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Harmonious Witnessing

Robert L. Dale
President
Wisconsin Conference



"There is no life which in the past has testified to the power and beauty of the gospel but what lives today and shall continue in our future unfolding life."—*Words That Burn*, p. 37.

Every person's life touches someone else—in our daily experiences we see harmony that we spark in the hearts of others when we are in complete harmony with Christ in our own lives.

Our witnessing in its highest form is when the life of Christ, creating melody within us, touches the life of another person, causing him to respond to Jesus. The joining together of kindred spirits in Christ will produce melody throughout eternity.

"There the redeemed ones greet those who directed them to the uplifted Saviour. They unite in praising Him who died that human beings might have the life that measures with the life of God. The conflict is over. . . . Songs of victory fill all heaven, as the redeemed stand around the throne of God. All take up the joyful strain, 'Worthy is the Lamb that was slain' and hath redeemed us to God."—*The Ministry of Healing*, pp. 506 and 507.

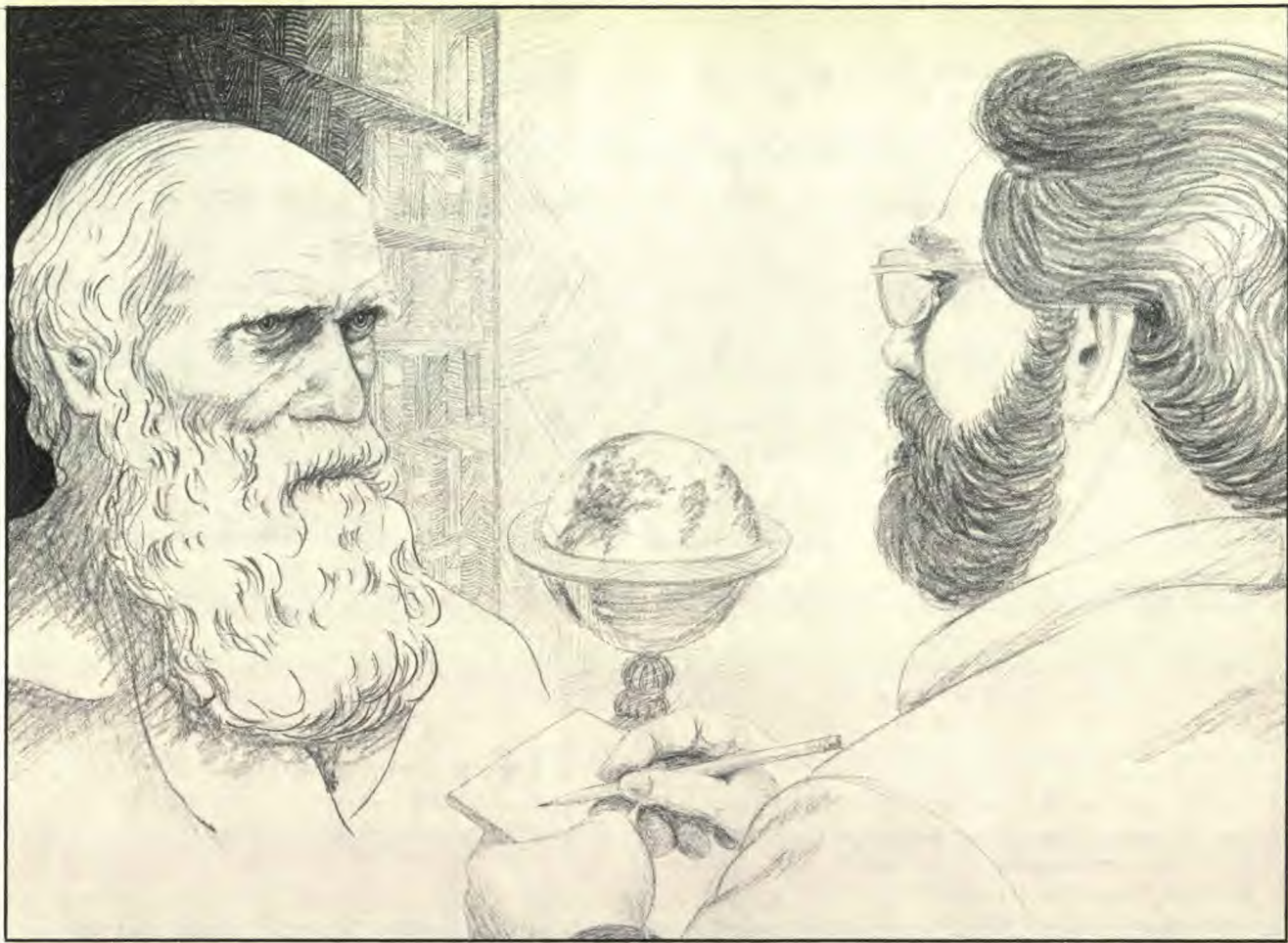
As friends meet in that land of joy their lives will blend in loving harmony. In this way our lives continue throughout eternity to bring forth eternal melody to God.

This is the fulfillment of Christ's prayer in John 17:20-22, "Neither pray I for these alone, but for them also which shall believe on me through their word; *That they all may be one*; . . . even as we are one."

COVER

In 1976 the "tall ships" were in New York harbor—nostalgically reminding us of the heyday of sailing. In 1831 Charles Darwin sailed to the Galapagos Islands and made discoveries which fostered the theory of evolution—read about it in Harold Coffin's article on page 4. Photo by Dick Dower.

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An Interview with Charles Darwin

by Harold G. Coffin, Ph.D.

Illustration by Nadine Dower

In 1831 Charles Darwin sailed around the world on the *Beagle*. As a result of this trip he settled upon a theory that profoundly changed the scientific thinking of the world.

Before Darwin's time most people believed that animals and plants were still exactly as God originally created them. Darwin had been taught this.

One of the places he visited on this trip was the Galapagos Islands—a group of 10 main islands and several small volcanos and rocky isles. They are not the idyllic palm-lined isles with dazzling beaches one might expect to find lying near the equator.

Most of the species of land animals and plants found there are native to

those islands. Of the 185 flowering plants Darwin collected, 100 were native, and many of these were confined to specific islands. The 15 species of sea fish he caught were all new.

The animals most generally associated with Charles Darwin and the Galapagos Islands are the finch-like

birds. The full importance of the finches in illustrating change did not become clear to Darwin until he had left the islands and had studied his collections.

Since the Galapagos Islands played such an important role in the development of the theory of evolution, let us turn back the clock and interview Mr. Darwin concerning his observations and their relation to the theory of evolution.

Mr. Darwin, since your stay in the Galapagos Islands was so important in aiding you to arrive at your conclusions concerning evolution, may we ask you some questions about them? What was your first impression of these islands when you landed there?

Darwin: Nothing could have been less inviting! A broken field of black basaltic lava thrown into the most rugged waves and crossed by great fissures is covered everywhere by stunted, sunburnt brushwood which showed little signs of life.

The dry and parched surface was heated by the noonday sun, and gave the air a close and sultry feeling like that from a stove. We fancied that even the bushes smelled unpleasant.

