

# Atlantic Union Conference Lay Congress



Sabbath morning service at the Atlantic Union Conference Lay Congress. Norman J. Roy, associate professor of music at Atlantic Union College, directs the laymen's choir.

#### A Spiritual Feast

The great Laymen's Congress, the first of its kind ever held in the Atlantic Union, will most certainly go down in history as a never-to-be-forgotten event. The entire program was carried out on the campus of Atlantic Union College. Our five local conferences and the Bermuda Mission, along with the delegates from the Canadian Maritimes and Newfoundland joined hands to make the gathering international in atmosphere.

It should be mentioned that a balanced program was worked out and arranged in workbook form, the result of many months of intensive work and study.

Henry Peterson the newly appointed home missionary secretary of the union, gave strong and efficient leadership throughout the congress. He was ably assisted by the local missionary secretaries.

Realizing the importance of the meeting, the General Conference was represented by T. Garcich, C. E. Moseley, J. E. Edwards, C. E. Guenther, A. A. Esteb, V. W. Schoen and A. C. Fearing. The Review and Herald sent R. G. Campbell and J. D. Snider; and the Southern Publishing Association was represented by R. J. Christian and C. L. Paddock, Jr. Grace Fields, formerly with the General Conference, helped out with the program.

The opening service was impressive with Theodore Carcich, vice-president of the General Conference for the North American Division, as guest speaker setting the tone of meetings to come. Basing his study on Revelation 7:9 he told of the great and glorious throng pictured before God's throne, "clothed with white robes, and palms in their hands." It was emphasized that Jesus came to live among people, to help them live right lives, and that when He comes before long, He plans to gather people unto Him-self. God loves people." Before the meeting closed every delegate stood in silent witness for their Master. Elders Moseley and Edwards directed our thinking along similar lines in the two days following.

It is interesting to note that the motto for the congress was "To Know Him—To Make Him Known." In the center of these words was a painting of Jesus' face on an opened Bible, gazing intently and searchingly at the huge crowd in Machlan Auditorium.

What an inspiration it was for one to visit the various workshops, all directing the longings of the heart in more efficient ways to win souls. General, union, and local conferences took charge of the instruction given.

Unforgettable scenes such as the processional march, "The Golden Year Pageant," and the "Trophy Hour," at which time dedicated soul-winners presented their converts, made a deep and lasting impression. Truly our one sublime mission is to win hearts for Christ while it is day.

Before mentioning the Sabbath services, it is well to recount our blessings received as talented musicians and choristers participated in praising God. Time and time again expressions of gratitude were heard throughout the session. A thrilling experience, indeed!

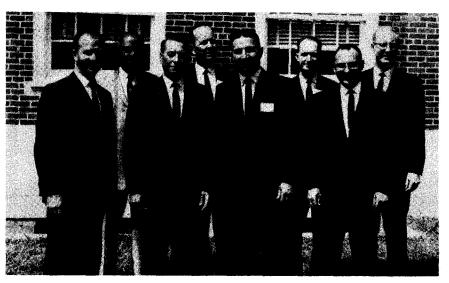
William Fagal, speaker for the weekly Faith for Today program seen and heard across the nation and in Canada, gave the study Sabbath evening, again presenting an encouraging picture of the hundreds and thousands finding their way to God.

Owing to the large crowd, numbering in excess of two thousand, it was decided to have two preaching services, with the Sabbath school coming in between. This was wise for all had an opportunity to hear Emilio Knechtle of New York City, a dedicated layman and former business man, presently in charge of a boys' school in Connecticut. It was a heart-warming story of his conversion to the truth.

It was plain to be seen that an everwatchful God had placed His finger upon our brother first in the Dominican Republic, then in New York City with Billy Graham, and finally when visited over a period of years by our Hungarian minister.

There was scarcely a dry eye when our brother related, "When in March of this year I went into the water tc be baptized, this was a direct answer to my dear mother's prayers for thirtyfive long years—this lovely lady whc lives three thousand miles away in Switzerland." A marvelous experience. Some wished that this devoted Adventist mother could have been present at the meeting.

