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SOMETHING YOU DIDN'T KNOW

By R. H. WENTLAND, Home Missionary Secretary, Southern Union

DID YOU know that the Alabama-Mississippi Conference has 1,238 Seventh-day Adventist homes? This is 495 more than twenty years ago. Did you know that there are now 788 Adventist homes in the Alabama-Mississippi Conference that are not receiving the *Review and Herald*? The conference made a gain of 495 homes in twenty years, but gained only 150 in *Review* circulation.

What do you know about the Carolina Conference? They have 1,488 Adventist homes, and 424 of them are getting the *Review and Herald*. One thousand sixty-four homes in Carolina are not getting the *Review*. They gained 870 Adventist homes in twenty years, but gained only 209 *Review and Herald* subscriptions during that time.

Now take a look at Georgia-Cumberland. It has 2,190 Adventist homes, and 1,487 are not getting the *Review and Herald*. They made a gain of 928 Adventist homes, but gained only 170 *Review and Herald* subscriptions in twenty years.

How about the Florida Conference? They have 2,603 Adventist homes, and 1,686 of them are without the *Review and Herald*. They made a gain of 1,084 Adventist homes, but gained only 261 new *Review and Herald* subscriptions in twenty years.

Is the picture any better in the Kentucky-Tennessee Conference? Let us look it over. They have 2,036 Adventist homes, and 1,453 of them are without the *Review and Herald*. In twenty years they gained 773 Adventist homes, but gained only 88 new *Review and Herald* subscriptions during that time.

Since the South Atlantic and South Central Conferences have not been in existence very long, we cannot make a twenty-year comparison, but let us see what they have as it is. We will take South Atlantic first. They have 2,350 Adventist homes, and 2,247 are without the *Review and Herald*. Only 103 *Review and Herald* subscriptions are coming into that entire conference.

How about the South Central Conference? They have 1,379 Adventist homes, and 1,323 of them are without the good old *Review*. Only 56 *Reviews* are coming to the South Central Conference. This is just a little more than one *Review* for every church of the conference.

Friends, is this a good picture? Shall we allow this to continue? Just think of the 10,048 homes in the Southern Union Conference that are not getting the Seventh-day Adventist church paper. How can they keep up with the actions and movements of the remnant church?



Is the *Review* coming to your home? If not, you are losing a great blessing, and you should subscribe at once.

Here is a special offer. Take advantage of it immediately. The General Conference session will be held in July of 1950 in San Francisco. During the time of the session a *Review and Herald* will be published every day. All the proceedings and sermons will be telephoned to Washington, D. C. For example, the evening sermon that was preached on a given day will be printed in the *Review* the next morning and will be in the mail starting for your home by three o'clock in the afternoon. You will get 260 extra pages of thrilling mission stories and sermons, all at no extra cost. Just subscribe to the good old *Review and Herald* immediately.

It will cost you the small amount of \$3.75, and just think of what you will get for one whole year! Friend, your home must be blessed by the weekly visits of the *Review*, so make arrangements NOW to order the *Review and Herald* from your church missionary secretary. If you are isolated, order it directly from your Book and Bible House. But don't put it off; do it now. Can you be a good Adventist without reading the *Review*?

The figures used in this revealing article are based on the February reports, thus enabling us to present the picture of the circulation at the close of the last annual *Review* campaign.

"The more earnestly and steadfastly we ask, the closer will be our spiritual union with Christ."

The Greatest Criminal Producer

By ELLEN G. WHITE

HOUSES of prostitution, dens of vice, criminal courts, prisons, almshouses, insane asylums, hospitals, all are, to a great degree, filled as a result of the liquor-seller's work. Like the mystic Babylon of the Apocalypse, he is dealing in "slaves and souls of men." Behind the liquor-seller stands the mighty destroyer of souls, and every art which earth or hell can devise is employed to draw human beings under his power. In the city and in the country, on the railway trains, on the great steamers, in places of business, in the halls of pleasure, in the medical dispensary, even in the church, on the sacred communion table, his traps are set. Nothing is left undone to create and to foster the desire for intoxicants. On almost every corner stands the public house, with its brilliant lights, its welcome and good cheer, inviting the working man, the wealthy idler, and the unsuspecting youth.

In private lunch-rooms and fashionable resorts, ladies are supplied with popular drinks, under some pleasing name, that are really intoxicants. For the sick and the exhausted, there

are the widely advertised "bitters," consisting largely of alcohol.

To create the liquor appetite in little children, alcohol is introduced into confectionery. Such confectionery is sold in the shops. And by the gift of these candies the liquor-seller entices children into his resorts.

Day by day, month by month, year by year, the work goes on. Fathers and husbands and brothers, the stay and hope and pride of the nation, are steadily passing into the liquor-dealer's haunts, to be sent back wrecked and ruined.

More terrible still, the curse is striking the very heart of the home. More and more, women are forming the liquor habit. In many a household, little children, even in the innocence and helplessness of babyhood, are in daily peril through the neglect, the abuse, the vileness of drunken mothers. Sons and daughters are growing up under the shadow of this terrible evil. What outlook for their future but that they will sink even lower than their parents? — *Ministry of Healing*, pages 338, 339.

The Night Soon Cometh

By B. E. WAGNER

THE work of God in this earth will be finished speedily. Probation's hours are fast closing, and our time for labor is very short. God is calling many who are now engaged in worldly pursuits to give the last warning message by the printed page.

Listen to the voice of God! "The people of God should awake. Their opportunities to spread the truth should be improved, for they will not last long. I was shown distress and perplexity and famine in the land. Satan is now seeking to hold God's people in a state of inactivity, to keep them from acting their part in spreading the truth, that they may at last be weighed in the balance and found wanting." — *Testimonies*, Volume I, page 260.

If God is calling, shall we continue to give our time and strength to worldly enterprises and "at last be weighed in the balance and found wanting?" Shall we not without delay improve our opportunities, by devoting our time and talents to help honest souls prepare to meet Jesus? You cannot make this decision too soon, because you do not know how soon it will be too late.

"The things of this world are soon to perish. This is not discerned by those who have not been divinely enlightened, who have not kept pace with the work of God. Consecrated men and women must go forth to sound the warning in the highways and the byways. . . Go out into the highways and hedges, and compel

CHURCH CALENDAR

November 26—Church Expense or Budget

December 3—Home Missionary Day, Home Missionary-Evangelism Offering

December 10—Temperance Offering

them to come in, that My house may be filled,' Christ says. Do not these words plainly outline the work of the canvasser? . . .

