thee." Gen. 28:20. We have here a record of Jacob's vow, and it is worthy of our careful study. He did not ask for a large income before agreeing to pay his tithe. All he asked for was bread to eat and raiment to put on, and said that if God would give him these he would pay Him the tithe. Evidently Jacob thought that he should give the Lord a faithful tithe, even though he received nothing more from Him than food and raiment. I believe we would do well to follow Jacob's example in this matter. If our people were all as faithful as Jacob was, much

SPECIAL NOTICE

Summer School begins Thursday, June 5. Next week more definite announcement will be given concerning courses and expenses. Will our church school teachers and others interested in taking work during the summer please watch for this. Correspondents please take note also and cut your articles proportionately.

more means would be coming into our treasury for the advancement of the work.

We are now in the very last days, and all things earthly are soon to come to an end. In a little while from this our houses and lands and bank accounts will be worthless. We cannot buy an entrance into heaven with them, nor can we buy deliverance from the perils that are coming on the earth with these things, but we can invest our money and goods in souls, and thus make friends in heaven who, when these things fail, will receive us into everlasting habitations. May God help us to increase faithfulness in tithe-paying and in making offerings for the advancement of His cause.

W. R. ELLIOTT.

TENNESSEE RIVER CONFERENCE

Tennessee River News Items

Brother Elliott was in the office for a few days, but has returned to Hazel, where he is holding some meetings in the school for the students.

Bro. A. N. Allen has returned to Franklin, after spending a few days in the office. He reports a wonderful interest at the Kingsfield church, near Franklin. About 25 new believers are now keeping the Sabbath and others are interested. He expects to baptize some of them on Sabbath.

Bro. Glenn C. Russell will begin an effort in Paducah Sunday night, May 4, in the best theatre there. He will hold meetings in the theatre for a short while, and will then begin his meetings in the tent.

Elder W. J. McComas and family of Toronto, Cannada, arrived Thursday, the 24th. Elder McComas comes to Nashville as pastor of the church.

He spoke at the 11 o'clock service Sabbath, April 26.

The work in the Tennessee River Conference is progressing. Our white tithe for the first three months of this year amounted to \$7983.24, and the colored tithe \$875.52, making a grand total of \$8858.76. This is considerable more tithe than has been received during any three months before. The white tithe for the first three months of last year amounted to \$3345.11, and the colored tithe \$703, making a total of \$4048.11. This is a gain of \$4810.65 over last year. The Lord has certainly blessed. We are glad to state that we have already raised over half of our mission quota for 1919. This year we are supposed to raise 25 cents per member per week.

Brethren V. O. Cole, W. D. Wade and F. L. Harrison are out with a prospectus this week getting an up-to-date experience taking orders for our good books.

Sister Mollie Hurdle, one of our colored canvassers in Memphis, writes as follows:

"I received the books, but was very sorry I didn't have more. I went out with them and sold them all before 12 o'clock. I know the Lord is blessing the work. I had wonderful experiences this week. I canvassed a man for 'Bible Readings' and he gave me a six-dollar order. He said the book was just what he wanted. 'I know the Lord sent you here with this book. I gave a man an order for a book last year and I have been waiting for it ever since, but he never did bring it, so the Lord sent you here.' I am having many such experiences."

Bro. Harlan Forsythe, who is canvassing around Johnsonville, writes that he also is having good experience. Says one well-to-do farmer told him that that

was the book he had been looking for, and that he would take the best binding. Another party, whom he canvassed, said he considered his book the best he ever saw, and worth at least twice the price; that his aged mother signed for one, and that he helped him land an order from a man in his store. Bro. Forsythe is canvassing with "Great Controversy."

LOUISIANA CONFERENCE

Louisiana Items

T. R. Huxtable has arrived in New Orleans to help in the effort now being held there. Mrs. Huxtable will soon join him. They have been attending the Southern Junior College since it was first located at Ooltewah, Tenn.

The work of Rachel Harris, of Shreveport, appears in the colporteurs' report for this week for the first time, and is very encouraging. She is canvassing for "Our Day" at Kingston, La.

The meetings held at the Athenaeum in New Orleans are being well attended. The interest is good, and the attendance is increasing as the various subjects are presented from night to night.

After the arrival of Brother Huxtable, Brother Boswell, who has been assisting in the work at New Orleans, returned to Shreveport, and from there will go to Sibley, where he will be for some time.

Sales of Crisis Books

For Week Ending May 3, 1919

| | No. of Books | Value |
|---------------------------|--------------|---------|
| Ida Perry | 80 | \$20.00 |
| Jaunita Britton | 60 | 16.00 |
| Hattie Pack | 52 | 13.00 |
| Elizabeth Mitchell | 40 | 10.00 |
| Mrs. Anderson | 28 | 7.00 |
| Percy Augustine | 20 | 5.00 |
| A. Miller | 12 | 3.00 |
| Mary M. Cain (9 yrs. old) | 10 | 2.50 |
| Mrs. Hyams | 10 | 2.50 |

Orders for the two new books that have just been added to the

series of Crisis books, "The World's Destiny" and "Bible Prophecies Unfolding," have been placed with the publishers, and we hope to have a good supply on hand by the time this issue reaches you. The world today is looking for "something." Will you not be one to carry that "something" to them in the form of some of these 25c Crisis books?

The New Orleans Church No. 2 is gaining in membership very rapidly. Several new members are asking for baptism, and there is a good attendance at the Sunday night meetings, also the Sabbath and Wednesday night services.

leaving there I stopped at Princeton to see an elderly sister who has been keeping the Sabbath for many years, but has never yet united with the church.

