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Seventh-day Adventists of 1964

DO NOT SHARE the gloom and foreboding of many others as they witness the strange, precedent-shattering events following each other in rapid succession today.

As Bertrand Russell views the future he writes, "Never before has such a sense of futility blighted the visions of youth. Never before has there been reason to feel that the human race was traveling along a road ending only in a bottomless precipice."—Look, Jan. 21, 1958.

Cyril Garbett wrote, "Civilized man stands today in dire danger, for he is on the verge of a precipice over which he may plunge into ruin from which there might be no recovery."—In an Age of Revolution, pp. 5, 13.

To prophecy-believing Adventists these events proclaim the end of sin, suffering, and frustration—and the beginning of an eternity in a perfect land. But we do definitely share the concern of our frightened friends that time is short!

In view of this firm conviction as to the brevity of time, we have some important things to do—and to do quickly—one of which is the proper preparation of our children for these last days. It is the purpose of this issue of THE JOURNAL OF TRUE EDUCATION to aid us in this important, challenging responsibility.

G. M. M.



Before You Turn the Page...

May we tell you what we have tried to do in the following 23 pages?



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Thanks for the Minute

We have presented pictures and just enough words to carry the theme of these pages, which is the shortness of time we have left to do what we need to do for our children.

The events of our time shout it loudly—the brief time that our children are young and impressionable echo it—causing all parents to determine to utilize the few precious years they have with their children for the greatest possible good.

The closing pages set forth God's instructions to parents with regard to these years, along with appeals to follow His counsel.

Please read prayerfully. Thank you!

THE EDITORS

Time is Running Out

Devastating earthquakes, hurricanes, floods, and cyclones shout most loudly that TIME IS RUNNING OUT!





As prophesied, the moral conditions of Noah's time are being repeated today: Violence, corruption, drunkenness, lawlessness, and lust—a clear indication that

Time is Running Out

(Matt. 24:37, 38; Gen. 6:1, 2)



Time is Running Out

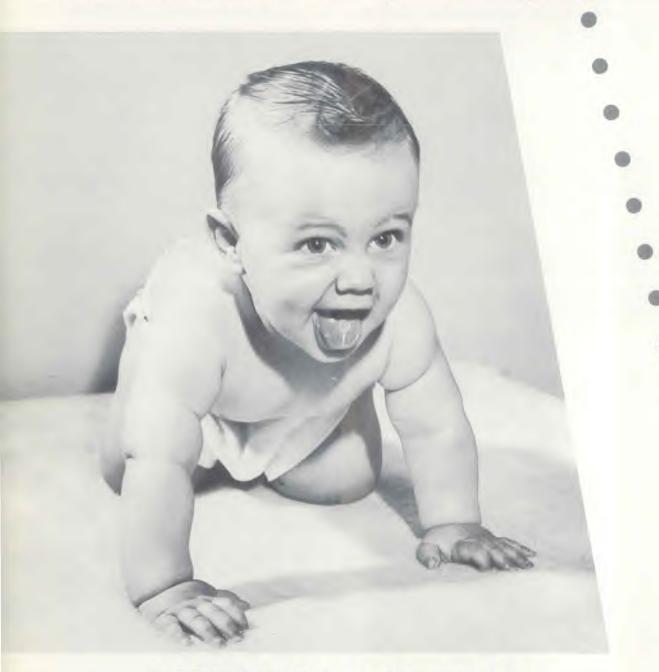
(Luke 21:26)





Bewitched by the "new look" of the Roman Church, willing to forget its past, no longer concerned about its doctrine, convinced that separation is a "scandal" and unity is more important than truth, millions of "separated brethren" are looking toward her with new understanding. By some mysterious alchemy, blind hatred has been transmuted into "wondering admiration." What a striking fulfillment of the prophecy: "And his deadly wound was healed: and all the world wondered after the beast" (Rev. 13:3). How faithfully these unprecedented events fix the date for the end of all things!

The Children Grow Up So Rapidly



LITTLE BOY OF TODAY-



BIG BOY OF TOMORROW!

Leaving So Little Time to Train Them!

