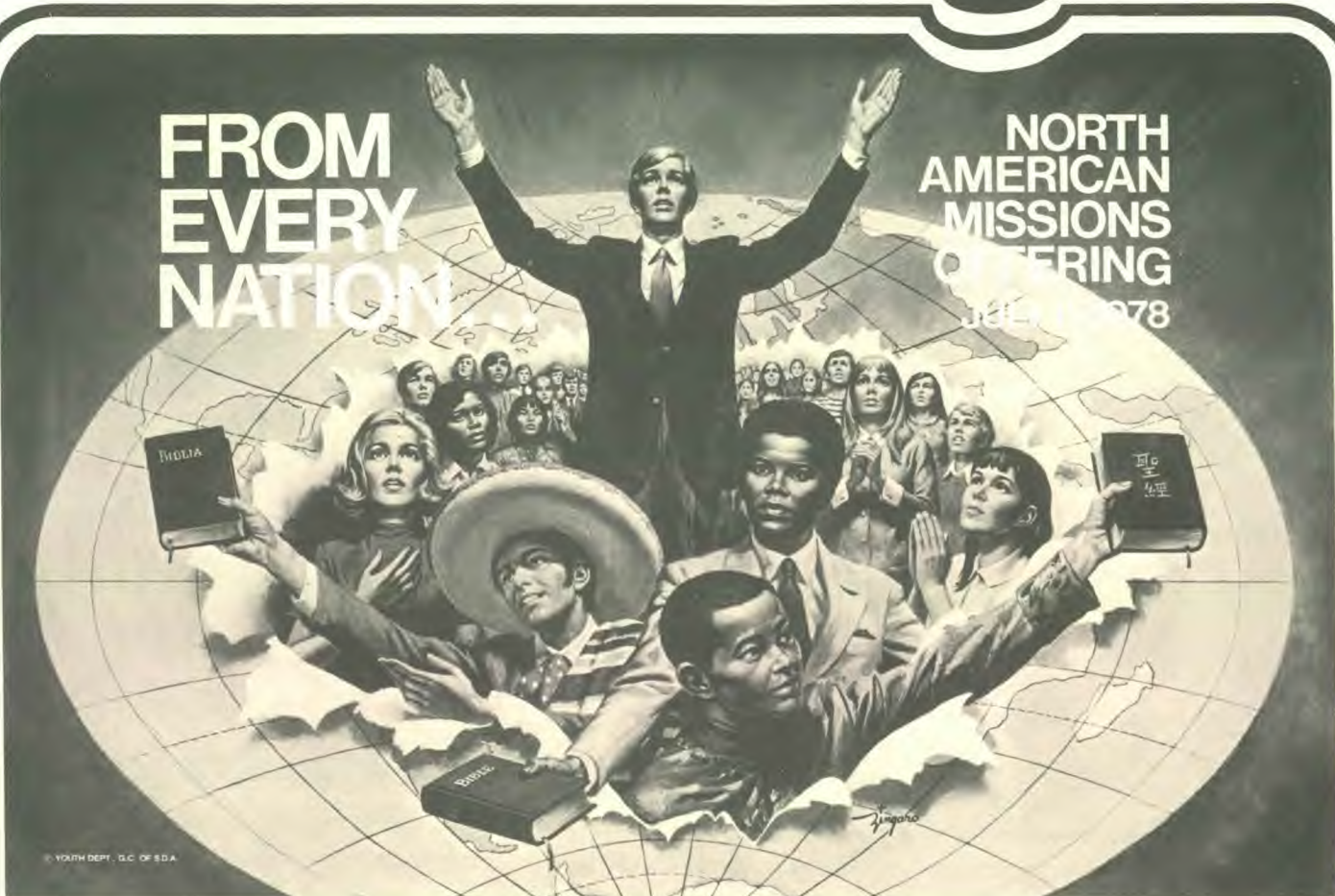




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“Say Not Ye”

by R. A. Wilcox, *General Field Secretary*
General Conference of Seventh-day Adventists

“Say not ye, There are yet four months, and *then* cometh the harvest? behold I say unto you, Lift up your eyes, and look on the fields; for they are white already to harvest.” John 4:35

The clear commission of the Lord to go and tell each and every man was the instruction of the Saviour. To proclaim the gospel story is to prepare for the Master's return. “Every man will hear, everybody will receive sufficient light to make an intelligent decision.” *Great Controversy* p. 604.

It is the responsibility of every Christian to be a living witness for only a completed gospel work on earth will bring back from heaven the Saviour of all mankind. On the continent of North America there are nearly forty million whose family language is other than English, and a good percentage of this number inhabits the territories of the Canadian Union. These virtually untouched multitudes represent a very real challenge to the finishing of the work, not only in Canada but in the entire world.

For many reasons there has been in the past a dire need of literature and materials for an evangelistic outreach to the masses of ethnic origin who inhabit the great cities and villages on the North American continent. Some live on the reservation; others are found in the great Northwest Territories, and there are those bound by tribal customs and traditions. All will need to receive a knowledge and an understanding of the plan of salvation before the second coming of Jesus.

Some consideration has been given to this important challenge, and there is much to encourage us. However, the enormity of this task is so great that our souls are overburdened with a deep conviction to press forward together to do a larger work. North American Missions in conjunction with our printing enterprises reaches out to multiply truth-filled literature to meet the urgent needs of the great population areas on this continent whose language is other than English.

Let us unitedly lay hold of the task and prepare to witness to every man in his own language. You can help by making a liberal contribution to the North American Missions Offering on July 15, 1978. Remember, you can reach a precious soul near you.

"Jesus saith unto them, My meat is to do the will of him that sent me, and to finish his work." John 4:34

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Kingsway College Celebrates Its 75th Anniversary

by Violet Hall, *Former Teacher*
Kingsway College

The 75th anniversary and alumni homecoming of Kingsway College on April 28-30 was an outstanding success. Friends, alumni, past presidents and well-wishers came from far and near. The first to arrive was Elder Ernest Lemon, Class of '28 and his wife, Murdena McConnell, former teacher at Oshawa. The campus looked its best, the weather fine. The weekend was off to a good start with the program of music and recollections at the vesper service. Ernest Monteith of Cotnam, Ontario, former teacher and historian of S.D.A. education in Canada, brought back old memories of the beginning days at Lornedale Academy. Elder Percy Manuel, Class of '28 and '30 and former president, had come from North Carolina and continued the recollections of the much named school, Lornedale Academy, Buena Vista Academy, Eastern Canadian Missionary Seminary, Oshawa Missionary College, and finally Kingsway College.

Sabbath School was under the direction of Robert Prouty, '69 and the program was given by members of various classes with Allan Hillier, Class of 1940, leading in the enthusiastic song service. The highlight of the weekend was the stirring sermon entitled "That's Dedication" by Elder Andrew Fearing, Class of '25, formerly of the General Conference and now living in Florida. It set the keynote for the entire weekend, with a definite spiritual tone.

The school motto, "Service Not Fame" was the motif for the vesper service, given by graduates and the college choir, and featuring Ralph Coupland, former music director at Kingsway and now at Andrews University.

