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Woodstock Junior Academy



Woodstock Junior Academy, located conveniently in a lovely country setting in picturesque Maine, is offering all the advantages of a ten grade Christian school.

For over fifteen years it has operated successfully, teaching the first eight grades, and is now ready to enter its third year of upper grade curriculum.

A definite advancement in the field of constructive entertainment has been added this year in the form of a school Lyceum Program. This brings to the student of Woodstock Junior Academy cultural talent from Atlantic Union College and selected motion pictures of outstanding quality furnished without cost to every enrolled student of the school.

An active Seventh-day Adventist church is now occupying a newly constructed building near the school. Situated so as to include a view of both valley and mountains, it offers a beautiful and inspirational setting in which to worship.

A school catalog is now in preparation. In the meantime, address all inquiries to Elder F. Hilliard, 882 Lisbon Street, Lewiston, Maine.

To avoid disappointment, apply early, as the housing facilities are limited.

Examining the Foundations

Our thoughtful laymen, who wish to have a clearer understanding of the majestic prophetic foundations of our faith, will welcome the new Volume II of *The Prophetic Faith of Our Fathers*, by LeRoy E. Froom. It is unique in all our denominational literature, and is already bringing our denomination to the favorable attention of religious leaders not of our faith. More than a score of book reviews by prominent teachers and editors have appeared on Volume III. These have been in leading religious journals. A growing respect for the soundness of our teachings on Bible prophecy is becoming apparent, based on the remarkable evidence of the centuries here brought out. This book is ideal for lending or giving to ministers, teachers, lawyers, doctors, newspaper editors, and Sunday School teachers in your community. It will help lift Adventism to its rightful place in their esteem, and will break down prejudice and make friends for the faith.

It is doubtless the key volume of the set, and covers the Old World prophetic exposition from the Renaissance to the French Revolution. Replete with illustrations—historical scenes, facsimiles of title pages and extracts, reproductions of coins and medals, portraits of the prophetic spokesman, and a progressive series of charts and tables—it covers a period filled with human interest portrayal of the leading characters in the drama of prophetic interpreta-

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tion—all framed in a biographical setting. It will have a special appeal for the trained mind, and crystalizes the research of thirteen years in the archives of Europe and America. Completely annotated and exactly verified, its 864 pages are fully indexed.

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ELMIRA DISTRICT BAPTISM

There is nothing more refreshing to the hearts of God's children than to see the fruits from their labor. The long hours of work are forgotten, and even the physical strength seems greatly increased. Such was our experience on Sabbath, May 22.

Believers of the Elmira district filled the Corning church to capacity this Sabbath at 3:00 P. M. to witness the baptism of six precious souls. Two of these receive membership in the Corning church. This is the second group that have been taken in through baptism this year, making a total of eight adults.

We are happy to say that others are receiving studies and looking forward to baptism before long. The writer appreciates the cooperation that he is receiving from members in the matter of soul-winning. Sister Herring of Corning has been studying faithfully with a voice of Prophecy family near Hornell. They are coming along very nicely. Recently one of our local elders at Corning, Brother Potter, has started a cottage meeting. Already one family is attending church regularly. Mrs. Frank of Elmira plans to conduct some studies in Gillett, Pa., just over the line from Elmira. There is a 20th Century Bible Course interest.

We know that such efforts put forth are sacrifices, but somehow, when we think of heaven's interest and joy over even one sinner that repents, our hearts are thrilled to know that it is our privilege to make even heaven happy. If we could only keep this simple fact before us, we would not only hold up the hands of those who are endeavoring to win souls, but also participate in it ourselves. Let us not grow cold and indifferent toward the saving of souls.

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NEWS NOTES

The Home Missionary Department reports twenty of our twenty-nine churches over the Minuteman goal as of May 25. Congratulations to the following:

The Middletown church was happy to have Elder L. C. Evans visit that church for the first time on Sabbath, May 22.

The Washington Avenue Grammar School will have its closing program on Wednesday evening, June 9. Parents and friends from other churches in the conference are invited to attend this program.

Russian	Peekskill
Port Jervis	Jugoslavian
Middletown	Spring Valley
Patchogue	Washington Avenue
Swedish New York	German New York
Danish Norwegian	Jamaica
Hungarian	Swedish Brooklyn
Newburg	Kingston
German Brooklyn	Coxsackie
Poughkeepsie	Czechoslovakian

ATTENTION G.N.Y.A. ALUMNI

The recently organized Greater New York Academy Alumni Association is having its first meeting Saturday evening, June 26, at 8 P. M. at the Greater New York Academy, 41-32 58th St. Woodside, Long Island, New York. Vespér service will be conducted in closing the Sabbath, followed by the first get-together of the alumni since the school's inception.

