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## Reading for Profit

The apostle Paul was a diligent student and reader of books. Once when writing to Timothy he told him to bring "the books, but especially the parchments" which he had left behind at Troas. Busy though he was in his travels, his preaching and his care of the churches, nevertheless he found time to cultivate his mind through the reading of good books.

We believe further that others were inspired through his example also to give attendance to reading, both among his immediate co-laborers as well as among the elders and other officers of the churches. That the apostle chose only the best of books for his study is self-evident.

It is important then in this busy age, when the world is flooded with reading matter, that we choose the very best, and learn to read for profit and personal development and efficiency in the cause of God. Whoever desires to grow mentally and spiritually must have an ever-increasing appreciation of the value and power of good books. Applying the mind, that we may grow up into the full stature of God's plan for our lives, is the privilege of every officer and member.

We are very happy to be able again this year to recommend a selection of the finest books for our Church Officers' Reading Course which we hereby take pleasure in announcing. The books chosen this year are:

1. Early and Latter Rain, by F. M. Wilcox
2. The Carpenter of Nazareth, by M. E. Olsen
3. The Great Controversy, by Ellen G. White

"Early and Latter Rain" is a new book, written by a well-known author, and bearing a very timely heart-gripping message. The object of the book is to quicken and strengthen spiritual life and lead to deeper consecration. It is an excellent book for study by church officers and members alike. This is equally true of the second book in the course, "The Carpenter of Nazareth," in which the author, speaking briefly, sets forth incidents

from the life of the Master as examples to us for inspiration in our daily life and service.

"The Great Controversy" is so well known to Seventh-day Adventists that we merely need to mention the title in order to arouse interest in this outstanding volume among the writings of Sister White. It truly is a classic in its field. Concerning it Sister White wrote: "The book Great Controversy I appreciate above silver and gold and I greatly desire that it shall come before the people." As this book is so well known and has a place in practically every Seventh-day Adventist library, it is not considered necessary to add the price to the Reading Course set. Those who desire to purchase "The Great Controversy" will find bindings and prices to suit their need. The special Reading Course combination price for the two first volumes has been set as low as \$1.75. Orders should be sent to your Book and Bible House through your church missionary secretary.

In order to help everyone derive the most good from the study, reading circles in the home and in the church should be formed, following the carefully prepared study outlines by Elder D. E. Robinson, published in the Church Officers' Gazette month by month during the year. The first study outlines will be found in the February issue of the Gazette.

As a token of appreciation, the General Conference Home Missionary Department furnishes an attractive bookmark to each member of the Church Officers' Reading Course Circle. These bookmarks vary in design, and are attractive and appropriate reminders of the happy hours of reading and study by a unified, systematic method.

Every church officer, and other members of the church who desire to join the Reading Circle to study these excellent books selected for the 1939 Reading Course are invited to do so NOW.

NOW is the time to seek for greater efficiency and new power from God in order that we may be prepared

to take a larger part in the greatest soul-winning endeavor in the history of the church of God.

Steen Rasmussen  
Home Missionary Secretary  
General Conference

## 1939 Church Officers' Reading Course

The books recommended to us by the General Department are; "Early and Latter Rain" by F. M. Wilcox, \$1.75. Every church officer and missionary leader will be lifted on to higher plane of leadership and service by prayerful study of this inspirational volume. "The Carpenter of Nazareth" by M. E. Olsen, 50 cents. In forceful language, with striking brevity, incidents in the life of Christ are set forth for Christians as an example and inspiration in daily life and service. Leaders in Christian service will find much material for use in helping laymen in all walks of life to follow the example of the Master.

For special study: "Great Controversy" by Mrs. E. G. White, is the study volume for this year, and in order to help every one get the most good from the study, reading circles in the home and in the church should be formed, and should follow the carefully prepared study outlines by Elder D. E. Robinson, published in the Church Officers' Gazette month by month during the year. The first study outlines will be found in the February issue of the Gazette.

No church officer can hope to make a success of his work if he does not read good books and magazines. We must be earnest students in these days if we are to be faithful shepherds of the flock. D. E. Reiner

## The Red Man

In many different sections over the North American field we find a renewed interest among the Indians in responding to the gospel call. The white man has been negligent in bringing to the red man the good tidings of salvation. Surely we should now redeem the time.

