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S-W UNION CONFERENCE

Oklahoma City, Okla.
411 Baum Bldg.

President - Elder M. Lukens
Sec.-Treas. - C. E. Smith

CLOTHING WANTED FOR THE NAVAJOS

Another year has rolled by, and another term of school has begun at our Navajo Indian Mission. And we have a bright lot of Indian boys and girls this year, not all are in the lower grades as has been the case much of the time in the past, but we have a few taking fifth and eighth grade work.

Miss Maggie McCoy is teaching the school again this year. We feel very fortunate in being able to secure her services, as she is taking a real interest in these Indian boys and girls and we are glad to say that they are responding to her efforts.

We are endeavoring, with God's help, to keep the missionary spirit running high. We plan to have special exercises every Friday afternoon, when time is given to the study of our Seventh-day Adventist missions in foreign fields, as well as to the rise and progress of our great message which is going to all the world.

Well, we are again needing clothing for these Indian school children, as well as for the needy among the older ones. We are passing through an unusual drought, very little rain having fallen all through the past summer, so there is very little grass for the Navajos' sheep and goats. Many will die next winter of starvation. Last year there was a good crop of pinions (pine nuts) which the Indians gathered nearly all winter,

and as the market was fairly good, very few Indians needed to suffer for want of food or clothing. This next winter they will have no pinions to gather, as none grew. So they will suffer with their sheep and goats, unless they can receive assistance from American friends.

They have learned to look to us for help in every time of need. Therefore, we trust that our brethren and sisters may be able to send a good supply of clothing for them again.

We will also need some popcorn for a Christmas treat again, and we will need more than in the past, as the number who come to us Christmas day is growing from year to year. A brother over in Oklahoma has been sending us popcorn for the past two or three years, we rather expect he may do so again this year, but we will need more than he has been furnishing in the past. So if others who read these lines have popcorn to spare, please write us.

The work is moving forward among the Navajos, and we are of good courage. Many more are becoming interested in the Message, and although we now have a native helper, still we are not able to keep up with the calls for Bible studies. We ask the continued prayers of our people in behalf of this neglected field.

ORNO FOLLETT.

Lake Grove Indian Mission, Lake Grove, via Thoreau, N. M.

BOOK DEPARTMENT

Secretary - - - H. R. Gay

WHO WILL GO?

Dear brother and sister, may God help you to answer as did Isaiah, "Here am I, send me."

At this point you have the privilege

of inquiring for what work is help required. The general answer is the Lord's work, but the specific answer is the book work. Please note the statement from the Spirit of Prophecy. "The canvassing work is to be revived and carried forward with increasing success." Then, please put with the above quotation the following words of instruction, "Where there is one canvasser in the field there should be one hundred."

Since our students have left the field our corps of book workers is very small, and we must have more colporteurs to take their places. This fall a movement is going to be put into action urging many in our churches to enter the fast ripening harvest. Brother, sister, as you read these lines, does not the Spirit of God speak to you, pleading that at least some of his time be devoted to selling our literature?

Now, the adults and young people can each have a part. If you feel that you cannot take orders for the large books, try the following medium-priced books:

Coming King
Heralds of the Morning
Past, Present and Future
Our Day in the Light of Prophecy
Bible Footlights

We are making special prices on the first three books, whereby you can make a profit of 60 per cent.

Then we have the "Home Circle Library" prospectus which can be used by both old and young. This prospectus contains the front covers and a few sample pages of such books as "Steps to Christ," "Best Stories," "Christ Our Saviour," "New Testament Primer," "Other Side of Death," "Friend in the Kitchen" and other books. The retail price is 35 cents postpaid. The price of the ring binder

which holds the samples is worth about 50 cents, so you see the reduction which we are making.

If you desire a prospectus for one of the larger books, or a "Home Circle Library" prospectus, please order from your Tract Society. Also correspond with your conference field secretary about territory. "The night cometh when no man can work."

H. R. GAY.

ARKANSAS CONFERENCE
 Office, Little Rock, Ark.
 1215 Marshall
 President - Eld H. M. J. Richards
 Sec. - Treas. - L. J. Black

**STATEMENT OF 60-A-WEEK FUND
 For 8 Months Ending Aug. 31**

	Quota	Amount Received	Amount Short
Ark. White	8964.80	2821.67	6143.13
Ark. Colored	953.15	387.42	565.73

ARKANSAS NEWS NOTES

Brother Eichman, union home missionary secretary, is now in our conference assisting in the Harvest Ingathering work. He will hold a meeting with the Searcy church tonight, Oct. 11. The State Fair is affecting the work in Little Rock just now.

Mr. C. P. Lorenz has located his family in Little Rock at present. We are glad to have them in our church and school.