I then went to Marion where I had a short, but pleasant, visit with Brother and Sister Cannon. I spent from Friday until Sunday morning with the colporteurs at Madisonville. These brethren have been stirring up an excellent interest in this place. Brother F. F. Harrison took me to three different homes where people are keeping the Sabbath as the result of his work. He invited these people out to the services Friday night and those held on Sabbath. These meetings were held in homes and the rooms where the

meetings were held were comfortably full of real interested people. Sabbath morning we organized a Sabbath School, at which time there were 14, mostly adults, present. Brother Harrison is very anxious to have this excellent interest followed up as it certainly should be. If these brethren continue there in the good work they are doing, seemingly it would not be long until they have enough ready for a church organization.

From Madisonville I went to Hartford, where meetings had been advertised to begin Sunday night. The new church building, which has just been completed there, was crowded, and there were some standing out-

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Report of the Louisiana Sabbath Schools for Quarter Ending March 31, 1919

| | Memb. | Av. Att. | 18th Sab. | Total to Miss. | Av. per Memb. |
|--------------|------------|------------|---------------|----------------|---------------|
| Alexandria | 7 | 5 | \$5.79 | \$8.02 | \$1.18 |
| DeRidder | 14 | 11 | 12.50 | 27.19 | 1.96 |
| DeQuincy | 10 | 9 | 4.25 | 8.90 | .89 |
| Fullerton | 28 | 25 | 11.25 | 37.78 | 1.35 |
| Hobart | 14 | 9 | 1.78 | 7.76 | .55 |
| Hammond 1 | 14 | 11 | 5.00 | 18.33 | 1.31 |
| Hammond 2 | 26 | 16 | 8.74 | 23.29 | .86 |
| Mansfield | 28 | 25 | 20.25 | 43.14 | 1.54 |
| Newellton | 12 | 9 | 1.11 | 17.05 | 1.42 |
| Natalbany | 9 | 6 | | 4.00 | .44 |
| N.Orleans 1 | 99 | 78 | 55.02 | 225.50 | 2.28 |
| N.Orleans 2 | 158 | 91 | 74.70 | 188.85 | 1.20 |
| Plaquemine | 9 | 9 | | 6.25 | .69 |
| Shreveport 1 | 41 | 33 | 24.37 | 87.52 | 2.18 |
| Shreveport 2 | 22 | 27 | 8.35 | 14.85 | .68 |
| Sugartown | 8 | 8 | | 3.82 | .48 |
| Lake Charles | 18 | 18 | 1.40 | 6.60 | .49 |
| Welsh | | | 5.00 | 17.11 | |
| Minden | | | 10.00 | 40.25 | |
| Home De'pt | 45 | 45 | 26.77 | 89.17 | 1.85 |
| Total | 557 | 428 | 279.83 | 868.18 | 1.56 |

Mrs. Emma L. Morrow.

KENTUCKY CONFERENCE

My Trip

Since my last item in the WORKER I have been from the extreme western to the extreme eastern part of the Conference. I made the second trip to Hazel to meet with the building committee to consider some plans for the new buildings that were proposed for Hazel. After

Alabama Quarterly Report

| Church | Memb. | Tithes | Har. Ing. | Missions | S.S. Off. | Total Mis. | Per ct. |
|----------------|------------|----------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|----------------|------------|
| Ashford | 15 | \$ 49 80 | \$ 10 | \$ | \$ 65 | \$ 75 | .00% |
| Birmingham | 89 | 1389 06 | 73 33 | 53 27 | 231 42 | 358 02 | .31 |
| Borden Springs | 47 | 114 46 | 1 75 | 1 44 | 23 03 | 26 22 | .04 |
| Cardiff | 10 | 47 50 | | 1 89 | 27 78 | 29 67 | .23 |
| Conference | 44 | 852 67 | 9 35 | 217 25 | 127 56 | 354 16 | .62 |
| Elkwood | 30 | 500 39 | 5 50 | 18 34 | 16 71 | 40 55 | .10% |
| Gadsden | 15 | 78 58 | | 3 00 | 1 20 | 4 20 | .02 |
| Long Island | 20 | 130 10 | 3 05 | 5 11 | 29 26 | 37 42 | .14% |
| Marlow | 24 | 40 90 | 7 20 | | 8 90 | 46 10 | .14% |
| Mobile | 67 | 595 77 | 14 25 | 1 65 | 192 53 | 208 43 | .24 |
| Montgomery | 14 | 161 47 | 5 40 | 2 00 | 21 29 | 28 69 | .15% |
| Pensacola | 25 | 360 07 | 1 75 | 50 | 93 68 | 95 93 | .29% |
| Sheffield | 14 | 54 10 | | | 50 25 | 50 25 | .27% |
| Silverhill | 18 | 61 76 | 2 50 | 2 94 | 9 51 | 14 95 | .06% |
| Total | 432 | 4436 63 | 124 18 | 307 39 | 833 77 | 1265 34 | .22 |

