



### Youth Congress Delegates to be Selected

In order that the inspiration of the North Pacific Union Golden Anniversary Youth Congress may be carried into the local churches during the last half of 1957, delegates are to be selected from each church or senior MV Society before April 1.

The approved plan calls for one delegate from each church or senior MV Society plus one additional delegate for societies with a membership of twenty or over. Our senior academies will send one delegate for each one hundred students enrolled. It is imperative that there will be a full representation from the North Pacific at the congress; therefore, we are asking the pastors, MV societies and local churches to give attention to the selection of their delegate or delegates at once. Deadline for sending in the official delegate names to the local conference office is April 1. An alternate delegate should also be selected in case of illness or other circumstances which would prevent the delegate's attendance at the congress.

Delegates are to be senior youth (or MV society officers) in good and regular standing with the church. The delegate is to be one who has a working interest in Share-Your-Faith evangelism and one who has leadership qualities. Each delegate will be expected to attend all the meetings and bring back a good report to the local society or church following the congress, and also help in organizing the youth to carry out plans outlined at the congress.

The method of selecting the Youth Congress delegates is as follows:

(1) The MV executive committee shall nominate and the MV society membership approve by vote the names of young people who can qualify as delegates. (Church board will select delegate where there is no society.)

(2) The church board shall select the delegate(s) from the MV society list of nominations and the name(s) shall be forwarded to the conference MV secretary by the MV executive committee (or church board where there is no MV society).

(3) The full delegation list of names will be due at the local conference office not later than April 1, 1957.

To assist the delegates with their expenses while at the congress each society (or church where there is no society) is to provide their delegate(s) with a minimum of \$18: \$3 of this amount is for registration fees, and the balance is to go for housing and meals. In addition to this *minimum* amount financial assistance should be given to each delegate to help with the transportation. No fixed amount has been set up for this because distances will vary in each conference and there is to be no general transportation pool. The conferences are not contemplating chartering special busses or trains, therefore transportation for the most part will be by private automobile, and car pools may be worked out within each district.

The locating committee, with Elder A. J. Reisig as chairman, are preparing a list of available motels, hotels and private rooms in the Spokane area for both delegates and non-delegates. *Each individual will be responsible for making his own reservation.* A complete list of available space will be published in the GLEANER soon.

On March 16 (MV Day) a special offering is to be taken in all churches in the North Pacific Union during the 11 o'clock hour to assist the church or MV society in financing their delegates. This offering has been approved by the union committee, and we are asking all elders and pastors to please take note of this date, disregarding the printed offering schedule which you have received from your local conference which may list another offering for March 16.

*Give liberally March 16 to send your delegate to the Youth Congress.*

JOHN H. HANCOCK.

### "Thank God for His Guidance"

One of the alert and energetic laymen in the Nebraska Conference operates a business as a means of livelihood. However, he is constantly seeking ways to present the gospel to all who enter his place of business. Thus an attractive message rack has been installed in a prominent place. Are



there results? Elder C. R. French, the conference Home Missionary Secretary, tells the following thrilling story which reveals the possibilities in maintaining *Signs* racks:

"Mrs. Sophia Callies was born and reared in a family who were members of a large and prominent Protestant church but after marriage she had drifted away from God. However, when thinking of the future of her children she was not satisfied with what she had found in the various churches.

"One day while her son was delivering a daily newspaper to Brother Carl Cooper, an automobile repairman in Lodgepole, Nebraska, he took a paper from the literature rack and carried it home to his mother. It was a copy of *Signs of the Times*. This was repeated for several weeks and Mrs. Callies carefully read each one.

"At that time the Potter-Dalton church was mailing the Prediction Series as part of a dark county coverage plan, and Mrs. Callies was receiving a copy of the paper. She found that the message of the leaflets coincided exactly with what she had read in the *Signs*. Convinced of the truths which they contained she filled in the enrollment blank for the 20th Century Bible Correspondence Course. After studying for a time Mrs. Callies was baptized and is now a member of the new church in Sidney, Nebraska. She has already been instrumental in winning others and says, 'Oh, how I thank God for His guidance and for answering the longings of my hungry soul.'"

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Every church is to be a beacon light for truth. One fine way to dispel the light would be to establish at least one *Signs* rack in every community. People are traveling today as never before, and our truth-filled literature should be available so the wonderful message of salvation may be presented to the people "where they are."

Let every member participate in a greater *Signs* evangelism. Take advantage of the special rate of eight or more subscriptions for \$1.25 each. Order before the crusade closes March 31, 1957.

More "Signs"—More Souls  
L. R. HIXSON.