Mr. E. J. Black has returned from Keene. He plans to teach school near Little Rock.

Most of our colporteurs have gone to school. That explains why we have only a few reports in the RECORD this week.

Mr. Cecil Morton writes that in some parts of his territory he has delivered 100 per cent of his books.

Elder Richards met with the Searcy church Sabbath the 7th.

Miss Minnie Ladd of Plainview is attending school in Little Rock.

SABBATH SCHOOL NOTES

The following is a list of the Sabbath schools who are on the roll of honor this quarter for sending in their report before October 7.

SCHOOL	SECRETARY
Kensett	Zola Kendall

- Hot Springs..... Esther Schwarz
- Pine Bluff No. 2 (Col.)
Mrs. Ida McGehee
- Springdale..... Mrs. Ada Atwood
- Hiwasse..... Ethel Brinegar
- Gentry..... Nellie McCrary
- Midland..... Jessie Quinlavin
- Mountain View..... Lina Ewing
- Mount Pleasant..... Mabel Kelso
- O'Neal..... Zula Rudisaile
- Schaberg..... W. J. Skeen
- Marianna (Col.)..... Hattie J. Chatters
- LORENA E. WILCOX

OKLAHOMA CONFERENCE
 Oklahoma City, Okla.
 Box 1077
 President - Elder E. R. Potter
 Sec. - Treas. - Mrs. Mabel Killion

DEPARTMENTAL SECRETARIES

Book and Bible Society, Mrs. Mabel Killion;
 Field Missionary, C. N. Young; Home Mis-
 sionary, Carl Riffel; Educational, Letha Tay-
 lor; Missionary Volunteer, Frank Moran.

**STATEMENT OF 60-A-WEEK FUND
 For 8 Months Ending Aug. 31**

	Quota	Amount Received	Amount Short
Oklahoma White	40123.20	18771.23	21351.97
Okla. Colored	2096.93	1131.47	956.46

OKLAHOMA NEWS NOTES

We are all interested in the encouraging items coming in concerning the Harvest Ingathering work. The following word has come from Brother Riffel, who is working at Enid: "We have been busily engaged in the Harvest Ingathering work and have had good success. Have now received the signature of the mayor, postmaster, president of the Chamber of Commerce, and also that of the president of the Merchants Association.

Good news comes to us concerning the church school at Sapulpa: "The church school is at last under full sway with the brightest prospects before it. The County School Superintendent has given us one teacher's desk, and despite the fact that four new brick school buildings are under process of construction in the city and it will be difficult to procure seats for them, she has arranged for us to purchase twenty-five almost new seats from the public school here. These with the thirty-five seats we had already purchased give us just sufficient seating capacity. Alto-

gether they cost us only about \$125. The Lord has wonderfully blessed us in this matter."

A good word just comes from Ardmore that they expect about thirty new members who will be received by baptism as the first results of this kind in the campaign at that place. Let us continue to pray that the Lord may bless the workers at Ardmore with physical and spiritual strength at this very important time in the campaign there.

Brother Young reports that the fourteen colporteurs now in Oklahoma reported for week ending October 7 over a thousand dollars in orders and deliveries and that the total delivery of colporteurs in Oklahoma for the year up to October 7 totals fifteen thousand, six hundred and thirty-six dollars.

Brother W. D. Gurney of Enid reports that the church school teacher, Miss Hilah Atwood, went out after school hours and received \$7.50 for the Harvest Ingathering and distributed seven papers. Mrs. Gurney called on a lawyer and received \$10.00. A larger percentage of the membership paid tithes during September than has for many months.

CHANGE OF FIELD OF LABOR

Elder S. B. Slater, now connected with the Ardmore campaign and who has been a laborer in the Oklahoma Conference for the past year and a half, has received and accepted a call from the Colorado Conference. Elder Slater leaves for Colorado about November 1 to continue in evangelistic work in that conference. While we are losing a good worker from this conference, Elder Van Kirk, who knows Brother Slater, is gaining for the Colorado Conference. But this change has come about with the best of understandings and kindest of feelings on the part of all concerned.

Elder G. W. White, who has been the efficient pastor of the Oklahoma City church since the Tindall campaign two years ago, has just received and accepted a call to the Western Oregon Conference, to act as pastor of one or more of the seven churches in Portland, Oregon. At the time of the fall council a call was made for Elder White to connect with the Georgia Conference as pastor of the Atlanta church, but Elder White has

preferred from a health standpoint to accept of the call to Portland, Oregon. Elder White and family plan to start for their new field of labor October 16. The many friends that know Elder White and family will send their very best wishes with them to their new field of labor.