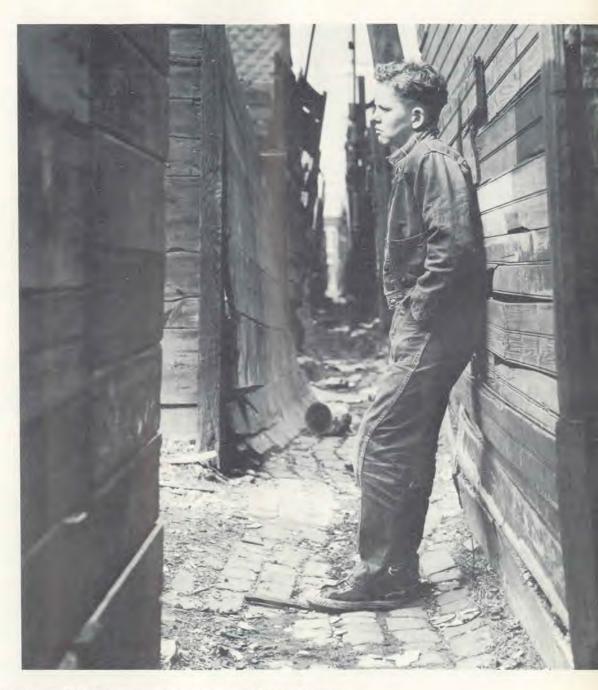
Today They Reach for Knowledge and Guidance



Those fleeting early years—how freighted with importance they are! During the early years children are impressionable and responsive to guidance and adult counsel. How earnestly and diligently we should be to use them effectively!

We have So Little

Tomorrow Is Too Late!



"This is your day of trust, your day of responsibility and opportunity. Soon will come your day of reckoning."—Counsels to Teachers, p. 131.

Time to Educate Them!

Enriching the Preschool Years



- -At most you have only a few hunded hours to hold your child
- -Better make each one count!
- -Make the bedtime stories and lullaby songs character building.

"Too much importance cannot be placed upon the EARLY training of children. The lessons learned, the habits formed, during the years of INFANCY and CHILDHOOD, have more to do with the formation of character and the direction of the life than ALL the instruction and training of after years."—The Ministry of Healing, p. 380. (Emphasis supplied.)

- -Watch for opportunities to lead her into character-building activities.
- -Opportunities lost can never be reclaimed!

"The lessons that the child learns during the first seven years of life have more to do with forming his character than all that it learns in future years."—Child Guidance, p. 193.



Enriching the



-Build character by use of Bible and nature stories.

—Take her on nature walks, pointing out lessons.



Preschool Years





-Let us make sure that our children are in a school that helps them build Christian character.



Use of the School Years



-Let us place our children in a school where their associates help them maintain Christian ideals.



Making Use of



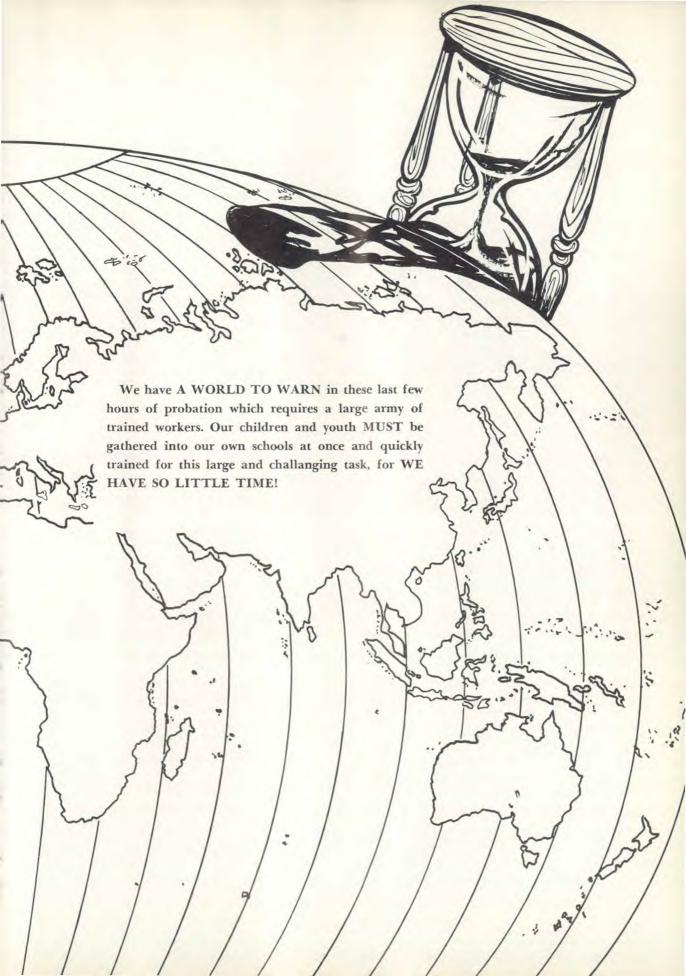
-Let us make sure that the knowledge our children learn is not only TRUE but that it helps them to live a consecrated Christian life.

the School Years

-Let us make sure that our children are in a school that will prepare them to help God finish His work in the world!



