

## Church News.

### Revivals.

We are in the second week of a revival meeting at Innisdale, Elwood circuit, White River conference, and so far there have been forty accessions to the church. I do not know how many conversions, probable fifty. We give God the glory.

G. E. SWARTZ.

We have just closed a four weeks' meeting at the Pleasant Grove church Middleton circuit, North Michigan conference. At first we labored under very discouraging circumstances, but by holding on in faith God blessed the work with rich results. The church has been greatly revived, fifteen, in all, have been brought to the Lord, and five have united with the church. And still we look for the good work to go on at this class. My next meeting will be at the Middleton class, beginning with the quarterly meeting Dec. 5th. I am expecting a few evenings help from the P. E., Bro. E. J. Moody. We are desirous for the prayers of the church general for God's blessing upon our humble efforts. May the Lord give us good old-fashioned revivals everywhere this winter.

J. SEELEY BEERS.

Portland mission, Michigan conference, has been blessed with the teaching and preaching of Dr. H. J. Becker for the last ten days. He came to us Nov. 21st and stayed until Dec. 2nd. His preaching was both spiritual and instructive, and his Bible talks in the afternoons were a rich feast to the soul. The spiritual condition of Portland may be appreciated when we tell you that there were only forty nine persons out to union Thanksgiving service, although there are six churches in the place, and one of the best preachers preached the sermon. Our congregations were quite small at first, but, before we closed, the house was filled. The second Sabbath evening the Baptist, the Congregational, and the Methodist preachers came to our church, and all got blessed too. The church was greatly blessed, two united with the church, and there is a general desire that Dr. Becker may come again. We continued the meetings and one rose for prayers last night. To our Christ be all the glory. Pray for Portland mission.

J. M. STONE, Pastor.

### Reports.

FREMONT MISSION, NORTH OHIO CONFERENCE.

After conference we moved on this work and commenced business for God, and thus far God has blessed the work. Our first quarterly was a blessing to the brethren, and a success. The elder's salary was paid in full. The pastor's salary was also full for the quarter. The elder Rev. J. D. Synder preached in

power and in the demonstration of the Spirit. After the quarterly we commenced a revival at Dewey schoolhouse which has been in progress for one week, and two have found the Lord, and many are seeking God. Pray for us that we may keep humble and in the order of the Lord, so that he may use us for his glory.

T. CARPENTER AND WIFE.

VAN ORIN STATION.

We are moving on slowly and, we trust, surely towards a gracious revival. Our first quarterly meeting recently held was very helpful. Bro. Harrison, the presiding elder, preached three uplifting sermons. The love-feast was a feast of good things. Our Sabbath evening Bible readings are awakening an interest. We hope soon to have an earnest U. B. C. E. society here. We are praying for the peace and prosperity of zion. The writer and family are very grateful for a good social gathering of brethren and friends at the parsonage and for the donation at that time and to date amounting to \$25. Let all who read this join in prayer for a gracious and general revival.

WM BEERS, Pastor.

### Appointments.

MICHIGAN—WEST DISTRICT.

Barry, Dec. 19, 1903; Caselton, Dec. 26; Cedar Creek, Jan. 2, 1904; Yankee Springs, Jan. 9; Freeport, Jan. 16; Lowell, Jan. 23; Gaines, Jan. 30; Salem, Feb. 6; Ganges, Feb. 13. All to commence at 2 o'clock p. m. sun time. Dear brethren let us all labor faithfully to bring in a good report, and I pray God to anoint us anew for this quarter's work and help us to put forth an extra effort to save precious souls.

HENRY COLES, P. E.

MICHIGAN - EAST DISTRICT.

Lesley, Bunker Hill church, Dec. 19, 1903; Conway, Cohoctah, Jan. 2, 1904; Potterville, North Point, Jan. 9; Charlotte, Jan. 16; Walton, Fox church, Jan. 23; Wakeshma, Scotts, Jan. 30; Ovid, Victor, Feb. 6; Portland, Portland, Feb. 13; Sunfield, Sebewa, Feb. 20; Riley, Slater church, Feb. 27. All to commence at 2 o'clock.

C. D. JARVIS, P. E.

### Married.

BLAKE-COLES. At the home of the bride's parents, Rev. and Mrs. Coles, in Ionia county, Mich., Oct. 7, 1903, by the bride's father George H. Blake of Ludington and Pink Coles of Ionia county, Mich.

ZOLLMAN-GESELMAN. At the officiating minister's residence, Pioneer, Ohio, on Thanksgiving morning, Mr. Ephraim Zollerman and Miss Bernice Gesselman were united in marriage, by Rev. E. Vaughn.

TOWNE-REYNOLDS. At the home of the bride's parents near Alvordton, O.,

Thanksgiving eve, Mr. Winfred Towne and Miss Effie Reynolds were married, Rev. Elmer Vaughn officiating.

HENRY-CLARKE. In Deckerville, Mich., Sept. 27, 1902, Levi Henry and Miss Maggie Clarke, by Dr. Alderton.

BEEFTON-FARNSWORTH. At the residence of John Farnsworth, by Dr. Alderton, Sidney Beefton and Miss Sadie Farnsworth of Wheatland, Mich., Nov. 18, 1903.

SPENCER-THORTON. At the residence of and by Dr. Alderton in Deckerville, Mich., Nov. 26, 1903, Loren A. Spencer and Miss Almeda Thornton.

YOUNG-COLEMAN. By Rev. D. C. Fleming, at the residence of Mr. J. W. Smith, Mr. Clyde Young and Miss Blanche Coleman, both of Wheeler, Mich.

NORTHRUP-LITTLE. At the U. B. parsonage, Wheeler, Mich., Nov. 25, 1903, by Rev. D. C. Fleming, Mr. Ernest E. Northrup and Miss Minnie May Little, both of Porter township, Midland county, Mich.

### College Park Items.

FOR WEEK ENDING DEC. 3.

Several new students have enrolled this week, making a total enrollment of ninety.

Mrs. Roberts enjoyed a visit from her brother Virgil Lower, of Warsaw, over Sunday.

C. C. Burger preached in the Andrews Methodist church Sunday evening.

Special meetings began Sunday evening under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor Society. The meetings have been very spiritual and much good has been done. Several converted and others reclaimed tells only a part of the story of the blessings of the meetings.

Profs. Brenizer and Hailing gave several selections in a program given in the Christian Chapel, Tuesday evening, under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor. They were both highly commended as able artists.

Prof. Brenizer went to Markle, Thursday, to give an evening's entertainment there.

R. F. C.



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