Since Elder White has been called to the Oregon Conference we feel that it is providential that Elder Tindall is able to connect with the conference at this time, and consents to act as pastor and evangelist in Oklahoma City for this fall and winter. Plans are being laid for a campaign to be conducted on the lines of strict economy and the evidences are increasing that a few meetings held in a good hall in the city will serve to develop the interest that exists in the city and create an interest that may be effectively followed up by meetings in the newly enlarged church and we are confident that a harvest of souls will be won through this effort this winter.

Elder C. E. Grant, who has labored for about two years in Haskell County, has been called by our conference committee to take charge of the work in the city of Muskogee. We trust that the good experiences that Brother Grant has had in his evangelistic work during the past two years, will be a great help to him in successfully carrying forward the work in the important field which he now enters.

BUILDING CHARACTER

How are you preparing for the "time of trouble?" We are being tested daily, and some are falling out by the wayside, because they have not had the proper training in character building.

"Some God trains by bringing to them disappointment, and apparent failure. It is his purpose that they should learn to master difficulties. Success will come as they struggle against apparently insurmountable difficulties, and with success will come the greatest joy."—Gospel Workers, p. 269.

What a privilege to be with the class that will be able to meet and overcome difficulties, which to those who have not had the training seem insurmountable.

Dear brothers and sisters, do you think such training will be of value

to you, when you are put to the test?

We must build character, and the colporteur work will give you a short course in character building. Please write for territory.

C. N. Young, Box 1077, Oklahoma City.

A VERY IMPORTANT ACTION

At the time of reporting to the Record last week we were in the midst of a very important meeting in Oklahoma City. The members of the conference committee, with nearly all of the workers in the conference were in-engaging in a very careful, serious study of the financial situation facing the conference at this time and how we may meet the situation. After the settlement was made between the conference and the Oklahoma City church, as voted on by the delegates at the last conference meeting at Enid, the treasurer reported to the committee and workers that the operating funds of this conference lacked twenty thousand dollars of being what they should be at this time. It was pointed out that this has come about quite largely because of loaning money to church organizations in the conference which has not been paid back as rapidly as expected. Regardless of the reasons back of this shortage, our workers faced this situation very courageously and some important plans were laid to meet this condition. Among the actions taken by the committee and workers are the following: First, that every worker spend as much time as possible in the interest of the Harvest Ingathering work until at least the first of November and that workers and members in the conference be encouraged to sell such books as Steps to Christ, or other small twenty-five cent books along with the Harvest Ingathering work, turning the proceeds from the sale of these books into the home missionary work of this conference.

Second, that during the months of November and December all our workers accept of twenty per cent of their wages in subscription books at the retail price and that workers and members through the conference be urged to handle, especially, the copies of Patriarchs and Prophets now on hand in the Book and Bible Society office.

Third, that every Seventh-day Adventist family in Oklahoma be urged

to purchase at least two copies of the very valuable book, Patriarchs and Prophets at the very reduced price of two dollars for the cloth binding, two-fifty for the half leather binding and three dollars for the full Morocco, with the understanding that the Book and Bible Society donates these and that the entire proceeds from the sale of these books is to be applied on the much-needed home work in the conference. We trust that all our members will give this very careful consideration and their most hearty co-operation for this most worthy object.

E. R. POTTER.

SABBATH SCHOOL

At the close of the Sabbath school convention held in Ringwood, Sabbath, October 7 we secured fifteen orders for the book Patriarchs and Prophets from the company there and some of the members of the Isabella church who were present.

The Tulsa (colored) Sabbath school gave \$30.96 on the Thirteenth Sabbath. The church membership is twelve. A splendid record, isn't it?

The secretary of the Muskogee Sabbath school sends a very enthusiastic letter with the quarterly report. She writes that one class of twelve ladies all succeeded in having a perfect record in attendance and daily study for the past quarter. Being poor, that one class set a goal for ten dollars but gave \$22.56 for the quarter, more than doubling their goal.

Whenever goals are set and the members strive faithfully to reach them, the results are always most gratifying. Try it. CARRIE LUKENS.

OBITUARY

NOLAND—Robert Elmer Noland was born in Cleveland, Okla., May 22, 1907; died in Bartlesville, Okla., Sept. 24, 1922, age fifteen years, four months and two days. He is survived by his father, mother, three brothers and one sister, who mourn his loss.

Robert took sick on the first day of September, with typhoid pneumonia. For three weeks he struggled with disease and seemed to be gaining ground rapidly. The fever was broken and all hoped for his recovery. But on Sunday morning of the 24th complications set in and he rapidly grew worse. Death ensued at 5:15 p. m.