What animals first attracted your attention?

Darwin: The reptiles give a most striking character to the zoology of these islands. The species are not numerous but the numbers of individuals of each species are extraordinarily large. The tortoise grows to an immense size.

Were there other unusual animals on the Galapagos Islands?

Darwin: Most of the land birds comprise a most singular group of finches, related to each other in the structure of their beaks, short tails, form of body and plumage; there are 13 species.

All these species are peculiar to this archipelago. The most curious fact is the perfect gradation in the size of the beaks in the different species, from one as large as that of a hawfinch, to perhaps even as small as a warbler.

Considering the plant and animal life altogether, what was there that gave you cause for deliberation?

Darwin: The natural history of these islands is eminently curious, and well deserves attention. Most of the organic

productions are aboriginal creations, found nowhere else. There is even a difference between the inhabitants of the different islands. Yet all show a marked relationship with those of America, though separated from that continent by an open space of ocean, between 500 and 600 miles in width.

The archipelago is a little world within itself, or rather a satellite attached to America, whence it has derived a few stray colonists, and has received the general character of its indigenous production.

The naturalist looking at the inhabitants of these volcanic islands in the Pacific, several hundred miles from the continent, feels that he is standing on American land.

Why should this be so? Why should the species which are supposed to have been created in the Galapagos Archipelago, and nowhere else, bear so plainly the stamp of affinity to those created in America? There is nothing in the conditions of life, in the geological nature of the islands for example, that resembles the South American coast.

It is understandable, Mr. Darwin, that as a result of your Galapagos visit, you came to question the position that all living things have remained unchanged since creation. No doubt these animals and plants have changed somewhat from their counterparts in South America, but were you not bold in proposing unlimited change such as is required for the evolutionary theory, on the basis of variations that you saw?

Darwin: The distinctness of specific forms and the fact that they are not blended together by innumerable transitional links are obvious difficulties. I can hardly reflect on it without being somewhat staggered. Geology definitely does not reveal any such finely graduated organic chain. And this, perhaps, is the most obvious and serious objection which can be urged against my theory.

You are being frank, Mr. Darwin. There are many missing links. But surely you must have some explanation or you would not hold to your theory of unlimited organic evolution.

Darwin: The explanation lies, I believe, in the extreme imperfection of the geologic record. The crust of the earth is a vast museum; but the natural

collections have been imperfectly made and only at long intervals of time. Only a small portion of the surface of the earth has been geologically explored, and that with insufficient care.

One final question, Mr. Darwin. We appreciate your willingness to take time to participate in this interview. If in the future the "missing links" are not found as fossils, would you be prepared to discard your theory?

At this point we take leave of Mr. Darwin and turn the clock forward to the present.

What are the results of more than one hundred years of fossil collecting since Darwin's time? The connecting links are still missing.

Fossil reptiles are clearly reptiles, fossil birds are definitely birds. Geologists admit that the more collecting that is done the greater the problem becomes. There is no continuous gradation of changes from one type to another that would be required if evolution were true.

It must be admitted that Darwin *did* see different variations from one island to another in the Galapagos. He *did* see evidences that made it necessary for him to discard his belief that living things were fixed and had not changed.

But these changes were relatively minor and there was no evidence that forced him to believe in limitless change. Darwin made a common mistake, the mistake of "either-or." *Either* species were fixed *or* unlimited change occurred. But the truth in this case lies between the two extremes.

Although Darwin's theory of evolution really influenced the scientific world, the very thing that worried him most about evolution has happened. The absence of connecting links is serious enough to be a basis for rejecting the theory.

Harold Coffin is a staff scientist at the Geoscience Research Institute, Berrien Springs, Michigan, and a professor of paleontology at Andrews University. This is the concluding article in a series on Creation by Dr. Coffin, who is the author of the Sabbath School lessons for this quarter.

Your Health and Spiritual Development

by Donna Meyer Voth

Information on personal health is readily available today, and it has become increasingly popular to strive for a lifestyle that will lead to a longer and more healthy life.

Seventh-day Adventists who have long promoted healthful living might ask themselves, "Is our only goal to live longer and healthier?"

Though a worthy goal in itself, its relationship to the ultimate goal of eternal life makes it extremely significant to the Christian.

Physical health and spiritual development are more closely connected than many people realize. Through a careful study of the writings of Ellen G. White we learn that our ability to develop a character patterned after Christ is dependent

upon our ability to bring our health habits into line with the counsel we have.

In a country where eating has become the favorite pastime Satan is using every possible method to stimulate the appetite—he knows that this is his strongest hold.

"There are few who realize as they should how much their habits of diet have to do with their health, their character, their usefulness in this world, and their eternal destiny."—*Patriarchs and Prophets*, p. 562.

It is easy to forget that not only must we abstain from the bad, but also use the good in moderation.

Attaining a character worthy of Christ's sacrifice is not easy, but requires individual effort aided by the grace of Christ. God has promised his people that "when they break away from all health-destroying indulgences, they will have a clearer perception of what constitutes true godliness. A wonderful change will be seen in their religious experience. . . ."—*Counsels on Health*, p. 579.

"The body is the only medium through which the mind and the soul are developed for the upbuilding of character."—*The Ministry of Healing*, p. 130. Thus it is important that we keep this channel of communication open.

Recognizing the Lord as author of the physical as well as the moral laws, we will understand why it is as important to follow the laws of our being as it is to observe the Ten Commandments.

Christ wants us to live the kind of life He would live were He on earth today. By so doing we will be a witness to others of the power of Christ in us.

"If Seventh-day Adventists practiced what they professed to believe, if they were sincere health reformers, they would indeed be a spectacle to the world, to angels, and to men."—*Counsels on Health*, p. 575.

By carefully following God's plan for our lives, and by heeding his instruction concerning healthful living, we will be sure to attain our ultimate goal—eternal life.

Donna Meyer Voth was formerly health education director at Hinsdale Sanitarium and Hospital, Hinsdale, Illinois



Ray Minner, Correspondent

NEWS NOTES

• Andrews University has received an \$1,800 grant from the Sears, Roebuck Foundation. The gift is part of a total of \$36,000 distributed by the foundation in January to 30 private colleges and universities in Michigan. The check was presented to Andrews' vice president for development and public relations, David H. Bauer, by J. E. Small, manager of the Sears retail store in Benton Harbor.

• Marshall Kelly of Oakwood College Academy in Alabama will present a vesper service February 10 in the Pioneer Memorial Church. Elder Kelly, a bass-baritone whose music ministry is well known throughout North America, was formerly a pastor in the Lake Region Conference.

• Andrews' social-work department has received confirmation of its accredited status through March 1980. The department's program has been accredited by the Council on Social Work Education since 1974. The department averages about 25 graduates each year who receive the Bachelor of Social Work degree. Andrews' social-work department is the only one among Adventist colleges in North America to be accredited.