The last meeting of the congress was a memorable occasion in every respect. To bring to a climax all that had taken place before, it was requested that W. J. Hackett, president of the Atlantic Union Conference, be invited to speak, challenging the delegates to work for Christ with more intensity upon their return to their respective communities and churches, "as the hour is late." It was a moving sermon, and the presence of the Holy Spirit was much in evidence. All present joined hands and pledged their allegiance to God and to one another. Several hundreds signed pledge cards indicating their desire to be about the Master's



Left to right, (front row): H. J. Harris, New York; H. W. Peterson, Atlantic Union; W. G. Soloniuk, Canadian Union; M. E. Payne, Northern New England; (second row): H. W. Kibble, Northeastern; V. A. LaGrone, Southern New England; H. E. Voorhees, Greater New York; and H. R. Jenkins, Bermuda.

business in winning more souls than attempted before.

Yes, the congress is over and perhaps the Lord will be here before another one is held. One thing is certain, however, and that is the inspiration of the meetings will be felt and experienced with ever-increasing appreciation for God's loving presence with us. The delegates left fully determined by God's grace to be more dynamic, forceful, and unremitting in their endeavors to save the lost. The words of Elder Hackett still ring in our ears-"The church as a team must arise now and quickly finish the work."

As one layman said as he neared the front door of the auditorium, "God has revealed to me my responsibility to Him. I am going back home a different man. My one task is to win people to my Christ." One thing is sure,-such a witnessing Christian will not be a missing Christian.

> A. E. MILLNER Public Relations Secretary Atlantic Union Conference

#### A New Church Center for Damascus

Damascus, considered to be the oldest city in the world; the city of faithful Éliezer, servant of Abraham. Damascus, one of the centers of the early Christian church. At its gates Saul of Tarsus became Paul the Evangelist. Damascus, today a city of nearly half a million souls who must be warned of the coming judgment.

Can you imagine a city of this size, the capital of its country without a Seventh-day Adventist church? You ask, "Why, don't we have a church. Do we have members in Damascus?" Yes, we not only have several members, but the office of the Syria Mission is in Damascus and at least three workers are located there. Why then isn't there a church, an office, a school, something?

The message first came to Syria in 1906 and although the work went slowly for many years, several very faithful families accepted the truth. Many of the ministerial workers in Lebanon and Syria today are from these early Syrian Adventist families. Beginning from the time of Syrian independence in 1943 the work moved forward rapidly. As more and more members were added to the church,

increased difficulties from several sources resulted in the Syrian government ordering the closing of our churches in 1951.

Our members have remained faithful and the workers have continued to bring in new members year by year. Oftentimes the members were not even permitted to have services in their own homes. On many Sabbaths they would go out into the fields and under the shade of a tree lift up their voices in praise and thus worship God.

On September 28, you will be given an opportunity of helping our work in Syria, for on this date, the third quarter 13th Sabbath Offering will be taken, the overflow of which is going for the construction of a church in Damascus. In this center will be a school for our children, a medical clinic, and facilities for a welfare center. The mission office for the Syria Mission and an auditorium for evangelistic and church purposes will make this building truly a center for the proclamation of the message in all its phases to the people of Damascus.

Some of you are no doubt wondering about current conditions in Syria and whether it will be actually possible to construct such a church center, especially in view of the fact, that our churches have been closed for many years. It is true that Syria has had its share of revolutions and political turmoil. Sometimes, however, revolutions bring new faces into the government, men who are not prejudiced or opposed to an organization. This has been true in Syria. Our leaders there say that key officials seem quite favorable to the church and the plan to construct a church center in Damascus. What the future brings, we cannot tell.

We faced a similar situation in Egypt in connection with the building of the Cairo evangelistic center. We moved forward in faith and the Lord opened the way; first, to purchase the land; then to secure a permit for a welfare center; and finally, the center was recognized as a church.

We believe that God has definitely worked miracles in behalf of His work in the Middle East in recent years. Maurice Katrib, president of the Syria Mission, recently said, "Doors that have long been closed in Syria are now opening. God is going to honor the loyalty of our members and begin to do great things for His church there. I am confident that the Lord will go before us as we seek permission to build a church center in Damascus. I appeal to our members everywhere to unite with their gifts on Thirteenth Sabbath their prayers in behalf of this much-needed project."

> CARROLL V. BRAUER Sabbath School Secretary Middle East Division

#### There Is a Story Behind It

If you haven't heard of the new book, Time Running Out, you will! There is a story behind it, a story that is almost as fascinating as the book itself. A story so filled with strange happenings that it almost borders on the miraculous.