"Oh, that thousands more of our people had a realization of the time in which we are living, and of the work to be done in field service, in house-to-house labor. . ." — *Colporteur Evangelist*, page 32.

For those who desire to become better prepared to do this work, an institute for missionary colporteurs will soon be conducted in your conference. If you feel impressed to engage in this soul-saving work, write your publishing secretary today, and information will be given as to how you may attend the institute without cost.

"SCRAPBOOK STORIES"

Stories from Ellen G. White's Scrapbook, another new book for boys and girls, has just come from the press. These highly interesting, character-building stories were originally pasted into old-fashioned scrapbooks by Ellen G. White, but they are stories that will interest and help boys and girls today.

Arthur W. Spalding's opening chapter of the book tells of the days when Mrs. White was young, and of her deep interest in helping to provide good reading matter for the youth.

Mrs. White traveled considerably with her husband, and was often away from her boys. When she returned from a tiring trip, she found relaxation in her home with books and papers. Many times she would get down on the floor with her paste pot, scissors, and clippings from accumulated papers, and add to her scrapbook collection.

She knew that her own boys would enjoy and profit by the stories that she gathered from many sources, and so she saved them for her lads and others to read. Mrs. White knew that good stories help to form good characters. That was true then, and it is

just as true now. Good stories inspire their readers to better living.

Mothers and fathers will do well to obtain copies of the new book "Scrapbook Stories." The holiday price is \$1.35. It may be ordered from your Book and Bible House. ERNEST LLOYD

My Two Best Years of Training

The two years that it was my privilege to labor in the colporteur ministry were the two best training years of my life. A college course is wonderful, for we all need theory, and the things we learn there can later be put into practice. The experience I had associating with fellow students in college I shall never forget, but we need experience dealing with all kinds of people.

Where can this experience be gained better than in the colporteur work? Out there from day to day, meeting high and low, rich and poor, getting decisions by the score every week, conscious of being in the great work of God, fully depending upon His guidance in planting the gospel

seed in the home, one learns to pray and how best to tactfully bring a soul to Christ. In many ways, getting people to decide to buy a book is like getting people to decide for eternity. A successful colporteur will invariably make a good personal worker.

You young men who graduate from the ministerial training course, and there does not seem to be a place for you right away, by all means accept the grand opportunity and get right out there, be faithful in putting in a good forty hours each week, and you cannot help but succeed. You will be earning more than an ordained minister and you will be definitely in the Lord's work. This has been my experience. You will be getting the

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SUBJECTS FOR NEXT TWO WEEKS

November 27—"The Word of God at Work"

December 4—"Seven Men of Faith"

Invite your friends and neighbors to listen to the Voice of Prophecy.

Station Added

Panama City, Florida, Station WPFC, 1400 on the dial, 9:30 A.M., Eastern Time, Sundays.

Time Change

Newport, Kentucky, Station WNOP, 740 on the dial, now 4:00 P.M., Eastern Time, Sundays.

very experience you need, and if you are faithful the conference committees will have their eyes on you.

There are many who say they just can't make a living in the colporteur work; but if you will check on those who have tried and failed you will in most cases find that they did not put in as much time as they would if they were in business or working for someone else.

Men and women from all walks of life should take up the colporteur work. We are living in thrilling times. Jesus is coming soon. People need to be prepared. Prepare yourself by preparing others. Colporteur work is thrilling work. New people, new faces come to every door. Hearts are reaching out for truth. Let's all get into God's work, and hasten to complete our task, so that we can go home.

DWIGHT P. HERBERT
Pastor Winter Park, Florida, Church and Associate Chaplain, Florida Sanitarium

"There are many, who, because of prejudice, will never know the truth unless it is brought to their homes. The canvasser may find these souls and minister to them. There is a line of work in house-to-house labor which he can accomplish more successfully than others." —C. E., page 6.

ANNUAL COLPORTEUR CONVENTIONS

South Atlantic	Orlando	December 15-21
Georgia-Cumberland	Atlanta	December 27-January 2
Kentucky-Tennessee	Nashville	December 29-January 8
Alabama-Mississippi	Pensacola	January 8-15
South Central		January 22-29
Carolina	Myrtle Beach	January 29-February 5

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AN "UPPER ROOM" MEETING

"This has given me a new vision."

"This has been a great inspiration to me."

"The Holy Spirit has been poured out."

"These heartfelt testimonies gave evidence that something unusual occurred at the lay preachers' convention held in Birmingham, Alabama, November 4 to 6. Other such meetings have been held, but none have brought such sustained inspiration and lasting determination to continue the simple program begun on Sabbath afternoon.

As in Messianic times, workers and lay evangelists went out visiting neighborhood homes in a thrilling "operations doorbell." In the words of Elder L. E. Esteb, home missionary secretary of the Atlantic Union Conference: "We put our theology in our boots and took our religion outdoors." Tabulated results of the thirty-eight teams that caught the inspiration brought to us by Elder L. E. Esteb, and his poet brother, A. A. Esteb, home missionary secretary of the Pacific Union Conference, gives evidence that something happened in the experience of those who attended this conclave. In the space of one hour 189 homes were visited; 294 pieces of literature were distributed; prayer was offered in 122 homes; and fifty-eight enrollments for the Twentieth Century Bible Correspondence School were obtained.

It was exciting to hear the recital of experiences given when the doorbell-ringers returned. Even the most timid caught such an inspiration that they stood and boldly related their experiences of the afternoon. One person said: "This is what I have been waiting for all these years. Truly, I feel God has been here. This has been a wonderful help to me. With His help I am determined to do more than ever before."

Inspired men and women *must* bear fruit. Spirit-filled men and women *will* bear fruit. As proof of their purpose, twenty-three lay evangelists pledged themselves to win ninety-six persons to Christ in 1950. Ministers

Thanksgiving Consecration and Offering

The Sabbath schools of the Alabama-Mississippi Conference are especially thankful for the blessings and guidance of God this year. On Sabbath, November 26, a thanks and consecration service will be held in each Sabbath school and a special thank offering will be taken. We believe that this will be a high day in each Sabbath school as the members recount their manifold blessings. May God richly bless each member as he takes part in this important service.

L. D. PRATT

present set a total goal of 488 baptisms.