• WAUS Radio at Andrews University has organized a committee of six communication specialists to review the station's programming policies and propose more effective ways of meeting the community's spiritual needs. It is hoped the committee will provide "basic short guidelines for the station's future and new and fresh ideas—an outside viewpoint."

STUDENTS FROM ANDREWS JUNIOR ACADEMY RECEIVE D.A.R. AWARDS

Two students at Andrews Junior Academy have won first-place awards in preliminary competition for the Daughters of the American Revolution essay contest.

Debbie Roy took first place among



Marcia Merkel, left, and Debbie Roy show their awards for winning the essay contest sponsored by the Daughters of the American Revolution.

eighth-grade contestants with her essay, "West Virginia Mountain Girl."

The seventh-grade competition was won by Marcia Merkel for her paper, "Loose Wheels and Horseshoes."

The awards were presented by Charlotte Groff, chairman of American History Week for the D.A.R.'s Algonquin Chapter. Having won the local chapter's contest, the girls' essays now go on to statewide competition.

Marcia is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Merkel. Mr. Merkel is a certified public accountant in Berrien Springs.

Debbie's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Roy. Mr. Roy manages the grounds department at Andrews University.



The two Bell helicopters which will be used for aircraft maintenance instruction.

HELICOPTERS PURCHASED FOR ANDREWS AVIATION PROGRAM

Two Bell helicopters, retired from service in the U.S. Army, have been bought for use in Andrews' new airframe and power-plant school, according to Larry Mahlum, assistant dean of the College of Technology.

The aircraft, which had been in government mothballs in Arizona, are

12 to 15 years old, and will be used for instructional purposes in training aircraft mechanics on the ground.

The airframe and power-plant school (A & P) will be operated by the College of Technology's new department of aviation and transportation, and is expected to be accredited by the Federal Aviation Administration by the fall of 1978.

Approximately 50 students are anticipated for the program, says Dr. Raymond O. Swensen, department chairman.

Half the students will take the airframe portion of the program while the other half are mastering power-plant mechanics. Then the groups will each switch to the other emphasis for the second year of instruction.

A student entering the A & P school will have three options, says Dr. Swensen. He may choose to earn a two-year Associate of Industrial Technology degree, a Bachelor of Industrial Technology degree requiring four years, or he may obtain an A & P license without pursuing a degree.

Part of the curriculum for the Bachelor of Industrial Technology degree (B.I.T.), can include flight training at Andrews' F.A.A.-approved flight school, according to Dr. Swensen.

Chief flight instructor Harry Lloyd heads a crew that includes four full- and part-time flying instructors, in addition to qualified students who also give lessons.

Using Cessna aircraft for the most part, the school offers instruction in the 150, 152, 172 and 185 models; the Cardinal R.G., which has retractable landing gear, and other planes as well.



GREAT LAKES ADVENTIST HEALTH SERVICES, INC.

Joel Hass, Correspondent

HINSDALE HOSPITAL NEWS NOTES

• A Hinsdale Hospital employee and his wife gave several hours of their time on Christmas day to help Yule Connection, the country's first "pre-crisis" hotline set up in the

Chicago area during the holiday season. Erald Wheeler, hospital cashier, and his wife, Faye, were trained to answer calls and later manned the phones. Both found a rewarding experience in alleviating the loneliness of the holiday season for others.

• The health education department of Hinsdale Hospital, in cooperation with the local Seventh-day Adventist Church, is beginning a series of programs focusing on mental health. Beginning in January and continuing on the last Wednesday evening of each month during 1978, the programs aim to increase participants' understanding of mental health and their ability to achieve true happiness, while bringing them closer to God's ideal. The first program is on Wednesday, January 25, at 7:30 P.M., in the youth chapel of the Hinsdale Seventh-day Adventist Church, 201 North Oak Street, Hinsdale.

• At the traditional holiday luncheon held recently several hospital employees and volunteers received awards honoring them for their service during 1977. Anita R. Covarrubias, ward assistant; James Goodpaster, environmental services, and Franklin P. Hendricks, journeyman, received employee-of-the-year awards. Nurse-of-the-year awards went to Clarice J. Besser, R.N., I.C.U./C.C.U., and Ila J. Leben, L.P.N., outpatient. Shirley M. Johnson, R.N., 5-east, received the supervisor-of-the-year award. Carol Jahn was named volunteer of the year, and Barbara Hotchkiss was named junior volunteer of the year.

all the things your congregation did for us during our recent fire. If it weren't for your kindness and caring we wouldn't have beds for the children right now. The towels and bed linens were lifesavers, too! Everything you gave us came in handy.

"I can't praise enough the people we met and who helped us and were so kind to us. I don't think that we will ever be able to forget those people. You have made it possible for us to make things as normal as possible for our children in a short time."



The newly baptized members stand with other Bloomington church members who were instrumental in helping to bring the hope of salvation to them.

13 JOIN BLOOMINGTON

A happy group from the Bloomington Church rejoiced together on Sabbath, December 2, when 13 persons joined the congregation by baptism. These people had attended the Better World series of meetings held in Howard Johnson's Motor Lodge in Bloomington.

Robert Fekete, pastor of the local church, invited Arnold Friedrich and Lorraine Hansen to conduct the public meetings. A Heartbeat Clinic was also held for the community and local members.

The Bloomington Church members do not have a church building of their own, but they meet for worship in the pastor's residence, which is owned by the congregation.

Interest has been aroused in these public meetings, and the congregation is following up the interest for future baptisms and new members.

*Arnold Friedrich
Illinois Conference Evangelist*

LORD'S DAY SEMINAR RESULTS

Have you been wondering how to present the Sabbath and its meaning to your community?

Perhaps you might try something like the Stewardson Church did last November 18 and 19 when Dr. Samuele Bacchiocchi of Andrews University came to the Effingham Ramada Inn for a "Lord's Day Seminar."

About one hundred people attended both nights, and the Stewardson Church board felt the meetings were a great blessing for the following reasons:

Several people who had been taking Bible studies made definite decisions for the Sabbath and are now contemplating joining the Adventist Church.

Many nonmembers heard a moving, yet scholarly presentation of the Sabbath.

The seminar format and neutral location disarmed prejudice.

The 10,000 letters of invitation sent by the church members to homes in Effingham County placed the issue of Sabbath and Sunday before many people who perhaps had never considered it before.

Church members, who came from as far as Danville and Marion, were greatly inspired and strengthened by the meetings.

As the pastor and the members visit each nonmember who attended, it is hoped that interest will be stirred and Bible studies begun which will lead to further decisions for baptism.

But most importantly the Stewardson Church is claiming God's promise in Isaiah 55:11 that as His Word goes forth it will accomplish what He promises.

For further information or a sample letter of invitation, contact Pastor Jerry Page, Box 80, Route 2, St. Elmo, IL 62458.

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Communication Secretary*

Illinois Conference



David Gray, Correspondent

LETTER OF APPRECIATION RECEIVED BY ELGIN CHURCH

Recently the Elgin Church Community Services Center received the following letter from a family who were given assistance after a fire in their home.