JOSEPH HARROP
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NEWS NOTES

District Meetings. Elder R. W. Moore and Professor L. E. Smart will be at West Lebanon, New Hampshire, on Sabbath, June 5. The meetings will be held in our Seventh-day Adventist church on Maple Street. All the members in the West Lebanon district are invited to attend. Bring your lunch

and plan to stay for the afternoon services as well as those in the morning.

On Sabbath, June 12, Elder Moore and Professor Smart will be in Barre, Vermont, for an all-day meeting. All the members in the Barre district will want to plan to spend the day at the Seventh-day Adventist church at 10 Brook Street.

Baptism in Brattleboro District. Elder David I. Shaw baptized five believers at Brattleboro on Sabbath, May 22. This will bring two additions to the Keene church and one each to the Brattleboro, Bellows Falls, and West Townshend churches.

Colporteur Work in Aroostook County. Brother L. D. Dryer has just returned from a very pleasant and profitable trip to Aroostook County. Brother D. A. Bailey from the Review and Herald Publishing Association and Brother S. L. Clark from the Atlantic Union Conference assisted in a Colporteur Rally over the week-end of May 15-16. Meetings were held in the Oakfield, Presque Isle, and Westfield churches with a good attendance at each one and high interest in the colporteur work. We have a good strong colporteur work in this sec-

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tion now with Brother H. B. Colburn and Paul Schlichting leading out. **Elders' Meetings.** The local elders in the N. N. E. Conference have just been privileged to attend two most helpful councils. The first meeting was held in Rutland, Vermont, on May 15 for the elders and district pastors in that section, and the second was held in Dixmont, Maine, on May 22 for those in that section of the conference. The elders were very appreciative of the help and instruction received and took an active part in the afternoon round table discussions. We have a loyal consecrated group of local church leaders and district pastors in our conference and the Lord is blessing their efforts.

Visitors in the Conference Office. Brother and Sister Raymond Holbrook and Rosie Waterman from Freeport, Maine, called at the Book and Bible House on Sunday, May 23.

Brother and Sister Gordon Arnott were in the office on Monday, May 24. They are preparing for their trip to the West Coast to attend the graduation exercises at the College of Medical Evangelists. Their son, Dr. Loren Arnott, is to be one of the graduates.

Closing Programs in the Church Schools. The following are the dates when our church schools will have their closing school programs. These programs are always very interesting and our people are invited to attend wherever possible.

Bath, Maine	June 9
Bennington, Vermont	May 30
Lewiston, Maine	June 10
Norridgewalk, Maine	May 26
Portland, Maine	June 8
Rutland, Vermont	June 6
Westfield, Maine	June 17
West Lebanon, N. H.	May 31
Woodstock, Maine	June 13

NOTICE

The Southern Maine Dorcas Federation meeting will be held in Portland, Maine, on Thursday, June 10, at the White Memorial Church on 75 Grant Street. The time is 9:45 A. M.

We cordially invite and urge all our Dorcas sisters to be present for this meeting. A helpful program has been planned. Elder S. B. Olney, Dr. R. A. Bettle, and other conference workers will be present to assist in the program.

A light lunch will be served by the Portland society.

MRS. V. A. ANDERSON, *President*

Atlantic Union Gleaner

URGENTLY NEEDED

A bumper type trailer for Camp Lawroweld. Anyone having one that he would be willing to donate, or willing to purchase one for the camp, please communicate with the conference office at once.

GLEANINGS FROM OUR SCHOOLS

Portland:

Although the enrollment in grades 1-4 at the White Memorial school, Portland, Maine, has not been as large as we wish, we feel that it has been a profitable year. We have endeavored to follow the blue print given by the Master Teacher.

"Love is the basis of true education. Unselfishness underlies all true development." *Ed.*, p. 16. Our motto has been "Others", our text, Matt. 7:12. The children sent two eleven pound boxes of food to a needy family in Germany.

During the Week of Prayer each child took active part and surrendered himself to Jesus. The beautiful spirit of cheerful obedience gives proof that the work was of the Holy Spirit.