A new day has come to the Alabama-Mississippi Conference because of the "upper room" experience at Birmingham. The leavening influence of the Holy Spirit felt there will fan into a brilliant flame the smoldering embers of the message that has been in hearts stifled by passive resistance and spiritual indifference. Six million souls in the conference await this throwing-off of the Laodicean apathy.

The challenge is ours. The fields are ready for harvest. But where, O where, are the reapers? A. A. Esteb gives us this gem:

"The final scenes on the stage are set. The time and the task and the men are met.

The world at its worst is the church at its best—

We are called for this hour. Will we stand the test?"

M. E. MOORE

ALABAMA DORCAS FEDERATION MEETS

The Alabama Dorcas federation met in Clanton, Alabama, Sunday, November 13. There were eighty Dorcas workers in attendance. This is reported to be the best federation meeting ever held in Alabama.

The president, Sister Nixon, began the meeting with a few Dorcas songs, after which reports were rendered from the various societies which were most encouraging. The afternoon session brought courage and inspiration to all. After a short message all the



Alabama-Mississippi Lay Preachers' Convention

SYSTEMATIC BENEVOLENCE

Liberality in Sustaining the Cause. "Those churches who are the most systematic and liberal in sustaining the cause of God, are the most prosperous spiritually. True liberality in the follower of Christ identifies his interest with that of his Master. In God's dealing with the Jews and His people to the end of time, He requires systematic benevolence proportionate to their income." — *Testimonies*, Volume III, page 405.

Systematic Benevolence. "If the plan of systematic benevolence were adopted by every individual, and fully carried out, there would be a constant supply in the treasury. The income would flow in like a steady stream constantly supplied by overflowing springs of benevolence." — *Testimonies*, Volume III, pages 389, 390.

"The spiritual health and prosperity of the church is dependent in a great degree upon her systematic benevolence. It is like the life-blood which must flow through the whole being, vitalizing every member of the body." — *Testimonies*, Volume III, page 405.

Dorcas workers present promised God that they would take time to do Dorcas work each day. The great house-to-house visitation that is sweeping the conference is also gripping the hearts and lives of the Dorcas workers. There is a great day ahead for them, and they are accepting the challenge.

The nominating committee met and presented to the federation the following report for the ensuing two years. President, Mrs. K. M. Kennedy; vice-president, Mrs. H. B. McWilliams; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. G. W. Sharp. We wish God's richest blessings upon these newly elected officers as they go forward in faith.

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PISGAH INSTITUTE
WEEK OF PRAYER

A number of years ago a young boy left his home and entered Pisgah Institute to attend the academy. As the years passed he finished at Pisgah, was graduated from college, and entered denominational work. He is now the Missionary Volunteer secretary of the Carolina Conference, Elder F. W. Foster. On October 30, 1949, he again entered Pisgah Institute, this time to conduct the fall Week of Prayer. And what a Week of Prayer! The presence of the Holy Spirit was most surely felt. Elder Foster does understand young people, and we know that angels were at his side as he met with and spoke to the students. He spent tireless hours in counsel with the young people, and each of his evening meetings was an inspiration to all.

"I'll be there—will you?
Carolina Youth Congress.

How happy and overjoyed we were on Thursday evening when practically every one of the students took a definite stand to follow Jesus. Elder Lauda was with us on Friday evening and he, too, gave us a wonderful message. Again on Sabbath morning Elder Foster made a call, and our eyes filled with tears as we saw those for whom we had been praying at last stand to their feet, promising to follow their Master all the way.

Elder Foster brought many "Share-Your-Faith" experiences to us at the Missionary Volunteer meeting on Sabbath afternoon. But all good things must end, and our Week of Prayer ended with the close of the M. V. meeting. Elder and Mrs. Foster left behind many happy hearts, and the spirit is still here as we sing the thrilling songs which were led by Elder Foster as Mrs. Foster played the piano. As we go about our daily tasks our motto is "What would Jesus do?"

You'll be sorry—if you miss it.

Friday Night, December 9, 7:30 through Saturday Night, 9:00

CAROLINA'S
YOUTH * * *
* * * CONGRESS

- ★ Youth Leaders Nelson, Lauda, Wittschiede, Foster
- ★ Captain Joe Bielicki, of United Air Lines
- ★ "Operation Doorbell"—Invasion of Asheville

- ★ Trumpet Fanfare
- ★ Hammond Organ
- ★ Brass Quartet
- ★ Marilyn Dillow
- ★ Male Quartet
- ★ Old Songs, New Songs, Fast Songs, Slow Songs, but No Dull Songs

David Millard High School

Oak and College Streets
ASHEVILLE, NORTH CAROLINA

By train—by bus—by car—by foot—
they're coming.

We who are new members of the faculty at Pisgah are quickly getting the vision that Professor and Mrs. Waller have maintained during their thirty-five years of service here with young people. Oh, for just one young person to graduate and come back to conduct a Week of Prayer such as we have just had! This indeed makes the years of sacrifice worth while. We are sure that the hearts of many parents in this conference and near-by conferences were made joyful as their boys and girls were brought closer to the Lord.

MRS. MARY BEANS
M. V. Leader
Pisgah Institute

Fill up your car.

Florida

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INGATHERING OBJECTIVES

The plan for carrying on and helping to finish the work by the Ingathering method is a heaven-born idea. As we launch into another campaign, we need to be reminded of the objectives of this important work. God has greatly blessed us in the past. Last year approximately 100,900 Ingathering magazines and 93,000 singing band leaflets were used. The Ingathering work brought \$92,890.09 into the treasury to help carry the gospel to the world in 1949. Let us pray that as long as this door of opportunity is open we shall be faithful in doing our part.

The Ingathering is part of God's plan for the church, for the following reasons: First, it should call the church to a renewed consecration for service. There should be a spiritual preparation. When David turned over to Solomon the responsibility of building the great temple, it was necessary for the people to make this possible by sacrifice. "And who then is willing to consecrate his service this day unto the Lord?" 1 Chronicles 29:5. "There

is no limit to the usefulness of one who, by putting self aside, makes room for the working of the Holy Spirit upon his heart, and lives a life wholly consecrated to God."—*Desire of Ages*, pages 250, 251.

"To all who are about to take up special missionary work with the paper prepared for use in the Harvest Ingathering campaign, I would say: Be diligent in your efforts; live under the guidance of the Holy Spirit. Add daily to your Christian experience."—*Christian Service*, page 169.

Second, it should call the church to prayer.

