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# A Bold Move Forward

## COVER

*"Come, gentle spring!  
ethereal mildness, come."*

James Thomson

For two years the pages of the Herald have carried articles and stories which have emphasized "Finishing the Work," and the success of those who have permitted themselves to be instruments of the Holy Spirit in helping to accomplish that mission.

As a result, hundreds of people now rejoice in their new-found faith. While church growth in the Lake Union during that time has not been great, we are clearly moving in the right direction and momentum is building. More and more God's people are laying hold of the promise "Lo, I am with you alway," believing that the words of Jesus, "Go ye" and "unto the end of the world," have reference to them, and now.

We believe the year 1979 will be the best year in the history of the Lake Union Conference! Each conference and institutional administration and staff is becoming strongly involved in soul winning. Local congregations and individual members everywhere are getting involved. If this does not seem to be the case where you live, please hasten to join your pastor and fellow church members in prayer and study as to what can be done. God wants all of His people to have a part in the last great crescendo of truth to a wicked world.

Beginning with the last issue of the Herald and continuing with this and two more issues, we want to share some exciting information and plans. Please follow along closely and let us hear from you as to your feelings about the future and what needs to be done.

But remember, "God and Christ and the heavenly angels are working with intense activity to hold in check the fierceness of Satan's wrath, that God's plans may not be thwarted. God lives and reigns. He is conducting the affairs of the universe. Let His soldiers move forward to victory. Let there be perfect unity in their ranks. Let them press the battle to the gates. As a mighty Conqueror, the Lord will work for them."—*Testimonies for the Church, vol. 7, p. 14.*

"The greatest victories for the cause of God are not the result of labored argument, ample facilities, wide influence, or abundance of means; they are gained in the audience chamber with God, when with earnest, agonizing faith men lay hold upon the mighty arm of power."—*Gospel Workers, p. 259.* "The truth is soon to triumph gloriously, and all who now choose to be laborers together with God will triumph with it."—*Testimonies for the Church, vol. 9, p. 135.*

Now is the time for a BOLD MOVE FORWARD!

*Louise Bock*



Jean wanted to witness. But not with a "cold turkey" approach.

"How should I proceed? What's the best method to use?" she asked herself as she worked as the office secretary of the Michigan Conference department of lay activities.

One day she found her answer. Working with the subscription print-out from *These Times* magazine, she realized that in this list of names were people with a possible interest in religious things. They were receiving *These Times* because they had a spiritual interest or because somebody had a spiritual interest in them.

"That's it!" Jean realized—develop these interests. Cultivate these names. Build on a foundation already established. Soon after, she found a religious survey which she felt would be a point of contact with the readers of *These Times*. It would be a door and a heart opener.

Jean studied the section of the print-out of the Grand Ledge area where she lived and worshiped. One hundred names lay before her. Fruitful possibilities.

The following Sabbath afternoon Jean was knocking on doors. Not in "cold turkey" territory, but at selected doors of homes with a possible good contact. She had the names of eight people to visit that afternoon. Four were at home, including Alma Franklin, who received Jean with a warm welcome as she answered the questions in the survey. The last one was planned to open the way to possible Bible studies and Alma expressed an interest in them.

The following week Jean and Alma began studying the Bible using the *Encounter* series of lessons. Week after week they met and studied. Alma accepted what she learned, but made no personal commitment to follow these new teachings. After finishing the series Jean

started her friend on another one, but Alma still made no commitment.

Then Joe Crews brought his Amazing Facts campaign to Lansing and Jean took Alma to the meetings. Suddenly, this quiet, unassuming woman came alive. When Elder Crews first visited Alma, she asked, "What must I do to be baptized?" She received the answer; she was baptized and now she is an active member of the Grand Ledge Church.

This happened because Jean Dickerson realized the value of contacting those people with some thread of interest in the Bible or Adventism. The religious survey she conducted proved it is easier to make contact, and people are more friendly when you already have an established area of rapport.

Jean discovered this again as she visited an Ingathering contact of 1977. One woman showed an interest in spiritual things and a need for friendship. A few friendly meetings followed before she and Jean lost contact with each other. Last November they met again during Ingathering time and now Jean is giving her Bible studies. What will happen? No one knows at this time. There is a strong possibility that another baptism will take place, again the result of Jean's faithful follow-up of an interest.

Jean Dickerson knows—from personal experience—that if you want to have greater success in witnessing, one proven way is to follow-up expressed interests. Use the names of people from *Faith for Today*, *It is Written*, the *Voice of Prophecy*; lists of people contacted by literature evangelists, receiving our magazines, attending Five-Day Plans to Stop Smoking or cooking schools. Names—in some cases, hundreds of them—are waiting in the pastor's study for someone to use.

Does Jean know something you should know? Does she have the secret to successful witnessing you need? Ask her and she will tell you with conviction: the gold mine of names your pastor has waiting—waiting for somebody to use to win a soul to Christ.

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*E. N. Wendth is communication director of the Michigan Conference.*



*Jean Dickerson*

*THE HEART OF THE LAKE UNION*

# A Gold Mine of Names

*by E. N. Wendth*



The challenge that faces the Adventist Church in the Lake Union Conference territory was brought clearly into focus in last week's edition of the Lake Union Herald. For every Seventh-day Adventist there are 551 unwarned people in this area of the Lord's vineyard.

When I drive the freeways and see the large cities with multiplied millions of judgment-bound souls, I feel like Christ must have felt when he told his disciples, "The harvest truly is great, but the labourers are few: pray ye therefore the Lord of the harvest, that he would send forth labourers into his harvest." Luke 10:2. This was the challenge that Jesus gave the Seventy as He sent them out to witness for Him.

There is no way that ministers can ever accomplish the mission given to the church of carrying the Gospel to everyone, everywhere. It is only as we see the wisdom of the statement made by the pen of inspiration that the task will be accomplished: "The work of God in this earth can never be finished until the men and women comprising our church membership rally to the work, and unite their efforts with those of ministers and church officers."—*Gospel Workers*, p. 352.

Because we believe this is a divinely ordained plan, more than two years ago we began to set into operation a plan by which we hope to train the ministry and the lay members how they can help each other become more effective in witnessing.

Several training programs have been held in the churches by the local and union staff members, teaching church members how to share Christ with those living in their area.

A special manual, pictured on this page, called, *The Lay Bible Workers' Manual*, has been developed to give detailed instructions as to how to share Christ by witnessing and giving Bible studies. The following chapter titles give an outline of the material covered in this manual: "A Christ-Centered Approach," "Winning Their Confidence," "Witnessing,"

*Lowell Bock is the president of the Lake Union Conference. This is the second of a series of articles in the Herald telling the exciting story of how God is revealing plans for a bold move forward to finish His work in the Lake Union.*

# Rally to the Work

by Lowell L. Bock

"How the Work Will Be Finished," "Simple Method of Giving Bible Studies," "Working for Backsliders," and "Securing Decisions."

