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"Am I my brother's keeper?"

"I am debtor to all men."

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Christ in You

"Has some one seen Christ in you today?
Christian, look to your heart, I pray;
The little things you have done or said—
Did they accord with the way you prayed?
Have your thoughts been pure and your words been kind?
Have you sought to have the Saviour's mind?
The world with a criticizing view
Has watched; but did it see Christ in you?

Has some one seen Christ in you today? Christian, look to your life, I pray; There are aching hearts and blighted souls Being lost on sin's destructive shoals, And perhaps of Christ their only view May be what of Him they see in you. Will they see enough to bring hope and cheer? Look to your light! does it shine out clear?"



DOMESTIC ARTS HALL (Left) AND COLLEGE HALL

Emmanuel Missionary College

FREDERICK GRIGGS

The College was greatly blessed during the Week of Prayer just preceding the holiday vacation. It was one of the most remarkable seasons that I have ever witnessed in our schools. My mind went back many times to the remarkable revivals held in Battle Creek College in 1892 and 1893 when according to the spirit of prophecy the Holy Spirit was poured out in great measure upon the students and teachers. There was a very earnest spirit of confession on these occasions. So it was in Emmanuel Missionary College on this last Week of Prayer.

The work was not a surface one. It went deep into

the hearts of students and teachers. This was manifested by a spirit of confession and of restitution.

Elder C. K. Meyers, the associate secretary of the General Conference, was present with us during the entire Week of Prayer. His straight testimony and his personal work were a most powerful influence for good. God certainly spoke and worked through him.

On the Sunday following the Week of Prayer twelve of the students were baptized in the baptistry of the Baptist church in the village of Berrien Springs. The very kind spirit manifested by our Baptist brethren was very pleasing to us.

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While we feel very grateful for the work God did with us and for us during this special revival occasion, yet we regard it as but a beginning of a work which must be carried forward with far greater energy during the future of the College. We want our school at all times to maintain a very deep, strong spiritual atmosphere, and this can be done only when we walk in the light of His counsel, put away our sins, and keep our hand in His. It is only when we have this experience that men and women can be best trained for the work and service of Jehovah. We felt that our people throughout the Lake Union Conference were remembering us in prayer, and we want this to be a continual experience. We need the prayers of God's people for they contribute much to the spiritual tone in the College.

The Building and Equipment Fund

The work of raising a Building and Equipment Fund in the Saint Joseph Valley is going steadily forward. As we become better acquainted with the situation it is evident that we need time to make our institution known to the people of southwest Michigan. Several times it has been said by prominent men that Berrien Springs is the educational center of the southwestern portion of the state, but that people generally do not know this.

The College is certainly becoming more favorably known throughout this region and this friendly acquaintance is bearing good returns in the evangelical work which we are doing. Elder W. R. French, the dean of the school of theology, remarked recently that he had never seen people anywhere so willing to hear the truth preached as they are in this region, that whenever we ask for a schoolhouse or a hall it is very freely given, and there is a deep interest wherever the ministerial students are holding services. This in itself is worth all the effort that is being put forth in this drive for a Building and Extension Fund; and, further, there is no question but that we shall, if the same kindly feeling can be maintained and increased, receive a substantial contribution from the friends of practical education for the upbuilding of our work here. We are endeavoring to move in the counsel of the Lord in all these matters.

At a recent meeting of the College Board held here much consideration was given to this drive for funds. We are all trying to move in the direction of the Lord in this work of solicitation, but the fact that people not of our faith may contribute to our educational institutions does not in any way release Seventh-day Adventists from their responsibility. "The work that lies

next to our church members is to become interested in our youth." This clearly means that we are ever to contribute to their education and preparedness for God's service. Again we ask the prayers of all God's people for His great and rich blessing to rest upon Emmanuel Missionary College.

A Call to Service

. A call to service in any department of the Lord's work is not to be lightly regarded. "Not more surely is the place prepared for us in the heavenly mansions than'is the special place designated on earth where we are to work for God," says the spirit of prophecy. Believing this, Sabbath school officers and teachers have the privilege of claiming by faith their appointment to service in the Sabbath school, as by the direct providence of God. The acceptance of the work, either as teacher or as officer, places one under responsibility to put forth faithful efforts to advance the interests of the work. For the time being, the prosperity of the school or of the class is in his hands. Success is dependent in large degree upon his faithfulness, his diligence, his efficiency. The responsibility of these positions should lead each person holding either of them to study the work as a whole, and every detail of it as well, that under his leadership the school or the class may reach the greatest possible degree of success. ...

L. Flora Plümmer

Do You?

Do you whisper or talk to the one sitting next to you during Sabbath school or the preaching service?

Do you leave the room during the lesson study or while the minister is speaking?

Do you come late to the Sabbath services?

Do you study your Sabbath school lesson every day?

Do you learn the memory verse for each Sabbath?

Do you have family worship in your home every morning and evening?

Do you spend some time in secret prayer every day?

Do you invite your friends and relatives who are not members to attend the churches services?

Do you do some missoinary work each week? Do you?—Selected.

The way to gain a good reputation is to endeavor to be what you desire to appear.—Socrates.

Our Young People's Page

THE NEW YEAR

The old year's gone his misty way The new year's with us, brave and gay; What will the new year bring, we ask, As we pursue the daily task? The answer to it all depends On divers little things, my friends; If we determine to do right The year will treat us pretty white, If we elect to go astray The year will goad us every day. All years are pretty much the same, They always play the same old game; When ushered in they wear a smile And then they snort around awhile, And put some silver in your hair, And then they're gone, I don't know where. They play no favorites, the years; And what we know of smiles and tears Depends upon the path we take And not on vows we make or break.

So live that when this year is gone You may behold the next year's dawn With eyes serene; and calmly say "The good old year that slid away Beat anything I've lived through yet For I've done nothing to regret."

-Selected

Our Young People's Page

"Let's have a young people's department in the Lake Union Herald," said one of the secretaries at the recent council of the Conference Missionary Volunteer secretaries at Berrien Springs. The idea was immediately seconded by the other secretaries and two or three of the presidents who were present. After giving careful consideration to the benefits that might be derived if the suggestion should be carried out, and just how this special section should be conducted, it was voted that the Union Missionary Volunteer Department make arrangements, if possible, for the conducting of a Missionary Volunteer Department in our Union paper.

The arrangements have been made and with this issue of the Herald this section makes its bow to the young people of the Lake Union Conference. Each week hereafter we will endeavor to have something of interest for the young people on this page. Perhaps it is not out of place to give a little digest of some of the suggestions made by the secretaries as to some of the items and subjects that will appear from time to time in this department.

Our Reading Course books are becoming more and more popular with our young people as the years go by and we are pleased to note that they are accomplishing their mission in helping to mold a taste and create a desire for good reading. Our conference secretaries report an increasing number of requests coming from

our young people who are following the Reading Course plan, for suggestions and names of other good books which can be secured in the public libraries. Several requests have also come in from parents for the names of books that can be obtained in the public libraries by their children who have cards and who with the proper suggestion may be led to a better selection of reading material.

