which the soul may erect for itself "more stately mansions as the seasons roll."

With earnest desire that the blessing of God may continue to be with us, and keep us a united body, though widely separated, and returning thanks for this priceless boon, we bid you farewell, and remain your friends.

Signed on behalf of the annual First-day School Association of Indiana.

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From the First-day School Association of Illinois.

TO THE GENESSE FIRST-DAY SCHOOL ASSOCIATION:

With feelings of tender sympathy, fostered by the unity of our purpose, we again address to you our annual message of love.

The knowledge that we must soon leave the welfare of our Religious Society to the care of the children makes us anxious that they be trained wisely to see and understand the distinctive doctrines and faith of our organization, and in no way can it be better done, it seems to us, than in the First-day School, provided conscientious teachers, who are themselves convinced that the dear Father will give all necessary wisdom, are placed in charge of the children.