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A Knock on the Door

John L. Hayward President Illinois Conference

COVER

"Therefore shall a man leave his father and his mother, and shall cleave unto his wife: and they shall be one flesh." Genesis 2:24. Marriage and family are the theme of the article on page 4, the first of several written by Don and Ruth Jacobsen especially for the Lake Union Herald.

"And this gospel of the kingdom shall be preached in all the world for a witness unto all nations; and then shall the end come." Matthew 24:14.

Going door-to-door is not one of the easiest ways to evangelize, but it may be one of the best.

Once again this year 10 Walla Walla College students have taken upon themselves the task of helping to evangelize the Greater Chicago area. Known as the Chicago Youth Task Force, the group is sponsored by the Upper Columbia Conference.

Unlike last year when their efforts were concentrated in the city of Chicago, the group is spending two weeks with four different churches in the Chicago area: Beverly Hills and North Shore in Chicago, and Broadview and Elmhurst in the western suburbs.

While at each church the students and church members will spend the first week going from house to house looking for people who are interested in studying the Bible. Beginning each day at noon and continuing until about 7 P.M., the teams introduce themselves by using a card from the It Is Written telecast. At the door people are asked if they are familiar with the telecast, and if not, they are invited to begin watching.

Once the initial approach has been made an invitation to study the Bible is given. Emphasizing the need of Christ and His saving grace, the students leave the first two lessons of The Bible Says lessons. In the few weeks since the students have been working, an average of 25 Bible studies a day have been begun.

The second week at the church each of the various people who made appointments for Bible studies are visited by a member of the team and a church member who will continue with them through the studies. After going over the first two lessons and answering questions, the team leaves two more lessons for the following week.

Not only is the work exciting, but there are many wonderful stories of the Lord's help.

One story involved Marvin Humbert of Coos Bay, Oregon, and Sandy Blodgett of Salem, Oregon. While in a neighborhood near the Beverly Hills Church they came to what they described as "a huge old Frnech mansion."

When a woman came to the door she was hesitant at first. Then she asked what church the students belonged to.

"When we told her we were Seventh-day Adventists her face lit up," Marvin said, "and she told us she had once been an Adventist.

"She invited us into her house," Marvin continued, "and offered us something to drink. We talked about the It Is Written telecast, and she mentioned that she enjoyed watching it. As our discussion turned to our purpose in being there and where we were from, she told us that she had a daughter in Spokane, Washington. She asked us if we knew someone who could visit her daughter. We promised to find out for her—another group of students is working in that city this summer.

"We left the Bible lessons, and she told us she looked forward to studying them. Without realizing it, we had spent nearly two hours with this woman."

Not only did the woman feel that the Lord had led these young people to her home, but hundreds of others are just waiting for us to knock on their doors.

Won't you join these young people in helping others study the Bible throughout the entire Lake Union?

The day of miracles is not over. John and Charlene Simmons can attest to that fact.

After his stint in the United States Marines, John Simmons joined the Chicago police force in 1962 where he served for seven years.

Because of his rigorous training and self-confidence, Mr. Simmons felt that he was "bulletproof" and performed his duties fearlessly. However, he often pondered the atrocities men committed against each other.

It was during the 1968 Democratic convention that Mr. Simmons got his fill of violence. Also during that time he began to suffer from a strange brain disease that left his body wracked in pain.

He was given drugs that were so strong they numbed his entire body. He resigned from the police department and moved to Michigan. Finding work in Pontiac but unable to find housing, he and his family lived in Holly and he drove to Pontiac each day to work. He began searching for a church home.

But after visiting several churches he was still dissatisfied. The brain disease recurred and forced him to go into the hospital. An operation followed.

He recalls a nurse who often said to him, "May the Lord continue to bless you."

His father visited him and told him he needed the Lord, but his wife, the daughter of a Protestant minister, disdained religion.

One night after surgery, he cried to the Lord, saying, "I didn't come to you when I was well, but if you heal me I'll serve you."

After that prayer he remembers seeing a bright pinpoint of light in his room as he drifted into unconsciousness. He knew he would get better. But the next day he had a relapse. His blood pressure dropped as the doctors worked desperately to stabilize his condition.

He improved enough to return home. After being out of the hospital a month he made a trip to Champaign, Illinois, to visit his sister. Returning home via Chicago he became ill, and he stopped at the home of Myron Ross.

Mr. Ross and Mr. Simmons had been childhood buddies and remained close friends during adulthood. Mr. Ross worked for the fire department when Mr. Simmons was on the police force.

Mr. Ross and his family were baptized shortly after meetings held in 1973 by C. D. Brooks, general field secretary of the General Conference of Seventh-day Adventists, and they had joined the Straford Memorial Church.

Because Mr. Simmons was ill, Mr. Ross offered to take him back to Michigan. During the trip Mr. Ross stopped along the road and prayed that Mr. Simmons's health would return and that he would accept Jesus.

This incident made an indelible impression on Mr. Simmons.

He thought about it many times and there was a restlessness about him that could not be quieted.

Then he remembered what Mr. Ross had said about the Seventh-day Adventist Church. He asked his aunt to

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Left, John Simmons. Right, When they became Adventists Charlene and John Simmons decided they wanted to be married again, in the church this time. Mrs. Simmons and the children, Jon and Kelli, are shown after this ceremony.

THE HEART OF THE LAKE UNION

Something Better in Store

by Fred Williams

take him to the Pontiac Southside Seventh-day Adventist Church. Pastor William C. Byrd Jr. preached that Sabbath and the Holy Spirit convicted Mr. Simmons. He heard the message and knew immediately that his search for a church home was over.

Three years ago he and his wife and two children, Jon and Kelli, were baptized. After baptism they became active in the church program. He revived the Pathfinder club and Mrs. Simmons is presently serving as Sabbath School superintendent. Mr. Simmons says, "I feel comfortable and secure. I am determined to hold fast to the faith."

The story does not end here, however. At this writing Mr. Simmons's faith is being tested. On several occasions he has been requested to work on Saturday. He has informed his personnel director that Saturday is the Sabbath, and that he is willing to work any time other than the hours between sunset Friday and sunset Saturday. Although permission has never been granted Mr. Simmons has never worked on Saturday.

Two weeks ago Mr. Simmons received his work assignment for August. It includes some Saturday work. The personnel director has given Mr. Simmons an ultimatum—either he works on Saturdays or he will be fired.

The Simmons's faith is strong and they believe the Lord has not brought them this far to leave them alone. He believes that if it is the Lord's will for him to keep his job that there is nothing anyone can do to take it away from him.

If he should loose it, he believes the Lord has something better in store for him.

Elijah Revisited

by Don and Ruth Jacobsen

e are excited! We see some things happening in our church today that give us great joy.

We see a new interest in understanding and living the message of righteousness by faith.

We see a renewed interest on the part of many people in becoming more effective witnesses where they live and where they work.

And we see a new emphasis in

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families in living together in the joyous experience of being Christians.

In the Herald about two years ago, our friends, John and Millie Youngberg, wrote about the Elijah message, that a part of its work would be to draw families together.

That is happening. The climate is different in many Christian homes from what it was two years ago!

There is more forgiveness.

There is more patience.

There is more working at understanding.

There is more deep listening.

There is more caring.

How do we know? We see it all about us. Let us give you some specifics:

 Practically every camp meeting has some family life classes and they are usually packed.

