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Week of Sacrifice

"It is more blessed to give than to receive."

We approach the Week of Sacrifice this year facing the greatest responsibility we have yet had to confront. A year nearer Christ's coming, a year nearer our heavenly home, a year nearer eternal death to millions, and yet how great is the unfinished task of reaching unentered places with the gospel message before Jesus comes.

Seventh-day Adventists, under the blessing of God, have the privilege of honoring Him in the greatest hour of earth's history. We have generally understood and believed that the third angel's message is to reach every part of the world in this generation. This being true, what is our responsibility?

"We have a greater and more solemn truth than was ever before committed to mortals, and we are held responsible for the way we treat that truth. Every one should be intent on saving souls."—Testimonies, Vol. V, p. 307

In the early days of this movement it was advanced only by deep consecration and sacrifice. There were but few believers, and they faced a stupendous task, yet they were happy to give as liberally as they could. Many sold their farms or homes, or made other sacrifices proportionate as God had blessed them, to advance the message. Similar consecration and sacrifice have been seen down through the years with the growing work. God calls for the same liberality in supporting the world work now as he did in earlier days; and more so, for we are nearing the close of time. All we possess belongs to Him. He is owner of all. It must be at His disposal. Our home, our salary or income must be subject to his call. Unless this is true now, it may be too late at some future date. The work has grown to such proportions now that greater demands are made upon us. For this we should thank God.

By the year 1900 we were publishing this blessed truth in thirty-nine lan-

guages; by 1910, in sixty-seven languages. But after the world war we saw a rapid advance year by year. In 1921 we were operating in one hundred and seventy-nine languages. In 1930 this had reached the figures of four hundred and seventeen. Then from 1930 to 1935, during those hard years, the total number reached the figure of five hundred and seventy-eight. This year we are carrying on the work in seven hundred and fourteen languages.

Our hearts should overflow with joy to God for these wonderful openings and providential leadings to spread this saving truth. But there goes with this rapid growth very heavy financial responsibilities. Every new language conquered for Christ means increased care in operation. And there are many new opening on the waiting list. Our missionaries sacrifice the privileges of the homeland, bid farewell to loved ones, and labor for years in trying climates, with sickness and disease everywhere. We have sent them out, and shall we now hold back from their support and the work they are doing?

A missionary of many years returned from overseas and visited his widowed mother, who was aged and living alone. He suggested that he should not return, but remain in this country where he could be near his mother and take care of her. But that dear mother was of the pioneer type. She had dedicated her son to God, and she said, "No my son; if God calls you to return to the foreign field, you go. I will be all right." He returned; the mother now sleeps. That is the kind of mothers God has in this cause. And the sons and daughters are answering the calls from the many fields where God is leading the way.

We have now come to a great and vital point in our world task. We face a mighty challenge. The doors to over seven hundred languages are opened to us, and from many other doors they are beckoning us to enter. The General Conference Mission

Board is counting on every loyal member to help at this time with a liberal offering. We cannot stand still. "Advance," is our Commander's order.

God will cut short His work in righteousness. He is ready to do greater things for us in a shorter time. We quote here a few lines from the pen of inspiration, showing Heaven's desire and willingness to lead the way that the work may be quickly finished.

"It has cost self-denial, self-sacrifice, indomitable energy, and much prayer, to bring up the various missionary enterprises where they now stand. . . . But were there the same diligence and self-sacrifice manifest at the present stage of the work as at its beginning, we should see a hundred times more than is now accomplished."—Id., Vol. VI, p. 419.

While our heavenly Father has worked for us so marvelously, and we are confronted now with such remarkable openings, most earnest appeal is made that every one plan now in the spirit of prayer, to have a definite part in the offering during the Week of Sacrifice, by giving the week's salary or income, or its equivalent. Let it be a week of gratitude and sacrifice; and may God bless us each as we rally to the call at this time.

The date the offering will be received is November 26.