Though he was not a member of

the church, Robert had requested baptism some time ago. He was well known for his gentlemanly habits and his daily life showed that he realized God's claims upon him. For almost two years he had worked for the Mayer's Drug Store but at the time he was taken sick he was working under the employment of his father as a decorator. He planned on returning to his former employment after his recovery.

Funeral services were conducted by the writer at the undertaker's parlor on September 26th.

ALTON HUGHES.

NORTH TEXAS CONFERENCE

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President - Elder J. F. Wright
Sec.-Treas. - R. L. Atcheson

STATEMENT OF 60-A-WEEK FUND For 8 Months Ending Aug. 31

	Quota	Amount Received	Amount Short
N. Texas White	20841.60	9121.63	11719.97
N. Texas Colored	866.50	303.56	562.94

FORT WORTH CAMPAIGN

This morning we are pleased to pass along another word concerning the progress being made toward the coming campaign. The tabernacle is just about completed and will be painted white. This will give the building a clean and neat appearance, also helping to make it more attractive. Brother Lockle of Dallas, one of our brethren who is a contractor, has had charge of erecting it. He has been assisted by several more of our brethren. They have worked hard and have accomplished a good job. The building will soon be ready now for the finishing touches inside and for the decorating. It will accommodate about 1,000 people.

We have succeeded now in getting the needed workers to connect with it except a doctor. We are still looking for the proper person to take charge of this part of the work, as we hope to carry forward a similar work to that done in Dallas a little over a year ago when Elder Tindall in connection with Dr. Mary C. McReynolds conducted their campaign. We have much to encourage us in Fort Worth

and we sincerely hope to see many people accept the truth there when it is presented to them. We hope to open the campaign about the first Sunday night in November. Permit me to earnestly appeal to you that you remember this coming campaign daily at the Throne of Grace. The workers will need great wisdom and the direction of the Holy Spirit, so do not forget them when you pray.

J. F. WRIGHT.

OUR MISSIONS OFFERINGS

During the recent Fall Council we learned that we had thus far raised only about one-third thus far on the sixty-cent-a-week fund. This left the General Conference facing a shortage August 1, 1922, of \$1,137,157.50. This of course gives the mission board grave concern. It makes it impossible to send out this year the needed workers called for and when you think of India alone who has a waiting list of people and places interested in the truth calling for help, numbering over four thousand, you can catch a glimpse of the rest of the world and its need. If all of our people would give as regularly and willingly as some do, there would be no shortage. God has ample funds entrusted to his people to carry forward his work, is all would but return to him his own. Some of our people are doing more than their share, and theirs is a noble spirit. Others have not done so much. We kindly ask them to not forget their duty to the cause at this time.

The Harvest Ingathering campaign is on now and many are taking a little part in it, but it seems hard for some to get a vision of the need of going out. We sincerely hope and kindly ask that everyone will endeavor to raise at least the individual GOAL of \$10.00. If all will do an earnest part we can go a long ways to assist the Mission Board overcome the above shortage mentioned. Dear brethren and sisters, shall we not take hold of this campaign in dead earnest and not wait to be urged to do something? We believe that you will do all that you can. God is depending upon us. He has approved of the plan. He bids us go to the Gentiles and gather in the funds he has loaned to them. If we go to them in the right spirit, believing we shall win, the Lord will not let us fail.

spond to fill the place of our noble students who return to school to

Then, too, some of our Sabbath school are falling way short of the weekly goal of 30c. This is not a large goal and one that we can easily reach. Sister Plummer from Washington sends the word out to tell all of our schools she is depending upon each school to reach the goal and sincerely trusts that none will fail. If we will plan for it, we can easily reach the small goal of 30c.

We kindly urge that all of our membership take this matter of missions upon their hearts and may the Lord help us not only to fully sense our responsibility at this time, but do all that we can according to the manner in which God blesses us, is our sincere and earnest prayer.

NORTH TEXAS CONFERENCE
COMMITTEE.

CAN WE SELL BOOKS NOW?

It would seem that during the past two years many of our people have been led by some one to really believe that our truth filled books cannot be sold. We wonder who has led them to think thus? Well, we can depend upon it that the Lord never places that kind of thoughts in our mind, for He has plainly told us that our books WILL BE SOLD RIGHT DOWN TO THE END. And the God fearing colporteurs are NOW proving that books can be sold. We are glad to tell you that those who have gone out this summer in the Spirit and power of the all prevailing One, have not made a failure. They have done splendidly and our deliveries are reaching a good percent.

