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## Someone Is Soul-winning

By D. V. POND

Is it you? we are wondering. Someone began a little missionary project and it has grown, perhaps more than was expected in the beginning. Just recently there came to The Voice of Prophecy a letter from a lady not of our faith, who wrote: "Recently, through some unknown friend, I have been receiving a small publication known as *Present Truth*, and with it this week came the enclosed blank which I have filled out. I would be pleased to join your Voice of Prophecy Bible Correspondence Class. Thanks to my unknown friend and to you for the inspiration I receive through your wonderful messages over the air."

Yes, first it was just a *Present Truth*. Then came the idea to en-

close the enrollment blank for the Bible course. Now this lady is interested in the *Present Truth* and its wonderful messages on the great doctrines of the Bible. She is study-

### Sabbath—May 6

*Medical Missionary Day* comes but once a year—this year the date is Sabbath, May 6. A full program has been prepared and appears in your *Church Officers' Gazette*.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT  
GENERAL CONFERENCE OF  
S. D. A.

ing the Bible more carefully verse by verse in the Bible correspondence course, and is today an inspired listener to the messages as they go out over the ether waves Sunday after Sunday from the Voice of Prophecy broadcasting group. With everything working together, something is going to happen! Yes, a chain has been forged by someone—who, we do not know. But there is One above who does know, and someone's angel is recording the story from the first *Present Truth* given out, to the final results in the kingdom of heaven.

If you are not the one, don't you wish you were?

## "Signs" and Missionary Correspondence Wins Soul in Arkansas

A box of strawberries and the *Signs of the Times* helped to bring the Advent message to Mrs. Sarah E. Rogers.

Some years ago Mrs. W. A. McKibben bought some strawberries at a grocery store in Mason City, Iowa, and upon emptying the box noticed a note from the person in Arkansas who picked them, asking how much money was paid for them.

Mrs. McKibben answered this question and sent with her reply a *Signs of the Times* and a *Youth's Instructor*. Thus began a long, interesting correspondence between the two women, which developed in the strawberry picker a real in-



MRS. MABLE PHILLIPS  
AND DAUGHTER

terest in Seventh-day Adventism. During Ingathering campaigns she would send Mrs. McKibben generous contributions, and would in turn receive subscriptions for *Signs of the Times* and the *Review and Herald*.

Meanwhile, Mrs. McKibben notified the Arkansas conference president about Mrs. Roger's interest, and he and his wife went to see her. In the autumn of that year she joined the Seventh-day Adventist church, of which she was a faithful member until her death last November.

This good woman had two children, the younger of whom was a widow with one daughter. Several

years ago, the widowed daughter, Mrs. Mable Phillips, joined her mother in the Advent hope, and then obtained work in a hospital where she could keep the Sabbath and send her little girl to church school. At present they live in Tennessee, where the daughter, now fifteen years old, attends Highland Academy in Fountain Head, and her mother is an office nurse in the Portland Clinic.

The accompanying picture presents Mrs. Mable Phillips and her daughter, both of whom are living witnesses to the soul-winning virtue of the *Signs*.

MORE "SIGNS"—MORE HOMES  
—MORE SOULS

### General Conference Session —Information Regarding Hotels and Other Arrangements

This word may be helpful to those planning to attend the General Conference Session in San Francisco, July 10-22, 1950.

On March 15, 1950, a list of hotels with room rates and other pertinent information will be compiled and ready for distribution. This information can be secured by writing to Alvin G. Munson, Secretary Housing Committee, Box 146, Glendale, California.

It is planned that those requesting this list of hotels will make their own room reservations by writing directly to these hotels with whom arrangements have been made. Full information, San Francisco maps, and directions, together with identification cards will be sent with this list of hotels. Be sure to send for this information, and we advise you to make hotel reservations as early as possible after receiving the list. The Registration and Information desk located in the Civic Auditorium will have a list of hotel rooms available for those who wish them on their arrival in San Francisco.