"To the members of the Seventh-day Adventist Church of Elgin:

"Our family wants to thank you for

Lake Region Conference



Fred Williams, Correspondent

191 BAPTIZED AS A RESULT OF CRUSADE IN DETROIT

Evangelist Robert C. Connor conducted his first crusade since coming to the Lake Union Conference



Elder R. P. Stafford baptizes Natalie Prince.

in the City Temple Church in Detroit, Michigan, recently.

The "Christ is the Answer" crusade resulted in a great spiritual awakening.

Many new members came to Christ and not a few backsliders were reclaimed.

After three weeks of nightly meetings, 117 people were baptized by

the church pastor, Elder R. P. Stafford.

In the history of the church there has never been such a revival, and we pray that the church will move on to finish God's work in this part of His vineyard.

Working with the "Christ is the Answer" team were musicians



Evangelist Robert C. Connor.



Lawrence Logan played the organ.



Bible instructor Nina Addison helped during the baptism. Alma Neal is in the background.

Lawrence and Cloie Logan and Bible instructors Nina Addison, Catherine Bland and Alma Neal.

On the day of the baptism, the Wray Sisters from Raleigh, North Carolina, presented special music.

New members wept and rejoiced because they have received this invitation to join the family of God. Young, old and middle-aged people surrendered to the Holy Spirit's call.



Bible instructor Catherine Bland.

There was scarcely sitting room to be found each Sabbath, and during the week the attendance was remarkable.

Due to increasing interest, the evangelist extended the crusade for a fourth week.

As a result another 74 people were baptized, bringing the total to 191.

We thank God for sending Elder Connor and his dedicated team to the City Temple Church. Our prayer is that God will continue to bless him as he goes on to his next crusade.

*Phenicie Thomas
Communication Secretary*

Michigan Conference



E. N. Wendth, Correspondent

NEWS NOTE

• As a public service to the community, the members of the Buchanan Church have made their church's driveway and parking lot available as a weekday turnaround for area school buses. The action was prompted by an accident in which a 9-year-old student was killed after leaving the bus to cross the highway on which the church is located.



INGATHERING PUZZLE

A jigsaw puzzle in reverse was used by the Berrien Springs Church to spur its Ingathering program. Instead of adding pieces to the giant puzzle, Max Church, left, lay activities leader, removed a section at a time as additional Ingathering funds were received. When the church's goal was reached on January 14 all pieces of the puzzle had been removed revealing a picture of the second coming of Christ. Richard and Mary Louise Hill, right, made the device.

FIRE VICTIMS HELPED BY BAY CITY CHURCH

Fifty-seven Bay City families, victims of a major fire in December, found life a little easier to cope with because of area Seventh-day Adventists.

The fire raged through a downtown residential hotel killing 13 persons and injuring about 50.

The response to the Red Cross's emergency call for clothing and bedding was so overwhelming they didn't know how to deal with it.

Thus another call for help was placed, this time to the Adventist Church. Although regular morning services were about to begin Mrs. Oliver Doll, head of the community services center, and several of her workers immediately responded.

According to Helen Piasecki, church communication secretary, when the church members arrived at the hastily set up relief center they found things in a state of confusion.

As soon as Red Cross officials knew the Adventists were on hand the job of organizing that phase of the relief effort was given to them. "With a silent prayer for guidance," the communication secretary reported, "the group began to work and the operation began to go more smoothly."

Red Cross officials were so pleased with the work Mrs. Doll and her

associates were doing that soon they gave complete charge of that phase of the emergency operations to the Adventists.

When it became apparent that the church's service center couldn't hold the large supply of articles received, the Red Cross acquired a building for temporary storage.

The service center was open that Sabbath afternoon and every day the following week. Seventy Red Cross volunteers and workers from the community services centers at Midland and Saginaw assisted.

Bay City Adventists are pleased that



The Singers of Canaan.

RECORD BY SPANISH SINGERS TO HELP CHURCH

The Berrien Springs Spanish Church was organized just five years ago with a nucleus of Latin Americans who had settled in Berrien Springs, and a fluctuating population of Spanish-speaking students who attend Andrews University.

During the past few years the church has grown and extended its ministry.

During the summers it is actively involved in evangelism among Spanish-speaking migrant fruit and vegetable harvesters. During the school year it provides a spiritual home for students who would otherwise find themselves lonely.

Now the church is reaching out even further. Under the leadership of Mario Negrette a singing group has been organized. The group provides an added attraction to the worship

services of the church, and they have also presented special programs in Grand Rapids; Gary, Indiana, and Chicago, Illinois.

This summer, the group, The Singers of Canaan, recorded several of their songs on a stereophonic record. Many of our members in the Lake Union, even if they do not know Spanish, will enjoy the excellent Sabbath music it provides.

For the next 30 days it will be sold for the special price of \$5. Afterwards it will be sold for \$5.50.

Proceeds from the sale of the record will help supply small chairs for the children's Sabbath School. The record may be ordered from the church treasurer: Benjamin Inquilla, 209 Lilac Street, Berrien Springs, MI 49103.

they were prepared to make a contribution to the community during this tragedy. They only hope that a definite spiritual blessing was received with the physical help given.



STOP SMOKING! and LIVE
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SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH



One of 20 temperance billboards throughout Michigan.

BILLBOARD TEMPERANCE

Michigan's annual temperance billboard offering will be taken on Sabbath, January 28.

The funds raised help pay the expenses of caring for the billboards sponsored by the conference temperance department.

The billboards are located at 20 different sites along Michigan's key highways, and carry a health-oriented message which, for the past few years, has featured the Five-Day Plan to Stop Smoking.

Does this type of advertising pay off?

"Yes," says Merrill Fleming, director of the temperance department. "Every week letters are received from people who want to stop smoking and are interested in the plan."

Information is sent to the writer and to the local pastor who in turn sends information regarding the next Five-Day Plan. A single request like this often encourages a local church to sponsor a plan, thus benefiting the person requesting the help and others in the area as well.

Your support for this offering will help to bring better health to people, respect to the church and an interest in our message. Offerings should be placed in the regular tithe envelopes and clearly marked "billboard offering."



The interior of the new Belgreen Church with two members of the Triumph Trio presenting special music.



Elder Gordon Frase at the Belgreen Church opening services.

BELGREEN CHURCH HOLDS OPENING SERVICES

Opening services for the new \$130,000 Belgreen Church on Baker Road in Greenville were held December 3.

The church seats 175 people, and serves the congregations of the former Belgreen and Belden churches which were only 10 miles apart. The new building is located about halfway between these two Michigan towns.

Conference President Charles Keymer was the guest speaker and concluded his remarks by singing the musical prayer, "Bless This House." Herbert Pritchard, conference treasurer, also participated in the program.

A baby dedication was conducted during the service by Gordon Frase, the local pastor. In the afternoon meeting a baptism was held, and a musical program was presented by the Triumph Trio from Ionia.

Faculty members and musical groups from Cedar Lake Academy then concluded the activities of the day with a special program.

