

The Deaf Child's Advocate

"It is not the will of your Father which is in Heaven,
that one of these little Ones should perish." Matt. 18:14.

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MEMORIAL WREATHS

A. For the Building Fund.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Schiefer, Frankenmuth, Mich., in memory of Mrs. G. Kern, \$2.00.

B. For the Current Expense Fund.

St. James' Cong., Logansport, Ind., in memory of Wm. Arnold, \$2.50.
From Wapakoneta, Ohio, in memory of Robert Jungkuntz of Jefferson, Wis., \$5.00.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Madetzke and Everet, Mr. and Mrs. H. Madetzke, Oscar Thompson and family, H. H. Ehrich and family, Mrs. H. Ehrich, Mrs. C. Wiese and family, Mr. and Mrs. L. Ehrich, Mr. and Mrs. H. Zierke, M. Thompson and family, Marvin Thompson and family, A. Hauskin and family, R. Zierke and family, and G. Ehrich, Elmore, Minn., in memory of Glendon Wayne Thompson, \$10.25.

Acknowledgement of Cash Gifts, January 1st to August 31st.

RECEIPTS

FOR CURRENT EXPENSE FUND

ILLINOIS—Y. P. S., Broadlands, \$5.00; Northern Ill. Dist., \$30.85; Bethlehem Ladies' Aid, Petersburg, \$10.00; St. John's Decatur, \$23.90; Gethsemane School, Chicago, \$1.60; Anna Puscheck, Forest Park, \$15.00.

INDIANA—Zion, Friedheim, \$5.00; Trinity Ladies' Aid, Evansville, \$15.00; Immanuel, Inglefield, \$3.37; St. Peter's School, Indianapolis, \$8.00; Mrs. Fred Hacke, Crown Point, \$2.00.

IOWA—Trinity Luth. School, Shenandoah, \$1.30; St. John's Luth. School, Victor, \$15.20; Mrs. H. Berghoefer, Hampton, \$10.00; Mrs. F. G. Behling, Boon, \$1.00; A Capella Chorus, Man-

ning, \$100.00; Iowa Dist., \$6.00.

KENTUCKY—Congregation at Ashland, \$10.70.

LOUISIANA—J. H. Schoenhardt, New Orleans, \$1.00.

MARYLAND—Miss Emma Kuehn, Baltimore, \$2.00 and \$5.00; A. J. Richter, Accident, \$25.00.

MICHIGAN—Miss E. Berns, Detroit, \$5.00; Congregation at River Rouge, \$11.25; Mr. Savery, Plymouth, \$2.00; Mr. Last, Plymouth, \$1.00; Hilda and Lydia Thaete, Detroit, \$6.00; N. N., Monroe, \$0.55; Rose Strieter, Detroit, \$5.00; Our Savior, Flint, \$2.00; Y. P. S., Macomb, \$10.00; Ladies' Aid, Mt. Clemens, \$10.00; Luth. School at Scio, \$8.00; Messiah, Detroit, \$75.00; St. John's Bible Class, Saginaw, \$5.00; St. John's S. S., Sagin-

