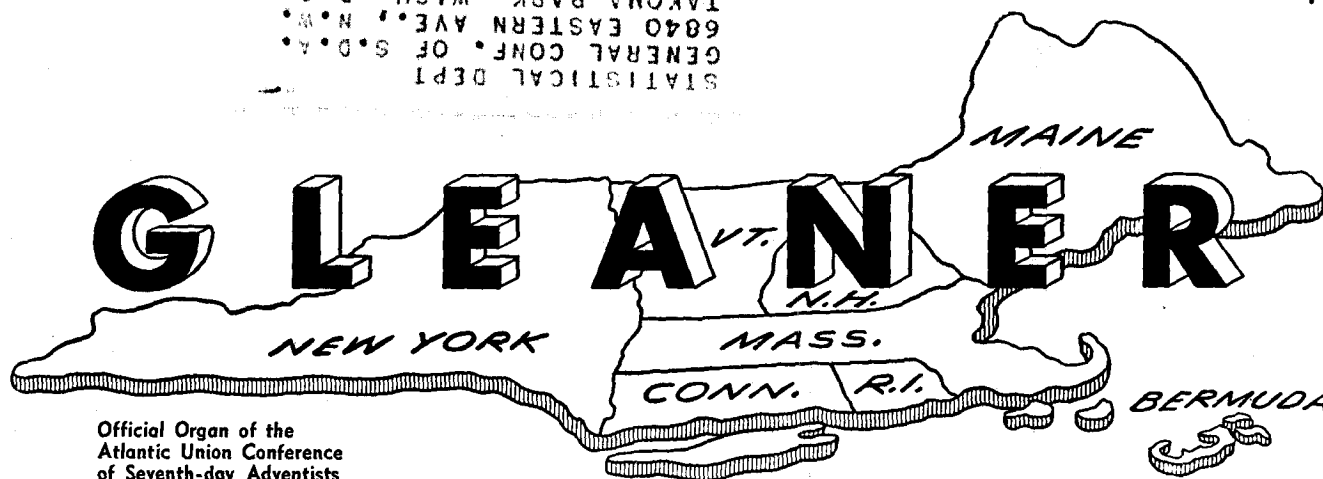


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Training Center for West Africa

By H. J. WELCH, *President*
West African Union

We have just completed the budget session of our union committee for the West African Union. As usual our hearts have been deeply stirred because there are so many opportunities into which we cannot enter for lack of sufficient funds. I have been impressed to write that you might realize a little of our problem, and as you approach the 13th Sabbath of this quarter, you can perhaps give as you have never given before.

The West African field is a large field, and at the present moment is almost wide open for missionary advancements. The Roman Catholic church has recognized this fact, and has set up a five year "crash" programme. We are already seeing that they are pouring men and means into West Africa at a prodigious rate. They intend to take West Africa for Roman Catholicism. The countries of this land are obtaining their freedom. West Africa is not at all the land today which it was in 1949 when Mrs. Welch and I first came to Ghana. Politically, economically, and educationally, the country is in a tremendous ferment. To meet the challenge of this hour, we as a church should greatly accelerate our programme.

We are so grateful that at this coming 13th Sabbath a portion of the overflow will go to West Africa. The project for which it is to be used is one most vital to the development of our work. Up to the present time, nearly all of our native West African workers have had only a little evangelistic train-

ing beyond a few years of primary school. They are not adequately trained to face the new Africa. We have therefore started a Junior College with work on the post secondary level for the training of ministers. Already seven consecrated young men have begun to study in temporary rented quarters. Pastor Winslow, the principal, and Roger Coon, his associate, are living in rented African houses. It is an inspiration to see the interest and enthusiasm of these men, and the seven pioneer students who are carrying on their work under such difficult circumstances. Soon we hope to have homes for these people, a class room and administration building, dormitory and dining rooms, and other facilities necessary to a college.

It is your liberality in the 13th Sab-

bath overflow that will mean so much to this project. I know of no project to which our people could give that would mean so much to the future development of the message in West Africa as this one. We here in the field solicit your prayers for the success of this project. We are looking forward with great anticipation to the results of the coming 13th Sabbath overflow.

Missions Advance Offering March 12

As you know, the Missions Advance Offering will be taken in all of our churches on March 12. This offering is a very important one and helps to provide funds for the extension of our work in all the lands of our world field.

From a letter just received from C. L. Torrey, treasurer of the General Conference, he states: "I wish each of you could have traveled with Elder Beach and myself in the Middle East and Southern Asia Divisions and have

REMEMBER — March 26, 1960 THIRTEENTH SABBATH OFFERING

Our Thirteenth Sabbath Offering Overflow on March 26, 1960, will go to the Northern European Division to provide:

1. A Publishing House for Finland.
2. An Evangelist Training Center for West Africa.
3. An Industrial Building for our Ethiopian Training School.