Wm. A. Butler.

It Can be Done

When called into service by none other than the Lord Himself, Moses asked, "Who am I that I should go?" He began to pity himself. Self-pity or selfishness, heads the list of negative traits, yet it is a most common failing and one, if not corrected, that can easily ruin one's career.

How like Moses many of us are today. When asked to take part in the Home Workers' campaign and help carry the message of a soon coming Saviour to neighbors and friends, how hard it is to find time, and how hard it is to find seemingly good, logical reasons for not taking part.

Or possibly you had put in a day of soliciting orders for these character-building books with but few sales and feel that you are a failure. Self-pity creeps in and you ask, "Why should I continue in this work?" There is one thing you can do,—keep on keeping on. There is one most vital element in making a success in life, and it is to keep on keeping on. We probably all fail a good many times to every one time we succeed, but the great thing is to learn how to weave success out of the warp and woof of failure.

It can be done. You can sell many of these character-building books which have been especially selected for holiday sales. The man who keeps on keeping on is the man who succeeds in the end and beats the thing we call "luck." Never allow doubt or self-pity to enter in, for all depressing emotions are friends of "bad luck." Fear makes failure. Self-pity is sure to cripple you. Be optimistic, courageous and hopeful. Plan for and expect great things. God is able to do abundantly above all we ask or think. The greatest factor in bringing success is YOU.

Each year thousands of dollars' worth of our message-filled books are placed in the homes of the people gifts this year, and many people will at the holiday season. Millions of dollars will be spent for Christmas buy our character-building books if given opportunity. Go forward in faith, and success will crown your efforts. Others are doing it. It can be done. You can do it. P. D. Gerard

Lay Preachers' Institute

The conference committees have again made plans for such institutes to be conducted during the month of November for all of our conferences. The dates agreed upon by the presidents are as follows:

Iowa	Nov. 11 to 13
Minnesota	Nov. 15 to 17
Nor. & South Dak.	Nov. 18 to 20

Elder Bergherm of the General Conference, and Elder Oswald, our union president, will be with us to give counsel. Local conference presidents and home missionary secretaries, as well as some district leaders, will also attend the institutes. With such excellent help, we are sure to have a good time together. Any one interested in this work, please write your respective conference office and make

your request. All those who will be invited to attend will then be notified in time to be present. The conference will again share in the transportation and entertainment expense.

May the Lord move upon the hearts of many to enter willingly into this new but very successful plan of soul winning work. D. E. Reiner.

Some Intrinsic Values of Language Study

The question as to the educational worth of any subject must always be a pertinent one. In considering the function of language in general as an instrument of education, it can be said that the mere fact of learning another language is in the highest degree beneficial. We learn our own language from the lips of our mother. It grows with our growth, and strengthens with our strength, so as to become a second self. In the process of acquiring another language, however, we are brought away from our own associations to the higher truths which form the intellectual pabulum of the general mind of man, whenever we have learned to express our thoughts in some other set of words. Ennius once said that he had three hearts, because he understood three languages. This is a great mistake. Emperor Charles V was nearer the truth when he said that for every language a man learns he multiplies his individual nature and brings himself one step nearer to the general collective mind of man.

We are living in a day and age when there is an increasing tendency to value only the practical results of any particular study—to count of importance only the actual "bread and butter" results, and lose sight of the cultural aspects. A definition of culture will open the field for us. In the words of Duhamel it is "the fine effect left in us by that which we have forgotten." Some one else has put it more explicitly thus: "A cultured man is not the man who knows so many things, but the man who has an open mind; who has intellectual curiosity, a highly developed receptivity to the other fellow's point of view; who is willing to grant that the stranger may have something worthwhile to give; and is willing to try to understand that stranger. In short, he has cultivated mental hospitality." The natural reactions of the uneducated are to regard all foreign ways as funny or absurd. A language student learns to take a

more scientific attitude: foreign ways are not necessarily inferior or superior, but they are different. Many sensible people can think and act differently from the ways to which we are accustomed. The language student learns the valuable lesson of guarding himself against both dangers; he develops uncritical pride in domestic customs, and uncritical enthusiasm for foreign manners.