Please inform us of any Indian in-

terests that you may know about. We shall be glad to hear from you. Do you contemplate missionary work during 1939 among the Indians in your vicinity? Now is the opportune time. Let us work "while it is day: the night cometh, when no man can work."

H. D. Casebeer, Secretary  
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Glendale, California

### Student Deacons Ordained

Union College believes that it should endeavor to give promising dependable young men a practical training in the administration of church duties. On Sabbath morning, January 7, six young men who had been elected by the College View church, were ordained as deacons. These junior officers will assist the senior deacons in ushering, taking the Sabbath morning offering, serving at the quarterly meeting, being present at board meetings, and performing the other duties common to the office. Those chosen were Albert Bauer, a college senior; Clark Smith, Kurt Paulien, and Art Mazart, college juniors; Vernon Dunn, superintendent of the College laundry; and LeVerne Nicolay, accountant for the Rocky Mountain Lines, Inc.

The plan was started last year and has proven most satisfactory. The services rendered by the young men chosen last year were helpful to the church and church officers, and proved an inspiration to the church membership.

Union is thankful that it can be trusted with the responsibility of training our youth to give consecrated, efficient, faithful service.

A. H. Rulkoetter

### Something New

Yes, friends, something new; and it is interesting, too, and worth while. For sixteen years a large number of parents have been studying to learn more about caring for their children as babies, as growing children, and as adolescents; and many of them have told us that they had received great help from their study.

A lady, after looking over the leaflets describing the new plans, says: "I received the leaflets you sent, and I do not believe you could have planned a more effective way of turning 'the heart of the father to the children, and the heart of the children to their fathers'."

Here are a few sentences from a

really young mother. She studies alone, and finds just as much help as others are getting. She says: "The end of another year has come and also the end of another interesting book. I finished 'All About the Baby' and my Reading Course book, 'Christ's Object Lessons'. That is a book that it seems to me every one should read. It is so interesting and helpful that I plan to read it over again. I am anxious to get started in the book 'Through Early Childhood'. My baby will not be ready for that book for some time, but I want to take the course straight through, and keep the books for reference."

Another says: "We had our first meeting of the new year today, and a very interesting meeting it was. We have two ladies who do not belong to the church, who come regularly and are very much interested. They all like the book we are studying this year, 'All About the Baby'."

But the new features are the Corollary Subjects. These may be studied with the regular subjects which have been studied heretofore, or they may be taken entirely alone. They include brief courses in Story-telling, Social Relations, Healthful Living, Home Nursing, Science of Life, Science of

Love, Etiquette, Family Worship, Sabbath-keeping, System, Order and Thrift, Home Occupations, Government of the Young Child, Government of the Adolescent, and several different lines of Nature Study, such as Flowers, Insects, Birds, Trees, Stars, etc. There is an outline for each of the five textbooks on the home and also one for the Corollary Subjects. These will guide the students; they are very helpful and cost only five cents each. Get them from the Home Commission, General Conference, Takoma Park, Washington, D. C. Also send here for free leaflets describing the work.

To you parents who have studied with us five, ten, or fifteen years, there are now new subjects for you. Send for the new leaflets descriptive of the work, decide what subjects you want to study, and begin. The children of some of you are getting ahead of their parents, especially in Nature Study; they have gotten some of it in their Junior Missionary Volunteer work. Children have a greater respect for their parents if they know more about these and other things than the children do. Why not be qualified to help the children?

Mrs. Flora H. Williams

General Conference Home Commission

### South Dakota Conference

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H. J. Perkins, Secretary

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Adventists.

### More "Signs" in 1939

Turning aside from the convention room for a few moments, I am sending a brief message through this column to the constituency of the South Dakota Conference. We are enjoying a wonderfully spiritual meeting here at the Pacific Press Publishing House. The influence of the Spirit of God is felt in every move that is made. Notes of progress in every line are told. Many souls are being added to the faith as a result of reading of our literature.

