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DIVISION PERSONNEL VISIT ANDREWS UNIVERSITY--Elder J. H. Figueroa and Dr. C. R. Taylor held interviews with Inter-American students at Andrews University from March 6 to 8. On the evening of March 6 a group of over 120 students and members of their families gathered in the Lincoln and Wolverine rooms at the campus food-service center for a banquet. Some of the students are on bursary, but many are financing their studies on their own. More than 40 of these students will be ready to return to responsibilities in this division in the near future. --C. R. Taylor.

NORTH DOMINICAN MISSION ACQUIRES PROPERTIES--A large lot on one of the main avenues in the city of Santiago was purchased recently by the North Dominican Mission for the site of its future office building. The mission also bought a nice farm beside the ocean near the town of Gaspar Hernandez where the youth camp for that field will be located.--Hector Acosta.

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PICK-UP TRUCK ADVERTISES MAGAZINE--The Adventist Book Center in Barquisimeto, Venezuela, uses its pick up truck not only to transport books, but also to advertise its missionary magazine, *El Centinela*.--A. Gaona.

Of the 25 who attended faithfully, 21 quit smoking and gave inspiring testimonials. --L. Marcel Abel.

PLANS MADE FOR MEDICAL SCHOOL--On the third and fourth of March, a group of 20 qualified personnel from the General Conference, Loma Linda University, Inter-American Division and Mexican Union, which included several Adventist doctors from the Republic of Mexico, met at the University of Montemorelos to make plans for the school of medicine to be connected with that institution. In the photograph Elder Martin Kemmerer presents the report of the finance committee, while the auditor, treasurer and secretary of the Inter-American Division verify details.--C. R. Taylor.



EVANGELISTIC CRUSADE IN GRENADA--In spite of difficulties due to the unsettled situation in Grenada resulting in the total dislocation of business, the shutdown of the power station, and the absence of two thirds of the motor vehicles from the roads due to the lack of gasoline, Elder Stephen Purcell conducted a very successful evangelistic crusade on the island. Although he and his assistants were handicapped in their visitation program because of the gasoline shortage, already over 350 persons have been baptized.--S. L. Gadsby.

NEW CHURCH ORGANIZED ON ARUBA--An evangelistic campaign conducted by Elder Jeddy Hooker on the island of Aruba, Netherlands Antilles Mission, resulted in the organization of a new church.--Israel Leito.



WORKERS' MEETING IN UPPER MAGDALENA CONFERENCE--Elders George Carambot and Mario Niño from the Colombia-Venezuela Union staff met with the administrators and workers of the Upper Magdalena Conference in the beautiful surroundings of Camp Koinonia for a ministerial retreat early this year. In the accompanying photograph, the administrators of the conference appear with the pastors who were centurions during 1973. Four of these pastors baptized over 200 souls each. --Raimundo Pardo.