The student, for example, who studies German—and the same may be said of French and other languages—gets some idea of what Germany is, how the Germans live, how they look at life, and what contributions they make to the civilization of the world. He learns in what way the Germans are different in all these respects. Comparison is a valuable element in education. Even in the study of grammar we use comparison between familiar English words or expressions and divergent uses in foreign languages.

This widening of scope; this shattering of set habits of thinking; this shaking of standards as far as their imaginary universal validity is concerned; this demonstration of new avenues of approach to the phenomena of life and the world, with its broadening educational effect; can all be accomplished by the study of a foreign language as such.

Language study makes the individual a conscious part of a great human unity and thereby becomes a potent force in the direction of peace and progress of the world. This is particularly true in these times when world condition are so unsettled. You cannot know a people until you know their language. Holmes said: "Every language is a temple in which the

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soul of those who speak it is enshrined." Language study then develops a sympathetic understanding of the foreign peoples and their cultural achievements. It helps to understand the physical surroundings of the foreign nations and the manifestations of the intellectual and ethical forces that have actuated them in the past, and, in identical or changed forms, govern their aspirations at present. Language study's chief benefits are: its liberating, humanizing influence; the broadening of the individual's outlook upon world problems; the deeper understanding of his obligation to humanity at large; and a more just appraisal of his duties as a Christian in relationship to mankind in general. At Union College we are endeavoring to emphasize the above values in addition to the fundamental objectives of language study.

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District Six

The Harvest Ingathering privilege of 1938 is closed. Our goals in the district are passed, with a nice little over margin. This is true of nearly all sister districts and for the entire conference; so we all rejoice together. It has been a pleasant task, as are all tasks for the advancement of the kingdom of God. It has been a pleasure to say, "Thank you," to all our church leaders and believers for the loyal way you have worked and organized the forces of God's people in this great missions support.

At a recent week-end we were with the Winona church. The membership is small, but God has wonderfully blessed them in their undertakings. With only thirty members, they had raised, to that date, \$310.04, most of which was raised in the month of August. Lesson: It pays to start early. Of the total amount, the singing band had raised nearly \$100.00. Many were the favorable mentions of their work by those to whom they brought the message of hope and

cheer in song. It is marvelous what this little group of loyal workers have done.

It was interesting to note the quiet, yet appreciative, spirit that possessed the Missionary Volunteer members, as Brother Tate Zytkoskee announced that the Duluth M. V. society had forwarded to Winona the conference honor banner for the third quarter. This little company of young people are surely working together, and, while there is no rivalry, they are not planning to slacken their pace.

Now, the believers in this district are ready for the next section of the conference missionary program, the follow-up work with the new tract, "The New Era Series," which is provided for our personal house-to-house work this fall and winter. To the Austin church this was first introduced, and they quickly ordered two hundred sets. Get ready, dear brethren and sisters, for we are coming to you with them most any day. We give glory to God for His willingness to use us in service.

J. W. Christian.

Duluth Investiture

The enthusiasm in the Junior Progressive work did not stop at camp meeting, no indeed not, for here and there all over this conference are groups of Juniors, yes, groups of Seniors too, working out their requirements to become Friends, Companions, Comrades and Master Comrades.

Immediately after camp meeting Esther Nelson started working with a group of Juniors at Duluth. She had them ready for investiture by the close of the summer, but it was impossible for us to make plans at that time for such a service. Miss Nelson left for nurse's training and Mrs. Irving Stauffer continued with the class.