We appeal to the members of the Atlantic Union Conference to give liberally this 13th Sabbath that these needs might be met. Will you help?

W. J. HACKETT, *President*
Atlantic Union Conference

attended their meetings and listened to their appeals for funds with which to respond to calls coming in from so many places. Brethren, this is the harvest time. The fields are white already for the harvest but the reapers are so few."

The offering last year amounted to \$57,094.72 which represents an average of only 17.9 cents per member. Think of what the amount would be if the average had amounted to 50 cents per member—the total would have been \$159,749.00 for missions!

The need is great. Opportunities are opening up before us which we should grasp while there is still time, for "the night cometh, when no man can work." Week after week appeals are being made for funds to extend our work in many lands and these appeals have to be refused for lack of funds. Will you not make a sacrificial offering on March 12 and have a definite part in helping to advance the work in all parts of the world?

W. J. HACKETT, *President*
Atlantic Union Conference

Book Talks

by E. L. VanSanford

Treasured Themes from Familiar Hymns, by H. M. Tippet, is the latest addition to the gift boxed *Golden Treasury Series*. As this new volume reached my desk, the very appropriate and attractive cover made a favorable

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Progress in Youth Congress Transportation Pool

Host Conference Is First. The New Jersey Conference, host to the 1960 North American Youth Congress, is the first conference to raise its full share of the pooled transportation costs for congress delegates—\$1,673.12. T. N. Neergaard, New Jersey Conference secretary-treasurer (second from right), presented a check covering the full

amount to Theodore Lucas, MV secretary of the General Conference, at the recent state-wide youth rally at Trenton. E. M. Peterson, MV secretary of the Columbia Union Conference (extreme left); M. K. Eckenroth, president of the New Jersey Conference; and D. K. Smith, MV secretary of the New Jersey Conference, participated in the ceremony. The youth congress will be held at Atlantic City, New Jersey, June 21-25, in Convention Hall.

impression. Upon examination of these 128 pages it will be found that the 56 hymns which are mentioned are divided into six divisions—Christ Our Joy and Song, Divine Comfort and Assurance, Entreaty and Warning, Entire Consecration, Christian Experience, Prayer for Closer Communion. It might be well to explain that these are not hymn stories telling the circumstances surrounding the writing of the hymn. In connection with each of the 56 hymns mentioned there is a text of Scripture which might come to mind as the hymn was sung, or might serve as a guide to one desiring to choose a hymn that would bear out the theme of a particular text to be used in a worship service. The scriptural index found on the last page will prove a real help in such an instance. For convenience in locating the hymns, the title of the book and the hymn number in

that book is provided in each case. In addition to its value as a reference for Sabbath school, church school, Missionary Volunteer, and other church leaders, we recommend *Treasured Themes* as an excellent outline for a year of daily family worship periods, either at the morning or evening hour. The price for *Treasured Themes* is \$1.90, postpaid, as is the price of each of the other fourteen titles in the *Golden Treasury Series*. For further information on the other volumes see your church missionary secretary or contact your local Book and Bible House. Orders for these books, as well as all of our fine literature, may be placed with your church missionary secretary or sent direct with remittance to the Book and Bible House serving your conference (see listing in January 4, issue).



Greater New York

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 FRED MINNER, Secretary-Treasurer
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Make wills and legacies payable to the
 Greater New York Corporation of Seventh-day
 Adventists.

Strong, Well-Balanced Program Is Aim

It is the aim of the Greater New York Conference to carry on a strong, well-balanced program covering all phases of our work. At present our departmental work is being conducted with vigor and our ministers are giving strong leadership in the many churches serving our members in all parts of our field.

We are glad that the needs of our aged members are being so well met by the work of the Adventist Home. While this work is not strictly within our organization, it is close to our hearts. Several of the members of the conference committee are members of the Board of Directors of the Home and all the policies of the Greater New York Conference are followed.

The Adventist Home is filling a large need and doing a good work within our field. The conference committee is happy to designate one Sabbath offering in all our churches to the work of the Adventist Home. Sabbath, April 9, has been set as this offering date for 1960. We trust that this offering will be generous and that it will greatly strengthen the work at our Home for elderly members.

Our work in this conference will not be completely balanced until we have

a flourishing medical unit. Study is being given to this and we hope definite actions can be taken during 1960.

G. ERIC JONES, *President*

Student Wins Five

Dear father and mother, brother, sister, particularly those of you in the Greater New York Conference, will you read the blessed student colporteur experience which follows and then give prayerful consideration to making a room and perhaps kitchen privileges available to one or two student colporteurs in your area this summer. We are planning to reach many precious souls with our literature through student colporteur ministry this summer. Write to me personally at the Greater New York Conference, 108-11 69th Road, Forest Hills 75, New York, if you can provide space during June, July, and August this summer. The Master will richly bless your kindness.