So in harmony with this suggestion we will endeavor to furnish a short book review every few weeks, perhaps once a month, of books, new and old, that are available in the libraries. These book reviews will be furnished by Miss Edna Walker, librarian at Emmanuel Missionary College and Mr. J. D. Snider, Manager-South Bend Branch of the Review and Herald. Miss Walker having had several years' experience as a conference Missionary Volunteer secretary and as librarian at the College where hundreds of new books are added each year is in a position to know the needs of our young people and is exceptionally well qualified to help us along this line. Mr. Snider is also well known, having given his series of lectures on Reading many times throughout our field. The manuscript has been prepared and we hope soon to have these lectures in book form for the permanent benefit of our young people. Mr. Snider reads many books each year covering a wide range of subjects. We feel confident we can promise our young people some excellent suggestions for the use of their library cards.

It is also the plan to carry from time to time a question and answer service. At our institutes many questions are handed in by our young people dealing with Christian living, the social life, etc. We believe these questions and answers may be helpful to all of our young people more or less if passed on through the HERALD.

We hope to be able to pass along ocassionally suggestions for social plans, games, etc.

We plan also to feature the various Missionary Volunteer activities and interests, telling what other societies are doing and giving M. V. news notes from various sections of the field. Occasional suggestions regarding the conduct of society meetings and programs with perhaps some selected society reports taken from secretaries' minutes

This is a brief outline of some of the features we hope to place before our young people in this section of the Herald. Missionary Volunteer leaders, we ask for your assistance to help us make this a live and helpful department. Write us a report sometime of the doings of the young people in your society. Address all communication to the Lake Union M. V. Department, Drawer C, Berrien Springs, Michigan.

J. L. McConaughey

The Bible Year

How many persons in the Lake Union Conference read the Bible through last year? In 1922, I mean,

Hands up! Fine! that's a pretty good showing. Now will you please be kind enough to send your name and address in to your conference Missionary Volunteer secretary before January 17? We are anxious to secure the name of every one who read his or her Bible through last year. We have something we wish to give you as an appreciation, if you havn't already received one; a neat certificate acknowledging your achievement. Then, we wish to take this opportunity to encourage you to do the same thing again this year. Really, not a bad habit, is it? In fact, one ought to read the Bible through once a year anyway. If you have already read the Bible through and have one certificate, read it through again this year and receive another certificate with a red seal. A third reading of the Bible brings a certificate with a blue seal, the fourth, a certificate with a silver seal, and the fifth time a certificate with a gold seal. Each time you must finish the Bible within a year after starting out.

If you have not already done so, secure a Morning Watch Calendar—it contains the Bible year program day by day. Begin now, today, and form the habit of a consecutive daily Bible reading. Secure the Junior outline for the children. Now, altogether, how many can we count on in our Bible year class for 1923?

J. L. McConaughey

Distribution of Clothing for Russia

Since the cancellation of our Russian clothing campaign two weeks ago, word has been received from Elder Christian at the General Conference offices that if his cancellation had been received too late to stop the work of some of the societies who started their campaign early, and if any of our societies had their clothing gathered and ready to ship, to send it on. This will answer the questions of those who have written notifying us their clothing was ready before the word was received for cancellation.

All those having clothing ready for shipment may now pack same in gunny sacks and ship by prepaid express or parcel post to Review and Herald, 212 S. Lafayette Street, South Bend, Indiana. This applies only to those who have clothing ready and are holding it for instructions. That which is ready we will ship on as requested, but please do not begin now to gather clothing as the customs rates are too heavy to warrant the carrying out of the original plans.

Please make shipment before January 18. Do not ship anything after January 17.

J. L. McConaughey

He drew a circle that shut me out— Heretic, rebel, a thing to flout: But love and I had the wit to win, We drew a circle that took him in.

__Edwin Markham

Chicago Conference

Office Address, 812 Steger Bldg., 28 E. Jackson Blvd., Chicago, Ill. President, A. J. Clark

Sixty-Cents-a-Week

Of course we cannot tell exactly where we stand on the 60-cents-a-week for 1922, but it is evident that we shall not quite reach our goal. I believe we should begin to plan definitely at the beginning of the year 1923 to make our 60-cents-a-week a success, and I am sure that we can do it. We came so near to it in the past year that if we put forth a little harder effort in the year 1923 we shall not have any difficulty in squaring up in the latter months of the year.

I am wondering if there are not many in the Chicago Conference who would be glad to make their donations every week a dollar instead of 60 cents and thereby help out some who cannot make their 60-cents-a-week? I am willing myself to pledge one dollar a week for the year 1923, and if there are a number of the brethren in our conference who would take this stand with me it would mean a great deal to our mission fund. It surely is a fact that the cause of God needs the means and we have been told many times that the time is not far distant when our money will not be worth anything to the cause, and whatever we intend to give for the advancement of this message we should give now.

Let us take a special interest in this fund from the very beginning of the year. Let the workers and the church elders ever keep it before the attention of our people and let each month be a gain over the corresponding month of the same year.

A. J. CLARK

East Michigan Conference

Office Address, Holly, Mich. President, W. H. Holden

A Letter from the Poor House

"County Farm, Dec. 22, 1922

"Dear President Holden:

"Will you please help me to get into the James White Memorial Home. I am seventy-five years of age, and no money or property. My wife died fifteen years ago, and I was taken down with typhoid fever the same winter, and it left me with a lame back, and I have not been able to do what you would call a day's work since. I sold my little farm, and the money lasted till about a year ago, and since then I have been living with my daughter most of the time. About three weeks ago my son-in-law told me that I could not stay there any more, so I had to come here; not a very desirable place to stay. I would be so glad to get with some of our own dear people to stay the remainder of my days. Mrs. ——, the leader of our little company in told me she would write to you, but I have not heard from her nor you so I thought I would write to you myself, and tell you all about myself. Now.

brother, I hope and trust you will get me there. I am willing to do any kind of work I am able to do, and if there is no bed I would be willing to sleep on the floor.

"Truly your brother in Christ,

Since coming to the East Michigan Conference I have met many experiences which have given me great joy and confidence in the people of God. Surely the Lord has a loyal people, and He is richly blessing our endeavor for the salvation of souls. Only last Sabbath one of our churches reported \$1,019 raised in one day by them as a Thirteenth Sabbath Offering for missions. Other encouraging reports are coming to us from many churches. Taking our work as a whole we feel that the year 1922 has been a success for the cause of God, but during the last few months I have received a few letters that have greatly perplexed me relative to our needy poor.

The James White Memorial Home is providing rooms as fast as money will permit, but even when all nineteen rooms which they are now preparing are completed the house will still fail to furnish sufficient room for the needy, aged poor whom we have among us. My heart is made sad by the requests coming to me continually for help, because I am unable to help them. I look at the calls, and then at our scanty Two-per-cent Fund, and turn away to the Lord, and to our people, for help.

I trust, brethren, that the above letter will appeal to your hearts, and bring to our treasury a faithful two-per-cent from every member, and possibly an additional gift from those who have an abundance from which they might spare a liberal offering to assist in this worthy enterprise.

W. H. HOLDEN

The Program of the Work

Below is given a chart of the churches which are in the "Christ's Object Lessons" work with their goals and the amount of the cash received from the sale of the books. Watch this report each week as a report of each week's work will be printed. The goal given is not a goal set by the conference but in each case represents the books ordered by the church or pledged by the individual members.