"Let us also pray earnestly in behalf of those whom we expect to visit, by living faith bringing them, one by one, into the presence of God."—*Counsels on Stewardship*, page 189.

Third, it is a marvelous plan to reach the people with our message. Think of the millions of Ingathering papers and other tracts given out which explain our work and belief. Those engaged in Ingathering should be on the watch for interested souls.

"One of the new plans for reaching unbelievers is the Harvest Ingathering campaign for missions."—*Christian Service*, page 167.

"Search diligently for perishing souls. . . . Watch for souls as they that must give an account."—*Id.*, page 169.

Fourth, the Ingathering work brings a flow of money into the treasury to help meet the needs of our expanding work. Money is not the most important element in God's work, yet it is needed to maintain the work already established and to advance into new territory.

"As those not of our faith have been made acquainted with the progress of the third angel's message in heathen lands, their sympathies have been aroused, and some have sought to learn more of the truth that has such power to transform hearts and lives."—*Id.*, page 167.

This is the hour for us to rally to the work and enlist every member in the coming campaign.

"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*, Volume VII, page 30.

Let every member in the Florida Conference rally under the blood-stained banner of Christ and determine to do his best for Him during this Ingathering campaign.

R. H. NIGHTINGALE

HELP FOR YOU

Are You Puzzled?

If you are, then you will be interested in two brand-new jig-saw puzzles that have just come from the publishers. Puzzle No. 1 is entitled "The Master Pilot" and puzzle No. 2 is "Home in the New Earth." When assembled, these are two beautiful pictures. If you are in need of something for your young people for Sabbath afternoon activity, you will want these. They sell for only 60 cents each.

"Scrapbook Stories"

When Mrs. E. G. White was a young mother, she found it difficult to secure suitable stories for her children. In an effort to make up this deficiency, she clipped from papers stories which she thought would be suitable, character-building as well as interesting, and made scrapbooks for her children. Many of the stories have been preserved down through the years.

Elder Ernest Lloyd, who was for many years editor of *Our Little Friend*, felt that these stories of such unusual value were worth reproducing for the boys and girls of today. He obtained permission from Elder W. C. White, the youngest son of Mrs. White, to use these stories. Elder Lloyd selected a group of them which are published in this new book entitled "Scrapbook Stories."

The book is illustrated, bound in an attractive cloth cover, printed in colors. Holiday price, \$1.35.

First Call for General Conference

There are many homes in which the *Review and Herald* is not found. The old *Review* should be in the home of every Seventh-day Adventist. We have many periodicals; some come twice a month, some once a month,

and even some that come only once a quarter; but the *Review* comes once every week, fifty-two weeks in the year, bringing into every home current and up-to-date information and inspiration that we all require.

The next General Conference session will be held July 10 to 22, 1950. Our publishers will provide special issues of the *Review* covering every meeting of this session. The cost of these papers will be one dollar. If you want to save this dollar, you may do so by ordering the *Review* now at the regular price of \$3.75. Order from your Florida Book and Bible House, Box 1313, Orlando, Florida. H. W. BRICKER

NEWS

★ Word comes to us from Robert Hamm of good progress in Dade City, Florida. The spirit in the church is fine, and plans are under way for a new church building soon, in fact, the building permit has already been granted. The city council said they knew of no one they would rather have than Seventh-day Adventists to grow and build in their city. Recently Elder S. Will held a Sabbath school rally in Dade City with about sixty-five present, who showed a real interest in the promotion of the Sabbath school. Brother Hamm also writes, "We are laying plans for a quick Ingathering campaign here this year."

★ A new Missionary Volunteer Society was organized in St. Cloud, Sabbath afternoon, November 12. A nice group was present, and plans were made for missionary activities. Chujiro Iwata has been appointed temporary leader.

★ Our young people in Jacksonville are now enjoying a new school building. This addition also serves as an accommodation for Sabbath school classes and will prove helpful in many ways.

★ Elder H. S. Prenier is now living in Plant City and hopes to launch the Ingathering campaign there soon.

★ Elder George Carter has recently united with our workers in the Florida Conference, assuming the responsibility of the St. Cloud district.

★ Ingathering has already begun in many of our churches. A good enthusiasm is shown, and we believe the Lord will bless those who go forth and labor faithfully.

★ Elder Warren B. Findley has come

to our conference and is now located in the Sarasota district.

★ Our church in Okeechobee has put on a new appearance. This good work has largely been accomplished through the efforts of Floyd Buckmiller. The church building has been completely redecorated, venetian blinds have been hung, a new heating system has been installed, new pews have been added, and a new piano. Consequently, a new interest is shown in church attendance, and some who have not been present for years are now meeting with our people once again on the Sabbath day.

★ A good attendance is maintained at our meetings in Lakeland under the leadership of Elder J. R. Spangler.

★ The campaign for the *Reflector* at Forest Lake Academy closed with 250 subscriptions over the goal. This is the highest subscription list in the history of the school, and it was all accomplished within the allotted time.

★ The "Teachers of Tomorrow" Club has been organized at Forest Lake Academy. A meeting was held at the home of Dr. Brown at the sanitarium, Sunday evening, November 13. About twenty members were present, and good enthusiasm was shown to advance the activities and training of the students. Professor H. M. Lodge is the sponsor of this progressive club.

★ Elder Charles E. Wittschiebe is spending the week of November 13 to 19 at Forest Lake Academy in the interest of the Week of Prayer. Two services are held each day, and almost every student is a member of a prayer band.

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NEWS AND VIEWS OF CONFERENCE WORKERS' MEETING

A Georgia-Cumberland conference workers' meeting was held at the Atlanta Beverly Road church on November 4. Special visitors present for the occasion were: Elder J. E. Edwards, Associate Home Missionary Secretary of the General Conference; Elder R. J. Christian, periodical department manager of the *Review* and Herald Publishing Association; Elder A. A. Esteb, home missionary secre-

WHY READ THE REVIEW?

- Someone has said,
- "It is the spokesman for the denomination.
 - It presents a fresh, up-to-date message every week.
 - It is a harbinger of glad tidings.
 - It is a preacher of the first order whose sermons fade not away.
 - It tells of the progress of the work in all the world.
 - It keeps us in touch with the needs of the cause everywhere.
 - It is the mouthpiece of all the departments of our work.
 - It presents the plans and methods which are to make our work more effective.
 - It is an anchor to the soul and a strengthener of our faith.
 - It contains a sure cure for apostasy."