There are doors of opportunity open to Seventh-day Adventists in the literature ministry. We have the message for this hour of earth's history. We must arise and demonstrate to the world that we have the message which satisfied the soul's hunger and thirst for the things of God.

By the time this reaches our be-

lievers, we will be in the midst of our SIGNS OF THE TIMES Campaign. Let us remember that the SIGNS Magazine brings a message which gives light and hope to those who are still in darkness. We are confident that our people will in 1939 provide more SIGNS subscriptions than in 1938.

We must remember the Pacific Press slogan—"More SIGNS, more souls."

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## Study and Service League

Missionary Volunteers of South Dakota are moving on and up into a larger service for Christ as the new year beckons to resolve and achievement.

The Swan Lake Society has organized an enthusiastic Study and Service League class with a membership comprising a large part of the church. Mrs. Oliver Anderson and Mrs. Linden Flyger are the class instructors.

At Bowdle we have now a Study and Service class of 62 members. Brother Heinrich is the capable and enthusiastic teacher of this large Bible Doctrines class. Our Bowdle young people, with many of the parents, are determined to lay their spiritual foundations deeper through a better acquaintance with Denominational History and Bible Doctrines.

Tolstoy, too, is taking up the Study and Service League program. Moberg is at it. In Greenway Brother John Bitzer is leading out solidly with a class membership which represents a major share of the church members.

Seventh-day Adventists have the reputation of being unusually well versed in the doctrines of their faith. Surely we ought in these challenging times, to be able to give an answer for the hope that is in us. Let us prove ourselves worthy of the standard others hold for us. Many of our South Dakota M. V.'s are on the march. Let us all get into the lines. Fuller knowledge prepares for fuller service.

J. H. Rhoads

M. V. Secretary

## M. V. Rally For District Number 2

Missionary Volunteer Rally for District No. 2 will be held at Madison, February 17 to 19. The first meeting is called for Friday evening, February 17, at 7:30 in the Madison church. This will be a preaching service. The regular service will be held in the morning, Sabbath school beginning at ten o'clock. There will be convention session Sabbath afternoon and Sunday. This will be a district meeting and is appointed for the following churches: Madison, Ash Grove, Colman and Brookfield. All young people within attending distance should plan to be there. These conventions are for the older members as well.

J. H. Rhoads

M. V. Secretary

## Why Not Be A Master Comrade

Interest is growing throughout our field in the Master Comrade plans. Several classes are now organized and are busily at work. Persons interested in the progressive class activities, who are sixteen years of age or older and are members of the church, are not required to go through the various Junior progressive classes. They should secure a Master Comrade card from the conference M. V. Department, which briefly lists all requirements prerequisite to Master Comradship. Many adult young people and older church members find that they already have much of their work finished, and that with a little concerted effort on a few points they can qualify for investiture. I shall be glad to check these points with interested persons when visiting your church.

Those who are desirous of completing Master Comrade requirements should obtain the new book, "Master Comrade Manual," (price, sixty cents) which gives complete information on all details. All who are Master Comrades or plan to be, should provide themselves with this valuable little book. Many of our ministers, teachers, church elders and officers will doubtless be surprised to know how many of the requirements they have already met. Why not become a Master Comrade?

J. H. Rhoads

M. V. Secretary

## News Notes

Elders K. L. Gant and J. H. Rhoads were with the Sioux Falls church for a M. V. Rally Sabbath and Sunday, February 4 and 5.

Do you plan to let God talk to you each day through the pages of His book? Your conference M. V. Secretary will gladly send you a little bookmark leaflet listing the chapters for each day. When you have completed reading the Bible, let him know and a beautiful little gift booklet will be mailed to you. All of this service is without cost to you.

Morning Watch Calendars? Yes, we have a few in stock. Plain, five cents each; deluxe, fifteen cents.

Elder J. H. Rhoads plans to be with the Mitchell church Sabbath February 11.

Do you know table technique? Are you familiar with the courtesy code for births, birthdays, gradua-

tions, showers, weddings and funerals? If you would always do the proper thing at the right time and in the proper manner, secure a copy of the special S. D. A. edition of "Courtesy Book". (Price, \$1.00) from your Book and Bible House.