Some eighteen months ago a man connected with the Pacific Press said to one of the superintendents, "The day is coming when a manuscript will be presented to the publishing house with a message so important that the factory will be given just six weeks from the time the manuscript is received until it must be delivered in quantities of 50,000 copies."

Perhaps the superintendent thought he was speaking of a time many years in the future. Whoever heard of a

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brand-new manuscript being rushed through the process of publication in just six short weeks? Perhaps the man suggesting it ought to have his head examined.

In September of 1962 an individual connected with the world-wide publishing program became convinced that there was one piece of literature needed at this time. Unknown to him, someone over a thousand miles away had a similar conviction. In November of 1962 these two men met in the city of Portland, Oregon, and began discussing this need. The item wanted was a book on the second coming of Christ that would be as up to date as your morning newspaper. No more of the old signs brought out in a new dress. It should be something new where the thinking is different—signs of the sixties—where the people talk in a new language. Everything must be "A-OK."

The search for an author was begun. Many people listened to an appeal to write the book All of them thought that a manuscript was needed. Some thought they might even write a book on this subject—sometime. But, time was running out!

The home missionary secretaries of the North American Division were to meet in the city of Dallas, Texas, on January 21, 1963. It would be a shame not to have a report to present at that meeting on this much-needed volume.

On Monday, January 14, 1963, one of the men who had been impressed that this volume was needed dialed a number at the Pacific Press Publishing Association and rather hesitatingly asked A. S. Maxwell for an appointment. At the time of the interview he explained the type of manuscript that was wanted and then asked, "Will you write this book for us?" During the discussion Elder Maxwell was surprised to learn that it had been over ten years since he had written his last book on this subject. After some deliberation Elder Maxwell asked, "When do you want the outline?"

"If I could have the outline by Friday of this week, it would be fine," came the reply

"Friday of this week! When do you want the finished book—Monday?"

But on Friday Elder Maxwell was ready with the outline and it appeared to be just what was wanted. It was presented as a suggestion to the home missionary men at the Dallas meeting. They approved, and then the hard work of writing began.

On April 29 a Bible House Guidance Committee meeting was held at the Pacific Press. A. G. Sutton, Pacific Union publishing secretary, had come to this meeting prepared to ask for a new manuscript on the second coming of Christ. Elder Maxwell brought his new manuscript into the Guidance Committee and there made the official presentation to the manager of the Book Department. The title was *Time Running Out*, and it was an up-to-date book on the second coming of Christ. Just exactly what Elder Sutton was going to ask for!

Time Running Out was presented to the Publishing Committee on May 17. The artist had begun work on the cover illustration the early part of that week. As he put it, "I got the idea one morning of something that might work out and as I began to put it together it seemed that I could do no wrong." He was able to finish the cover in time to show it to the Publishing Committee on May 17.

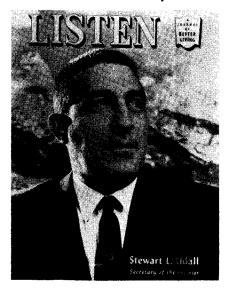
Now the big problem was where to get  $22\frac{1}{2}$  tons of paper—a box-car load! Ordinarily, it takes several weeks to secure a large supply of paper. When the superintendent's office began to check with the manufacturers regarding paper for *Time Running Out*, he found that a firm had just cancelled an order which would enable the manufacturer to supply the Pacific Press with enough paper to print 200,000 books. The paper was scheduled to be delivered on June 7. The plates were to be ready to go to press on June 10.

The paper arrived early and *Time Running Out* went to press on June 7. On June 17, just one month from the day it was accepted by the Publishing Committee, *Time Running Out* was ready for the field. The application for copyright is dated June 17. Books were delivered to the Central California camp meeting on June 17.

Another interesting feature of the book is that it is entirely current regarding the death of Pope John XXIII. The book, mentioning the death of the pope, was being distributed a scant two weeks after the world had received word of his passing. So *Time Running Out* is as up to date as the morning newspaper. It is truly the *signs of the sixties*. The price? Just 25 cents per copy! Surely the Lord has a work for this little volume to do in advising the world of the imminent return of our Lord and Saviour! R. P. Rowe, *General Manager* 

Pacific Press Publishing Assn. Mountain View, California

Man in a Hurry



Man in a hurry, Secretary of the Interior Stewart Udall, says: "We lose a million acres of open space annually with the resultant diminishing of the qualities which formed our national character."