"Christ's Object Lessons" Report for December

	G	oal	Cash Chui	ch School
Church	Books	Value	Received	Refund
Detroit, First	626	\$1,252.00	\$272.00	\$68.00
Jackson	300	600.00	130.00	32.50
Lansing	350	700.00	107.25	26.81
Detroit, Hartford	391	782.00	89.00	22.25
Flint	200	400.00	88.00	22.00
Ann Arbor	. 82	164.00	68.50	17.12
Imlay City	71	142.00	68.00	17.00
Pontiac	120	240. 00	68.00	17.00
Detroit, German	80	160.00	64.00`	16.00
Prattville	157	314.00	57.00	14.25
Bay City	100	200,00	55.00	13.75
Holly	281	562.00	49.50	12.37
Adrian	60	120.00	48.00	
Hillsdale	100	200.00	48.00	

Napoleon	100	200,00	44.00	11.00
Lapeer	42	84.00	28,00	
Thornville	20	40,09	26.00	••••
Bunker Hill	123	246.00	20.00	••••
St. Charles	100	200.00	20.09	• • • •
Oxford	35	70.00	17.00	
Greenbush '	20	40.00	10.00	••••
Arbela	• • •		10.00	••••
Wyandotte	41	82,00	11.00	
Elkton -	26	52.00°	8.00	
Vassar	45	90.00	8.00	
Durand	6	12.00	2.00	
Elmwood	5	10.00	7.00	
Owosso	75	150.00	2.00	.94
Otter Lake	8	16.00	2.00	
Bancroft	5	10.00	••••	
Clarenceville	105	210.00		•••
Fairgrove	16	32.00	••••	
Flushing	13	26.00		•••
Hazelton	69	138,00		
Luce	25	50.00	· · · ·	•••
Memphis	28	56.00		••••
Rapson	50	100.00	••••	
Reese	26	52.00		
Saginaw	128 -	256.00	**	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Port Huron	15 .	30.00	1	
Belleville-Willis	42	84.00	****	
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The conference committee in session today voted that we make every effort to wind up the "Christ's Object Lessons" work within two months. There is great light in this action. The International Sunday School lessons from now until March take up many of the parables found in "Christ's Object Lessons." After the month of March the lessons will go back to the Old Testament characters. So between now and March is the time to sell books to the Sunday school workers. Let us, therefore, unite on a speedy work to get every book out of the way by the first of March.

We have saved the best for last. To each church which finishes up its "C. O. L." work by the first of March, the tract society will make a gift to that church of a certain amount of literature or other approved gift which will be determined later. The tract society appreciates the efforts our people are making and is anxious to offer whatever help it can to inspire each church to promptly finish up its part of the work. Watch these reports and look for the gift that will come to your church and do your part that the church may finish up the work by the first of March.

"C. O. L." COMMITTEE

Educational Items

On December 2, a Sabbath school was organized at Starr Corners two and a half miles north of Royal Oak, where Brother E. F. Slater is conducting a winter effort. An enthusiastic group of twenty-one persons comprises the membership. Sabbath school meets at 2:30 P.M.

Recently a Roumanian Sabbath school was organized in Highland Park.

December 9, a Sabbath school of about thirty members was organized at Clio. This company will hold services in the home of Mrs. Spencer in the village. We welcome these three new members into our great Sabbath school family in East Michigan.

It was a happy privilege for me to visit six of our schools during the Week of Prayer.

For the first period of school the highest average in attendance and punctuality was made by the grammar grade room at Holly. We awarded a modest pennant to them to be held until the second period records were in, or until some other school made a better average. Pontiac school was successful in winning it for the second period. We are watching the records with considerable interest. Parents, can you help to raise the average in your school? Every absence and tardiness counts against the school. Incidentally, character as well as interest in school work is involved in these habits.

R. E. Herr

November							
Church	Tithe	2%	Mis.	Church	Tithe	2%	Mis.
Adrian	80.53	8.03	31.57	Jefferson	133.60		73.83
Alaiedon	52.04	4.01	32.74	Lapeer	57.04	6.16	16.50
Ann Arbor	74.08	3.04	91.98	Linden	13.73		5.28
Arbela	1.67	.33	10.20	Luce	27.21	1.90	24.12
Bancroft	29.98	4.14	48.30	Napoleon			.75
Bay City	204.44	18.06	90.40	North Branch	47.37	.80	11.43
Belleville			1.12	Otter Lake	52.80	2.00	23.50
Brent Creek		• • • • •		Owosso	115.17	3.90	21.54
Bunker Hill	112.37	• • • • •	1.10	Oxford	72.31	9.42	42.95
Chapin	• • • • •	• • • • •	5.00	Pontiac	131.38	1.20	63.43
Chesaning	13.02		16.22	Port Huron	15.85		17.20
Clarenceville	58.20		28.93	Prattville	70.90	5.26	29.68
Detroit, Ger.	198.45	11.89	366.38	Reese	20.12	3.67	44.30
Detroit, First	1522.52	18.87	554.56	Saginaw	107.30	8.00	53.55
Detroit, Hart'd	1298.85	4.64	640.57	Sandusky	6.50		10.69
Durand	25.57	1.15	44.55	St. Charles	215.74	3.36	138.79
Elkton	12.20	.80	29.94	St. Johns	58.89		14.25
Elmwood	42.08	8.10	1.35	Starr Corners	4.70		
Fairgrove	37.00	1.20	58.12	Thornville	22.74	2.81	13.76
Fenton	26.85	.70	32.84	Vassar	46.45	3.61	21.03
Flint	33 6. 8 6	6.92	243.15	Westphalia	22.80		16.47
Gibson	11.47	• • • • •	6.65	Willis			3.92
Greenbush	30.43	4.07	19.38	Walled Lake	34.91		14.65
Hazelton	243.72	.35	130,79	South Lyons	2.00		3.34
Hillsdale	51.88	4.77	26.55	Conference	106.88	8.31	86.64
Holly	435.21	15.76	204.14	Individuals	34.96	3.01	35.00
Imlay City	24.00		17.61	•			
Jackson	475.50	22.76	79.50	Total	7387.40	207.73	3 7 52.89
Lansing	567.13	.65	151. 76				

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News Notes

February 17 will be missionary rally day, to be observed in all of the churches throughout the conference. This is to be a regular feature of our missionary program during 1923, of designating one Sabbath in the middle of the quarter as a special missionary day. Our churches will be provided with programs soon and it is expected that each church will appoint a program committee to make this rally day a success.

Mr. G. A. Piper spent Christmas with his parents in Grand Rapids.

A Sabbath school convention and a mothers' meeting

was held with the Glenwood church on Sabbath, January 6. The Dowagiac, Decatur, and Paw Paw churches and some from other places were present. Elder and Mrs. J. F. Piper met with them on this occasion.

The auditing board met at the conference office Wednesday, January 3. Elders Guthrie and Hicks met with them.

Have you paid your pledge for our tent equipment fund, made at camp-meeting last summer? Now is a good time to send it to the office or pay it in to your local church treasurer. Be sure to specify for what it is given.

Mr. C. P. Hall visited the office recently and is of good courage. He says that he can see an advancement in his branch of the work in West Michigan, and that prospects are better than they have been for several months for big things in West Michigan. He trusts that our people who are interested in his line of work will attend our institute which opens January 12 at Lansing, Mich., for the training received there will surely be a help in meeting the people with our literature.

Elders Guthrie and Holden were callers at the conference office recently.