Many have written wanting to be in the Whitcomb Hotel. The available rooms in the Whitcomb Hotel have been reserved for the General Conference staff and certain overseas delegates. However, there will be many good hotels

not far from the auditorium that will be available. There will be no shortage of rooms. There will be rooms for all who wish to come. *As far as we can ascertain, there will be no housekeeping apartments available.* Very few auto courts are available within the city of San Francisco.

Parking space for cars around the Civic Auditorium will be very limited. It is advised that those who drive to the meeting plan to park their cars in parking lots or garages, and use public transportation to the meeting.

Full post office, checking, registration and information services will be carried on in the Civic Auditorium for the Session.

H. H. HICKS,  
*Chairman Housing Committee.*

CLAUDE CONARD,  
*Business Manager for Session.*

### Special Voice of Prophecy Broadcast

A broadcast that you will not want to miss is to be released over both the Mutual System and the American Broadcasting Company on Sunday, April 30. This broadcast is to originate in the Denver Civic Auditorium at the time of the Central Union Youth's Congress.

H. M. S. Richards, who has now returned from his world tour, will be on the air, as will also E. R. Walde, associate speaker, and the King's Heralds, with their beautiful arrangements of gospel songs we all love so well.

Two special choral groups from Union College, Lincoln, Nebraska, will also be heard on the broadcast. The Golden Chords Chorale of 40 voices and the Orpheus Male Chorus, also 40 voices, will participate in the program.

Be sure to listen to this unique broadcast over your regular Voice of Prophecy station on Sunday, April 30.

D. V. POND.

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### "Spiritual Splendor"

How better could the great work that is being accomplished by The Voice of Prophecy be described than by the expression, "spiritual splendor"? — for thousands who have been dwelling, some even a lifetime, in the hovels of error and in the deserts of sin, are today being lifted into the palaces of truth. And what a power that truth is having on their hearts and lives!

"I am giving my heart to Christ. Through your lessons I have learned how much He means to me."

"I shall always be grateful to The Voice of Prophecy for giving me back my faith in people, and once again filling my heart with love to help others. I find that sharing their trouble in sickness and heartaches, and making them happy brings happiness to my own soul.

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My prayers are with you, dear friends, for the wonderful work you are doing."

"Please accept my sincere thanks for the lovely diploma sent to me. Words are inadequate to express my appreciation for the helpful instruction given me. I have both legs amputated and am confined to a wheel chair. May God bless you for the help you have given me and others."

"The diploma was received some days ago, but I waited to write until I could send a donation for your radio work. I can never put in words the good I have received from the Bible course I've taken from you. No amount of money could begin to pay the worth of them, so the best I can say is 'Thank you a trillion times!'"

"Thank you for the Junior Bible Lessons. When you are sick it helps

to have friends like Jesus and you." (A Junior.)

Yes, many of these precious souls studying His message through The Voice of Prophecy Senior and Junior Bible Courses are going to shine forth in spiritual splendor in the land of never-ending day.

Wouldn't you, dear fellow-believer, like to have a little part in helping someone to be there? Just a little heartfelt prayer added to a personal invitation to a neighbor, friend, or relative, to enroll may be all that it will require. Try it! And then stand prayerfully by and watch the working of His sweet Spirit.

D. V. POND.

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### "Signs" Distribution Interests 500 Prospects in India

It happened in Sawyerpuram, a remote district tucked away in South India, where a club of *Signs* sponsored by some friend in the United States through the World Extension program, has been distributed faithfully during the past two years. Unknown to those who continued to sow the seed over a sizable area, its message was received gladly by a large group, who were dissatisfied with their nominal church affiliations. Brother A. Manuel, one of our workers in that remote corner of poor, darkened India presents a most interesting report of a bountiful harvest in immediate prospect, where many *Signs* have been distributed.