Mission

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|--------------|------------|----------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|---------------|------------|
| Birmingham | 45 | \$278 23 | \$6 61 | \$5 40 | \$50 42 | \$62 43 | .10% |
| Decatur | 4 | 32 51 | 50 | | 2 00 | 2 50 | .04 |
| Dothan | 17 | 45 79 | 2 30 | | 5 13 | 7 43 | .03 |
| Huntsville | 18 | 88 27 | | 1 64 | 14 36 | 16 00 | .07 |
| Mobile | 18 | 73 26 | | | 12 11 | 12 11 | .05 |
| Montgomery | 17 | 99 72 | | | 25 87 | 25 87 | .11% |
| Oakwood | 72 | 178 25 | 10 76 | 31 89 | 71 45 | 114 10 | .12 |
| Pensacola | 21 | 56 12 | | | 5 04 | 5 04 | .01% |
| Sylacauga | 21 | 15 11 | 25 | | 1 30 | 1 55 | .00% |
| Mission | 6 | 58 05 | 12 10 | 3 50 | 4 16 | 19 76 | .25% |
| Talladega | 12 | 20 00 | | | 4 30 | 4 30 | .02% |
| Anniston | 11 | 95 05 | 2 90 | 1 13 | 10 95 | 14 98 | .10% |
| Total | 262 | 1040 36 | 35 42 | 43 56 | 207 09 | 286 07 | .08 |

The above report shows the amount of money that we have received from the different churches for the first quarter of 1919. You will also notice that some of our churches are a little bit low on the mission offerings. We hope that each church will study their report very carefully and see how your church stands. We hope, if possible, that by the time of the next report that every church will be up on its 25c-a-week fund for the white and 20c-a-week for the colored.

Our tithe shows a very good increase, \$2,152.00, over the same period of last year. We are glad to see this good increase in our tithe.

BEN C. MARSHALL, Treas.

Girls' Dormitory---Total Donation \$3,612.90

Those who gave their \$5s, \$10s, \$25s, and even larger amounts, toward the \$3,500 campaign. You will notice that a large part of this \$3,500 came in \$5s, so small amounts count if we have enough of them.

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|-------------------|-------|-----------------------------|------|--------------------|-----|----------------------|-------|
| Alabama | | Mrs L J Dietel | 10 | Georgia | | Indiana | |
| Joe B Gough | \$ 5 | Mrs S H Calvin | 7 | Elder B W Spire | \$5 | John H Talge | \$5 |
| W P Dilworth | 6 | Mr & Mrs Foster | 5 | Dr C F Curtis | 5 | Mrs E Fichell | 5 |
| Earle Jones | 1 | Josephine Gotzian | 25 | J S Wimbish | 5 | B T Boyd | 5 |
| Panza Garrigan | 5 | Miss Hazel Wood | 5 | Dr J R Mitchell | 5 | C S Wiest | 1.50 |
| C S Corkham | 5 | P W Stuyvesant | 35 | Thos W Jackson | 1 | M W Grinnell | 5 |
| S O Rogers | 5 | Canada | | E E Dallis | 5 | Iowa | |
| M L Wilson | 5 | Mrs A N Atteberry | \$2 | N A Bowen | 5 | Elizabeth L Neal | \$5 |
| J F Dennis | 15 | Colorado | | Dr G A Mitchell | 5 | Mrs L Lauterback | 5 |
| Mrs J E Cothren | 2.50 | W H Gorich | \$5 | Mrs G M Tolhurst | 5 | Dr R L Mantz | 5 |
| Mrs A A May | 5 | Mrs T A Rogers | 1 | W W Waits | 5 | G C Lauterback | 5 |
| Mrs Andrus | 5 | Mrs S Matthison | 5 | Mr and Mrs Page | 10 | Albert F Priege | 2 |
| Hilary Ward | 15 | District of Columbia | | Mrs Mary Decker | 5 | Kentucky | |
| Mrs M Johnston | 1 | A G Daniells | \$25 | Mrs W Broadbent | 5 | Jas H Hickman | \$2 |
| L N McAlpin | 25 | Carlyle B Haynes | 5 | Leroy Bowen | 25 | R I Keate | 5 |