## Minnesota Conference

V. E. Peugh, President

C. B. Caldwell, Secretary

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## Minneapolis, Nor.-Dan. Churches

Looking back over 1938 we are constrained to say that God has been wonderfully good to us. While experiences have come our way that seemed hard and difficult for us to understand, yet through it all the Lord has sustained us and we want to serve him better.

As the records are reviewed we wish many things were different. For what has been accomplished in behalf of the kingdom of God, we give to Him all the thanks and glory.

"Thy people shall be willing in the day of Thy power". I believe we have come to that day now. As I read the reports from far and near I am convinced we have come "to the day of Thy power." It gives us as workers much courage to witness the willingness on the part of God's people.

At our recent business meeting the treasurer, Brother C. C. Dammen, presented the following figures: tithe for the year amounted to \$4,734.05, which is \$171.00 more than for the previous year; Sabbath school offerings \$1,125.26, or \$201.00 more than for 1937; Harvest Ingathering was \$1,265.00, or \$28.00 over 1937; and miscellaneous mission funds amounted to \$388.06. The grand total for home and foreign missions amounted to \$9,163.30. As a church we realize it is only by the help and blessings of God that this has been accomplished.

We are very grateful to Him for the souls who have been added to the church. During the year fourteen have been added by baptism to the Norwegian-Danish church, and eight to the North church; three on profession of faith to the Norwegian-Danish, and two to the North church; also five by letter. We have been made sad by the removal of three by death, and seven by apostasy. Eight letters have been granted for mem-

bers transferring to sister churches.

We take up the work with courage and hope as the New Year's privileges come to us, and we pray that the "willingness" which our Father in Heaven wants us to have may be found in the heart of every one of our church members during 1939.

N. R. Nelson - Pastor

### A Marvelous Work

"Unvarnished truth must be spoken, in leaflets and pamphlets, and these must be scattered like the leaves of autumn." Test. Vol. IX. p. 231.

Heeding this counsel and instruction given to the remnant people through the servant of the Lord, the brethren and the sisters in District No. 1 have scattered no less than eleven thousand of the "New Era Tracts" in their respective communities. The participants in this marvelous work have all more or less of interesting experiences to relate. In order not to be a signboard leader, just pointing out the road to others, the writer took eight hundred of these tracts and distributed them by making house to house calls.

The members of the church at Williams, after having scattered sixteen hundred of these tracts among their neighbors, had their ambitions stimulated for more of such interesting work. Consequently they secured six thousand copies of the PRESENT TRUTH for distribution in their community. This wonderful literature effort will be followed up by a more personal and concerted effort later on. May other churches in District No. 1 see light in performing the same kind of effectual missionary work in their immediate territories.

David Gulbrandson

### A Visit to Maplewood

It was a pleasant privilege for Mrs. Wiest and me to visit Maplewood Academy the week-end of January 20 and 21. We were very glad to meet with the student body at their Friday night Vesper service. It was an inspiration to hear the ringing testimonies as they spoke of their hope and confidence in the Lord.

We do have a fine group of young people at our academy. It was especially impressed as I observed the earnest and fixed purpose in spiritual things as exhibited by the student body. The dormitory appeared to be a quiet and well ordered home.

The Sabbath services made this one of the special Sabbath days of the year

It was an outstanding occasion because of the afternoon service when fifteen students were buried with their Lord in baptism. Surely it does bring joy to the principal and the faculty members as well as to the parents to see these young people decide for Christ and eternity. This baptismal service gives evidence that the management and faculty do not only emphasize book knowledge and the development of the mind, but also the development of the spiritual and the saving of the soul. This is the real objective of our denominational educational centers. The secular schools are well equipped for the training and development of the mental faculties, but they are not fitted to develop the spiritual and to make Christians of their students.

Sunday morning was a busy time. The rising bell rang at six o'clock, and breakfast was served at 6:30. By 7:30 the wheels of industry all over the plant were in operation. The students went to their assigned places for work,—in the bindery, the print shop, the laundry, the craft shop, the farm, etc. The whole school took on an atmosphere of industry and work. The students are looking forward to the time when the recreation building will be completed. This additional building will meet a great need.