Friday evening, October 28, these Juniors were presented by Mrs. Stauffer and the M. V. leader, Miss Jeanette Smith, to be invested into the class of Friends. An inspiring program was given by the ten Juniors. Then a solemn promise was made by each Junior, by the Grace of God to keep and abide by the Junior pledge and law, and the charge was given.

We are sure these investiture services will become more numerous for churches are organizing into Junior, Senior, and even Mothers' or Parents'

groups, to work out the requirements which build three-fold: spiritually, physically, and mentally. Anyone desiring more information about this progressive class work, please write me.

C. H. Landa, M. V. Sec,
1854 Roblyn Avenue,
St. Paul, Minnesota.

Wedding

Miss Viola Smith of Bluffton, Minnesota, and Mr. Clifford Anderson of Verndale, Minnesota, were united in holy matrimony on Thursday, October 20, at the home of Elder and Mrs. D. K. Olson in the presence of a few friends.

The couple was attended by Lillian Anderson, sister of the groom, and Dale Smith, brother of the bride.

Their many friends wish them God's richest blessings, as they establish a christian home.

Ruth Olson.

Sabbath November 12

The annual colporteur rally day has been set for Sabbath, November 12. The program for this date has been sent to each of the ordained and licensed ministers and to each local church elder and leader. This program, except for the local experiences supplied by each conference, will be observed in our churches in all of the North American Division.

What should we look for in this program? Note the progress that our work enjoys because of God's blessing upon earnest evangelists of the printed page. Did you know we now print this message in 194 languages? You will discover a definite need for more canvassers. If, during the call for new workers, you feel that this is the work God wants you to do at this time, answer "Lord, here am I; send me." Feel free to make your intentions known to your local leaders or to me at 1854 Roblyn Avenue, St. Paul, Minnesota.

S. G. Cross

News Items

Sunday, October 23 at 2:00 P. M. a district meeting was held in the city hall at Rochester. The churches of the district were well represented. Elder L. H. Christian had been invited to speak and as usual, he gave us a wonderful message, telling of the many changeable things there are in the world today, but asking us to remember that God never changes, and

we should always put our faith and trust in Him. At the close of the service Brother Marshall and Brother Cross had a book display, and over \$70 worth of our truth-filled books were sold.

The two efforts that are in progress are continuing with a good interest. Sunday night Elder Smith presented the Sabbath at Mankato to a large and interested audience. They are very much encouraged over the prospects in that city. On the same night Elder Bietz presented the Mark of the Beast to a packed auditorium. Over one hundred people signed the covenant to keep the true Sabbath. Remember these two efforts in your prayers.

We are fast nearing the expiration of our radio contract and are anxious to know whether our people desire this contract renewed. The conference is not in a position to finance this without help from the members. If you are interested in seeing this continued, kindly give your donation to your church treasurer, or if you are isolated send it direct to the conference office.

Iowa Conference

DeWitt S. Osgood, President
Eugene Woessner, Secretary

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Colporteur Rally Day

We trust that each church will observe this day and that a suitable program will be arranged, emphasizing the importance and blessings of the literature ministry.

Super Goal

Forty-two churches have reached their Harvest Ingathering super goal. This is excellent! Some of these churches are still pressing on, continuing the good work.

We would urge the churches who have not yet reached the super goal to arouse and work in this favorable time of the year that they, too, may have the joy of success in the Harvest Ingathering program.

Victory Campaign

The last seven Sabbaths of the year, beginning with November 19 and concluding December 31, have been set apart as the time when we should especially rally and finish suc-

cessfully the Iowa Institutional Relief campaign. The goal device and the promotion material will soon be in the churches. We trust that all will cooperate so that Iowa's 1938 debt-reducing program will fully succeed.

DeWitt S. Osgood

MISSIONARY VOLUNTEER RALLY—District No. 7

November 12—Exira, Iowa

Please note this is a change of location for this rally from Atlantic to Exira. All churches in District No. 7 are invited.