During the summer of 1957 a student colporteur, Torkel Tjeransen, worked as a book evangelist in a small valley in the southern part of Norway called Snertingdal. He sold the book *Ved Tidehverv* and, among the homes he visited, he knocked at the door of a little white house. The people were not at home, however, he returned later as he felt something compelling him to go to this house. He knocked again at the door some hours later. Yes, here lived a couple who were about forty years of age with their three small girls.

Our colporteur evangelist went into the house and gave a good canvass and had a nice talk with the family. He received an order. Afterward he inquired of the husband if he knew of a home in the neighborhood where he could rent a room for a few weeks.

"If you do not mind the inconvenience, you may sleep here in our home," the husband replied.

In this home the student colporteur lived for three weeks while he worked in the valley. Every day he enjoyed a good spiritual talk with the family and he prayed with them before he went out to work in the morning and when he returned at night. Then he left this area as his work was finished there. He delivered the book to this family later with these words, "Dear friends, now you must study this book diligently and when you have finished

send me a few lines about your observations and convictions regarding the message it presents."

A year and a half later Brother Tjeransen received a letter. It was dated January 31, 1959 and it was from this family. It read, "We would so much appreciate if you would come to visit us again. We have studied the book together with our neighbors and we long to have a good talk with you."

In the company of Pastor O. Frenning from our Norwegian Bible Correspondence School, Brother Tjeransen went to see this family. The first evening they held a Bible study and during the course of their studies they also enrolled in the Bible correspondence course. On Sabbath, April 18, there was great rejoicing at our church in Lillehammer because the husband and wife, the husband's brother and two of their neighbors—five persons in all—were added to the church through baptism.

Today there is a new, fervent, and ever-growing Sabbath school group in this place as a result of the student colporteur evangelist's knock on the door. They meet in the little white house. The group is continually increasing as the neighbors flock to Sabbath school and join with our new brothers and sisters in their worship of the Almighty. We are looking for a great harvest of souls in this place.

Torkel Tjeransen sold \$7,000 or 49,000 kroner worth of literature in thirteen weeks last summer. This year the result has been over \$6,400 or 43,000 kroner in eleven weeks. In one outstanding week he made a new record for Norway. He sold eighty-three copies of *The Desire of Ages*, amounting to 8,134 kroner (about \$1,150) during that week.

The Greater New York Conference is calling for 200 able-bodied men and women, who recognize the end is near, to unite with us at once and receive training for the literature ministry. Remember, "Jesus can use those who possess little self-confidence." We are ready to train you and stay by your side in the field until that fear of meeting people subsides. Will you try it? We are at your service. Write today, do not delay. The soul you save may be your own.

J. M. Bucy, *Publishing Secretary*

In rejecting the truth, men reject its Author.—*Great Controversy*, p. 583.

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"Come to Workshop— March 21 and 22"

It's unusual! It's fortunate to have W. J. Harris of the General Conference return to the New York Conference for two more Sabbath school workshops in 1960!

This year there will be two workshops. One will be held in the Utica Seventh-day Adventist church, Monday, March 21, and the other in Rochester Genesee Park, Tuesday, March 22, starting at 9:45 a.m. each day.

We urge all who are interested in Vacation Bible School and Branch Sabbath School to attend. Everyone is welcome.

Elder Harris will have ideas, helps, and good instruction to present. We especially invite pastors, Sabbath school officers, division leaders, teachers, and all others interested to come.

A special feature will be the Book and Bible House display. All the latest and best in materials, visual aids, and books related to the program are to be exhibited. Brother VanSanford will be happy to help you with your needs.

Those in the eastern part of the conference will want to go to the Utica workshop; and those in the western section will want to attend the Rochester Genesee Park meeting. Let's have a good attendance at the workshops with Elder Harris!

Organize a car of people to come from your church. Everyone bring his lunch. Plan to benefit from this opportunity. Come to workshop!

D. E. CASLOW, Secretary
Sabbath School Department

A Special Mention

Sometimes in the marvelous work done by our people Ingathering, the important share done by our youth is overlooked. A questionnaire was sent to the teachers of the conference asking for the names of pupils who had solicited over \$100 each during the winter caroling program.

The top five in the elementary schools are:

Ruthie Burdick	Syracuse	\$162.00
Harland Nelson	Canton	153.00
Bobby Bainbridge	Syracuse	151.34
Richard Pleasants, III	Albany	150.66
Henry Foote	Canton	110.00

There are three pupils in our intermediate schools who are over the \$100 mark.

Don Bird	Rochester	\$214.00
Vaughn Jennings	Glens Falls	151.70
Linda Knight	Rochester	103.00

A large number of our youth solicited from \$20 to as high as \$93. Many district pastors have voiced their appreciation of the enthusiasm and willingness of the boys and girls in their churches who brave all sorts of inclement weather in faithful caroling from night to night. Surely the servant of the Lord must have had such service in mind when she said, "With such an army of workers as our youth, rightly trained . . . how soon the message . . . might be carried to the world!"

