

# THE PRESIDENT'S PAGE\_

Dear Friends,

This familiar statement, "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, page 352) keeps coming to my mind. And as I visit with you in your churches and hear from you in letters, I seem to get the feeling that our people are

ready to "rally to the work"

Many of us would be willing if we could have a little help and know-how. A practicing physician in an adjoining territory gives Great Controversy to his patients. His evenings and Sabbath afternoons are scheduled with Bible studies. During the past two years, he has seen 19 persons baptized with whom he has studied. A dairy farmer, also a lay preacher, has helped to build six churches and estimates that through his work and contacts some 140



people have united with the church. In the recent Adventist-Laymen's Services and Industries convention in Sioux Falls, a dentist from Wyoming stood to his feet and stated that he planned to close his office one afternoon each week and give Bible studies in the office.

One hundred forty-eight of our churches in Mid-America are subscribing to the "PERSONAL TOUCH" program. "Personal Touch" is presented in the "Mission Spotlight" format for the purpose of inspiring laymen to begin and maintain a consistent witnessing program in their daily lives. "Personal Touch" will present the many different avenues of witnessing, such as: Bible Studies, Visitation, Literature Distribution, Bible School Enrollments, Lay Evangelism, Community Services, Health and Temperance Evangelism, Prison Evangelism, and many other methods of personal witnessing.

"Personal Touch" will help to instill in the minds of our members a renewed consciousness of their witnessing responsibility. Our members need to choose a method of witnessing with which they feel comfortable. I have repeatedly mentioned that the work of God will never be finished by the conference office. It is going to take an all-out cooperation between the

members, church officers and ministers.

The "Personal Touch" program of twelve minutes uses the same equipment as "Mission Spotlight" and will encourage our members as they see how others are being successful in witnessing. I would hope that our churches throughout Mid-America would avail themselves of this outstanding material. Your conference and union Personal Ministries directors have all the information relative to this package of inspiration and

During the year, watch for a story from our Union territory that is a thrilling one, indeed. If your church is not on the program, I would urge you to contact your Personal Ministries director immediately. It's time for us to move into a more concerted effort to reach our friends, neighbors and relatives.

May God bless us as we reach out with a personal touch to attract and win souls for Christ.

Cordially,

E. S. Reile, President Mid-America Union Conference THE MID-AMERICA ADVENTIST

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Photograph by the Editor.

# The Gift of Prophecy

"Surely the Lord God will do nothing, but he revealeth his secret unto his servants the prophets." Amos 3:7.

Throughout Old Testament times, God chose to lead His people through the living prophets, such as Moses, Isaiah, Daniel, Jeremiah, etc. During this same time there were also prophetesses, namely: Miriam, Huldah, and Deborah.

During New Testament times, God continued this special gift of prophecy. We find the gift manifested through the life and work of such men as Matthew, Mark, Luke, John, Paul and others.

During the New Testament times, God used women also in this special office - "And the next day we that were of Paul's company departed, and came unto Caesarea: and we entered into the house of Philip the evangelist, which was one of the seven; and abode with him. And the same man had four daughters, virgins, which did prophecy." Acts 21:9.

With the death of John, the Revelator (around 100 AD), the gift disappeared from the church. Until John's death the church was pure, represented by the white horse in Revelation 6:2, under the first seal. This soon changed as the great apostasy began developing. God withheld any instruction through prophets during the Dark Age period (538-1798). "The law is no more; her prophets also find no vision from the Lord." Lamentations 2:9.

The great reformers like Huss, Jerome, Luther, Knox, Wesley began to slowly bring the people back closer to God's plan for His people. Finally, in the very year that marked the end of the 2300-year prophecy (1844) of Daniel 8:14, God restored the prophetic gift to His people. The time had come for a people to be raised up who would preach the everlasting gospel to "every nation, and kindred, and tongue, and people." Revelation 14:6. This "remnant" church would be identified by two characteristics: "which keep the commandments of God, and have the testimony of Jesus Christ." Revelation 12:7. Then we are told that the "testimony of Jesus is the Spirit of Prophecy." Revelation 19:10.

It was at about this time that a little group of people became very serious about getting ready for the second coming of Christ. Out of this great second advent movement came five major adventist groups. The one that has grown and prospered is the one that accepted and promoted the gift of prophecy as was manifested in the life and work of Ellen G. White. The Seventh-day Adventist Church, following the divine guidance of this special gift, now has a membership approaching four million working in 190 countries with 532 languages. Following God's leading, Seventh-day Adventists now operate nearly 5,000 schools, 50 publishing houses, 153 hospitals and sanitariums, and 244 dispensaries, clinics and launches. When compared with the next largest Adventist group, it is quite evident that God's word is true, "By a prophet the Lord brought Israel out of Egypt, and by a prophet was he preserved." Hosea 12:13.

"Egypt" is a term used by theologians to represent this world of sin and wickedness. So, in these last days the same gift is given to the "remnant" for leadership and guidance.

Under the section of the *Church Manual* entitled "Doctrinal Instruction for Baptismal Candidates" is the following:

"The church is to come behind in no gift, and the presence of the gift of the Spirit of Prophecy is to be one of the identifying marks of the remnant church. . . . Seventh-day Adventists recognize that this gift was manifested in the life and ministry of Ellen G. White."

Question number eight of the baptismal vow is as follows: "Do you accept the doctrine of spiritual gifts, and do you believe that the Spirit of Prophecy is one of the identifying marks of the remnant church?"

May we as God's remnant people renew our appreciation of this special gift to this special people.

"I am encouraged and blessed as I realize that the God of Israel is still guiding His people, and that He will continue to be with them, even unto the end." Selected Messages, volume 2, page 406.

-H.G.C.

### New Organ—Memorial to Adam Kungel

By Thomas P. Thompson

Dakota Adventist Academy is enjoying a new Baldwin electronic organ, thanks to the family of Adam Kungel and the SRA-DAA Alumni Association. Mrs. Kungel, her children and grandchildren, chose to give the memorial money toward an academy project which would be a symbol of Brother Kungel's long time support of Christian education, particularly in North Dakota.

The Kungel's, who have been members of the Kulm Church, have supported Seventh-day Adventist schools for years, sending their children and grandchildren, and giving strong sup-

port in other ways.