We were most favorably impressed with the general spirit prevailing and with the friendly welcome received during our stay. It was an inspiration to me, and we appreciated the opportunity of this week-end visit.

C. S. Wiest

### The Message

The third angel's message is very dear to me. It has taught me that all the world must know of the truth that Jesus taught while here below; and that I must fear the dread apostasy that is looming near; that the judgment hour has come, and that I shall be judged by the deeds I have done.

My Savior's coming is very near. If I have been faithful, I have nothing to fear. By it I know that the Sabbath day is really mine, and that I must keep it holy all the time. It makes me think of the blood-washed throng, that have withstood temptation dark and strong.

If I an overcomer shall be, I shall walk with Jesus in white, in that city where there is no night, where there is no sickness, no sorrow, no pain or death; and I shall dwell forever in those mansions prepared for the blest.

Mrs. Florence Shryver

### Iowa Conference

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### Systematic Benevolence

Systematic benevolence is of divine origin. The Spirit of prophecy clearly teaches that our gifts in addition to our tithe should be regularly given, and they should be in proportion to the temporal blessings received. That means the percentage plan. The two per cent plan for debt reduction is in harmony with the principles set forth in "Testimonies for the Church." Let us be consistent in our giving as well as in practical application of all the other helpful instruction we have received through the pen of inspiration.

DeWitt S. Osgood

### Your Prayer List

Have you a prayer list? Are you praying that friends and loved ones may have the joy and blessing that the light of the third angel's message brings? In the arms of strong faith and earnest supplication are you bearing them to the throne of grace? The door of mercy ere long will be closed. If ever there was a time for us to be desperately in earnest, it is now. What are you doing for those for whom your heart yearns? Are you doing your part so that God can answer your prayers? Heaven has used, is using, and will use the "Signs of the Times" as a means to bless and save. Don't delay; we must work while we pray. We are counting on every Iowa church to reach the "Signs of the Times" goal by March 1, and the goal is 10 per cent higher than it was last year. Can your church not count on you to lift a little harder?

DeWitt S. Osgood

### Special Broadcast

You'll want to listen in Sunday, February 12, to the special one hour broadcast to be given over WHO between 11:00 A. M. and 12:00 noon. The program will be given as a symposium. The following named brethren will give short talks: Eugene Woesner, Elder B. A. Scherr, and G. H. Boehrig. Elder W. A. Howe will speak on the topic, "The Cross of Christ the Central Theme of the Scriptures." Mrs. Eugene Woesner

will sing, and there will be other musical numbers.

This special program is given in addition to the regular 9:15 A. M. broadcast over WHO (dial 1000) every Sunday morning. Invite your friends to tune in.

DeWitt S. Osgood

### Report from the Theological Seminary

The Seventh-day Adventist Theological Seminary was established to give opportunity for advanced study in Bible and religious history. In these days of eagerness to keep up with the changing standards in secular education, there is great danger of crowding out the study of the Bible. Advanced study along the lines of Bible and religious history cannot be satisfactorily cared for in the worldly schools of higher learning. In order to supply this need, and thereby make our workers better qualified to carry on a greater and more successful work, the Seminary was founded.

It is my unexpected and great privilege to be attending the Seminary at the present time. I have been here only two weeks, but I feel well repaid already. The old fundamentals are restated, but we dig deeper to find more of the great truths which are found after more thorough and careful study. New and broader interpretations of the prophecies are searched out, the whole purpose of which is to exalt Christ and make Him more real.

The school offers specialized training in chosen fields. It is really a continuation of college training on a graduate level. In most of the classes the seminar method is followed. The class gets the benefit of what each member of it has found in his study, and there is freedom of expression.

Aside from the classroom instruction, the city in which the school is located provides inexhaustible sources of education. The great inventions and changes which are so prominent, are in themselves reminders that we need to prepare to do a quicker and better work. Improvements in methods are essential to meet the modern mind and trends. Only that higher education which meets heaven's approval, the kind that this Seminary has been found to do, will come near meeting the needs.

The thirty-seven students enrolled this winter represent the states of California, Indiana, Iowa, Maryland, Oklahoma, and Kansas, and the fol-

lowing countries: Canada, China, Argentina, Norway, India, Central America, the Philippine Islands, Malaya, and Germany.