"Gentlemen:

I have just received a copy of the publication *Desire of Ages* autographed by Kathaleen Kachuck. Thank you very much.

The purpose of this letter is to inquire on what basis distribution of this excellent publication is being made. Is it on a basis of free-will offering, subscription, or other means?

Incidentally, there are several of my sales managers throughout the state that I would like to have receive this book. Can you tell me how I can accomplish this?

I would appreciate your advice at your earliest convenience.

B. W. F.  
Regional Sales Director  
Seattle, Washington"

"Gentlemen:

Please send me complete information about your movement in religious influence and how I may obtain a copy of the book you distribute? I saw the book last week at Youdenson's Motel, Hoquiam, Washington, and became interested in making this enquiry.

W. G. S.  
Tacoma, Washington"

### Missionary Volunteer Society Objectives

#### No. 4. Work for the Youth Not of Our Faith

The missionary endeavors of our Young People's society should not end with the youth of Seventh-day Adventist families. We should continually be putting forth effort for our young friends and neighbors about us. Often very simple methods bring wonderful results. Here is one method in which every member of the society can participate: namely, invite these young people to attend our Missionary Volunteer Society meetings.

In a small society of only seventeen members a covenant was made between the members that each would do all that he could to bring someone else with him to every meeting. It was not very long until five young people not of our faith were regularly attending the society meetings. After a number of weeks had passed, these five young people applied for Associate Membership in the society, and before many months had passed they were baptized members of the church and regular members of the society.

Your society may do, also, what other societies have done in conducting Sunday schools, or branch Sabbath schools, and through this medium interest boys and girls in our work, and later invite them to the society and other church services. Many of those interested by this method will take their stand for the truth, and may then be enrolled as active members of the society.

Also everyone can take part in the circulation of the excellent leaflets and periodicals, as well as books, that are made available by our publishing houses. Probably more persons are brought to a knowledge of God's truth in this way than any other.

Nothing, however, can take the place of Bible readings and cottage meetings conducted in the homes of interested persons. Many members of the society should qualify themselves for this type of personal work. Let us watch for and take advantage of every opportunity of reaching the youth of every community and lead as many of them as possible to enlist under the banner of Prince Emmanuel. As they become members of the church and the Missionary Volunteer Society, we can at



Study No. 27

L. L. Grand Pre

**GEM:** "The prayer of the humble suppliant He presents as His own desire in that soul's behalf. Every sincere prayer is heard in heaven. It may not be fluently expressed; but if the heart is in it, it will ascend to the sanctuary where Jesus ministers, and He will present it without one awkward, stammering word, beautiful and fragrant with the incense of His own perfection." D.A. 667:3 (655:4)

once harness their energies and support in strengthening the work of God in the church and the world.

Thus the Missionary Volunteer Pledge will occupy its rightful place, and every member of the society will be able to stand with his fellows and truthfully say, "Loving the Lord Jesus, I promise to take an active part in the work of the Young People's Missionary Volunteer Society, doing what I can to help others, and to finish the work of the gospel in all the world."

C. LESTER BOND.

## WEDDINGS

Darlene Chamberlin became the bride of Bob Willard in a wedding ceremony at Valley View church on the evening of January 26. Both Bob and Darlene are temporarily working here in Medford, Oregon, hoping that Bob can continue his theology course at PUC next fall. The ceremony was performed by Elder Floyd Bresee. May heaven's blessing rest on this new home.

Miss Jeane Westin and Mr. Harry Rexin were married Sunday evening, December 30, in the Montavilla Seventh-day Adventist church. The young couple are making their home in Portland where both are employed. Elder G. K. Lashier performed the ceremony.

On Sunday evening, December 19, the Boise church was the scene of a pretty wedding, when Ronald J. Hamilton and Dorothy Pitts of Salt Lake City, were united in the sacred bonds of wedlock. Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton will make their home in Boise where Mr. Hamilton is employed by a local funeral home. We all wish this young couple God's blessing as they establish another Christian home.

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## "Song of the Trail"

Mabel Earp Carson has recorded the boyhood experiences of David Cameron with the typical language of the sheep trail. He was the son of a prosperous sheep rancher in Arizona.

David was unable to go to school one year because of illness. He was not lonesome for his schoolmates because Diego, a Mexican boy, was his companion on the trail. Listen as the author introduces Diego. "David's eyes were on the boy who seemed to shrink timidly behind old Doreteo, one of the shepherders." But David's warm

friendliness overcame Diego's bashfulness. Soon they became fast friends, and many happy evenings were spent together around the camp fire, one playing the harmonica and the other the piccolo.