At a business meeting of the SRA-DAA Alumni Association the members voted to purchase an organ to replace the old Baldwin which was purchased 17 or 18 years ago. The new organ, which has been installed in the school's chapel-auditorium, will cost \$10,000 with the Kungel memorial fund covering one third. The Alumni Association will be contacting its members and will welcome contributions from non-members for this large project. Several members ex-

pressed the philosophy that they will do their best to see that this project is paid for by the next alumni meeting.

Anyone who can help, alumnus or not, may send money to the Alumni treasurer, Mrs. Clifford Kahler, Goodrich, ND 58444, or to Mrs. Donna Long, DAA treasurer, labeled for the organ fund. John Larson, the new owner-manager of Wylie Piano Company in Bismarck, has continued the tradition established by Joe Andreson of giving the school a large discount, reducing the price of this organ by more than 30 percent.

Be sure to plan on enjoying this new instrument with us at camp meeting and through the years to come.

Thomas P. Thompson is the mathematics teacher at Dakota Adventist Academy.

### Annual Banquet At Grand Forks

By Ronald H. Carlson

St. Patrick's Day may not be the most notable holiday in America, but it is a big day to the Grand Forks Seventh-day Adventist Church. The fourth annual St. Patrick's Day Banquet was held in the Grand Forks Church on March 21. The evening consisted of a fully served, formal, "Irish" dinner, fol-

lowed with a program of talent and humor, and a quick trip to the Emerald Isle by way of slides by Pastor Ron Carlson.



Kraig and Penny Ward enjoy the delicious salad bar.

The special evening ended with a presentation of the church budget for 1982. The budget, being high in our times of inflation, will be a challenge for the Grand Forks Church. One member stated, "The church and school must be operated, and the gospel must be spread in this area... at whatever cost. This is our responsibility."

With this kind of spirit, the St. Patrick's Day Banquet will produce more than a bit o' fun.

Ronald H. Carlson is the pastor of the Grand Forks Church.

### **DAKOTA CONFERENCE CAMP MEETINGS**

North Dakota at Dakota Adventist Academy — June 8-12

South Dakota at Huron College — June 15-19

#### **Featured Speakers**



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MAKE THIS YOUR MOST IMPORTANT SPIRITUAL ATTAINMENT OF THE ENTIRE YEAR! EVERYONE WELCOME!

EACH CAMP MEETING IS SHORT. PLEASE PLAN TO ATTEND FROM BEGINNING TO END. THE BEST IN MUSIC AND PREACHING IS PLANNED RIGHT FROM THE FIRST MEETING — NOT JUST FOR THE WEEKEND.

# MINNESOTA

### Maplewood Academy News

The Maplewood Choraliers were at the Artichoke Church on April 17 for the church service. A fellowship meal followed.

The weekend of March 6 was a special one for the senior class. That Saturday night was the annual talent program, followed by a play put on by a number of seniors. Sunday morning, former principal, Rick Emery, spoke for Senior Recognition.

The Choraliers have been busy putting on benefit concerts at Hutchinson churches. The proceeds were used for a tour of the East Coast. Besides presenting a number of concerts at Adventist academies and churches, they visited many historical sites of Adventist and American history.

### Nutrition Program In Hibbing

By Beverly Dickinson

Dr. and Mrs. Frank J. Hurd, members of the Hibbing Church, presented a general nutrition program for the Salvation Army Fellowship in Hibbing. Between 35 and 40 enthusiastic members attended and have asked the Hurds for more follow-up programs for their group. The initial request for a health program by the Salvation Army came as a result of witnessing in the Health Hut natural food store, owned by the Hurds.

Beverly Dickinson is associate director of communication for the Minnesota Con-

### Grand Rapids Church Engages in Videotape Ministry

By E. Jean Ostlund

The Grand Rapids Church is enthusiastically participating in a new kind of evangelism. Recently a LifeSpirit videotape deck, which attaches easily to a colored television set, was purchased. LifeSpirit videotapes feature the Heritage Singers and Bible lessons by Dr. Roy Naden of Andrews University. Videotape presentations are accompanied by resource booklets, study guides, and, of course, the Bible.

Church members are visiting people who recently responded to an ad in the local newspaper offering the book All in the Name of the Lord, by Bill Stringfellow. During the first week of follow-up invitations, five adults eagerly consented to study the Bible in this exciting manner.

The LifeSpirit videotape ministry affords distinct advantages in personal home ministries. It does away with a common competition in the hometelevision, while still maintaining the familiarity of the new interest's home. It easily gets the whole family involved and the music provided by the Heritage Singers readily opens the hearts of the listeners. Dr. Naden's presentations are interesting, relevant, and easy to understand. In addition to this, personal concern and contact is not lost when visiting in the home.

The LifeSpirit Bible studies were featured at the Home Sport and Travel Show in Grand Rapids. Opportunities to request studies were presented along with the video demonstrations and information on natural foods cooking demonstrations and stop

smoking clinics.

E. Jean Ostlund is the communication secretary for the Grand Rapids Church.

### Quilting Bee at Morgan

By Agnes Johnson

The Morgan Church was a busy place on Sabbath, February 27. For vespers at sundown the congregation sang Bible verses led by Pastor Gayton on his guitar. After vespers they went to the basement where some of the men worked in the kitchen area, which they are remodeling.

Dorcas leader, Mrs. Julius Larsen, had sewed several beautiful quilt tops, which the ladies proceeded to put on

quilt frames and tie.

After a few hours of work and a lot of visiting, plus a good lunch, all went home well satisfied with the evening's work.

Agnes Johnson is the communication secretary for the Morgan Church.

### Grand Rapids Lady Honored on 99th Birthday

By E. lean Ostlund

A special tribute was paid to Mrs. Annie Meyers by Jean Ostlund when the Grand Rapids Church family honored her on the occasion of her 99th birthday. Mrs. Meyers lived alone during the warm months until two years ago when she became a resident of Leisure Hills Nursing Home. She remains active, rising early each day to study her Bible, knit, make rugs, and visit.

Annie recalls many changes she has seen in her lifetime. Born February 16. 1883, Mrs. Meyers remembers that she was 25 before cars were generally available to the American public. She was 28 years old when women received the voting franchise, and she was 33 years old when Sister White

The story that Annie recalls and tells with greatest tenderness is that story which centers around a revival tent where "meetings" were being held and night after night she walked to hear truth after truth unfold from God's Holy Word.