M. REES

Director of Public Relations

COMING SOON

Two

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL and BRANCH SABBATH SCHOOL WORKSHOPS

Conducted by W. J. Harris

I. Monday, March 21, 9:45 a.m.
Utica Seventh-day Adventist Church
1427 Genesee Street
Utica, New York

II. Tuesday, March 22, 9:45 a.m.
Rochester Genesee Park Church
401 Genesee Park Boulevard
Rochester, New York

Special Feature — Book and Bible House Display

Bring Your Own Lunch

All are Invited — Attend One of These Workshops

Victory at Ballston Spa

The forty-five members of the Ballston Spa church celebrated Ingathering victory day, Sabbath, February 13. The members exceeded their goal of \$1,125 by raising \$1,150.94. This amounted to a per capita donation of \$25.94 which was raised by donations and caroling.

The end of the 1960 Ingathering campaign was celebrated in the evening by a victory banquet. Vanguard ribbons were distributed to the members as a climax to the program. Surely the Lord has greatly blessed us as we visited our neighbors and friends soliciting funds to carry on His work.

The members of this church are on fire for God. Elder DeLillo is now conducting an evangelistic campaign. Recently five members were added by baptism, three of whom were Faith for Today Bible Course graduates.

CHARLES L. DAVIS, PR Secretary
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OFFICIAL NOTICES

Northeastern Conference of Seventh-day Adventists

Notice is hereby given that the eighth biennial session of the Northeastern Conference of Seventh-day Adventists will be held March 20, 1960, at the City Tabernacle, 562 West 150th Street, New York 31, New York. The first meeting is called to convene at 9:00 a.m. The purpose of the meeting is to receive reports, elect officers, to make any necessary change in the Constitution and By-Laws, and to transact such other business as may properly come before the delegates.

H. D. Singleton, President
F. L. Jones, Secretary

The Northeastern Conference Corporation of Seventh-day Adventists

Notice is hereby given that the regular biennial meeting of the Northeastern Conference Corporation of Seventh-day Adventists will be held in connection with the eighth biennial session of the Northeastern Conference of Seventh-day Adventists at City Tabernacle, 562 West 150th Street, New York 31, New York, March 20, 1960. The first meeting is called to convene at 2:00 p.m., Sunday. The delegates to the conference are delegates to the corporation. The purpose of the meeting is to elect a Board of Trustees for the coming biennial period, to receive reports, and to transact such other business as may properly come before the delegates.

H. D. Singleton, President
F. L. Jones, Secretary

North American Youth Congress

We are receiving very good reports from our workers and Missionary Volunteer leaders who are presently engaged in raising funds for the North American youth congress transportation pool. The youth congress is to be held in Atlantic City, June 21-25. Northeastern Conference has twenty-six official delegates. The amount that we are to contribute to the transportation pool is approximately \$2,337.92.

It is recommended that a special offering be taken on two Sabbaths, March 19 and 26, for the delegates. We are asking all of our members to contribute a minimum of 50 cents toward this fund. Many will give more.

The congress theme is "Festival of the Holy Scriptures" with spotlight on the Bible.

Our world leaders will all be present and there are many inspiring activities planned for the young people who will attend the youth congress.

We are counting upon you to help our young people to attend these meetings by giving a liberal offering.

MISSIONARY VOLUNTEER DEPT.

MV Week in Northeastern Conference

MV Week will be observed in all of our churches, March 19-26. In the metropolitan area of New York City C. T. Richards, chairman of the Bible Department of Oakwood College, will be the Youth Crusade speaker. The meetings will start on Friday night, March 18, at 7:30 p.m. at the Ephesus church, 123rd and Lenox Avenue, and will close on Sabbath, March 26. Everyone is invited to attend these meetings. During the Youth Crusade, music will be furnished by guest choirs and other vocalists. We encourage our members to invite their friends, young and old, during this special week to study God's Word. In the past many young people have been won to the truth as a result of these meetings. Plan now to attend each night of this special week.

Week-end Camp

Last week notices were sent to the Missionary Volunteer leaders announcing the annual four-day Memorial week-end camp for young people ages

sixteen and up. Archa O. Dart from the General Conference, an outstanding youth leader and educator, will be our guest chaplain for this occasion. The camp fees for the four days are only \$10.00 or \$4.00 for each day.

Many other activities will be highlighted during this camp. The Westbury Mission church has registered nineteen of their senior youth for this week-end camp.

We can take only one hundred twenty campers. If you are planning to come we urge you to register now while there is still room.

MISSIONARY VOLUNTEER DEPT.

Announcement

The next meeting of the Northeastern Dorcas Federation will be held on Sunday, March 13, at 10 a.m. at the Calvary Seventh-day Adventist Church, 227 Pine Street, Bridgeport, Connecticut.