A baptismal service was held at South Bend, at which time three were baptized. Others will be baptized there in the near future. The use of the Christian church was obtained, which makes it very comfortable and convenient for the believers in South Bend.

Mr. Frank Howald of E. M. C. was a guest of Mr. G. A. Piper in Grand Rapids during the holidays.

Have you made your pledge for your weekly, gifts this year? Remember that 6 cents a week is called for to support our work in the needy mission fields. If all will give their quota from week to week beginning with the first of the year, it will work no embarrassment upon us later.

Battle Creek Ingathering Report

I am a little late in reporting my Harvest Ingathering work. I distributed 107 magazines which brought me \$46.73. I have sold eight of the \$2 "Christ's Object Lessons" and one of the \$3 books. I praise God for helping me to do this work for Him.

H. F. BALKE

Battle Creek Academy Notes

School closed for the holiday vacation Friday, December 22, and reopened Wednesday, January 3.

We wish to report an excellent Week of Prayer at the school this year. Many renewed their consecration to the Lord, and we were gratified to see young people taking a stand for the truth for the first time. Meetings were held each evening just preceding Elder Serns' regular lecture at the Congregational church.

A Christmas program was given Friday morning at the academy chapel.

Mr. Palmer spent four days attending the twenty-fifth annual convention of the National Commercial Teachers' Federation, held at the Hotel Sherman, Chicago.

November								
Church	Tithe	2%	Mis.	Church	Tithe	2%	Mis.	
Albion	59.79		124.24	Grand Rapids	845.61	28.30	683.80	
Allegan	65.46	4.81	125.92	Hartford	35.48	1.97	51.12	
Allendale	14.87	2.68	11.00	Hastings	5 7. 25		16.20	
Battle Creek	3366.91	49.17	1122.06	Holland	76.98	.40	58. 55	
Bauer	78.42	1.06	43.82	Homer	10.15	1.19	7.60	
Bedford	83.22	1.70	25.67	Ionia	67.73	4.40	55.26	
Belding	45.04	1.19	48.80	Kalamazoo	388.34	6.08	252.38	
Benton Harbor	22.20	1.05	58.24	Maple Grove			• • • • • •	
Ber. Spr. Col.	1224.39	40.10	1774.42	Mendon	21.48	4.27	74.25	
Ber. Spr. Vil	352.82	8.36	98.12	Monterey	36.05	• • • • •		
Buchanan	18.91		76,41	Nashville	74.26	2.71	73.07	
Carlton Center			10.63	North Liberty	36.50		50.54	
Charlotte	101.68	.75	96.66	Otsego	184.72	5.55	48.01	
Coldwater			19.85	Paw Paw	24.64	.88	51.80	
Covert	10.50		29.99	Portland	37.65	.97	49.68	
Decatur	69.15		6.13	Quincy	11.40	.26	42.18	
Dimondale	38.03	4.23	36.28	St. Joseph	37.30	.65	62.54	
Douglas	66.55		148.67	South Bend	240.13	• • • • •	212.93	
Dowagiac	42.00	1.68		Three Rivers	28. 60	2.40	15.17	
Eaton Rapids	38.17	7.42	51.03	Union City	8.85	• • • • •	3.35	
Elkhart	. 104,24	4.27	148.29	Urbandale	126.96	6.24	55. 3 4	
Glenwood	50.84		32.38	West LeRoy	11.35		9.69	
Gobleville	116.28		49.99	Wright.	77.45		70.77	
Grand Haven	41.78	.64	25.94	Conf. & Individ.	182.39	6.88	138.83	
Grand Ledge	26.45	.86	57.18					

Illinois Conference

Office Address, 304 W. Allen St., Springfield, Ill. President, W. A. Westworth

East Saint Louis

For years we have been working hard to organize a second colored church in our conference, but have never succeeded. The writer and his wife arrived in East Saint Louis on the twenty-second of November and began preparation for holding a series of illustrated lectures, and for the organization of a church. We are grateful to our Heavenly Father for what He has done for us. We hope to be ready to organize the first Seventh-day Adventist church of East Saint Louis in February.

During the Week of Prayer I visited Alton, Colp, and Mounds. In all these places I found a few interested persons who would like to study our message and unite with our East Saint Louis church.

Brethren and sisters of the Illinois Conference, as you present your petitions to the throne of grace, please remember the colored work.

R. A. Benjamin

Colporteur's Experiences in Danville

Rudolph Krier says: "I approached a home and was invited in. The people were peculiar. They had three large boys and all were interested. They asked me why people keep Sunday instead of Saturday as the Sabbath. I asked them where they got that peculiar idea,

and the lady said from the Signs of the Times, which they get from the interrurban station. I asked if they believed what the paper taught, and she said they did. She said it was too bad that I did not know these things. I said, 'Let us see if the "Bible Readings" says anything about the Sabbath.' They all laughed. I told them I had kept the Sabbath over four years and loved it. They said it seemed so good to see a Sabbath-keeper. I sold them a 'Bible Readings' and 'Steps to Christ.'"

Ruth Pickering writes: "At a little house where I called, the man said the lady would talk with me. When I came to the Sabbath in the canvass, she asked which day was the Sabbath. I told her the seventh day of the week. She said, 'My husband is keeping the Sabbath.' I asked her how he learned about it, and she said from the books and papers he has. They ordered a 'Bible Readings,' 'Best Stories,' and 'Steps to Christ.'

"At one home I met a lady who had been baptized when a girl, but with tears rolling down her cheeks said she was discouraged. After a heart-to-heart talk she ordered a 'Bible Readings' and I arranged for Sister Shannon to give her Bible studies. She told her neighbor, and now the two families meet regularly for Bible studies and are very much interested."

There are people all around you waiting for some one to bring them the message of hope and good cheer. Do you want a part in it?

R. J. Watson

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,			Nove	mber				
Church	Tithe	2%	Mis.	Church	Tithe	2%	Mis.	
Aledo	81.08		190.51	Manmouth	29.34	3.54	14.43	
Bluford	73.80	1.20	68.23	Moline	190.50	2.56	100.68	
Blevidere	6.80	1.23	16.15	Noble	58.61	1.00	23.79	
Bloomington	23,68		16.63	Ottawa	155.13	1.26	232.00	
Caterville	115.94	4.32	103.80	Princeton	31.33	1.19	65.46	
Conference	613.44	32.47	447.55	Peoria	126.44	3.22	128.79	
Decatur	139.72	9.29	338,26	Pontiac	30.99	.34	71.79	
Duquoin	297.49	6.22	338.41	Rock Island	46.30	2.14.	90.04	•
Danville	92.22	4.25	232.57	Rockford	179.60	2.70	68.98	
East St. Louis	22,16			Rock Falls	11.80		10.77	
East Alton	40.60	2.18	8.89	1st Springfield	172,40	6.00	188.71	
Foosland	25.00	• • • • •	12.30	2nd Springfield	32,96	.95	17.24	
Foosland (Oct.)	7.00		20,78	Streator	101.97		80.87	
Farmington	29.57	.62	23.50	Sherdian	143.36	6.97	74.55	
Galesburg	192.23	3,36	141.40	Stewardson	3.28	.62	18.05	
Herrin	32.07	4.65	138.74	Stockton	166.30	5.02	23.71	
Individual	27.20	• • • • • •		Shelbyville	4.55		.7 5	
Lovington	30.72	,.	7.46	Twin City	196.01	14.10	147.48	
Mattoon	4.75	.90	17.43					
Martinsville	46.77	1.58	17.07	Total	3583.11	123.88	3497.77	
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"Truly God is good to Israel."