It has been more than 60 years since Annie joined God's remnant church. Her faithfulness is an inspiration to all who know her. On Sabbath, February 13. Annie participated in the Sabbath School discussion.

Her advice to parents is, "Don't let television baby-sit your children. That is your job!"

### Methodist Responds To SDA Book

By E. Jean Ostlund

Grand Rapids Church member, Christy Jones, of Pengilly, Minnesota, personally delivered to the Methodist minister of her town a copy of All in the Name of the Lord, by Bill Stringfellow. Shortly thereafter, he inserted an article in the local paper about the importance of the Sabbath. In his treatment of the Sabbath he gave no indication that he was referring to the first day.

It is obvious that this book has perpetuated serious consideration of God's true Sabbath. The Sabbathkeeping article appeared in the February 5 issue of the Eastern Itascan News.

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

MAPLEWOOD ACADEMY ALUMNI WEEKEND SET. All Alumni and friends of Maplewood Academy, Hutchinson, MN will want to reserve the weekend of Oct. 9, 1982 for Alumni Weekend. Hope to see you there.



SERVICEMEN OFFERING Goal: \$155,000

# KANSAS-NEBRASKA

### Health Awareness Month

By Charles Dye

Health awareness month in Kearney, Nebraska helped 23 persons stop smoking, screened 55 individuals for coronary risk factors, and taught nutrition to 27 people.

The Five-day Plan to Stop Smoking was sponsored by the Kearney Church and held in the Good Samaritan Hospital. Advertising was by posters, flyers, radio and TV spots, and newspapers.

The second stage, coronary risk screening, was a follow-up to the Fiveday Plan and was designed to assist those who had given up smoking to become aware of other risk factors. This led to interest in the nutrition seminar.

The nutrition portion was taught by Doreen White of Bison, Kansas. The Five-day Plan and coronary risk screening were under the direction of Mike Ortel, Health Director of the Kansas-Nebraska Conference, and Charles Dye, local pastor.

The purpose of the health awareness program was to draw the church and community closer together. Bankers, lawyers, nurses and many other professions and occupations were represented and experienced a change of lifestyle. A change of attitude toward the Adventist Church was also noticed.

Charles Dye is the pastor of the Kearney Church.

### Nutrition Skit

By Marcedene Wood

Renee Toms and Teresa McVey, pupils of Grove Adventist School, Hutchinson, presented a skit on good nutrition at Wiley and Winans elementary public schools recently, under the direction of Janice Sexson, temperance secretary of the Hutchinson Church.

The skit was based on research done by Loma Linda University School of Nutrition, which showed that rats fed an improper diet would choose to drink alcoholic beverages in place of water. The increase in alcoholic consumption rose steadily as the eightweek experiment progressed. As the rats were returned to a balanced diet they refused the alcohol and chose water as their beverage.

The skit was done with rat hand puppets named Topsy and Tipsy, and laboratory rat cages.

Marcedene Wood is communication secretary for the Hutchinson Church.

### Telephone Listing Leads To Christ

By John Treolo

People find Jesus Christ in many ways. Denis and Shirley Mason's search ended in the Lincoln Telephone Directory. Convicted of Sabbath observance, the Masons let their fingers do the walking under the Seventh-day Adventist listing in the yellow pages.

The first number they called resulted in no answer. A second number was tried and answered by Elder A. M. Wessels, pastor of Piedmont Park Church. After a lengthy phone conversation, Bible studies followed and subsequently baptism.

"We're just happy someone answered the phone that day," Denis



Denis and Shirley Mason baptized together by Pastor A. M. Wessels.

says. "We both feel we've found the right church."

In other developments, a social was held recently welcoming new members who joined Piedmont Park during 1981. Some 39 persons were added to Piedmont during the year, including many young members, either by baptism, transfers or profession of faith.



Some of the 39 new members added to Piedmont Park during 1981 are pictured.

"We're thankful for the progress Piedmont has made," explains Pastor Wessels. "We realize, however, much more is needed before our church members can become complacent."

John Treolo is communication secretary for Piedmont Park Church.

### 600 Applications Distributed

By Dave Yost

Six hundred Bible study applications were distributed with enthusiasm in the small northwest Kansas town of St.

Francis. Pastor Gordon Herra and the church members covered most of the town with this project.

Several Bible studies are now in progress and it is hoped that many more will result from this mass distribution.

The members of the St. Francis Church, with a vision of the future, purchased a larger church building in October 1980 and feel they have plenty of room for accommodating new members. The Spirit of the Lord is working in St. Francis as the Pastor and members cooperate to finish the Lord's work in the Northwest corner of Kansas.

Dave Yost is the first elder of the St. Francis Church.

### **Evangelistic Series**

By Phil Marino

Ron Halvorsen Jr., opened a 15night evangelistic campaign at Capitol View Seventh-day Adventist Church on March 5 by discussing Armageddon. He was followed by 28 students of Elder Sieg Roeske's public evangelism class at Union College.



Left to right Pastor Art Andreas, Les Tierney, Bob Mastera, Rose Tierney & baby, and Debbie Mastera.

The campaign, which was entitled "Prophecy '82 Seminar" closed with a musical and narrated presentation entitled, "From Eden Lost to Eden Restored." Nine persons presented musical selections appropriate to the theme.

The highlight of the campaign was the baptism of Les and Rose Tierney during the March 27 Sabbath morning service. Bob Mastera, a literature evangelist, recalled that their name came to his attention when they won a book as a result of a drawing held at a grocery store. When Bob first visited the couple in early February, the Tierneys indicated they were looking for a church to join. They had learned about Adventists through a friend, Chris Kaiser. The Tierneys accepted the Bible Truths as taught by Advent-

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ists after studying with the Masteras and Chris Kaiser. Prior to the beginning of the meetings their decision was made to be baptized.

Phil Marino is the communication secretary for the Capitol View Church.

#### ART PROJECT



Tim Essink, an 8th grade student at Grand Island Adventist School displays his art project, a fragile 4' 8" toothpick sculpture. With him is teacher Burdette Millard.

### Five-day Plan

By Berry Kirschenmann

A Five-day Plan to Stop Smoking was conducted by Pastor Harry Curl and Registered Nurse, Annita Wiese,

in the Fremont, Nebraska, Dodge County Memorial Hospital, March 21-25.