## Mid-Century Ingathering to April 15, 1950

OUR AIM—EVERY MEMBER A MINUTEMAN FOR CHRIST

\$18.23  
Minuteman  
Mark

#### IOWA

Year Receipts		
1949—\$13,500	□□□□□□□□□□	3.80
1950— 13,200	■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■	3.72

#### MINNESOTA

1949— 13,000	□□□□□□□□	2.91
1950— 7,250	■ ■ ■ ■ ■	1.69

#### NORTH DAKOTA

1949— 9,500	□□□□□□□□□□	3.82
1950— 7,500	■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■	3.06

#### SOUTH DAKOTA

1949— 13,000	□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□□	7.63
1950— 13,500	■ ■	8.03

#### UNION

1949— 49,000	□□□□□□□□□□	4.02
1950— 41,450	■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■ ■	3.46

Our first minuteman district in the Union is in South Dakota. It is the district pastored by R. D. Necker.

#### MINUTEMAN CHURCHES

- Iowa—Harlan
- Minnesota—Pipestone, Austin
- North Dakota—Edmore, Grand Forks, Walhalla, Dunn Center
- South Dakota—Miller, Yankton

The fact that nine churches and

one whole district in this union conference have already reached the minuteman goal, is surely evidence that all can do it during the Ingathering campaign period without an unreasonable amount of effort or sacrifice, if all or nearly all of the members respond and do their part. It is obviously unfair for the bulk of the funds so much needed to have to be raised or contributed by a minority of the members. So may I appeal in this way especially to

those who have as yet done or given only a little in this great soul-winning effort, to not delay longer in doing or giving their share, in order that the objective may be reached in the allotted time. If all participate in the effort and sacrifice, success will be sure and all may then have the privilege of sharing in the welcome "well done," and the promised reward for faithful service.

A. R. SMOUSE.



CHURCH GROUP INTERESTED THROUGH "SIGNS" DISTRIBUTION

"Very recently the Anglican church members numbering almost 500, dissatisfied with their church activities, separated themselves from the congregation. They have built a church of their own, and have requested me to preach to them from week to week. So the message has been presented to them with regular frequency through the *Signs*, and all of them believe that this is God's message of truth for this hour. Now they all want to join our mission. The accompanying picture presents most of this large group of prospective believers. (Brother Manuel appears in the center with a dark coat.) All the members of this entire group have enthusiastically affirmed that they have no desire to join any other mission."

We frequently recall the Saviour's own words concerning the measure of the harvest of the seed-sowing, as recorded in Matthew 13:8, "But other fell into good ground, and brought forth fruit, some an hundredfold, some sixtyfold, some thirtyfold." We seldom hear reports from any part of the world mission field of such marvelous soul-winning return from *Signs* distribution as the experience presented in this column. Surely, even now, the Lord of the harvest is bringing conviction to hearts everywhere. Again we are reminded of the assuring promise given to this people many years ago by Mrs. E. G. White: "God will soon do great things for us if we be humble and believing at His feet. More than 1,000 will soon be converted in a day, most of whom will trace their first conviction to the reading of our literature."—

*Review and Herald*, November 10, 1885.

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MORE SOULS

## MINNESOTA

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### Willmar's Response to Pakistan's Call

The statement by Jesus in Matthew 6:21, "For where your treasure is, there will your heart be also," might also be paraphrased to read, "where your heart is, there will your treasure go." Relatives of

members of the Willmar church are serving in the mission field of Pakistan. The heart of the Willmar church is in that field and a large Thirteenth Sabbath offering was speeded on its way by the program held March 25.

The children's division sang songs and choruses and repeated Bible verses. Even two-year-old Linda Croak stood very reverently with the rest, representing her little cousin in Pakistan. Alice Croak Spencer read a letter from her sister, Mrs. Ruth Croak Brown, who with her husband, Kenneth Brown, are missionaries in Pakistan. Mrs. Brown grew up as a member in the Willmar church. In her letter she told of a lady who happened to pick up an Ingathering *Signs* that had been left in a place of business. She wrote for more information and was visited by the district missionary, Pastor Hamel, and later by Pastor and Mrs. Brown. This family is now rejoicing in this message.

Not so pleasant on that 13th Sabbath morning in the Willmar church, was the thought of Elder Charles Robbins and his wife, Dr. Carrie Robbins, into whose home death came this past year. Elder Robbins was stricken with polio and was never permitted to finish the work he set out to accomplish in Pakistan. Dr. Carrie Robbins has written, "Let us arouse to the task and quickly finish the work so Jesus can come and put an end to



CHILDREN'S DIVISION IN THE WILLMAR SABBATH SCHOOL,

all the sin, suffering, and death that we see all around us."