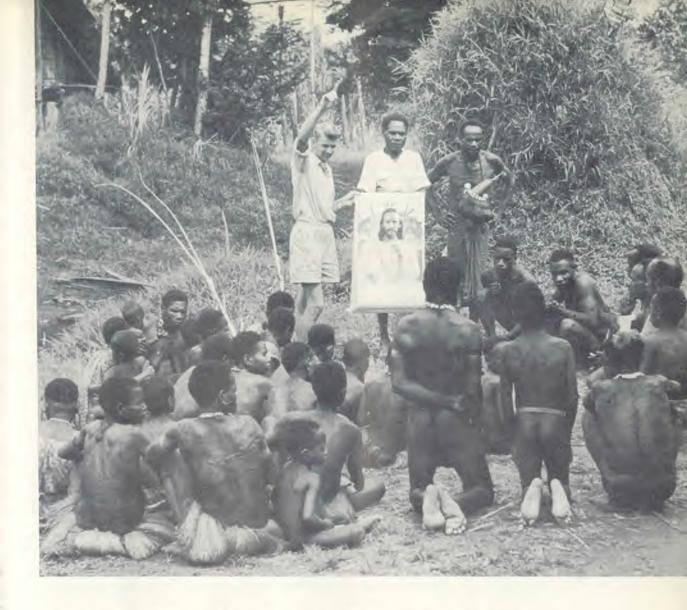






He is calling for workers—for the home base as well as for overseas: Workers are needed of many skills—administrators, evangelists, pastors, physicians, dentists, nurses and directors of nurses, medical technicians, elementary teachers and supervisors, secondary teachers, college teachers, school administrators, secretaries, accountants, publishing-house workers, printers, and a host of other types of workers.

The harvest truly is ripe—the Lord of the harvest is calling for many willing hands!



Note well these inspired words concerning the Necessity of Service: "In view of this command ["Go ye into all the world, and preach the gospel to every creature" (Mark 16:15)], can we educate our sons and daughters for a life of respectable conventionality, a life professedly Christian, but lacking His self-sacrifice, a life on which the verdict of Him who is truth must be, I know you not?

"Thousands are doing this. They think to secure for their children the benefits of the gospel while they deny its spirit. But this cannot be. Those who reject the privilege of fellowship with Christ in service, reject the only training that imparts a fitness for participation with Him in His glory."—Education, p. 264.

The Lord of the harvest will see that it is reaped—whether you assist Him or not—but if you do not, you will be the loser, perhaps even of your eternal life!



God Has Given to





Every Man His Work





Little Time!

Therefore, Let Us Quickly:

See that every child of Adventist parents is in our own schools.

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Equip our schools with the necessary facilities to provide the best education possible.

Encourage all the graduates of our colleges and universities to enter God's work to help Him finish the work quickly.