The chapel periods each week bring to us the results of the research work done by some of our leading men, also counsel, advice, and valuable information from men of responsibility at the head of our world-wide work. The Friday evening vesper services are just as helpful and inspiring as those of our other school days, the memory of which we all cherish.

A more effective and aggressive work and a better balanced program, is the goal of the students who attend the Seventh-day Adventist Theological Seminary.

W. R. Archbold



Iowa Sanitarium and Hospital  
"The Health Center"

### Iowa Sanitarium News Items

Miss Darlene Leitner, an O. P. A. student, submitted to an appendectomy operation last week and has made excellent recovery. Her mother has been with her and both will soon return to their home in Sioux City.

Caroline Schulz has returned to the sanitarium after spending some time with friends in Atlantic, Iowa.

Mrs. Joseph Nelson, of the Decorah church, has come to the sanitarium for a few days treatment and a check up.

Dewey Howell, of the Mason City church who submitted to major surgery last week, is also making a very good recovery.

Among other major surgicals are Miss Virginia Biddle, Mr. Edward A. Anderson and Mr. Frank Purk of Nevada; also Miss Ila Evans of Maxwell, Iowa.

Other recent registrants are: Mrs. Ross Morfey, of the Nevada church, and little daughter, Alice Marlene; Mrs. Ira Vail Fernald; Mrs. Geo. Benjamin, Nevada; Rev. Minos Stevens, Des Moines; Mr. Frank Ingalls, Nevada; Mrs. Maurice Warren and little son, of Cambridge; Mr. Geo. Lynch, Jewell; and Mrs. Edgar Farn-

### MISSIONARY VOLUNTEER

RALLY—District No. 7

February 11—Sydney, Iowa

ALL ARE INVITED

worth, Centerville. Mrs. Farnsworth is a sister-in-law of the late Abbie Farnsworth of the Oskaloosa church.

### Is There a Cure?

What to do to help members of the family becoming addicted to the drink habit is a very grave question in many homes today. Writers in our papers and magazines make various appeals, dealing with the question from a physical standpoint, and often directing to divine power. In the January and February issues of HEALTH, Dr. Louis P. Thorpe discusses in the light of psychological research the whole question of liquor—why people drink, and carry on to the point of intoxication, and what they can do to reform. Dr. Thorpe is Assistant Professor of Educational Psychology in the University of Southern California. These articles are unique and outstanding and will help many people. You will want to read them, and put these issues into the hands of those who need this help. HEALTH comes to you every month, if you are a Seventh-day Adventist living in the United States, for only 75 cents. It is one of your best health investments for the new year. If outside the U. S. A., your special (S. D. A.) rate is \$1.00 for the year.

### Obituaries

Sheldon.—Mrs. Lettie Sheldon, nee Emerson, was born in New York State, July 4, 1848, and died at Battle Creek, Michigan, November 26, 1938. In 1871 she married John Sheldon. To this union were born four children: one son dying in infancy; Bertha [Mrs. Joseph Hounsell], who died in 1928; Harold J. of Temple City, California; and Earnest L. of Battle Creek, Michigan. Sister Sheldon has been a faithful member of the church for forty-five years. She won her husband and two sons to the faith. In her last few days she talked of the blessed hope of the soon-coming Saviour. She was laid to rest in the family plot at Alexandria, Minnesota.  
H. A. Vandeman

Davis.—Mary Elizabeth Davis, the daughter of Captain Lewis and Mary Jane Roof, was born at Dallas, Illinois, April 14, 1869, and died December 16, 1938, at Red Oak, Iowa, at the age of sixty-nine years, after an illness of about three weeks. When a child she went with her mother to Red Oak, where she grew up to woman-

hood. In 1906 she was married to William T. Davis. She was a member of the Iowa Conference church of Seventh-day Adventists. She was an earnest Christian and fell asleep with courage and hope of a part in the first resurrection. To her neighbors she was kind-hearted and always ready to assist any in need of help. She leaves to mourn: her husband, William T. Davis; one grandson, Bernard Pickrel; and one great granddaughter, Peggy May Pickrel; also three brothers: Abraham Roof and Calvin Roof, both of Council Bluffs; and John Roof, of Red Oak. The interment took place at Red Oak.