The church of forty members at Willmar responded to this appeal from Pakistan with an offering of \$200.71.

GUY FREDERICKSON, M. D.

## Between the Book Ends

*Our Dog Friends*, compiled by Ernest Lloyd. Remarkable stories about one of man's best friends, the dog; yes, about a number of dogs. Sport carried a red flag and stopped a train. Sandy found a lost pocket-book. When poor old Muggs was old and had asthma, his owner decided that it would be best to chloroform him and put him out of his misery; but it did not work out that way. Many pages of interesting dog stories. Bound in cloth, price, \$1.65.

*Stories Jesus Told*, by Madge Haines Morrill. Bobby and Ruth spent a summer's vacation on the farm with grandpa and grandma. Every hour was packed full of the most unusual and interesting happenings. During the summer, grandma, at the right times, told the children many of the stories which Jesus had told, stories which bear retelling and which growing boys and girls will not forget. Bound in cloth, price, \$1.65.

MINNESOTA BOOK AND BIBLE HOUSE.

## Baptism in Minneapolis

Members of the Southside Minneapolis church witnessed an impressive scene Sabbath afternoon, April 15, at the First Minneapolis church, as two young ladies indicated through baptism their desire to accept Christ as their personal Saviour.

Jeanine McEachran, of Columbia Heights, is the youngest of the three sisters who have been faithfully attending church for the last few years. Geraldine Bohlin, a bride of just a few weeks, severed her ties with Catholicism in order to establish a home on the Christian standards which we have learned to cherish.

These young people are only two of several with whom Pastor J. A. Nordstrom has been studying for

some time. We are confident the others also will take their stand before long. May God richly bless Jeanine and Geraldine as they hold high the banner of truth.

Our sincere appreciation to R. H. Zima, of the First church, who as host had everything in readiness for the baptismal service; and to Thelma Zima who graciously volunteered the use of her talent at the organ.

NORELL ANDERSON.

## Girls Wanted!

How often we see this sign in stores, restaurants, and laundries.

Today Maplewood Academy wants twelve girls, aged sixteen or over, for employment in the book-bindingery.

If you are a sincere Christian young woman, desirous of obtaining a Christian education, we want to help you by providing work to assist you in earning part of your school expenses.

The Maplewood Academy Book-bindingery is a Christian industry, operating in a Christian school, for Christian youth. Please write for details to

Paul S. Haughey,  
Maplewood Academy,  
Hutchinson, Minnesota.

## Did You Know?

Did you know that the Maplewood Academy farm comprises 230 acres, including thirty acres of campus and north woods?

That the land is very productive, raising 20 acres of silage corn, and 50 acres of ear corn?

That the farm last year produced:

2600 bushels of ear corn  
130 bushels of wheat  
2700 bushels of oats  
2430 bales of alfalfa  
1850 bales of oat and wheat straw?

That this year we will have to substitute 25 acres formerly planted to corn to soy beans or other crops?

Did you know that at present Maplewood's dairy herd consists of 39 cows and they are now producing nearly 1000 pounds of milk daily which averages 4.8% butter fat?

That 1 cow and 5 heifers will freshen within two weeks?

That for future herd building we have 12 long-yearling heifers, a yearling bull, and 8 heifer calves?

Did you know the farm has given an average of \$3726.45 in student labor for the past ten years?

That the farm carries nearly \$6,000 of the school indirect and administrative expense?

That last year we raised over 3 acres of vegetables and corn for the cafeteria?

That, if and when the weather permits, a much larger garden will be planted this year?

A. N. JOHNSON.

## Camp Meeting

It will soon be time for most of us to plan quite definitely for camp meeting, which will be held at Anoka from June 15 to 25.

Since this is the year of the General Conference session in California we feel that there undoubtedly will be an unusual amount of special help at our meeting this summer. Many foreign missionaries will be in the country and also a number of native workers. We all remember with joy our visitors from the South Pacific last year. It is planned that Elders Eckenroth and Brown, of the General Conference, will be with us for a few days.