David had another companion on the trail, a burro, called Chica and her colt. David and Chica soon became fast friends on the trail. Who wouldn't in a land of hot sand and cactus?

Mabel Earp Carson is also the author of another book which is a favorite among our MV Book Club books, *Rugby the Mountain Buck*. *Song of the Trail* will appeal to both old and young: for the older ones, it will take them back to childhood memories or dreams; to the younger readers, it is filled with adventure and suspense.

For a new understanding of the twenty-third psalm read *Song of the Trail*.

During the month of March you may have *Song of the Trail*, regular \$3 value, and *Kado*, regular \$2 book, both for only \$2.95. Order from your book and Bible house or your home missionary secretary. *Do it now!*

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## Needed—A Home for two Lads

For a number of years, Brother and Sister Arthur Johnson of the Shelton church have been caring for two little wards of the State. These two lads, Claude and Mark, ages 6 and 5, are of Indian parentage. Under the Johnson's excellent care both children have developed mentally, spiritually, and physically.

The time has now come for the lads to be permanently adopted by some qualified home. Because of their age, Brother and Sister Johnson feel they cannot undertake the task.

If any of our members qualify for



Claude and Mark

this worthy missionary undertaking and are interested in inquiring further regarding the boys' background and characteristics, please write to Arthur Johnson, Capitol Hill, Shelton, Washington.

THEODORE CARCICH.

## Special Voice of Prophecy Broadcasts in March

A very specially prepared series of radio sermons is to be given March 3, 10, 17, 24, and 31, to tie in with the "Operation One-Million-Contacts" program in March. The sermon titles are as follows:

March 3—Armageddon and Beyond  
March 10—The Near East and Bible Prophecy

March 17—Why Do Things Go Wrong?

March 24—Why Not to Worry . . . Four Reasons for Christians

March 31—The Future Unveiled

This will be an especially good month to invite your relatives, friends, and neighbors to listen to the Voice of Prophecy coast-to-coast broadcast, now being heard on three networks, NBC, Mutual, and ABC.

To those taking part in the "Operation One-Million-Contacts" beginning March 2, we would suggest that these sermon titles and dates be jotted down, or clipped out. Then when meeting people in their homes, you can invite them to listen to one of these radio

## Sam Campbell

"The philosopher of the forest," a recognized naturalist, photographer and lecturer.

This is Mr. Campbell's first visit to our churches in this area. Mr. Campbell is well known as an author. He has written 10 books on nature. Some of them are "Loony Coon," "A Tippy Canoe and Canada Too," "How's Inky" and "Fiddlesticks and Freckles." You will thrill as you recognize these animals in his outstanding picture, "Animals of the North Woods."

His itinerary is as follows:

March 7, Bellingham Church School Aud., 7:30 p.m.

March 9, Seattle, Jr. Academy, 7:30 p.m.

March 10, Auburn Academy, Rainier Aud., 7:30 p.m.

This is a program you and your children will not want to miss. It is well worth driving 100 miles to attend.

Desmond Cummings, Secretary,  
Missionary Volunteer Department.

sermons, mentioning its exact title. This should increase interest.

Let us pray for each other as we take part in this extensive "One-Million-Contacts" program.

Washington is planning to use the attractive two-color brochure, with sample lesson one of the Faith Bible Correspondence Course, to present to their friends and neighbors.

Everyone planning to take part in this endeavor on Sabbath afternoon, March 2, should contact his or her pastor, radio secretary, or church missionary secretary for supplies.

D. A. NEUFELD.

### Tacoma South Side Church

For the past several years the Tacoma South Side church has been planning to remodel their building. When plans were finalized for the remodeling, it was found that city ordinances had changed so that it was impossible to make the changes that were desired. The church voted to look for a new site, but found that property was very high. It was discovered that Sister Bessie Dye of the Central church owned lots that were very well suited to the need. She gave thirteen lots free of charge to be used as a building site and parking space. These lots are worth over \$13,000. Sister Dye has dedicated everything she has to the Lord.

The work of leveling the site was donated and is now under way. The smaller building which will house the Sabbath school departments is being built first, and after that is completed, the sanctuary will be built to accommodate three hundred people. The total cost is estimated at \$75,850.

The project was begun under the leadership of Elder Glenn E. Patterson and Brother Clinton Shankel. Brother



Sister Bessie Dye is giving a deed to property for a new Tacoma South Side Seventh-day Adventist church to Elder Glenn E. Patterson as Brother Clinton Shankel looks on.

Shankel was transferred to the Shelton district, and Brother Ernest Watters has taken his place.