**Bernhard Petersen.**  
Haughey.—Mrs. Stephen Girard Haughey, nee Florence Willmore, was born November 12, 1875, at Aston, Birmingham, England, and died at Nashville, Tennessee, November 26, 1938, at the age of sixty-three years. At the age of eighteen she became a Seventh-day Adventist and was a faithful member throughout life. On September 24, 1902, at her home in Birmingham, England, she was united in marriage with Elder S. G. Haughey. To this union were born two children, Paul Stephen, and Ruth Florence. Paul, the principal of the Louisville, Kentucky, intermediate school, was with his mother several days prior to her death. The daughter, Ruth, had been caring for her mother several months.

In 1921 Elder and Mrs. Haughey returned to the United States, to be met at the boat by a message calling them to the Alabama Conference. He was president of Alabama conference until a year later when he was called to the same position in Nebraska for two more years, followed by three years in Minnesota. In January, 1937, he accepted the pastorate of the Lexington, Kentucky, church, and in April, 1938, he accepted an invitation to connect with the Southern Publishing Association at Nashville, Tennessee.

Following her marriage Mrs. Haughey spent about twenty years with her husband in evangelistic and administrative work in England. The World War occurred during this time, and Mrs. Haughey went through all the terrors of air raids and food shortage, with bombs dropping within a few doors of her home. In addition to caring for her two babies, she mothered all the needy of the church. The beginning of her ill health dates from those trying war days.

During all these years of her husband's official and evangelistic service Mrs. Haughey was a conscientious, efficient helper and burden bearer. She did much public work in colporteur service, music, and public speaking. In 1930 she had a nervous breakdown, and for five months she was a patient in the Boulder Sanitarium, making a very good recovery. A year ago at Lexington, Kentucky, she did much more than her share in the Harvest Ingathering, and in December, 1937, sold 125 small books in her neighborhood. In January, 1938, she had a second nervous breakdown and spent three months at the Pewee Valley Sanitarium. From this illness she never recovered, and on the Sabbath after Thanksgiving her tired body rested. She leaves to mourn, her devoted husband, Elder S. G. Haughey; a son and daughter, Paul S. Haughey and Mrs. J. F. Haller, in England one brother, Alfred, and one sister, Mrs. Rose Loffman; and in America a brother, Thomas Wilmore, Jr., of Detroit.

The funeral service was held at Nashville, Tennessee, and was conducted by Elder J. K. Jones, president of the Southern Union Conference; W. R. White, treasurer of the Southern Publishing Association; and writer, after

which we laid Sister Haughey to rest in the Adventist cemetery at Bordeaux.

**James E. Shultz.**  
McGillivray.—Charles Victor McGillivray was born July 3, 1874, at Wilton Junction, Iowa. He accepted the advent message under the labors of Elder Gaede during 1895 while in Iowa, and resided in that conference for many years. When he located in Ogden, Utah, some years ago, he was elected church elder and served in that capacity until his death November 27, 1938. He was always active in every phase of Christian endeavor, and a loyal supporter to the cause of God and missions. His hope and trust were in God to the end. He leaves to mourn: two daughters, Mrs. Eva Harker of Oakland, California; Mrs. Florence Kelly of Chicago, Illinois; and one son, Howard McGillivray of Tama, Iowa; and his wife, Lola G. French McGillivray of Ogden, Utah. He was laid to rest to await the call of the Life-giver.

**H. A. Rentfro.**  
Randall.—Rufus R. Randall, son of Mr. and Mrs. Maxen S. Randall, was born on August 5, 1880, in Warsaw Township, Rice County, Minnesota. Here he spent most of his life and received his early education, later attending the State Agricultural College in St. Paul. After a severe illness, through not of long duration, he passed away on Friday, December 9, and was laid to rest in the family burial lot at Warsaw, Minnesota, being past his fifty-eighth year. On March 20, 1931, he united in marriage to Gertrude Adele Kisor. To this union were born three children: a son who died in infancy; and two daughters, Everene K. Randall of Minneapolis, and Mrs. T. D. Overacker of Warsaw. These, with two grandchildren and his faithful companion, survive his death. He united with the Seventh-day Adventist church more than eighteen years ago, and with his wife and children, was always a helpful and devoted member and loyal to all the interests of the cause. He will be greatly missed as a loving husband, devoted father, and esteemed brother in Christ.