Delegates are to be chosen by each church to attend the biennial session where the conference committee and officers will be elected for the ensuing two years.

Camp-meeting order blanks will be sent out to the local elders to be distributed to those who plan to attend. Please send in your order early.

We hope to see many of you at Anoka in June. Come early and plan to stay the whole time.

E. R. COLSON.

Man can shape circumstances, but circumstances should not be allowed to shape the man. We should seize upon circumstances as instruments with which to work. We are to master them, but should not permit them to master us.—*Ellen G. White, "Gospel Workers,"* p. 292.

## NORTH DAKOTA

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### News Notes

★ Week-end appointments on April 15 included J. H. Lantry, at Wahpeton and Lisbon; I. E. Anunsen, at Gackle; and R. D. Steinke, at Bismarck.

★ A workers' meeting was held at the Jamestown church on April 10. We were especially appreciative of the valuable help and contribution to the workers' meeting made by J. D. Smith and C. E. Guenther. J. D. Smith conducted a practical devotional period in the morning and D. C. Butherus led out in the meetings of the day. There was a fine spirit of freedom in discussion by all the workers with everyone contributing as various problems were presented and given study in connection with district work.

★ At the present writing almost all of the workers have arrived at their new locations and taken up their new duties. In fact, the only moves that are left involve L. H. Rahn from Minot to the Fargo district, and the securing of another worker for the Minot district.

★ At this writing the Jamestown flood has caused the evacuation from their homes of two of our workers as well as affecting some of our other members. We hope that conditions will improve soon. Word has reached us that the flood waters have also come to some other areas where our North Dakota believers live. We would like to suggest that the members of the nearest local Seventh-day Adventist church take action to render what aid they can; also please notify the conference, because we want to do all we can to cooperate where our believers may be in hardship or difficulty.

And whatsoever ye do, do it heartily, as to the Lord, and not unto men; knowing that of the Lord ye shall receive the reward of the inheritance: for ye serve the Lord Christ.—Col. 3: 23,24.

## SOUTH DAKOTA

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### Bible House Items

Here is good news for those of our members who desire to purchase temperance literature.

We have just received word from the publishers that the 1950 Temperance Education issue of *Signs of the Times* is available.

Some of the articles which will be found in this special Temperance *Signs* are listed as follows:

"Death in the Shadows," by Mervyn G. Hardinge, M. D.,

"Men of Distortion," by George Knox Strong

"Athletes Speak Their Mind," Allied Youth

"Alcohol in the Test Tube," by H. O. Swartout, M. D.

"Is There Help for the Problem Drinker?" by Harold Shryock, M. D.

"A Chapter from Life," by Leila Gilhousen

"The Enemy in the Glass," by Bishop Wilbur E. Hammaker

"Behind the Steering Wheel with Alcohol," by Francis A. Soper

"If Advertising Told the Truth," by Clayton M. Wallace

The rates are the same as last year:

1000 copies	-----	\$22.50
500 copies	-----	12.50
100 copies	-----	3.00
25 copies	-----	1.00
1 copy	-----	.05

May we have the pleasure of ordering a supply for you?

SOUTH DAKOTA  
BOOK AND BIBLE HOUSE.

### Fiftieth Wedding Anniversary

Elder and Mrs. J. R. Staton, pioneer workers in the Black Hills district, were honored guests at the district celebration of their fiftieth wedding anniversary on Saturday night, March 11, in the Rapid City Y. W. C. A. auditorium. The celebration, sponsored by the Mission-

ary Volunteers of the local church, was attended by over one hundred well-wishers in spite of the inclement weather.

A varied program was given, each church group participating in turn, while biographical sketches from the lives of the Statons were read. The climax of the occasion was the presentation to the honored guests of a beautiful set of dishes, service for twelve, trimmed in gold; to which they responded, expressing their appreciation and giving interesting experiences of their married lives, and of their work for the Lord.

The "bride of fifty years" then cut the wedding cake, which was served with other cake and ice cream to the guests. The local Dorcas ladies were in charge of guest signatures in the golden anniversary memory book, which they presented to Elder and Mrs. Staton.