The 75th Anniversary pageant on Saturday night brought an overflow audience to the gymnasium. The seventy-five-year history of the school was portrayed in a series of scenes enacted by members of

the choir, in costumes of the period. Providential intervention on many occasions proved that God's hand was in the establishment and growth of the school. Such characters as the beloved first president, Elder Eugene Leland, H. T. Curtis, Professor Blake, builders Charles Sweeten and Leonard Payne, Elder Kirkendall, man of prayer, Nathan Wagar, the "famous room mates" Eric Jones and Lewis Hartin, and the well-loved president, Lewis N. Holm, were represented in skits as they used to be.

When the strains of the familiar school song, "I'm from O.M.C." rang out, it must have quickened the heart beats of many, for it seems as though half the residents of our area are graduates of the old school. Then came the grand march, led by Kris Gay, third generation Kingsway student and Esther Umbach, in costumes of the old days, followed by banners of the provinces, students from the many countries represented at the college, dressed in national costumes, Florence Nightingale and nursing students in uniform, former missionaries, present and former faculty, members of the college board, presidents William Sowers, Percy Manuel, William Easterbrook, Malcolm Graham and Leroy Kuhn. When all were massed on the platform, special honor was given to the earliest teacher still with us, Mrs. Charles Maracle, who taught at Lornedale and an armful of red roses was presented to the earliest graduate present, Miss Alma Hill, Class of 1914. A classmate, William Pincombe, now over ninety and unable to attend, was represented at the reunion by his daughter Lois. Mrs. Hall, long-time teacher was also given special honor and was presented with a corsage. As a grand finale, the citation "Alumnus of the Year" was presented to Andrew Fearing, Class of '25, by the Alumni President, Don Gregg '65.

(See picture story of 75th anniversary celebration on pages 10 and 11)

Uplifting Reading at Amazing Prices

One of the largest retail displays of Christian books will be assembled for Canadian Union camp meetings by the Adventist Book Centres, according to Evaine Fehrer, Pacific Press book department.

Seventh-day Adventists, long recognized for their extensive personal libraries

and use of Adventist produced books as gifts, will find substantial discounts including 30% to 60% reductions at the Sunday book sales.

Numerous new titles written for the contemporary Christian of every age have been produced by the Review and Herald, Pacific Press and Southern Publishing

The next day, the big event was the alumni banquet in the college dining room, when an unusually large number of members and friends gathered to enjoy the bounties prepared by the college cafeteria staff. It was wonderful to see so many friends from far and near, who had come back to make this the best reunion ever. Officers for the next two year term were voted on, as follows: President, John Thorne, Vice president, Ian Cheeseman, Treasurer, Art Froot, Secretary, Linda West Toop and members at large Ada Knister and David Thomas. A standing ovation was given to our most faithful, active and enthusiastic alumnus Miss Ada Knister, Class of 1930. Generous contributions to the alumni fund had been made, and various projects and plans were discussed. Those wishing to contribute to the work of their Alma Mater are urged to send such funds to the Alumni Association, Box 605, Oshawa, Ontario.

A rather spectacular conclusion to the anniversary festivities of the year was the dinner given to civic officials of Oshawa and District on May 25. The list of local dignitaries is long and impressive, led by Mayor James Potticary, Sam Cureatz, M.P. for Durham Region, Charles Pilkey, M.P.P. for Oshawa, Mr. Harry Gay, Chairman of the Board of Trustees of the Oshawa General Hospital, the Mayor of Newcastle, Mr. Wilson, Editor of the Oshawa Times, and many councilmen and aldermen, with the College Board, Canadian Union Conference and local conference staffs and the Kingsway faculty. A tour of the campus followed the sumptuous meal catered by the versatile choir director, James Bingham and staff.

So was brought to a happy conclusion the anniversary festivities of Kingsway College, oldest S.D.A. secondary educational institution in Canada still in operation. May its future be as bright as its past has been blessed.

Association, Fehrer notes.

One Christian writer has said, "Pure healthful reading will be to the mind what healthful food is to the body." Your Adventist Book Centres are here to fill that need.

Jay E. Prall

Health Ministry – Weight Management Is Simple!

G. D. Strunk, *Director Adventist Health Ministries*

The formula for weight management is simple! Intake – (BMR + Activity) = Calorie Balance. If your intake is greater than your Basal Metabolic Rate (BMR) plus daily activity you have a positive Calorie Balance and thereby gain weight. If your BMR + Activity are greater than your intake you have a negative Calorie Balance and you lose weight. That's simple!

The steps of safe, long-lasting weight management in order of priority are simple:

1. Increase daily activity
2. Eat adequate breakfast
3. Eat regular meals only (no snacks)
4. Reduce "empty calorie" and refined foods
5. Reduce total quantity of food

Each of the above deserve elaboration for satisfactory application, but there they are. You have the physical principles surrounded. It's so simple!

If it's so simple then why is it so hard? A complete answer regarding the psychosocial complex of eating cannot be given in one article but let's look at just one – DESIRE. We desire to be well, to be slim,

to be happy. We aspire to exercise faithfully, to change our eating patterns and our priorities.

We can learn many tricks to avoid the kitchen, to reward ourselves for good behaviour. We can learn, even memorize the principles of weight management and become an expert on them. Many overweight persons know as much or more than the instructor. But he is still overfat. For just hearing and knowing doesn't guarantee that the person will do all that he knows to do. He languishes in desire. But it's a feeble desire. It's a wish! Something deeper is needed. Something deeper is missing.

What will make a person desire strongly enough to bring his habits under control, to expend the energy to exert the will?

Forgive the association but there is a relationship of human weakness. It's just another expression. It has been shown repeatedly that drug addicts, alcoholics and even many smokers are not adequately delivered and especially are not permanently secure from their dependency by just relying upon reasons of 1

improved health, 2. fear of death, 3. sake of family, 4. reputation, 5. holding a job, let alone promotion, 6. censorship or acceptance by friends.

Noble as these motivations are they are not enough. The finest minds in the world who study human behaviour say that the only motivation strong enough to fulfil desire is LOVE, Divine LOVE. But the problem is that man does not by birth or environment have that love. He has a desire to love and a desire to be loved. But he cannot generate the unconditional love that doesn't possess resentments, qualifications for sharing or a demand for rewards. He cannot generate the kind of love that places such a value on his own life, a sense of self worth and a responsibility for others that he will make all the changes necessary to live a noble, unselfish life.

That kind of LOVE must be given to man from outside himself and only GOD can impart it. Some acts of human love are beautiful and they inspire us to emulation and they heighten our desire to love. But they cannot impart to us the

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Alumni of Fifty Years or More Honored at C.U.C.

by Charles Tidwell

The Alumni Association of Canadian Union College honored all graduates from 1928 and before in a special ceremony as part of the Commencement service on May 21, 1978. Eleven graduates, from as early as 1915, were able to attend.

As part of the ceremony, each alumnus was granted a life-time membership in the Alumni Association. The Association intends to continue this concept by so honoring each graduate on their fiftieth anniversary during Homecomings. Dallas Kindopp, President of the Association, paid tribute to these alumni for their "support and loyalty manifest to the college and the Alumni Association over the passing years."