| F W Halladay | 5 | Mrs J M Osborn | 5 | A Friend | 5 | Mrs R Howard | 5 |
| Carl G Meyer | 5 | Prof C L Hamar | 5 | H W Potter | 5 | Burton Castle | 5 |
| C E Giles | 5 | Sarah E Willson | 5 | Mrs B Summerour | 10 | G H Miller | 5 |
| J F Wright | 5 | L A Hansen | 2 | E S Street | 10 | Miss K Edwards | 5 |
| Earl Rogers | 5 | Mary Steward | 5 | Mrs Eady | 1 | Jas L Gordon | 5 |
| Elder I M Martin | 5 | W W Eastman | 5 | P A Wade | 5 | J W Wilkerson | 5 |
| Earl Saxon | 5 | M E Kern | 2 | A Friend | 5 | J R Kennedy | 105 |
| Eulice McClendon | 5 | J G Slate | 5 | W H Branson | 50 | Mrs Kennedy | 11.50 |
| Irma Halladay | 3 | L M Gregg | 5 | Mr and Mrs Randall | 5 | S Sisson | .50 |
| Eunice Keller | 21 | R E Slate | 5 | Mrs Rossie Oxford | 5 | Jack Jones | 3 |
| Etta Reeder | 5 | Loyd Fisher | 5 | J S Dildy | 5 | Mrs M Lucas | 5 |
| M E Whatley | 5 | Harold Fisher | 5 | Dr O M Hayward | 5 | E A Williams | 5 |
| Mrs J I Bryan | 2 | Ivan Richmond | 5 | Mrs H Brooke | 5 | Amanda Forehand | 1 |
| Mrs Faith McLucas | 5 | E S Richmond | 1 | Mrs McMahan | 5 | Lillian Carter | 10 |
| N H Waters | 5 | Florida | | Mrs Harris | 5 | Maggie Lee Hill | 5 |
| Addie May Kalar | 5 | W H Hayes | 5 | Miss Chambers | 1 | Mary Ford | 5 |
| Mrs J P Russell | 10 | Loretta Heacock | 10 | A Widmaier | 5 | Kansas | |
| Eva Russell | 12 | W J Ewing | 5 | W L F Rosenblatt | 5 | Carol Olson | \$2 |
| J T Weed | 5 | E Meade Graham | 5 | Miss J M Lynch | 10 | Robt L Stokes | 5 |
| Clarence Giles | 6 | Miss Marie Ray | 3 | Mrs H S Self | 1 | Louisiana | |
| Lucille Randall | 30 | E C Abel | 10 | Anita Martin | 11 | J A Ingram | \$25 |
| Wilmer Nelson | 5 | N A Honeywell | 5 | Noble Harrell | 15 | E E June | 5 |
| Edna Ward | 13 | C R Magoon | 1 | J R Conger | 24 | Elder C N Sanders | 5 |
| Ruth Whidden | 10.50 | Mrs L G Thirsk | 5 | John Brooke | 10 | Mrs A W Jones | 5 |
| J C Holland | 15 | Miss Florie Allen | 5 | Roy Campbell | 25 | R R Coble | 5 |
| Lester Holland | 15 | J H Graham | 5 | John Trimble | 3 | H M Klock | 5 |
| Eunice Keller | 6 | John Rhodes | 1 | O R Shreve | 36 | W J Singletery | 10 |
| Ruth Johnston | 15 | H Lester | 5 | Illinois | | Pearl Reed | 1 |
| Matilda Nelson | 1 | David Summers | 5 | A P Lager | \$5 | M E Lantz | 10 |
| Metha Lohr | 11 | Ella V Gardner | 5 | Mrs B Craig | 5 | Mabel Wood | 5 |
| Arkansas | | Mrs T Talbott | 2 | W A Harold | 10 | Rosabelle Wood | 1 |
| C E Bell | \$5 | Chas T Burroughs | 15 | C M Halladay | 5 | Marcella Klock | 4 |
| California | | C L Hullinger | 5 | Dr Mary Paulson | 5 | Hugh Moomaugh | 10 |
| Mr & Mrs Saxby | \$15 | W A McCutchen | 10 | W C Dabey | 10 | Massachusetts | |
| Mrs Wm Ings | 5 | Virgil Smith | 5 | N W Paulson | 5 | Elder F C Gilbert | \$6 |
| Mrs Emma Huber | 5 | Lillian Boyd | 5 | Miss Ora Barber | 5 | W H Daniels | 43.50 |
| Meade MacGuire | 5 | Jeanette Richardson | 5 | Mrs Cass Treece | 5 | E E Miles | 5 |
| Mrs J S Thomas | 5 | Geo N Fuller | 21 | Victor Ward | 1 | J H McDonald | 6 |
| J C Russell | 6 | J J Gladden | 10 | Lena Peterson | 15 | W R Schofield | 2 |
| Luther Warren | 5 | F G McAlister | 5 | Harold Jones | 10 | | |
| Mrs J J Moss | 1 | Mrs F J Graham | 5 | | | | |

