

W. W. Prescott

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Mrs. E. G. White,

North Fitzroy, Victoria, Aus.

Dear Sister White:--

I find that we neglected to forward the picture of the little boy as I suggested we would do by the last mail. I therefore send it by this mail.

We have just received to-night the mail by the January boat, and with it came your article to me for the brethren and sisters here. No word of instruction accompanied it; but I suppose it is designed to be used for the benefit of the church. I shall try to make that use of it that will seem to bring the best results.

Our work for the past month has gone very much as usual. My meetings in the city continue with an increasing interest. Last ^{Sunday} night we had the best attendance and the best meeting which we have yet held. I think some are becoming genuinely interested and that we shall soon begin to see some fruit of our effort.

The General Conference Committee is now in session. The Institute opens Friday and these things, with other extra work, occupy my time very fully.

I shall begin soon to look for a cablegram from you in reference to the preparation of that book of which I wrote you in my last letter.

In a recent letter you spoke of the interest you had in the young men who are attending the College from Australia and New Zealand and I think you might like to know how they are getting

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on. You are of course aware of the fact that ~~Edgar~~ Care is at Ann Arbor, this being his second year in the study of medicine under the direction of the Sanitarium. His brother Eric is still here at the College. He has two or three times made some move toward being a Christian; but I do not think I can ^{really} say that I think he has been fully converted yet. He is getting on quite well this year; I think better than last year. Frank London and Thomas Waterworth are both having good Christian experience and do well in their work. William Bruce, who came to the College in September, at first seemed to be much more taken up with other matters than his school work and religion, but about the middle of November he took hold in good earnest and I think is trying to do his best. To what extent these young men will be able to advance the cause of truth on their return to their homes, I cannot tell; but we are doing the best we can to prepare them for any field of usefulness that may open before them.

I will not take the time to write farther now, but will close with kind regards to yourself and the other workers.

Yours with Christian love,

W. W. Prescott.

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