"It is the work of true education to develop this power (to think and do); to train the youth to be thinkers and not mere reflectors of other men's thoughts." *Ed.*, p. 17. This the children are learning. The development of the hand has also received attention.

The cooperation of the parents has contributed much to the work of the school and made the work of the teacher most pleasant. Our prayer is that each pupil, and the teacher, may sit together in that school above where Jesus is the Teacher.

JULIA R. BICKFORD, *Teacher*

Lewiston:

The little brown church on Sylvan Avenue in Lewiston is the home of a small but growing church school. Starting in 1946 with six pupils, the little school aroused the interest and devotion of the church members. This year we have nine pupils, with one in our first graduating class. The outlook is bright for a larger enrollment next fall. A few juniors who now attend the public schools have their eyes on the church school as their goal. Several little tots will be ready to enter the first grade in September.

One of our primary children is a little French Catholic boy who is enrolled in our school because his mother wants him to learn the Bible stories. She was deeply impressed by the Sabbath school lessons and bedtime stories to which he listened frequently in a neighbor's home as we read to the other children. The glowing report which he carried into his strongly Catholic home resulted in a request to enroll him in our school. When we held our Christmas program in the church, one pew was entirely filled with enthusiastic relatives of this little boy. We feel that the Lord's hand is in this and are hoping and praying for the light of present truth to find its way into this home. "A little child shall lead them."

A most enjoyable feature of our school program has been our bird study. As the majority of the children are city bred, the extent of their bird acquaintance was the pigeon, with the addition of the robin in a few

cases. Ignorance of the subject created an indifference which gradually dispersed as we fed the birds through the winter. Our only visitors were English sparrows and starlings, but these were enough to awaken a bird-consciousness in the children's minds, preparing them for a wider study of birds during the spring. We are still enjoying this fascinating subject, and are planning a field trip in a few weeks. It has been a joy to see ignorance and indifference give way to glowing enthusiasm, and a growing list of bird friends. A knowledge of the things of nature can draw us nearer to nature's God. That is what we want for our boys and girls.

FLORENCE REDDING, *Teacher*

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OFFICIAL NOTICE

Southern New England Conference of Seventh-day Adventists

The eleventh biennial session of the Southern New England Conference of Seventh-day Adventists will be held in connection with the annual camp meeting in South Lancaster, Massachusetts, July 9-18, 1948. The first meeting will convene Saturday evening, July 10, at 7:30 p. m. The purpose of the meeting is to elect officers, executive committee, and secretaries for the coming biennial term, and to transact such other business as may properly come before the delegates.

Each organized church in the conference is entitled to be represented by duly appointed delegates on the basis of one for the organization, regardless of membership, and one additional delegate for each twenty-five members or fraction thereof. The members of the executive committee of the conference, all accredited laborers receiving credentials from the conference committee who may be present are delegates at large.

R. R. Bietz, *President*
L. E. Aldrich, *Secretary*

Southern New England Conference Association of Seventh-day Adventists

NOTICE is hereby given that the regular biennial session of the Southern New England Conference Association of Seventh-day Adventists will be held in connection with the annual camp meeting of the Southern New England Conference of Seventh-day Adventists, on the camp grounds in South Lancaster, Massachusetts, July 9-18, 1948. The first meeting of the Association is called to convene Monday, July 12, 1948, at 2:30 p. m. The purpose of the meeting is to elect officers and trustees for the coming biennial term, and to transact such other business as may properly come before the session. The duly accredited delegates to the conference unincorporated are delegates to the Association meeting.

R. R. Bietz, *President*
L. E. Aldrich, *Secretary*

What Camp Can Do For Your Child

No. 4

Mary doesn't like to do dishes!
Jack just won't make his bed!
How can I get Bill to brush his teeth?

Really, these tasks are not so bad when all the rest are doing them, too. And once the habits are formed, they are easier to do when not in the group.

Can you imagine Mary hurrying in order to get to wash instead of dry the dishes? With an efficient counsellor to help and direct and encourage, dish washing or any other task can be fun, or at least not drudgery.

The same is true of bed making. It's the popular thing to do in camp. You do it for the pride of the unit. To be able to make a bed and arrange your clothes and suitcases and shoes in such an orderly manner that the discerning eye of a camp director commends you, is something to fill the heart with joy.

Parents testify that children have learned to do things in ten days at camp which they have not been able to accomplish in ten years of home training.

Yes, Camp Winayouth will endeavor to train your child to work and care for himself and enjoy it.