The eleven alumni who were able to attend were: William B. McCready, class of 1915 and 1921; James LeMarquand, class of 1916; Albert Tetz and Eunice Keller Hnatyshyn, class of 1924; John Hnatyshyn, class of 1925; Warren Pierce, Helen Knutson Rippington, and Anna Lieske Wetzel, class of 1927; Esther Roth Befus, Hazel Simmonds Newcom, and Frank W. (Bill) Shearer, class of 1928.

In a luncheon after the Commencement service, the honored alumni had an opportunity to share experiences of their days at C.U.C. and of their life since leaving this campus. Elder L. L. Reile, President of the Canadian Union, also gave a brief report on the plans for the future development of the college including the immediate building of new residence halls on the hill overlooking Lake Barnett.

Here are a few of the highlights of the reminiscences of times spent at C.U.C.: William McCready recalled helping move the school from Leduc to the present hill-top location, building the dormitories, and having to live in tents until the dormitories were complete in December of 1909. James LeMarquand told of coming into the dormitory for the first time in 1915 and of having a single, central, pot-bellied stove to heat the entire floor. Mrs. Anna Wetzel especially remembered that it was at C.U.C. that she first developed a love for music and joined every possible organization on campus; she also said that it was the lack

of such musical organizations that she had most missed on leaving school.

Dr. Frank Shearer of Toppenish, Washington, stated briefly that since graduating from C.U.C. in 1928, he went to Loma Linda and received his medical degree and then established a practice in Toppenish, which has now been taken over by his two sons. He also commented on the changes that have taken place at C.U.C. since he was here. The old building that is the same is the old gymnasium which he helped build. In fact, if it wasn't for the shape of the hill top and the surrounding lakes, he would have found it difficult to recognize the campus.

Mrs. Hazel Newcom of Vernon, B.C., when asked what C.U.C. had done for her, said: "C.U.C. made me hold my tongue. . . learn to control my emotions." She went on to say that although the whole hilltop has changed, especially with the "new church and cafeteria," some things will never change—the friendliness, the consideration for others and the ideals on which the college is based.

Meet The Secretaries – Ontario

Jean Bothe: Besides answering the phone cheerily and acting as receptionist for the entire office, Mrs. Bothe also serves as secretary for George Unger, of the Education Department. Her duties include arranging for the flow of correspondence and reports between teachers and Brother Unger.

June Ulett: June is the capable secretary, and office assistant for Trust Services and the Conference Corporation. She keeps her boss, Elder Dean McDaniel, on his toes as director of Trust Services and Corporation Secretary. Along with these duties she does billing with Mr. Ken Deweltz for Ad Graphics.

Ouvril Gill: Ouvril is the latest addition to the office secretarial force. She replaces Eleanor Von Gunten as secretary for Elder Earl Parchment in the Sabbath School-Lay Activities Department. Ouvril does all the correspondence for the department besides assisting Elder Parchment in his presentations in the field.

Debbie Anderson: Debbie handles all typesetting duties for Ad Graphics, the graphic design facility operated by the Ontario Conference in Oshawa. Without Debbie's excellent typing abilities and her talent for figuring out various handwriting samples, Ad Graphics would be hard pressed.

Kim Robinson: Kim shares the secretarial responsibilities for two departments—Stewardship and Communication. Her two bosses Elder Bill Clemons and Craig Johnson keep her busy typing articles, letters, press releases, and conference evangelism and stewardship reports. In her spare time Kim maintains a stock of radio and television logs for Ontario which are available upon request. Besides all this, Kim sends the *It Is Written* computer printouts to each of the pastors in Ontario.

Shirley Godsoe: Holding things down in the ministerial department during a transition period is Mrs. Shirley Godsoe. Shirley keeps tabs on all the Conference happenings by acting as recording secretary to all committee meetings and constituency meetings and by compiling and tabulating statistical reports on membership and baptisms within the conference. Besides these many duties, Shirley is responsible for all conference audio visual equipment that is used.

Joy Wirsz: With over 150 student colporteurs coming to Ontario during the summer months, Joy Wirsz will probably be the busiest person in the office. Mrs.



Rear left to right: Shirley Godsoe, Kim Robinson, Valerie Morrison, Eva Easterbrook, Clareleen Ivany, Ruth Burghardt, Joy Wirsz, Debbie Anderson. Front left to right: Jean Bothe (seated), June Ulett (seated), Ouvril Gill.

Wirsz is responsible for keeping track of all the colporteurs and handles correspondence and the publishing department's newsletter for Elder Tom Knoll.

Ruth Burghardt: If reservations or information about Camp Frenda are what you're after, Ruth is the person to talk to. Besides doing the billing for the camp and other duties; Ruth helps coordinate 5-day plans with Elder George, the MV-Temperance and Youth Department Director. Ruth also helps arrange for investiture and Pathfinder programs.

Clareleen Ivany: Clareleen works part-time in the Treasury Department assisting in the computer operations and deposits. She and Mrs. Morrison work together closely on the payroll and general ledger. Clareleen is also treasurer for the conference church.

Eva Easterbrook: Mrs. Easterbrook is secretary to Elder Beck and Elder Gary Strunk. Being the President's secretary can be hectic at times but Mrs. Easterbrook manages her time and the President's time very well. A department that's very busy these days is Adventist Health Ministries under the leadership of Elder Strunk. Mrs. Easterbrook is also

secretary for this department.

Valerie Morrison: If it weren't for Mrs. Morrison the conference workers wouldn't be getting their pay cheques. She is also responsible for mailing out and receiving the local church treasurer's material. Mrs. Morrison does general secretarial duties for Elder Suiter, Treasurer, and correspondence for Jean Robinson, Assistant Treasurer.

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"I Will Come Again"

Do you *really* believe that Jesus is coming again? That He is coming soon? If you do, have you told anyone about it this week?

Here is what an *It Is Written* viewer asked: "I was wondering if you could tell me why the return of Jesus Christ is not told in the churches here. I have asked a lady from one church, one lady from another church, and one from another church, and it seems they don't even want to speak about it, or they don't know how to approach the subject."

Could one of the above ladies have been from an Adventist church? I am glad she was not; but what would you say if

someone asked you about the second coming of Christ?

This viewer went on to say, "I think it's great news and something to sing and rejoice, but people seem to look at you as if you just 'flipped' your lid." I.L., Saskatchewan

Maybe some people do think we are queer, strange, etc. if we begin to talk about Jesus Christ and the Second Advent. We must warn our friends of His Second Advent, the judgement and invite them to prepare for the greatest event in the universe.

God's people have a responsibility to warn the world of the judgement and the

coming of Christ. To the prepared Christian it is the Blessed Hope. What is it to you and your friends?

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Thank you for your support. We are in need of money to make new programs, to carry present stations, etc. Your help is needed. We cannot operate without your support.

God bless every one of you.