—Selected

tary of the Pacific Union Conference; Elder L. E. Esteb, home missionary and Sabbath school secretary of the Atlantic Union Conference; and Elders R. H. Wentland and B. E. Wagner of the Southern Union Conference. Elder G. R. Nash, the local conference president, was the presiding chairman.

The opening devotional service was conducted by Elder Edwards, who brought to us Christian greetings from fellow believers in the Northern European field. "God is with us" was the encouraging theme of his message.

A report on evangelism occupied the 9:30 to 10:30 A.M. hour. Field reports were rendered by the workers, and intensified evangelistic plans were suggested for 1950. Large-scale evangelistic meetings are scheduled for Savannah and Macon, Georgia, and Lenoir City, Tennessee, during the coming year.

Elder V. W. Esquilla, conference home missionary secretary, presented the committee-approved Ingathering plans, in which it was voted to urge our members to do Ingathering before the Christmas season. "To Vic-

tory or More by February 4," is the adopted slogan.

Because of our expanding world work, funds for missions are needed now more than ever before. Elder Edwards told us that fifty-four lands have not yet been entered, and that in South America there are two million Indians who have never heard the name of Christ. From New Guinea calls have come for one thousand teachers. Never has the church been confronted with such a challenge.

The *Review and Herald* campaign, presented by Elder Christian, stressed the importance of individual subscriptions to the denomination's "good old *Review*." "The *Review*," he said, "is the tie between the past and present history of Seventh-day Adventists and the forerunner of things to be."

The temperance department came in for good recognition. Elder Scriven tangibly presented the subtle influences at work to undermine our children in acquainting them with "make-believe" smokes, which look so much like the real thing. Popular brands of alcoholic drinks also are simulated in miniature flasks containing a drink harmless within itself, but educating the American youth in the "grown-up's" way of popular drinking. He urged Seventh-day Adventists to become affiliates of the American Temperance Society in cooperating to stem the alcoholic tide.

The publishing department secretaries informed us that nearly \$100,000 in book sales will be reported by the end of the year. In order to enlarge this phase of our work, fifty-five additional colporteurs are needed for next year. Many of these will want to attend the colporteur institute that is being planned for the last week of December.

To the Beverly Road church, which so kindly permitted the use of their building and provided for the workers' meals during the time of this meeting, we say "Thank you!"

A. J. HIRSCH

PRE-INGATHERING CAMPAIGN ACTIVITIES

At the recent conference workers' meeting our ministers voted enthusiastically to accept the recommendation of our Southern Union Conference committee to launch our 1950 Ingathering campaign on Sabbath, November 19, and endeavor to complete our task by February 4.

Our conference goal is \$65,000, and our slogan "TO VICTORY OR MORE BY FEBRUARY 4."

The months of November and December will be most ideal for house-to-house work, street soliciting, and singing bands.

George Fuller reports that Standifer Gap has already reached its goal for 1950 Ingathering, a total of \$440. So, to Standifer Gap goes the honor of being the first to reach the assigned goal in the 1950 campaign.

The reports reaching our office from those who have already participated in Ingathering indicate that prospects are good to achieve our conference goal of \$65,000.

V. W. ESQUILLA,
Home Missionary Secretary

LAY WORKERS' CONVENTION

The whole theme of a recent conference-wide lay workers' convention could be summarized in a few words of a story told by Elder J. E. Edwards, Associate Home Missionary Secretary of the General Conference, who was present on this occasion. While visiting in a certain home, he made the acquaintance of the junior member of the household, who said he could spell with his blocks the word "good." This done, he next said that he could make two more words of "good." He took the "d" and arranged the words thus, "go do." This "good" counsel stressed the convention keynote, "go and do," for the hour is later than we think.

Much in the way of practical help came to the two hundred workers and delegates assembled from the various districts of the Georgia-Cumberland Conference. The Beverly Road church was host to this fine delegation over the week end of November 4 to 6.

On the opening Friday night of this convention, Elder V. W. Esquilla, home missionary secretary of the conference, and presiding chairman, extended the welcome to the visiting delegates. Elder G. R. Nash, the conference president, in a very tangible way presented "The Call to Lay Evangelism."

The unique feature of the convention was a "go and do" program of "Adventuring for Christ." This was followed by an experience hour, terminating in a candlelight service of an unusual nature. The plan of house-to-house visitation was inaugurated for a progressive pattern to make 1950 the greatest soul-winning year. The delegates and local members left the church by twos to participate in this Sabbath afternoon visitation program. For one hour these calls were made in Atlanta, and then all returned to the church to give an account of their thrilling experiences. A prepared literature kit was used in this distribution. In most of the homes that were entered, prayer was offered. The following tabulation is an overall report of this venture: laymen participating, 92; homes contacted, 128; prayers offered, 83; Bible School enrollments, 38; literature distributed, 300.

The candlelight service was conducted by Elder Edwards. With a

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replica of an ancient burning lamp, he lit the candles held in the hands of the conference officers, and they in turn lighted the candles of serving ushers. The ushers took the burning light of their candles to those sitting in the aisle seats. The light was then passed from seat to seat, until, in only fifty-seven seconds, the whole room was ablaze with burning candles. This service was a vivid impression of Christ's admonition "Ye are the light of the world." With the same speed and haste the light of truth could be carried to earth's remotest end, if each one would make it his business to share his light with someone near him.

A fitting tribute is in order for Elder Edwards, as well as the union and local conference brethren, who by their presence and contributions added to the success of this Georgia-Cumberland lay workers' convention.

A. J. HIRSCH

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DID YOU MAKE A PLEDGE?

We find that a large number of pledges made during camp meeting last summer are still unpaid. Generally speaking, this is so because of an oversight. We know all our people have good intentions and appreciate having us call this to their attention, so that their pledges may be paid before the close of the year. So please consider this a kindly reminder.

C. W. HIGGINS, Treasurer

IT BROUGHT PEACE TO MY SOUL

While serving in the army, I learned that the Seventh-day Adventist Church was the true church, and accepted its teachings brought to me by a faithful light-bearer in my company. After being discharged, I worked at a garage for two years or more, all the time being dissatisfied because I wanted to do something to give this truth to the people around me. While desiring to go into the colporteur work, I felt that my lack of education would keep me from making a success.

Just as I was about ready to sign up for some more GI training, R. O. Baker, the assistant publishing department secretary at that time, came to visit me one evening. He explained the work to me, and we spent the night together. However, I slept little that night, for my decision had to be made. Thank God, I decided to work full time for Him, and ever since then I have had peace in my soul.