North Michigan Conference

Office Address, Reed City, Mich. President, H. H. Hicks

Petoskey Harvest Ingathing

Petoskey did not cease working on the Harvest Ingathering until the old year had gone. By steady work and perseverance we succeeded in getting three times the amount in the 1922 campaign that was collected in 1921. Many inspiring experiences were enjoyed by

those engaged in the work and many are anxious for the time to come when we can start the 1923 campaign. Our total for the Harvest Ingathering for 1922 was \$330.01. Out of a church of twenty-six members we have fifteen honor people who solicited \$10 or more.

There are those scattered throughout the conference who did not go out in this work. If you, dear reader, are one of that number, let one of your New Year resolves be that this year you will have a definite part in the Harvest Ingathering work. If any would bear a share of the burden it would not fall so heavily upon the few who are ready and willing to do all in their power for the advancement of God's work in the earth. Let us not be slackers. And right now, if you have as yet done nothing in the "Christ's Object Lessons" work, get under the burden and lift. "When the cross seems hard to carry, lift, brother, lift." "If every soldier of Christ had done his duty, if every watchman on the walls of Zion had given the trumpet a certain sound, the world might ere this have heard the message of warning. But the work is years behind."—"Testimonies, Vol. IX, p. 29. Let us not be guilty of hindering the work of God through our neglect. Now is the time to work for the Master. Will you work for Him?

FREBURN W. JAMES

Cheboygan

The Cheboygan company was recently organized into a church with a membership of sixteen. They are working hard to finish their new church building. The aid society, since its organization of a little more than a year ago, has done excellent work.

Their missionary report for ten months shows nearly 2,400 papers mailed and given away, 423 tracts distributed, 76 letters written, 52 books lent or given away, 48 hours of Christian help work, and 79 books sold. Several are interested in the truth for whom the members are working faithfully.

In this darkened city of Catholicism, God's work must go forward. It is the working church that God can use for the heralding of His message. Pray for the blessing of God upon His work in this field.

CARL W. PRUITT

What Are You Doing?

It is needless to say that we are living in solemn times. The day of the Lord is just before us. We shall need a preparation that will carry us through to the eternal city in triumph. We are told in "Great Controversy," page 620, "Those who delay a preparation for the day of God cannot obtain it in the time of trouble, or at any subsequent time. The case of all such is hopeless."

Those who help in the "Christ's Object Lessons" campaign cannot help gaining a richer experience. Those who fail are missing the blessing that God in-

tends for us to have to draw us into a closer fellowship with Him. The hours of probation are lingering for us to gain a closer relationship with Christ. Have you done your part? If not, do it now, or you will lose a blessing that God intends for you to have. If you will only try it you will find it a most blessed work.

CARL W. PRUITT ,

Cedar Lake News Notes

We are glad to report a most excellent Week of Prayer here at the academy. Early in the week prayer bands were organized among the students and personal work was begun. The Spirit of the Lord came in among our young people in a very marked way. Hearts were melted, wrongs were made right, and a deep spirit of consecration took possession of every one. The Friday evening meeting was one not soon to be forgotten. When a call was made for a complete surrender most of the young people arose. Before the meeting closed every student had taken a stand on the Lord's side. Only those who experienced the changed atmosphere in the school during the succeeding days can fully appreciate the work of grace that was done in hearts. Some of the fruit of the Week of Prayer was manifested in a very tangible way. A pledge was circulated among the girls and a similar one among the boys just before school closed for vacation. Those who signed the pledges are to refain from attending shows and from reading light literature. These are two of the leading sins that beset our youth today. Nearly every student signed one of these pledges. Also before leaving for home there was a general agreement to make nine o'clock in the morning an hour when every one would lift a little prayer to God for His continued blessing.

Amidst our rejoicing over the blessings of the Week of Prayer there came to use a great shock and grief. The enemy apparently felt things slipping from his grasp, so with one sweep he laid our boys' dormitory in ashes. About the middle of December the boiler in the boys' dormitory got out of commission. New sections were immediately ordered and while we were waiting for these the only means the boys had of getting any heat was from the large fireplace in their assembly room. Because of these conditions we closed school for vacation a little earlier than had been previously planned and the students left for home Wednesday, December There was no firing done in the building after Wednesday afternoon. About 8:15 P.M., Thursday Professor Simpson noticed a light shinning from the assembly room window. Knowing that the building was supposed to be unoccupied, he hastened over to ascertain the cause of the light. He discovered that already flames were rolling up through the building just behind the fireplace. The alarm was sounded and fire extinguishers were quickly playing on the flames.

The fire had gained too much headway and when it became evident that the building could not be saved every effort was turned toward saving the contents. Most of the things on the first floor were removed, including part of Professor Ford's belongings. Twenty boys who had clothing, furnishings, and books on the upper floors lost practically all. A few boys who stayed at the school during vacation and were rooming in the girls' dormitory were among the heaviest losers as they had only their work clothes with them. An effort is being made to help these boys get some clothing.

It is hoped we can raise a fund to help purchase books for those who have lost them. It will take about \$125 to replace these books. Perhaps some who read these lines will feel it a privilege to help the boys out. Money can be sent to Professor Simpson, Cedar Lake, Mich.

Some of our denominational books were kept in the boys' assembly room and these were lost. Among these was a set of the "Testimonies." A gift of any of our denominational books would be much appreciated just now.

			Nove	mber			
Church	Tithe	2%	Mis.	Church	Tithe	2%	Mis.
Alden	5.37\	1.18	8.50	Midland	128.57	6.94	28.59
Alma	92.54	10.60	99.68	Mio	25,02		5.26
Barryton	11.08	1.66	21.81	Mt. Pleasant	6.03		2.50
Bushnell				Muskegon	344.37	11.67	115.46
Cadillac	91.94	3.72	44.04	Ola	18.20	.27	32.40
Carson City	68.30	5.58	44.28	Onaway	50.10		15.03
Cedar Lake	169.76	9.80	61.91	Petoskey	47.86		129.18
Central Lake	2.71		10.94	Reed City	81.04	7.60	112.91
Cleon				Rhodes	63,95		34.78
Conference	286.81	13.18	203.21	Riverdale	16.25	.98	6.44
Edenville	1282.25	6.62	18.67	Rothbury	56.66	1.70	12.30
Edmore	• • • • • •			Sand Lake	64,24	.60	58.91
Frankfort	40.66	3,13	20.32	Scottville-Lud	70.31	1.50	83.85
Fremont	62.19	2.27	46.75	Shelby	85.06	4.66	84.91
Frost	40.45	3.17	26.87	St. Louis	146.05	8.66	20.37
Gaylord	18.48		7.50	Sumner	15.00	1.00	6.22
Grant				Traverse City	286.69	.20	30.89
Greenville .	87.08	3.80	51.39	Trufant	28.85	.60	2.46
Horr	35.01		44.19	Twining	44.34		27.20
Howard City				Alpena	19.08		12.89
Ithaca	129.83	1.55	78.25	Cheboygan .			
Kent City	48.14	5,99	23.15	Glennie	6.53		4.80
Lakeview				Marion	7.42		19.60
Mecosta	2.21		12.59	_			
Mesick	30:59	3.95	112.64	Total	4117.52	122,60	1783.59

"It is a good thing to give thanks unto the Lord."