We are confident that their many friends throughout the area outside of the Black Hills, join us in wishing these dear folk the Lord's richest blessing as they continue their loving companionship into the sunset of life, and look toward the soon coming of our Redeemer and life everlasting in the earth made new.

GEORGE L. CHALKER.

### 1950 Junior Camp In the Black Hills

Spring is here; summer is rapidly approaching. Before we realize it, the time will be here for our 1950 junior camp. The camp will commence on June 25 and last until July 2. Please, note the early date of the camp this year. This early schedule will permit many juniors to come this year for there will be no interference with the harvest.

We expect an attendance of 100 Juniors and would suggest to all parents to encourage their children to make early plans and applications. The charge will be the same as last year, \$13.00 for the season, and a \$2.00 discount for those living east of the Missouri to help equalize the travel expense. The Black Hills Junior Camp is one of the most beautiful spots which nature can provide, in the heart of the Black Hills. Emphasis will be



1949 BLACK HILLS JUNIOR CAMP

laid on outdoor activity such as nature hikes and study. One of the special events will be a hike to the "Shrine of Democracy." We expect to take a picture of the juniors in kodachrome at the foot of the monument. This picture, we plan to

make available to the *Youth's Instructor* and other denominational papers. It is our sincere endeavor to provide physical, social, and spiritual training of leadership to our children.

Will you kindly talk this matter over with your children, then fill out the application and return it to the M. V. Department of your conference.

H. R. KEHNEY.

MINUTE-MAN GOAL—\$18.23

## IOWA

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### SUNSET CALENDAR

April 28, 1950	
Des Moines, Iowa	7:09
St. Paul, Minnesota	7:13
Bismark, North Dakota	7:49
Huron, South Dakota	7:32
May 5, 1950	
Des Moines, Iowa	7:17
St. Paul, Minnesota	7:22
Bismark, North Dakota	7:58
Huron, South Dakota	7:41
May 12, 1950	
Des Moines, Iowa	7:24
St. Paul, Minnesota	7:30
Bismark, North Dakota	8:07
Huron, South Dakota	7:49

### CHURCH SCHOOL CORNER



10 SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHILDREN  
COMPLETE 16 GRADES IN S. D. A. SCHOOLS,  
9 WILL REMAIN SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTISTS,  
1 WILL EVENTUALLY APOSTATIZE.

10 SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHILDREN  
RECEIVE PARTIAL S. D. A. SCHOOL EDUCATION,  
4 WILL REMAIN SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTISTS,  
6 WILL EVENTUALLY APOSTATIZE.

10 SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHILDREN  
RECEIVE ALL SECULAR EDUCATION,  
2 WILL REMAIN SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTISTS,  
8 WILL EVENTUALLY APOSTATIZE,  
ACCORDING TO EDUCATIONAL SURVEY AVERAGES.

PAUL WHITLOW.

## OBITUARIES

**FROST.**—Burial services for Aaron H. Frost were held January 26, 1950, at the First English Adventist church in Minneapolis. Brother Frost was born June 1, 1876 and passed away January 22, 1950. About eight years ago he embraced the Adventist faith and lived a Christian life as a godly father and husband. He leaves to mourn; his wife, Mrs. Aaron Frost; two sons, and a daughter; as well as six step-children. T. S. Hill officiated at the service.

Mrs. Marco Jones.

**PIERSON.**—Elizabeth Sarah Pierson was born February 15, 1877 and passed away at Milaca, Minnesota, Monday morning, March 27, 1950. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward La Porte. In 1900 she was united in marriage with Delbert Pierson, of Baldwin Township. It was in this immediate vicinity that she spent all the days of her life. She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Henry Duden, of Euclid, Minnesota, three grandchildren, and five great-grandchildren. In addition to the above there are many devoted cousins, and scores of friends and neighbors who will miss her companionship. She was preceded in death by her husband, who passed away six years ago. Shortly after his death, she heard of the third angel's message. Accordingly, she joined the Seventh-day Adventist church at Princeton and was a faithful member until her death. She was laid to sleep at the Oak Knoll Cemetery, there to await the sound of the trumpet—the return of her beloved Lord and Saviour, Jesus Christ, on that glorious resurrection morning. Services were held at the Princeton church, where the writer spoke words of comfort to the many relatives, friends, and neighbors who had gathered there.