"The faithful discharge of today's duties is the best preparation for tomorrow's trials." *Ministry of Healing*, p. 481.

GEORGE P. STONE, *Camp Director*

NEWS NOTES

Camp Committee. The camp committee met at the conference headquarters recently to develop camp meeting plans. Conference workers will have more than an ordinary task this year not only to operate our camp meeting, but also to make available for the Atlantic Union Youths' Congress all of our equipment. Many of our district leaders will have to be called in for the Youths' Congress, so that the part we have to play in this great meeting will help to make it a definite success. The Southern New England Conference is glad to do its part in helping our young people.

Remember the Youths' Congress dates are July 1-4. The camp meeting dates are July 9-18. Reservations for camp meeting and Youths' Congress are handled by two different committees and must be sent in separately. Reservations for Youths' Congress should be made through the Atlantic Union Conference, South Lancaster, Mass., and for camp meeting through the Southern New England Conference.

Conference Office. At our Sunday morning worship on May 22, Elder T. R. Gardner, Secretary-treasurer of the Atlantic Union Conference, was the

speaker. His timely message on the topic of seed sowing and patiently waiting for the harvest was an encouragement to all present. Thank you, Brother Gardner.

20th Century. As a result of their studies with the 20th Century Bible Course, two persons were baptized into the New London church.

Boston Welfare Work. Brethren Bietz, Johnson, and Aldrich met with thirteen other individuals at the Boston Mission Monday evening, May 24. Considerable time was spent discussing the welfare work in the greater Boston area. Some definite plans are being developed and further announcements will be made from time to time. We trust that as a result of this meeting, and others which will follow, the welfare work will be greatly strengthened in the greater Boston area.

Worcester District. Our Publishing Department Secretary, Brother Van Arsdell, spoke at the M. V. meeting in Worcester Friday evening, May 19. After the meeting, at which Brother Van Arsdell told many interesting colporteur experiences, the group divided into prayer bands. The absent young people and mission work were the burden of these prayer groups.

Branch Sabbath Schools in Action.

The branch Sabbath school held in West Falmouth, Mass., had an Ingathering goal of \$252. Upon completing their work it was found they had raised \$265. One of the sisters, who had been baptized only a few months earlier, raised \$30. Most of these offerings she received from members of the Methodist church, of which she was once a member. We need more branch Sabbath schools like this one.

Camp Meeting Offerings. It is not too early to plan for the two big Sabbath offerings, which will be taken during our camp meeting. One offering will be for foreign missions and the other for our local conference evangelistic program. Someone has said, "The church that persists in shelving the missionary question is pronouncing its own doom." The Adventist church is a dynamic church because it believes in home and foreign missions. We will all want to do our part at the time of camp meeting, as we have done in times past.

North Boston District. Sabbath morning, May 22. Brother Van Arsdell, our Publishing Department secretary, met with the Lynn church at their new meeting place (Lakeside Methodist Church on Euclid Avenue). He reports that several members were interested in participating in gospel salesmanship.

New Bedford District. Elder Bietz spent the weekend in the New Bedford district, where he and Elder Clemons visited the Tauton and New Bedford churches. In both churches a large number of non-Adventists were present at the services. An excellent interest exists in both cities and Elder Clemons and his associates are more than busy.

On Saturday evening a social fellowship meeting was held in the hall which was used for evangelistic services. Approximately fifty per cent of the people in attendance were not of our faith. This social gathering was greatly enjoyed by everyone.

Baptisms. For the month of April we are glad to report the following baptisms: Elder N. W. Becker, Worcester district, 9; Elder J. M. Clemons, New Bedford district, 4; Elder S. N. Rittenhouse, New London district, 2.

That which lies in the well of your thought will come up in the bucket of your speech—*Spurgeon*.

VOICE OF PROPHECY COMING TO CAMP MEETING

Visiting the various churches in our field, I find that from every nook and corner of the conference our people are making definite plans to attend the camp meeting, July 9-18. We are glad you are making plans to come. It will be a great meeting.

We are more than happy that the Voice of Prophecy quartet and Elder H. M. S. Richards will be with us. They will be here only for Friday evening and all day Sabbath. Don't miss this treat. Remember that the camp meeting starts at 7:45, Friday evening, July 9. The last meeting will be held at 7:45 P. M., July 18. Make definite plans to stay throughout the entire encampment.