Now many of our colporteurs during the summer were students. They did well their part and have just returned to school. The question which concerns us is where are the ones who will step right in, fill the place made vacant and push ahead the work, for this is the best time of the year to sell books. The holiday season is just before us. People will buy books now, when they will not do so any other time. We believe that a large number of our brethren and sisters could enter the ranks right now and work up a good delivery for the holiday season. WHERE, OH, WHERE ARE THE VOLUNTEERS? We hope that there are a number who will re-

HARVEST INGATHERING

Study Carefully These Figures Below.

OUR GOAL WAS \$9,000.00: WE ONLY REACHED \$3,675.83

REMEMBER

THE GOALS FOR 1922

Conference, \$9,000.00: Individual, \$10.00: Service, - At least 10 hours.

SOME HAVE REACHED IT. HAVE YOU? BETTER HURRY!

Church	Mem-ber-ship	Ave. per mem.	No. work-ing	Ave per solic..	1921 total collec'd	1922 ?
Corsicana	15	2.98	10	4.46	\$ 44.75	
Cleburne	27	2.92	8	9.97	79.78	What
Cedar Grove	6	9.25	3	18.40	56.20	
Dallas	150	6.01	50	18.03	901.74	Will
Dalworth	59	4.22	20	12.04	240.80	
Decoy	9	.80	2	3.65	7.30	We
Denison	34	2.10	18	3.96	71.32	
Douglass	31	.05	1	1.50	1.50	Do
Fort Worth	70	6.21	20	21.75	435.08	
Gainesville	15	2.76	3	13.80	41.41	For
Hail	5	.35	1	1.75	1.75	
Henrietta	12	5.70	10	6.85	68.50	1922?
Hillsboro	6	3.33	2	9.50	19.00	
Isolated	200	1.17	50	4.88	235.16	
Jefferson	100	1.75	40	4.38	174.61	What
Jefferson (Colored)	11	.98	3	3.59	10.78	Are
Keene	300	1.54	275	1.67	460.62	You
Lone Star	30	1.27	4	9.39	37.55	Doing
Mosier Valley	7	1.32	3	3.08	9.25	To
New Hope	59	.16	8	1.20	9.84	Help
Riesel	5	18.24	5	18.24	91.20	Your
Salmon	34	1.60	4	13.57	54.30	Church
Sherman	31	7.10	10	21.98	219.80	Reach
Valley View	45	3.43	10	15.43	154.30	Their
Waco	49	4.56	15	14.91	223.72	Goal?
Waco (Colored)	20	1.28	5	5.12	25.59	
Total					\$ 3,675.83	

and write Brother Van Campen right away for territory. Do not delay, please. DO IT NOW! We have a large number of these books here at the office. You will do a noble deed by helping us place them in the homes of the people and these books CAN BE SOLD. If you don't believe it try it and be convinced. May the Lord roll the burden for this work upon a large number is my earnest prayer.

J. F. WRIGHT.

CHANGING THE NAME OF THE TRACT SOCIETY

For some time during the past our Tract Societies have had difficulty making orrselves and the work of the tract society fully understood in our dealings with those not of our faith. In the cities especially do they get us mixed up with "Traction or Railway companies," so it has been recently voted by the several unions, ours included, as well as the conferences, to change the name to read "Book and Bible House" in the place of the name "Tract Society." Hence hereafter, those writing us, will address us "North Texas Book and Bible House." After careful counsel, this change has been looked upon with great favor, therefore, we have moved forward by vote to adopt the new name. Kindly keep this change in mind when you write us hereafter.

J. F. WRIGHT,
R. L. ATCHESON.

NORTH TEXAS NEWS ITEMS

Thursday morning the 12th, Brother Dunn with his good wife left for Denver, Colo., where Brother Dunn is to assume his new duties as secretary of the Y. P. M. V. and educational departments. We regret very much their going. We shall miss them, but wish them abundant success.

The members of the Keene church spent Monday and Tuesday of this week working in Cleburne in behalf of the Harvest Ingathering. Reports will be given later.

Elder AcMoody has been on the sick list suffering from an attack of the den-gue fever. We are glad to report that he is better.

We also regret to learn that Brother Maloney of Denison has been sick for a few days. It is hoped that he will have a quick recovery.

Elder Wright has just returned from a trip covering Dallas, Dalworth, and Fort Worth. He held meetings in Dal-

carry on their preparation. Let our church elders take this matter upon their hearts, also the workers, and let us do all we can to encourage many of our brethren to enter the ranks.

For your encouragement we have some good word to pass on to you. During the recent Fall Council an action was taken to reduce the price on some of books as follows:

Full leather reduced from \$7.50 to \$6.00.

Half leather reduced from \$6.00 to \$5.00.

Cloth to remain the same at \$4.50.