Endowed Bed Fund

Already our good people have responded to the appeal for contributions to the endowment fund. One writes: "I am enclosing a check to the sanitarium for \$50.00 to be used in the Endowed Bed Fund. I think few people appreciate our sanitariums more than I do. Wish I were rich and could keep up a room all the time. Also wish I could afford to make my home there."

This is the feeling of many others who have spent some time there. It could be yours, so when you need medical care in any form, come to your sanitarium. I know there are others who wish to help in this Endowed Bed Fund, so respond as your heart desires.

A. E. Gilbert, M. D.

Wedding

A wedding ceremony was conducted at the home of the writer on October 31, when he united in marriage Miss Edith Beck of Lake City, Iowa, and Maurice Bascom of Panora, Iowa.

The couple will make their home at Guthrie Center. May God bless this new home.
B. A. Scherr

Investment

Just think of it! If every member in the Iowa conference would raise one dollar for the Investment Fund, we would have around \$3000. Last year the Iowa Conference raised \$1500 through the Investment plan.

Now this is the time of the year for the Investment program. Every Sabbath school officer should plan to have a real program for this occasion. Decorate the church, call in neighbors



Iowa Sanitarium and Hospital
"The Health Center"

and friends. Bring in your investment and see what Iowa can do this year.

Now, dear reader, we trust that you will have your investment offering ready. What have you invested for the Lord? I am sure you know that He is very good to us. Why not give an investment offering to Him.

B. A. Scherr

North Dakota Conference

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Free Calendar

A CHRISTIAN HOME CALENDAR will be given FREE with new and renewal subscriptions to the REVIEW, BIG FOUR, and FAMILY GROUP. This offer is good until December 15.

If your subscription does not expire for several months, renew it now and receive as a gift from the Book and Bible House this valuable wall calendar.

Review & Herald 1 yr. \$2.75

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B. L. Schlotthauer

Man's great danger is in being self-deceived, indulging self-sufficiency, and thus separating from God, the source of his strength.—Vol. VIII, p. 315.

Lay Preachers' Institute

Careful study has been given to the question of holding a second Lay Preachers' Institute, and recently a decision was reached to hold such an institute in which South Dakota will again join the North Dakota Conference. The date for the institute is November 18-20 and it will be held in Jamestown. It will open at 7:30 Friday evening and continue until the following Sunday evening.

An invitation has been extended to eighteen of our lay brethren and sisters in North Dakota so that, together with those who will come from South Dakota, we will have quite a large gathering.

We are glad to announce that we will have help from the General Conference. Elder W. H. Bergherm, associate secretary of the Home Missionary Department, will be with us and Elder E. H. Oswald and D. E. Reiner from our union conference will be in attendance, so that we will have excellent help from these experienced men.

The Lord richly blessed our first institute and we believe that this second institute will lead us into real success in the program of lay preaching.

D. N. Wall.

Good News

Yes, indeed, this is good news. Something FREE. Listen! If you order the REVIEW AND HERALD for one year you will receive the Christian Home calendar free. If your subscription does not expire for several months, order now and receive the gift that the Book and Bible House offers.

- Review & Herald, 1 yr. \$2.75
- Big Four, 1 yr. \$3.75
(Review, Life and Health,
Liberty, Present Truth)
- Family Group, 1 yr. \$6.50
(Big Four, Worker, Gazette,
Instructor)

The Christian Home calendar FREE with either of these groups. This offer is good until December 15.

The Youth's Instructor, new or renewal yearly subscriptions is reduced from \$1.95 to \$1.75. This offer will remain open until Christmas. Those of you who ordered the Instructor for three months for 25 cents should take advantage of this reduced price.

Life and Health: A copy of the "Beatitudes" by Taylor G. Bunch,

will be sent free by the Book and Bible House to anyone ordering five or more yearly subscriptions at one time at the S. D. A. rate of 75 cents each. This offer is also good until Christmas.