South Wisconsin Conference

Office Address, P. O. Box 513, Madison, Wis. President I. J. Woodman

Sixty-Cents-a-Week for 1923

I have observed from our church reports that most of our churches get behind on the 60-cents-a-week fund during the months of January, February, and March. I wonder if each one ought not plan to make special effort to keep up the 60-cents-a-week fund during these months, and then when it comes to the special campaigns during the summer and fall we would not

have to make such hard drives to bring our funds up to the goal.

It is planned in the office to get out a special card for each member in the churches that he may keep track of this fund individually; also a little device will be sent to all the churches which will show each month just where the church is standing on the sixty-cents at week goal.

I believe that we all ought to put forth special efforts, beginning early, and I am sure that if we do, the Lord will bless and that South Wisconsin can go out on the sixty-cents-a-week goal by the end of 1923. I trust that everyone will make this his burden. It may be that the church and Sabbath school officers of each church ought to get together early in January and make definite plans which they can put into operation to keep their church up on this fund.

A report will be given in a later number of just what we made per capita this year. It will probably reach about 43 cents per member. We hope that it will be more.

IRA J. WOODMAN

Our Juniors and Missions

The 350 South Wisconsin Junior boys and girls raised \$1,406.41 in the Harvest Ingathering campaign, which is an average of \$4.01 per Junior. Nineteen of the Junior bands averaged two dollars or more per member. Appleton Juniors averaged \$12.53; Madison elementary averaged \$10.50 per member; Black Creek, \$9.48; Shennington, \$9.34; Sheboygan, \$8.92; Underhill German, \$6.72; Milton Junction, \$6.33; Milwaukee advanced, \$4.45; Bethel elementary, \$3.04; Eau Claire, \$3.58; Poy Sippi, \$3.46; Raymond \$2.49; Janesville, \$2.57; Oxford, \$3.11; Lena, \$4.45; Yuba, \$2.16; Baraboo, \$3.76. The juniors of the Milwaukee German churches raised almost \$75.

The champions were Russell Tolf of Madison, \$50; Mildred Johnson of Milton Junction, \$35.58; Evelyn Matthews of Fond du Lac, \$27; Joe DiCarlo of Milwaukee Italian, \$25.10; Vera Woodman of Madison, \$22.03; Vaugn Woodman of Madison, \$20.67; Dorothy Cramer of Watertown, \$19.82. Twenty-three others raised five dollars or more.

We appreciate the interest which the older people took in this work with the children for missions. Many of the older friends helped to chaperon the children and others took vehicles to convey them through the country and to near-by villages.

Some of this money the children earned and gave as "self-denial money." Almost all of the \$51 that Bethel elementary school gave was earned by themselves. We did not forget "self-denial is the food upon which the soul best thrives." May the Lord bless the money thus raised and may the missionary fires be kept ever burning brightly in the hearts of our boys and girls.

AUGUSTA B. JORGENSEN

Colporteur Institute

The annual colporteur institute of South and North Wisconsin will convene jointly at Green Bay, Wis., January 19-28. Our people at Green Bay extend a very hearty invitation to our colporteurs.

Elders W. W. Eastman, Wm. Guthrie, I. J. Woodman, J. J. Irwin, E. E. Franklin, B. J. White, J. D. Snider, H. W. Johnson and other workers are expected to be in attendance. Besides the regular devotional meetings, book studies, and training for the colporteur work, the evening meetings will be devoted to evangelistic services.

Since the colporteur work properly conducted "is as good and successful a method as can be employed for placing before our people the important truths for this time," and in view of the small force of workers left in our conference with its many unworked cities and towns, "the time has come when a large work should be done by the canvassers."

The following call comes very definitely to three classes of God's people at this time: First, the call comes to those who were at one time engaged in the colporteur work but who have, for various reasons been led away from their work by the enemy of souls. The Lord reminds them that "a great and important work still lies before them. God calls the canvassers back to their work."

Second, the call comes to our brethren and sisters, many of whom are engaged in the world's work, who have never attempted this work before but who are promised of God to be fitted for His service.

Third, the call comes to our people of means who have hitherto been satisfied to give of their money. These too, are not excused from service, for the Lord says, "Who will sacrifice ease and pleasure and enter the places of error, superstition, and darkness, working earnestly, praying in faith, doing house-to-house labor?"—"Testimonies," Vol. VI, p. 332. It is not to be expected that men and women will go out to sell books without special training for this work. The Lord has left instruction that "Canvassers are to be educated and trained to do the work required in selling the books on present truth which the people need."—Ibid., p. 329.

For this reason the colporteur institute has been provided for the training of colporteurs. Inasmuch as our leading brethren recognize the importance of encouraging this work at this time, they have made it possible to furnish board and room free to those who come with the expectation of entering the field for regular work. The railroad fare of these new colporteurs will be refunded after \$200 worth of books have been sold and delivered. Our regular colporteurs' entertainment and railroad fare will be paid as usual. Those who respond to the call at this time and plan definitely to attend, will please write undersigned at R. F. D. 1, Wyeville, Wis., so that proper arrangements can be made in advance.

EMANUEL REMSEN

Ten Dollar List in Harvest Ingathering

The following names of those who have received ten dollars or over in the Harvest Ingathering have been received at the office.

C. F. Sterns
H. F. Bernitt
Mrs. Carrie Knickel
Mrs. G. Weidenhaupt
Mrs. A. C. Allen
Frank Halderson
Mr. and Mrs. Dessain
Joe Dessain
Joe Dessain
Mrs. Albert Kreuger
Mrs. M. F. Madigan
Mrs. Grace McIntosh
Mr. M. F. Madigan
Mrs. Robt. Patton
Anna Ashley
Lucy Vaes
Geo. Vaes
Mrs. Geo. Fye
Mrs. W. Bartz
Mrs. W. Bartz
Mrs. Will Wing
Mrs. Frank Horn
Dr. E. A. West
Mrs. Chas. Randall
Mrs. A. D. Bohn
Mrs. A. D. Bohn
Mrs. A. D. Bohn
Mrs. A. D. Bohn
Mrs. Vradenburg
Mrs. Vradenburg
Mrs. Vradenburg
Mrs. Vradenburg
Mrs. Thos Vradenburg
Mrs. To Wheeler
Mrs. Vradenburg
Mrs. To Vradenburg
Mrs. W. G. Wheeler

Edw. Kottke
Mr. Henry Cruckson
Dr. C. H. Bowyer
Esther Mayer
H. Beyer
Mrs. H. Beyer
Mrs. E. A. West
Edna Ambrose
Mrs. Wirtt
Mrs. A. Montey
Velma Newell
Clem Vradenburg
Norman Newell
Eleanor Wing
Mrs. Fred Johnson
Miss Emma Martin
W. A. Mayer
Mrs. W. A. Mayer
Mrs. C. H. Bowyer
Helen Bowyer
Mrs. Rose Brown
D. B. Christianson
Leon Corbeille
Mrs. M. Cressey
S. Dawe
Mrs. S. Dawe
Mrs. S. Dawe
Mrs. S. Dave
Mrs. A. M. Davidson
G. H. Easterbrook
Miss E. Eckstein
Mrs. F. C. Eirman
E. L. Fowle
Mrs. F. Gauger
Mrs. H. Goehlen
J. W. Graf