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|--------------------|-------|-----------------------|------|--------------------|-----|---------------------|--------|
| Michigan | | Nebraska | | Mr and Mrs R Gray | 5 | Dr O C Godsmark | 2 |
| M H Lane | \$5 | Mrs C VanGorder | \$5 | Trigg-Dobbs & Co. | 5 | Porf & Mrs Johnston | 50 |
| J B Moore | 5 | M W Blue | 5 | O A Mullins | 3 | Thomas & Moore Co | 5 |
| Mrs Guilford | 5 | F A Christenson | 10 | Tranum Bros | 5 | Dr D P Houston | 10 |
| Mrs J M Williman | 5 | E C Blue | 5 | M Bessie DeGraw | 1 | D S Ethridge | 10 |
| Amelia Goff | 10 | New York | | Mrs Graves | 4 | Fisk Tire Co | 2 |
| Mrs Ella Fox | 10 | Frank D Welis | \$5 | R A Lovell | 5 | Dr Harris | 5 |
| H L Straight | 5 | Miss E Kaufman | 5 | Harvey G Mosher | 5 | Dr M M Martinson | 5 |
| Mrs Heflin | 5 | Chas A Espie | 5 | H A Varney | 2 | W E Wilkerson | 10 |
| A Friend | 5 | Miss Emily Zeh | 205 | Dr Harris | 5 | W H Lessly Co | 25 |
| Lenna Simkin | 5 | S A Maxwell | 6 | J D Finley | 5 | C E Ledford | 5 |
| John A Schafer | 5 | Mrs H M Ball | 5 | W E Bailey | 5 | C J Boyd | 25 |
| Miss Emma Stanton | 5 | Nova Scotia | | Mrs B B Jones | 5 | Mrs Boyd | 19 |
| Prof J S Marshall | 2 | Pvt. A K Herman | \$7 | Lena M Callaway | 5 | Lawrence Reese | 1 |
| Mr and Mrs Manby | 5 | North Carolina | | Mrs A D Irwin | 2 | Jamie Fountain | 2.50 |
| Paul N Pearce | 5 | W P Dougherty | \$5 | Mrs C M Davis | 5 | A Friend | 100 |
| Mrs H W Miller | 2.50 | Miss A Webster | 5 | Bank of Ooltewah | 10 | Bessie Nell Follis | 8 |
| Mr and Mrs Cobb | 5 | J W MacNeil | 3 | Dr O G Hughes | 5 | Alice K Thweatt | 1 |
| Minnesota | | A B Russell | 5 | H A Shreve | 1 | Elorence Frisby | 1 |
| E W Peck | \$5 | R H Gilman | 5 | Prof L H Wood | 105 | Vera Musser | 1 |
| L R Anderson | 1 | Russell Hdw. Co. | 5 | W R Elliott | 5 | Prof & Mrs Straight | 27 |
| Mississippi | | O R Osman | 2 | T R Treece | 30 | Mrs A McClanahan | 5 |
| J M Harpe | \$5 | Mrs J Mast | 1 | Mrs W Thompson | 2 | Mrs F M Martin | 5 |
| Henry Balsbaugh | 5 | Burt Furciot | 5 | A Meister | 5 | A B C Bakery | 20 |
| E V Yates | 1 | J E Dickerson | 25 | A S Buchanan | 5 | Chatt. Plow Co | 23 |
| W N Walen | 5 | Robt Wynn | 1 | Prof J Thompson | 5 | Dow-Griscom Co | 25 |
| Mrs L Crawford | 5 | Mrs N L Ingram | 15 | Mr and Mrs Webb | 7 | Prof & Mrs Tucker | 26 |
| N L Taylor | 5 | Jessie Ingram | 1 | DB Loveman | 5 | Myrtle V Maxwell | 10 |
| H E Abney | 1.25 | O R Steed | 1 | S E Webb | 2 | Ruby Lea | 25 |
| Percy Stewart | 5 | Ohio | | Mrs Geo Gartley | 10 | Mabel Treece | 5 |
| O L Weaver | 5 | A W Herr | 5 | Miss M Anderson | 16 | Rosa Meister | 5 |
| Mrs O N Edwards | 5 | Pennsylvania | | Prof R L Smith | 5 | Harold Meister | 10 |
| Mrs B W Watson | 5 | B H Broiles | \$5 | L A Lee | 5 | Mrs A W Cornwell | 5 |
| Mr Chastain | 5 | Mrs Anna H Flatt | 5 | Marion Brooke | 5 | Ruth Felker | 5 |
| E D Scales | 5 | Rhode Island | | H E Simkin | 5 | F W Field | 25 |
| C J Buhalts | 12.50 | E F Henry | \$2 | Dr A J Harris | 20 | Georgia Frye | 1 |
| L V Crawford | 10 | South Carolina | | O R Staines | 5 | A Friend | 5 |
| F E McKee | 22.80 | H A Noble | \$10 | W H Sterchi | 5 | Thelma Jones | 1 |
| Cora Belle Kelly | 5 | L M Clarkson | 5 | J H Garrard | 5 | T R Treece | 15 |
| David Bolian | 5 | Fred Meister | 5 | F E Washburn | 5 | A Friend | 2 |
| Fred Kalar | 10 | Mrs W Youngblood | 5 | Florence Crouch | 5 | Mrs F W Field | 3 |
| Dr Collen | 1.10 | S R Haynes | 2.50 | V O Cole | 5 | Mrs L H Wood | 26 |
| H Friberg | 5 | S A Murphy | 5 | Sadie Rogers | 5 | Dr. Hogshead | 25 |
| H D Brooks | 2.50 | John E All | 5 | Mrs Lee Hardin | 3 | Archer Paper Co | 5 |
| J D McEachern | 5.50 | C D Frank & Co. | 5 | Jennie Washam | 5 | Texas | |
| Mary Roland | 5 | Robt Case | 5 | Alsie L Gray | 5 | Mrs A H Wood | \$10 |
| Maude Jones | 26 | L H Veach | 3.50 | Mrs W D Woods | 12 | Roscoe Floyd | 5 |
| W E Cooper | 5 | Mrs L D Putnam | 5 | J L Wheeler | 5 | Virginia | |
| Roger Tinsley | 15 | B D Russell | 5 | Harry O'Neal | 5 | Herbert Wheeler | \$10 |
| Christel Kalar | 11 | South Dakota | | Mrs Eliz. Hamilton | 5 | Washington | |
| Carl Aiken | 10 | B E Crawford | \$16 | T T Wilson Co | 25 | A F Currier | \$10 |
| E L Crawford | 15 | Edger Tucker | 5 | Rogers-Bailey | | Wisconsin | |
| Missouri | | C M Excell | 5 | Hardware Co | 10 | R W Cash | \$1 |
| W E Ketchell | \$10 | Tennessee | | Chatt. Queensware | | M M Schultz | 2.50 |
| Mrs Ketchell | 5 | N L Hill | \$5 | • Company | 10 | Geo. Helton | 2.50 |
| Mrs L Slawson | 5 | Mrs Ella Cramer | 7 | Chatt. Lumber Co | 50 | John Meister | 1 |
| Mrs Stella Bunch | 5 | G H Curtis | 5 | Chatt. Feed Co | 10 | E A Bristol | 1 |
| New Jersey | | S E Wight | 5 | Dan C Wheeler Co | 5 | W Brigham | 3 |
| W H Heckman | \$28 | M E Graves | 5 | James Supply Co | 10 | Wyoming | |
| Miss Shumsky | 2 | | | Ortmeier Mchy Co | 10 | James R Low | \$5.25 |
| | | | | Magill Hdw. Co | 10 | | |
| | | | | Geo. Wolfe | 1 | | |