These reductions apply only to four books as here given:

Great Controversy
Bible Readings
Daniel and Revelation
Practical Guide to Health
Thus until further notice the prices on these books will be:
Cloth, \$4.50
Half leather, \$5.00
Full leather, \$6.00

This drop in price causes quite a loss to the publishing house and Tract Societies. However the brethren felt best to make this move. It ought to be a BIG INDUCEMENT for a number of our people to take right hold of the book work. We trust that you will think seriously of this matter.

las and stopped at the other places on business.

It is a pleasure to announce that the school in Dalworth has a splendid enrollment and is getting along nicely in their work.

Elder Gates writes us that several of the members of the Corsicana church are on the sick list. He hopes that they will soon be up again and they plan then to push hard the Ingathering work.

Word just received from Sister Geo. May of Waco, telling us they are pushing their Ingathering work and are doing splendidly.

Elder Crane writes us from Myrtle Springs concerning the good meetings there. They recently had a joint meeting of the Myrtle Springs and Cedar-grove churches at which time they celebrated the ordinances.

Elder G. G. Lowery and family are now in Jefferson. Brother Lowery connects with the school there as Bible teacher. We are pleased to have him with us in the conference this winter.

Elder Isaac gave an interesting sermon during the morning hour last Sabbath here in Keene. He made an earnest appeal for cooperation between school and village, which all gladly respond to we are sure.

Elder C. U. Taylor is in the office for a few days getting caught up with his work before going out on another trip.

WHAT WILL THE HARVEST BE?

The treasurer's report for September showed \$347.07 already received this year on the Harvest Ingathering goal. As he had not received anything on the Harvest Ingathering goal at the close of September last year it gives us the advantage of that much start on our goal this year. Now let us all put our shoulders to the wheel and give it a good push so we can keep it rolling for you know after we get the wheels to rolling we can roll it over a mountain if we have enough power behind it. Jesus says, "All power in heaven and earth is given unto me...and lo I am with you, even unto the end of the world." With Jesus' help and the united efforts of our loyal people of the North Texas Conference I know we can reach our goal.

Waco reports \$43.75 this week placing her far in the lead of any church in the conference whose reports have reached us so far, making her a total of \$187.60. This is fine for Waco, but Gainesville

makes a good showing for a little church of only fifteen members with considerably over half of their goal already reached. They set their goal at \$10.00 per member which would be \$150.00. With \$84.00 already received you see they are the first church to get started on the down hill run. We hope the \$9.00 they have on the last half of their goal will give them such a boost that they will not stop until they go "over the top." But there are some others who are working just as faithfully in some of the other churches, their amounts may not be so large, nor their percentage so high, but they are doing all they can. What they need is the combined efforts of all their brethren and sisters, for you know "in unity there is strength." Will you not, dear brethren and sisters, "unite your efforts with those of the ministers and church officers" and thus help us to finish the work. "Lift up your eyes and look, behold the fields are white already to harvest." What will the harvest be? The answer depends upon the response of the reapers. May the Lord help us do our very best.

C. U. TAYLOR.

FAREWELL

As we leave the North Texas Conference for another field of labor, we take this opportunity to send a "fond farewell" and "God bless you" to our friends throughout the conference. You have been very kind to us, which has made our work most pleasant.

To the Missionary Volunteers of North Texas we send a special "good-bye" message. We wish you the Lord's richest blessings in your efforts to help others. Be faithful. Be real Missionary Volunteers.

We also send a special "farewell" to the faithful church school teachers. We can not begin to tell you how we shall miss your good letters and kindly words of cheer as we have visited your schools. May the Lord bless you with success in winning your boys and girls to Christ this year.

Now a final word of appreciation to our many friends in Keene. Your friendship has made life worth while. Pray for us as we leave you. for this will help us so much.

The old college is very dear to our hearts. May it ever be true to the principles and traditions of Christian education, and thus be used of God as a means of saving many young people.

Again requesting your earnest pray

ers to God for us as we try to help the young people in Colorado. We are

Faithfully yours,
MR. & MRS. N. W. DUNN.
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SOUTH TEXAS CONFERENCE

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Sec.-Treas. Etta Hewgley

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S. Texas White	10337.60	5037.21	5300.39
S. T. Col. & Mex.	831.84	671.89	159.95

ITEMS

310 students were enrolled in the church schools of South Texas the first school month, 1922. Nine of that number are taking 9th grade work. For the corresponding month last year the records show that there were only 197 children attending our schools.

Brother Kirkham was in the office Wednesday morning for the first time since his illness. He hopes to soon regain his strength and be at his usual work.

Interesting reports come to the office from the Taylor Company. The attendance continues good and the interest is growing. The third week in October will bring in the deciding truths. That week will largely determine who will obey.