G. E. PATTERSON.

### Campaign Victory for Auburn Academy Students

The Associated students of Auburn Academy successfully completed their campaign to raise over \$2,000 for purchasing new draperies for the chapel. Although hopes were dim just before the close of the campaign, the students raised over \$400 in chapel on the closing day with more pledged to come in within the next few days.

The group celebrated by granting a day for a snow picnic at Snoqualmie Pass for all those who had raised

\$30 or over. At the close of the campaign, Eldon Spady and Glen Heath expressed their appreciation to the ASB for the splendid cooperation and wonderful school spirit. The students do not organize into opposite sides for campaign purposes.

A victory banquet is planned soon for the entire student group as a token of appreciation for an over-the-top campaign.

BILL SIMMONS.

### The Bible Predicts

A Sunday series of prophetic sermons, presented by the youth and pastor of the Aberdeen-Hoquiam Seventh-Adventist church, began February 24.

If there are interested people in this vicinity that you would like to have



Architect's sketch of new church to house the Tacoma South Side members.

invited to these evangelistic services, please send their names to Elder Duane H. Anderson, 1700 Simpson Avenue, Aberdeen, Wash.

Please remember this youth missionary activity when you petition the Throne of Grace.

Mrs. EMERSON L. SCOTT,  
Publicity Secretary,  
Aberdeen-Hoquiam Church.

### Erratum

Elder D. S. Osgood's name should have been listed in the January 12, 1957 GLEANER with those district leaders whose churches exceeded four *Desire of Ages* per member—a notable achievement for Seattle Central church, the largest church in the Washington Conference.

R. L. WALIN.

## Idaho Conference

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### IMPORTANT NOTICE!

The church offering is for the Missionary Volunteers Sabbath, March 16.

### MV Golden Anniversary

"Sharing the faith of our fathers" is the theme for the 1957 Golden Anniversary Year of Missionary Volunteering.

Our fathers knew the message  
Our fathers taught the message  
Our fathers sang the message  
Our fathers lived the message  
Our fathers prayed the message

until they had power to proclaim the message.

Our fathers were young people whose hearts were aflame with a passionate desire to share the message. Fifty years ago our fathers accepted the challenge of a glorious aim, "The Advent Message to all the World in this generation." The church looks with anxious eyes toward the youth who are a generation away from our early pioneers for the fulfillment of this aim. Today "Christ is calling for volunteers to enlist under His standard and bear the banner of the cross before the world. The church is languishing for the help of young men who will bear

a courageous testimony, who will with their ardent zeal stir up the sluggish energies of God's people, and so increase the power of the church in the world—*Messages to Young People*, p. 24.

In the midst of a bewildered world where life is being lived dangerously, where people are streaking into the unknown, madly breaking all barriers with complete disregard for consequences, our Missionary Volunteers will respond to the call of Christ. They will be drawn into a fellowship, so close, so sweet, so warm, so real that they will be constrained by the love of Christ to make a fresh new surrender, and with hearts burning fiercely with a strong revival power, will teach, sing, pray, live and proclaim this beautiful message.

Our young people will share the faith of our fathers and fulfill the challenge of the "Aim" by carrying "The Advent message to all the world in this generation.

Leaders of youth, let us offer them the opportunity by preparing an interesting and well-planned program for the 1957 Golden Anniversary Week of Prayer, March 16 to 23.

S. H. EMERY.

### New Plymouth Series

Sunday night, January 27, the three-week campaign in New Plymouth, Idaho, was drawn to a successful close. The campaign was conducted by the Mittleider-Aufderhar evangelistic team. The Lord blessed with many decisions being made for Him. Twenty-four decisions were made for the truth. Of this number 13 have been baptized to date. Several who were to be baptized were ill and will be baptized at a later date.

The wholehearted support of the consecrated church members was a big factor in making this series a success. Many never missed one night of the entire series. A large number of gospel filled books were given away for faithful attendance.

Of the number taking their stand several were backsliders who at one time were one with us. The love of the Saviour drew them back and the happiness they now experience at being back in the fold cannot be de-

scribed. How thankful we are that we have a loving Saviour who continues to woo the hearts of mankind back to Him.

February 16 a three-week campaign began in the Seventh-day Adventist church in Payette, Idaho. Remember this campaign in your prayers that the honest may be reached with the message.

### Gem State News

The Annual Board Meeting was held here on February 6. Our local and Union brethren gave considerable time and attention to current school needs, and the laying of plans for the coming school year, reports of which will be released as time elapses.

