## Messenger Flashes

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VOICE OF YOUTH CAMPAIGN--During the mid-year school vacation, the Youth Federation of the metropolitan area of Panama City, Panama, launched in the Spanish-speaking central church a Voice of Youth campaign sponsored by Prof. John Parchment, MV secretary of the conference. God blessed their effort with eight baptisms and more than 30 interests.--Mrs. Mercedes Williams.

DISPLAY OF SDA PUBLICATIONS--For the first time in the history of our work in Venezuela, we had the privilege of displaying SDA literature at the Orinoco Fair, one of the largest in South Venezuela. This afforded an opportunity to hundreds of people from all walks of life to see and buy our books and magazines.--German Contes.

## PROGRESS REPORT FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER 1972

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| SUPER-<br>GOALS | 5,550  | 4,975<br>6,000   | 4,600<br>7,000  | 4,975<br>5,125   | 5,225<br>5,590  | 6,200<br>11,025                             | 6,900<br>9,100   | 39,200<br>50,000 |

SEQUEL TO A FIVE-DAY PLAN--Mr. Jose Valecillos who was a smoker for 45 years, is now a member of the Maracaibo SDA church. His first contact with our church was through the Five-Day Plan clinic conducted by Dr. H. A. Habenicht and Temperance Department secretary for the West Venezuela Mission Mario Nino. After the clinic he attended a campaign held by Colombia-Venezuela Union president Gabriel Castro, and at the close of the meetings was baptized.--Mario Nino.

NEW VISUAL AIDS FOR BIBLE STUDIES--The laymen of the North Dominican Mission are having a tremendous success with a new kind of visual aid for Bible studies consisting of a sheet of tin plate covered with a piece of white plasticized paper. The illustrations made of cardboard are attached to a tiny magnet which makes them adhere to the tin plate. The material is simple and the laymen themselves can prepare it. Mission president J. E. Espinosa is instructing the laity in the making of these visual aids.--Samuel Orozco.



BLESSED EXPERIENCE--IAD publishing secretary Nicolas Chaij spent nine fruitful days of spiritual emphasis at La Florida, Guatemala, church. During the day he went visiting and giving Bible studies with the new pastor Victor H. Morales, and in the evenings he held meetings in the church. Three results were immediately seen: Two non-Adventist families started to attend church; several former Adventists came back; and the members were refreshed by the presence of the Holy Spirit and the practical study of the Word.--Nicolas Chaij.

EVANGELISM '72 IN HONDURAS--Each of the thirteen workers of the mission held efforts in their respective districts. Later in the year they joined 16 students from Central American Vocational College in Costa Rica who, along with their theology professors, Elders Loron Wade and Rodolfo Hein, participated in the field school of evangelism directed by Elder B.L. Roberts, on loan from the Mexican Union. R. S. Folkenberg.



VOP GRADUATION--A successful graduation of Voice of Prophecy students was recently held at Santo Domingo Petapa, Oaxaca, Mexico.-District pastorHernan Juarez and South Mexico Mission treasurer Sergio Mejia attended the event.--Prof. D. G. y Poyato.



TRAINING PROGRAM -- Ninety three of the best laymen from all over the Honduras Mission, gathered in Tegucigalpa recently for an intensive ten-day training program in soul-winning methods and denominational orientation. The different subjects were taught by Elders Roberts, Maxson, Jurado, Wade and Hein. The laymen were also taught first aid and simple health treatments.-R.S. Folkenberg.