These are just the things that laymen and pastors need to know to be able to share Christ effectively with others.

Half of the union pastors have attended special training seminars to improve their skills in teaching church members how to reach the unsaved, and to organize and train their church for service.

Special emphasis was given to on-the-job training, so that the laymen can be shown how to get into the homes of the prospective Bible students; how to witness, and how to study the Bible with them.

Last week in Detroit I was able to see what can happen when our laymen let the Holy Spirit lead them in sharing their faith. Bill and Valerie Campeau, a young couple who have just recently become Seventh-day Adventists, have a most interesting story.

A year ago a literature evangelist received a card asking for information about some Adventist books. When he arrived at the home of Bill and Valerie he discovered that Bill had suffered a broken leg in an accident and was out of work.

The literature evangelist, Jim Lefler, gave them the canvass. They wanted the books, but could not buy them at that time. Jim recognized that Bill and Valerie had a real interest in spiritual

things, so he suggested that they take advantage of the free offer of Bible studies. They agreed, and Jim gave their name and address to a church member to follow up with studies.

For some reason the studies were never delivered but Jim had left several copies of *Amazing Facts*. As this young couple read these brochures, the Holy Spirit spoke to their hearts and they were convicted of the Sabbath truth. Not knowing where to find Jim's church, they looked in the Yellow Pages and found the address of the nearest Adventist church.

Bill and Valerie attended church for several weeks and then told a member that they would like to buy the books that they had been interested in. The information reached Jim Lefler. He was delighted to take their order for the books, but when he asked how Bill and Valerie were doing in the Bible studies he was disappointed to learn the studies had never been delivered. He offered to study with them himself, and they enthusiastically agreed. After several studies they accepted the whole truth of God's Word and were baptized.

Bill Campeau was so thrilled about what he had read and been taught that he joined the ranks of the literature evangelists. Presently Bill and Valerie are each giving one Bible study, trying to help others discover the beautiful message they have learned to love.

In the same church I saw Ruth



*Jill Lahti, left, took care of the children of Ben and Marvel Bogges above, while the Boggeses gave Bible studies.*



pastor Stuart Harrison of the Detroit Wood Church is shown with Clifford and Len Campeau and William and Valorie Campeau, newly baptized members. They were in Bible studies by literature evangelist Jim Harner.

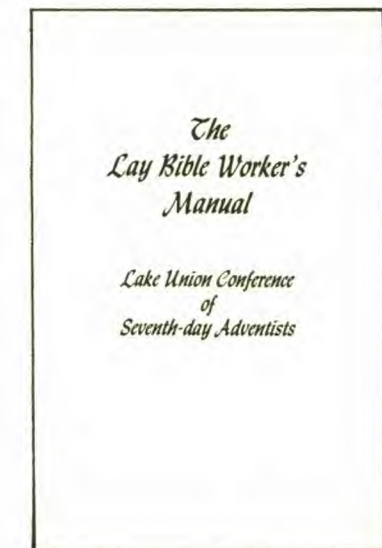


Harmon, who took one of the training classes and started out to study with the people with whom she works. She studied with Debbie Brown during their lunch break. Debbie responded to the studies by giving her heart to Christ; she was baptized into the church. Her husband became interested in what his wife had been studying, and after a brief period of study he, too, was baptized.

Debbie is now studying the Bible with her mother-in-law. At Christmastime Debbie sent a card to her husband's sister, with whom they had had little contact. Debbie included a piece of literature from the Quiet Hour entitled, "Just Being Happy." The sister-in-law just happened to be in need of this article, and when she phoned her brother to tell him how much she appreciated the article, he gave his own testimony about the change that had come into his heart and life since he found Christ. She was touched by his testimony and started Bible studies with the pastor of the East Detroit Church.

No one can tell for certain where this chain of truth will end. It began with Ruth Harmon when she shared her faith with Debbie.

Other laymen are sharing their faith in other ways. Ida Carson is using her nursing home as a center to send out literature to thousands of homes that surround Benton Harbor. Up to the present time, Mrs. Carson and the



women in her nursing home have packaged and mailed 300,000 books to the homes in southwestern Michigan and northern Indiana. Included with these books is an invitation to study the Bible by correspondence or at home.

God only knows how many of these packages of concentrated truth will reach those who are looking for God's answer in this day of confusion and trouble.

Several years ago a layman and his wife in Illinois, Jim and Connie Barclay, began what was known as the "Steps Project." They organized, with the help of other laymen, a project of sending *Steps to Christ* to 1,040,000 homes in the Chicago area. They received 11,000 responses from their mailings, including requests for more literature or Bible classes. Several people have been baptized as a result of the work done by Jim and Connie and the other laymen who helped.

Much research and experimentation has been done to perfect this method of carrying the Gospel to every person's door. Jim and Connie are so determined to see the world warned that they have donated a Pitney Bowes stuffer to help in the distribution of Adventist literature to every home in the Lake Union, and then North America.

This machine is capable of assembling 5,000 packets of material an hour. Think of the 7,500,000

individuals living on farms that have not received a visit from an Adventist. They can now be reached by the mailman with an invitation to read or study about God's plan for their future.

A minister's wife, Marvel Boggess, attended a workers meeting in which the ministers' wives were challenged to help their husband train the church members in witnessing. She went home with the desire to help, but not knowing how a mother with four young children, who had to help her husband in his church duties, could possibly find time to study the Bible with others.

A suggestion had been made at the meeting that mothers who needed help should contact church members who wanted to do something for the Lord but could not get out and give Bible studies.

Mrs. Boggess let it be known that she needed a babysitter so she could help her husband in this work. Jill Lahti, Sis Berger and Lizzie Lanaville volunteered to care for her children while she was giving Bible studies. Six people have already been baptized into the church, and others are studying with the Boggesses or other church members—including those newly baptized.

Mrs. Boggess said that the most thrilling thing she has ever done is to share with others and see them grow as they study the Word of God. She said that she would never be without a Bible study again. She is also taking other church members with her to teach them how they can witness and give Bible studies. As a result of the baptism of one woman, six other people are meeting in a Bible study group at the church each week.

What would happen if all of the members of the church in the Lake Union would decide that they were going to study with just one other family in the next year, and with the help of God they could see at least one person won to the Lord in that time?

For this to be accomplished it will require a BOLD MOVE FORWARD on the part of every one of us.