Northern New England

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Why You Should Join the American Temperance Society

If there ever was a time when Seventh-day Adventists needed to be in the forefront of the battle against intemperance, that time is now. We need a great revival of the temperance work in Northern New England and *you* can help.

Read the following quotations:

"From the light God has given me, every member among us should sign the pledge and be connected with the temperance association. . . ."—*Temperance*, p. 220.

"Of all who claim to be numbered among the friends of temperance, Seventh-day Adventists should stand in the front ranks. . . . On the subject of temperance, they should be in advance of all other people."—*Temperance*, p. 233.

When your church temperance secretary calls for A.T.S. memberships, be sure to join.

S. A. RENZI

Temperance Secretary

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Teachers' Convention

The annual Teachers' Convention for Southern New England Conference was held at Hartford, Connecticut, Seventh-day Adventist church, February 10-14. The theme of our convention was "Balanced Lives Through Balanced Education" which put the emphasis on the mental, physical, and

spiritual growth of the children in our church schools.

Dr. Raymond Moore of Potomac University spoke to the group on the topic, "Religion and the Adventist Church School," and on the work-education program which he will also present at the White House educational meeting this spring. V. W. Becker, of the Atlantic Union Conference, stressed the need for better schools, equipment, and qualified teachers during his talk on "Trends in Education." It may be that some of our schools will be closed unless the higher standards are reached. Dr. LaVeta Payne and Miss Agnes Eroh were guest speakers from At-



Southern New England Conference teachers and conference personnel in attendance at convention in Hartford, Connecticut, February 10-14, 1960.



Dr. Raymond Moore, School of Education, Potomac University, presenting the work-education program on Sunday morning.

atlantic Union College and discussed the importance of devotional programs and the influence of the teacher upon the children. Other speakers were Merle L. Mills, K. W. Tilghman, H. Ward Hill, W. P. Thurber, and Miss Millie Urbish.

Sectional meetings for the teachers in the primary, elementary, intermediate, and secondary grades were conducted by Malcolm Wright, Mrs. Dorothy Alfie, Mrs. Doris Thistle, and Miss Florence Kidder. These meetings provided time for the teachers to discuss the problems in their own areas and to make recommendations to the conference and union educational committees.

On Thursday evening, role plays and

specific case studies were conducted which proved entertaining as well as most educational.

Dormitory rooms were set up in the church to accommodate the teachers. Mrs. Morris West, with a fine corps of workers from the Hartford church, prepared and served the meals for the entire group.



Primary teachers in their sectional meeting. Left to right: Front row—Alice Bates, Rosalind Hartman, Leona Odell, Alice Lease, Lillian Menshausen. Back row—Hope Thurlow, Effie Jennings, Beatrice Cowan. Standing—Malcolm Wright, chairman.

Here are some excerpts taken from letters written by our teachers after convention:

Just a note to say how much I appreciated the wonderful teachers' convention. Much good material was discussed. I liked the "dorm" life, the eating arrangements, and mostly, the fellowship.

I want to tell you how much I appreciated convention—the best in many a year for me. All the parents should have been there, too.

I want to thank you for the good teachers' convention. I'm sure all of us learned a great deal.

We appreciate the good spirit of our teachers and look forward to a greater work for the Master. **MILLIE URBISH**
Elementary Supervisor



Photos by Miss Urbish and C. P. Anderson

Meeting of school principals. Left to right: Herbert Brendel, Taunton-Middleboro; L. A. Benzinger, Browning Memorial; V. W. Becker, educational secretary of Atlantic Union Conference; David McConnachie, Bridgeport; John Knowles, Hartford; Miss Florence Kidder, Springfield; Mrs. Hazel Hanson, Stoneham.

Dorcas Federation Meetings

The Dorcas Federation meetings in the Southern New England Conference will be held as follows:

Sunday—March 13—Federation #3
New Haven, Connecticut, Church,
355 Humphrey Street.

Bring a covered dish.

Monday—March 14—Federation #1
South Lancaster Village Church,
So. Lancaster, Mass.

Bring your lunch—a hot drink and fruit salad will be served.

Tuesday—March 15—Federation #2
Fuller Memorial Sanitarium,
South Attleboro, Mass.

Bring your lunch—a hot drink will be served.

These federation meetings will be very important ones. We are sure that a large number will be in attendance.

V. A. LAGRONE

Home Missionary Secretary

News Notes

★ Merle L. Mills, K. W. Tilghman, W. G. Wallace, R. L. Walin, and Delmer Wood attended the Review and Herald Quadrennial Constituency meeting in Washington, D.C., on February 23 and 24. The theme of this meeting was, "Souls Through Sales."

★ Mrs. Janet Hilbert is leaving our office staff. She will be working at Faith for Today. She was Mr. Walin's secretary in the Southern New England Book and Bible House.