'OPERATION SEND'

During 1977 members of the Pioneer Memorial Church sent 32,397 used Seventh-day Adventist magazines to nine overseas countries where English is read and spoken.

In addition they sent 110 used Bibles, 100 E. G. White paperbacks, hundreds of greeting cards, and miscellaneous used supplies for children's and youth Sabbath Schools. Postage was supplied by the members who placed their contributions in a tithe envelope and marked it Operation Send.

Some 77 letters were received as a result of this endeavor—letters of appreciation, letters of request, letters from non-Adventists who were recipients of this literature.

The project grew in response to requests for literature placed in the Review and Herald from time to time. People selected to receive the materials were presidents of unions, lay activity directors, seminary directors, school principals, pastors and doctors.

Here are two representative quotes: "Tomorrow [May 10, 1977] we are presenting 15 precious souls [for baptism]. We can hardly forget to mention the tremendous part the literature received from you played during the effort. May the Lord bless all those who brought [the papers] to us."—Ghana

"A few days ago we were busy packing magazines, pamphlets and books for our students who were planning, not to go on Christmas vacation, but to conduct evangelistic efforts in 10 large barrios.

"You have a share in this great missionary endeavor.... You can [imagine] how important your used magazines are and I am conveying to you the hundreds of 'thank-yous' expressed to me every Sabbath as I distribute those printed pages. Surely the Lord will fulfill His promise in Ecclesiastes 11:1, 'Cast thy bread upon the waters: for thou shalt find it after many days.'"—The Philippines.

Wisconsin Conference



Len McMillan, Correspondent

NEWS NOTES

• Vera Westman, director of the Wausau Community Services, reports that the community services became the relief distribution center when a tornado hit the area in August last year. The work at the church was acclaimed by the local newspaper and the Red Cross.

• More than 20 percent of the Ingathering funds from the Wisconsin Academy Church came from the young people of Petersen Elementary School. Led by their principal, Delilah Petersen, these youngsters showed much enthusiasm by going the second mile again this year. Besides the usual school field day, the upper grades participated several more hours in other church Ingathering activities. The Pathfinders also went Ingathering. The young people offered a free Bible study course to people they visited; several requests for studies were received right at the doors of the homes by the students.



Elder Mercer, left, and Elder Roth presented a family Bible to Theresa Adams for bringing the greatest number of people to the meetings.

EVANGELISM IN CLEARWATER LAKE

Hershel Mercer, pastor of the Clear Lake Church, was invited by Don Roth, pastor of the Clearwater Lake Church, to present a series of evangelistic meetings at Clearwater Lake.

Many people from the area attended the "Gifts of Faith" crusade which was conducted from October 7 through 30.

Elder Roth, the crusade coordinator, was very pleased to report that many people attended every meeting. There were many decisions for baptism, and a baptismal service is planned for the near future.



Deidre Johnson helping families with their needs.

ANTIGO COMMUNITY SERVICES PROGRAM

Antigo is a small town with a population of about 10,000. Yet the community services center is one of the most active in the state of Wisconsin.

The Social Services Agency regularly sends people to the center for help. It is not unusual to have \$5 and \$10 donations given at Ingathering because of the center's active part in the community.

In 1976 the director of the center talked about the community services work on a program on the local radio station.

This year Deidre Johnson, director, and many of the helpers have been making bedding items and keeping the clothes for the center in excellent repair. More than 100 boxes of clothing have been shipped overseas during the past year.

The center is currently being remodeled in order to serve the public better.

God has truly blessed the 50 members of the Antigo Church as they have helped people in unfortunate circumstances.

"Our service leaders," says Pastor Duane Brown, "are examples of practical Christianity in action."

PRAY
for the
Voice of Prophecy

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with his wife, Loralyn, coordinating a student literature evangelism program for Metro Ministry, an organization established to help area conferences implement the Spirit of Prophecy counsel regarding New York City.

The Hornings were assisted by David Williams who is also a seminary student at Andrews.

Under their guidance, eight students from various Adventist colleges in the U.S. sold Listen and Life and Health supplements on the streets of New York City.

The supplements dealt with sex, drugs, smoking, obesity, alcohol and healthful living. A follow-up card was enclosed in each magazine on which readers could check interests such as Five-Day Plans and Bible studies.

Two hundred people responded and 100 of these enrolled in a Bible correspondence school coordinated by Merlin Kretschmar, lay activities director of the Greater New York Conference.

Although he was grateful for the 200 responses, Horning acknowledges it is an infinitesimal number compared to the seven million residents of the nation's largest megalopolis.

"Psychologically New York is staggering. How can we expect to do anything in three months among millions of people?" he asks.

To Horning, the purpose of metropolitan literature evangelism is to meet people where they are with subjects that relate to their daily lives, ultimately showing them that Jesus Christ is the answer. "We just can't measure our success in sales. We've got to measure it in changed lives," says Horning.

Some of the changed lives this summer included a member of the literature evangelist team, a former Olympic athlete and a lonely widow.

"God can only use us when we're out there," Horning sums up. "I feel there should be full-time literature evangelism teams in New York and other large cities."

Newsline

PARALYZED PRIEST NAMED ONE OF NATION'S OUTSTANDING MEN

An almost totally paralyzed Catholic priest has been named one of

"America's Ten Outstanding Young Men for 1977" by the U.S. Junior Chamber of Commerce. Thirty-one-year-old Father William Atkinson is paralyzed from the neck down as a result of a winter accident 12 years ago. He was a first-year seminarian at the time and made a long recovery to resume his studies. Eventually he received special permission from Pope Paul to be ordained and now teaches theology at a suburban Philadelphia high school.

MORMON GENEALOGY RECORDS MAY HOLD KEY TO CANCER RESEARCH

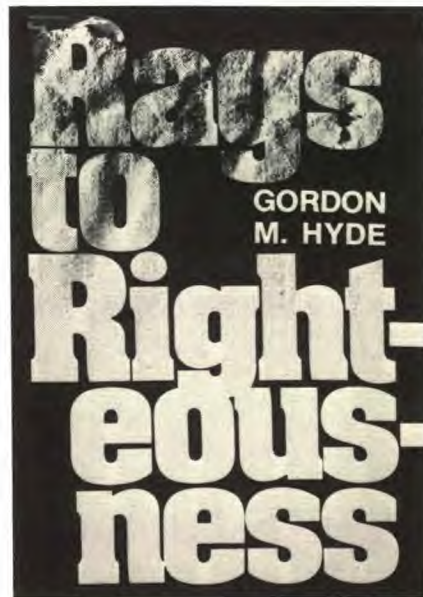
Mormon family records may help researchers fight cancer. Genealogy records of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints will be used in a National Cancer Institute project to test several genetic theories related to cancer and other diseases. If it is found that cancer runs in families, then researchers will look for distinguishing traits of cancer-prone families.

NEW COUNCIL TO STUDY AND DEFEND BIBLICAL INERRANCY

Some members of the evangelical community are gearing up for a campaign to defend the Bible. An International Council of Biblical Inerrancy has been formed in Chicago. Its purpose is to organize a 10-year effort to study and defend the doctrine of biblical inerrancy. The

monthly magazine Eternity reports that the council's major concern is to demonstrate that people denying biblical inerrancy are "out of step with the Bible, with church history and with good logic."