L. R. Krenzler, *Director*
Department of Communications
Canadian Union Conference of S.D.A.

School Evaluations

M. Graham, *Associate Director Department of Education Canadian Union Conference of S.D.A.*

A brief explanation of school evaluation procedures was given in the April 6, 1978 issue of the *Messenger*. The article was accompanied by several pictures taken during the evaluation of the junior academies operated by the British Columbia Conference. Since that date, evaluations have been conducted in a number of junior academies operated by the Manitoba-Saskatchewan and Alberta Conferences.

The results of the evaluations have been very encouraging. Teachers and board members have worked diligently in preparing reports and information. Generally speaking, our schools are operating in excellent facilities, teachers are well qualified, students are making very acceptable academic progress, churches are growing as a result of the evangelistic thrust of the schools, and pastors, school board members, parents and church boards are supportive of the doctrine of Christian education.

All schools operate from a philosophical foundation and have certain general and specific objectives which they attempt to attain. Seventh-day Adventist church schools pupils have a distinct educational advantage over most other pupils because their homes, schools and churches are all built upon the same philosophical foundation and support the same goals and objectives of life on this earth and for life throughout eternity.

There follows below, a statement, of distinctive Seventh-day Adventist objectives for the teaching of religion, as presented by the Calgary Seventh-day Adventist School in connection with its evaluation.

- a. To acquaint students with God as a Person whom they may know.
 - b. To enlarge their understanding of this Person, that their love, trust and admiration may increase.
 - c. To acquaint students with the Bible as a means of coming to know God and helping them see in the record of every event and teaching a revelation of the truth about Him.
 - d. To acquaint students with the writings of Ellen G. White as another witness to the truth about God.
 - e. To help students understand that sharing their faith will be a natural outgrowth of their acquaintance of God.
 - f. To help students recognize that it is their privilege and responsibility to make their own choices, thus showing whether or not they can be trusted with freedom and eternal life.
 - g. To give students a sound basis upon which to build a philosophy of life.
 - h. To present the Bible in such a way that attitudes and behavior will be affected.
 - i. To prepare students to be candidates for church membership and to teach the responsibilities connected therewith.
 - j. To help the students establish a time sequence in Bible events.
 - k. To develop an appreciation of church organization and operation.
 - l. To develop an appreciation of the contributions of denominational leaders.
 - m. To teach students that a treasury of Bible gems is a source of strength in times of need.
 - n. To teach students that daily Bible study leads to the discovery of spiritual principles to be used as a basis for decision-making.
 - o. To help students understand that they can become better acquainted with God by studying what He made in the book of nature.
 - p. To impress upon the students the obligation of all Christians to serve. 'Freely you have received, freely give.' As a result of this law of life, inspire them to acquire a 'sense of mission.'
 - q. To teach students to fully reflect the character of Christ so that they might use knowledge of facts and skills to the blessing of mankind."
- Distinctive Seventh-day Adventist objectives have also been prepared for the other subjects taught.

Montreal Visit

The members of the Montreal area churches support Christian education. The church school enrollment has grown steadily over the past few years. There are now over 80 pupils enrolled in the school's two sections.

The education program has prospered and progressed under God's blessing. There has been dedicated service rendered by the teachers. Many parents have made a Christian education for their children their highest priority. The school board and Conference office have wrestled with difficulties unique to the large metropolitan Montreal area. For example, the vastness of the city poses transportation problems; two major languages are used;

many of the residents are immigrants who have their own particular challenges in Canada's largest city; centrally located appropriate school buildings are virtually unattainable.

Students are making good academic progress and display friendly, warm, and cooperative attitudes. They are spiritually oriented and active in their various churches. It was the writer's privilege to

recently spend two days visiting the school and to accept the invitation of the Westmount Home and School Leader, Jean Burgin, to speak during the Sabbath worship hour on "Christian Education".



Catheline Woodley, grade 4, displays samples of her knitting which she sells to raise money for tuition.



Teacher, Mrs. Geri Seidel, assists a student.



Noontime is fun time as Montreal students play together.



Principal, Mrs. Sylvia Greaves, with some of her "United Nations." Map in background identifies students' country and city of origin.



Health education charts made by students under the direction of Mrs. Suze Pierre-Antoine.



Students with teacher, Mr. Erick Cayemitte, practising for Investiture.



Students display practical arts projects.



Peace of Mind Crusade Held in Chilliwack

Nineteen baptisms have taken place as a result of an evangelistic crusade held in Chilliwack, British Columbia, by Union Ministerial Director Lawton G. Lowe. Eleven more baptisms are scheduled to take place in the near future.

The meetings which began April 6 and continued six nights per week for four weeks, had an average attendance of approximately two hundred. The series was entitled Peace of Mind in The '70's.

"The simple presentation of God's Word using the Bible-marking method carried the truth home clearly and simply to each one in attendance", commented Evan Danielson, pastor of the Chilliwack church. "Equally important to the addition of new members was a revival which



L. Lowe greets with enthusiasm those in attendance.

was created in the hearts of each member in faithful attendance," continued Danielson.

Andy Ferguson, task force worker for the area, led each night in the singing and joined with the team in the heavy visitation program. Elder Carl Wessman, retired minister, and now volunteer worker for the conference, also worked untiringly with the group.

Preparation work for the series included visitation by the literature evangelists of British Columbia, as well as a



A happy group of baptismal candidates in the Chilliwack Crusade.

door-to-door program by the youth attending the Festival of the Word meetings in near-by Hope, B.C.

The church membership rallied in every way to make the series a success. Their prayers, nightly attendance, and assistance in the many details, contributed under the power and blessing of the Holy Spirit, to bring the message of salvation to hungering souls.

Alex Ramsay, Director
Department of Communication
B.C. Conference of S.D.A.

Frederick T. Balmer — Retired Minister Passes

Frederick Thomas Balmer, born in Northern Ireland, September 18, 1888, passed away April 6, 1978, at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, Victoria after a lengthy illness.

As a young man Pastor Balmer immigrated to Canada, where he later met and married Frances in 1913, in Alberta.

Mr. Balmer held a position as a bank clerk in Edmonton for some time. He was always interested in the Bible and later proved to be a keen student of the Word. While working at the bank he bought the book, *Daniel and The Revelation* from a literature evangelist, which he read thoroughly. The purchase also enrolled him in a subscription to the *Signs of the Times*. In Mrs. Balmer's words: "Fred read himself into the doctrinal truths of the Seventh-day Adventist Church. He joined the church in Lacombe, Alberta and because of difficulty in keeping the Sabbath, left his employment and studied for the ministry, serving the Alberta Conference for some time. His varied positions in denominational employment led him into educational work, hospital admini-

strator at Rest Haven Hospital on Vancouver Island during 1927 — 1928 and, later, to the position of secretary-treasurer of the Manitoba-Saskatchewan Conference.

To avoid the cold of the winters, the Balmers moved to Victoria about ten years ago.

Pastor Balmer's exceptional knowledge of the Scriptures and the Spirit of Prophecy made him a wise counsellor, and a great inspiration to all who knew him. He was always prepared to give a ready answer for his faith, and a man who lived by the good Book. His keen sense of humour, Irish wit and straight-forwardness made him rather a unique person.

Only recently did he give up teaching his Sabbath School class. He served the Victoria church as an elder and through the years has been a faithful member of the church board.