Why not plan to join the group who are earnestly seeking to hasten the coming of the Lord?

We look forward to telling you about another phase of our plans next week.





Luella Beglau



Ed Dancek



Greg Sutherland

from several schools have shown an interest.

"I transferred from another college to get into this program," says Ed Dancek, sophomore, physical education major. "I'd always wanted to be a dean, but didn't know what route to take. People told me to take a theology major with a psychology minor, so that's what I was doing. But then I heard about Andrews' RHDIT program and realized it was just what I was looking for."

Luella Beglau, a junior secretarial studies major, also found the RHDIT program to be ideal. After graduating from an Adventist college in 1972 with a two-year secretarial degree, Luella worked for five years as a secretary for Jones and Stokes Associates, environmental consultants.

She then decided to try something different and became a taskforce dean at Newbury Park Academy in California. "I learned a lot working with those academy students," Luella says. "Actually being there when they needed me, working out their problems, gave me a sense of real satisfaction."

Reading of Andrews' RHDIT program in the Dean's Window, a journal of S.D.A. residence hall personnel put out by Andrews' education department, Luella sent in an application. "I'm really glad I did," she says. "Not only am I earning my bachelor's degree in secretarial studies, but I am training to become an effective and qualified dean. I feel this program is preparing me to become a well-rounded professional."

Greg Sutherland, who is majoring in physical education, learned of the RHDIT program when he attended his brother's graduation at Andrews last summer. "I wanted to become a dean, but didn't actually know how to do it," Greg says. "Then I talked to Don Murray and got into Andrews' program. I think it's really neat that someone's making an attempt to prepare professional deans."

As Mr. Murray puts it, "The profession of being a dean is just now coming into its own." Presently Andrews' RHDIT program is accepting 12 students by June 1 of each year.

Further information may be obtained by writing to D. W. Murray, RHDIT Coordinator, Meier Hall, Andrews University, Berrien Springs, MI 49104.

NEW PROGRAM AT ANDREWS—

## To Be a Dean

by Sandy Doran

Having a hard time deciding whether to be an educator, minister, custodian, recruiter or supervisor? Why not be all five and more? No need to abandon all other interests in preference to one. As a residence hall dean you can blend all your talents into a rewarding career.

With the innovative "Residence Hall Deans-in-Training" (RHDIT) program begun last fall at Andrews University, students are, for the first time, specifically preparing to become effective deans.

Says Don Murray, associate dean of men and coordinator of the RHDIT program, "If students can pick up the tools while they're in college that they'll need as deans, they'll have a lot easier time adjusting once they get into a job."

According to Mr. Murray, recent studies show that deans "don't last long in the profession." Hopefully this trend will be reversed, says Mr. Murray, as students are trained to grapple with some of the actual things a dean has to deal with.

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The program at Andrews consists of two types of training—practical and academic. In the practical sequence students gain experience in planning dormitory programs, working in custodial services, performing receptionist duties and demonstrating leadership as resident advisers and assistants.

This phase of the program also includes an internship in which students are given a stipend and free living expenses while they serve as assistant residence hall deans at boarding academies.

In addition to these experiences, students take a one-quarter program at the university's counseling and testing center for their own personal development.

The academic phase of the RHDIT program focuses on principles dealing with the human sciences. Students choose a major secondary teaching area, and take a recommended minor of behavioral science with emphasis in residence hall management.

Since RHDIT coordinator Don Murray began advertising in January 1978 for individuals to make application to the program, students





Ray Minner, Correspondent

## ANDREWS HONORS CONTRIBUTIONS OF BLACKS

Why Black History Week? "To fill in, in one week, everything that's left out of those history books you study the rest of the year," E. E. Cleveland explains.

Elder Cleveland, professor of religion and evangelism at Oakwood College, presented the sermon February 17 for the closing Sabbath of Black History Week at Andrews.

Focusing attention on the economic troubles ahead, Elder Cleveland recommended survival techniques employed by black people while they were in bondage.

In an afternoon program presented by the Caribbean Club, Elder Cleveland received the second annual Jesse R. Wagner Award, given by Andrews' Black Student Christian Forum to a black Seventh-day Adventist who has made an outstanding contribution in the area of promoting human dignity.

Another of the week's guests, R. P. Stafford, advised students on "the daily walk."

"Sanctification is the acquisition of purity through a close association with Jesus Christ," he said. "It is being more and more like Jesus on a daily basis."

Elder Stafford also explained his "broken piece" theory of Acts 27:22, stating, "You use what you've got to do what God says."

Elder Stafford is pastor of the City Temple Church in Detroit.

Shelton Kilby III, musical director for the television program, *Breath of Life*, contributed to the observance with an Afro-American music workshop and concert. Through demonstrations, Pastor Kilby illustrated the development of black music in America.

During the nightly "Supper Series," various campus speakers presented topics relating to the week's theme, "Ujamma." A Swahili word meaning "familyness," the term was chosen to emphasize the closeness of people of African origin.

Beginning the series, Dr. Norman Miles talked about the impact of the civil rights movement. Dr. Miles is associate professor of urban ministry in the Theological Seminary.

Velile Wakaba, a graduate student in religion, presented "Africa Today," citing the development of Africa in recent years, with reference to its people, communication and travel, education, political and religious life.

Dr. Walter Douglas, associate professor of church history and history of religion, discussed the emerging nations of the Caribbean, and Joseph W. Warren, instructor in English, moderated a panel discussion on "Resemblance and Distinctions within the Black World Family."

Other activities of the week included a Friday evening vespers presentation by university president Dr. Joseph G. Smoot, an open forum on black union conferences and a vespers by the Pan-African Club.

## RETREATS PLANNED FOR ENGAGED COUPLES

Adventist Engaged Encounter, an

organization promoting communication and understanding between people who plan to be married, has scheduled two spring retreats for engaged couples.

The sessions will be April 13 to 15 and May 4 to 6, according to Don Murray, associate dean of men at Andrews.

Officially engaged couples are invited to register with the campus ministries office. Registration deadline for the April retreat is April 5.

Couples wishing to attend the retreat in May have until April 26 to register. There is a fee of \$10 per couple, says Mr. Murray. The sessions will be held in the Halenz Hall Amphitheater on the Andrews campus.

A pre-marriage forum entitled "Thoughts on Marriage" will also meet this spring, according to Mr. Murray.

The meetings, which will provide discussion of issues in marriage, will begin March 25 and continue each Sunday and Wednesday evening through April 29, except April 1 and 4, from 6 to 7:30.