The Crusader Group, under the able sponsorship of Mr. Ray Hartlein, conducted the profitable and interesting week of devotional exercises. About 60 students discussed timely topics which were given at chapel time and again at 6:30 in the evenings. Considerable evidence of victories won indicated the effect of the way students can reach other students on topics so vital to the youth of our day. Wesley Shultz a former student, brought the week to a fitting climax on Friday evening, when he spoke on "Final Judgment and Eternal Reward."

The long anticipated Temperance Contest came up for scrutiny on Saturday evening: Posters were judged, and Fern Lueck was awarded first prize of \$10; Myrna Shultz, second prize of \$7.50; and James Ross, third prize of \$5.

February 14, was high-lighted with considerable commotion as the Junior Class came into chapel to report their organization and officer roster: Ronald Isaacs, president; Marie Logan, vice-president; Leslie Johnson, treasurer; Connie Martin, secretary; Jerry Adey, chaplain; and Barry Kellogg, sergeant-at-arms.

The Senior Class of '57 will present their Annual Benefit program on March 2, in Frazier Auditorium. Parents, friends and relatives, we hope you can be here to enjoy this program!

## Upper Columbia Conference

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### Voice of Prophecy Program over Station KLOQ in Yakima

Word has just been received from the Voice of Prophecy office informing us that the Voice of Prophecy program will hereafter be given over Station KLOQ in Yakima, Washington, from 9:45 to 10:15 p.m.

We trust that our members who are

### American Red Cross Instructor Classes

will be taught

By DON THOMPSON

Red Cross Director for Idaho

At Caldwell.....March 4- 8

At Twin Falls.....March 18-24

All delegates—please attend these classes.

### SIGMA PHI DELTA

Boys' Club of

GEM STATE ACADEMY

Announce their 4th annual

### AMATEUR HOUR

March 23, 8 p.m.

in Frazier Auditorium  
Caldwell, Idaho

living in that area will listen to the program at that hour and then write to Station KLOQ telling them of their pleasure of having the program continue on that station.

C. LESTER BOND.

### Optometrist Locates in Opportunity

Dr. John H. Smith, Jr., optometrist, recently opened an office at E. 12726 Sprague in Opportunity, Washington. Dr. Smith chose the Valley as a place in which to locate after making a tour of 11,000 miles in the States. Dr. Smith attended four schools in attaining his Doctor of Optometry degree. For three



Dr. John H. Smith

years he studied at Walla Walla College where he was enrolled in pre-optometric sciences; he then attended Southern Missionary College in Chattanooga, Tennessee, for a term, then took a B.S. degree from Northern Illinois College of Optometry, and won his doctor's degree from the Illinois College of Optometry. He received his license last summer. Dr. Smith is a graduate of Auburn Academy with the class of 1950. Dr. and Mrs. Smith, formerly Kathleen Doleman of Cottage Grove, Oregon, are members of the Valley Seventh-day Adventist church where Dr. Smith is Sabbath school superintendent and Mrs. Smith is Missionary Volunteer leader.

### First Aid at Orofino

Mrs. Chester Canright, Orofino, Idaho, is teaching a class in First Aid in harmony with the National Civil Defence program. Twenty adults registered for the class, also ten juniors registered for the junior First Aid class. The classes will last for nine weeks.

### Flight Crusade

Crowds continue to overflow the Avalon theater in Sunnyside as the Dunton-Liu-Phelps evangelistic crusade enters its third week. Week-night attendance has grown beyond seating capacity and many have been turned away. Saturday and Sunday nights two identical meetings are held and it may become necessary to do the same on week nights.

The Lord is blessing in a remarkable way. Our business and professional men in the area are held in high esteem. Our laymen are active and devoted. Our Conference workers have planned well in advance for the meetings. Such united and faithful effort the Lord is blessing.

We now have more than 300 names of interested people. Such a response is without precedent in this valley. Many are curious to know why so much interest has been aroused. The theater manager in the city (from whom we rented this one) came to the meeting on Saturday night to see what was happening. Almost no one was at his theater, but ours was packed! He observed, "This is the kind of crowds I like."

All Protestant churches in the area sponsored a nationally-known evangelist some months ago and fewer than 200 people attended. One such meeting found only 2 non-church members present—this despite the fact that Sunnyside is often called the "holy" city. Church leaders in the area said we were headed for failure when we were arranging to rent the theater.

Because of the large attendance, the ushers have frequently asked some of our members to give up their seats for visitors. This has been cheerfully done by many. Surely, this too is a tangible contribution to our soul-winning endeavor. We wish to express our appreciation to these folk and to all others who are supporting these meetings so loyally. May God bless you for your labor and sacrifice, for your offerings and your prayers.