- More of our friends are talking to us about the greater joy they are finding in family worship than ever before.
- We can count several couples among our acquaintances who have been estranged, but who now walk hand-in-hand down the sidewalk.
- Our Adventist Book Centers are currently selling more books about family life than ever in their history.
- Many families have told us that they have disposed of their TV sets—or relegated them to the attic—and are investing the time in each other instead.
- We have seen dads who have decided that their families are a first priority over their jobs, and their new time commitments prove it.
- We see more and more couples moving away from the "married singles" trap and rediscovering coupleness. They are shopping together, holding church office together, cycling together, cleaning up the dinner dishes together.
- We are encouraged as couples tell us that they are studying the Word as families; they are not just content with reading Christian stories.
- We see groups of couples meeting together regularly—morning or evening—to pray for each other and each other's children. And God is answering those prayers.

Do you see why we are excited? Now let us put some flesh and blood





on the specifics. We would like to tell you about Fred and Sandra.

Fred and Sandra were married in a little brick church the summer after Fred finished college. He was an accountant; they decided that she would be a homemaker and mother.

In the next two years they were blessed with two raises and two babies. Fred was elected as a Sabbath School teacher and ordained a deacon. Sandra taught in the cradle roll and helped with cooking classes.

Fred began to golf regularly and Sandra became interested in helping out at the Red Cross.

Fred's responsibilities at work began to change and it became necessary for him to travel frequently. Sandra began to attend a home-decorating course two nights each week.

Fred decided to take up flying to speed up his frequent trips, so much of his weekend time was spent at the airport.

When the children started to school Sandra took a part-time job at a large department store to help with the added expenses.

Sound familiar? Fred and Sandra were doing well, getting ahead.

But one winter Friday evening they sat together in the living room and decided that they were strangers to each other. Unwittingly they had been drawn into a life style that kept them busy, busy doing good things—right things—but doing them separately. That is an easy freeway to get onto in our culture. And off-ramps are hard to find.

That Friday evening they took a painful inventory and made some hard decisions.

The problems were not solved instantly, and the decisions Fred and Sandra made are not necessarily those that would fit every family. But here are some of the ways they set out to make some needed changes.

- 1. They set a new priority of spending some quality time together daily. The best time for them seemed to be just before retiring—a few minutes together, uninterrupted—to talk, to think, occasionally to read, always to pray.
- 2. They took two church offices—two they could fill together. They served as greeters at the church door on Sabbath, and they agreed that, since their children were now preteen, they would work in Pathfinders together.
- 3. Fred decided to get his exercise at home rather than on the golf course, so he and Sandra spent time together turning their yard into a place of beauty. Three mornings a week they jog together.
- 4. Fred asked to be transferred to a section of his company where regular travel was not part of the job description. This change took nearly a year, and when it finally did happen, it involved a small pay cut. Sandra left the department store and began to teach piano lessons in her home for some extra income.

It was, in many ways they did not expect, a difficult time of adjustment. But you ought to talk to them now. Their whole life emphasis is different.

On the job, Fred's colleagues have seen a dramatic difference in him. He is not less interested in the business and he is no less conscientious as a worker, but his heart is obviously at

An interesting side effect has been that in the year and a half since "the decision," three people have come to Fred to seek his counsel about their own families.

Sandra's greatest thrill has been the time that she now has available for the children. They are approaching their teens, and whenever they are at home she is there, too. Home is not just a place, it is a security blanket.

Maybe it would be an exaggeration to say that the Elijah message is doing its work in the hearts and in the home of Fred and Sandra. But we think that is exactly what is happening.

Doors for graceful witnessing are opening to which they never had access before.

Several weeks ago Fred's immediate supervisor asked Fred if he could recommend a good book on family life. It seems the man's wife had just left him.

And in the white split-level house just two doors down the street Sandra and her neighbor have had some long talks on what it means to be a Christian wife and mother. There is an obvious hunger there that Sandra had never had the time to notice.

Fred and Sandra believe that Jesus is a constant companion to them in their home. And maybe Elijah is, too.













Clockwise from upper left: Carter Hall is the women's residence; Moran Hall contains classrooms; Blake Center houses the administrative offices; Temporary trailer homes behind Edwards Hall-the residence-ease the overcrowded conditions on Oakwood's campus.

OAKWOOD COLLEGE OFFERING, AUGUST 12

Enter to Learn, Depart to Serve

by C. B. Rock

At a time when many institutions of higher education are closing their doors for want of enrollment, Oakwood College has been blessed with an overflow of students who are seeking to fulfill the motto, "Enter to Learn, Depart to Serve."

Rapid growth and progress, of course, often add up to growing pains, scarcity, mounting needs and a crisis of facilities.

C. B. Rock is president of Oakwood

Oakwood College's crisis of facilities

highlighted by a shortage of dormitory housing, a critical need for a new science building, and the expansion of our industrial work program for students.

Presently we enroll approximately 42 percent of black Seventh-day Adventist young people who attend Adventist colleges, and we have solid evidence that this trend will continue.

This presents a significant and sobering challenge to Oakwood. But it is the kind of challenge we gladly accept in the interest of nurturing and training young people for the kingdom of God and for His service.

The growing sense of urgency which marks the present time mandates that everything that can be done should be done guickly and faithfully for the education of our youth for Christ.

This is a great day for the church of God. The invitation to service has never been sounded more loudly. At Oakwood we are trying with God's help to answer that invitation.

We thank you for your response to past pleas for help and we solicit your prayers and gifts once again as we continue this great work.

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Andrews University

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Ray Minner, Correspondent



Students in Andrews' School of Technology earn while they learn.

MANUAL TRAINING FROM A STUDENT PERSPECTIVE

When I came to Andrews I was still a new Christian. I had heard about the idea of total education in Adventist schools, but I had never seen it in practice.

I needed to work to stay in school so I applied for a job in the bindery. I had never worked in a bindery before, but they decided to give me a chance anyway. I had heard that physical labor was an important part of education and I found that this is true.

Working in the bindery has proved to be a real blessing from the Lord. I learned to work with my hands, and I know I would not have stayed healthy without the incentive of punching a clock to keep me regularly active. It is easy for me to get wrapped up in studies and lose all desire to do anything else. Work has played an important part in my physical development.

My parents are in the "in-between" income bracket: not poor enough for me to qualify for government aid, and not rich enough to pay the school bill themselves.

The money I earned working has kept me in school. I know that without it I would have had to take time out to work full time in order to finish school. I believe that God can provide money when the need is urgent, but I also believe He provides us with opportunities to earn it ourselves, to teach us to be responsible and able workers for Him. He taught

me this at the bindery.

Most of what I learned in the study of theology is textbook theory. Life looks very different when you spend all your time behind a desk. Even though work takes time that could be spent in more thorough study, it enables me to keep a balanced outlook on life.

I am reminded that the people to whom we are called to preach the gospel are spending most of their time earning a living. They are not able to work full time for God. They need to see how to relate to God in their own circumstances. I feel that I can relate to them better because I have gone through the same struggle to serve God while earning a living just like them.

Another thing I greatly appreciate about working on an Adventist campus is the opportunity to work with fellow Christians. It is a pleasure to work with people who share the same Savior and the same hope for His soon return. The minor struggles of life are kept in proportion, and tempers are kept under control more easily when problems are faced as brothers.

I have enjoyed my stay at Andrews, especially the chance to get a balanced education. Praise God for an institution where we have the opportunity to pursue the kind of education advocated by the Lord.