In a very special September-October Listen, Secretary Udall appears on the cover and is the subject of an exclusive Listen interview by the editors. A special article by W. A. Fagal of Faith for Today also appears in this issue.

#### Inter-Union Curriculum Workshop Meets

The Columbia, Lake, Atlantic and Southern union representatives met for the CLAS Curriculum Workshop at Andrews University between the dates of June 17 and August 2, 1963.

The purpose of the workshop was to evaluate and revise existing programs offered in the elementary schools. Especially stressed during the seven-week period were fields involving science, mathematics, and health. A curriculum guide containing suggestions of approach to the various subjects will be duplicated and given to elementary teachers of the unions represented.

A similar curriculum guide was pro-

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Left: E. A. Robertson, educational secretary of the Columbia Union and Miss Ethel Johnson, supervisor of elementary education of the Columbia Union, lead out in the revision of the elementary school curriculum. Right: Posing with members of the Curriculum Workshop are educational secretaries from the participating union conferences. Front row, left to right: G. E. Hutches, Lake Union; V. W. Becker, Southern Union; E. A. Robertson, Columbia Union; Ethel Johnson, Columbia Union; L. E. Smart, Atlantic Union. Middle row, left to right: Dorice Engman, Lilah Lilley, Mary Eliquist, Mrs. Marion Simmons, Emerton Whidbee. Back row, left to right: Mrs. Florence Morriss, Adelaide Christian, Agnes Eroh, Bernice Pittman.

duced last summer for areas of Bible and social studies. The current workshop group, now benefited by teacher evaluation and limited classroom use of the materials, revised the guide and plans that it be printed for extensive use.

Directing the workshop was Miss Ethel Johnson, Columbia Union Conference supervisor of elementary education. "We have been happy for this opportunity to strengthen these areas of our elementary school programs, and look forward to the possibility of concentrating on art and language arts classwork in the near future," she said.

A New Book for Boys and Girls

Just off the press at Southern Publishing Association is the outstanding, well illustrated book of 284 pages, *Margie Asks Why*, by Laura Rocke Winn. This exciting new book is especially prepared for the children, but is written in such a new and interesting style that every youth and adult who reads it will also be gripped with fascination while he takes a fresh look at the great controversy between good and evil.

Why did Grandpa have to pay the price? Why was Raggle-Taggle left without a home? Why did God let Mrs. Johnson die? "Why?—Why?"—Why?" is being asked not only by Margie, but by children, youth, and adults everywhere.

Why is each individual in the condition he is today? What can he do about it? These questions and many others are winningly answered in delightful story form, and the reader will be brought to a better understanding of the problem of sin, how God deals with it, and how he should relate himself to this problem and to God.

Where did sin originate and why? Margie Asks Why is a new presentation of the answer to this age-old question. With enthusiasm and interest the story of the controversy between Lucifer and Christ is told that every child and adult may be educated and spiritually uplifted in a world filled with "Why's."

This book is a *must* for your library and your children's spiritual growth. It is ready for you today at your Book and Bible House.

> GASTON W. WALLACE Associate Book Editor Southern Publishing Association

#### Adventists and Emphysema

A preliminary report on a prospective five-year study of Seventh-day Adventists in California shows cigarette smoking to be an important factor in emphysema deaths.

A study covered 64,256 church members and is being conducted by Drs. P. W. Dysinger, F. R. Lemon, G. L. Crenshaw, and R. T. Walden of the School of Medicine, Loma Linda University. Of 1,354 male deaths, only four were directly caused by emphysema, a disease causing slow suffocation; in fourteen emphysema was a secondary cause of death.

Ten of the eighteen could be investigated, and it was found that each had a long smoking history before he joined the church.

At current mortality rates for men in California, twenty-two emphysema deaths could have been expected instead of four, and fifty-four instead of fourteen. Since geographic distribution of these church members is similar to that of the general population, the susceptibility to air pollution would be equal.

Thus, smoking once again has been shown to be an important factor related to death from pulmonary emphysema. Additional information may be obtained in the August Smoke Signals.