Clinic helpers were Hazel Friestad, Joe Friestad, Paul Sweeney, Berry Kirschenmann, James and Lorelee Hunt, Gertrude Kruger, Joe and Nancy Barnes, and Helen Curl who made juices from special recipes each night.

A follow-up supper of soup, sandwiches, and fruit salad was given by Annita Wiese at the James Hunt home.

Berry Kirschenmann is communication secretary for the Fremont Church.

### Witnessing

By Marcedene Wood

On a Sabbath afternoon, Jess Bivins was distributing Amazing Facts folders when he met Doris Arnold on the street as she was taking a cantaloupe to a neighbor. He spoke to her and she asked, "Are you a Jehovah's Witness?"

"No, I am a Seventh-day Adventist. I am distributing tracts to get people acquainted with Christ," was his reply.

"Do you have a bus to take people to church?"

Jess told her the church did not but that he would be glad to see that she got a ride. She has relatives who are Seventh-day Adventists and she was eager to go to the Adventist Church.

Jess gave her Encounter Bible studies with slides and tapes, and she was baptized in the Hutchinson Church.

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

ENTERPRISE ACADEMY MUSIC DEPARTMENT will present the annual "end of school year" concert, May 15, 1982.

ENTERPRISE ACADEMY GRADUA-TION will be Sunday, May 23, 1982, at 10:00 a.m.

#### CAMP MEETINGS Principal Location Dates Speakers Kansas City May 14-15 M. Venden (Midland School) Enterprise May 27-30 M. Venden E. S. Reile Platte Valley June 3-6 M. Venden W. S. Lee D. Holland R. McQuistan Lincoln June 18-19 W. B. Quigley W. S. Lee Wichita Sept. 24-25 M. Venden W. S. Lee Panhandle Oct. 8-9 M. Venden

# JOWA-MISSOURI

Two Community Service Reports

Ames

By Treva Martsching

#### FREE CLOTHING

Ames Seventh-day Adventist Church
13th and Grand
Thursday, February 25
10 a.m. to 6 p.m.
Infants', children's and adults' clothing,
Needy are welcome.
Clothing given not for resale.
Phone 232-0472

One newspaper item, two ads, five posters and KASI radio station, Ames, did the advertising. The parking lot at the church was filled early with cars and lines of people were waiting. At 9:45 the doors opened and the people

flocked in to pick up their choices.

Tables were piled high, but not for long. In the first one-and-one-half hours more than 750 pieces of clothing had been given away. A total of 966 pieces were distributed during the day. Forty-four other items such as

shoes, patterns, etc. were given, and 197 pieces of literature were picked up. Two hundred twenty-five persons were helped.

Sixty hours of work was donated to this Free Clothing Day, and the church intends to have another when enough clothing comes in. The clothing is all donated and about 98% is usable, clean, mended and ready to be distributed.

Treva Martsching is the communication secretary for the Ames Church.

### Burlington

"Give and it shall be given unto you ..." These words from Luke 6:38 comprise the philosophy of the Burlington, Iowa Community Service Center as it ministers to the hungry, cold and unfortunate persons of the area.

When a fire destroyed the home of a large family in January, last year, Janice Jackson and her helpers were asked by the Red Cross to provide immediate assistance in clothing and bedding. This fire was the first of several during the winter, but as needs arose, adequate clothing came from various sources, including a Catholic and a Lutheran church.

The large room above the Community Service Center is now an attractive clothing distribution room. It has been fitted with closets and an office for the director, who interviews each person seeking help. As clients wait their turns, a Dukane Audio-Visual machine depicts stories of the Bible. Several persons have said they appreciate these stories, and Janice Jackson and Margaret Dyer have begun Bible studies with interested persons.

More and more people are coming to the Center as the economy worsens. At the same time, much more clothing and bedding and many more small household items have been contributed in the past year-and-a-half than before. One gentleman, who read a brief report of the Center's work in the newspaper, was impressed to give \$100 in February.

### Community Guest Day At Sioux City

By June Camarigg

Community Guest Day was held March 28, 1982 at the Sioux City Church. About 20 guests worshiped with the congregation. The program included the baptism of Mel and Wanda Kemp, James Arthurs and Catrina Woodson who were welcomed into membership. A luncheon for members and guests was held in the fellowship room.

June Camarigg is the communication secretary for the Sioux City Church.

### Mother's Witness Results in Baptism

By Dorothy Johnson

Mrs. Karen Nelson was born and raised in the Atlantic, Iowa area. Her mother, Anna May Laurence of Ozark, Missouri, became a Seventh-day Adventist several years ago. She immediately started sending literature to Karen and would share her faith when



Karen Nelson shown with Pastor Jesse Walker and John Carlson who helped prepare her for church membership.

visiting. Karen became interested and started to attend church. John Carlson, a member of the Atlantic Church continued to help Karen's interest grow by giving her Bible lessons. On February 13, 1982 Karen was baptized by Elder Jesse Walker.

Karen is now active in witnessing to her family of her new-found faith.

Dorothy Johnson is communication secretary for the Atlantic Church.



### Meeting at Lake City

By Maxine McAdoo

February and March were exciting months for the Lake City, Iowa Church as Prophecy Countdown evangelistic meetings by Gary Parker were held in the town's Community Building.



From left to right: Mrs. Raymond Raine, Raymond Raine, Pastor Jim Hiner, Kathleen Raine, Barbara Ratzel, Evangelist Gary Parker, Peggy Binkley and Katherine Ratzel.

As a pre-evangelistic effort, J. C. Stock and a group of ten Literature Evangelists spent three days covering the town with literature and personal and printed invitations to attend the meetings. A total of 75 visitors attended some of the meetings and a group of twenty to thirty were at nearly every meeting. Many felt something had been lacking in their worship; others were searching and were astounded at the teachings that Elder Parker made so plain. Several are continuing to study, and it is hoped they will soon take their stand.

The meetings culminated with the baptism of two individuals. Peggy Binkley, who did not miss a meeting, was baptized. Peggy is a young person who was led to the church through the efforts of Mrs. Katherine Ratzel and her daughter Barbara, who open their home to Peggy and her little sister each weekend so that they can attend Sabbath School and church.

Joining the church also, was Miss Kathleen Raine, who had not missed a meeting. Her mother has been a member of the Lake City church for several years and her father was baptized in December, 1981 after studying with the pastor, Jim Hiner. Now daughter Kathleen has made this Adventist home complete.