Tithe for 3rd quarter, 1922 was 4575.76
Tithe for 3rd quarter, 1921 was 4771.67
Tithe for 3rd quarter, 1920 was 4943.81
Sab. school offg. 3rd qr., 1922 1512.96
Sab. school offg. 3rd qr., 1921 1499.54
Sab. school offg. 3rd qr., 1920 1996.64
Har. Ingathering 3rd qr., 1922 1620.47
Har. Ingathering 3rd qr., 1921 688.61
Har. Ingathering 3rd qr., 1920 979.79

The conference shortage in missions is \$5910.04. If every member of the conference would pay as much as \$31.00 to missions during the entire year the goal would be reached. Is that asking too much for you to give to missions?

LINOTYPE OPERATOR WANTED

We could use a student linotype operator if he is a good one. School expenses could easily be made. Write M. E. Ellis, Keene, Texas.

COLPORTEUR'S WEEKLY REPORT

S. W. J. C. NEWS NOTES

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ARKANSAS CONFERENCE

For week ending Oct. 7, 1922

Name	Address	Book	Hrs.	Ords.	Val.	Helps	Total	Del.
*R. S. Little		OD&BR	66	2	5 50		5 50	69 25
Kersey Graves		OD	15	2	6 50	25	6 75	25
B. G. Maguire		BR	33					327 75
Cecil Morton		OD	51					193 50
Agents 4			165	4	12 00	25	12 25	590 75

*For two weeks.

SOUTH TEXAS CONFERENCE

For Week Ending October 7 1922.

Name	Address	Book	Hrs.	Ords.	Val.	Helps	Total	Del.
Wm McKenzie		GC	21	4				20 00
*A. A. Prewitt		OD	111	172				548 25
Miguel Costillo		PG	42	21	90 00		90 00	27 00
A. E. Johnson		GC	23	11		1 50	1 50	55 00
A. T. King		PG	26					117 00
Mrs. F. T. Sevier	Mag.				49 90		49 90	49 90
The Stoners	BR		29	2	35 75		35 75	44 75
H. Romans	BR		36	7	37 50	7 00	44 50	50
Mrs. H. Roman	OD		30	13	36 25	9 25	45 50	1 25
J. E. Shidler	HH&OD		60	47				220 50
John Kibble	OD		25	6	24 00	1 75	25 75	11 00
Agents 11			377	47	273 40	19 50	292 90	1095 15

* Two weeks

OKLAHOMA CONFERENCE,

For Week Ending Oct. 7 1922.

Name	Address	Book	Hrs.	Ords.	Val.	Helps	Total	Del.
A. J. Killion		BR	41	14	64 50	28 75	93 25	7 45
M. J. Dow		BR	19		49 50	10 25	59 75	2 25
Mrs A. K. Rogers		BR	18	17	16 50	10 00	26 50	
W. S. Syphers		BR	30	32	102 00	2 75	104 75	13 25
M. M. Sikes		PP	26		4 50	7 50	12 00	3 25
John Howard	PPF							16 00
Altus Almond	BR		32	10	45 00		45 00	15 50
J. P. Williams	OD		31	17	46 75	30 75	77 50	16 50
R. D. Whitney	BR		45			17 50	17 50	56 50
J. S. Heytz	OC		18	5	15 75		15 75	75
Frank Webb	Mis.		16			7 75	7 75	
Mrs. M. Schilt	BR		16		8 00		8 00	17 00
Ollie Buxton	OD		49	6	16 50	11 52	28 02	24 75
Z. L. Davis	back report							67 00
Bibles delivered								31 75
Misc. Bibles					38 81		38 81	38 81
Misc. Boods					105 25		105 25	105 25
Agents 14			335	95	474 25	175 58	639 83	406 01

TEXICO CONFERENCE,

For Six Weeks ending Sept. 30 1922

Name	Address	Book	Hrs.	Ords.	Val.	Helps	Total	Del.
Mrs. Agnew		BR	8					
F. J. Mackay		OD	182	35	126 25	16 25	142 50	
C. A. Walgren		GC	80	18	82 50	12 50	95 00	
Mrs. Walgren		BR	33	7	33 00	13 50	46 50	
P. H. Almagter		PG			153 00		153 00	
M. Juarros		PG	30	26	108 00		108 00	
M. Warnock	BML		28		18 85		18 85	
M. E. McNeeley	BR		96	5	22 50	29 50	52 00	
E. F. Stairs	GC		95	7	39 00	8 50	47 50	
Mrs. McNaeley	BR		33	4	18 00	8 75	26 75	
J. Turner	BR		4	6	27 00	27 50	54 25	
J. Turner	BR		37	5	22 50	12 75	35 25	
Misc. Sales					400 00		400 00	
Agents 13			677	128	1112 60	133 75	1246 35	1050 10

Grand Total, agents, 42 1554 274 1872 25 329 08 2191 33 3142 01

Mr. Perry Abel, a former student of S. W. J. C. will soon visit his parents here before leaving for a foreign field.