KENTUCKY

My Trip
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side by the windows. The people paid the best of attention, and there seemed to be some real interest. I left there Wednesday and Brother Christman continued the meetings. Brother Frank Thompson was also present, and so was Brother Brooks, who is assisting Brother Hickman. Brother Thompson came to look after the interests of the lines of work in which he is engaged, and Brother Brooks was there to assist those from the Hartford church who were going canvassing. Sister Jacobs and her daughter and Ora and Georgia Hagerman are all now in the canvassing field, and Brother Christman reports that two young people took their stand during these meetings, which continued until the following Sunday night.

From Hartford I returned to Louisville, but left the following morning for Belcher, where we organized a church of ten members. This is where Brother Brownlie has been holding meetings. While there we held several meetings, with excellent attendance and a good interest; Bro. Brownlie has stayed to continue to follow up the interest manifested. It would appear as if several more might be added to the church before long. The brethren at this place are considering seriously plans for a church building, and they desire a church school.

After leaving Belcher I stopped at Auxier to see Brother Clark and his wife, then went to VanLier to see Sister Crieger, his daughter, who desires to be baptized. Her husband was opposed to her being baptized at that time, but said she could come to campmeeting, and it could be attended to then.

I also stopped at Ashland,

COLPORTEURS' REPORT

SOUTHERN UNION CONFERENCE FOR WEEK ENDING MAY 3

KENTUCKY CONFERENCE

| Name | Book | Hours | Orders | Value | Helps | Total | Deliv'd |
|----------------|------|-------|--------|----------|--------|---------|---------|
| A J Bishop | BF | 5 | 6 | \$ 10.00 | \$5.00 | \$15.00 | \$ |
| R Brooks | BR | 26 | | | | | 293.00 |
| W H Buckles | OD | 30 | 9 | 22.50 | 1.00 | 23.50 | 19.00 |
| *Lee Crutcher | BR | 88 | 68 | 269.00 | | 269.00 | 23.00 |
| H M Gibson | BR | 28 | 50 | 85.00 | 33.20 | 118.20 | 3.20 |
| Ora Hagerman | BR | 28 | 10 | 44.00 | 4.25 | 48.25 | .85 |
| G Hagerman | BR | 30 | 4 | 17.00 | 1.70 | 18.70 | 1.70 |
| R Harp | BR | 9 | 9 | 38.00 | | 38.00 | |
| E Harp | BR | 8 | 5 | 22.00 | | 22.00 | |
| R W Harris | OD | 30 | 41 | 108.00 | | 108.00 | |
| K Harris | OD | 17 | 19 | 56.50 | | 56.50 | |
| F F Harrison | BR | 25 | 15 | 75.00 | .50 | 75.50 | 99.50 |
| R F Hickman | BR | 40 | 1 | 6.00 | | 6.00 | 207.70 |
| Jeff Hickman | BR | 35 | 6 | 28.00 | | 28.00 | 272.00 |
| M L Howard | BR | 49 | 29 | 136.00 | 3.30 | 139.30 | .85 |
| R Y Howard | BR | 37 | 14 | 49.00 | 4.00 | 53.00 | |
| Claud Hughes | BR | 25 | 12 | 50.00 | .75 | 50.75 | 66.75 |
| Mrs F T Jacobs | BR | 25 | 28 | 117.00 | 2.55 | 119.55 | 2.50 |
| F T Jacobs | BR | 34 | 26 | 121.00 | 4.25 | 125.25 | 4.25 |
| Chas Minnis | OD | 35 | 2 | 5.00 | 3.00 | 8.00 | 57.50 |
| Wilber Moore | BR | 21 | 26 | 123.00 | 4.50 | 127.50 | |
| Lee Page | BR | 28 | 25 | 107.00 | 1.25 | 108.25 | 88.75 |
| DC Ray(3wk) | BR | 72 | 28 | 132.00 | .25 | 132.25 | 10.00 |
| *A B Rhodes | OD | 41 | 33 | 62.50 | 11.25 | 73.75 | 38.85 |
| R M Roberts | BR | 20 | 15 | 61.00 | | 61.00 | |
| P Schuster | BR | 21 | 40 | 186.00 | 3.40 | 189.40 | 1.70 |
| *C B Sherer | BR | 73 | 47 | 191.00 | | 191.00 | |
| J Slaughter | BR | 20 | | | | | 35.75 |
| *G H Slaughter | OD | 20 | | | | | 135.00 |
| C Sullivan | BR | 41 | 11 | 50.00 | | 50.00 | |
| I O Wallace | BR | 30 | 10 | 40.00 | | 40.00 | 11.50 |
| W H White | OD | 18 | 18 | 45.00 | 2.70 | 47.70 | .75 |
| E Whittier | BR | 20 | 48 | 200.00 | | 200.00 | |
| G Widger | BR | 28 | 8 | 33.00 | 1.70 | 34.70 | 1.70 |
| John Wilhelm | BR | 9 | 5 | 23.00 | .75 | 23.75 | .75 |
| (*2wk) Total | | 1066 | 638 | 2512.50 | 89.30 | 2601.80 | 1376.55 |