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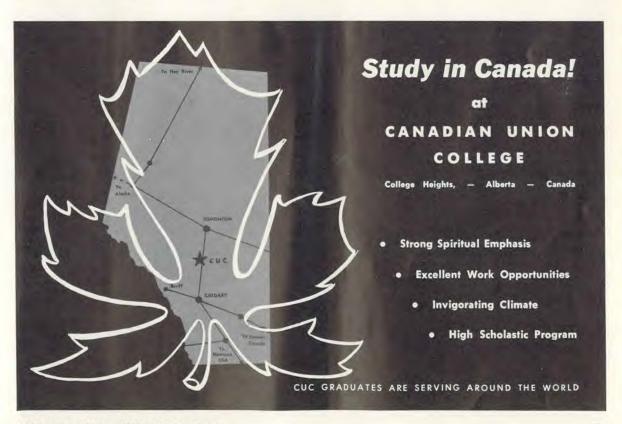
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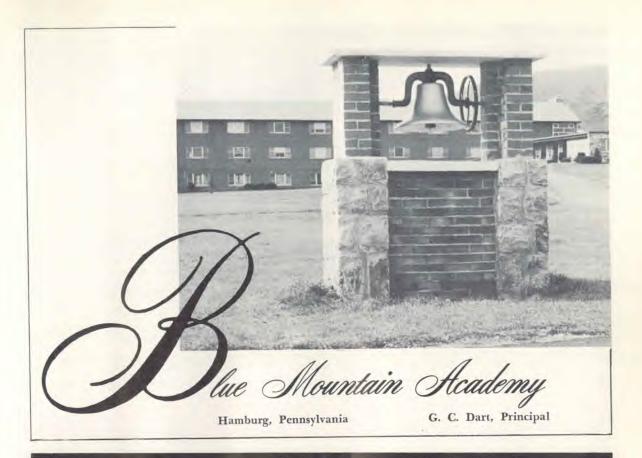
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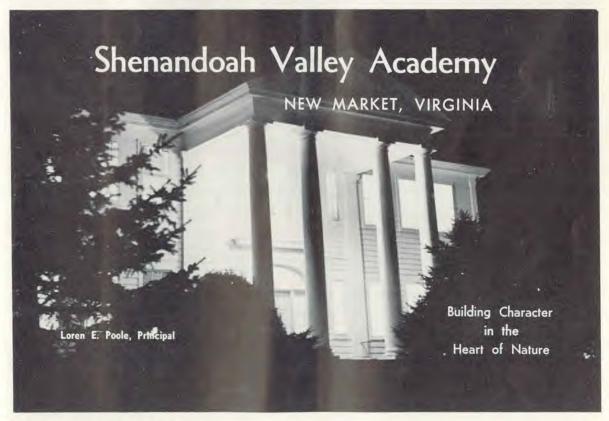
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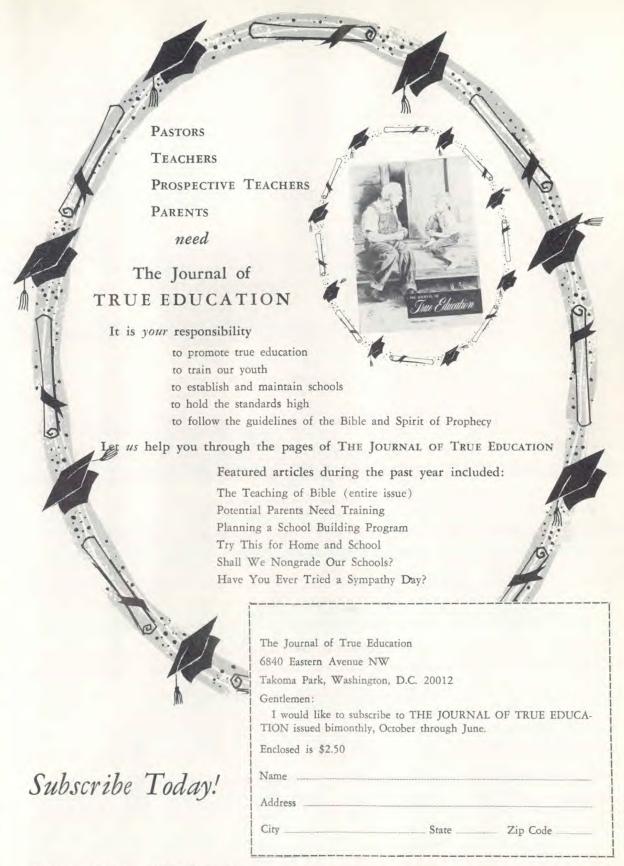