I enjoy the colporteur work; I enjoy contacting people who are searching for light; and furthermore, I am thankful that I am carrying the light for which they are searching. I've never been sorry that I listened to God's call to enter the literature ministry, and I plan to stay with it until the Lord calls me to something else.

JIM BRUMMETT,
Monticello, Kentucky

THE COMING TEMPERANCE PROGRAM

An interesting temperance program is outlined in the *Church Officers' Gazette*, provided and arranged for the use of all the churches on Sabbath, December 10. At the close of this program an offering should be taken for the purpose of furnishing the *Listen Magazine* to the city, county, and state officials in public offices and in all schools. The offering is to be divided on the same basis as the membership fees: 25 per cent to stay in the local church, and the other 75 per cent to be sent on to the conference and divided between the local conference and the General Conference.

Now is the time to lend our influence on the side of temperance and bring proper education to these officials, helping to enlist their services in the battle against this terrible evil.

Let us be sure that this program is presented in all of our churches on Sabbath, December 10.

J. O. MARSH

BOOK AND BIBLE HOUSE NEWS

The new Morning Watch book for next year is "With God at Dawn." This fine help for 1950 is made up of quotations from the Spirit of prophecy. The price is the same as previously; special holiday price of 90 cents in the cloth, and \$1.35 in the de luxe binding.

The Morning Watch calendars are

now ready at 10 cents each plain, and 15 cents each in the de luxe binding. The Christian Home Calendars are also available at 35 cents each.

In a few days Christmas holiday circulars will be sent to the church missionary secretaries, who are asked to distribute these to the church members at a convenient time.

If any of our members have opportunity to visit the Book and Bible House, please do so, for we have a nice display of all types of books, games, and other things for Christmas gifts. We invite you to come in and look our holiday material over.

"REVIEW AND HERALD" CAMPAIGN PRICES. The General Conference comes in 1950, and there will be ten extra issues of the *Review and Herald*. Instead of increasing the price of the paper to take care of these ten extra issues, we are offering a year's subscription, including the General Conference bulletins, at the special rate of \$3.75 for one year. Anyone ordering the Family Group at \$8.75, or the Big Three at \$5.25, will also receive the General Conference bulletins. While you have this material at hand, why not sit down immediately and send your order in to the Book and Bible House? If you prefer, you may send it through your church missionary secretary. We know that you will not want to do without these wonderful papers which will be issued in 1950. Please designate whether your order is a new one or a renewal.

J. M. JANSEN

NEWS

★ The Investment leader of the Ashland, Kentucky, church, announced on October 29 that they had reached their goal of \$200, and more. The campaign was held during the month of October only. With great enthusiasm the young and old brought their money and told how they raised it for the Lord.

★ The new members at Tullahoma, Tennessee, are engaged in a program of handing out Twentieth Century cards and securing enrollments. On Sabbath morning, November 12, the Missionary Volunteers signed up sixty-eight. One junior boy thirteen years of age, who has not yet been baptized, was responsible for twenty-six of this number.

★ A branch Sabbath school has just been organized out of London, Kentucky, under the leadership of Mr.

and Mrs. K. C. Keney. About twenty came out the first Sabbath.

★ C. L. White, pastor of the Newport, Kentucky, church, reports that the work on their new church building is progressing very nicely. The walls are nearly all up, and they hope to be using the church before the coldest weather begins.

★ On Sabbath, November 5, the Memphis, Tennessee, church had a baptism of three. This brings our total baptisms for the year to 305.

★ A Sabbath school has been organized at Bethlehem, Kentucky, with Otis Wallace as superintendent. Elder L. M. Heifner has been holding meetings there.

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ANNOUNCEMENT

COMING! ! A big "Share Your Faith" youth rally, beginning Friday night, December 16, and closing at sundown Sabbath, December 17, in Greensboro, North Carolina.

All of the youth in the Carolinas are invited to attend this great meeting and enjoy the fellowship of other Advent youth. Come prepared to give special musical numbers and to tell what you are doing to share your faith with the youth of your city.

For particulars write to the conference Missionary Volunteer Department, or to Pastor F. S. Hill, 907 Douglass Street, Greensboro, North Carolina.

F. H. JENKINS,
M. V. Secretary

South Central

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NEWS

★ Elder L. B. Reynolds, editor of the *Message Magazine*, recently took a group of young people—Gloria

Orme, Ruby Jones, Martha Ligon, Donazell McClendon, and Doris Meredith to visit the Clarksville, Tennessee, church, or perhaps we should say company. Sabbath school and eleven o'clock service were held, with Miss McClendon acting as Sabbath school superintendent, and Elder Reynolds conducting the Week of Prayer reading. There were two visitors who were profoundly impressed. One of them has completed the Voice of Prophecy Bible Course some time ago and is still trying to make her decision. After the regular eleven o'clock service, this band of young people under the leadership of Elder Reynolds passed out literature over the city and secured enrollments for the Twentieth Century Bible Course.

★ Elder E. F. Carter, who has conducted an evangelistic campaign in Nashville for the past weeks, baptized seventeen on Sabbath, November 12, in the Meharry Boulevard Church. There are several awaiting baptism in a few days. Elder Carter has just visited a very interested Voice of Prophecy Bible student who is stationed at Camp Campbell, Kentucky, a young man who plans to be baptized this coming week end and would like to study for the ministry.

★ The Book and Bible House would like to call our attention to three books which we should be concerned with, namely: "With God at Dawn," which is our Morning Watch book for the coming year. This book sells for \$1 in the cloth binding, and \$1.50 in the de luxe binding. "The Perfect Prayer" is the Sabbath school lesson help and sells for \$1 in the cloth binding and 60 cents in paper binding. Another book for the juniors is "The Story of Jesus," which sells for \$2.50 in cloth binding only.

EVANGELISM—Continued
IN NORTHERN KENTUCKY
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Bible instructor, both from Birmingham, Alabama; Elizabeth Montfort, pianist from Columbus, Georgia; Allie Terrell, pianist from Cleveland, Ohio. Miss Germany and Miss Montfort had to leave early in the effort for the opening of their schools, and Miss Terrell came late in the effort to take up their work.

"Recently the church had a season of prayer for converts, and on the following Sabbath a woman who had

been fighting the truth for many years came forward and joined the church. This experience really shows that prayer will touch the heart.