Evangelist Gary Parker felt that the good attendance at the meetings was due to the support of the local church members. Several church members attended every meeting; most of the members of the church live from fifteen to fifty miles away.

The Blanchfield family—Mrs. Verle Blanchfield, son Roger, and daughterin-law Mrs. Barry Blanchfield used their talents for music throughout the series. Mrs. Parker and daughter Melody also sang.

This was the first large effort that Lake City has had in some years and it was a blessing for the whole church.

Maxine McAdoo is the assistant communication secretary for the Lake City Church.

### Davenport's Literature Outreach

By Marieda Blehm

"Take what you need but use what you take." Thus reads a placard placed above a revolving literature rack in the foyer of the Davenport, lowa Church. And the booklets are being used. They are being read by the members as well as given to relatives and friends. It is not unusual to hear a comment like: "I gave a booklet to a neighbor, who gave it to a sister, who gave it to a friend, who gave it to someone at the office, and they all want a copy of it."

On July 4, 1981 a special literature project was presented to the church and an offering of \$1652 was taken. From this amount \$1300 worth of books on a wide variety of topics, and a Dukane projector with the Encounter Bible Study filmstrips were purchased.



Pastor LeMert with new literature rack.

Half of the purchased books were put out on the racks. The first Sabbath it was hard to get members into the church for Sabbath School and the worship service until they had helped themselves to the books they wanted.

Money has continued to come in for the literature project and more books have been purchased and read. Pastor LeMert is greatly encouraged as he sees what the printed page is able to do, not only for the spiritual edification of God's people, but also the influence that these materials can have on the public.

Marieda Blehm is the communication secretary for the Davenport Church.

# CENTRAL STATES

### Graham—A Cracker Jack Witness for Christ

By Alma Foggo York

Recently, Alberta Graham of the Allon Chapel Church, had a unique opportunity to witness for Christ. Mrs. Graham was invited to participate in a Seminar Series on Religions in Lincoln conducted at the Grace Lutheran Church.



Alberta Graham participates in seminar "Religions in Lincoln".

Mrs. Graham was the only woman who participated along with the local bishops from the Mormon, Catholic, Methodist, Greek Orthodox and Baptist Churches. She gave an excellent presentation which stimulated many questions from her seminar group.

Pastor Gerald Jones, who was also in attendance, had this to say, "Mrs. Graham demonstrated just how well the Lord can use our lay people to present His truth to the community. We must use every opportunity to witness for Him. Mrs. Graham did an excellent job."

Alma Foggo York is communication secretary for the Allon Chapel.

### It's Beginning To Rain Through The Blueprint For The Future

By S. Haywood Cox

We wish to thank the Lord for the success during the last three years and request the help of every member of the Central States Conference to make the following goals become a reality.

During this next triennium we must draw a line of protection around our children by emphasizing the need to strengthen family life. The forces of hell are arrayed against the Christian home today. The family breakdown is America's number one social problem. If the Central States is to build spiritual homes it must begin to implement God's divine blueprint for marriage and family responsibility and to establish a family altar in each home.

During the next triennium we must experience revival and see a new era of evangelism rooted in the witness of all believers. There will always be a need for God-called evangelists like Elder Thompson and there will always be a need for revivals. The revival of this next triennium will be dependent on the priesthood of all believers. A missionary zeal akin to fanatical revolutionaries must grip our members and move them from the comfortable pew to the avenues of action; from the sanctuaries to the streets; and from their complacency to a place of commitment. Unless we can mobilize laymen for this kind of operation, we will eventually cease to exist. We cannot continue to pay lip service to witnessing and preaching any longer; it must become our lifestyle.

We must strengthen our small churches. Over half of our churches have 100 members or less. This means we must identify the problems which continue to keep churches small and proceed with constructive plans to build them into thriving, effective churches.

During the next triennium we must open a prison ministry. There are more than four major prisons in the Central States area with thousands of inmates who need to be acquainted with the Three Angels Message.

During the next triennium large groups of laymen must be trained with intense programs of practical ministry which will equip them to take the gospel into the streets where the people are. This is the New Testament pattern of operation: "And daily in the temple, and in every house, they ceased not to teach and preach Jesus Christ." Acts 5:42.

WE cannot wait. We must have radical change now while the harvest moon is shining and the grain is waving in the field. The summer will be ended, and they will not be saved. Therefore, there must be spontaneous lay evangelism to take the gospel to the people during "The Thousand Days of Reaping."

During the next triennium we must establish the Sabbath School to:

 Challenge and utilize the Sabbath School class as prayer groups.

2. Challenge and utilize the Sabbath

School class to arouse interest among the laity in discovering and developing their God-given abilities, talents, gifts, etc.

3. Challenge and utilize the Sabbath School class to motivate members to minister to one another and to those outside the confines of the local church.

4. Challenge each Sabbath School teacher to be an undershepherd and to have a soul winning goal.

The Sabbath School is a potent force in our midst - just as powerful as we allow it to be. May God help us to stir the Sabbath School into action in every church in the Central States Conference - to be used as spiritual hinges on which the door of mercy swings for every soul. It will work if we use the proper approach and the right spirit.

During the next triennium we need to:

-1. Give our youth the best in Christian Education by providing adequate buildings and equipment for their development.

2. Build or purchase new churches for Bethesda, Community and Topeka.

3. Lay plans for the building of a rest home for our senior citizens.

4. Establish inner city centers in our major cities: St. Louis, Kansas City, Omaha and Denver.

5. Improve our campground facilities with the financial assistance of the conference and each church.

6. Baptize at least 1,500 souls (500 per year). Without your church's goal we will not be able to support all of the tent and evangelistic church meetings we must have.

7. Build a strong viable Local Elders Federation.

8. Have a membership in 1985 of at least 7,500, and an accumulation of \$3,500,000 in tithe.

9. Have \$750,000 in literature evangelist deliveries.

10. Have at least 500 laymen giving Bible studies.

11. Have at least four medical doctors to establish practice in Central States.

12. Have an interest coordinator and an educational secretary for each church.

13. Have a church sign at each church.

14. Implement the Faith Action Advance in each church.

15. Have at least 50% of our children in our church schools, and have a conference-wide system of day care centers to be feeders to our church schools and add members to our churches.