**J. W. Christian.**  
Iverson.—Anna Lein Iverson was born in Turdahl, Norway, October 4, 1857 and passed to her rest at the home of her son in Minneapolis, Minnesota, December 11, 1938. She came to America in July 1885 and lived in Watertown, South Dakota, for two years. She was united in marriage to Fred Boyden and after a year and a half the death of her husband left her alone with their son Frank. She then moved to Minneapolis where she has lived since. Besides her son she is mourned by three brothers and one granddaughter. She was a very faithful member of the Norwegian-Danish Seventh-day Adventist church in Minneapolis; was a kind mother and loved God's church and His people. The writer conducted her funeral from the church, and our sister rests at Crystal Lake Cemetery to await the call of the Life-giver.

N. R. Nelson

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Bks. Hrs. Orders Del.

Minnesota—C. G. Cross, Sec.			
Karl Evenson	BR	58	268.65 18.40
Virginia Rust	Mag.	42	15.00 15.00
H. E. Preston	BR	43	78.40 22.45
R. J. Jones	GC	40	46.50 19.50
Carrie Powers	Mag.	36	8.40 8.40
Clare G. Rust	Mag.	33	16.10 16.10
Gwendolyn Judd	HG	34	6.70 2.40
Myrtle Peterson	GC	29	20.75 .50
Fred Reeve	BR	22	9.70 1.75
Mrs. Netteberg	Mag.	15	9.15 9.15
Harold Santini	GC	13	4.05 2.55
Ezra Geer	HP	11	25.95
Mrs. C. R. Wilson			5.25 5.25
Total		376	488.65 147.40

Iowa—G. H. Boehrig, Sec.			
Elsie A. Fahr	Mag.	8	3.60 3.60
*Wm. Betts	BR	98	63.00
Roy Chamberlain	BR	33	13.25 2.50
Wm. Howell	COL	16	10.60 10.60
A. E. Johnson	Misc.	21	5.25 6.00
Ray T. Kroll	HP	41	8.25 2.50
Hazel Messenger	H	40	13.45 13.45
H. W. Niswonger	Misc.	43	118.86 118.86
Glenn Shelton	BR	30	13.50 10.00
Howard Strickland	BR	36	11.25 5.60
Total		366	261.01 173.11

North Dakota—Roger Baker, Sec.			
T. K. Brewer	BR	38	49.50
Orvel Croston	Misc.	14	12.25 2.95
Norman Peterson	BR	38	18.50 28.50
Charles Root	GC	23	2.25 .75
Gunda Torkelson	Misc.		14.00 14.00
Mrs. R. Vinnard	Misc.		6.00 6.00
Total		113	102.50 52.20

South Dakota—R. H. Brown, Sec.			
Vernon Juhl	HG	40	2.00 1.50
Mrs. Vernon Juhl	HG	38	2.90
Mrs. A. Scofield	HWS	25	12.75 3.25
A. H. Liebelt	RJ	25	39.00
Terry Dietrich	LH		1.20 1.20
J. A. Dovich	H		1.50 1.50
Mrs. F. Gaffney	H		3.00 3.00
Mrs. H. Johnson	LH		3.00 3.00
*C. A. Lindquist	H	22	25.50 13.50
Mrs. J. Nahorney	H		6.25 6.25
Total		150	97.10 33.20

\* Three Weeks

Total for Union 1005 949.26 405.91

### Sunset Calendar

"Remember the Sabbath day, to keep it holy. Six days shalt thou labor, and do all thy work: but the seventh day is the Sabbath of the Lord thy God."  
February 10, 1939

Des Moines, Iowa	5:40
St. Paul, Minnesota	5:32
Bismarck, North Dakota	5:59
Pierre, South Dakota	5:46

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