Students are arriving every day. This week the following have enrolled: Irvin Taylor, of Texico; Norma Allen, of Texas; Marshall Tucker and Leo Kinder, from Oklahoma; also Cecil Jenkins from Gainesville, Texas.

Last Friday night the Mission Bands were organized with Professor Lorenz at the head of the South American Band, and Elder Straw as the leader of the African Band.

The new universal machine for the manual training department came Monday and has been installed.

The Young Men's and Young Women's Glee Clubs were organized last Tuesday. The ladies glee club has sixteen members and the young men's twenty.

Last Sabbath night the boys and girls played games in front of the boys' dormitory. For fear the moon would fail to come up electric lights were strung overhead.

Laboratory work in the science classes has been arranged for this week.

Mrs. Yates is back in the office again after an absence of several weeks.

Several have attended the Dallas Fair this week. Charles Mosely, Mr. Sanders and others motored to Dallas in the College jitney Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Cram and Mrs. J. E. Brown, Professor and Mrs. Isaac, and Mr. and Mrs. Dortch also attended.

Mr. Cram's car was wrecked Wednesday as they were on their way to the Fair. No one was hurt.

Misses Olson, Riffle, and Patterson went to Dallas Sunday.

The Schmidts and Woodwards attended the Dallas Fair Tuesday.

There are eighteen students taking normal work this year. All of these young people are looking forward to church school work.

President Isaac hasn't forgotten his boyhood days for one afternoon we saw him riding one of the colts on the school farm.

Leo DeBolt, a former student of S. W. J. C., visited the college a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Cole Parkins, our missionaries to Haiti, are in Washington,

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D. C., where Brother Parkins brought
his wife for treatments in the sanita-
rium.

The officers have been chosen for the
Latin American Mission Band: leader,
R. F. Cook; asst. leader, Roy Griffin;
secretary, Brent Zachary; pianist,
Ruth La Roe; chorister, Dwight
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Texas.

THE PAROCHIAL SCHOOL
NUMBER OF THE SIGNS

Elder W. F. Martin, Associate Sec-
retary of the Religious Liberty Depart-
ment of the General Conference, was
so impressed with the Signs of the
Times devoted to the Parochial School
question that he asked us to send out
an appeal to our people in behalf of
studying it carefully and using as many
copies as possible in educating others
on this question of growing importance.
He said, "The special number of the
Signs of the Times dealing with the
church school question is very timely.
In a number of states laws have been
proposed, some of which are now pend-
ing, and which if passed will result in
closing our church schools. This would
strike at the very genesis of our work.
Our children must be saved to the
cause. The church school is the strong-
est factor to do this; the enemy knows
this and is making an effort to destroy
them. This number of the Signs sets
forth clear reasons why such schools
should be maintained and wherein the
proposed laws are unchristian and un-
American and should not exist. The
articles are from the pens of well
known writers. The paper should be
carefully read by our own people and
many thousands distributed among
those not of our faith."

Those desiring this number can se-
cure copies at the rate of 2½c. each for
any quantity above ten. Order through
your Tract Society calling for the Pa-
rochial School number or issue of Sep-
tember 26.

SIGNS OF THE TIMES.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends in
Keene and vicinity, including the facul-
ty and students of the College, for
their help, and kind words of interest
and sympathy, during the sickness,
death and burial of our husband and
father, and for the floral offerings as
well.

MRS. A. E. COX AND FAMILY.

SPANISH EDITION OF THE
HARVEST INGATHERING

Owing to the fact that there are
thousands of Spanish-speaking Mex-
icans and others that would greatly
appreciate the Spanish edition, it will
be found to be very helpful to our
brethren and sisters who solicit among
them, to supply themselves with the

Spanish edition of the Harvest Ingath-
ering. Already some good donations
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musical Spanish language. You will
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able, very liberal in proportion to their
means, and as a rule glad to give to
philanthropic work. The papers are
ready. Do you have yours?

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greater part of the funds given in Har-
vest Ingathering were given in the
Mexican section. One Mexican sister
in south Texas averaged over one dollar
apiece for each paper. Brethren and
sisters let us make full use of the Span-
ish Harvest Ingathering number for
missions. God will give us returns.
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mile north of Keene. For further
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gason, Egan, Texas.

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on farm or ranch by month. When
writing please state wages you will
pay. We are experienced farmers and
will work. One man has family of
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