S. Haywood Cox is president of the Central States Conference.

## ROCKY MOUNTAIN 1882-1982 100 Years of Service

### Nutrition Education

The Community Times-Call, the local newspaper of Longmont, Colorado, thought enough of the nutrition education program of the local Seventh-day Adventist Church to give it nearly a whole page in the Wednesday Foods Section.

Joyce Duncan, a free-lance writer-correspondent, gave valuable information, recipes and a very "healthy" view of vegetarianism.



The DeLisi children, Shelly, 6, and Peter, 5, find solar dried pears a delightful treat. Their mom, Rita, is a nutrition instructor with the Seventh-day Adventist natural foods program.

Rita Delisi is the little lady with the sparkling personality that caught the attention and eye of Joyce Duncan's camera. When discussing processed foods, wrote Joyce, this is what Rita says:

"When flour or rice are refined to make white flour and white rice, approximately 17 nutrients are lost. Only three or four are put back in by the enriching process.

"Now tell me," she continued, "If you were robbed of \$17.00 and given \$3.00 back for bus fare home, would you believe the robber if he told you that you were 'enriched'?"



Rita DeLisi removes her homemade whole wheat bread from juice can.

The Delisis became Adventists about three years ago. "Our conversion affected our personalities and way of life," states Jim, Rita's husband, "but especially my temper, my tongue and the way I relate to people in my work as an electrician."

Today the Delisis find natural foods more satisfying, healthful and a blessing to their family. They share what they have learned through health and nutrition classes, usually taught in the Community Services Center.

Breadmaking is still a challenge to Rita, even though she enjoys doing it. She told Joyce Duncan, "I still pray over every loaf of bread I make." We feel certain that Rita and Jim pray over every presentation as they make "friends of neighbors" through the ministry of health.

### "Labels For Education Program"

The Wray, Colorado Safeway store has joined with the Adventist Elementary School in Campbell Soup's "Labels for Education Program".

Henry Hebbell, Safeway manager, said the program allows schools to earn points by collecting labels from Campbell products and using them to obtain audio-visual materials, sports equipment and other educational aids. The Safeway store earned 5,000 extra points by selling more than 200 cases of Campbell products.



Mrs. Carol Hargreaves and Henry Hebbell.

Mr. Hebbel is pictured giving to Mrs. Carol Hargreaves, the Adventist school teacher, the announcement of the awarding of the 5,000 extra points to the school. "We think this is a good opportunity to do something progressive for our community schools," stated Mr. Hebbel.

"We are planning to get a new globe for our classroom and sports equipment for our playground," stated Mrs. Hargreaves.

### Smokers Quit in Riverton

By Barbara Thornburg

Pastor Ron Cook, with the assistance of the ladies and men of the Riverton Community Services Center, conducted a Five-day Plan. Among the 16 attending was Dr. Phillip Schiller, Obstetrician-Gynecologist, and the Chief of Staff of the Riverton Memorial Hospital. He had been a 20-year smoker. He kicked the habit and voiced his desire to help with the next Five-day Plan, and asked that it be geared for his pregnant patients. He stated that most of his pregnant patients were smokers. After attending the program he saw the necessity for smoking parents to quit the habit.



A full house of more than 50 participants turned out for the second Five-day Plan in Riverton, Wyoming.

Plans were laid for another Five-day Plan and Dr. Schiller, Pastor Cook and Joanne Griffin, R.N. were featured on the radio show "Chit Chat" prior to the program. The local newspaper, the Riverton Ranger, interviewed Dr. Schiller for a front page article. He stated how much he appreciated the Five-day Plan and that he had kicked the habit. This special testimony had a positive effect in swelling the attendance to 56 the first night. The average attendance was 50. Among those successful in kicking the habit were a lady police officer, a high school principal, a postal clerk, a grocery store manager, a well-known author, and a number of the physician's pregnant patients!

Dr. Omer Wagoner, an Adventist psychologist, was helpful in presenting the psychological factors in breaking the habit.

By popular request another Five-day Plan was held in April. Letters were sent to all those who came to the first two Plans. We invited the successful ones to return to encourage those who came for the first time.

We were surprised at church last Sabbath when in walked one of the ladies who had attended one of our five-day programs. She told us that she was a former Adventist from another area of the country. She had not told us

### ROCKY MOUNTAIN\_

at the program that she had been an Adventist because "she was ashamed because she had backslidden," but now she felt that she must start back to church.

We had a "break" half-way through each night's session, and we serve natural fruit juices and introduce a substitute for coffee. We also serve carrots and celery sticks as substitutes for cigarettes.

Barbara Thornburg is the communication secretary for the Riverton Church.

#### BAPTISM



Pastor John Martin stands beside Rick Leonardelli and his son Dominic, who were baptized in the Pueblo Church as a Valentine for Jesus, February 13th. Rick has studied the message for over a year and wanted to make this occasion very special for himself and his son. The Pueblo Church had the best Valentine celebration in years.

### JUMP-A-THON Benefits Heart Association

Dr. C. Keith Gibbons, teacher of the Sheridan, Wyoming church school, is pictured with a number of his students that participated in the local JUMP-A-THON sponsored by the American Heart Association and the Association for Health and Physical Education.

The JUMP-A-THON was a con-

tinuous rope jumping contest. The young people of the Sheridan school were responsible for raising \$491.00 during their portion of the contest. More than \$22,000.00 was raised during the entire program. The winning team was awarded warm-up suits and all participants were given distinctive tee shirts.



Sheridan school children with their teacher, Dr. C. Keith Gibbons.

### **ROCKY MOUNTAIN CONFERENCE CAMP MEETING — EASTERN SLOPE**

May 25-29, 1982

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11:00 a.m. - Wednesday through Friday
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#### CLASSES

Family Life

Dr. Alberta Mazat, Loma Linda University

**Christian Witnessing** 

Jerry Page, Director of Personal Ministries Walter Maier, Director of Publishing Department

Sabbath School Teachers' Seminar - "How and Why Children Learn"

Dr. Donna Habenicht - Andrews University

Health - "How to Use the Simple Remedies" Herald Habenicht, M.D., Andrews University

"Biblical Basis for the Sanctuary Doctrine" Drs. Neall, Union College

# **UNION COLLEGE**

### Joint Union College-NWU Social Work Program Receives National Accreditation

A joint social work undergraduate program at Union College and Nebraska Wesleyan University, both in Lincoln, has received three-year accreditation from the Commission on Accreditation of the County of the County

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The joint program, with 55 majors on both campuses, is the first private college program in Nebraska to receive the nod from CSWE. It also marks only the second accredited program in any Nebraska college—the other is at the University of Nebraska at Omaha.