Andrews Academy Wind Ensemble

## WIND ENSEMBLE TO PLAY AT STADIUM

The Detroit Tigers have invited the Andrews Academy Wind Ensemble to Tiger Stadium May 27 to play the national anthem prior to the Tigers' doubleheader with the Baltimore Orioles, according to Karlton K. Keller, ensemble director.

The first game of the doubleheader, including the playing of the anthem, will be televised over WDIV-TV in Detroit and WMAR-TV in Baltimore

and broadcast on both the Tigers' and Orioles' radio networks.

The Orioles' network covers the entire Baltimore-Washington area, and the Tigers' games are broadcast on almost 50 radio stations in Michigan, including powerful WJR in Detroit.

In addition to playing the anthem, the ensemble will entertain the stadium crowd with a 30-minute pre-game concert.



Subjects to be discussed include finances, sexuality, communication, in-laws and the family altar. The forum is open to the public with no admission charge.



GREAT LAKES ADVENTIST HEALTH SERVICES, INC.

Joel Hass, Correspondent

## MID AMERICAN NEWS NOTE

• Dennis Hill, program manager for Mid American Health Services' three 60-unit apartment complexes for the elderly and handicapped, reports that the facilities are filling. Current occupancy indicates that Chula Vista Manor in Wisconsin Rapids is 93 percent filled, Stevens Point's Fireside Apartments has an occupancy of 47 percent and Norris Manor in Marshfield is 66 percent filled. Two of the facilities, Norris Manor and Fireside, are adjacent to Mid American Nursing Homes and local Adventist churches. If you desire further information about any of these facilities, contact Mr. Hill, Mid American Health Services, 814 West 14 Street, Marshfield, WI 54449, or call (715) 387-3441.

## HOSPITAL SPONSORS COMPARATIVE RELIGION CLASS

HINSDALE—A weekly series on comparative religions began January 23 at Hinsdale Sanitarium and Hospital.

According to John Christian, Ph.D., assistant vice president of education and training, who is coordinating the series, the purpose of the programs is to "acquaint employees—and others in the community who may be interested—with various religious groups."

A guest speaker who has a thorough knowledge of the particular religion is invited to make a formal presentation of approximately 45 minutes followed by a question-and-answer session.

A sampling of the presentations during the 10 to 12 weekly sessions include Fundamentalist Protestantism, Judaism, Jehovah's Witnesses, Seventh-day Adventism, Roman

Catholicism and perhaps an Eastern religion.

Rita Waterman  
Public Relations Assistant

## FAMILY BUDGETING SEMINAR CONDUCTED

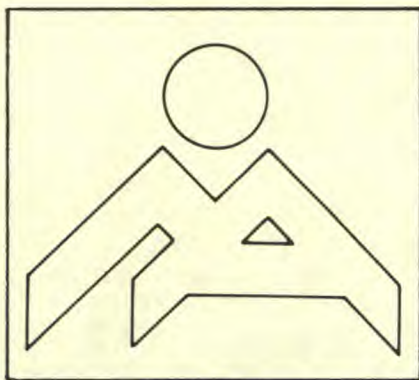
HINSDALE—A family budgeting seminar for employees was recently held at Hinsdale Sanitarium and Hospital.

This was a free, 1½-hour session directed by Larry Schalk, vice president.

The topics covered included income and how to increase it; expenses, necessary items such as food and housing versus optional items of entertainment, education, vacation, et cetera; and financing.

This seminar, coordinated by the education and training department, was so successful that another session is planned for late February to accommodate the requests.

Rita Waterman  
Public Relations Assistant



## MID AMERICAN HAS NEW LOGO

Gary C. Whitworth, president, reports that Mid American Health Services has a new corporate logo. The symbol depicts an artist's conception of MA (for Mid American) with a circle to convey the head of a person with outstretched arms in the attitude of caring humanity. The configuration of the MA also depicts the idea of a roof line representing shelter.

## PHYSICIANS CLINIC ESTABLISHED AT RIVER PINES

MID AMERICAN—The Mid American Health Services Board of Trustees recently voted to establish a physicians clinic on the campus of River Pines Community Health Center in Stevens Point.

Don E. Casebolt, M.D., medical

director at River Pines, will devote part of his time to practicing in the clinic. Dr. Casebolt is a family practitioner.

According to John Reaves, manager of the clinic, efforts aimed at recruiting two additional physicians to affiliate with the clinic are now under way.

The clinic is the first phase of development for a better living center which will offer both inpatient and outpatient health education and conditioning services. Mr. Reaves, a registered physical therapist, will soon complete work on a Master of Public Health degree through Loma Linda University.

## Illinois Conference



Jeff Wilson, Correspondent

## EVANGELISTIC GOALS OUTLINES

Evangelism is defined as "the winning or revival of personal commitments to Christ." For the church, evangelism has usually been synonymous with church growth, spiritual alertness and preparedness for Christ's soon return.

Evangelism has always meant commitment of time, talent and possessions to the work of telling others the "good news."

The task of evangelism in Illinois is to reach 11 million people with a Christ-centered message. This year 50 evangelistic campaigns are planned.

The Cress-Higgins team and local pastors are holding series in Downers Grove, Decatur, Ottawa, West Central and Elmhurst.

Dan Schiffbauer just completed evangelistic meetings in Palatine, where 13 people made decisions for Christ. This year, Elder Schiffbauer will conduct meetings in Champaign, Rock Falls, Danville, Streator, Sheridan, Bloomington and Crystal Lake.

In addition to the local pastors, John Hayward, Don Gray, Mark Finley, Max Martinez and Bob Ammons are planning evangelistic meetings.

Evangelistic plans include work in Jacksonville County, Gift Bible



subsidies to churches, financial assistance for conducting Vacation Bible Schools, lay and youth campaigns, foreign-language literature and schools, lay training expenses, special mailings and subsidies to *It Is Written*, *Voice of Prophecy*, *Faith for Today* and other broadcasts.

The evangelistic projects will be financed by the conference, union and General Conference. A special offering will be taken on March 10. The goal for this offering is \$75,000. Pledges to be paid throughout the year will be accepted.

There is a soul-winning goal of 700 baptisms in 1979.

Plan to make a financial commitment on March 10—not a one-time gift, but an every-payday commitment to Illinois evangelism. Commit your time to personal witnessing in 1979. Support the evangelist who comes to your area—the success of the meetings depends on you.



### FIRST BAPTISMS HELD IN DECATUR CHURCH

The first baptism in the new Decatur, Illinois, Church was held on December 30, 1978. The members rejoiced that these people have dedicated their lives to Christ. The new members are, from left, Terry Heath, Randy Lourash, Roy McGlade and Margaret Gerhardt. The members are also working and praying that the auditorium will soon be sufficiently complete to have regular services. The work is being done with volunteer help from the local church and volunteers throughout Illinois. Interest in helping was sparked by the Illinois Chapter of Maranatha. The church rejoices in these wonderful blessings.