Pastor Lynn Baerg conducted the funeral service at the chapel and the graveside. Using Elder Balmer's own Bible for the Chapel service, he referred to the many notations, Elder Balmer had made.

One particularly was noteworthy: "When everything looks hopeless and desolate, look to see if you are not looking in the wrong direction".

A quiet trumpet melody, played by the Pastor, at the graveside, was a fitting farewell to one who loved the beauty of music and God's fine gifts to man. Interment was at the Royal Oak Cemetery.

In view of his own personal study of the "signs", and as we are in the midst of the *Signs* campaign, the lay activities department of the Victoria Church has set up a Memorial *Signs* Fund. This will provide *Signs* for ministers of other denominations in memory of Pastor Balmer.

Mrs. Kathleen Piper
Communication Secretary
Victoria S.D.A. Church

Penticton News

Pastor and Mrs. Clarence Long have returned from a four-month trip to Taiwan, where they visited their son-in-law and daughter, Marty and Sylvia Ytreberg and children, Marty and Michelle.

Health Education — Evangelism For the Deaf

Health Education-Evangelism for the 2500 deaf of the Greater Vancouver area is the first systematic public approach to work for the deaf by the Seventh-day Adventist Church in British Columbia. The first of a series of six health education seminars for the deaf at the Western Institute for the Deaf in Vancouver began April 13.

The series uses slides, overhead projection, the General Conference Temperance Department single concept silent movies, and the Loma Linda University health slides. Especially featured during the program are practical topics on why we get sick, and how to get well and stay well! Also included is a special talk on the "Pritikin" plan for the arrest and partial reversal of the premature hardening of the arteries.

Three of the lectures have already taken place with attendance of non-Adventist deaf running from ten to sixteen per evening.

The health lectures are intended to prepare the soil for an evangelistic series later. The evangelistic meetings will be held in the New Westminster Church. The plans call for six Sunday seminars with signed lectures by associates George Belser, Editor of the Deaf Advent Witness news of Portland, Oregon and Bob Whitt. Included also are to be the General Conference North American Missions "Signed" Bible Studies on movies by Elder Arthur Griffith (now serving the S.D.A. deaf in the Washington, D.C. area), and further slides from the Loma Linda University Preventative Medicine series. Elder John Blake, who has two deaf children in the family, will also assist in the program as co-ordinator and assistant speaker.

John Blake



Left: Vicki Mandziuk "signer" for the deaf. The health series for the deaf is a "dream come true" for Sister Mandziuk who has urged the church to do something for the deaf. Right: Mrs. S. Yaceyko, lecturer at the series. Other speakers included Ernest Embleton, D.D.S., G. McMorland, M.D., Lloyd Miller, M.D. and R. Goertzen, D.D.S.

Cooking Classes at Golden



Mrs. Pauline Lee.

Another successful series of vegetarian cooking classes has recently been concluded in Golden. Mrs. Pauline Lee prepared and demonstrated the lessons over a four-week period. Attendance was consistently high with a registration of twenty-five participants.

Mrs. Lee used interesting films in her presentation, and her relaxed and friendly manner put everyone at ease. The highlight of every evening was the "sampling session", followed by the free draw for various fresh fruits and vegetables, grains and breads. Free literature was given out as well as numerous recipe sheets.

Some of the interests were drawn from contacts made at Golden Seal Natural Foods, a health-food store owned and operated by Helmut and Jane Krause. They are a fine witness in the community and are steadily gaining confidence of their many patrons.

As part of her follow-up work, Mrs. Lee has sent out letters to all non-Adventist participants, inviting them to study the Bible for health's sake, and expressing her appreciation for their interest.

Mrs. Norma Kostiuik
Communication Secretary
Golden S.D.A. Church

Baptism at Golden

In July, 1977, Kelly Schultz was hitch-hiking from his father's farm into Golden, when he received a ride from Mrs. Marie Arkinstall. As was his custom, he gave her a small missionary tract before leaving her car. Marie took the paper home and read it and immediately recognized it as part of the Adventist message which she had studied twelve years before. She called at Kelly's home to borrow some more literature and thus began an exciting experience in Bible study, and fellowship, which changed the lives of an entire family.

Marie and the children began regular studies and church attendance in September, her husband Marvin, and a family friend, Eva Jensen, joining her in December. As well as Bible studies, they attended twice weekly evangelistic meetings, held by Pastor Osborne Lee, from

January to March. The youngest family member, April, conducted her own Branch Sabbath School a few times when the family was snowed in and could not get out to church. However Satan did his best to discourage them first with opposition from family and friends, then with the loss of Marvin's job, and then with the loss of their accommodation. The family drew closer together and put their trust in the Lord, they prayed for each other and for their persecutors, and they received added strength from their fellowship with other church members. On April 22, the day before they had to vacate their home, Marvin, Marie, their son Ted, and Eva Jensen were baptized by Pastor Lee and received into the fellowship of the Golden S.D.A. Church. Along with them was Tammy Rice, formerly of C.U.C.

God did not stop there however! Marvin found another job with Sabbath free; they were able to rent another house, and they have more friends than when they started. Yes, God surely did bless the little tract that Kelly Schultz slipped into his pocket last July.

Alex Ramsay, Director
Department of Communication
B.C. Conference of S.D.A.



Back row left to right: Marvin Arkinstall, Ted Peasgood. Front row left to right: Marie Arkinstall, Tammy Rice, Eva Jensen.

S.D.A. Youth Wins Provincial History Award

Honors in a recent history contest for Grades 11 and 12 students in British Columbia, went to Arun Sangar, for contributing the winning essay, on the subject "Why We Should Remember The Holocaust."

Highlights of the 75th An



Brad Hampson as Leslie Davies and Lynne Polishuk as Myrtle Kirkendall, in the first kitchen at Buena Vista Academy.



Flags of the provinces and banners and costumes of countries represented made a colorful display.



Elder Andrew honored as A President Don



Kathy Guenin and Kurt Hammermueller re-enact a miracle that occurred at old Lornedale Academy as an answer to prayer.



"I'm from O.M.C." sang the choir remembering the school song of former days.



Mrs. Edna Maracle Alma Hill, earliest g Violet Hall long time



The "conference committee" decides to operate a school in Ontario, opening in 1903.



Former presidents of the college Percy Manuel, William Sowers, William Easterbrook, Malcolm Clark



Former Preside

ary of Kingsway College



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Year by Alumni



Kris Gay and Esther Umbach in costumes of 75 years ago lead the pageant.



Some of the members of the present Kingsway College Board.



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class of 1914) and Mrs.
specially honored.



An interested audience packed the auditorium for the historical program and pageant.



The kitchen at Lornedale Academy, 1912.



manuel thrilled his
F Farmer Dave



The Canadian flag carried by Darrel Juriansz passes Elder Ernest Lemon, graduate of 1928.



Nursing students of Branson Hospital and Kingsway College

Sixtieth Anniversary Celebrated

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Mayden of Kelowna, B.C. had the unique joy of celebrating their 60th wedding anniversary with family and friends.



Mr. and Mrs. Steve Mayden celebrate their 60th wedding anniversary.