aw, \$3.12; Teacher Daenzer's class, Richville, \$3.02; Grace, Monroe, \$15.97; S. S., at Munith, \$9.50; St. Andrew's, Detroit, \$22.60; Ladies' Aid for Deaf, Detroit, \$300.00; Mt. Olive S. S. Detroit, \$2.20; Several Ladies, Detroit, \$1.40; Messiah S. S., Detroit, \$30.00; Hope, Grand Rapids, \$15.00; Auguste Engel, Detroit, \$1.00; Henrietta Fischer, Detroit, \$1.00; Cong. at Hadley, \$10.40; Mr. and Mrs. Zucker, Frankenmuth, \$2.00; Al Frank, Frankenmuth, \$1.50; Sewing Circle, Port Hope, \$25.00; Ladies' Aid, Port Hope, \$10.00; Ladies' Aid, Ludington, \$19.65; S. S., at Ludington, \$37.60; Luther School, Port Hope, \$9.45; Congregation at Frankenmuth, \$150.00; Congregation at Port Hope, \$11.00; N. N., Detroit, \$10.00; Holy Cross, Saginaw, \$18.89; Cong. at Reese, \$7.00; N. N., Sebewaing, \$1.00; Cong. at Manistee, \$7.25; Zion, Detroit, \$78.44; St. Peter's, Detroit, \$72.00; Mr. and Mrs. A. Hasse, Arcadia, \$5.00; Cong. at Mt. Clemens, \$75.00; Ladies' Aid, Big Rapids, \$5.00; Bethany, Detroit, \$218.00; Stephanus, Detroit, \$20.30; N. N., Detroit, \$2.00; Cong. at Glendora, \$6.15; Cong. at Berrien Springs, \$39.30; Cong. at Monroe, \$103.90; Bethlehem, W. S., Detroit, \$74.67; Cong. at Forestville, \$6.50; Men's Club at Redford, \$25.00; H. Kaufmann, Detroit, \$3.00; Concordia, Detroit, \$136.35; Christmas celebration at Utica, \$97.00; Ladies' Aid, Taylor Twp., \$5.00; Bethel, Detroit, \$60.00; Cong. at Berkely, \$5.00; Cong. at Sandy Creek, \$1.75; Cong. at Benona, \$14.00; Cong. at Moltke, \$1.00; Cong. at Waltz, \$35.31; Emmaus, Detroit, \$17.00; Gethsemane, Detroit, \$15.00; Emmanuel, Bay City, \$43.27; St. John's, Detroit, \$7.75; Redeemer Cong., Detroit, \$100.00; Redeemer S. S. Detroit, \$50.00; Mt. Olive Cong., Detroit, \$10.; St. Thomas' Cong., Detroit, \$97.00; Cong., Melvindale, \$9.47; Cong., Sandy Creek, \$4.50; S. S., Ludington, \$1.00; Gethsemane, Detroit, \$15.00; Covenant, Detroit, \$30.74; Zion, Detroit, \$49.90; St. Andrews, Detroit, \$25.20; St. Peters, Detroit, \$18.62; St. John's, Detroit, \$11.30; St. Stephanus, Detroit, \$6.51; St. Thomas, Detroit, \$6.10; Epiphany, Detroit, \$1.77; Raymond Sigrist, Munith, Mich., \$.45; Immanuel, Detroit, \$6.75; Bethel, Detroit, \$9.00; Peace, Detroit, \$4.53; St. John's, Detroit, \$30.35; Trinity, Saginaw, \$32.05; Cong., Sebewaing, \$23.79; St. Joseph Co. Luth. Ass., \$92.87; Mrs. K. Urban, Detroit, \$2.00; Mrs. Kampe, Detroit, \$1.00.

MINNESOTA—Through Rev. Wehausen, Johnson, \$4.40; Through Rev. A. Schulz, Round Lake, \$3.50; St. John's Luth. School, St. James, \$18.00; St. Paul's Luth. School, Truman, \$9.55; Rev. A. Wenger, Ada, \$5.00; Rev. E. Bruns, Delane, \$2.11; Ladies' Aid, Stillwater, \$10.00; Through Rev. A. Beck, Fairmont, \$14.75; Zion, Little Falls, \$2.70; Trinity Luth. School, Nicollet, \$23.70; Confirmation Class, Eitzen, \$7.00; Luth. School, Lester Prairie, \$8.51.

MISSOURI—Congregation at Harvester, \$7.50; Congregation at Corning, \$38.25; Trinity, Cole Camp, \$7.00; Cong. at Wellsten, \$5.00; Dina Hartlein, Alma, \$50.00; Cong. at Orchard Farm, \$5.00; Cong. at Gardenville, \$5.13; Mrs. Marie, St. Louis, \$1.00; Cong. at St. Charles, \$15.00; Several People at Cole Camp, \$2.70.

NEBRASKA—First Trinity, Bloomfield, \$1.00; Trinity, Madison, \$16.00; Zion, Bancroft, \$6.30; Cong. at Crookston, \$15.46; Cong. at Upland, \$5.23; Grace, Fairbury, \$5.35; St. John's Ladies' Aid, Palmer, \$5.; Cong., Wayne, \$1.; Cong., Atkinson, \$10.50; Zion, Wismer, \$20.80; Mrs. Maria Meyer, Rising City, \$5.00.

NEW JERSEY—St. Paul's, Patterson, \$10.00.

NEW YORK—Cong. at Cohocton, \$7.00; Trinity, West Seneca, \$19.65; First Trinity, Buffalo, \$11.00; Salem, Springville, \$14.61; St. Andrews, Pekin, \$6.00; Emmanuel, Tonawanda, \$10.00; Buffalo, \$5.00; St. Paul's, Richmond Hill, \$4.62; N. N., Emmanuel, Kingston, \$5.00; Redeemer, Wakefield, \$5.00; Albany Dist. Walther League, \$33.00; St. Mark's S. S., Brooklyn, \$20.00; St. Paul's Cong., N. N., \$10.00; Grace Church, New York, \$1.35.

NORTH DAKOTA—Cong., Great Bend, \$2.50.