> M. A. Jones Assistant Secretary American Temperance Society



#### NOTICE

#### Meeting of the Association of Seventh-day Adventist Self-Supporting Institutions

The Association of Seventh-day Adventist Self-Supporting Institutions will meet in biennial session, October 2-5, 1963, at Battle Creek, Michigan. Registration will begin at 8:00 a.m., Wednesday, October 2. The first business session will be at 8:45 a.m., Thursday morning, October 3. All meetings are to be held in the Battle Creek Tabernacle. Business transactions shall include: election of officers and members of the executive committee, biennial reports, and such other items of business that may come before the convention.

Wesley Amundsen, Secretary

#### New Registrar Appointed

Recently appointed registrar for Loma Linda University, Loma Linda, is Herbert A. Walls, Jr., 5520 Encinita Ave., Temple City.

Mr. Walls has been associate registrar on the university's Los Angeles campus since 1952. He assumed his position on the Loma Linda campus in July.

After receiving the bachelor of arts degree from Columbia Union College, Washington, D.C., Mr. Walls studied at Boston University, Boston, Massachusetts, where he was granted the

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master of education degree in 1947. He is a member of the American Association of Collegiate Registrars and Admissions Officers, the Pacific Coast Association of Collegiate Registrars and Admissions Officers, and the National Association of Foreign Student Advisers.

Mr. Walls and his wife, Lula Marie, have three children: Arthur and Robert, at Pacific Union College, Angwin, and Donald, a student at San Gabriel Academy, San Gabriel.

#### <u>Voice of Prophecy</u> For Your Use—New VOP Fair Displays

The Voice of Prophecy is announcing a brand new fair display which has just come off the presses. These are now available for anyone who wishes to publicly advertise the radio program in his area.

Printed in two colors, this attractive poster, picturing H. M. S. Richards and the music group, has been designed to fit most any given advertising space, including those with irregular dimensions. It comes in two square sections (about 23" x 23") which may be arranged to form horizontal. vertical, or staggered displays. Space has also been provided on the poster for placing the call letters of local stations carrying the Voice of Prophecy radiobroadcast. Those interested in obtaining one of these *free* displays should write to:

Public Relations Department

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#### Livingston Vacation Bible School

On July 18 twenty-four local children received certificates at the closing exercises of the Vacation Bible School conducted by the Livingston church for two weeks.

The program attended by parents and friends was given by the children in the various age groups. Poems, songs, and motion plays which had been learned in the school were demonstrated. A large number of very fine crafts were on display. Many of the children were so interested in these crafts that they often came before the school opened in the morning to work on their favorite craft.

This very popular and successful Vacation Bible School was directed by Joan Spano and Oliver Libby, the pastor, with the splendid help of Mrs. Libby, Mrs. Fleischmann, Mrs.

#### Newburgh Vacation Bible School



The kindergarten and primary children with the teachers of the Newburgh, New York, Vacation Bible School. There were thirty-five pupils, and twenty were non-Adventists. Singing and crafts were enjoyed by all. Mrs. Vera Weller was director, assisted by Mrs. Eleanor Dwyer, Mrs. Ethel Sherwood, Robert Brinkman, Mrs. Pauline Brinkman, Jean Weaver, Alfred and Freya Heiser.



W. J. Hackett (right) introducing H. W. Peterson to the delegates assembled at the congress.

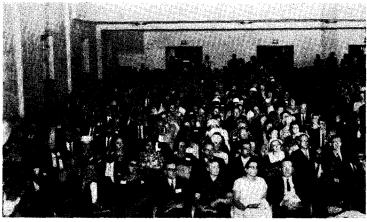


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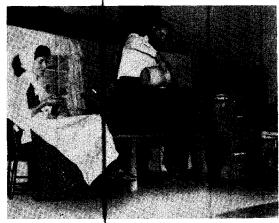


Emilio Knechtle speaking to the congregation on Sabbath morning.

## Scenes from the Atlantic



Delegates assembled at the



Pictured are Mrs. Roy Graveson as Mrs. S. N. Haskell and William Mills as Elder Haskell.

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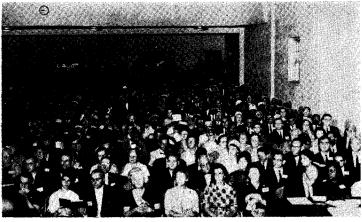


J. E. Edwards, and V. W.



Theodore Carcich giving the keynote address on the opening night of the laymen's congress.