Cher-ie Adair, assistant professor of social work at Union, says of the development: "This will make it possible for our graduates to enter new job areas, such as state and federal government positions, which require an accredited education." Another benefit, says Ms. Adair, is that graduates wishing to pursue a master's degree can waive the first year of graduate school for the M.S.W. and finish in two years instead of three.

Dr. Jack Richman, assistant professor of social work at Wesleyan, says the Union-Wesleyan program is one of only a few such collaborative efforts across the nation to receive CSWE accreditation.



Elder E. S. Reile chats with Dr. Dean Hubbard at the March 28 Union College constituency meeting to elect a new Board of Trustees. About 50 constituents were present at the quinquennial meeting which selected 35 new board members. Five directorships remain vacant; members are to be announced in mid-April.

### Field Wins Vocal Competition

Union College student Tamara Field has won first place in national vocal competition sponsored by the American Mothers Committee.

Miss Field also won the Nebraska Mothers Association statewide vocal contest in March. The 21-year-old soprano studies voice under Professor Lynn Wickham. She is a junior majoring in nursing and music.

Competing with women from 47 states, Miss Field received a \$1,000 music scholarship for her tape-recorded performance of Puccinni's "O Mio Babbino Caro."

### Cash Succeeds Rolls as SDA-BEA President



Bernelda Cash

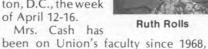
Bernalda Cash, associate professor of secretarial science at Union, was recently elected to a two-year tenure as president of the Seventh-day Adventist Business Educators Association. She succeeds

Ruth Rolls, also an associate professor of secretarial science at Union. SDA-BEA was formed in 1970 to coordinate

nationwide educators' aids and ideas.

About 30 Adventist educators were present at the 1982 annual SDA-BEA convention, held in Washington, D.C., the week of April 12-16.

Mrs. Roll since 1972.



Ruth Rolls

# **HOSPITALS**

### Two Join Fellowship Of Chaplains

Glenn Sackett, Shawnee Mission Medical Center chaplain, recently became the first person in history to receive his fellowship in the College of Chaplains from his father, who is also a Fellow. SMMC Director of Pastoral Care Wayne Andersen also became certified as a professional chaplain during the same ceremony.

Sackett received his fellowship certificate from his father, F. Allen Sackett, a chaplain at Paradise Valley Hospital in California. The elder Sackett has been a Fellow since 1974.

There are 1,600 members who are certified as professional chaplains by the College of Chaplains. Qualifications include college and seminary degrees, a minimum of one year's experience as a chaplain, and one year of special clinical pastoral education under supervision. Fellows must submit a series of essays and complete an oral interview.



Glenn Sackett

Chaplain Sackett was a pastor in Texas for five years before joining SMMC in 1978. He specializes in working with patients on the alcoholism recovery and OB/GYN units. His wife,

Donna, is the assistant director of the child care center.

Chaplain Andersen has served SMMC since 1979. He was named director of pastoral care in 1981. Andersen specializes in working with cancer and mental health patients. He has 21 years expe-



Wayne Andersen

rience as a school guidance counselor and principal, and as a pastor to several Seventh-day Adventist churches. His wife, Aretas, is secretary to SMMC's director of education.

### SMMC Receives Certificate of Recognition

A Certificate of Recognition for efforts to monitor costs and productivity has been presented to Shawnee Mission Medical Center by the American Hospital Association.

SMMC was given the certificate for participating in a management information program which allows the hospital to compare costs and productivity both internally and with facilities of similar size.

The comparison helps SMMC gauge its effectiveness and keep costs down. It also gives the hospital additional information on which future decisions can be based.

SMMC has been using the cost monitoring program for seven years.

# HIGHLIGHTS

### Dakota Conference Hosts P. R. E. A. C. H.

Some five years ago the church began sponsoring *Ministry* magazine to ministers who are not Seventh-day Adventists. Today, the number of recipients of the magazine totals some 262,000. Periodically, these ministers are invited to attend an all-day professional growth seminar in their area of residence. The Dakota Conference sponsored three such seminars on April 15, 16 and 17. The total attend-



Dr. Rex Edwards

ance in the seminars in Bismarck, North Dakota, Rapid City and Sioux Falls, South Dakota was 115. Guest lecturers were Dr. Rex Edwards, Director of Field Services for Ministry and Dr. Floyd Bresee, recently elected Director of Continuing Education for Minis-

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was served at noon to the participants. In each seminar, the response was encouraging. Several in each meeting suggested that other seminars be conducted in their areas in the near future. Conference President, Ben J. Liebelt and Conference Secretary, George Liscombe attended all of the seminars to give support to the program. A number of the Adventist ministers attended the programs, also.

### Adventist-Laymen's Services and Industries Organizes Mid-America Chapter

Laymen representing many businesses and professions were invited to attend the organizational meeting of the Mid-America Chapter of Adventist-Laymen's Services and Industries in Sioux Falls, South Dakota on April 15, 16 and 17. More than 100 were in attendance to help in the organization. Each of the six conferences of the Mid-America Union was represented with a large number of delegates. Harold Lance, an attorney from Ontario, California, who serves as the national president of A.S.I. presented the keynote address, and gave assistance in the chapter organization. Elder Ken Livesay, Executive Secretary of A.S.I. for the General Conference, brought invaluable information on the organization's objectives and outreach possibilities.

The delegates in attendance elected Paul Robberson, of St. Louis, an actuarial and management consultant, to serve the chapter as president. Marlin Schwartz, of Lincoln, a contractor, will serve as vice-president. Wayne Dull, of Loveland, Colorado, president of Eden Valley Institute and Sanitarium, will complete the officer roster as secretary-treasurer.

Irene McCary, who operates a drive-in at Needles, California, shared many of her experiences in personal witnessing. Her enthusiasm was catching. Several voiced their intentions of going back home to do more in the outreach of the church. One dentist from Wyoming mentioned publicly that he planned to close his office one afternoon each week for the purpose of giving Bible studies. A lady from St. Louis said that she was going back and purchase a van so that she could pick up children and bring them to Sabbath School like Irene does. One minister's wife said that this was the most spiritually encouraging meeting that she had attended.