Hazen Briggs

CHURCH MUSICIANS GUILD MEETS

The National Association of the Seventh-day Adventist Church Musicians Guild met at Andrews University, July 5 to 9.

Church musicians from all over the United States discussed current trends in sacred music, the effective use of hymns, reverence during worship services and other topics.

Dr. Franklin L. Lusk of Andrews and Dr. John Reed of Southwestern Adventist College also conducted a choral workshop.

ANDREWS RECEIVES LOUTIT FOUNDATION GRANT

Andrews University has received a grant of \$15,000 from the Loutit Foundation of Grand Haven, Michigan, according to Dr. Joseph G. Smoot, university president.

The funds will be used to complete

the construction of the Robert E. Seamount Instructional Building, which will house the university's new airframe and power plant school.

This is the fifth grant Andrews has received from the Loutit Foundation since 1966, bringing the total amount of the gifts to \$125,000. Funds from the previous grants were applied toward the construction of the university's science complex and additions to the James White Library and Marsh Hall, which houses the nursing and home economics departments.

The Loutit Foundation was established in 1957 by William R. Loutit as a memorial to his parents, William H. and Maude Loutit, and his grandfather, Captain William R. Loutit.

The foundation provides financial assistance to nonprofit organizations engaged in charitable, health, educational, religious and community welfare projects.



GREAT LAKES ADVENTIST HEALTH SERVICES, INC.
Joel Hass, Correspondent



The Bell Ringers performed at the employee recognition dinner at Battle Creek Sanitarium Hospital.

EMPLOYEE AWARDS DINNER AT B.C.S.H.

BATTLE CREEK—Oriental decor highlighted the colonial dining room for this year's employee recognition dinner at Battle Creek Sanitarium Hospital. The decorative costumes and ceramic souvenirs were lent by several department directors who had traveled in the Orient.

Entertainment was supplied by a group of bell ringers who performed several sacred and secular numbers.

Vernon Small, president of B.C.S.H.,

awarded service pins to the honored employees. He was assisted by Irwin Hansen and Joel Hass of Great Lakes Adventist Health Services, Inc.

Elsie Stover was recognized for 35 years of nursing service to the sanitarium.

Pictures of the 3I honored employees at their posts of duty are currently on display in the lobby of the Fieldstone Building.

Diane Nudd Public Relations

BATTLE CREEK SCHOOL OF NURSING REUNION

BATTLE CREEK—The annual reunion of the Battle Creek Sanitarium School of Nursing took place on June 15, 1978, in the Fieldstone parlor, to honor the classes of 1928 and 1933.

About 75 alumni were present and some traveled from California, Florida, Texas, and North and South Carolina to attend.

The Battle Creek Sanitarium School of Nursing opened in 1887 offering a three-year course, and closed in 1933. Nursing classes were held in the old sanitarium, which is now the Federal Center.

The alumni association for the nurses charges \$2 yearly for membership and sends out four newsletters.

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David Gray, Correspondent

NEWS NOTES

- Dr. Milton Peverini, director of the Spanish Voice of Prophecy, was guest speaker for the Spanish camp meeting held June 9 to 17. During the week meetings were held each evening at the Spanish Central Church in Chicago and on Sabbaths at Broadview Academy in a tent. Friday, June 16, eight people were baptized. Another baptism is planned soon as a result of the work of laymen who are working to spread the Gospel of Jesus.
- A new Spanish company was organized in Northlake on June 3.
 Directed by Elder Max Martinez, the group is meeting in the United

Methodist Church, 151 White Hall, Northlake. Each week approximately 200 leaflets are distributed to the Spanish-speaking community in the area. It is hoped that another Spanish church will be organized there soon.

- Piano students of Ruth Ann Cottrell, teacher at the North Shore School in Chicago, presented their annual spring piano recital at the church on May 13 and 14.
- Delegates from the North Shore Church in Chicago to the Festival of Faith in Lincoln, Nebraska, related their experiences on May 20. Each of the delegates returned with a new relationship with Jesus and a desire to finish the work. As they witnessed for Christ their enthusiasm inspired the people who attended the meeting.



TWO PEOPLE JOIN HUNGARIAN CHURCH

On April 8, Jorsef and Iren Juhas were baptized and joined the Hungarian Church in Chicago. The baptism, conducted by Pastor Imre Petrik, center, was held at the North Shore Church in Chicago.

'MARANATHA' PROJECT BEGINS IN ILLINOIS

Maranatha—the name has become a household word to Adventists, conjuring up images of church buildings built in Guatemala, Alaska, Honduras, Scotland and other parts of the world.

The excitement, challenge and travel appeal to many people who have spent their vacations helping with building projects around the globe.

Although the needs are great overseas, many who have traveled with Maranatha have dreamed of a similar project in Illinois.

On Sunday, June 11, during camp meeting at Broadview Academy, several former Maranatha participants met to plan a similar organization for Illinois.

A steering committee was established to formulate the type of

structure, name, policies and guidelines for the new organization.

Selected to serve on this committee are Floyd Moore, chairman; Bob Engelkemier; Alan First; Dave Kelly; Fred Lenz; Cindee Peterson, and Mary Yamazaki.

If you would like to know more about this organization or become a part of it, contact Floyd Moore, 1209 Jefferson, Downers Grove, IL 60515, or call (312) 887-2460 days, or 852-2018 evenings.

ARCHA DART TO PRESENT FAMILY LIFE SEMINAR

Archa Dart, well-known family counselor and retired associate director of the General Conference education department, will present a Family Life Seminar, August 12 to 19 at the Downers Grove Church.

The seminar will be held in conjunction with the Downers Grove Vacation Bible School.

Elder Dart will speak on Sabbath morning, August I2, and also for a vesper program that day. He will begin the seminar on Sunday evening, August 13, at 6:45.

Some of the topics to be discussed during the week are: "Home is what you make it," "God's masterpiece," "Is it love for husbands and wives only?" "Making obedience fun" and "How to deal with teenagers."

Plan now to attend this interesting seminar and bring your children. They will enjoy the Vacation Bible School programs each evening.

Richard Cook Communication Secretary



FACULTY FINISH SIDEWALK AT BROADVIEW

Shortly after graduation at Broadview Academy the faculty spent a day completing the new sidewalk between the administration building and the boys' dormitory. The sidewalk was begun last fall as a part of the student association workday, but because of cold weather the walk was not completed. An anonymous gift to the school, the sidewalk is a much-needed addition to the academy.

REGISTRATION DAY AT BROADVIEW ACADEMY: AUGUST 26

Sunday, August 26, is registration day at Broadview Academy.

This year, according to Esther Nelson, registrar, a student will be able to take a greater variety of classes. Instead of the semester system, the school will be on a new quarter system of four nine-week sections.

"It's going to give students a chance to take more courses that they are interested in," says Mrs. Nelson.

Although there will be required courses, these will also be divided into nine-week sections, with a final grade being given for each quarter rather than at the end of a semester.

An example of the quarter system is the current Typing I course. Next year it will be divided into four quarters: Personal Typing I, Personal Typing II, Correspondence Typing and Office Typing. Each course is new every quarter although some courses may build on the previous quarter's work.

"This system should be a motivation for the student to avoid procrastinating in completing his work and getting a passing grade for each quarter," said Mrs. Nelson.

Students who wish to preregister may do so by writing to Esther Nelson at Broadview Academy, Box 7, La Fox, IL 60147, or by calling (312) 232-7441 for an appointment.