For your information, the main services for Friday night and Sabbath are listed below:

- Friday, July 9,
7:45 P. M. Elder H. M. S. Richards and Quartet
Sabbath, July 10
11:00 A. M. Elder H. M. S. Richards and Quartet
2:30 P. M. Elder Meade MacGuire
3:30 P. M. Ordination Service—
Elder M. L. Rice
4:30 P. M. M. V. Service—Elder E. R. Walde and Voice of Prophecy Quartet
7:30 P. M. Elder H. M. S. Richards and Quartet
8:30 P. M. Conference Session—Seating of Delegates and Conference President's Report

Watch the GLEANER next week for further report on camp meeting speakers and program.

R. R. BIETZ

BROOKSIDE ACADEMY

An inspiring program of Sacred music was rendered by the students of Brookside Academy under the direction of R. E. Jackson. The Taunton church was filled to capacity by friends and relatives who came to enjoy this annual musical program.

To open the program the chorus sang "O Praise the Lord." Following this number Mr. George P. Stone offered prayer. Various talents were featured which added to the success of the program. Vocal solos were given by Miss Beverly Frazer and Miss Betty Perry. The guest soloist for the evening was Mrs. Joseph Barnes, who played "Meditation from Thais" on her violin, accompanied by the organist, Mr. Phillips from Taunton. Mr. Phillips also played an organ solo.

The girls trio, composed of Betty

Perry, Beverly Frazer, and Gertrude Hirsch, sang several numbers which were very favorably received by the audience. The congregation joined the chorus in singing the last song, "God of Our Fathers." The meeting was dismissed by Harold Maddox from the conference office.

ATTENTION, UNIONITES

For some time former students and faculty members of Union College within the Atlantic Union Conference territory have been desirous of organizing an Alumni Chapter. To get things started I am going to venture a suggestion.

In connection with the Southern New England Conference Workers' Institute, we are going to open the way for all former students and faculty members of Union College to meet in the South Lancaster church at 9:15 P. M., July 10. This will be a brief meeting for organizational purposes only. Officers will be elected, and we hope that next fall a regular meeting can be called at which time definite plans can be discussed relative to the future program of this Chapter.

Tell other Unionites about this meeting and don't forget to be present at the appointed time.

R. R. BIETZ

NEW LONDON DISTRICT

Sunday evening, May 16, will be long remembered by many of our members in the New London district.

All those who, during the Ingathering crusade, solicited \$50 or more were invited to the Florintine Room at the New London Mohican Hotel for an evening of Christian fellowship. Some fifty qualified.

The program for the evening began with a prayer of thanksgiving offered by the writer. After this Elder Rittenhouse, district leader, welcomed the guests. The attention of all present was directed to the fact that never in the history of Ingathering was the goal reached in such a short time and with such cooperation. Special mention was made of Mrs. Elsa Stanton of New London, who solicited over \$348. The Norwich church, which has not only doubled its goal but is on the way to tripling it, also received special mention. Eleanor Baker of the New London church was the youngest guest present. She set a fine example to our young people by soliciting \$50.

The guests greatly enjoyed the vocal selections rendered by Mrs. Rittenhouse and the instrumental numbers by Mr. James Hallas and Mr. George Davis.

I am sure that this event will long be remembered as an outstanding occasion for the New London district. We appreciate the fact that our members supported the Ingathering crusade so willingly. Surely we are a privileged people to have a little part in such a great work.

J. DAMAZO

SABBATH SCHOOL RALLY DAY — JUNE 19 —

According to General Conference plans, the Rally Day service on June 19, 1948, is to be conducted at the regular preaching service hour. Careful planning and preparation, therefore, should be made to insure an inspirational and profitable program. Do not wait until the last minute to plan this important service.

Suggestive programs have been sent to the pastors and Sabbath school officers. Let us make this a real Rally Day. Hundreds of our church members are not attending Sabbath school. Let us do all we can to make this Rally Day a homecoming day for our absent members.

CARL P. ANDERSON

EXCHANGE

The *Central Union Reaper* tells of a "modern miracle" which happened in Kansas City, Kansas, after one of the members began to talk about the Bible to a fellow laborer where he worked. Here is the story:

This interest was soon developed, and Brother A began to hold Bible studies with Mr. B, which resulted in his taking his stand to keep the commandments and walk with the people of God. Then came the acid test.