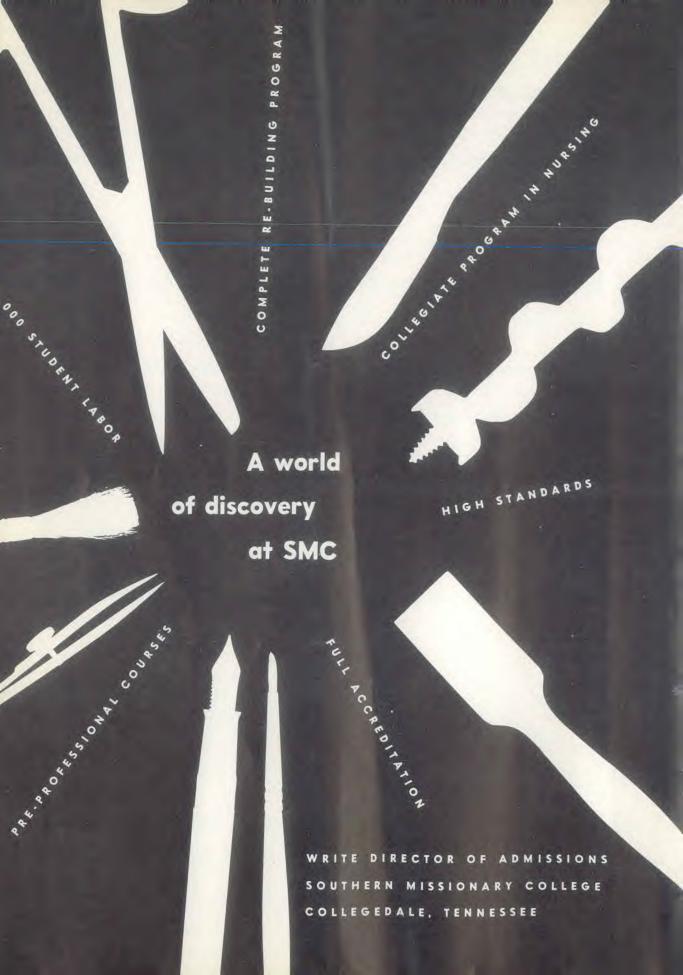
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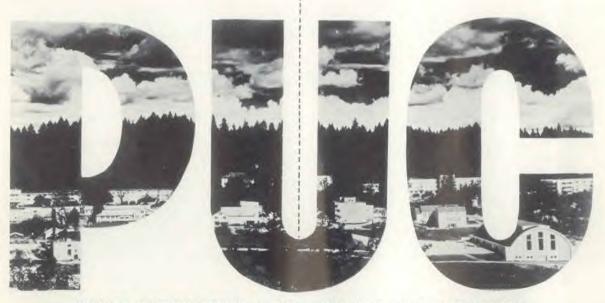
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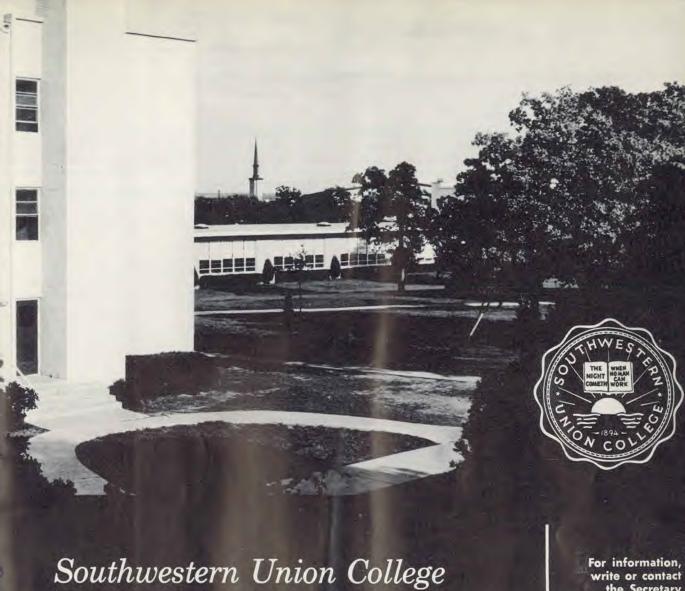
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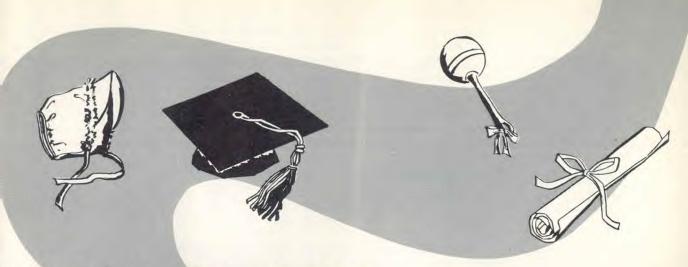
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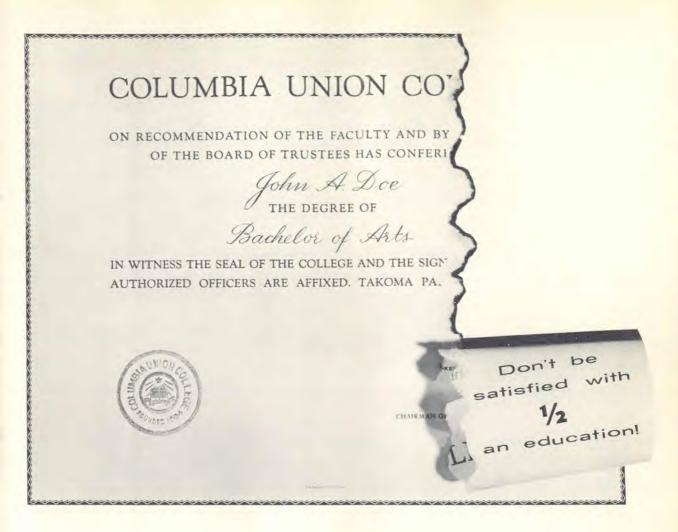
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