Certainly these are worth while offers. Every S. D. A. home should have these wonderful papers. Please take advantage of these special prices.

Geo. Loewen.

Harvest Ingathering

An inspirational and challenging incident occurred in the Ingathering work recently in district No. 1 which will be of interest to all the readers of the OUTLOOK. It was at Nome, and it grew out of the results of the meetings held there the past summer by Brother Grau and me. One of the ladies who has taken her stand for the truth in spite of determined opposition on every hand from the first, has heard us speaking from time to time in our Sabbath meetings about Harvest Ingathering. Although this program as well as other parts of the message, was new to her, she recognized that here was a work for the Master that she could do. At first hardly daring to suggest that she be given a part in it, she let her wish be known by a hint now and then to some of the church members. We were all encouraged by her willing attitude, but still we didn't seriously consider asking her to go because of the fact that she so recently had accepted the truth. We, by all means, would not have expected her to go to the places in Nome where she is known, at least not the very first thing.

But finally she became impatient with merely hinting, and last Monday she graciously asked for the privilege of doing Ingathering work in Nome. As I thought of the people she would meet and of the possible unkind reception she might have in many places, and of the effect it might have on her, I was a bit reluctant to consent at once, especially as she seemed to prefer to go alone rather than with me. But she almost pleaded as she said, "I want to do something for Jesus, too:" and I could not but say, yes. So I gave her a suggestive canvass, some papers, a book for the donors names, and left her with a prayer that God would richly bless such devotion for Him. Sometime during the week she was going out. You may be sure we all waited to hear the results. Sabbath she told

us,—\$9.60, far above what we had even dared to hope Nome would give this year; and what joy was hers in the accomplishment of a task for God. I believe we are beginning to see what God can do with a person who is thoroughly consecrated to His will. My hope is that this lady's act, done in such a simple trust, will be an encouragement to our older believers and a challenge to us all to arise and press the battle to the very gates of the enemy, that the work might soon be done
T. R. Torkelson

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The Indian Work

We greatly appreciate the efforts of our Dorcas Societies and individual members in assisting our Indian work with used clothing. However, we cannot begin to fill the demand for clothing. We have given a large number of these articles to those who are sorely in need of them, and we are being constantly besieged with requests of those who wish to buy clothing. The people are accustomed to buying clothing offered at sales put on by the other churches, and when they can afford to do so, are glad to pay for what they get. We have decided to have some sales during the first two weeks of November and apply the proceeds on our church building fund. We now have the building purchased and will need money for a stove, organ, etc., and our people can assist us materially, as well as help the Indian people, with used clothing to be sent us as soon as possible.

Mrs. Calvin D. Smith,
LaPlant, South Dakota.

Appointments

Elder C. L. Bond of Washington, D. C., associate secretary of the Missionary Volunteer Department, will visit the Bowdle church Sabbath and Sunday, November 12 and 13. Some of the local conference workers will also be present. The week-end meeting will begin Friday night, November 11, at 8 o'clock, and will continue on a full schedule throughout Saturday and Sunday. All Churches and members within attending dis-

tance should plan to be there. Especially are all the young people invited to come. Elder Bond has for many years been giving the young people of the denomination his undivided attention and interest, and we are sure his visit in South Dakota will bring inspiration and blessing.

From Bowdle, Elder Bond will go to Plainview Academy, where he will meet with the student body and faculty Monday and Tuesday, November 14 and 15.

J. H. Roth,
J. H. Rhoads.

Changes

We are living in a world of changes, and the cause of God is no exception to these changes.

As has been generally known throughout the field, Brother S. E. Ortner has been in ill health for some time. It was hoped that he would recover sufficiently to carry the burdens of the treasurership of the conference. However, time proved that it would be best for him to retire entirely for an indefinite period of rest.

The conference committee met some time ago and after discussing several names, asked the president to negotiate for an exchange of workers. It was found that we could call H. J. Perkins of the Iowa Conference to fill this important position, the Iowa Conference in turn calling one of our field workers; namely E. T. Gackenhaimer.