### ILLINOIS PHILOSDA PLANS

During the past few months the Illinois Philosda chapter has been active. Karen Lant of Hinsdale, former vice president, was elected president because Jim Herr resigned. Dwight Beatty of Palatine, was elected to fill the vice-presidential position.

Ski weekends, prayer/study groups, and ice skating are just a few of the

activities the club has sponsored. The officers of the club are planning more religious and social activities for the coming months.

The next weekend event is planned for March 9 to 11 at the Hinsdale Church. See the announcement section of this issue of the Herald.

If you are interested in learning more about the Illinois Chapter of the International Philosda Club, contact any of the club's officers.

Come join us in Christian fellowship.  
*Ken Johnsen, Treasurer*



*Raymond Pickett, Daniel Schoun, Corin Beck, Keith Sutton and Elder Baxter received centennial church plates from the Rockford church members.*

### STUDENT MISSIONARIES VISIT ROCKFORD

A group of student missionaries from Andrews University flew to Rockford in a private plane recently to conduct the church service.

They also related mission experiences to each of the Sabbath School departments.

Chaplain William Baxter Jr. from Guadalajara, Mexico, accompanied the group. Those assisting with the outstanding program were Corin Beck, Keith Sutton, Daniel Schoun and Raymond Pickett.

*Joyce Friestad  
Communication Secretary*

### ELMHURST CHURCH TO OBSERVE ANNIVERSARY



*Theodore Carcich*

The Elmhurst Church will observe its 60th anniversary on April 7.

Sixty years ago the Chicago Italian Church was organized, and moved to the present Elmhurst

location 10 years ago.

A special day is planned for

everyone who attends. Theodore Carcich, former General Conference vice president and Illinois Conference president, will be the guest speaker at 11 A.M.

At 2 P.M., a program will describe the origin and history of the church.

There will be a potluck dinner. Come and enjoy this special day with the Elmhurst Church family.

*Jerry Fore, Pastor*

### COOKING CLASSES FEATURE HOLIDAY RECIPES

Holiday cooking classes were conducted in the Elmhurst Church auditorium, December 4 to 6. Each of the 35 people who came received a three-ring notebook containing recipes for cookies, breads and beverages for the holiday season.

Tanya Haney, health secretary for the church, invited health personnel from the Hinsdale area to give a health lecture each evening. She also arranged for women from the church to prepare food samples and demonstrations of the recipes.



*Two visitors practice making bread at the Elmhurst cooking school.*

The most interesting activity of the class took place on Tuesday night after Ruth Cessford gave a demonstration on how to make Christmas wreath bread. The participants were each given a large piece of dough and a delicious filling with which they made either a wreath or a large braid loaf to take home and bake.

Many people said they were happy to come to the classes and were looking forward to more programs in the coming year.

*Jerry Fore, Pastor*



# Indiana Conference



Cliff Hoffman, Correspondent

## NEWS NOTE

• On Friday evening, February 16, and Sabbath, February 17, 20 people from Indiana, Michigan and Wisconsin took the Youth Ministry Training Course. The group included teachers, church youth leaders, youth Sabbath School directors and several youth working on Master Guide requirements. Part of the training involved small group interaction. Instructors of the course were Des Cummings, Glenn Hill, Cliff Hoffman, Wayne Shepperd and Herb Wrate.



Chuck Hood presents a copy of *The Desire of Ages* to Coach Devine.

## COACH DAN DEVINE INTERVIEWED ABOUT DRUG EDUCATION

Chuck Hood, Indiana literature evangelist, and Doug Register, Andrews University journalism student, recently interviewed Dan Devine, Notre Dame University's head football coach, at South Bend, Indiana.

Coach Devine gave the three Adventist visitors his undivided attention for more than one hour and answered many questions on the use of drugs by professional and college football players.

Coach Devine said, "A game won because my players took drugs would be a hollow victory. I don't want to win games that way."

At the conclusion of the interview

Coach Devine was asked to pray for Adventist work in drug education. He prayed in behalf of Mr. Hood's efforts as a drug educator. Mr. Hood's responsibility involves contacting businessmen to sponsor Listen in their local high schools.



Indiana Teachers Association executive committee plans the K-12 convention for August 15 to 19.

## INDIANA ACADEMY HOSTS TEACHERS MEETING

"In much that we do in a Christian school we are saying religion is outside of reality."

This was the theme of the address presented by Dr. George Akers of Andrews University at the fifth annual winter meeting of the Indiana Association of Seventh-day Adventist Educators, convened at Indiana Academy on Sunday January 21, 1979.

Dr. Akers stated that, "Christian education must do more than offer a curriculum of secular classes with a Bible class tacked on. The Spirit of Christ must permeate every class."

Then he said, "Let cooperation be the spirit of your classroom and the law of its life. What our students need to know is that they can trust God."

Other items of the profitable day's program included the morning devotional by the new superintendent of education for the Indiana Conference, Herbert Wrate, who based his thoughts on II Kings 20:15, "What have they seen in thine house?"

Warren Minder, associate director of education for the Lake Union Conference, presented a report of the committee that has been working to develop a testing program for adoption by all the conferences in the union.

At noon the teachers attended the annual banquet in the academy cafeteria.

C. E. Perry

Indiana Academy Correspondent



Pastor Al Williams and Tammy Hulick conduct an experiment to extract nicotine from a cigarette.

## INDIANA ACADEMY STUDENTS HELP CONDUCT 5-DAY PLAN

Indiana Academy faculty and students had a prominent part in a Five-Day Plan to Stop Smoking conducted at the Noblesville Riverview Hospital from January 28 to February 1, 1979. Students ran projectors, passed out materials, acted as hostesses, and helped with experiments.

The class was small, but the results were big as each participant announced no smoking for the last four days. The small seed planted promises to reap big results: One participant has already enrolled eight people for the next campaign which will be held at the same place from March 25 to 29, 1979.

C. E. Perry

Indiana Academy Correspondent



## PHILOSDA ELECTS NEW OFFICER

Judy Hankemeier, newly elected secretary of the International Philosda Club, replaces Susan Harris, who is being married in April. Judy also serves as an officer of the Indiana Chapter and as the director in charge of the Lake Union Conference chapters. She is a secretary in the Indiana Conference Office. Her first major function as union director will be at Camp Timber Ridge in Indiana over the weekend of April 27 to 29. Watch the announcement section of the Lake Union Herald for further details.