MISSISSIPPI CONFERENCE

| | | | | | | | |
|---------------|----|-----|-----|---------|-------|---------|--------|
| Ruby Hamm | BR | 22 | 30 | 144.00 | 7.30 | 151.30 | |
| H Balsbaugh | GC | 42 | 19 | 87.00 | 10.00 | 97.00 | |
| Mrs I Harrell | GC | 12 | 2 | 8.00 | 4.00 | 12.00 | 57.00 |
| E Chastine | DR | 16 | 11 | 50.00 | 2.30 | 52.30 | |
| A A Johnson | OD | 24 | | | 2.65 | 2.65 | 25.00 |
| West Brown | BR | 38 | 25 | 105.00 | | 105.00 | 26.00 |
| H D Brooks | BR | 31 | 15 | 62.00 | .50 | 62.50 | 12.00 |
| James Miller | BR | 10 | 14 | 66.00 | 1.25 | 67.25 | |
| A J Thiele | | 8 | | 30.15 | | 30.15 | |
| J L Waller | DR | 50 | 46 | 196.00 | .50 | 196.50 | |
| M J Patrick | DR | 55 | 37 | 151.00 | 2.30 | 153.30 | 5.00 |
| S J Thigpen | BR | 23 | 25 | 116.50 | .60 | 117.10 | |
| E Billups | BR | 48 | 36 | 173.00 | | 173.00 | |
| C R Cannada | DR | 35 | 30 | 140.00 | 10.00 | 150.10 | 10.00 |
| J T Cowart | DR | 18 | 43 | 201.00 | | 201.00 | |
| Bibles | | | | | | 36.50 | |
| Total | | 414 | 290 | 1499.50 | 71.65 | 1607.65 | 135.00 |

TENNESSEE RIVER CONFERENCE

| | | | | | | | |
|--------------------|----|-----|-----|---------|--------|---------|--------|
| John Williams | DR | 40 | 12 | 55.00 | | 55.00 | |
| Roy Story | DR | 40 | 14 | 58.00 | 6.95 | 64.99 | 2.50 |
| L B Getter | DR | 43 | 47 | 31.00 | 25.00 | 56.00 | 25.00 |
| Henry Cheshier | DR | 38 | 17 | 74.00 | | 74.00 | |
| Mrs Cheshier | DR | 17 | 7 | 35.00 | | 35.00 | |
| H T Forsythe | GC | 41 | 22 | 88.00 | 27.45 | 115.45 | .25 |
| R J Hyatt BF&Misc. | | 36 | 2 | 3.00 | | 3.00 | 16.25 |
| Paul Zalabak | DR | 4 | 2 | 8.00 | | 8.00 | 4.00 |
| Mark Zalabak | BR | 7 | 1 | 4.00 | 2.55 | 6.55 | 2.55 |
| H G Miller | OD | 45 | 18 | 51.00 | 8.70 | 59.70 | 7.00 |
| B Paul Keele | DR | 55 | 8 | 34.00 | 9.85 | 43.35 | 9.85 |
| Wm J Keele | DR | 38 | 13 | 60.00 | 37.70 | 95.70 | 15.05 |
| Mollie Hurdle | BR | 40 | 16 | 69.00 | 6.00 | 75.00 | 26.00 |
| Louis Rayford | DR | 48 | 51 | 242.00 | | 242.00 | |
| *F L Lambert | BR | 79 | 17 | 77.00 | 51.00 | 128.00 | 5.95 |
| *M Wheeler | GC | 65 | 40 | 201.90 | 7.00 | 208.00 | 4.45 |
| Susie McGee | | 51 | | 21.65 | | 21.65 | 18.00 |
| V O Cole | DR | 51 | 25 | 115.00 | 5.65 | 120.65 | 5.65 |
| W D Wade | GC | 50 | 21 | 90.00 | 10.60 | 100.60 | 2.10 |
| F L Harrison | BR | 50 | 33 | 147.00 | 11.70 | 158.70 | 1.70 |
| Bibles | | | | 34.15 | | 34.15 | 5.55 |
| *-2wk Total | | 838 | 326 | 1497.80 | 207.65 | 1705.45 | 151.85 |

ALABAMA CONFERENCE

| | | | | | | | |
|----------------|----|-----|-----|---------|-------|---------|--------|
| Frank Banks | GC | 27 | 30 | 131.00 | 5.20 | 136.20 | |
| R D Capps | BR | 30 | 30 | 135.00 | 2.05 | 137.05 | 16.00 |
| R J Cook | GC | 46 | 39 | 156.25 | | 156.25 | 16.00 |
| H L Edwards | BR | 34 | 13 | 52.00 | 2.30 | 54.30 | |
| J E Foley | BR | 40 | 14 | 58.00 | 13.10 | 71.10 | |
| John Gardiner | BR | 1 | 1 | 6.00 | | 6.00 | |
| A C Hughes | OD | 23 | 18 | 46.00 | 2.30 | 48.30 | |
| H W Jones | GC | 44 | 20 | 88.00 | 1.00 | 89.00 | |
| E McCoy | GC | 46 | 20 | 98.00 | 2.45 | 100.45 | |
| Effie McCoy | GC | 22 | 9 | 42.00 | 2.50 | 44.50 | |
| G W Powers | GC | 43 | 42 | 200.00 | 15.25 | 215.25 | |
| F J Rowland | BR | 18 | 23 | 121.00 | | 121.00 | |
| R Smith & wife | BR | 30 | 24 | 99.00 | 1.85 | 100.85 | 5.00 |
| N H Waters | BR | 14 | 15 | 68.00 | | 68.00 | 10.00 |
| W C Wales | OD | 16 | 18 | 45.00 | | 45.00 | 50.50 |
| Beulah Wells | OD | 7 | 1 | 2.50 | 5.00 | 7.50 | 2.50 |
| Bibles | | | | 31.00 | | 31.00 | 5.85 |
| Total | | 446 | 317 | 1378.75 | 53.00 | 1431.75 | 105.85 |