Let us pray, and give, and labor together until the work is done. Soon the harvest will be ended and we shall look with joy upon the face of our Redeemer. Together we shall rejoice while the angelic choir swells with songs of praise our anthem of redemption.

ROBERT E. DUNTON.

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### March 2—A Great Day

"Like a mighty army moves the church of God."

Long have we been told that the secret of our success in the work of God will be found in the harmonious working of our people. If we act in concert, moving forward unitedly for the accomplishment of one purpose, we can move the world. Following this inspired counsel, the denomination plans nation-wide campaigns. During the month of February we have been seeking to evangelize as many homes as we can through the wonderful ministry of our beautiful new *Signs*. Every address supplied, means that that home, with perhaps three to four people on an average in it, will receive twelve monthly visits from the world's prophetic weekly. Should we not do this especially for the many in our communities whom we do not usually meet in a personal way? But there are

others whom we do contact as we visit around our block or cover our appointed missionary territory.

The project of March 2 in North America is the enrollment of 1,000,000 people in our correspondence schools. The plan is simple. The church is to supply our members with copies of the first lesson of the 20th Century Course. Taking these and our conference 20th Century enrollment cards, our members are to invite neighbors and friends to enroll in this wonderful free Bible Course. Almost daily from our School office, we send back to our churches the name of someone who is deeply interested and expresses a desire to keep the Sabbath. Each year between thirty and fifty baptisms are the direct result of the work of the conference 20th Century School. Here is a letter just this morning:

"Dear Bible Instructor:

"I must write and tell you my wonderful news! I am being baptized into the Vancouver church during the Sabbath services tomorrow, February 16. Please pray for me that I may grow strong in the faith of Jesus. And I must work to bring all my family into the wonderful harbor of peace. Pray for me and my dear loved ones."

To assist you in making your contacts may we suggest the following canvass:

"Good morning. I am—— and this is my friend,——. We are calling in the interest of Bible study. May we step in for a moment? (Step forward as though you expect to be invited in. Then say:) A great wave of interest in Bible study, especially in Bible prophecy, is now sweeping America. People want to know what is coming in the near future. Will there be another world war? And what will be its results?"

"We are glad to tell you that the Bible does reveal to us the great coming events of the future. We would like to offer you a free series of Bible lessons by correspondence. Here is a sample of Lesson I. Notice how questions are asked and answered directly from the Bible. Some of the topics in this wonderful free series of thirty lessons deal with how to be saved, the other side of death, and other subjects we know you are interested in. There is no obligation now or in the future. If you will kindly print your name and address on this card, we shall be happy to send in your application."

Let us plan in Oregon for as many enrollments in our churches as we have church members. Will you take part in this soul-winning visitation program? If you cannot go out on March 2, why not select one of the following Sabbaths in March.

C. J. RITCHIE.

### Activity at Deerhorn

Deerhorn is a small church and many of its members are elderly folk and children. When it came time for Christmas caroling, our energetic Sabbath school superintendent, Brother Claude Becker, with his sound car and a few solicitors spent ten evenings caroling for Christ. The church goal of \$400 was reached. Brother Becker and his helpers were very happy, not only for money gathered, but for the splendid reception given them in all but a very few homes. They are looking forward to next Christmas caroling season.

MRS. WILBUR RHOADES,  
Deerhorn Press Secretary.

### Greetings from California

The wheels of the great Advent movement keep rolling on—and finally they caught up with the Doleman family. This note is being penned to all of our friends in Oregon and the Northwest from sunny California. In fact, right now the sun is shining brightly and the temperature is in the 90's. Several weeks ago we accepted a call to pastor the Van Nuys church located in the San Fernando Valley about twenty miles north of the heart of Los Angeles. Being native Oregonians and having labored in the Oregon Conference for nearly ten years we found it a bit difficult to leave our relatives and many friends. However, we have already found many new friends and are very happy in our new home at 16727 Labrador St., Sepulveda, California.

We do pray for the work in Oregon and trust that soon all of the work will be finished and Jesus will come. It is our sincere hope that in that great day we may all be found in the glorious Kingdom.

ELDER AND MRS. D. D. DOLEMAN,  
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### Notice:

Columbia Academy Alumni will meet April 20, 1957. Please watch for further notice.

Mrs. R. Berry, Secretary.

## OBITUARIES

**Douglas**—Mrs. Ely (Carrie) Douglas was born March 8, 1863 in Earl Park, Ind., and went to her rest Nov. 23, 1956. She moved to Seattle in 1903. Under the labors of Elders R. C. Baker and Paul Campbell, Brother and Sister Douglas and daughter Hazel accepted our truth in 1933. Sister Douglas was a charter member of the Green Lake church.