Brother A, who was already getting the Sabbath off, worked in a key position. It seemed impossible for the two men to be off at the same time, so Brother A decided to go with Mr. B to ask for the Sabbath off. The approach was made with definite convictions and a clear explanation. The decision of the superintendent was that one of them must lose his job if they insisted on keeping the Sabbath. Brother A, filled with the good Samaritan religion, offered himself as the sacrifice in behalf of his new convert, although he had been on the job for a number of years. Because of Brother A's faithfulness and Christian integrity, the question was reconsidered. During the deliberation, the mighty hand of God worked a miracle. Instead of releasing Brother A, a complete new schedule was arranged, and now the entire plant is closed on Sabbath.

—Thomas M. Rowe.

SPECIAL DATES—1948

- June 5 Home Missionary Day
- June 12 . 2nd Sabbath Mission Offering
- June 19 . . Sabbath School Rally Day
- June 26 13th Sabbath Offering
(Overflow to Australasia)
- July 3 Home Missionary Day
- July 17 Midsummer Offering
- July 24 Educational Day
(Offering for Elementary Schools)
- Aug. 7 Home Missionary Day
- Aug. 14 . 2nd Sabbath Mission Offering

OBITUARIES

FOOTE—Henry Foote was born at Canton, N. Y., May 26, 1890, and passed away at his home on the morning of May 7, 1948. Brother Foote gave his heart to God just prior to his death, and awaits that glad day when all wrongs will be made right. He leaves his wife, one daughter, four sons, and two grandchildren. Words of comfort were spoken by the writer.

LAURENCE F. MYERS

SMITH—Mrs. Elizabeth Douglas Smith was born at South Mountain, Ontario, Canada, Dec. 21, 1874. At the time of her death on March 29, 1948, she was living at her sister's home in Potsdam, N. Y. Those who were acquainted with her knew her as a kindhearted Christian lady whose chief joy was to help those in need. She leaves five sisters and one stepson. Words of comfort were spoken by the writer.

LAURENCE F. MYERS

CORRIGAN—Mrs. Leila Mabel Smail Corrigan was born in Everett, Mass., May 22, 1891. She accepted the truth in 1904 and later became a member of the Boston church.

In 1910 she married Richard F. Corrigan, to which union were born two children.

During the influenza epidemic of 1918 Sister Corrigan contracted a very severe case of the disease which caused her to lose her eyesight. However, her spiritual sight failed not, for her life of courage and patience was an inspiration to all until death suddenly claimed her on Tuesday night, May 18, 1948.

She is survived by her husband, Richard F. Corrigan; one son, William R. Corrigan, of Baldwinville, Mass.; one daughter, Ruth Smith, of Otter River, Mass.; three sisters; and nine grandchildren.

Words of comfort were spoken by the writer at the Smith's Funeral Home, Gardner, Mass., after which our sister was laid to rest in Greenlawn Cemetery, Baldwinville, Mass., to await the call of the Life-giver.

HOWARD E. GREENE

**Attention Workers
Health Evangelism Course**

Loma Linda, Calif. July 7-Aug. 31, 1948

In order to assist our ministers, Bible instructors, and other gospel workers in preparing for greater efficiency in health ministry and the prevention of disease, the special course in health evangelism as recommended by General Conference action will be offered this year again in Loma Linda. The course will be under the direction of the Medical Department of the General Conference and held from July 7 to August 31, 1948, at the College of Medical Evangelists, Loma Linda Division. It is particularly designed for ministers and their wives, Bible instructors, and other gospel workers, employed by our conferences or institutions. It is to be hoped that conference officers will take a special interest in this course and encourage and arrange for one or more workers from each conference to attend.

The following pertinent instruction from the Spirit of prophecy emphasizes the import of this type of work:

"The world needs today what it needed nineteen hundred years ago—a revelation of Christ. A great work of reform is demanded, and it is only through the grace of Christ that the work of restoration, physical, mental, and spiritual, can be accomplished.

"Christ's method alone will give true success in reaching the people. The Saviour mingled with men as one who desired their good." M. H., p. 143.

"Every gospel worker should feel that to teach the principles of healthful living is a part of his appointed work. Of this work there is great need, and the world is open for it."—C. H., p. 390.

"We have come to a time when every member of the church should take hold of the medical missionary work. The world is a lazar house filled with victims of both physical and spiritual disease. Everywhere people are perishing for lack of a knowledge of the truths that have been committed to us. The members of the church are in need of an awakening, that they may realize their responsibility to impart these truths. . . . To hide our light at this time is to make a terrible mistake. The message to God's people today is, 'Arise, shine; for thy light is come, and the glory of the Lord is risen upon thee.' Isa. 60:1"—C. H., p. 425.