New Releases



RAGS TO RIGHTEOUSNESS, by Gordon M. Hyde. Pacific Press Publishing Association, Mountain View, California. Special price: \$3.50.

The subject of this book is righteousness by faith—a timely supplement to the second-quarter Sabbath School lessons. The book is usually priced at \$3.95, but it will be available for \$3.50 through the second quarter at all Adventist Book Centers or the ABC mailing service.

RECIPE OF THE MONTH

Saucettes Strata

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| 2 tablespoons margarine | 3 eggs, slightly beaten |
| 1 cup chopped celery | 1 1/4 cup milk |
| 1/2 cup chopped onion | 1/4 cup SAUCETTES broth |
| 1 tablespoon minced parsley | 1/2 teaspoon salt |
| 12 slices white or whole wheat bread, crusts removed | 1/4 teaspoon garlic powder |
| 1 can Worthington SAUCETTES (20 ounces) (reserve broth) | 1/4 teaspoon thyme |
| 6 slices American cheese (4 1/2 to 6 ounces) | 6 cherry tomatoes |
| | parsley sprigs |

Melt margarine in a skillet. Add celery and onion. Cover and cook at medium heat until vegetables are tender. Stir in parsley. Set aside. Arrange 6 slices bread in single layer in a buttered 2 quart rectangular baking dish (8"x12"x2"). Spread cooked vegetable mixture over bread. Cut each of the SAUCETTES in half lengthwise. Arrange SAUCETTES halves evenly over vegetables. Top SAUCETTES with cheese slices and then with remaining 6 slices of bread. Combine eggs, milk, SAUCETTES broth, salt, garlic powder and thyme. Carefully pour mixture over casserole contents. Be certain to soak top bread layer completely. Cover tightly and refrigerate 4 to 5 hours or overnight. Place casserole in a pan of hot water. Bake uncovered at 325 F. for 1 hour and 15 minutes. Garnish with cherry tomatoes and parsley, if desired. Serves 6.

Note: This dish is also excellent prepared with Worthington WHAM, Worthington SMOKED TURKEY STYLE LUNCHEON SLICES or WORTHINGTON 209 in place of Worthington SAUCETTES.

ADVERTISEMENT

Announcements

LAKE UNION

ATTENTION SPEECH PATHOLOGISTS AND AUDIOLOGISTS: We are compiling an updated list of all potential members of the Seventh-day Adventist Speech and Hearing Association (SHASDA). Therefore, we request that you send your name, address and phone number to: R. E. Hartbauer, Ph.D., President, SHASDA, Speech and Hearing Clinic, Andrews University, Berrien Springs, MI 49104.

MICHIGAN

CORRIE: BEHIND THE SCENES WITH THE HIDING PLACE, a new, full-length color film released from World Wide Pictures, featuring Corrie Ten Boom, will be shown at Adelphian Academy Chapel, Holly, Michigan, on February 4, 1978, at 3 P.M. Everyone is cordially invited.

THE 90-MEMBER ANDREWS UNIVERSITY BAND will perform February 25, 1978, at 8 P.M. in Battle Creek's beautiful Kellogg Auditorium. Plan to come and hear this exciting performance. Admission per person, \$1; per family, \$2. Sponsored by Battle Creek Academy.

Classified Ads

All advertisements must be approved by your local conference office. No phoned ads will be accepted. Final ad deadline is Thursday, 9 a.m., 12 days before the date of issue. 50 words maximum. Limit of four insertions.

Rates: \$7.00 per insertion for ads originating in the Lake Union. \$10.50 per insertion for out of union ads. All ads must be paid in advance of printing. Money orders and checks should be made payable to the Lake Union Conference. There will be no refunds for cancellations.

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HEAD NURSE—Medical floor, immediate opening. Opportunity for qualified individual to manage 49-bed unit. Enjoy country living in foothills of northern California's sierra. Requirement: B.S. degree in nursing; several years' successful experience as head nurse in acute/general hospital. Contact Personnel Dept., Feather River Hospital, Paradise, CA 95969. Phone: (916) 877-9353. —18-4

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BERRIEN SPRINGS, MICHIGAN is an active area for real estate. Rentals are always in demand and rental property is a good investment. If you have considered purchasing income property, we have properties for your consideration. **WANGARD REAL ESTATE** in Berrien Springs. 1401 St. Joseph Rd. Phone: (616) 473-3333 —22-4

WANTED: Adventist man, or couple for modern dairy farm. Experience helpful or will train. Excellent salary plus home and utilities. Write Evergreen Farms, P.O. Box 8171, Madison, WI 53708. —25-7

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PAID INCORPORATED (an exceptional service for credit control and credit recovery) in Berrien County. Need sales person with exceptional track record for exceptional commissions. Contact Paul E. Burgess, Battle Creek, MI. Phone: (616) 963-5880. —26-5

FOR SALE: 2-bedroom home in Cedar Lake. Recently remodeled. Within walking distance of church school, academy, post office and grocery store. \$13,900. Phone: (517) 427-5747. —27-5

Workers needed for SPROUTS VEGETARIAN RESTAURANT/STORE in Wilmette, Ill. Salary based on experience. Contact Jayney at (312) 465-3864, or 256-5544. —28-4

SABBATH SCHOOL INVESTMENT PROJECT—"TMT"—a fast-selling, permanent, dry lubricant for cars and trucks. Improves gas mileage, tried and proven personally. Sells at \$15 per unit; \$5 will go for your Investment project, \$2.50 for our investment project. Send \$10 per unit to Jarco International Traders, 2643 West Winona, Chicago, IL 60625. —30-7

Mileposts

WEDDINGS:

Susan Dhanwati Singh and David LaRue Alexander were married on December 18, 1977, in the South Suburban Church in Flossmoor, Illinois. Elder Wayne Shepperd performed the ceremony.

Susan is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth R. Singh of Ottawa, Ontario, Canada, and David is the son of Mrs. Joseph Alexander of Phoenix, Illinois.

The couple are living in Palos Hills, Illinois. Susan is a nurse at the Hinsdale Hospital, and David is employed as a mental health specialist at the Tinley Park Mental Health Center in Tinley Park, Illinois.

Mary Ruth Thomsen and David Alan Verona were married November 26, 1977, in Cedar Grove, Tennessee. Elder Luther May performed the ceremony.

Mary is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Thomsen of Huntingdon, Tennessee, and David is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gus Verona of Hartford City, Indiana.

The couple are living in Clarendon Hills, Illinois. Mary is working as an administrative dietitian and David is a management intern at Hinsdale Sanitarium and Hospital, Hinsdale, Illinois.

OBITUARIES:

ANDREUCCI, Nancy, 78, born July 4, 1899, in Milwaukee, Wis., died Jan. 1, 1978, in Berrien Springs, Mich. She was a member of the Pioneer Memorial Church, Berrien Springs.