OHIO—Karl Baden, Hamler, \$5.00; Henry Westinghausen, Napoleon, \$5.00; St. Luke's, Wauseon, \$5.00; St. Paul's, Napoleon, \$42.00; E. G. Vorwerk, Napoleon, \$10.00; Zion, Cleveland, \$15.00; Ladies' Aid, Hamler, \$9.69; St. John's, Barea, \$5.00; St. John's, Elyria, \$49.98; St. John's, Garfield Heights, \$25.00; Bethany, Richwood, \$25.68; Emmaus, Wauseon, \$5.00; Zion, Maple Heights, \$6.00; Trinity, Elmore, \$13.00; St. John's, Napoleon, \$35.00; Christ, Cleveland, \$40.31; Emmanuel, Cleveland, \$35.68; Cong. at So. Euclid, \$35.00; St. Matthew's, Cleveland, \$50.00; Bethlehem, Cleveland, \$1.00; Zion, Akron, \$25.00; Zion Ladies' Aid, Columbus, \$10.00; Oscar Bauman, Cleveland, \$4.00.

PENNSYLVANIA—Bertha Steger, Pittsburgh, \$1.00; Cong. at Pittston, \$6.25; Emmaus, Du Bois, \$4.76; Emmaus, Scranton, \$5.00; Trinity, Pitcairn, \$15.22; Martin Luther cong., Punxsutawney, \$4.76.

SOUTH DAKOTA—St. John's, Aberdeen, \$4.10; Rev. Carl Mueller, Columbia, \$5.00; Through Konrad Klein Sub. to Deaf Child's Advocate from Aug. Goldhammer, Leo Goldhammer, Carl Peters, Tripp, each \$.50; Erck Bros., Tripp, \$1.; John Peters, Wagner, \$.50; Jno. Beck, Jno. Fauth, Emil Hahn, Konrad Klein, Delmont, each \$1.00; Wm. Denke, Ed. Juczwesky, David Jerke, Jon. Beck, Jr., Emil Jerke, Wm. Wachnitz, Geo. Schwaderner, Emil Fuerniss, Emil Neimann, Alex Haeuser, Gottlieb Link, Rev. H. Schmidt, Ray Goldhammer, Delmont, each \$.50; Phil. Stoltz, Sr., Phil. Stoltz, Jr., Delmont, each \$.25; Jno. Goldhammer, Wagner, \$.50; Wm. Uecker, Wagner, \$.20; Otto Vollmer, Yankton, \$.25; J. B. Jerke, Delmont, \$.75.

VIRGINIA—Bethlehem, Richmond, \$10.00.

WISCONSIN—Wm. Boeder, Milwaukee, \$1.00; Ladies' Aid, Reedsville, \$10.00; Rev. Engelbrecht's S. S., \$50.00; A. A. Moskop, Fon du Lac, \$1.00; Mrs. Franck Hoge, Wawatosa, \$.50; St. Paul's Ladies' Aid, Milwaukee, \$10.00; Cong. at Oakfield, \$6.80; Cong. at White Lake, \$18.00; Mrs. J. Gawrisch, La Crosse, \$1.00; Mrs. J. Barthel, Thiensville, \$.50; Mrs. A. Bogenkopf, Ashippun, \$.50; Members, Deer Park, \$13.42.

DISTRICT TREASURERS—Joint Synod, \$670.88; Norwegian Synod, \$45.50; Cal.-Nevada, \$34.31; Colorado, \$14.50; Eastern, \$15.00; English, \$151.57; Iowa, \$780.76; Kansas, \$72.55; Michigan, \$236.32; Minnesota, \$386.83; No. Dakota-Montana, \$29.86; No. Illinois, \$427.94; No. Nebraska, \$174.08; Oklahoma, \$5.00; So. Dakota, \$5.00; Southern, \$43.40; So. Illinois, \$84.10; So. Nebraska, \$317.73; So. Wisconsin, \$5.00; Texas, \$19.83.

FOR THE BUILDING FUND

Mich. Dist., \$156.65; Minn. Dist., \$18.35; Iowa Dist., \$139.23; No. Wis. Dist., \$.50; Okla. Dist., \$25.12; So. Nebr. Dist., \$60.33; Family B., Milwaukee, \$10.00; Trinity cong., Freistadt, \$75.00; Grace cong., Neligh, Nebr., \$11.09; Emmaus Luth. School, Indianapolis, \$18.60; St. John's, Lafayette, Ind., \$25.00; Luth. School, Lakefield, Minn., \$8.45; N. N., Marlin Tex., \$10.00; Cong. at Elbow Lake, Minn., \$5.00; St. John's,