★ Miss Millie Urbish spoke at the Pittsfield Home and School meeting on February 23. Her topic was "Character Training."

★ Merle L. Mills and Kenneth W. Tilghman attended the Greater New York commission and audit meetings on February 22.

★ Miss Millie Urbish and Wayne P. Thurber attended the American Association of School Administrators Convention in Atlantic City, February 14-17.

★ The pastors and school board chairmen of the Taunton, Pawtucket, Providence, and Brockton districts met in the Taunton church on February 25 to discuss consolidation of their church schools.

★ Lester Gaul who was arrested for having his Laundromat in Malden open for business on Sunday has won a decision by the judge in his favor.

★ Commencing Wednesday, March 2, at the Brooklawn church in Bridgeport, Mrs. G. S. Remick will conduct the Community Cooking School for six weeks. This school will be held in con-

Sabbath School Needs You, and You Need the Sabbath School

Fortified—Only those who have their mind fortified with the truths of the Word of God will be able to stand in the last days. We will not be able to believe our eyes or ears but we will need to know a "thus saith the Lord." So plan to study your Sabbath school lesson daily.

Investment—Jesus invested His life. What shall we in return invest for Him? Start your Investment project early and in co-operation with God—watch it grow.

Increase—The mission fields need more workers. May God help us to increase our giving so we can answer these most urgent needs.

V. A. LaGRONE
Sabbath School Secretary

DIRECTORY—We are currently compiling a directory of S.D.A. operated eating and lodging accommodations. If you operate a hotel, motel, tourist home, cabins, cafeteria, restaurants, etc., catering to the traveling public and wish to be listed, please send complete information including location, address, rates, capacity, etc., to: Roscoe Printing House, Essex Junction, Vermont.

STUDY TOUR—European - Holy Land 45-day Study Tour, 1960—sponsored by Pacific Union College, led by Professors Stauffer and Douglass. Emphasis on denominational centers, religious history and cultural interests, from Scotland to Jerusalem. Write for brochure, P.U.C. Tours, Box 52, Angwin, California.

INTERESTED IN HELPING A COLLEGE STUDENT?—Order a 12" LP Hi-Fi record of beautiful sacred marimba music containing "The Love of God," "Prayer Perfect," "The Lord's Prayer," and 13 other melodies. Karen and Her Marimba, P.O. Box 2305, San Diego 12, California. \$4.50 postpaid.

FOR SALE—Men's Winter and Spring Jackets, regularly \$6.95 to \$9.95, reduced to \$5. HUTCHINS, INC., South Lancaster, Mass.

PROPERTIES FOR SALE—Several rural properties on hard surface state roads. Cheap. Sample: Five-room house with conveniences, large barn, fifty-eight acres, tillable soil. Near church school northern Pennsylvania. Only \$4,200. Eastern Agency, P.O. Box 4392, Washington, D.C.

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C. H. SMITH, Publishing Department Secretary
Atlantic Union Conference

Report for Week Ended February 20, 1960

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Peter Esveld, Asst.

Colporteurs	Hours	Orders	Del.
Moreno, Jose	41	150 35	141 10
Kies, Mrs. Salme	40	105 05	105 05
Potash, Mr. Abraham	40	239 95	105 70
Barwell, Harry	38	130 85	52 85
Esveld, Corrie	37	193 05	107 30
Barwell, Harry	22	17 75	35 50
Murray, A. J.	20	33 50	33 50
West, Florence	17	42 65	14 90
Smith, Lena	17	44 00	31 50
St. Amant, Ruth	15	42 55	42 55
Bucy, Mrs. Betty	12	37 50	10 00
Antonsson, Laura	5	12 90	12 90
Cadavero, Justine	5	53 75	24 25
Gonzales, G.	5	27 25	
Cadavero, Richard			5 50
Halversen, Ronald			7 75
Hasel, Gerhard			15 50
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Pahlke, Otto	32	181 45	49 45
Mills, Mildred	28	90 80	90 80
Brown, George	22	62 00	52 50
Lenigan, Howard	22	261 25	28 85
Butts, Glenn	20	113 00	50
Brown, Stanley	19	62 25	24 75
Park, Walter L.	19	19 50	13 75
Nagel, Geraldine	7	2 50	58 25
Kinnicutt, Lucy	3	92 25	
Kinnicutt, Lucy	1	7 75	
Brown, Mrs. Geo.	1	1 91	1 91
11 Reports	174	884 66	320 76