Survivors include a daughter, Mrs. Anthony Castelbuono of Berrien Springs; a stepson, George of Florida; 3 sisters, Mary Serio, Grace Serio and Rosalie Kunikowski, all of Milwaukee; 3 brothers, Carl and Leonard of Milwaukee and Andy of Arizona; 6 grandchildren, and 5 great-grandchildren.

Services were conducted by Pastors John Kroncke, Richard Harris, and Steven Vitrano at the Allred Funeral Home in Berrien Springs.

ARMS, Lillian Gertrude, born June 25, 1916, in Metamore, Mich., died Nov. 22, 1977. She was a member of the Bristol, Mich., Church.

Survivors include her husband, Elton; 2 daughters, Kay Street and Sherry Boothby, both of Battle Creek, Mich.; a son, Eric of Cadillac, Mich., and a brother, Laurel Carlsen of Texas.

Services were conducted by Pastor Norman Yeager in the Baird-Newton

Funeral Home in Lapeer, and interment was in the Mayfield Township Cemetery.

BENSON, Gladys Sybil, 63, born Nov. 27, 1914, in Chicago Heights, Ill., died Jan. 3, 1978, in Kewanee, Ill. She was a member of the Kewanee Church.

Survivors include her husband, Paul; a daughter, Paula Fye of Mediapolis, Iowa, and a grandson of Kewanee.

Services were conducted by Elder Edwin Swan, and interment was in Evergreen Cemetery in Kewanee.

BISHOP, Donald M., born July 20, 1897, died Nov. 25, 1977. He was a member of the Lakeview, Mich., Church.

Survivors include his wife, Billie Jo; 2 daughters, Joyce Freeman of Sacramento, Calif., and Claribel Swarts of Stanton, Mich.; a son, Vernon of Paradise, Calif.; 9 grandchildren, and 13 great-grandchildren.

Services were conducted by Pastor Giles Smith in the Youngman's Funeral Home in Lakeview, and interment was in the Lakeview Cemetery.

COOK, Thomas I., 74, born Aug. 18, 1903, in Clark, Mo., died Dec. 26, 1977, in Brighton, Ill.

Survivors include 4 sons, Leon of Bunker Hill, Ill., Glenn of Alton, Ill., Robert of Dorsey, Ill., and Eldon of Brighton; a daughter, Lillie Waltz of Brighton, 2 sisters, Eva Lena Monroe of Kansas City, Kan., Susie Silbey of Harrisburg, Mo.; a brother, Hubert Cook of Kansas City, Kan., and 9 grandchildren.

Services were conducted by Elder Philip R. Colburn, and interment was in Woodburn Cemetery in Woodburn, Ill.

COUNTS, Charles S., born Feb. 14, 1905, in Clinchco, Va., died Dec. 1, 1977, in Holly, Mich. He was a member of the Holly Church.

Survivors include his wife, Helen; a son, Richard of West Bloomfield, Mich.; 3 brothers, Carmack of Virginia, Fleetwood of Detroit, Mich., and Allan of Utica, Mich.; a sister, Berniece Arrington of Virginia, and 2 grandchildren.

Services were conducted by Pastor Earl J. Zager, and interment was in the Lakeside Cemetery in Holly.

GORDON, Douglas, born Jan. 14, 1900, in Scotland, died Dec. 19, 1977, in Holland, Mich. He was a member of the Holland Church.

Survivors include his wife, Jenine; a daughter, Barbara Ann of Holland; a son, Malcolm of Charlotte, N.C., and 5 grandchildren.

Services were conducted by Pastor J. B. Jablonski, and interment was in Holland.

HEROLD, Frank E., born Feb. 19, 1906, in Switz City, Ind., died Dec. 26, 1977, in Indianapolis, Ind. He was a member of the Columbus, Ind., Church.

He is survived by his wife, Agatha; 2 daughters, Dorothy Somers of Collegedale, Tenn., and Patricia Bassett of Marion, Ind., and 2 sons, Robert and Thomas of Columbus.

Services were conducted by Elders William F. Hawkes, Mario Ruf and Jerry Lastine in the Columbus Church, and interment was in the Garland Brook Cemetery, Columbus. Memorial gifts were received for the new Columbus Community Services Center.

IVEY, Allen, born Nov. 17, 1958, in Lansing, Mich., died Nov. 12, 1977. He was member of the Lansing Church. He had been assisting Pastor Paul Gates in the Grand Ledge, Mich., Church area, and had been an active member of Adventist Youth for Better Living.

Survivors include his wife, Rona; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ivey of De Witt, Mich.; a brother, William of De Witt, and 3 sisters, Donna Gale of Scotland, Carol Boss of Athens, Mich., and Helen Ivey of North Reading, Mass.

Services were conducted by William Ivey assisted by Pastor Ron Ruskjer, Paul Gates and Raul Gonzales.

MULLINS, Laura Cornelia, 73, born Nov. 30, 1903, in Caro, Mich., died Nov. 27, 1977, in Arkansas. She was a member of the

LAKE UNION INGATHERING REPORT

CONFERENCE (Membership)	GOAL	LAST YEAR TO DATE	THIS YEAR TO DATE
Illinois (8,202)	\$205,050	\$192,026.38	\$186,000.00
Indiana (5,859)	141,725	145,920.00	150,936.66
Lake Region (13,334)	104,000	103,023.93	104,000.00
Michigan (20,588)	398,000	395,169.72	399,332.65
Wisconsin (5,608)	100,000	96,875.39	89,684.14
TOTAL (53,591)	\$948,775	\$933,015.42	\$929,953.45

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	Jan. 27	Feb. 3
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Chicago, Ill.	C.S. 4:59	5:08
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Indianapolis, Ind.	E.S. 5:59	6:07
La Crosse, Wis.	C.S. 5:08	5:18
Lansing, Mich.	E.S. 5:44	5:54
Madison, Wis.	C.S. 5:03	5:11
Springfield, Ill.	C.S. 5:12	5:20

FIFTEEN

of the Wausau, Wis., Church.

Survivors include his wife, Evelyn; a son, Leonard of Highland, Md., and a daughter, Mildred Skinner of San Jose, Calif.

Services were conducted by Elder William Ortner, and interment was in the Moon Cemetery, Mosinee, Wisc.

HELP

Money could be saved each month if *Herald* readers would send in their own address changes. The Postal Service charges 25 cents each for the hundreds of address changes we receive each month. Use the form on the back page which includes your former address on a computer label.



Faith For Today
Special
Sabbath Offering
February 11, 1978

Troy, Mich., Church.

Survivors include a daughter, June Westerly; 5 sons, Harold Burch, Lowell, Robin, Dennis, and Neil; 25 grandchildren, and 5 great-grandchildren.

Services were conducted by Pastor Arnold Swanson, and interment was in the White Chapel Cemetery, Troy.

OTTO, Bertha M., born Feb. 9, 1896, in Detroit, Mich., died Nov. 16, 1977, in Fenton, Mich. She was a member of the Holly, Mich., Church.