The first board meeting will be held in the Union office on June 27 to discuss plans for the newly organized chapter. Board members in addition to the officers are: Herb Brunken, Elder W. D. Wampler, Elder E. E. Lutz, Ann King, Marvin Darrel, Dean Christensen, Dr. Mike Lastine, Dr. W. W. Taylor, Russell Anderson, Bob McCumber, Paul Warren, Darlene Forde and Herb Powell.





### School of Health Establishes Student Loan Fund

Word comes from Dr. Andrew Havnal, Dean of the School of Health, Loma Linda University, that a student loan fund has been established to help meet the financial needs of students who wish to pursue the study of public health. Interest rates are to be kept low, with reasonable repayment schedules.

These funds will be made available to qualified, accepted on-campus students for the fall guarter of 1982.

If there are individuals in the union who have considered studying public health at Loma Linda but did not pursue the possibility because of financial problems now is the time to communicate with the School of Health. Write care of Admissions Office, School of Health, Loma Linda University, Loma Linda, California 92350, or use the toll-free number 800-854-5661 ext. 4577.

The job market in health, especially public health, continues most encouraging and upbeat.

### Winter Camp Held; Summer Camps Scheduled

Bringing their snow boots, heavy coats and energy, visually impaired campers attended National Camps for Blind Children's third annual winter camp at the YMCA Camp of the Rockies in Colorado.



Riding snowmobiles through the Colorado Rockies was a thrill for the blind campers in attendance during the National Camps for Blind Children winter

Campers from all over the United States participated in such winter activities as skiing and snowmobiling at the camp which operates as a service of the Christian Record Braille Foundation.

For the first time, this year's winter camp stretched from five to seven days, according to Frank Peterson, National Camps' director.

Tom Lowe, National Camps' assistant director, added that the week

ended with a "special Sabbath in the Denver area and a talent show for the Denver community Saturday night."

Peterson and Lowe are now looking forward to the 31 scheduled 1982 summer camps.



Tubing down a snowpacked hill brought much excitement to the blind campers. Here three campers ride at once.

Camps and their dates scheduled for the Mid-America Union include Colorado, Glacier View Ranch, youth, July 25-30; Kansas, Broken Arrow Ranch, youth, July 4-9; and Minnesota, Camp North Star, youth, August

All visually impaired youth between 9 and 19 are eligible to attend at no cost. For further information call or write the Christian Record Camp Department, 4444 S. 52nd Str., Lincoln, NE (402) 488-0981.

### WEDDING

#### Hovland-Stivers

Jean Ann Hovland and Douglas Edward Stivers were married February 14 at Battle Creek, MI. Parents are Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hovland of Battle Creek, and Mrs. M. Ethel Stivers of Denver, CO. The couple will make their home in Fort Worth, TX.

### **OBITUARIES**

DIEDE, Theodore (Ted), was born July 29, 1912 at Lehr, ND and died Mar. 12, 1982 in Rochester, MN. He worked in the Lehr area, in California, and in Jamestown. He is survived by his wife Irene; 3 sons: Rodney, Stanley and Jerald; a brother, Jacob; 5 sisters: Ernestine Dais, Martha Walker, Pauline Gallo, Alma Teske, and Sally Dollinger; and 6 grandchildren.

SORENSEN, Jake H., was born at Clinton, MN Dec. 25, 1907 and died in Mandan, ND Mar. 13, 1982. For many years, and at the time of his death, he served as a local church elder. Survivors are his wife Thea; a son Roger; a grandson, Kon; and 5 sisters; Ruth Magneson, Elizabeth Wiersema, Emily Jacobson, Zena Vail, and Clara

TATE, Paul Alexander, 79, was born at Moravia, IA and died at Wichita, KS. He was a member of the Seventh-day Adventist Church and was a retired engineer and yardman for Santa Fe Railway. Surviving are his wife; one son, Bob, who is serving as Associate Publishing Director for the Kansas-Nebraska Conference; one daughter, Nancy Clemens and one stepdaughter Norma Hart. Also surviving are nine grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

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### SUNSET CALENDAR

	May 14	May 21	May 28	Jun 4	
Denver, CO	8:06	8:13	8:19	8:24	
Grand Junc., CO	8:19	8:25	8:31	8:36	
Cedar Rapids, IA	8:19	8:26	8:32	8:38	
Davenport, IA	8:13	8:20	8:26	8:31	
Des Moines, IA	8:26	8:33	8:39	8:44	
Sioux City, IA	8:39	8:46	8:52	8:58	
Dodge City, KS	8:42	8:48	8:53	8:58	
Goodland, KS	7:52	7:59	8:04	8:09	
Topeka, KS	8:27	8:34	8:39	8:44	
Wichita, KS	8:31	8:37	8:42	8:47	
Duluth, MN	8:35	8:44	8:51	8:58	
Interni. Falls, MN	8:46	8:55	9:03	9:10	
Minneapolis, MN	8:34	8:42	8:50	8:55	
Rochester, MN	8:28	8:35	8:42	8:48	
Columbia, MO	8:14	8:20	8:26	8:31	
Kansas City, MO	8:23	8:30	8:35	8:40	
Saint Louis, MO	8:05	8:11	8:16	8:21	
Springfield, MO	8:14	8:20	8:25	8:30	
Grand Island, NE	8:43	8:50	8:56	9:01	
Lincoln, NE	8:36	8:43	8:49	8:54	
North Platte, NE	8:53	8:59	9:06	9:11	
Omaha, NE	8:34	8:41	8:47	8:52	
Scattsbluff, NE	8:06	8:13	8:20	8:25	
Bismarck, ND	9:09	9:18	9:25	9:32	
Fargo, ND	8:54	9:02	9:10	9:16	
Williston, ND	9:25	9:34	9:42	9:49	
Pierre, SD	9:00	9:08	9:15	9:21	
Rapid City, SD	8:10	8:18	8:25	8:30	
Sioux Falls, SD	8:44	8:51	8:58	9:03	
Casper, WY	8:21	8:28	8:34	8:40	
Cheyenne, WY	8:09	8:16	8:22	8:27	
Sheridan, WY	8:28	8:36	8:43	8:49	