## Lake Region Conference



H. A. Lindsey, Correspondent

### CHRIST IS THE ANSWER IN BENTON HARBOR

The members of the Highland Avenue S.D.A. Church of Benton Harbor, Michigan, experienced a revival during the weeks of October 9 through November 4, 1978, when the "Christ Is the Answer Crusade" team, led by Evangelist R. C. Connor of the Lake Union Conference, presented nightly soul-stirring messages to prepare the people of Benton Harbor and church members for the second coming of Christ.

Our hearts were also thrilled with the messages in song, as soloist Cloie Logan, accompanied by Leroy Logan, reminded us of God's love through song. "There's Room at the Cross for You" was the congregational hymn to conclude each evening's service.

As a result of the crusade, 101 people were added to the church. Church pastor R. L. Douglas reminded us that God should be glorified.

Special classes have been established with the direction of Elder Douglas, to provide further study and counsel to these new converts as they grow in their Christian experience.

We continue to pray and work for the finishing of God's work in this corner of His vineyard.

*Russell Tynes  
Communication Secretary  
Highland Avenue Church*

• The new Holly Church is progressing well and is expected to be in use by the end of March. Formal opening services and an open house will be held soon after.



*New converts are shown with Evangelist R. C. Conner and Pastor R. L. Douglas.*

## Michigan Conference



E. N. Wendth, Correspondent

### NEWS NOTE

• Marshall's recent Five-Day Plan was "the best attended ever," reports James Hoffer, local pastor. A total of 51 people registered, and several of them attended a vegetarian dinner held three weeks after the conclusion of the clinic.

• The seniors of Grand Ledge Academy have announced their class officers. They are: Marcia Costerisan, president; Alyce Lawrence, vice president; Shelli Blackerby, secretary; Susan Remmers, treasurer; Caprice Stewart, pastor; Randy Townsend,

parliamentarian, and Wendy Erhard, sergeant-at-arms. William Evilsizer and Donald Slocum are the class sponsors.

• Members of the Vassar Church have joined forces with two other city churches to help resettle a refugee family from the mountainous region of northern Laos.

• Elder and Mrs. Don Siewert of Petoskey recently conducted four weekly vegetarian cooking classes at Cheboygan. Everyone who attended participated in the opening night's gluten-making demonstration. An average of 17 attended, Mrs. Siewert reports. Most of them were non-Adventists and "very happy" for the opportunity.

• A representative of St. John's Lutheran Church in Midland has contacted Richard Harbour, the local Adventist pastor, about holding a Five-Day Plan beginning March 5.

### SUMMER CAMPING DATES

The dates for the summer camping program at Au Sable have been announced, reports Lester Rilea, director of the youth department and Camp Au Sable.

The beginning dates of the regular summer camps are as follows:

9-year-olds	July 29
10-year-olds	August 5
11-year-olds	June 10
12-year-olds	July 17
Teen Camp (13 to 15)	July 8
Resident Family Camp	July 1
Traveling Family Camp	August 13

Dates for the special camps are:

Handicapped Camp	June 24
Gymnastics Camp, (9 and up)	July 1
Horsemanship Camp, (12 and up)	July 15
Backpack Trip, (12 and up)	August 5
Blind Camp	August 12
Minibike Camp, (9 through 12)	August 19
Horseback trip, (Academy age and up)	August 19

For information on prices, reservations or other items, write to Camp Au Sable, Box 19009, Lansing, MI 48901.

### GRAND LEDGE CHURCH HONORS SENIOR CITIZENS

On Valentine's Day senior citizens of the Grand Ledge Church were invited to a special luncheon at the community services center.



Guests with dietary problems found meals prepared with their needs in mind, and were able, for instance, to top off the meal with a serving of sugarless pie.

Dora Scheuneman, director of the center, initiated the program and directed its preparation and presentation.

The Grand Ledge church members are proud of their senior citizens who are an active group participating in several phases of the church's activities. Paul Gates, pastor, says the members "thank God for these tireless saints."



Participants in the ribbon-cutting ceremonies at the new Boyne City Community Services Center were, Lorraine Magee, director; Richard Dickens, local pastor; Arthur Covell, conference director of community services centers; Pat Sherwood, coordinator of the building program, and Mayor Keith Fitzpatrick.

## REBUILT CENTER OPENS IN BOYNE CITY

Ribbon-cutting ceremonies and an open house for the rebuilt community services center of Boyne City were held January 28 from 2 to 4 P.M.

Among the local dignitaries assisting in the program were Mayor Keith Fitzpatrick and the secretary of the ministerial association and pastor of



Major Fitzpatrick, Arthur Covell and Pastor Milton G. Wall discuss the needs of the community and the work of the center in filling those needs.

the local Presbyterian church, Milton G. Wall Jr. Pastor Wall has been a faithful friend of the center for several years and was one of numerous local ministers who assisted in the building of the center. In April 1975 the former center (once the local Adventist Church) was destroyed by fire. The community recognized what the loss would mean to its citizens and rallied behind a program to rebuild.

They campaigned in favor of a change in zoning laws to allow for the new projected building, and wrote letters endorsing the work of the center to foundations being contacted for financial assistance. The major foundation gift was \$25,000 from the Kresge Foundation of Troy. The approximate cost of the building was \$60,000.

Arthur Covell, director of community services for the conference; Donald Siewert, district superintendent, and Richard Dickens, local pastor, also took part in the program.

Lorriane Magee is the center's director, and Pat Sherwood has served as coordinator of the building project. Seven other women help on a regular basis.



The nine center workers line up to be introduced to the group attending the open house.

## MICHIGAN ADVANCE PROGRAM PRESENTED

Delegates were challenged to encourage church members to recapture the spirit of the sacrifice of the pioneers.

Wilson Trickett of Berrien Springs said laymen often keep their pastors busy with "housekeeping duties" instead of freeing them for evangelistic pursuits. He mentioned last year's 54,000 baptisms for the Inter-American Division, in spite of the fact that some ministers care for 15 churches. This success was achieved, Mr. Wilson added, because the basic work of the church was done by laymembers.



Don Copsey, left, and Gale Gabbert, directors of the department of stewardship for the Lake Union and Michigan conferences, discuss a point on the agenda during the luncheon break.

Conference officials indicated that in the preparation of this year's budget, priorities have been reestablished. Conference treasurer Herb Pritchard reported using "a surgical knife" to cut out all fat in the budget and to trim back to the bone wherever possible.