Steve Mayden and Pearl Bodner, who were both born in the Province of Galicia in the country of Ukraine, were married on November 28, 1917, south of Ketchikan, Saskatchewan. After working on different farms in the area for a few years they homesteaded on some land near Hazel Dell, Saskatchewan. Here they raised their family of nine children. In 1961 they retired and moved to Rutland, B.C.

God led them in a wonderful way to knowledge and understanding of the third angel's message.

Mr. and Mrs. Mayden are both active and faithfully attend the Rutland Ukrainian S.D.A. Church. They still enjoy fairly good health.

They have nine children, twenty-five grandchildren and sixteen great-grandchildren. One of their sons, Harry, who is principal of a Seventh-day Adventist academy in Florida, served as the master of ceremonies for the program.

Praise The Lord!

We traveled over 8,000 miles, round-trip, from the northern tip of Vancouver Island to Toronto to see our first grandson and to participate in a baby dedication service in the Willowdale church. How shocked we were, when we reached the destination! Our daughter-in-law Marianne, while driving to Sarnia, Ontario had lost control of the car on Highway 401 and had rolled over three times completely destroying the car.

Eye witnesses felt that no one could survive this accident, but the Lord saved the lives of all three passengers: Marianne escaped with a broken leg, her aunt with

two or three broken fingers and the little innocent baby with a fractured skull and concussion. 5-week-old baby Scott was put in an incubator and wired to several devices, and was under intensive care in the London Hospital. God has worked miracles!

After 10 days of our stay in Toronto (just one day before we left the city), the baby was released from the hospital with the doctor's statement; "Everything is back to normal!" We have a mighty and gracious God in Heaven who inclined His ear to our fervent prayers. We would like to thank all of you who had part in this earnest prayer request.

"Though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death I will fear no evil, for Thou art with me." Psalm 23.

Steve H. Petr, *Pastor*
Port Hardy S.D.A. Church

Burgemasters Celebrate Golden Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Burgemaster celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary at a party in their honor put on by the Vernon church. Lydia Eckert and Alfred Burgemaster were married on February 1, 1928, in Morden, Manitoba. They have been active members of the Vernon Adventist Church for over 30 years. After a light supper a short program was given including a skit by church members.

The Burgemaster's have 5 children, 18 grandchildren and 3 great grandchildren. The family plans a gathering to commemorate the anniversary on July 9 when most of the family can be together.

Lois Rogers
Communication Secretary
Vernon S.D.A. Church



Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Burgemaster

New Addition Completed By Powell River Company

The Powell River company has recently completed a sizable addition to their church building. This addition consists of a large multi-purpose room with an adjoining kitchen. There has also been provision made for additional washroom facilities at a future date.



Powell River church, showing the new addition at the right rear.

The multi-purpose room will be used as a youth Sabbath School classroom, for church-sponsored community service projects such as Five-Day Plans to Stop Smoking and nutrition courses, and for church socials. Up until now, the youth Sabbath School class had to meet in the church entryway and facilities had to be rented for after-church fellowship dinners.

Ruth Miller

Powell River Company

New Kelowna Church



New Kelowna Church under construction.

"The Kelowna S.D.A. Church on Springfield Road is nearing completion," says Mr. Fritz Wirtz, chairman of the Building Committee. Work has been going on steadily since the ground-breaking ceremony, July 5, 1977.

"It has been a monumental task," remarked Pastor Weststrate of the Kelowna church. "It is a tribute to a faith in God and a reliance upon His guidance. It is the pastor's desire that all who come to worship there, in whatever capacity or need, will leave with thanksgiving in the heart, and a knowledge of being blessed of God."

Mr. O. A. Schneider

50 Years of Marriage Celebrated By Mr. and Mrs. V. Deroo

Mr. and Mrs. Valere Deroo celebrated their Golden Wedding, April 15, 1978. Mrs. Deroo has been a Seventh-day Adventist since 1912, when her mother and grandmother became interested in the message through a pamphlet found at the side of the road. The pamphlet prompted the family to send for more literature and resulted in baptism. Mr. Deroo accepted the truth through Mrs. Deroo and was baptized in 1928 at camp meeting in Saskatchewan. The Deroo's have been very happy in the Advent message for all these past years.

Mrs. Deroo was born in Saskatchewan while Mr. Deroo immigrated to Canada from his native Belgium. In 1935 they moved to Cloverdale and Valere worked in Hotel Vancouver. The Deroo's retired to Langley and are members of the Langley S.D.A. church.

They have one son, Dr. Henry Deroo, a dentist, who, with his wife, Llewella and their two daughters, Carol and Lynelle, reside in Lancaster, California. One daughter, Della, with her husband, Ervin Bigham, are educators in Angwin, California.

Mrs. Anne Totten
Communication Secretary
Langley S.D.A. Church



Mr. and Mrs. V. Deroo — 50th Anniversary.

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power or nature to love. When the Lord gave command in Matt. 22: "Thou shalt love...." it was a promise that He would supply that love. "All His biddings are enablings." He does not require that which He does not enable.

God who is Love will give of Himself to us so that we can love Him, us and our families enough to take care of ourselves.

"Delight thyself also in the Lord; and he shall give thee the desires of thine heart." Ps. 37:4

"ONLY WAITING. . ."

For a fairly-new Adventist couple to give out literature for the first time and see it result in two baptisms was a real thrill. This happened to Bob and Judy Buckler shortly after they moved to Armstrong, B.C. and were assigned a territory to cover with "Amazing Facts". It took courage to make the initial distribution, but on the second time around, the young couple in the corner house greeted them warmly. In reply to the question, "Would you like the second in the series?" Nellie and Rudy Driessen replied, "Yes, we would like *all* of them *now*. And we have lots of questions to ask, but we have company now. Could you come back again?"

Needless to say, Bible studies were begun. The only problem was that there seemed no good "stopping place" under three hours! This young couple, only a few years in Canada from Holland, were eager to get to the bottom of every Bible topic. Both had been brought up in the Catholic faith but had a great desire to know God's will from the Scriptures.

During the winter months for two years the studies continued, followed by a series at prayer meeting designed especially for friends the members might bring

along. The Driessens were thrilled with the studies but continued with the discussions with the Bucklers; there was so much they wanted to learn!

Some things they learned meant changes in their life-style. Nellie and the children began attending Sabbath School; Rudy was under conviction about the Sabbath, but felt sure he would lose his job if he asked for Saturdays off. As he sought for God's help, his decision was made. He would keep the Sabbath.

A baptism was held even before the carpets were laid in the new Armstrong church. Among this first group were Rudy and Nellie Driessen, well-grounded in their faith by diligent, persevering study and trust in God.

And as for the Bucklers, whose first literature distribution began this story, they themselves have been blessed in giving the studies.

It is certain that others are out there "on the verge of the kingdom, only waiting to be gathered in". *Acts of the Apostles* p. 109.

Mrs. M. M. Rabuka
Lay Activities Secretary
Armstrong S.D.A. Church

CANADIAN UNION COLLEGE SUMMER SCHOOL

For the convenience of church leaders, church school teachers, and other interested persons, Canadian Union College is offering a number of college courses this summer that have proven useful for teacher certification and up-grading.