KINDERGARTEN CHILDREN HONOR NORWEGIAN FRIEND

Solveig Gustavsen, back row, center, recently celebrated her 15th year in America with the kindergarten children of Hinsdale Junior Academy, who had learned a Norwegian song and many other things about Norway from their teachers, Vienna Stone, back row, left, and Martha Feldbush, right. Miss Gustavsen is a member of the Downers Grove Church and works at Hinsdale Sanitarium. She reminisced about Norway and gave the children a cake on which was written "Thank God for America" in Norwegian.



Carleton Cross presents some background material about Ellen White during the Testimony Countdown II series at the Downers Grove Church.

LAYMEN PRATICIPATE IN TESTIMONY COUNTDOWN II

An average of 50 people attended a 10-week Testimony Countdown II series at the Downers Grove Church recently.

"Laymen were very active in making the program successful during the Wednesday evening sessions," said John Baldwin, pastor.

Prior to each session Mary Berg and Ed Thornton presented musical selections.

The regular format included a historical background of Ellen G. White by Mildred Krivka and the philosophical background by Carleton Cross. A film narration on the life of Ellen White was shown by Clarence Fields.

Richard Cook Communication Secretary a drink was thoroughly enjoyed in time-honored Hoosier tradition. The talent show was coordinated by Ron Hert as emcee and featured vocal and piano solos, readings, a kitchen band and a pantomime. Each participant was awarded a lollipop for bravery, and the emcee was given a large bag of candy corn.

- "Gentlemen, start your engines!" The famous words that begin the Indy 500 automobile race could apply to the recent Chapel West Road Rally. Several cars left the church armed with rally maps and competitive zeal. The route covered about 30 miles, ending at Eagle Creek Park for a potluck dinner, hiking and a visit to the nature center.
- About 30 hardy members met at Turkey Run State Park to enjoy a day of hiking the trails through the gorge and sharing a picnic.
- Spiritual renewal was enjoyed by Chapel West members at the Indiana camp meeting. Church members and friends met to share a potluck dinner each Sabbath.
- Chapel West members said farewell to Ron and Bonnie Howell and their two daughters, Tiffany and Chantell, on June 25 at a special yard party. Ron is a supervisory accountant at Fort Harrison and has been transferred for a three-year term to a civil service position in Zweibrucken, Germany.

Ruth Helzerman Communication Secretary

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Cliff Hoffman, Correspondent



Chapel West talent show participants with Ron Hert, right, emcee.

INDIANAPOLIS CHAPEL WEST NEWS NOTES

 The first annual Chapel West Talent Show and Bean Supper was held a few weeks ago. A hearty supper of cornbread, soup beans, desserts and

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Fred Williams, Correspondent

THE YEAR IN REVIEW

The school year 1977-78 will be remembered for numerous reasons by students, parents and faculty of the Frank L. Peterson Academy.

This was a difficult year because of the bus problems. Pastor Randolph Stafford of the City Temple Church is negotiating with a private company to have a superb means of transportation for the coming school year.

Hats off to Gerselle Jackson, who has done a commendable job with our library. This is a first for our school, and it was a relief for both students

and teachers who had to travel to the public library. We would also like to thank the people who have given so generously to this cause.

How could we have survived those cold wintry days without the faithfulness of Mrs. D. Pringle in our culinary department?

The eighth-grade elocution program was held on April 29 at the Sharon S.D.A. Church. The 28 students and their teacher, Inez Shelton, gave several messages that will not be forgotten. This was such an outstanding program that it was repeated on radio station WCHB and also in the Pontiac S.D.A. Church.

We are sorry to say farewell to our principal, Carney Bradford, who is now principal of the Lynden-Jamaica S.D.A. School in New York.

More children are registered for the 1978-79 school year than ever before.

With the dedicated leadership of our school board chairman, Hudie Davis, we will meet the evaluating committee in February 1979 with confidence.

Alvin Barnes Assistant Principal



Elder Morris Wren, left, and Elder Otto Jackson, wielding shovels, are shown with members of the building committee for the Jeffersonville, Indiana, Church.

JEFFERSONVILLE MEMBERS BREAK GROUND FOR NEW CHURCH

After a long winter and many other unforeseen delays, the Jeffersonville, Indiana, Church members began breaking ground for a new edifice.

The old church at 205 East 14th Street was built more than 20 years ago by Elder Samuel Flagg. The new church will be built near U.S. I-65.

Sidney Smith, a literature evangelist, was recently selected to serve the Jeffersonville congregation as elder. He believes that the church is in a good territory for spiritual growth. Thomas Maycock is the building contractor.



SHILOH CHURCH HONORS PASTOR

The Shiloh Church parish hall was the site of an anniversary celebration for Dr. and Mrs. Leon Cox and family. Church elder William Hilliard and Susan Lawson were coordinators of the festive event. Elder Cox came to pastor the Shiloh Church in April 1977 from the Ethnan Temple Church in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. Musical and verbal tributes were made. Leaders of the various church departments expressed their appreciation for Dr. Cox's guidance and leadership. Elder Cox thanked the church members for their kindness and called upon them to support a total church program.

WOMEN'S DAY PROGRAM AT HYDE PARK CHURCH

The women of the Hyde Park Church are pleased with the success of their recent Women's Day program held May 13, 1978.

Sylvia J. Barnes, orator and wife of Elder Clarence Barnes of Oakwood College, was the guest speaker for the worship service. She chose as her topic, "Disciplined for Sharing the Inheritance."

The platform guests included Vivian Joseph, wife of Lake Region Conference president C. D. Joseph; Tomasine Wright of the Capitol City Church in Indianapolis; Elnora Browne of the Milwaukee Sharon Church; Patricia Burns of the Shiloh Church; Alice McReynolds of Burns Avenue Church in Detroit; Chlora Jones of the Independence Boulevard Church in Chicago; Delores Dixon of Hyde Park; Muriel Wray, wife of the pastor of the Hyde Park Church, and Sylvia D. Ham Ying, program coordinator.

The Sabbath School program was conducted by Charlotte Stuart of Chicago. Special music for the day was presented by the Ladies Chorale of the

Burns Avenue Church, Rosalyn Upshaw teacher of music at Andrews University Academy, Myra Thuesdee of the Milwaukee Sharon Church and Bettye Collins of Shiloh.

A special highlight of the afternoon program was a poem written especially for the day and presented by Virginia Starks of Chicago. The poem traced the origin of woman (pointing out the contributions of black women) up to the present time.

The entire day proved to be spiritually uplifting for everyone who attended. The program, which netted more than \$10,000, was coordinated by Cosette Jackson, chairman; Sylvia D. Ham Ying, co-chairman; Edna Love; Muriel Wray, assisted by all the women of the church.

The proceeds will be placed in the building fund of the church now under construction at 4600 South Drexel Boulevard in Chicago.

Muriel Wray Communication Secretary

Michigan Conference



E. N. Wendth, Correspondent

THE CARLTON CENTER CHURCH: THEN AND NOW

"For Sale" signs appeared on the Seventh-day Adventist Church at Carlton Center a few weeks ago, and just a few days later a "Sold" sign was placed above them.

Neighbors, friends and former members of the church had hoped that some other church group would buy it so that the sound of the church bell would ring out again and the welcome lights would shine out through the stained glass windows.

But the building was sold to an individual who plans to convert it into a private residence.