The Colporteur Evangelist

B. E. Wagner, Pub. Dept. Secretary
Report for Month of October

Florida		C. L. Wilber, Pub. Dept. Sec. Box 1313, Orlando Florida		
Name	Book	Hours	Orders	Deliv.
Smith, Mrs. E. R.	MMC-LH	241	339.72	224.47
Leach, Paul	BR-BTS	187	539.50	568.75
Tew, P. C.	BR-BTS	183	351.00	94.25
Tyus, E. T.	BR	177	331.45	213.35
Neal, R. A.	BR-BTS	170	615.75	285.25
Butcher, Irvin	BR	152	282.75	269.00
Pennock, C. W.	Misc	130	109.24	109.24
Rutledge, Mrs.	BTS-LH	120	148.75	148.75
Bidwell, W. E.	MMC-LH	80	40.25	77.10
Wynn, W. B.	GC-BR	76	127.75	197.25
Burton, Hazel	BR	66	154.75	43.75
Cherry, Rosalie	BTS-LH	64	265.00	61.00
Couch, R. M.	BR	64	257.64	247.64
Aux. Workers	Misc	60	590.00	848.00
Ball, Edna F.	BR-BTS	57	57.25	
Brandstatter, Mrs. Marie	OT	55	215.00	215.00
Sisson, Mrs. Geo.	OT	55	215.00	215.00
Campbell, G. K.	BR	52	135.25	
Maxwell, L. R.	BR	49	157.65	27.75
Anderson, Mrs. E. W.	Anchor	47	94.95	26.75
Newbern, Mrs. Wilma	Anchor	44	82.50	44.00
Smith, Vera	MMC-LH	45	148.00	68.50
Henderson, Wilfred	BR	38	41.25	41.25
Lawter, David S.	BR	38	84.25	
Puckett, J. H.	BR	34	54.25	8.25
Puckett, Anne	BTS	32	60.00	
Morgan, Kenneth	BR	30	39.75	
Cornell, Lydia	BR-BTS	28	55.50	13.75
Gordon, Lillian	BR	27	46.90	46.90
Foster, Elizabeth	LH	25	50.00	50.00
Thatcher, Juanita	Anchor	23	5.80	
Woolfolk, Mrs. Geo.	OT	20	19.25	
Miscellaneous	Anchor	88	85.20	104.75
Totals		2,557	5799.30	4249.70
Ga.-Cumb. Roy Chamberlain, Pub. Dept. Sec. 547 Cherokee Ave. S. E., Atlanta, Georgia				
Name	Book	Hours	Orders	Deliv.
Ausherman, Mrs. Lorene	BTS	51	348.75	
Bennett, Mrs. W. O.	BTS	45	212.50	
Bowman, J. W.	BR	139	572.45	175.75
Brown, Alex	BR-BS	225	458.00	886.25
Carlton, Lonnie	BR-BS	135	290.00	155.00
Cartledge, Ralph	BR-BS	219	855.75	623.75
Daniel, Alton R.	BR	44	234.50	
Davis, E. C.	BR	131	290.65	106.00
Davis, Mrs. E. C.	BTS	154	274.95	537.00
Dodd, Mrs. W. W.	OT-LH	50	84.50	84.50
Findley, John P.	BR	86	81.25	631.00
Franz, Everett L.	BR	180	728.75	218.25
Hall, Evelyn	BTS	74	350.60	261.00
Hanson, Andrew J.	Misc	226	403.25	101.00
Harding, Kenneth	MHL-BR	115	47.50	1185.75
Hartman, James	GC	92	520.15	
Hedger, Harold	BR	216	827.75	589.25
Hendry, Malone	BR	55	313.00	
Hilliard, Earl	BR-BTS	98	73.75	115.75
Hodge, R. A.	BR-OT	51	160.90	89.50
Land, Mrs. G. W.	BR-OT-LH	38	50.25	105.25
Lord, F. M.	BR	206	510.00	240.82
McKee, F. L.	BR-BTS	137	658.25	
Miscellaneous		135	5750.50	6811.75
Moseley, R. L.	DA	137	664.25	
Oden, H. B.	MMC-OT	122	81.10	239.85
Rozell, Walter	DR-BS	95	274.25	150.25
Smith, Mrs. E. K.	OT-LH	109	370.50	370.50
Smith, Lois	OT	48	108.75	108.75
Soule, J. A.	MHL-BR	217	1023.50	12.00
Sue, W. A.	BR-BTS	163	236.20	1192.70
Sullivan, E. O.	MC-BTS	175	419.60	420.70
Sykes, Gordon	BR	15	380.00	
Sykes, R. L.	BR-OT	198	980.25	432.00
Temples, J. W.	BR	223	1131.00	623.00

SUNSET TABLE

	Nov. 25	Dec. 2
Atlanta, Ga.	5:31	5:30
Charlotte, N. C.	5:13	5:11
Collegedale, Tenn.	5:31	5:29
Huntsville, Ala.	4:36	4:35
Louisville, Ky.	4:25	4:23
Memphis, Tenn.	4:50	4:48
Meridian, Miss.	4:51	4:50
Nashville, Tenn.	4:35	4:33
Orlando, Fla.	5:30	5:29
Wilmington, N. C.	5:04	5:02

Name	Book	Hours	Orders	Deliv.
Thompson, G. B.	BR	208	523.75	351.75
Allen, Richard	MMC	131	322.45	423.60
Turner, Murray	Misc	166	959.45	610.35
Students' unreported deliveries				1479.25
Walden, Relious	BR	73		796.75
Totals		4850	20557.55	20397.92