LOUISIANA CONFERENCE

| | | | | | | | |
|-----------------|----|-----|-----|---------|-------|---------|--------|
| R R Coble | BR | 73 | 58 | 258.00 | | 258.00 | 266.00 |
| A Sawyer | BR | 34 | 40 | 236.00 | | 236.00 | |
| Lizzie Sawyer | BR | 33 | 36 | 206.00 | 3.70 | 209.70 | 3.70 |
| L B Spear | BR | 34 | 28 | 130.00 | 9.75 | 139.75 | 4.25 |
| J B Hardy | BR | 23 | 20 | 95.00 | 6.50 | 101.50 | 6.50 |
| *H Moomaugh | BR | 48 | 24 | 103.00 | | 103.00 | 547.00 |
| *E L Hunt | BR | 40 | 25 | 110.00 | | 110.00 | |
| W D Bush | BR | 31 | 22 | 96.00 | | 96.00 | |
| Wm Watson | BR | 20 | 19 | 87.00 | | 87.00 | .50 |
| Rachel Harris | OD | 27 | 25 | 81.50 | | 81.50 | |
| Jaunita Britton | OD | 15 | 21 | 59.50 | 17.00 | 76.50 | |
| H W Sellars | BR | 24 | 12 | 48.00 | .75 | 48.75 | 35.75 |
| *B Wiggam | DR | 59 | 10 | 42.00 | 1.00 | 43.00 | 10.25 |
| Bibles | | | | 93.45 | | 93.45 | 4.15 |
| (*-2wk) Total | | 466 | 340 | 1645.45 | 38.70 | 1684.15 | 878.10 |

Grand Total 3280 1191 8534.00 3620.30 9080.80 2647.35

where I visited Brother Roberts' home, who has recently started in the colporteur work. I spent a short time with Brother Ratliff, who is studying the canvass, and gave me the money for a prospectus for "Bible Readings." He, too, plans to enter the colporteur work shortly.

As there were a number of things concerning campmeeting that needed settlement, I returned from Ashland without stopping at any other place on the way. Campmeeting time will soon be here. I earnestly desire that all will unite in praying that God will pour out His Spirit upon this meeting in a marked manner. Do not fail to plan now to attend this meeting.

The day I left Belcher, Brother Thompson arrived to plan with them regarding their church school. He also expected to stop at East Point, as last year these people desired a school, and from there he went to Davisville. Brother Thompson is endeavoring to get our school problem settled as soon as possible. We must know soon what churches desire schools, and also what teachers we are going to send to the summer school, which starts in June.

R. I. KEATE.

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"It is never harmful to eat between meals when you are eating spiritual food."

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Summer School

It is most interesting and encouraging to note the hearty reception that the plans as made for this year's summer schools are receiving throughout the field, both on part of conference officers who are responsible for the church school teachers' expenses and on the part of these teachers for whom the summer school is primarily conducted. There is also a good interest among students who plan on taking advantage of the full eight weeks' session, either to make up back work or to get advanced credit in the regular course of study.

As an indication of just how interested the Southern Union Conference presidents are in the church school work as a whole and in the summer school plans, I quote the following from a letter recently received from Elder Keate, president of the Kentucky Conference:

"I was real glad to learn the plans for the summer school, as I am deeply interested in our school work, and have been try-

ing hard to see, to it that we put out a sufficient corps of efficient teachers for our work here in Kentucky. I am real anxious for all our teachers and prospective teachers to attend the summer school, and we will do our best to see that they get there."

Elder Sanders of Louisiana writes the following:

"We have been pleased to look over the report of the two Unions regarding the summer school. I am sure that you spent much time over the situation, and I have nothing to add, as it perhaps would not add anything to what has been done. I am in perfect accord with all you did. I cannot see how the expenses could be any lower. We must plan so as not to ask the school to place the figures at such a low point that they will lose. It seems to me that the conferences ought to be willing to spend that much on their teachers to insure better schools. The better teachers we have, the better it is for the work all around. We are looking for good schools in our conference this coming year."

I could quote similar statements from other conference officers, but these two will suffice to show with what interest all plans are received by those who are really interested in the education of our youth. If this interest could be shared by all school patrons, officers and parents, our school work would very soon reach a higher standard.

All indications point toward good summer schools at both Ooltewah and Oakwood.

Let each this year's prospective church school teachers correspond with his conference president first and then plan on attending the summer school, determined to make the most of the opportunities there offered.

JOHN C. THOMPSON.

Southern Junior College

Notes

Mr. Hugh Moomaugh, one of our former students, spent a few days at the College. He told us at Y. P. M. V. meeting of some of his experiences in the colporteur work in Louisiana.

Bro. B. C. Marshall, Secretary-Treasurer of the Alabama Conference, spent Wednesday at the School. While here he met with the students who are planning to enter the colporteur work in the Alabama Conference this summer.

Mr. W. E. Bailey, who is connected with the Talge Mahogany Co. of Knoxville, spent a few days here this week.

Bro. A. B. Russell spent a few days with us in the interest of the work.

Mr. Clark Wilson was here this week visiting his sister, Mrs. J. A. Tucker.

We were glad to welcome Miss Ruth Bowen back after a short visit to her home. She was accompanied by her brother, Mr. Corliss Bowen.

Miss Ethel Field returned home last week from Lenoir City, where she taught the church school this past winter.

Students report that their project gardens are breaking the speed record in growing since the nice rain we had a few days ago. They are all very enthusiastic over the prospect.

Mrs. A. F. Colver and Miss Dollie Thraikill visited friends here over the Sabbath. This is the first visit from Mrs. Colver since we were in the midst of the influenza epidemic, when she so faithfully helped to care for those who were ill.

Miss Ruth Johnston is visiting her brother, Professor Johnston. She has been engaged in church school work in Asheville this year.

Mr. Randall, of Birmingham, visited his daughter, Lucille, at the College one day last week.