The last sermon in the little church was preached in January 1977 by Elder Edward Herzel. At that time the bad weather and the cost of heating the building, and the fact that so few were attending the services, made it advisable to close it temporarily.

It was coincidental that one of the founders of the church, Wilhelmina Shriber, was the great-grandmother of Elder Herzel,



The Carlton Center Church was organized in 1887.

Then some of the regular attendees moved away and others died, and at a business meeting held in June last year it was decided that the little church should be closed permanently.

Most of the members have transferred to a nearby church.

The piano and organ were removed from the church soon after the last service was held there, and a few weeks ago the pews were taken to the Bristol Church to again become part of a place of worship.

The bell is being transferred to the Michigan campgrounds where, according to a newspaper article, "it again will issue its call to worship."

About 1875 a small group of Seventh-day Adventists, among them Sarah Friend, Arista Fleming and Wilhelmina Shriber, began holding worship services in the schoolhouse at Carlton Center.

Gradually the little group grew and in September 1887 they were organized into a church and were admitted into the Michigan Conference.

In the meantime the group had purchased a small plot of ground at the west edge of the settlement of Carlton Center and plans were made to build a church. Actual work on the building was begun in 1888.

Several of the men in the community donated their time and skill to build the church. The lumber was hauled from Lowell, and cost \$10 to \$12 per thousand board feet.

In 1903 a shed was erected to shelter the horse-drawn vehicles used by most of the parishioners. In the same year a church school was started and for about seven years classes were held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Otis Landon, strong supporters of the church.

In 1910 a school building was built on the property, and school was conducted for the next 34 years; during one period there were 10 grades.

One of the early teachers was Anna Collige, who later became Mrs. Jerry Andrus and with her husband served many years in the church. She now resides at the Barry County Medical Care Facility. The schoolhouse was sold and moved away in 1946.

In 1971 the ceiling in the sanctuary was lowered, electric lights replaced the kerosene lamps, a hardwood floor was laid and a red carpet was put down. The porch was remodeled, the building painted, a new sign was put up and the grounds were landscaped.

Also the "Michigan cellar" was cemented, and a two-room basement with rest rooms, furnace room and a modern oil furnace made the 80-year-old building modern and adequate to meet the needs of the time.

Most of the years the church has existed it has been served by local talent, but since 1940 there has been a regular pastor most of the time.



Geneva Kellogg, left, Pathfinder club director, presents a plaque to Elaine Bush in recognition of Mrs. Bush's 20 years of service.

TWO PATHFINDER LEADERS RECEIVE APPRECIATION PLAQUES

Pathfinder Investiture services at Owosso recently marked 38 years of combined service to the club by two of the local church members.



Marjorie Bedell invests her granddaughter, Michelle Nix, into the Friend class.

Elaine Bush and Marjorie Bedell were presented plaques of appreciation for their dedicated service to the Pathfinder program. Mrs. Bush's plaque was for 20 years and Mrs. Bedell's for 18 years.

Mrs. Bedell also has the distinction of having all her children working with the Owosso club. One daughter, Sherry Nix, is a girls' counselor, and another, Debbie Schultz, directs nature programs.



Geneva Kellogg, left, club director, with three generations of Pathfinders, Sherry Nix, Marjorie Bedell and Michelle Nix.

Her son, John Bedell, serves as a boys' counselor. Mrs. Bedell's granddaughter, Michelle Nix, received an award for perfect attendance, and Mrs. Bedell had the honor of investing Michelle into the Friend class.

FROM ZERO TO \$2 MILLION

At a special program held just before school was out at Grand Ledge Academy, tribute was paid to Elder Alonzo R. Mohr for his years of service and leadership in developing the program of the Grand Ledge



Elder Alonzo Mohr, left, with the new manager of the Grand Ledge Craft Shop, Calvin Miller.

Craft Shop. With his leadership the shop's sales have grown to \$2 million a year.

Twenty years ago when the mill was started, the advice given to the conference leaders was that it was not feasible to start the craft shop without a railroad siding. Despite this and other discouraging factors, Elder Mohr took on the challenge of building up this school industry.

Elder Mohr says he accepted the task because of his belief in young people, and their need of Christian education. What is today a part of Grand Ledge Academy's strength is due to the abilities and fortitude of Elder Mohr.

Each year the profits were used to improve the industry so that it could efficiently operate with student help the year-round.

Today, Elder Mohr reports that students who are willing to work can earn their school expenses and have a credit by the time they graduate.

50TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATED

Mr. and Mrs. Wade Harden, members of the Mio Church, were guests of honor at an open house commemorating their 50th weddding anniversary on Sunday, June 11, 1978.

The former Mary Ann Ebertz and Wade Harden spoke their wedding vows in Detroit on June 10, 1928. The couple have two daughters, Shirley Christian of—Hinsdale, Illinois, and Betty Russell of Warren, Michigan; a son, Edward Harden of Berrien Springs, Michigan; nine grandchildren, and five great-grandchildren.

Their son-in-law, Dr. John Christian, gave a summary of the couple's life

together. Elder D. Charles Mackintosh of Wyoming, Michigan, reviewed the sacred yows.

Jean Mroach of Tawas City and Bernice Harden Graf of Nebraska, members of the original wedding party, were present. Relatives and friends from California, Alaska, Indiana, Illinois, and numerous Michigan cities and towns attended.

> Letitia Boerner Lay Activities Secretary



MUNISING PATHFINDER HONORED

A Munising Pathfinder, 16-year-old Darrel Cline, was recently named this year's outstanding news carrier for the Mining Journal of Marquette, the Upper Peninsula's leading newspaper. He was also rated third in a similar statewide contest. Darrel is an active Pathfinder and was recently invested as a Master Guide. He is an "A" student in the church's junior academy, a junior deacon, and has won two presidential physical fitness awards. His customers voted for him because he was "one of the most polite, efficient, dependable Christian boys. We feel that he sets a fine example for others."

DOCTORS ROLL IN THE DOUGH

One hundred and fifty guests saw Doctors Donald and Morris Ballard and David Bauman demonstrate their own special bread recipe.

It was Detroit's Better Living Seminar's first "bread bake" held recently at the Southfield Junior Academy.

The guests became participants as they were assigned partners and provided with the ingredients and materials for making their own loaf of bread. Natalie Weaver, wife of program moderator Dr. Arthur Weaver, directed the mass bread-making and discussed techniques for making good wholesome bread.

Better Living Seminars program coordinator, John Swanson, M.P.H., states that reactions to the classes included: "Fantistic," "I never had so much fun," and "Next time I'll bring my husband."

Pastor Swanson believes these statements indicated that the program was a success.

John Swanson, M.P.H. Better Living Seminars Coordinator

Wisconsin Conference



Dale Ziegele, Correspondent

NEWS NOTES

• A pilot program was recently originated in the Prairie du Chien district. Twenty-two persons attended the WA-RITE program directed by Chaplain Richard Haas of the Prairie du Chien Convalescent Center. The husband of one of the nurses at the convalescent center lost 20½ pounds. The group has decided to continue with weekly meetings even though the 10-week program has been completed.



Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Bishop

- Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Bishop of Wild Rose Nursing Home, Wild Rose, Wisconsin, recently celebrated their 73rd wedding anniversary.
- A volunteer "kindness" program was begun in the Eau Claire area this spring. Nearly 50 people have registered to help with such needs as transportation, housekeeping, childcare and visitation. The county

volunteer-services coordinator has the names of those who have signed up for specific services; he calls them directly to assign visits. The Eau Claire Church program coordinator is Nancy Voss. Mrs. Voss is kept informed of all assignments and developemnts by the county coordinator. The Eau Claire Seventh-day Adventist Church is the only church in the county to provide group volunteer services.