The C.U.C. summer session, which runs from July 24 to August 18, will include the following courses:

Course Title	Credit	Instructor
Health and Life (this course will include swimming daily)	3 hrs.	C. Dean
Principles of Education	3 hrs.	W. Trenchard
Educ. Psychology — Development	3 hrs.	E. Ravelo (Mrs.)
Educ. Psychology — Learning	3 hrs.	E. Ravelo (Mrs.)
History of the S.D.A. Church & Gift of Prophecy	3 hrs.	H. Kiesler
Bible Doctrines	3 hrs.	H. Heghesan

Those teachers attending the Union-wide teachers' conference in August at C.U.C. may wish to plan on including this session in their summer activities and take advantage of these courses as a convenient method of in-service training. Others may wish to join one or more courses being offered because of their general interest.

For further information concerning housing, finances and application procedures, please contact:

The Registrar
Canadian Union College
P.O. Box 430
College Heights, Alberta
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Niagara Peninsula Baptisms

Twenty-three precious souls have been baptized in the Niagara Peninsula during the past three months. These baptisms are the result of a series of evangelistic meetings held in St. Catharines during the month of February. Pastor Lawton Lowe led the meetings which were held in Sir Winston Churchill School Auditorium. He was assisted by Pastor Kenneth Wiebe, Pastor Eric Juriansz and Mr. Gladstone Knight.

In spite of heavy storms during February the average nightly attendance was 125 persons. Following the series, *It Is Written* seminars and weekly Bible-marking classes were held.



Back row: Elder L. Lowe, Stewart Howard, Claude Rioux, Alice Lindsay, Ida Moorus, Jorgan Greffdegreff, Sandra Basso, Jim Basso, Jean Maurice, John Maurice, Jr., Bob Maurice, Elder Ken Wiebe, Gladstone Knight. Front row: Vi Pitts, Claudett Rioux, Kathryn Fallis, Jose Jules, Yvette Jules, Patricia Pilon, Pat Anderson, Ben Maurice, Helen Maurice, Suzy Maurice. Missing: Earil Williams, Ann Gilbert, Mon Hendrikson.

Pastor Wiebe, who pastors the three Niagara Peninsula churches, has led the follow-up meetings and Bible-marking classes. He has been ably assisted by the local elders and devoted members of the

churches of the St. Catharines, Niagara Falls and Welland areas.

We welcome these new members to our churches and have great hope for further baptisms to follow.

Welcome To Elder and Mrs. W. R. Bornstein

All of us have been waiting with great anticipation for some news about the arrival of Elder and Mrs. Bornstein to take up their responsibility as Secretary - Ministerial Secretary of the Ontario Conference. The last word is that the Bornsteins have taken their physical examinations and are now patiently waiting until they receive word from the Immigration Department. As soon as their visas are granted they will be here with us.

Elder Bornstein has served the church well as pastor in Pennsylvania and Ohio. Later he was an evangelist in the Ohio Conference and the Colorado Conference. From this position he went as Coordinator of Evangelism for the New York metropolitan area under the direction of the General Conference. Most recently he has been pastor of the 1400 member College Place Church in College Place, Washington.

Elder Bornstein holds an M.A. degree in Religion from the Seventh-day Adventist Theological Seminary. Having been a successful pastor, and evangelist, we are confident he will have much to share with our church pastors, evangelists and our church members.

His wife is the former Marilyn Eliene



Elder William R. Bornstein

Fellows from Grand Rapids, Michigan. So for her it is coming back home again. In fact, Elder Bornstein was born in Paterson, N.J. so we welcome them both back to the challenges of the work in the east. In the mid and late 1800's many people were migrating to California and the west. At that time Ellen White said that it

would be all right for these people to go to evangelize those areas of North America. However, she said, the day will come when the work will return with power to the east. We believe with the coming of the Bornsteins, a measure of that power will be returning for the accomplishing of God's work.

The Bornsteins have one daughter, Bonnie Sue who will be attending the College Park Elementary School.

A warm welcome to Elder and Mrs. Bornstein and Bonnie Sue.

E. C. Beck, *President*
Ontario Conference of S.D.A.

Notice To Ontario Conference Church Members

All persons attending the first camp meeting June 30 - July 8 be sure to bring a copy of the book *Ministry of Healing*. Copies will be on sale at the camp grounds.

G. D. Strunk, *Director*
Adventist Health Ministries

MANITOBA-SASKATCHEWAN
SCHOOL VISITS
AND EVALUATIONS

Schools are "happy" places in the Manitoba-Saskatchewan Conference. Teachers and students have a right to smile. The Conference is promoting and supporting an expanding school program. There is very commendable academic progress being made by students. Teachers and parents are working together to train children for life throughout eternity.

People are smiling in Manitoba-Saskatchewan as the accompanying pictures show. These pictures depict a few of the activities which caught the camera's "eye" in the course of an April school evaluation itinerary which was organized by J. Eiseman, superintendent of schools.

M. Graham, *Associate Director*
Department of Education
Canadian Union Conference of S.D.A.



Jim Eiseman receives royal treatment from home economics student at Winnipeg.



Mrs. Hyrchuk shares a happy thought with Saskatoon student.



Happy noon-hour faces at Winnipeg.



Grades 1-3 students at play, Saskatoon.



Evaluation Team member, Mrs. Bodrug, interviews Yorkton students.



Extracurricular projects - Winnipeg classroom.

More pictures next page



Electronics wizard at work? — Winnipeg.

Second Anniversary At Rabbit Lake

It was a beautiful Sabbath morning, and the Rabbit Lake church was filled to capacity when the members gathered to celebrate the second anniversary of their church on May 6. How wonderful it was to see new converts meet with those who have served the Lord for many years and rejoice together in the knowledge that the Lord has forgiven and accepted all of us as His children.

Following the morning worship we met in an auditorium for a fellowship dinner. There we had a Mothers' Day program—well-attended by members and friends. At the close of the program two mothers were presented with corsages—the oldest mother in the congregation, Mrs. Poser and the mother of twins, Mrs. Evelyn Gallant.

May the Lord bless our mothers!

S. H. Gallant



The two honored mothers, Mrs. Poser and Mrs. E. Gallant, pose for a picture.



Students have the answers at Yorkton.

"It Is Written" Crusade

The Moose Jaw church held a three week *It Is Written* crusade with Pastor Rudy James as speaker.

Each meeting opened with slides of the Holy Lands.

As a result of these meetings six families are meeting together with the pastor each Tuesday evening to study further into God's Word.

Linda Armson

Communication Secretary
Moose Jaw S.D.A. Church

Announcements—

V.O.P. Changes Address

The *Voice of Prophecy* will move to its new offices in Newbury Park on June 6 and 7. The location is 1100 Rancho Conejo Boulevard.

All radio mail will continue to be received at Box 55, Los Angeles, California 90053. This is the only address that will be given on the radio broadcasts, Bible courses, and other printed materials intended for general distribution.

M.P.H. Degree Program Still Available

You can still enroll in the Eastern Canada Loma Linda University off-campus program for the Masters in Public Health degree. The next 4-hour course will be held in Oshawa, June 25–28 or 29, 1979. Contact Elder G. D. Strunk at the Ontario Conference office for further details.