NORTHEASTERN

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	Hours	Orders	Del.
M. L. Dennis, S. O. James, A. R. Haig, Assts.			
L. Bolden	26	45 50	45 50
H. Carlos	10	15 30	16 30
G. Chiddick	6	3 00	3 00
E. Denton	10	17 85	8 35
L. Edwards	39	104 98	57 23
R. Erskine	10	15 80	15 80
A. E. Hayes	29	82 25	66 50
E. H. Hooper	15	82 55	20 85
E. T. Hughes	11	11 00	18 00
H. J. Morgan	21	100 95	46 75
H. V. Morgan	20	63 65	43 90
S. Nelson	36	86 25	74 00
J. Scatliffe	15	20 75	20 75
V. L. Scott	9	4 00	4 25
E. Spigner	5	5 35	4 35
B. Swain	10	7 51	7 51
M. Violet	23	20 20	20 20
Springfield Aux.	40	105 00	105 00
L. Cornelius	40	70 00	70 00
C. G. Remy	29	283 00	332 50
Linden Blvd	20	37 50	37 50
M. Bramwell	25	201 50	81 50
M. Brown	10	105 15	72 65
L. Collins	33	84 15	55 40
C. Curtiss	34	75 50	49 50
F. Davis	30	101 40	104 15
F. Lawton	3	7 10	7 10
E. King	9	15 95	15 95

Z. Palmer	28	195 70	141 70
G. King	5	15 30	15 30
C. Pharr	21	14 35	14 35
E. Schouburgh	10	21 50	21 50
L. M. Williams	30	6 80	5 85
A. Justice	43	142 45	17 20
T. Rugless	41	155 00	28 85
R. E. Ward	38	330 45	19 15
M. Dennis	35	91 45	100 25
L. Plant	34	114 00	15 50
J. Caldwell	23	71 25	18 50
L. Jones	12	5 90	5 90
L. Reed	10	10 00	10 00
W. Stokes	10	14 00	14 00
C. Barrett	10	8 75	8 75
Rochester Aux.	10	50 00	50 00
E. Caldwell	10	17 50	17 50
M. Lucas	10	28 75	28 75
46 Reports	948	3071 09	1937 79

NORTHERN NEW ENGLAND

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N. E. Hepner, Jr., Asst.

Carkin, Merrill	46	157 90	48 15
Barron, Nelson	42	196 95	113 90
Barron, Nelson	40	182 15	142 50
Lombard, Carrol	39	265 35	60 85
Palmer, Chas.	39	47 75	14 75
Colburn, H. B.	36	141 75	82 95
Ball, Lamona	30	102 00	111 45
Elliott, Paul	22	68 25	51 40
Gray, Ellen	6	170 05	20 60
Macomber, Earle	6	4 80	4 80
Parttime Worker	3	20 00	20 00
Hutchins, Fay	1		5 00
12 Reports	310	1357 40	676 35

SOUTHERN NEW ENGLAND

W. G. Wallace, Pub. Dept. Sec.
Glen Hixon, Asst.

Frederick Miller	45	79 00	79 00
Howard Thomas	36	87 00	87 00
Mildred Fenley	33	105 00	170 75
Samuel Murphy	46	271 04	271 04
John Spalt	45	443 18	132 44
Alberta Mack	41	115 45	115 45
Horace Fitcher	28	309 20	309 20
Frank Nieb	44	622 80	622 80
Burton Santee	33	176 75	114 05
Edna Whitehead	23	73 00	73 00
Leo Poirier, Jr.	20	91 25	91 25
Edna Whitehead	20	134 55	134 55
Joan Palmer	19		
Eileen Brown	18	35 15	35 15
Thekla Riley	13	13 50	13 50
Ruth Melville	12	5 00	10 50
Amv Wheeler	12	40 30	40 30
Addie Pearson	6	4 75	4 75
Lillian Morgan	4	4 35	4 35
Magazines		40 00	40 00
Elsie Anderson	4	41 25	31 25
21 Reports	502	2692 52	2380 33

BERMUDA

Daniel Jacome	37	1279 38	3 50
Union Totals	Hours	Orders	Del.
108 Reports	2285	10416 15	6064 58

nection with the Sunday night evangelistic meetings.

★ The Brooklawn Junior Academy will offer ten grades for the school year 1960-61. Mrs. Rolfe Mitchell will be teaching grades 1-4, David Westgate, grades 5-8, and John Knowles, grades 9 and 10.

★ The Bridgeport Dorcas Society under the direction of Mrs. Daisy Shreve held a successful food sale where over \$200 was realized for their Welfare program. The society also gave out twenty food baskets at Christmas.

★ The new wing and heating system is nearing completion at the Danbury-Bethel church. The members are now working toward the completion of the interior decorating and preparing for the dedication of the church.