Ruth Carriveau, Sharon Wery and Janet Sanford presented special music.

FELLOWSHIP AT CLEARWATER LAKE

Richard White, pastor and radio speaker of Hollister, California, and Robert Dale, Wisconsin Conference president, were featured speakers for



Elder Robert Dale

Elder Richard White

the special fellowship at the Clearwater Lake Church, June 16 and 17.

Elder White described sins and conduct that hurt both the individual and the church. He challenged the congregation to more deeds of love.

"Living God's love helps others see what love is," he said, and he read from I Corinthians 13 in different versions.

Elder Dale said sin is a "body of death" from which deliverance comes through Christ. He also discussed several of the Bible's promises.

A trio comprised of Ruth Carriveau, Sharon Wery and Janet E. Sanford sang several songs. Rick Sanford read from the chapter on God's love for man in Steps to Christ.

The weekend activities also included

a hike, a dinner and the graduation program for the Vacation Bible School.

Harvey Hansen Communication Secretary



PATHFINDERS LEARN FIRST AID

Coleman School students demonstrated how to splint a broken leg during the recent Investiture service in the Oconto district. From left, the participants are Tonya Gillen; Marian Leisner, instructor; Annette Leisner, and Susan Natzke.



Lancaster Church is nearly completed.

LANCASTER CHURCH ACTIVITIES

The Lancaster church members have had a busy winter.

Several people were baptized. Lou Ann Steffen joined the Prairie du Chien Church and Beatrice Jencks and



From left, Mrs. Omer McCarter, Linda Grass, Beatrice Jencks and Omer McCarter at the Lancaster Church baptism.

Linda Grass joined the Lancaster Church. Mr. and Mrs. Omer McCarter of Cuba City, members of the Lancaster Church studied with Mrs. Jencks and Linda Grass.

The women of the church have been busy with missionary activities. They

made quilts for families whose homes had burned. Myrtle Taft is in charge of the quilting projects and during a recent quilting bee a birthday party was given in her honor.

With the leadership of Joe Budd, conference builder, and Gregg Budd, church members have worked on the new Lancaster Church.



Florence Insh, Myrtle Taft, Ila Rudisaile and Laura Slater with one of their quilts.

The building is nearly completed and will serve as the church and school. This fall eight to ten children are expected to attend.

Another activity of the church was a mailing project. Mel Flugstad, lay



Steps to Christ packets were prepared for delivery to all the homes in Lancaster.

activities leader, directed this project. A letter of invitation to attend the church, an enrollment card for a Bible course and a copy of *Steps to Christ* were included in each packet which was mailed to every resident in Lancaster.

Another baptism is planned as soon as the new church is finished to initiate the new baptistry and mark a special day for the church. The members have been planning for this event for eight years and they are thankful for all the blessings that have come to the Lancaster Church.

Esther Neff Communication Secretary

Announcements

ILLINOIS

ATTENTION ALL BROADVIEW ACADEMY ALUMNI who have not been contacted by the B.V.A. Alumni Association recently, please send your graduation year, name and address to: Ken Meyer, Public Relations, B.V.A. Alumni Association, P.O. Box 377, Wood Dale, IL 60191. This will help us to correct and update our alumni list.

THE BROADVIEW ACADEMY GARDENS CORPORATION now has the following vegetables available: cabbage, carrots, corn, dill, eggplant, green beans, green onions, head lettuce, kale, peppers and tomatoes. Open from 8 A.M. to 8 P.M., Sunday through Thursday, and from 8 A.M. to 5 P.M. on Fridays, the stand is located on Keslinger Road, north of the academy entrance. For further information call (312) 232-6716.

INDIANA

THE BLOOMFIELD CHURCH ANNUAL HOMECOMING will be held on August 19 at the church, 520 South Washington Street. Sabbath School begins at 9:30 A.M. and church at 11:15, followed by a basket dinner. Special guest speaker will be C. Mervyn Maxwell of Andrews University at 2:30 P.M. The New Communion Singers will be featured during the music program. A special invitation is given to all our former members and pastors.

MICHIGAN

CHRISTIAN WRITERS CONFERENCE: Plan your vacation to coincide with Michigan's colorful autumn as well as the Writers Conference to be held October 13 to 15 at Andrews University. Staff for the conference are Bobbie Jane Van Dolson, associate book editor of the Review and Herald Publishing Association; Louis Schutter, editor of Our Little Friend and Primary Treasure; Cecil Murphy, frequent contributor to Christianity Today; June Strong, columnist for These Times, and Colleen Garber of the communication department of Andrews University and editor of The Good Deeder. Cost of the conference is \$30. Preregistration requested no later than October 1, 1978. Information regarding housing and meals available. Contact Helen Rhodes, Rt. 1, Box 180-B-1, Bloomingdale, MI 49026, phone (616) 521-4430, or 628-4438. To register contact Andrews University, Director of Special Courses, Berrien Springs, MI 49104.

WISCONSIN

THE WISCONSIN ADVENTIST BOOK CENTER will be closed until August 12 for camp-meeting preparation and restocking. From August 13 to 20 the ABC will be open with camp-meeting prices on food and books, records, Bibles, et cetera. The ABC will be open on Sunday from noon to 5 P.M.; Monday through Thursday, 8:30 A.M. to 6 P.M., and on Friday from 8:30 A.M. to 1 P.M.

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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.

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MERCEDES-BENZ FACTORY DRIVEAWAY: May 9 to 23, 1979. Visit Europe with S.D.A. friends. Deluxe accommodations and nightly seminar with Elder B. B. Beach. Limit 42 people. Enjoy great savings. Must reserve your car immediately. Call H. C. Martin (A.S.I. Member). Phone (503) 476-4481, or write Auto Martin, Ltd., Box 1881, Grants Pass, OR 97526. —241-29

HOME in town, HOME on country acreage, HOME with rental income, HOME with private pool. In Berrien Springs KECHKAYLO REAL ESTATE has the house that will become home for you. Call (616) 471-7701 now, describe your schedule and housing needs and let us work for you. SERVING YOU IS OUR BUSINESS. —245-29

LAUREL NURSING CENTER needs Director of Nurses and Director of Food Service. The new 120-bed addition will open in early 1979. Its rural location is just 2 miles from Blue Mountain Academy. If interested, call Richard Mayer or Nancy Sweitzer (215) 562-2259, or write Box 670, Hamburg, PA 19526. —253-30

YOUR STORY HOUR RECORDINGS: Christian alternative to TV. Professionally produced Bible and character-building stories. Record or cassette. Children love them. 20% discount. Your Story Hour, P.O. Box 1954, South Bend, IN 46634. Phone: (219) 287-4971. —254-30

Battle Creek Sanitarium Hospital needs a DIRECTOR OF PHYSICAL THERAPY. R.P.T. required plus 2 years hospital experience preferred. New facilities, personnel cordinator, 197 N. Washington Ave., Battle Creek, MI 49016. Phone: (616) 964-7121. —258-29

Battle Creek Sanitarium Hospital needs FOOD SERVICE PRODUCTION MANAGER. Associate degree in food service required plus 2 years supervisory experience preferred. New facility in near future. Call collect or send resume to Sandy Balli, personnel coordinator, 197 N. Washington Ave., Battle Creek, MI 49016. Phone: (616) 964-7121. —259-29