Leonard E. Abelson.

**BRANDMO.**—Martha Brandmo of 125 E. 48th Street, Minneapolis, passed away February 16, 1950 at the age of 86 years. Sister Brandmo was born April 10, 1863 in Norway. She was baptized about thirty-five years ago by O. O. Bernstein and has been a faithful charter member of the Seventh-day Adventist church since that time. She is survived by seven daughters and two sons. T. S. Hill officiated at the service.

"For God hath marked each sorrowing day,

And numbered every secret tear,  
And Heaven's long age of bliss shall pay  
For all His children suffer here."

—Bryant.

Mrs. Marco Jones.

**MILLER.**—Jessie B. Miller was born October 2, 1879, at Hilbert Junction, Wisconsin, and passed away at Britton, South Dakota, March 10, 1950. She was married on March 2, 1905, and shortly thereafter moved with her husband to Britton, South Dakota, where they made their home for the past 43 years. Mrs. Miller has been a long-time member of the Seventh-day Adventist church to which she remained faithful until death. Left to mourn her passing are: her husband, and two sons,—Dayhle, of Superior, Montana; and Lawrence, of New Orleans, Louisiana; also two sisters,—Mrs. H. A. Shambough, of Eau Gallie, Florida; and Mrs. D. C. Dickinson, of Sebring, Florida; one brother, Auriel Lawrence, of Sacramento, California; three grandchildren, and one great-grandchild. She was laid to rest in the Britton cemetery where she awaits the call of the Life-giver. Services were conducted by the writer.

R. E. Eckerman.

**DIEMER.**—Anna Bruhn Diemer, of Mount Pleasant, Iowa, was born in Sweden, July 9, 1882, and died at Mount Pleasant, March 20, 1950. She and her husband attended Sabbath service in Fairfield on March 18 to hear E. W. Amundson preach

on the text, "Be Still and Know That I Am God." Sister Diemer was the home missionary leader and secretary of the Mount Pleasant church at the time of her death. She and her husband, L. P. Diemer, were planning for their 50th wedding anniversary to be celebrated September 25, when their four daughters, thirteen grandchildren, and five great-grandchildren would enjoy a homecoming. Surviving, besides her husband, are: the daughters, Mrs. Ruth Rhodes, Vallejo, California; Mrs. Helen Armstrong, Oregon, Illinois; Mrs. Evelyn Simmons, Beulah, Indiana; Mrs. Lillian Samuelson, Burlington, Iowa; and three brothers, Cole, and Dave, of Mount Pleasant; and William Bruhn, of Conroy, Iowa. Funeral services were held in the Crane Funeral Home and interment was at Forest Home Cemetery in Mount Pleasant.

Paul Whitlow.

**KRIETSKY.**—Lily Plesuk Krietsky was born in the village of Malaya Bolnanka, Province of Kiev, Russia, February 17, 1867. While in Russia in her youth she was a frequent visitor to the Baptist church, for which she was persecuted by the state church. In 1892 she was united in marriage with Sinefon Krietsky. They made their home in the city of Tarascha, Russia. Longing for spiritual freedom she, with her husband and three children, immigrated to North America in 1900 and settled on a homestead two miles west of Butte, North Dakota. In 1908 they sold their homestead and bought a farm near Kongsberg where they lived until 1926. Retiring from the farm they moved to Butte where they have since made their home. During a religious revival among the new immigrants in 1908, she and her husband joined the remnant church, being charter members of the Butte Seventh-day Adventist church, and remained faithful until their deaths. Her husband preceded her in death in 1939.