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Name	Book	Hours	Orders	Deliv.
A Colporteur	MMC	48	110.50	130.25
Allen, Richard	MMC	131	322.45	423.60
Barnett, Ramona	Mess	43		21.50
Bavlock Family		26	45.00	45.00
Braddock, B. H.	MMC	122	163.25	195.50
Branch, Rebecca	MMC	58	134.00	79.00
Brown, Celone	Mess	92	23.55	23.55
Cameron, H. A.	MMC	89	165.25	95.30
Chattanooga Aux.		50	150.00	150.00
Crockett, Jessie	HSL	20	85.25	
Fenison, Oliver	BR	125	301.25	58.75
Gee, Mary	BR	54		55.39
Germany, Benjamin	MMC	131	383.50	107.50
Glover, L. M.	Mess	33	22.05	5.00
Green, E. L.	MMC	39	161.20	80.35
Harbour, Annie	DR	38	111.70	
Harlow, Nazarene Mess		39		37.20
Harris, John	GC	82	545.25	146.75
Hill, Annie	BR	52	52.12	52.12
Hrobowski, E. B.	Mess	94	61.80	50.00
Huff, Mary	Mess	20	37.50	37.50
Johnson, Ida M.	MMC	52	135.50	
Johnson, L. A.	MMC	131	206.55	61.30
Jones, A. J.	HR	80	1.20	78.50
Kindred, Leonia	MMC	123	42.25	60.75
Louisville Jr. Col. Mess		43		18.85
Mackey, Odell	BR	209	1457.85	726.90
Martin, Adema	MMC	36	147.05	45.10
Memphis Aux.	Mess	50	75.00	75.00
Moore, L. V.	Mess	29	40.00	40.00
McQueen, Louise	Mess	101		41.25
Oglesby, O. N.	Mess	40	60.00	60.00
Oliver, G. E.	Mess	47	30.80	30.80
Oliver, Irene	BR	49	221.15	83.65
Pilot, Violar	Mess	28	17.20	17.20
Poe, Ida O.	BR	132	82.95	64.25
Randle, B. G.	Mess	156	41.58	41.58
Sear, Susie	MMC	27	61.50	56.00
Slaughter, G.	Mess	48		21.50
Taylor, Virgie	Mess	50	60.00	60.00
Tolbert, Sarah	Mess	114	45.00	45.00
Walker, W. M.	GC	53	130.75	42.25
Washington, Irene	HR	74	30.00	70.15
Whitehead, W.	MMC	185	548.25	572.75
Whitehead, G.	MMC	178	498.90	221.55
Wilson, R. E.	Mess	211	550.00	145.00
Williams, Mamie	MMC	127	257.60	112.75
Wright, Lula	DR	117	77.10	16.60
Young, Hattie	Mess	184	195.15	195.15
Miscellaneous		145	55.40	162.05
Totals		4393	8546.63	5004.17

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FOR SALE.—Garage apartment 18 x 32 ft., five rooms. Good, soft water, hot and cold, gas and electricity. Large chicken house. Between three and four acres of land, over one hundred orange trees, twenty tangerine, three lemon, ten persimmon, four large mulberry. Nice location, adjoining Forest Lake Academy grove. Five minutes walk to school. Price \$5,000. Ira Hawthorne, Route 2, Maitland, Florida. -46

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IN NORTHERN KENTUCKY

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WE are happy to present the work of Evangelist E. T. Mimms of Louisville, Kentucky. The Lord has greatly blessed in the work of our evangelists in the Southern Union. Elder H. R. Murphy, president of the South Central Conference, here gives a report of the evangelistic work in northern Kentucky:

"On the northern tip of our conference, Evangelist E. T. Mimms is carrying on a very strong effort, in Louisville, Kentucky. Elder Mimms moved to Louisville during the summer of this year and immediately set about to conduct an effort. He experienced great difficulty in finding a lot and was turned down many times. He finally was able to locate on some property which the city had purchased to use as a playground. Although his meeting was begun very late in the summer, the attendance has been very good. A few weeks ago he received a notice to vacate this lot at once and had to move on a back street. The interest, however, has continued to be very good.

"It was my privilege to visit this effort a few nights ago, and I found the tent crowded with people. The nights have begun to be very cool and stoves have been installed in the tent. Elder Mimms plans to continue the meeting as long as possible. Over thirty are in a preparatory class awaiting baptism. At present we do not know what the final results will be, but we feel the blessings of the Lord

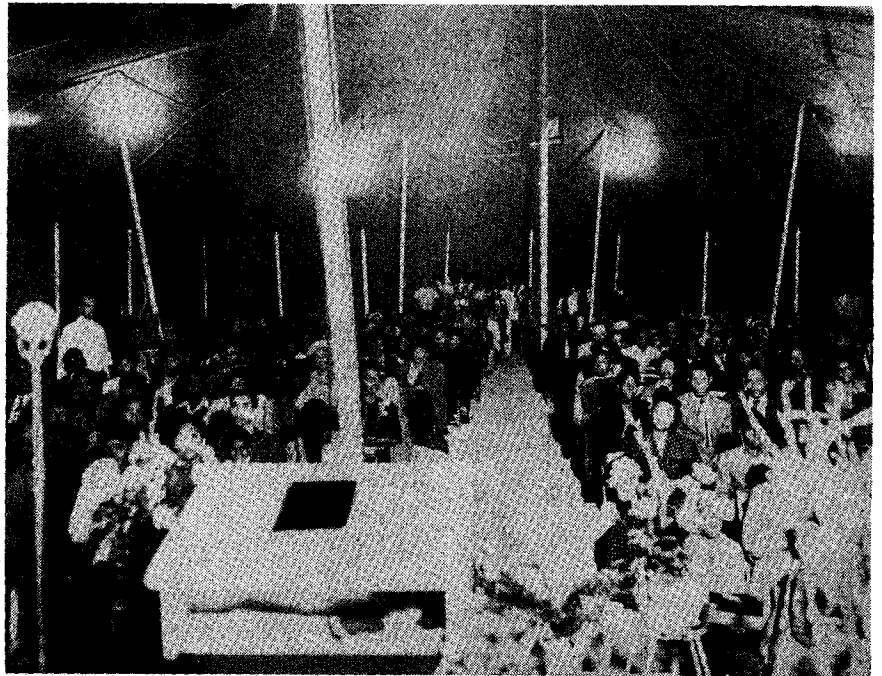
in this effort in a very strong way.

"Tribute must be paid to the young people of the church who have rallied to the work of Christ. A young people's chorus of about thirty voices furnished a great deal of the music for this meeting. One of the most interesting features has been the beautiful display of flowers which have been furnished by Mr. and Mrs. John Elmore. On one occasion, which was called "Flower Night" at the tent, there were about forty baskets of

flowers of all descriptions on display. They were beautifully arranged and one could not help but think of the wonderful Creator of the universe who put such beauty in the flowers of the field.

"We solicit an interest in the prayers of the church members in behalf of the effort in Louisville. Elder Mimms is a very hard-working young evangelist, and those who hear him are convinced that he has a message from God. Associated with him in this effort have been the following workers: N. A. Lindsay, associate evangelist; Zeola Germany,

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Elder E. T. Mimms' Effort in Louisville, Kentucky

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