NEW EARTH VEGETARIAN RESTAURANTS in Chicago and Wheaton, Illinois, are interested in hiring full-time help to learn to operate a vegetarian restaurant. Write or call Cindy Hadley, The New Earth Vegetarian Restaurant, 3339-41 N. Halsted, Chicago, IL 60657, phone (312) 525-4150, or 665-5255. —271-29

FOR SALE BY OWNER: Colonial home on 1.7 acres of secluded woodland. 4 bedrooms, 3 baths, formal dining room, 2 fireplaces, 2,300 sq. ft. of living area, 1½ miles from Andrews. Built in mid-60's. Call (616) 471-1385. —272-29

WOODED LAND for sale. 9 miles from Andrews University. 13.8 acres of rolling land with several excellent building sites. On Lake Road outside of Berrien Center. \$18,000. Possible land contract. Call (616) 471-9304; if busy call 471-5553, after 5 P.M. No Saturday calls, please. —273-29

Memorial Hospital urgently needs an A.R.T., CHIEF X-RAY TECHNICIAN, L.P.N.'s and R.N.'s. Contact us now. Memorial Hospital Personnel Director, Manchester, KY 40962. Phone: (606) 598-5104. —274-29

FOR SALE HINSDALE: Lovely 3-bedroom brick bi-level home with 2 full baths, paneled family room, subbasement and free-standing fireplace. All appliances included. Back yard has covered patio and garden space. 20-year-old maple shade trees. Asking only \$73,900. Call for appointment. Red Carpet, Castlewood Homes, (312) 963-2000. —281-32

REAL ESTATE: Hinsdale, Downers Grove, Naperville. For honest service in real estate call Jo Anne Dillon, realtor associate with Red Carpet, Castlewood Homes, Downers Grove, IL (312) 963-2000, or home, 972-0530. Let me help you buy or sell your next home in my area. Call now for a free market appraisal of your home. —282-35

SECLUDED 4-BEDROOM RANCH HOME, full basement 1½ baths, I acre yard. Short walk to 10-grade school and church, near Gobles, Mich. \$38,900. Kalvan Realty, ask for Nathan Baylor, (616) 628-2151, evenings, 521-4446. We cover Paw Paw, Allegan, Bangor and Gobles areas. —283-30

General Conference Risk Management Services has a position opening for a CHIEF ACCOUNTANT. Position requires a B.A. or B.S. in accounting and 3 years of accounting experience with C.P.A. preferred. Contact Manager, Administrative Services, GCRMS-West, 11291 Pierce Street, Riverside, CA 92515. —283-29

REAL ESTATE: Near Ozark Academy and the foothills of the Ozark Mountains, where land and homes are still reasonable. Write for brochure. Contact J. L. Weaver, Gray Realtors, Box 676, Gentry, AR 72734. Phone (501) 736-2204, or 524-6579.

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MARJORIE COPSEY was our outstanding salesman in June. Marjorie is a former dean of women at Pioneer Valley Academy in New Braintree, Mass. She's friendly, understanding and will show concern for your real-estate needs. She's at WANGARD REAL ESTATE, Berrien Springs, and her home phone is (616) 471-3983. —286-29

Lancaster Nursing Home has an immediate o p e n i n g f o r a SECRETARY/BOOKKEEPER. This small, rural southwest Wisconsin community is ideal for family living. New church and church school. Contact Harvey Rudisaile, phone (608) 723-4143. —287-29

Mileposts

WEDDINGS:

Lynn Davis and Elder Dan Neergaard were married on July 2, 1978, in the Hinsdale, Illinois, Church. Elder Ray R. Rouse performed the ceremony.

The couple are now living in Madison, Wisconsin, where Elder Neergaard is the pastor of the Madison Church.

Maritza Garcia and Hector Perez were married June 18, 1978, at the North Shore Church in Chicago. Elder Milton Peverini and Elder Rogelio Campillo performed the ceremony.

Maritza is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Garcia of Chicago, and Hector is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ramon Perez of Chicago.

The couple are now living in St. Louis, Missouri, where Maritza is continuing her education and Hector is an aircraft engineer.

Marta Garcia and Luis Pagan were married June 18, 1978, in the North Shore Church in Chicago. Elder Milton Peverini and Elder Rogelio Campillo performed the ceremony.

Marta is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Garcia of Chicago and Luis is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Francisco Pagan of Utuado, Puerto Rico.

The couple are now living in Chicago where Marta is taking nurses' training and Luis is assistant manager in the food service department of Roosevelt Hospital.

Marjorie Ann Mosher and Donald Joseph Wonsowicz were married June 26, 1978, in the Muskegon, Michigan, Church. Elder Joshua J. Swinyar performed the ceremony.

Marjorie is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert L. Mosher Sr. of Muskegon, and Donald is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald J. Wonsowicz Sr. of Harsens Island, Michigan.

The couple are presently residing in Muskegon where Marjorie is employed as a nurse and Donald is a literature evangelist.

Janet L. Schneider and Ronald L. Welch were married on June 11, 1978, in the La Grange, Illinois, Church. Elder Eston Allen performed the ceremony.

Janet is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Fedors of Westchester, Illinois, and Ronald is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Don Welch of Roswell, New Mexico.

The couple are now living in Berrien Springs, Michigan, where Ronald is attending Andrews University studying mass-media communication and journalism.

Mary Ann Vocht and Phillip Daniel Lee were married June 25, 1978, in Fort Atkinson, Wisconsin. Elder Herschel Mercer and Pastor Ken Wade performed the ceremony.

The couple will be making their home in Milton, Wisconsin.

Marjorie Esther Whited and Kenneth Eugene Morss were married June 4, 1978, in the Quincy, Illinois, Church. Elder Barry Ulloth performed the ceremony.

Marjorie is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Whited of Mt. Sterling, Illinois, and Kenneth is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Morss of Quincy.

The couple are now living in Taylor, Missouri. Kenneth is employed by the Richards Electric Company of Quincy.

OBITUARIES:

BAILEY, Aurora, born Oct. 7, 1892, in Menominee, Mich., died June 19, 1978, in Menominee. She was a member of the Menominee Church.

Survivors include a sister, Leone of Menominee, and a brother, Leslie of Boulder, Colo.

Elder Jerry Jablonski conducted the services, and interment was in Menominee.

BISEL, Blanche, born Oct. 5, 1892, in Tell City, Ind., died June 2, 1978, in Berrien Springs, Mich. She was a member of the Berrien Springs Village Church.

Survivors include 2 sisters, Esther Hilliard of Niles, Mich., and Frieda Heltzel of Keene, Tex., and 2 brothers, Russel Hicks of Berrien Springs and Connie Hicks of

Lakeland, Fla.

Services were conducted by Elder Henry Mattson, and interment was in Three Rivers, Mich.

KIM, Lucia, born June 7, 1899, in Korea, died May 28, 1978, in Kalamazoo, Mich. She was a member of the Kalamazoo Church.

Survivors include her husband, Hyung Lin; a daughter, Elizabeth Losey; a sister and a brother.

Services were conducted by Elder Roy Lemon, and interment was in Kalamazoo.

LEYH, Cloyce Edward, 70, born June 10, 1908, in McComb, Ohio, died June 25, 1978, in Jackson, Mich. He was a member of the Hillsdale, Mich., Church.