She leaves to mourn six children: Michael, of Detroit, Michigan; Eva Kivachuck, of Long Beach, California; John of New Jersey; Sam, Ted, and Ralph, of Butte, North Dakota; two brothers: Sam and John Plesuk, of Butte; nine grandchildren; one great-grandchild; and a host of friends. She died in the Lord on March 5 at Long Beach, California, at the age of 83 years. She was laid to rest until the resurrection morning in the Butte cemetery. Words of comfort and hope were spoken by L. H. Rahn and the writer.

George Melashenko.

**KAPUSTENSKY.**—Jennie Kapustensky was born in the province of Ukraine, Russia, in 1874, where she spent her childhood days and grew to womanhood. She passed away at her home in McIntosh, South Dakota, on January 31, 1950. She was united in marriage with Youkm Kapustensky and the young couple came to America in 1905, homesteading near Raleigh, North Dakota, where they made their home until 1942 when they moved to McIntosh. A short time before she passed away she expressed to the writer her wish that Jesus might take her out of this world of sin and wickedness. Her husband preceded her in death, and now they lie side by side awaiting the call of the Life-giver. She leaves to mourn: four daughters, Mrs. Fred Panko, of McIntosh; Mrs. Alex Tinenko, of Williston, North Dakota; Mrs. Walter Craig, of Chicago; Mrs. Joe Willin, of Chicago; three sons, Peter Kapustensky, of Chicago; Sam Kapustensky, of Raleigh, North Dakota; Steven Kapustensky, of California; also 17 grandchildren, three great-grandchildren, and many friends. She was a faithful member of the Seventh-day Adventist church for 48 years. She was laid to rest in the cemetery at Shields, North Dakota. Words of comfort and hope were spoken by the writer.

Joel Noble.

**GRANT.**—Mary Jane Neil, was born March 14, 1854, at Lockport, Kentucky. On September 1, 1880 she was united in marriage with George W. Grant, who preceded her in death in 1910. To this

union five children were born, four of whom survive; Mrs. Susan Wells, Whitewood, South Dakota; Mrs. Carrie Evans, Marsland, Nebraska; S. T. Grant, Glendale, California; and W. R. Grant, Hemingford, Nebraska. A daughter, Mrs. Mary Grenfell, of Whitewood, preceded her in death. Besides her eight grandchildren, and thirteen great-grandchildren, a host of friends mourn her passing. Sister Grant had been a resident of Whitewood for sixty years, the last four of which were spent at the home of her daughter Mrs. Susan Wells, where she fell asleep in Jesus, March 30, 1950, at the age of 96 years. Funeral services were conducted by John R. Staton and the writer, in the Whitewood Presbyterian church. Sister Grant was laid to rest in the Whitewood cemetery to await the call of the Life-giver, whom she had served for many years. Truly another "mother in Israel" has fallen, but her influence lives on in the lives of those who knew her and loved her.

George L. Chalker.

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Bahr, E.	LH	15	14.25	14.25
Boatwright, W.	RH	48	40.75	40.75
Cox, B.	RH	40	17.95	17.95
Dove, M.*	RH	27	9.25	9.25
Dove, M.	RH	35	12.00	12.00
Greer, J.	RH	40	17.95	17.95
Greer, W. J.	RH	20	16.25	16.25
Haugsted, A.	RH	31	79.00	65.50
Jennings, E.	RH	34	48.25	43.25
Johnson, D.	RH	25	109.75	60.00
Kukuk, G.	RH	11	8.00	8.00
Pt. Tm. Worker	RH	28	114.75	114.75
Patten, E.	RH	21	63.60	44.60
Reeder, C. W.	MISC	30	409.26	409.26
Shoemate, A.*	RH	25	12.50	12.50
Shoemate, A.	RH	44	52.25	52.25
Shoemate, V.*	RH	25	58.75	55.25
Shoemate, V.	RH	36	93.80	93.80
Simmons, E.	RH	49	148.25	148.25
Venn, D.*	RH	28	21.25	21.75
Venn, D.	RH	32	27.50	13.75

Iowa's Totals 662 1389.11 1274.61  
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**SOUTH DAKOTA**—R. Kinsey, Acting Sec'y  
Hopkins, Dan RH 42 125.15 125.15  
Jones, R. J. RH 39 23.35 30.60

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