According to the proposed 1979 budget a total of \$250,000 has been set aside for evangelism. Although this is only 2½ percent of the tithe receipts for last year, it is 18 percent of operational funds available for evangelism. According to General Conference policy an additional \$150,000 should be made available for a total evangelistic figure of \$400,000. As with any proposal presented to a diverse group of individuals, various ideas were presented. Some caught the interest of the delegates while others received only casual attention, but after careful study and discussion the delegates voted unanimously to



recommend the plan to the conference committee for further study and implementation.

"Do you see light to this plan? Are you interested in it?"

Those were the questions asked by Charles Keymer, conference president, as he faced the advisory committee called to a special meeting at Grand Ledge, Sunday, February 11.

They were there to discuss the Michigan Advance Program (MAP) which hopefully will move the conference forward in a greater program of soul-winning.

The key provision of MAP is an advance in evangelism, Elder Keymer pointed out and added that "six years is long enough to linger in the 20,000 membership bracket."

Myron Voegele, ministerial secretary for the conference, suggested that the downward momentum of baptism for past years has "bottomed out" and it is now time for building up evangelistic successes.

Gale Gabbert, director of stewardship for the conference, revealed that the MAP plan is not a drive for new buildings, but an attempt to emphasis spiritual progress over physical needs. He pointed out that crisis needs for improvements of physical plants almost always bring strong support from the membership. But, he asked, "Can we achieve the aims of MAP with building a crisis atmosphere?"



At the close of the session delegates were asked to sign a card pledging themselves to increased personal and public evangelism.

According to Elder Keymer, the conference committee voted at its February meeting to approve the plan and it is now scheduled for presentation and discussion at 11 town meetings during March. Final

recommendation will be made at the annual business meeting on April 22.

The conference president voiced his hopes that this will not be "just another program," but a challenge to move the church forward with an enlarged vision which could have Michigan leading the world in baptisms in the near future.

## Wisconsin Conference



Dale Ziegele, Correspondent

### NEWS NOTE

• The Milwaukee Central Church scheduled a visitors day on February 17. Invitations were sent out, and about 40 non-Adventists attended Sabbath School and church. Pastor Hal Thomsen talked about the inspiration of God's Word. Each of the visitors attended a vegetarian meal after the worship service.



Ninth-grader Bryan Ligman made a doll house to give at Christmastime.

### WOODLAND STUDENTS FIND BLESSING IN GIVING

The students of Woodland Adventist School, Janesville, Wisconsin, shared their Christmas spirit with others in December 1978.

Rose Perry's first- through third-grade class decided to forgo the traditional gift exchange and collect money which they used to buy toys and games for a disadvantaged family.

The seventh to ninth-grade students, whose teacher is Morian Perry, made stuffed animals and wooden toys which were delivered to three different families.



Todd Ligman, left, Stephanie Perry, Keith Knepel and Lori Shadel display gifts they made for community children.

The real joy was to see the happy faces of the children who received gifts. The Woodland students found it more blessed to give.

### WISCONSIN ACADEMY SPIRITUAL EMPHASIS WEEK

Student Spiritual Emphasis Week, February 4 to 10, was a special time for the students and teachers at Wisconsin Academy. It was planned and carried out by a student group, the seminar council, and other students, directed by Byron Chalker, Bible teacher.

With titles such as "Catch Me, Daddy," "Master Over Mind," and "Behind the Leather Curtain," students presented talks about faith, the secret of true happiness, and the danger of harboring pride and self-importance.

The aim of the week was to help students know how to be saved, how to have the assurance of salvation, and how to live a consistent Christian life. The programs were varied, consisting of talks, skits, slide programs, a film, group singing, and special music.

Larry Huston, of the Wisconsin Conference trust/stewardship department, concluded the week with his sermon entitled, "Whatever Happened to Mike Hessler?"

The importance of putting first things first in the Christian life, spending time in getting to know God through personal communion, and studying His Word were emphasized.

Marilyn Rhodes, a student from Elburn, Illinois, wrote a song for the week entitled "I Need You Jesus."

The Friday night program, entitled "Take Time to Call Someone You Love," and the Sabbath School featured the beauty of prayer as a conversation with our friend, Jesus.

Helen Guth  
Communication Secretary



# Announcements

## ILLINOIS

**THE ILLINOIS PHILOSDA CLUB** has planned a statewide spiritual social weekend at the Hinsdale Church, March 9 to 11. All single adults are welcome to come to the activities. Members of sister clubs in the Lake Union Conference are also welcome. Details of the weekend program are as follows: March 9, 7 P.M., Concert by Sid Mills from Amazing Facts Radio Program. 8:15 P.M., Afterglow at Wildman's house (across the street from the church). March 10, 11 A.M., Dr. George Akers of Andrews University will speak; his topic: "Power to the People." 12:30 P.M., Potluck for singles in Regnery Auditorium. 2:30 P.M., Discussion with Dr. Akers and afternoon fellowship. 6:30 P.M., Chinese Dinner and Social. March 11, 7:45 A.M., prayer breakfast in the Lincoln Room at the Hinsdale Sanitarium Cafeteria. If you need lodging for the weekend, contact Elsie Reis at (312) 986-5489 or 887-2920.

**ILLINOIS SPRING COMMUNITY SERVICE FEDERATION MEETINGS:** Chicagoland-Northern, Joliet SDA Church, March 26 at 10 A.M. Corner of Gaylord and Division Street. From I-55 take Route 30 east to Essington Road. Turn east on Essington Road for 1/2 block; then the road forks. Take a right on Division; the church is on the left just beyond Gaylord. Central Federation, Decatur S.D.A. Church, 540 N. Sunnyside Rd., March 27, 10 A.M. From I-72 going west toward Decatur, take Exit 36 east to Sunnyside Road (First road past Holiday Inn.) Turn right, church is on the left. Southern Federation, Centralia S.D.A. Church, 318 N. Hickory Street, March 28, 10 A.M. From I-57 take 161 west to Centralia. Turn right on Hickory Street, the third street after the railroad. Western Federation, Galesburg S.D.A. Church, 247 Blaine Ave., March 29, 10 A.M. From I-74 south take the Main Street exit. Turn right, go to first stoplight, turn right on Blaine.

Features: The guest speaker is Samuel Monnier, General Conference lay activities department. New Community Service Manuals. Experience reports. Covered dish lunch.

## OUTSIDE LAKE UNION

**AN EVANGELISTIC CRUSADE** will be held in Panama City, FL, April 13 to May 13. Send names to Ronald R. Neall, 2120 Pittman Drive, Panama City, FL 32405, or call (904) 785-7831.

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## Mileposts

### WEDDINGS:

Pauline Frank and Julius S. Smith were married on February 3, 1979, in Princeton, Illinois. Elder William R. Kromminga Jr. performed the ceremony.

The couple are now living in Princeton.