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Left to right: Miss Judy Gaspie, Mrs. Lois Young, and Miss Sheryl Walin.



Jones, R. T. Hudson. Back , H. R. Jenkins, M. L. Mills,

To Make Him Known



The Hungarian church singers were an interesting feature of the congress.





Kindergarten boys and girls of the Livingston Vacation Bible School

Primary and junior division of the Livingston Vacation **Bible School** 

Schnetzler, Lillan Broome, Florence Ekstrom, Edythe Hartman, Beatrice Sivertson, and other church members who came to tell stories. Hilda Dryer was the pianist! Mrs. Ellis made the fruit drinks, and Miss Ketjen served them daily. So the ladies of the Adventist Home helped greatly in the Vacation Bible School.

HOWARD A. MUNSON

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#### Attention! Alumni and Former Students Union Springs Academy

If you were not at the Union Springs Academy Alumi meeting held during the recent New York Conference camp meeting, will you please send your name, address, and year of class or attendance to the principal. Thank you!

F. S. SANBURN, Principal Union Springs Academy

#### Academy Spotlight

• On Sabbath, August 3, thirty-six students and teachers attended Sabbath school and church in the Wayland, New York, church. The afternoon was spent enjoying the beauties of God's handiwork in Letchworth State Park. The summer academy family enjoyed eating dinner and supper in this pleasant atmosphere.

During the week of July 28, F. S.

Sanburn recruited prospective students in New Hampshire and Vermont.

Recent guests on the campus were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Pound of Broadview Academy, LaFox, Illinois. Mr. Pound was music teacher at Union Springs Academy from 1951 to 1957.

George White, director of music and F. S. Sanburn, principal, conducted the Sabbath worship at the Cortland church on Sabbath, August 10.

F. S. Sanburn and family visited the combined Junior Camp for the Greater New York and New York Conferences at the Berkshire Seventh-day Adventist Camp in the interest of the academy.

According to David Hodge, academy farm manager, 5,500 bales of hay have been placed in the barn. Eight students working on the farm are milking thirty-four cows and tending a herd of seventy-five cattle. Ninety acres of corn, thirty-five acres of wheat, thirtyfive acres of oats, and seventy acres of alfalfa are nearing harvest time.

Mrs. Isabella Taylor of Hornell, New York, is being welcomed to the faculty as English teacher and librarian. Mrs. Taylor received her M.A. in English at Teacher's College, Columbia Univer-sity, in 1950, and her B.A. from Atlantic Union College, 1928. She has taught elementary schools in Pennsylvania, Ohio, West Virginia, and New York; and secondary English at South Lancaster Academy in Massachusetts; Modesto Academy in California; and Thunderbird Academy in Arizona.

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#### Sabbath School Evangelism

At the recent quadrennial meeting of the General Conference, held in San Francisco in 1962, the world leaders of the Sabbath School Department offered the challenge of evangelism through the Sabbath school as never before. A goal of 30,000 Branch Sabbath Schools was accepted by the leaders from around the world. This was indeed a great challenge, for the pen of inspiration has said that the Sabbath school is one of the greatest instrumentalities for the winning of souls.

Northeastern, under the leadership of H. W. Kibble, Sabbath school secretary for the conference, has accepted the challenge and pledged that Northeastern would do its part to reach the many thousands through the Sabbath School Department. Not only has Northeastern undertaken to reach this goal through Branch Sabbath Schools, but every church has been challenged to hold a Vacation Bible School, and many churches have conducted Vacation Bible Schools with good success.

Springfield Gardens, New York, church has held its first Vacation Bible School since moving to its new building. Approximately forty-five children and a very fine group of church members volunteered as teachers and helpers.

Miss Eva Bryant, Sabbath school superintendent, led out in this Vacation



Linden Boulevard Vacation Bible School



Springfield Gardens Vacation Bible School

Bible School, and we are very happy to state that a number of the children who attended are interested in joining the regular Sabbath school, and will, we hope, eventually become members of the church.

The Linden Boulevard church conducted its annual Vacation Bible School under the direction of Mrs. Isabel Bass of the Sabbath School Department of the Linden Boulevard church. Mrs. Frankie Lawton, principal of the school, and a number of other church members gave able help. More than one hundred children gathered for this Vacation Bible School season.