She, as our oldest member, was faithful in all things. Her husband and daughter preceded her in death, but she was continually thankful to God for calling her into this glorious truth. A few days before going to rest she expressed her confidence in God and repeated the 91st and 46th Psalms, as well as many other precious promises. Words of comfort were spoken by Fenton E. Froom.

**Van Schoiack**—Mrs. Henrietta Van Schoiack was born in Scribner, Nebr., Sept. 21, 1880, and passed to her rest Jan. 6, 1957, in Ellensburg, Wash. She leaves to mourn her passing: her husband, Ernest Van Schoiack of Ellensburg; one son, Charles Johnston of Seattle, Wash.; a daughter, Mrs. Mae Abramson of Ellensburg; and one stepson, McNeil Belt of Seattle. She was laid to rest in Ellensburg, awaiting the resurrection morning.

**Copeland**—Addie May Geyer was born in Iowa, Feb. 20, 1871, and passed away at Portland, Ore., Feb. 6, 1957. She was united in marriage to Charles O. Copeland on March 21, 1893. In November 1945 she was baptized into the Seventh-day Adventist church at Coos Bay, Ore., and remained a faithful and devoted Christian until her death. She is survived by 2 sons, Orin A. Copeland of Portland; Roland M. Copeland of Coos Bay, and one daughter, Mrs. Velma E. Fischer of Portland. Also left to mourn are one brother, Charles Geyer of Pilot Mound, Iowa, and one sister, Hattie Fritcher of Big Fork, Minn.; 7 grandchildren and 7 great-grandchildren. She was laid to rest in Woodburn, Ore., there to await the call of the Life-giver.

**Van Buren**—Burrell Charles Van Buren was born Nov. 27, 1884, at Canton, Ill., and passed away at Portland, Ore., Feb. 2, 1957. When Mr. Van Buren was 36 years of age he accepted Christ as his personal Saviour and as a Seventh-day Adventist has served as missionary leader in every church of which he was a member. For 37 years he was occupied in composing and arranging music in the City of Chicago. The words recorded in Isaiah 69:30, "I will praise the name of God with a song, and will magnify Him with thanksgiving" inspired him to devote his talents in writing and composing music for the message he had learned to love. In September of 1949 Mr. and Mrs. Van Buren moved to Oregon where they have resided until his death. Left to mourn are: his wife, Olive Van Buren; 1 son, Donovan of San Gabriel, Calif.; 3 daughters, Elinor Sudik of Fairfield, Conn., Idalene Gourley of Detroit, Mich., and Marilyn Patton of Nashville, Tenn.; 2 brothers and 2 sisters also survive, Henry and Roland Van Buren of Peoria, Ill.; Bertha Hanson of Madison, Wis., and Grace Shepler of Pittsburg, Penn. He was laid to rest in Sunset Hills Memorial Park to await the call of the Life-giver.

### Advertisements

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**WHEAT SPROUT BREAD SPECIAL**.—Made with light honey, yeast, sea salt, and soy oil. Two large loaves for one dollar. Send for price list on other special health breads. Atkins Baking Co., Box 534, Grandview, Wash.

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**PHOTO FINISHING**.—For best results and prompt service send your films to Quality Photo Service, Box 1013, Walla Walla, Wash. Six- or eight-exposure rolls 40 cents each; additional prints 5 cents each. All prints jumbo size.

**FOR SALE**.—Three-room house with bath, full basement, usable attic, large garden spot, woodshed. Ideal for college couple or elderly couple. Immediate possession. Priced reasonably for quick sale. Mrs. P. N. Green, 104 S. W. 10, College Place, Wash.

### Sunset Table

Friday, March 1, 1956

Coos Bay	6:05	Pocatello	6:19
Medford	6:01	Billings	6:00
Portland	5:57	Havre	6:02
Seattle	5:53	Helena	6:13
Spokane	5:34	Miss City	5:49
Walla Walla	5:39	Missoula	6:21
Wenatchee	5:45	Juneau, Mar. 15	6:02
Yakima	5:48	Ketchikan	6:49
Boise	6:33	Anchorage	5:59

Add one minute for each 13 miles west. Subtract one minute for each 13 miles east.

# WALLA WALLA COLLEGE

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## Report of Board Actions at Annual Meeting

Special items considered at the annual meeting of the Walla Walla College Board of Trustees were the college budget for the 1957-58 school year amounting to over one and a half million dollars, and the approval of faculty personnel for the coming year. A number of campus improvements were authorized, one of which is the drilling of an additional well for the college. A special appropriation of \$2,500 was made for improvements at Rosario Beach, and authorization was given for an addition to the chemistry building.