Peggy Ann Gibson and Jack R. Hoebeke were married December 31, 1978, in Paw Paw, Michigan. Elder Arthur Covell performed the ceremony.

Peggy is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gibson of Paw Paw, and Jack is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Don Hoebeke of Grand Rapids, Michigan.

The couple are residing in Paw Paw, where they are employed.

Rhonda Lee Scherencel and Robert William Caldwell were married February 14, 1979, in Battle Creek, Michigan. The ceremony was performed by Pastor Don

Eckerty.

Rhonda is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald L. Scherencel of Coopersville, Michigan.

The couple are residing in Battle Creek, where Robert is manager of Service Master Company, and Rhonda is a social worker at the Battle Creek Hospital.

Lillian Charmaine Van Belle and Roger Gordon Lajiness were married December 23, 1978, in Monroe, Michigan. The ceremony was performed by Pastor Andrew Fleszar.

Lillian is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Julius Van Belle of Monroe, and Roger is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Lajiness of Monroe.

The couple are making their home in Monroe, where both are employed.

### OBITUARIES:

**DOMSKI, Helen**, born Dec. 24, 1885, in Warsaw, Poland, died Feb. 4, 1979, in Grand Rapids, Mich. She was a member of the Wright, Mich., Church.

Survivors include 3 nieces. Services were conducted by Elder Paul Penno Sr., and interment was in the Washington Park Cemetery.

**HATFIELD, Mernie**, born Nov. 24, 1905, in Missouri, died Jan. 26, 1979, in Flint, Mich. He was a member of the First Flint Church.

Survivors include his wife, Grace; 2 sons, Donald of Grand Blanc and Jack of Flint; 6 grandchildren, and 2 great-grandchildren.

Services were conducted by Elder Melvin Johnson, and interment was in the Flint Memorial Park.

**JARELL, James**, born Feb. 13, 1923, in Missouri, died Jan. 26, 1979, in Pontiac, Mich. He was a member of the Pontiac Riverside Church.

Survivors include his wife, Anna; a stepson, Ronald Sutton of Waterford, Mich.; a brother, Frederick of North Carolina, and a sister, Katherine Maurer of St. Louis, Mo.

Services were conducted by Pastors Philip Colburn and David Sydnor, and interment was in the Crescent Hills Cemetery, Pontiac.

**KLEINE, Emerson**, 68, born Mar. 28, 1910, in Michigan, died Jan. 22, 1979, in Pontiac, Mich. He was a member of the Pontiac Riverside Church.

Survivors include a son, Robert of Pontiac; 2 brothers, Fremont of Pontiac and William of Grand Rapids, Mich., and a sister, Mildred Vavhon of Birmingham, Mich.

Services were conducted by Pastor Philip Somers, and interment was in Crescent Hills Cemetery, Pontiac.

"Prayer is the breath of the soul."—*Gospel Workers*, p. 254.

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Indianapolis, Ind.	E.S. 6:53	7:00
La Crosse, Wis.	C.S. 6:12	6:21
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All application cards must be accompanied by a cassette giving the selections and accompaniment that would be presented at Dallas.

Applications will be considered and approved or disapproved by the General Conference session music committee. When a musician has been accepted he will be notified and given a card with the exact time slot where the music selection is to be presented.

The committee will give careful consideration to ethnic balance, international representation and the type of music needed for each meeting. A time sequence factor will not be considered.

Music must also be in harmony with the General Conference Music Guidelines adopted by the Annual Council. Anyone desiring a leaflet giving these guidelines may write to Elder Brooks.

*John H. Hancock, Chairman  
Music Committee*

## NEW EMPHASIS FOR MISSIONARY JOURNALS

Sweeping changes have been instituted by Pacific Press and Southern Publishing Association to mark 1979 as the year of the Adventist Church's eight missionary journals.

Signs, a Pacific Press product, will be produced for mass distribution at the lowest possible price. Sixteen pages of

full color and short articles will dominate the journal on a high-quality paper. Single subscriptions will be \$2.75.

These Times, printed by Southern Publishing Association, will be a 36-page journal utilizing a four-color cover and two colors throughout. Single subscriptions will cost \$4.50.

El Centinela (Spanish) and La Sentinelle (French) will also be available at \$2.50, while Oznake (Ukrainian) and Sinais (Portuguese) will cost \$3.50. All four non-English journals are produced monthly in two colors.

Ethnic groups will continue to be served by Message and Israelite. Message, a 36-page journal, will be printed seven times yearly at a cost of \$3.50. Israelite, a quarterly journal, will be \$3 for a year's subscription.

Bulk purchases to one address will be discounted in price, depending on the quantity ordered. Full details are available from your local church lay activities secretary or Adventist Book Center. Prices will remain in effect through December 31, 1979.

One promotional crusade for all eight journals will be conducted in every church throughout the North American Division.

## Newsline

### PLIGHT OF PROTESTANTS IN U.S.S.R. CITED BY AMNESTY

Amnesty International has launched a campaign to call attention to the plight of Protestant "dissenters" in the Soviet Union. The Nobel-Peace Prize winning organization is calling for an end to what it describes as "the persecution" of Protestant dissidents in the U.S.S.R.

The dissenters are Baptist, Seventh-day Adventist and Pentecostal believers who refuse to comply with the tight restrictions placed on religious activity by the Soviet

government. According to Amnesty International, the dissenters number "at least several hundred thousand." Amnesty says many of these Protestants belong to unregistered congregations which have no legal rights under Soviet rule.

An octogenarian Seventh-day Adventist leader faces a new trial after spending 20 years in prison and many years in hiding, or internal exile. Christian Solidarity International has learned that 83-year-old Vladimir Shelkov was put on trial in late January. The outcome has not yet been learned. He is being tried on the charge of spreading anti-Soviet propaganda and could be sentenced to another three years of prison. Amnesty International has adopted Pastor Shelkov as a prisoner of conscience.

### AMERICANS UNITED VOTES RELIGIOUS LIBERTY RESOLUTION

Americans United for Separation of Church and State has spoken out against a proposed U.S. Constitutional Convention. Only 34 are needed to force the issue in Congress. Though the current drive for a constitutional convention is for the purpose of requiring a balanced national budget, Americans United says the convention apparently could not be confined to that single purpose. It says the convention could be used to alter radically the U.S. Constitution and drastically weaken the First Amendment's guarantees of religious liberty and separation of church and state.

### BIBLE IN NEW LANGUAGES ISSUED BY SOCIETY

There are now 1,660 languages in the world with at least one complete book of the Bible. That number represents an increase of 29 languages when compared to the previous year, according to a report issued by Britain's Bible Society.

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## CHANGE OF ADDRESS

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