Brother Perkins is now serving as treasurer of the South Dakota Conference. All correspondence relative to the treasurer's work in the conference should be directed to the treasurer of the South Dakota Conference, or Brother H. J. Perkins.

We welcome this new worker and his family to the field, and we are sure that our people will be glad to meet them and get acquainted with them. We are sorry to lose Brother Gackenhaimer, but because of our financial stress, it was felt best to release him.

J. H. Roth

Colporteur Report

P. D. Gerrard

Union Field Secretary

Week Ending October 29, 1938

	Bks.	Hrs.	Sales	Del.
Iowa—G. H. Boehrig, Sec.				
Elsie A. Bahr	Mag.	19	5.60	5.60
William Betts	HR	39	6.70	
Roy Chamberlain	BR	30	13.00	

Mrs. Chamberlain	Misc.	11	8.00	1.00
E. Halverson	RJ	37	10.50	
A. E. Johnson	Misc.	37	17.50	17.50
Ray T. Kroll	H	44	23.50	5.00
Mrs. Anna Kremer	Misc.		2.05	2.05
Hazel Messenger	H	41	19.50	8.00
*H. W. Niswonger	H	90	315.50	315.50
Mrs. H. M. Nye	Misc.	2	.75	
Gordon Osgood	BL		2.00	22.25
Elsie A. Peckham	Mag.	14	2.90	2.90
Glenn Sh-lton	BR	40	38.00	15.75
H. Strickland	GC	32	8.25	.75
Viola Allen	Misc.		4.00	4.00
Ray Kingland	H		3.00	3.00
Wm. Finch	Misc.		1.50	1.50
Home Workers	Misc.		135.50	
Rosalie Hunt	Misc.		2.00	2.00
Mrs. F. Lehrkamp	Misc.		2.50	2.50
Mrs. Hugo Gerst	Misc.		2.00	2.00
Total		436	624.25	411.30

Minnesota—C. G. Cross, Sec.				
Karl Evenson	BR	54	158.55	9.05
R. J. Jones	BR	41	41.40	13.25
Myrtle Peterson	BR	41	35.90	1.75
Virginia Rust	Mag.	41	12.05	12.05
Clar G. Rust	Mag.	40	19.70	19.70
C. E. Powers	Mag.	32	13.05	13.05
William Greer	GC	28	27.65	51.95
Nina Magnuson	BR	14	13.80	31.55
Elsie Kivett	Mag.	14	4.20	4.20
J. Berg	Mag.	7	9.00	
Ruth Ytredal	Mag.	5	3.80	3.80
S. Christopherson	Mag.	4	1.45	1.45
Harold Santini	Mag.	3	.15	4.65
Mrs. Lequier	Mag.		5.55	5.55
Florence Pomroy	Mag.	24	6.30	6.30
Home Workers			85.90	29.45
Total		348	438.45	207.75

South Dakota—R. H. Brown, Sec.				
Jonathan Brenneise	RJ	16	12.00	2.25
*Orville L. Poore	HP	39	8.00	11.00
Robert Brown	Misc.	3	3.55	3.55
Total		58	23.55	16.80

North Dakota—Roger Baker				
Mrs. A. Scofield	HWS	62	1840	1.55
Edith Olson	HP	9		33.50
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Two Red Cross texts	\$1.45
Tuition	\$6.00
Total	\$7.45

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Textbook	\$1.25
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Total	\$7.25

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M. E. Olsen, President

Sunset Calendar

November 11, 1938

Des Moines, Iowa	4:57
St. Paul, Minnesota	4:48
Bismarck, North Dakota	5:13
Pierre, South Dakota	5:00

"Remember the Sabbath day to keep it holy. Six days shalt thou labor, and do all thy work: but the seventh day is the Sabbath of the Lord thy God."

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