"Forging A Future"

Adventist Audio Visual Ministry has recently produced a 16mm thirty-minute motion picture as a service to the General Conference Department of Education. "Forging A Future" is a film which commemorates the Centennial Anniversary of the Seventh-day Adventist educational work.

In this full-color movie, which focuses on all levels of learning, the exciting and inspiring efforts are captured of those individuals whose dedication has enabled the Adventist educational system to succeed.

This production, now ready for world-wide marketing, can be ordered through Adventist Audio Visual Ministry, 1100 Rancho Conejo Blvd., Newbury Park, California 91320, (805) 498-4561.

Chicago Academy Reunion

The old Chicago Conference Academy, which closed in 1933, announces its 8th annual reunion, June 25, 1978, from 11 A.M. to 5 P.M., at the home of LeRoy (Buster) Myers, 225 Elm Court, Northbrook, Illinois 60062. Telephone: (312) 498-0830. A potluck dinner is planned.

Our former teacher, Dr. Percy Christian, who later became president of Emmanuel Missionary College (now Andrews University), and also president of Pacific Union College, will attend.

Help is requested in locating former students and teachers. Persons requesting further information or having the names of alumni or teachers please write to Michael A. Rago, 5500 West George Street, Chicago, Illinois 60641 or call (312) 777-4981 evenings.

Name Change

"The General Conference organization formerly known as the International Audio Visual Service has, by the decision of the Board of Trustees of the Adventist Radio, Television and Film Center, changed its name to ADVENTIST AUDIO VISUAL MINISTRY. The new name signifies in a clearer way the purpose of this specific department," says J. O. Iversen, Director of AAVM. "The new title more appropriately describes the significance and thrust of our world-wide service."

Those associated with the various audio-visual functions of this unit feel that the goal of emphasizing the purpose of the General Conference mission can be achieved more effectively through this change.

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LEGAL NOTICE
MARITIME CONFERENCE
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Notice is hereby given that the annual general meeting of the Maritime Conference Corporation of the Seventh-day Adventist Church Inc. will be held at the Seventh-day Adventist camp grounds, Gulf Shore Road, Pugwash, Nova Scotia on Tuesday the 11th day of July A.D. 1978 at the hour of 1:30 p.m. Atlantic Daylight Saving Time.

The purpose of the meeting is as follows: (1) To elect the Board of Directors for the ensuing term. (2) to amend the By-laws of the Corporation. (3) To transact such other business as may come before the meeting.

Members of the Corporation are the members of the Maritime Conference Executive Committee, all Licensed and Credentialed Seventh-day Adventist Ministers, of the Maritime Conference and first elders of all duly organized Seventh-day Adventist Churches in the provinces of New Brunswick, Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island.

G. E. Andersen, *President*
R. L. Coolen, *Secretary-Treasurer*

LEGAL NOTICE
ONTARIO CONFERENCE OF THE
SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST
CHURCH

Notice is hereby given that the annual session of the Ontario Conference of the Seventh-day Adventist Church will be held at Keswick Adventist Conference Camp July 9, 1978 at 9:00 a.m. The purpose of the session is for consideration of departmental reports and making plans for the overall evangelistic program of the conference.

Each Seventh-day Adventist Church in Ontario shall be entitled to one delegate without regards to numbers, and one additional delegate for every 25 members or major fraction thereof.

E. C. Beck, *President*
W. R. Bornstein, *Secretary*

Pre-Marriage Workshop

Pacific Union College, in cooperation with Andrews University, will hold a workshop focusing on pre-marriage counseling July 10-20.

For more information, contact Dr. Gordon Madgwick, Workshop Director, Office of the Academic Dean, P.O. Box 242, Angwin, California 94508.



Weddings

SUTHERLAND — REIMER

Evelyn Reimer of Mt. Lehman, B.C. and David Sutherland of Langley, B.C. were united in marriage, May 14, 1978, at the British Columbia Conference Chapel in Abbotsford, B.C. Pastor H. Homenchuk officiated, assisted by Elder A. W. Kaytor. Dorothy Schafer sang the wedding prayer.

The bride and groom were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Morris Sutherland of Sidney, B.C. and Mr. and Mrs. Percy Sutherland of Maple Ridge, B.C.

The happy couple will make their home at Mt. Lehman.

Mrs. Velma Miller
Communication Secretary
Abbotsford S.D.A. Church



At Rest

PEDERSON — Oscar Pederson passed to his rest May 15, in the Saanich Peninsula Hospital. Brother Pederson was born in Cheshire, England, December 9, 1887. He was married September 26, 1914. His wife predeceased him August 31, 1973.

Brother Pederson leaves three sons: Harry of Winnipeg, Manitoba, Harold of Victoria, B.C., Jeff of Manitou, Manitoba; two daughters, Elsie Hawes of Parksville, B.C. and Eileen Bryson of Sidney, B.C. Also 11 grandchildren and 13 great-grandchildren.

Services were held in the Rest Haven Seventh-day Adventist Church, with Elder H. E. Dawes officiating. Interment was in the Royal Oak Cemetery, Victoria, B.C.

Alex Ramsay, *Director*
Department of Communication
B.C. Conference of S.D.A.

AMONS — Alma Amons was born in Latvia May 6, 1902 and passed to her rest May 18, 1978 in Kingston, Ontario. She had been ill for the past 4 years. In 1947 she met and married Leon Amons in England. She also became a member of the Seventh-day Adventist Church in 1947 and was a faithful member until her death.

She is survived by her husband, Leon and one brother, Jacob Stradnicks of Kingston, Ontario. A host of friends also mourn her passing. Interment was in the beautiful Memorial Gardens in Glenburnie.

A. J. Webb, *Pastor*
Kingston S.D.A. Church

KENNEDY — John R. Kennedy was born in Ireland on November 6, 1904 and passed away on May 7, 1978.

In 1923, John made his way to Saskatoon. In 1962 he married Jannet Mulvey.

Two years ago John accepted the message as taught by the Seventh-day Adventist Church, and was baptized by Pastor Frazer.

Left to mourn are: his loving wife Jannet, two daughters — Irene, Mrs. George Crowe of Saskatoon and Audrey Mulvey of Hinsdale, Illinois.

Funeral services were conducted by the writer, assisted by Brother M. Manchur.

S. H. Gallant

Births

SORGIC — Kevin James, son of Tomislav and Milja Sorgic was born April 3, 1978, in Toronto, Ontario.

MCCARTY — Michael Stephen McCarty, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arvin McCarty of Canora, Saskatchewan was born February 24, 1978 at St. Helena Hospital, California.

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COUNTRY LIVING AT ITS BEST — Richmond Realty Ltd. of Grande Prairie, Alberta has just listed some farms within 3-10 miles of the 10-grade Junior Academy in Peoria, Alberta. These farms are located in one of the finest farming areas of northern Alberta—approximately 50 miles north east of Grande Prairie. Please call: Don Krause, (403) 532-7701 (Bus.) or (403) 694-2407 (Res.)

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