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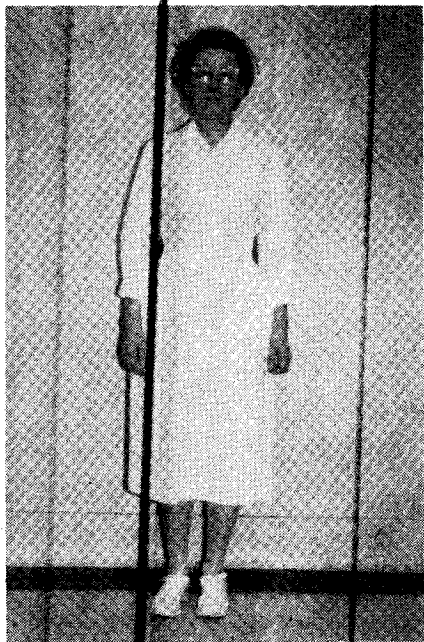
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Health Education Director Appointed

Miss Esther Oldham of Loma Linda, California, recently joined the staff of the New England Sanitarium and Hospital as health education director.



Miss Esther Oldham

Her childhood and youth were spent on a midwestern farm in Ohio with her parents, seven sisters, and two brothers. She attended the local high school and later the Mt. Vernon Academy when the family became members of the Seventh-day Adventist church. Miss Oldham devoted several years

to the colporteur ministry and one year as a church school teacher. Some of her fondest memories are wrapped up in the three years of nurses' training at the Mt. Vernon Hospital where she received a broad experience in nursing, without accreditation.

The spirit of adventure led her to California. Here she attended La Sierra College and the College of Medical Evangelists where she received her B.S. degree.

Since graduation, Miss Oldham has had experience as a team leader, head nurse, assistant director of nursing and four years as the inservice education co-ordinator at the Loma Linda Sanitarium and Hospital. She is an active member of the American Nurses Association.

Atlantic Union College

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Atlantic Union College News

★ President L. M. Stump visited on the Potomac University campus at Berrien Springs recently while attending a committee to give study to graduate work in Eastern colleges.

★ Dean R. E. Cleveland, Miss Agnes Eroh, and Doctor LaVeta Payne represented the college at the recent convention of the American Association of School Administrators held in Atlantic City, New Jersey.

★ Analogous to the Faculty Study Group on the campus is the student level Dean's Seminar. Its purpose is to encourage students to discuss ideas, concepts, and philosophies with their fellow students on a level not possible in the classroom.

Dean's Seminar is composed of those students qualifying for the Dean's A and B scholastic attainment lists.

Mildred Harkins is the secretary for the Seminar and the chairmanship is rotating. Two faculty members are invited to each meeting. Only two meetings have been held this year, the first for organization purposes. "What is Democracy?" was discussed at the second, with Arlind Hackett as chairman and Miss Peckham and Elder Madgwick as faculty representatives.

★ Mrs. Rochelle P. Kilgore, head of the English Department, will be flying to Europe on March 16 to attend the third annual retreat for Seventh-day Adventist servicemen in Europe and

North Africa. Last year 265 servicemen attended the retreat.

Mrs. Kilgore will spend most of her time in counseling, and particularly along lines of educational prospects for the servicemen. Her chief interests are to encourage them to be true to denominational principles and to guide them in their plans to continue their education after their period of military service.

Mrs. Kilgore will return to the campus the first week of April.

★ The Male Glee presented a sacred concert, under the direction of Norman J. Roy, in the Taunton, Massachusetts, church on Friday evening, February 19.

★ M. K. Eckenroth, president, and Derrell K. Smith, educational superintendent of the New Jersey Conference, were on the campus Tuesday, March 1, in the interest of interviewing prospective teachers.

★ Anthony N. DiNatale, commissioner of public works of Massachusetts, has announced the appointment of Dr. Charles J. Stokes, professor of economics and business at the college, to an advisory committee in the department of public works. Dr. Stokes and nine other professors from Harvard, Boston University, Boston College, Northeastern University, as well as economists from the Federal Reserve Bank of Boston and the United States Department of Labor make up the personnel of the committee.

The purpose of the committee is to study the social and economic impact of the highway system in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts on the welfare of the state. Planned in the next few years is a great expansion of the state highway system. Immediately ahead is the completion of a network of highways in the Greater Boston area.

Sunset Table Eastern Standard Time

March 11 March 18

Bangor, Me.	5:36	5:46
Augusta, Me.	5:39	5:49
Portland, Me.	5:42	5:50
Boston, Mass.	5:46	5:54
S. Lancaster, Mass.	5:49	5:57
Pittsfield, Mass.	5:55	6:03
Hartford, Conn.	5:53	6:01
New York, N.Y.	5:58	6:03
Utica, N.Y.	6:02	6:12
Syracuse, N.Y.	6:05	6:15
Rochester, N.Y.	6:12	6:21
Buffalo, N.Y.	6:16	6:25

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

LAST CALL! LAST CALL!

Annual Student Association

TALENT FESTIVAL

March 12—8:15 p.m.

Machlan Auditorium

There will be five sections: Junior, Classical, Semi-Classical, Light, and Novelty. Nearly \$200 in cash prizes will be awarded. Over fifty participants will make this a night to remember. No reserved seats.

Adults — 75 cents
Students and Children — 50 cents