"I wish to tell you that soon there will be no work done in ministerial lines but medical missionary work. The work of a minister is to minister. Our ministers are to work on the gospel plan of ministering. . . . Take hold of the medical missionary work, and it will give you access to the people. Their hearts will be touched as you minister to their necessities. As you relieve their sufferings, you will find opportunity to speak to them of the love of Jesus."—C. H., p. 533.

A brochure is now being prepared, giving an outline of the course of study and other necessary information. This may be obtained by writing to the Medical Department of the General Conference, Takoma Park, Washington 12, D. C., or the Medical Department of the Pacific Union Conference, Box 146, Glendale 5, California.

SUNSET TABLE
Eastern Standard Time

June 11 June 18

S. Lancaster, Mass	7:23	7:26
Portland, Maine	7:22	7:25
Syracuse, N. Y.	7:43	7:46
New York, N. Y.	7:27	7:30

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

BIBLES WANTED

We learn from another union paper that the Dorcas leader of one of our churches in Jamaica has expressed the desire for Bibles to be used in a new Sabbath school, in which only the teacher has a Bible. Anyone wishing to supply one or more used Bibles for this worthy project, send them to Mrs. E. M. Williams, Watchwell P. O., Jamaica, B. W. I.

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LITERATURE EVANGELISTS

Report for Week Ending May 15, 1948

NORTHEASTERN

C. M. Willis, *Pub. Dept. Sec.*

M. Barber, *Asst.*

Cox, E.	43	147 75	
Bell, M.	42	89 00	89 00
Douglas, T.	12	6 00	23 80
Coleman, R.	5	20 00	20 00
Dawes, H.	51	216 75	13 75
Edgecombe, J.	35	136 00	96 25
Davis, F.	30	40 45	61 75
Jones, S.	30	42 30	19 00
Bramwell, M.	27	40 30	10 30
Johnson, A.	27	78 15	30 75
Bramwell, L.	25	41 50	5 75
Smith, K.	25	73 25	60 50
Collins, L.	24	63 70	65 00
Jones, S.	20	43 25	2 75
James, R.	15	38 00	38 00
Thompson, L.	13	14 50	26 50
Bethel Aux.	10	45 50	45 50
Campbell, V.	60	110 30	112 05
Hughes, E.	43	86 05	42 75
Starks, L.	40	154 50	34 50
Starks, L.	35	17 50	17 50
Coates, P.	30	64 00	45 25
Davison, M.	25	36 50	21 50
Anderson, G.	23	60 75	74 20
Coates, P.	20	29 00	27 00
Nelson, S.	19	40 90	7 90
Snowden, I.	17	23 95	23 95
Watson, R.	13	46 50	14 35
Bowman, I.	12	6 50	22 50
Brown, L.	12	15 50	11 00
Thompson, J.	7	29 50	
Ephesus Aux.	3	25 25	25 25
Watson, R.	3	10 50	20 50
Williams, J. S.	58	64 44	64 44
Barber, S.	42	90 60	90 60
Ephesus Aux No. 4	30	29 00	29 00
Narvaez, B.	24	35 20	43 25
Johnson, P.	23	12 45	6 35
Rowan, C.	19	17 25	17 25
Buckner, C.	18	24 05	24 05
Abrams, M.	17	25 90	25 90
Rowan, C.	17	15 00	15 00
Blake, R.	14	22 00	22 00
Baunson, M.	14	4 55	4 55
Orr, E.	13	17 25	19 80
Chapman, G.	13	9 15	9 15
Northeastern Aux.	12	15 85	15 85

Swain, B.	11	7 95	7 95
Coates, L.	10	7 20	7 20
Blake, R.	10	3 25	3 25
Spooner, L.	8	7 80	7 80
Colson	8	18 25	12 25
Roberson, L.	7	5 20	5 20
Spigner, E.	7	3 90	3 90
Saunders, L.	4	8 50	8 50
Wilson, G.	4	5 80	5 80
Morgan, M.	4	3 00	3 00
Hunt, M.	3	7 30	7 30
58 Colporteurs	1189	2354 44	1568 14