Paul Georgel
Mrs. D. H. Hickman
Mrs. W. Kopke
Verona Klein
Henrietta Hirch
Mrs. E. Kunde
Mrs. M. Monsted
G. M. Pflugradt
Thos. Poole
Mrs. Thos. Poole
Mrs. M. Pergande
Henry Radke
Mrs. B. Russell
Sophie Sterns
A. Mitterhausen
Mrs. A. Mitterhausen
Helena J. Steinel
Mrs. Joseph Skelding
Mrs. Mary Smyth
H. Scharffenberg
Mrs. W. G. Wheeler
Mrs. Geo. Watkins
Mrs. S. Williams
Mrs. C. Witzel
I. J. Woodman
Mrs. I. J. Woodman
A. E. Nelson
L. G. Jorgensen
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News Notes

Brother and Sister Jorgensen attended the educational convention and home missionary convention at Berrien Springs, last week. Elder Woodman was called to a special meeting of the Lake Union Committee, December 27.

Elder White reports a good interest in the Sunday night meetings at Janesville. He is also holding one meeting a week at Beloit.

Last week Elder Woodman baptized a young man from Brother Bohn's meetings.

Elder Westermeyer is conducting meetings at Clintonville.

Elder Maynor writes that the church is expecting to move into new quarters which will be much more comfortable than the place they have been meeting in. He has several ready for baptism.

The offices were moved the last of December from the Washington building to the house of Dr. Ingersoll which was taken as part payment for the sanitarium. The office address now is P. O. Box 513, Madison, Wis. The phone number is the same, Badger 2210.

Elder Woodman and Brother Remsen recently visited the Green Bay church and made arrangements for holding the canvassers' institute there for ten days, beginning January 1. Elder Woodman expects to conduct evangelistic services during the nights of this institute in the Green Bay church.

Sister Nielsen of Neenah, past seventy years of age and leader of the company there, reports that she gathered \$70 for Harvest Ingathering with no gift amounting to over two dollars.

Elders Sanders and Woodman spent last Sabbath

with the Sand Prairie church. After the sermon the mission offerings were taken up and enough was raised to put Sand Prairie over the goal on her sixty-cents-aweek fund.

Elder Sanders was called to preach the funeral sermon of Mrs. Van Winter, a member of the Kickapoo church

Brother Westman recently reported that some were to be baptized from the effort at Westby. Elder Neilsen was to conduct the baptism.

November							
Church	Tithe	2%	Mis.	Church	Tithe	2%	Mis.
Albany ,	52.00		173.31	Mil'kee Italian	102.13	4.71	964.35
Almond	31.93		167.84	Mil'kee Scand.	47.96	3.30	224.02
Appleton	44.72	2.09	680.67	Moon	161.95	7.60	791.20
Baraboo	83.70	9.63	39 3.7 1	Neenah	39.25	2,25	3 25.07
Beloit	75. 7 5		437.22	New London	234.62		629.70
Bethel	410.42	3.50	2034.11	Oakland			185.21
Cannonville			9.31	Oneida			102.70
Clintonville				Oshkosh	76.18		531.21
Conference .			753.83	Osseo	20.92		86.79
De Bello	108.96	1.00	259.51	Oxford	23.50		462.27
Eau Claire	99.74	13.06	527.49	Pardeeville	5.30		266 .7 6
Fish Creek	39.50		157.14	Portage	23.24	.70	307.64
Fond du Lac	116.01	1.42	715.31	Poy Sippi	45.48	1.30	442.67
Ft. Atkinson	34.00	.67	519.60	Racine English	99.26	.50	194.53
Granton	42.95		169.01	Racine Scand.	14.21	.50	346.87
Green Bay	216.66		1340.48	Raymond	23.52	·	654.24
Hebron	56.43	4.00	266.90	Robinson	24.48		206.24
Hylendale	43.15	1.71	2 7 6.53	Sand Prairie	91.00		414.47
Individuals	10.80		338.85	Sheboygan	112.02	6.81	1303.22
Janesville	82.03	3.40	445.30	Sparta	22.52	4.19	149.64
Kickapoo			13.00	Stevens Point	3.00		107.03
La Crosse	20 7.60	3.35	589.11	Sturgeon Bay	29.15	• • • • •	541.66
La Farge			438.02	Underhill Eng.	9.14	• • • • •	325.50
La Grange	25. 3 4	.60	483.03	Underhill Ger.	117.31	3.66	584.57
Lena	110.99		458.15	Victory	28.58	.37	173.48
Lodi	43.07	.70	771.54	Waterloo	103.70	20.75	7 9.28
Madison	519.28		4200.38	Watertown .	116.03	18.11	1018.88
Marshfield	62.90	.40	450.88	Waupaca	164.46		411.57
Milton Junction		12.13	1512.16	Wausau			64.60
Mil'kee Colored			392.61	Welcome	19.0 0		76.75
Mil'kee English	562.2 7		3395.82	Wisconsin Rapi	ds 19.25		91.90
Mil'kee Ger. 1	130.52		1071.26				
Mil'kee Ger. 2	21.73	1.00	274.4 9	Total	5497.31 1	89.62	36003.31

North Wisconsin Conference

Office Address, 620 Tenth Ave., West Ashland, Wis. Mail Address, Drawer 482 President, J. J. Irwin

November							
Church	Tithe	2%	Mis.	Church	Tithe	2%	Mis.
Antigo	65.26	1.16	53.71	Knapp	81.10	6.28	39.17
Ashland	112.88	5.24	53.00	Lucas	28.68		11.25
Bashaw Lake	18.62		1.00	Maplehurst Co.			. 34.05
Bear Lake	51.76	1.84	52.33	Menominee	55.86	5.01	52.55
Beldenville	55.85		22.20	Merrill	54.38	5.64	30.15
Bloom ville	14.76	1.86	16.64	Orange	13.43	1.43	12.73
Bone Lake	92.41	11.07	19.58	Plum City	55.47	3.60	67.73
Chippewa Falls	36.09	8.64	38.03	Polar	27.09	.56	8.07
Clear Lake	83.24	2.97	58.89	Pound	19.00	.25	23.20
Clearwater Lake	152.86	2.55	52.49	Prentice	102.21	15.14	32.69
Conference	228.03	26.8 3	172.39	Rhinelander	11.30		25.91
Cooks				Rice Lake Co.	10.05		5.05
Crandon				Riverside	27.29	2.27	7.83
Cumberland	11.30	2.26	16.98	Soo			
Escanaba Co.				Spooner	53.23		20.88
Gladstone	12.80		11.61	Superior	257.04	2.70	206.91
Grantsburg	215.73	1.56	2.00	Walderly	84.41		46.25
Hancock	83.57	5.72	25.57	Washburn	20.65	.71	22.85
Individuals	124.99	•06	31.00	Wilson	72.66	3.55	46.49
Iron River, Mic	h. 22.00		12.36	Zeba			
Iron River, Wis	. 23.49	.60	9.36				
Ironwood Co.	43.36	1.00	12.60	Total	2443.01	123.76	1389.01
Jim Falls	20.16	3.26	33.51				

Indiana Conference

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Fort Wayne and Huntington

Sabbath, December 30, the Fort Wayne Sabbath school juniors gave a splendid Thirteenth Sabbath program. Sister Nora Griffith and her assistants felt well repaid for the effort they had put forth when the different ones brought in their two-dollar offerings.