Survivors include his wife, Jeanette; 2 sons, David of Cambria, Mich., and Alvin of Jackson; 3 daughters, Ruth Blakley of Cement City, Mich., Marian Ramsey of Hinsdale, III., and Laura Sue Uphold of Jackson; 2 brothers, Ralph of Cement City, and Roy of Brooklyn, Mich.; a sister, Dorothy Swartout of Concord, Tenn.; 12 grandchildren, and 4 great-grandchildren.

Services were conducted by Elder H. E. Greene, and interment was in the Cambria Cemetery, Cambria.

M'MILLIAN, Olive, 82, born May 17, 1896, died May 24, 1978, in New Smyrna Beach, Fla. She had formerly been a member of the Oxford Church.

She is survived by her husband, James; 6 sons, Everett Blackerby of Clarkston, Mich., Alba Blackerby of Van Nuys, Calif., Robert Blackerby of Birdsboro, Pa., John Blackerby of Clio, Mich., Glenn Blackerby of Pontiac, Mich., and Marvin Blackerby of Grand Ledge, Mich.; 18 grandchildren, and 7 great-grandchildren.

Services were conducted by Elder Herbert Lohr, assisted by Dr. Percy Marsa, at the Flumerfelt Funeral Home in Oxford, Mich., and interment was in the Eastlawn Cemetery, Lake Orion, Mich.

MORAVETZ, John, born Feb. 27, 1900, in Green Bay, Wis., died June 21, 1978, in Brandon, Fla.

Survivors include his wife, Helen; 2 sons, Clifford of Dowagiac, Mich., and Richard of Idaho; a brother, Joseph of Gobles, Mich.; and a sister, Barbara Boothby of Paw Paw, Mich.; 11 grandchildren, and a great-granddaughter.

Services were conducted by Elder H. D. Miller at the Langland Memorial Chapel in Kalamazoo, Mich., and interment was in the Mount Ever-Rest Mausoleum in Kalamazoo.

PATON, Mary Jean, born Dec. 8, 1880, in the Township of Vienna, Dane County, Wis., died June 18, 1978, in Portage, Wis. She was a member of the Wisconsin Conference Church.

Survivors include 2 nieces, Mrs. H. C. Dotz of Columbus, Wis., and Mrs. Glenn Richards of Lodi, Wis.

Services were conducted by Elder Dan Neergaard, and interment was in the 100th Mile Grove Cemetery in Dane, Wis.

SIMONDS, Lawrence Luther, born Oct. 24, 1895, in Lake Delton, Wis., died June 7, 1978, in Baraboo, Wis. He was a member of the Baraboo Church.

Survivors include his wife, Ruth; 3 brothers, Lester and Austin of Baraboo and Maurice of Orlando, Fla., and a sister, Ethel Cronk of Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

Services were conducted by Elder Ted Green and interment was in Lake Delton Cemetery, Lake Delton.

VANDERHOFF, Ellsworth S., born Sept. 12, 1898, died April 22, 1978, in Kalamazoo, Mich. He was a member of the Kalamazoo Church.

Survivors include his wife, Thelma; a son, and 3 daughters.

Services were conducted by Elder Roy Lemon, and interment was in Kalamazoo.

WOODS, Ruth Anne, born May 30, 1901, in Duluth, Minn., died May 30, 1978, in Madison, Wis. She was a member of the Madison Church.

Survivors include 2 sisters, Violet Hammes of Madison, and Lucille Ozanne of Chicago,

Services were conducted by Elder Dan Neergaard, and interment was in Forrest Hill Cemetery, Madison.

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Indianapolis, Ind.	E.S. 7:55	7:47
La Crosse, Wis.	C.D. 8:25	8:15
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Springfield, III.	C.D. 8:09	8:01

Lake Union Conference



PUBLISHING DEPARTMENT NEWS NOTES

- During Big Week this year Lake Union literature evangelists grossed \$128,000 in book sales, a large gain compared to last year.
- Every conference in the union has an increase for the year so far.
 Unionwide the increase amounts to more than \$350,000. Total deliveries for each conference through May 1978 are as follows:

Illinois	\$224,955.35			
Indiana	154,327.07			
Lake Region	174,473.86			
Michigan	332,527.49			
Wisconsin	128,410.95			

- Rick Howard of Michigan contacted and gave Bible studies to a former Baptist minister who was later baptized during the Michigan camp meeting in the Upper Peninsula.
- Gordon Pollitt of Illinois grossed
 \$7,000 during May.
- The Lake Union H.H.E.S. has the best collection record in the nation.
 Each month its customer payments amount to 16 percent of its accounts receivable.
- A special leadership seminar is planned for October 1978 for the Adventist Book Center workers.
- Adventist Book Center managers and their assistants joined conference and union officers and representatives from the General Conference and the Review and Herald Publishing Association on May 31 at the Lake Union Conference office to survey the previous 12 months' activities at the four Adventist Book Centers. Every ABC showed financial stability and excellent growth.
- The sincere desire of every publishing worker is to cooperate with

the other departments of the church to help finish God's work now.

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INGATHERING ENCOUNTERS

Members of the Capital Memorial Church in Washington, D.C., called at the home of Clara Jankowski in December 1976 during the Ingathering crusade, Mrs. Jankowski was attracted to the offer of free Bible study guides described in the Ingathering leaflet. She mailed the card and Karl and Ana Shultz of Takoma Park, Maryland, began studies using the Encounter lessons. Elder Ron Flowers baptized Mrs. Jankowski on November 12, 1977. She is pictured being interviewed by Karl Shultz during a missionary service at the Capital Memorial Church. Like Mrs. Jankowski, "many are on the verge of the kingdom, waiting only to be gathered in."-The Acts of the Apostles, p.

INNER CITY COMMISSION REPORT

About 42 delegates from the Seventh-day Adventist Inner City Commission met in Dallas recently to discuss the problems of reaching the people of the inner cities. Elder W. W. Fordham, director, and Elder W. S. Banfield, associate director of regional affairs for the General Conference, directed the commission in a three-day study.

Several participants in inner-city projects gave reports of special activities which, according to Marvin H. Reeder, associate director of the department of communication, challenged the church in North America to become more involved in the large cities.

According to Elder Banfield, the commission meets periodically to update conference leadership on advances in the work. It also serves as an exchange of ideas by giving members a look at new programs.

Thousands are being reached, according to Elder Reeder, through inner-city-ministry-sponsored agencies such as vans, day-care centers, prison ministry, youth for better living and other activities.

On the final day of the meetings, Elder Fordham, founder of the Inner City Commission, was honored at a special meeting. After gifts and speeches, the session was adjourned. Elder Fordham will retire in October after 44 years of service for the church.

ADVENTIST WORLD MEMBERSHIP EXCEEDS 3 MILLION

World membership in the Seventh-day Adventist Church may have passed the three-million mark at the end of April. Based on a study of membership figures through the third quarter of 1977, the archives and statistics department of the denomination projected the three-million number. Using the same calculations it is estimated that Adventist membership in North American exceeded 557 thousand; that is 18½ percent of the total world membership.

WOMEN'S PENSION DECISION PRAISED BY ADVENTISTS

The U.S. Supreme Court has ruled against pension plans that require larger contributions from women than men simply because women live longer. The court said such plans are discriminatory under the Civil Rights Act of 1964. Listen magazine editor Francis Soper says he agrees with the decision. Elder Soper says, "Persons or groups should not be penalized for the accident of their sex or for a life style that prolongs life."

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