Survivors include 2 sons, Hazen, of Allen Park, Mich., and Arnold of Longwood, Fla., and 2 daughters, Arla Perry of Holly and Janet Kline of Orlando, Fla.

Services were conducted by Pastor O. H. Bentzinger in Forrest City, Fla.

POMEROY, Margaret Henriette, born Aug. 27, 1889, died Oct. 5, 1977, in Stanwood, Mich. She was a member of the Lakeview, Mich., Church.

Survivors include 5 sons, Charles of Florida, Laverne of Crivitz, Wis., Cecil of Otsego, Mich., Edward of Chesaning, Mich., and Francis of Marina, Calif.; 3 daughters, Bonnie McNitt of Glendale, Ariz., Evabelle Buzek of Remus, Mich., and Marguerite Archey of Newaygo, Mich.; 20 grandchildren; 47 great-grandchildren, and 4 great-great-grandchildren.

Services were conducted by Pastors Norman A. Yeager and James Eldred in Youngman's Funeral Home in Lakeview, and interment was in the Lakeview Cemetery.

STUART, C. Ralph, born April 30, 1888, in Michigan, died Dec. 4, 1977, in Tumacacori, Ariz. He had been a member of the Bunker Hill Church, Stockbridge, Mich.

Survivors include a daughter, Norma Cary of Tumacacori; a stepson, Bernard Grimes of Fountain, Mich.; 2 stepdaughters, Kathryn Hildreth of Munith, Mich., and Dorothy Lindstrom of Waterloo, Mich.; a brother, Luman; 15 grandchildren; 35 great-grandchildren, and 4 great-great-grandchildren.

Services were conducted by Pastor G. E. Stecker in Leslie, Mich.

TAYLOR, Margaret, born April 15, 1902, in Cheboygan, Mich., died Jan. 1, 1978, in Flint, Mich. She was a member of the Flint Church.

Survivors include her husband, Joseph; 3 daughters, Gloria Brewer of Flint, Victoria Hartwell of Smethport, Penn., and Vivian Barnhart of Orlando, Fla., and 2 sons, Andrew of Birch Run, Mich., and Ronald of Gladwin, Mich.

Services were conducted by Pastor Melvin G. Johnson, in Flint, and interment was in Edenville, Mich.

THORNBURG, Robert W., 72, born May 25, 1905, in Muncie, Ind., died Friday, Dec. 16, 1977, in Lake Worth, Fla. He was a member of the Kokomo, Ind., Church.

Survivors include his wife, Marjorie; a daughter, Lois Kopitzke; a sister, Hylma McCulloch of Santa Cruz, Calif., and 4 grandchildren.

Services were conducted by Elder William F. Hawkes, and interment was in Crown Point Cemetery, Kokomo.

WOODS, Richard Deloss, born Dec. 10, 1889, in Maukato, Minn., died Nov. 28, 1977, in Marshfield, Wisc. He was a member

World Church News

AVOIDING THE WASTEBASKET REFLEX

"If nothing else works, try reading the instructions." The only reason this quote is humorous is because it strikes each of us in a vulnerable spot. Who hasn't been guilty, at least occasionally, of relegating to last place the approach that obviously should have been tried first.

Jesus never went at things backward. He studied people carefully, and frequently determined He could best reach individual hearts by dealing first with felt needs. Only then would He bid them, "Follow Me." By healing their bodies He gained access to their souls.

Do you have loved ones or friends you have yearned to see come to know Christ? But it just doesn't happen, perhaps because of prejudice. It may be you have been going at things backward. Maybe you have been "coming on too strong," instead of first winning their confidence. Why not try a new approach?

"I have been shown that in giving attention to this branch of the work [health reform], you remove a large amount of prejudice from many minds, that has barred the way to their receiving the truth. . . . When you make the people intelligent on the question of health reform, you have prepared the way for them to give attention to the present truth for these last days."—*Counsels to Writers and Editors*, pp. 124, 125.

As never before, people today seem interested in their health. What an opportunity for a group claiming to have the greatest health message of all time. This is our day if we will only sense it. Our health message is designed to establish rapport rather than raise barriers. In many cases it should provide the very first point of contact.

A letter in the Life and Health office illustrates this concept very pointedly. A woman had been praying and working for her father for many years,

but without success. Since she lived at a distance and could visit only occasionally, each year she sent him a subscription to a topnotch, full-message magazine. Not a word filtered back to even indicate it had been received. Finally during one visit she asked, "Dad, how are you enjoying the journal we've been sending?"

"I don't enjoy it," came the rather gruff reply. "In fact I toss it in the wastebasket the moment it arrives each month. Why don't you quit sending it and save money?"

Of course the woman was hurt, and also thoroughly discouraged. Upon returning home she asked her husband, "What can we do? We just can't give up on Dad."

Finally when all else had failed, it was time to try the approach Jesus had used so effectively. A subscription to Life and Health was ordered—the soft approach.

A few months later the woman and her family again visited the parental home. Dad wasn't in, but her little boy ran into the study and soon came out very excited. "Guess what!" he exclaimed. "Grandpa has kept every single copy of Life and Health and they're all underlined too." A whole new era had begun simply because Grandpa didn't feel threatened by a message of good health. A bridge of understanding had been established over which the daughter could later move with additional truth.

In our eagerness to share with others, let us not inadvertently turn them away instead. Let us demonstrate that we mean to do them good, that we want them to prosper and be in health. Once again, do you have any friends or loved ones who have not responded to your invitations to a better way of life? Why not try the approach that has heaven's own seal of approval? Send Life and Health.

MEDICAL OUTREACH MARKS 8TH YEAR

Giving medical care to those who have difficulty obtaining it is the goal

of Loma Linda University's Social Action Corps (S.A.C.).

Now in its eighth year, S.A.C. has five weekly clinics established in nearby communities.

Making up the S.A.C. staff are students from the School of Medicine working under the direction of physicians from Loma Linda University Medical Center, along with volunteers in such positions as nurse, receptionist and social worker.

Students are eligible to work with S.A.C. after completing a physical diagnosis class. While a licensed physician is always at the clinic, the student makes the primary contact with the patient and then reports to the physician.

"S.A.C. clinics are directed toward low-income groups. A 'drop-in/no appointment necessary' structure is maintained and a donation of \$1 is requested for medical problems. A \$5 fee is requested for all physicals," says S.A.C. director, Judy Dimmig.

"Community people are very receptive to the program. We receive referrals from the County Health Department and other county agencies. Also our facilities are provided at no charge," she says.

Funding for S.A.C. comes from a variety of sources. The University Medical Center, the Loma Linda University Church, Southeastern California Conference, the city of Redlands, and two local United Way chapters have a part in supporting the clinics. Also clinic donations help supplement organizational support.

Pharmaceutical companies donate some of the drugs used while several local service clubs raise money for needed equipment.

A.U. STUDENT CONDUCTS LITERATURE EVANGELISM PROGRAM IN NEW YORK CITY

Randy Horning, currently attending the Theological Seminary at Andrews University, spent this past summer

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