New York, N. Y., \$5.00; Cong. at Greenwood, Wis., \$5.00; Wm. Boeder, Milwaukee, \$5.00; St. John's Luth. School, Manitowoc, \$11.00; Edna Bublitz, Cedarburg, \$1.00; C. Bublitz, Jackson, \$.50; Mrs. C. Bublitz, Jackson, \$1.00; Mrs. H. Kurth, Jackson, \$1.00; Ruth Kurth, Jackson, \$1.00; Mrs. J. Bublitz, Cedarburg, \$1.00; Cong. at Berlin, \$46.60; Cong. at White Creek, \$4.50; Zion, Akron, O., \$200.00; Geo. Grauf, Bay City, Mich., \$1.00; Cong. at Grand Haven, \$5.00; Bethlehem, Detroit W. S., \$73.75; Cong. at Bridgeman, \$30.20; N. N., Frankentrost, \$50.00; Cong. at Mt. Clemens, \$19.53; Ladies' Society, St. Clair, \$5.00; Mrs. J. Lindenfeld, Detroit, \$5.00; St. Matthew's, Detroit, \$45.00; Bethlehem, Saginaw, \$5.00; Cong. at Iva, \$479.49; N. N., Detroit, \$10.00; R. Young, Detroit, \$1.00; Emmanuel's, Detroit, \$1.00; Ladies' Aid, Frankentrost, \$100.00; Cong. at Britton, \$4.55; Messiah, Detroit, \$150.00; Trinity, Pontiac, \$8.00; Cong. at Berrien Springs, \$12.70; Herman Hillert and wife, Detroit, \$2.00; Lottie Cardac, Detroit, \$1.00; Cong., Centerline, Mich., \$2.45; Cong., Frankenmuth, Mich., \$8.00; Our Savior Cong., Detroit, \$25.00; Trinity, Saginaw, \$32.05.

IMPORTANT NEWS

A SPECIAL MEETING of the Society of the Ev. Luth. Deaf-Mute Institute was held in the evening of Tuesday, October 20th. The delegates representing the various congregations forming the Society, with a few exceptions, had come instructed as to their vote on the matter up for consideration that evening. The subject to be voted on was whether the new Institute should be built on the new grounds, near Plymouth, or on the old site in Detroit. By a majority vote it was decided to abandon the plan of a relocation and to build on the old site.

DIRE NECESSITY is responsible for this action. In the drive for funds for the new school on the new grounds, the goal which was necessary was not reached by sixty per cent. Since the drive, this has increased to about fifty per cent. The depression, which came upon us just at the time of the drive, which is still upon us, and whose end no man can foretell, makes it impossible to gather the sum that would be necessary to build on the new site. Be-

cause it is impossible for us to build a complete institution on a new site with the money we have at our disposal and a new school is becoming positively imperative, it was decided to build where we are and do the best we can with the money at our disposal.

QUICK ACTION was urged upon the Board of Directors to get the necessary plans made as soon as possible, again call a special meeting of the Society, lay the plans before it, so that construction might be started at the earliest possible time. If everything goes well, we expect to be in the new place by the fall of 1932, when the Institute opens its sixtieth school year. A building committee elected out of the Board is busily at work to bring to fruition our hopes and wishes.

"With the forces of evil backed by men and money systematically organized to destroy, we must back with men and money all campaigns for Christian education. We are willing to give our money and even our lives when our country calls in time of war. Yet the call of Christian education is today of even greater importance than was ever the call of the army or of the navy.—Roger Babson.

THE ENROLMENT

The enrolment of new pupils was eight. All but two were beginners. The ages range from not quite six to seventeen. These new entrants come from various parts of the land. From Michigan, including Detroit, four; from Pennsylvania, one; from Missouri, two; from Minnesota, one. Of the number newly enrolled two are not from Lutheran homes. The total number in school, of which three are day pupils, is thirty-four, nineteen boys and fifteen girls. Every bit of available space in the building is in use. We hope that the enrolment will keep pace with the larger and better school to be built and that the new school, when once erected, will be filled to capacity. The children are there, enough Lutheran children to fill a school of the capacity of the new one at least three times, not to speak of children outside of the church which might be sent. All our Lutheran children would be in their church school, if the parents would realize and recognize the crying need of a deaf child for slow, systematic, continu-

ous instruction in the truths of the Bible and for daily and continuous training on the basis of what they have learned.

THREE MILLION DEAFENED SCHOOL CHILDREN

Dr. H. M. Hays, chairman of a special committee on the hard of hearing child at the meeting of the American Medical Association stated that there are three million deafened school children in the United States.

Specialists recognize today that deafness in children is largely due to malnutrition of the mother which affects the development of the fetus during a certain period of prenatal life.

Most mothers, if they knew the real truth, would be far more careful of their diet and health before the birth of their child.

(Editor's note: These three million do not include such children as are totally deaf or too deaf to be in a common school, which children are, of necessity, pupils of schools for the deaf).

The United States has the only college for deaf people; no other country has one. It is supported and maintained by grants from Congress. It admits a certain number from each state each year.

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