A good meeting followed the Sabbath school program. A church elder was ordained and other officers assumed their duties. When the roll was called for quarterly meeting nearly all were present.

The Lord blessed the Fort Wayne church during the past year. Sixteen new members were added to the church, twelve by baptism. Four who had previously belonged to the church, but had drifted away, again took their stand during a revival meeting. The church treasurer's report showed that the thirty-seven members paid \$3,152.26; of this amount \$2,404.89 was tithe and offerings. The remaining \$749.37 was used for church expense and making payments on their church building which was purchased during the year. The tithe for 1921 was \$728.45; for 1922, \$1,473.47—a gain of \$745.02. Beginning Sunday night, January 7, we shall hold a two weeks' revival effort with them.

Our Huntington company is of good courage. Our offerings to missions will reach close to one dollar per week per capita.

We expect to leave for Connersville in February.

MATT J. ALLEN

Harvest Ingathering

The following is an excerpt from a letter received from one of our brethren in Muncie:

"I am sending you a list of names of our brethren who have raised fifteen dollars or more in the Harvest Ingathering campaign. The Lord certainly has helped us beyond our expectation, and I feel that we should praise His holy name and give thanks to Him for the good spirit that has been manifest among our church members.

"We feel that this good work has been a preparation for the 'C. O. L.' campaign, and we expect the Lord to do much for us in this good work of raising our quota for the support of our educational institutions.

"The names are as follows: Sister Amy Hawk, \$66.65; Sister Pyles, \$65; Sister McCaulay, \$47; Sister Richardson, \$40.24; Sister Newman, \$37; Sister Sterry, \$30; Sister Stokke, \$28; Brother Cunn ngton, \$20; Broher Hoffman, \$20.40; Sister Hoffman, \$16; Sister Pontius, \$17; Viola Mann, \$15."

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A Good Day

Sabbath, December 30, was a good day for missions at the Grand River church in Detroit. Elder Stevens, who has been acting as pastor of that church for five months, is doing an excellent work in the spiritual upbuilding of the church. This is bringing its results in the mission enterprise carried forward by the church, and I was privileged to be present on the Sabbath above referred to, and when the Thirteenth Sabbath Offering was counted it amounted to \$1,019, or a little more than three times the amount gathered on any previous thirteenth Sabbath. This is a worthy example to be followed by other churches in the Lake Union and will be a great inspiration to our mission stations and others across the waters.

WM. GUTHRIE

Nurses' Institute

A four weeks' institute for graduate nurses will be held at Washington during the months of March and April. The following recommedation passed at the Kansas City Council explains the purpose of such an institute:

"We recommend, That there be held within the year 1923, two institutes for graduate nurses, one in the eastern and one in the western part of the United States. These institutes should be of four to six weeks duration, giving an intensive course in public health work, denominational medical missionary methods, and such other studies, together with field work as would help qualify nurses for executive and public denominational health work. The traveling expenses of the nurses attending these institutes would be met by such institutions or conference as would send them or by the individual nurses when not employed by an institution or conference, but who desire to take the course. The institutions in the west would be asked to provide tuition and entertainment for those attending the course in that field, and those east of the Rockies to do the same for those attending from that territory."

Definite plans are already arranged whereby strong teachers will conduct regular classes pertaining to various phases of particular interest to the field-health worker and the institutional nurse. Such subjects as Bible Hygiene, Denominational Health Administration, Outlines for Public Talks to Children, Youth and Adults, Child Welfare and School Nursing, Methods in Teaching, Foods,—selection, combination, and preparation,—Standardized Nursing Technique and Procedures are some of the regular classes already provided.

Exhibits of methods and ideas to be used at campmeetings, in the field, and in schools will be a valuable part of the institute. Inspirational lectures on subjects pertaining to public health are being arranged. Supervised excursions to various points of interest from a health standpoint will be conducted.

These institutes will bear the same relation to the advancement of health education as the summer institutes for teachers bear to the educational field. If you wish further information write Medical Department, General Conference, Takoma Park, D. C.

Do You Remember?

Do you remember when we studied the book of Romans in the Sabbath school that we had those little red backed copies of that portion of the Bible to carry with us?

It is now possible to secure the same kind of help on the Sabbath school lessons to be studied for nine months during 1923. The first quarter's lessons are on the book of James. The second quarter we study the First Epistle of Peter, the third quarter the Second Epistle of Peter. We can get these three epistles bound in a little volume, with the book of Hebrews. Just the thing to carry all the time, and make daily study of the lesson and the memorizing of these epistles easily possible.

Teachers of young people might make a gift of these to their pupils; or if that is not possible, send for one, exhibit it, and take orders from the class,

The size is $2\frac{3}{4} \times 4\frac{3}{4}$. Cloth cover, flexible, only eight cents each. Order of your tract society.

BUSINESS NOTICES

All advertisements must be sent through the local conference office, as it will require the conference president's O. K. to get advertisements in the Lake Union Herald. The rates are: Forty words or less, \$1 for each insertion, and two cents per word for each additional word. Cash must accompany copy for all advertisements.

Wanted.—Man for general farm work. Sabbath school privileges. State age, experience, and wages expected in first letter. Mrs. B. F. Smith, Plum City, Wis.

Wanted.—To hire a single man by the month or year. Must be steady, industrious, and a good milker. Write, stating wages in first letter, to D. E. Dean, R. F. D. 2, Milford, Mich.

Wanted.—Experienced Adventist woman or girl to do general housework in small family. State experience and wages expected, in first letter. Will pay well to good worker. Address G. C. Algee, 544 Crooks Ave., Belding, Mich.

Wanted.—Good, steady Seventh-day Adventist man to begin work at once on farm. Must be good milker, handy with horses, and understand farming in general. Give experience and state wages expected, in first letter. E. E. Davis, R. F. D. 3, Fowler, Mich.

Honey.—Pure honey is the Bible's sweet. Being the pure nectar of flowers, life—and health-giving, it should take the place of inferior sweets. Twelve pounds of best honey, by parcels post prepaid in first and second zones, \$2.50. For prices on larger quantities by express or freight, write J. H. Haughey, R. F. D. 1, Berrien Springs, Mich.

Do you want Winter Eggs? Do you know our hens are winter layers? Do you know our pen at Lansing International Egg-laying Contest for first week in December stood at head of 55 Leghorn pens from many of world's great breeders? Write for chick and egg prices. O. S. Thompson, Allen, Mich.

NEW EDITION DANIEL ELEVEN, NARRATED

The first edition of this book was sold out eight years ago, but a continuous demand has made it seem advisable to get out another edition which will be off the press during January, 1923. The new edition is brought down to date; maintains the old view of Turkey as the "King of the North"; and in addition to the very readable features of the "Notes and Comments" will have six maps showing the countries mentioned in the narrative. Price, paper covers, 40 cents. Bound in cloth, \$1. Orders received by the author prior to February 1, 1923, will be sent postpaid at twenty-five cents for the paper bound, provided cash or stamps accompany the orders. Address J. G. Lamson, 224 Prospect Ave., S. E., Grand Rapids, Mich.