GREATER NEW YORK

R. D. McGann, *Pub. Dept. Sec.*

Clark Dilts, Miss Hazel Brent, *Assts.*

Potash, A.	37	88 78	81 48
Futcher, H.	35	140 35	50 95
Linthwaite, G.	35	118 65	14 95
Norheim, L.	31	105 00	88 00
Harvey, N. G.	29	120 66	120 66
Dannenberger, F.	29	54 50	2 75
McGann, M.	20	95 00	78 00
Gihlein, F.	20	89 50	89 50
Schub, J.	20	18 20	33 70
Harvey, M. E.	7	20 00	
Outhouse, V. B.	1	11 95	11 95
Outhouse, V. B.	1	11 95	11 95
Atwood, F.	30	60 00	60 00
DeJesus, P.	28	76 00	39 00
Tirado, N.	25	112 00	50 00
Ferrington, A.	24	50 00	50 00
Addicks, A. J.	22	22 00	26 50
No Name	22	20 10	20 10
Rosenberg, M.	22	28 60	16 15
Osuna, A.	20		180 00
Benoit, L.	18	16 65	31 15
Murray, J. & A.	15	50 00	50 00
St. Amant, R.	9	12 50	12 50
Fodor, R.	9	12 75	12 75
Johnson, Mr. & Mrs. C.	8	52 70	52 70
West, F.	8	5 35	5 35
Escalera, J.	7	40 00	40 00
Kolebas, A.	7	10 50	10 50
Ketzner, K.	6	4 65	7 40
Anderson, M. L.	6	4 75	4 75
Higgs, A. I.	5	7 75	26 75
Ketzner, K.	4	7 65	7 65
Adlicks, A. J.	2	3 50	20 50

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Sosa, M.	10	45 00	45 00
Tirado, P.	8	10 50	10 50
Aguirre, A.	6	27 50	1 50
Funka, R.	11	41 50	22 00
Johnson, R.	4	20 00	10 00
38 Colporteurs	646	1616 49	1396 64

NORTHERN NEW ENGLAND

L. D. Dryer, *Pub. Dept. Sec.*

Colburn, H. B.	31	187 25	31 75
Fogg, Mary H.		7 00	3 50
Millie, Mrs. M. E.	5	5 50	9 45
Nickerson, L.	8	25 50	15 50
Schlichting, P.	34	95 25	35 25
Steele, A.	7	9 00	
6 colporteurs	85	329 50	95 45

SOUTHERN NEW ENGLAND

Roger Van Arsdell, *Pub. Dept. Sec.*

C. Lampson, Miss Thelma Flanagan, *Assts.*

Alger, P.	8	12 50	35
Anderson, E.	5	30 50	
Bauer, E.	5	20 00	15 00
Carlson, J.	18	19 65	19 65
Chase, R.	23	156 50	13 50
Cook, H. M.	9	64 00	
Eva, R.	7	105 25	105 25
Eva, R.	2	53 00	53 00
Prilley, W.	36	90 55	84 95
Hill, N.	5	9 20	9 20
Knox, W. L.	27	32 37	32 37
Kormos, Y.		150 00	200 00
Lampson, C. P.		10 00	50 00
Lombard, C.	34	142 80	121 30
Riley, T. E.	6	5 80	5 80
Sharp, M.	6	43 50	10 00
Smith, E. G.	35	140 75	140 75
Sweeney, D.	7	7 50	70 00
Waters, E.	12	36 00	36 00
Webb, S.	31	101 75	57 00
Weiss, S.	23	57 55	57 55
White, K.	25	61 00	61 00
White, M.	10	30 00	30 00
23 Colporteurs	334	1380 17	1172 67
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125 Colporteurs	2254	5680 60	4232 90

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MRS. HENRY ULLOTH

President, Metropolitan Dorcas Federation, Greater New York Conference

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Two important statements were adopted by the last General Conference session, which the delegates asked to be put in leaflet form and given a wide distribution to our people everywhere. One was a pronouncement on “Standards of Christian Living,” and the other on “The Spirit of Prophecy.”

These statements were later published by the Review and Herald, and the General Conference purchased and sent free to all our conferences in North America enough copies of the “Stand-

ards” leaflet to furnish to all workers and to every family. After this free distribution, this leaflet was to become a regular leaflet on sale. Quantities of the “Spirit of Prophecy” leaflet were sold to the conferences on their order, for distribution to our people.

Now both of these leaflets are on sale, and can be secured from your Book and Bible House,—“Standards of Christian Living” at three cents each, and “The Spirit of Prophecy” at one cent each.

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