Approvals for fourteen leaves of absence for faculty members to do graduate work during the summer quarter were given. Because of the enrichment of the academy curriculum, two additional academy faculty members were approved: one in the field of Social Studies, and the other in the field of English.

A leave of absence for the 1957-58 school year was granted to Cecil Ashley of the Engineering Department, to work on a master's degree at the University of Washington. Morris Taylor was also granted a leave of absence for the coming summer and the year 1957-58 to work on the doctor of musical arts degree at the School of Fine and Applied Arts, Boston University, Massachusetts.

A post-doctoral leave of absence was granted to Dr. Sterling K. Gernet for the summer quarter of 1957.

The following faculty members were granted promotion to the rank of associate professor: H. G. Coffin, Melvin W. Davis, and Evelynne Wright. Those promoted to the rank of assistant professor were Richard L. Litke, Robert E. Silver, and Calvin Trautwein.

A comprehensive statement of policy regarding the future of the Rogers School was approved. The purpose of this policy is to recognize that the primary objective of the Rogers School is to meet the observation, demonstration, and practice teaching needs of the students who are enrolled in education courses at the college. Plans have been laid which will enable the Rogers School to fulfill these primary functions.

## Campus News

Elder D. E. Rebok, one of the general field secretaries of the General Conference, will visit the college campus February 24 to March 4. Elder Rebok is visiting all Seventh-day Adventist

colleges in North America, making a survey of ministerial potential. While at Walla Walla College he will meet a number of speaking appointments and will also have personal interviews with ministerial students.

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Recent visitors to the campus were Miss Ann Stratton, associate dean of the School of Nursing, and Mrs. Loretta Drake, associate registrar. They interviewed about fifty-five students who have made application to the hospital division of the Walla Walla College School of Nursing, and also met with the recommendations committee for pre-nursing students for both the June, 1957 and January, 1957, groups.

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Elder W. O. Baldwin, educational secretary of the Oregon Conference, recently spent some hours interviewing students interested in teaching in the Oregon Conference.

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Elder G. W. Liscombe, secretary of the Home Missionary and Temperance

## A Time for Revival

With the inspired words "our greatest need is for revival" ringing in our ears we sincerely hope that every MV society and church has laid plans for a well-organized revival series for our youth during Missionary Volunteer Week, March 16 to 23.

This is one of the greatest opportunities for soul-winning during the entire year. Through friendship teams, special meetings each night for our backslidden youth, and seasons of prayer by our youth, the Lord will pour out His blessing during MV Week that will result in many baptisms.

Last year the North Pacific led the North American Division in youth baptized as a result of MV Week. These 518 precious youth who made their decisions are a testimonial to what can be accomplished through this evangelistic opportunity. This fine record was achieved despite the fact that only 52 per cent of our ministers reported participation in the project and only 37 per cent of the churches held revivals. Think what might have been accomplished if we had had 100 per cent participation!

March 16 is MV Day throughout North America. The church service on March 16 is to be devoted to youth evangelism. Either the pastor, elder or MV society should give special emphasis to this. A special Week of Prayer issue of the *MV Kit*, with a

Departments of the North Pacific Union Conference, visited the campus in connection with the college and also the union-wide academy Temperance Oratorical Contests, February 15 and 17. College winners were Don Kindig, first prize; Dianne Dalrymple, second prize; Rube Hubbard, third prize. Academy winners were Grace Pellow of Upper Columbia Academy, first prize; Loren Blain of Mount Ellis Academy, second prize; Rosalie McCammann of Milo Academy, third prize.

## Death of Mrs. J. W. Christian

We regret to announce the death of President Christian's mother, Mrs. J. W. Christian, on February 14 at the Walla Walla General Hospital after several weeks of illness. A memorial service was held at the DeWitt Funeral Home, Walla Walla, and interment was in Alcester, South Dakota. Our deep sympathy is with the Christian family in their bereavement, and especially with Elder J. W. Christian who is left to walk without the companionship which has been his for fifty-five years. A godly mother in Israel, Mrs. Christian will most surely have a part in the first resurrection when the Lord will come to claim His own and reunite them with their loved ones.

complete program for the entire week for both senior and junior MV members, is available for use in making MV Week effective. Special meetings are to be held daily during the week in all church schools and churches with a baptismal class being organized at the close.

Let us all earnestly seek God that MV Week during 1957, our Golden Anniversary year of Missionary Volunteering, may result in the greatest harvest of souls for the kingdom that we have yet witnessed in the Northwest.

JOHN H. HANCOCK.



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