At the time of this writing, Northeastern will have more than one Branch Sabbath School for each of its thirty-six churches, and we are looking forward to the day when we will pass the one hundred mark in Branch Sabbath Schools, and at least one Vacation Bible School conducted by each church during the summer.

F. L. Jones

#### Northeastern Delegates Attend Lay Congress

Over one hundred delegates from the thirty-five churches of the Northeastern Conference assembled Wednesday, August 21, on the lovely campus of the Atlantic Union College to participate in the first union-wide lay congress held in the Atlantic Union. The Ephesus church of New York City had the largest delegation.

We are grateful for the large number of persons in attendance. Many lost time from their jobs to attend this meeting to gain new tools of service and inspiration to go back to their home churches, sharing the faith we love so much.

In the writings of Ellen G. White it is stated that the Spirit of God should return to the East with great power. We feel that this is the beginning of the preparation for the Spirit of God to come in copious showers upon the thousands of laymen as they co-operate with the ministers to sound the last call of the Advent message to the millions that live in the Northeastern section of North America.

We are sure that our laymen who were not chosen as delegates will rally around those who attend the congress and gather like inspiration and then join in the finishing of the work in Northeastern Conference.

F. L. Jones

#### News Note

On June 29, a baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Stennett Brooks of New York City. The little girl's name is Andrea Rosemond Brooks. Mr. Brooks is the assistant treasurer of the Northeastern Conference and Mrs. Brooks is the office secretary in the Educational and Missionary Volunteer departments of the conference.

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#### Washington, New Hampshire, Annual Meeting

"God's church will succeed and will not end a failure," stated R. T. Hudson, the guest speaker at the annual Washington, New Hampshire, meeting on Sabbath, August 17. Elder Hudson

Bennington Vacation Bible School



The Bennington, Vermont, church had another happy and successful Vacation Bible School session this year. Pictured above are most of the forty-nine pupils who were enrolled, also some of the teachers. Many of the teachers could come only certain days of the week. Due to shortage of room at the church, the crafts were taught in the garage and basement of Pastor Seeley's home.

#### Atlantic Union Officials Visit Northern New England Camp Meeting



Five ministerial brethren plan the evening's service. Left to right: W. W. Menshausen, H. L. Maddox, C. P. Anderson, W. J. Hackett, and K. W. Tilghman. Carl P. Anderson, president of the Northern New England Conference, gives last-minute instructions to the visiting brethren regarding platform procedure. Elder Hackett was guest speaker for the evening, and led the camp meeting attendance in spiritual rededication to the Lord for a finished work. He praised the Northern New England Conference for its evangelistic zeal, its forward-looking program, the church and school buildings, and other similar endeavors. He was quite amazed to learn that Northern New Englanders gave approximately \$6,000 to missions, evangelism, and campground improvement during the week-long session. For this, we, too, praise God for the willingness of our people to back the forward look of God's work for Northern New England.

Marcus E. Payne Public Relations Secretary

further stated the greatest thing in all this world is for us as individuals to be ready when Jesus comes. Elder Hudson is the president of the Northeastern Conference, and we greatly appreciated having him and his wife and son as our guesss for the day in the Northern New England Conference.

It is with a deep sense of feeling that we hold our annual Washington meeting because it was here that we had the first Seventh-day Adventist church. The building was erected in 1843 and at that time Washington was a thriving farming community, and the church was the hub of activity. Today it is different. Farmers have moved away, the trees have grown up in the area, and now our church is several miles west of the town of Washington. However, this does not dampen the spirits of our people as we meet annually for this important all-day meeting.

Marcus E. Payne, the conference Sabbath school secretary, had charge of the Sabbath school program. Those taking part in the program were La-Veta Payne, Ph.D., of Atlantic Union College, who taught the Sabbath school lesson; H. W. Peterson, Sabbath school secretary of the Atlantic Union Conference, presented the mission appeal; LeRoy Peterson, his son, played a violin solo; and A. E. Millner, of the Atlantic Union Conference, and D. S. Robbins, local pastor, also had part in the Sabbath school.

Other guests present were F. R. Aldridge and W. C. Whitten of the Atlantic Union Conference; Frederick Sanburn, principal, and George White, music director, from Union Springs Academy. Mr. White took charge of the music and had several students from the academy with him and they helped to make the day a success.

CARL P. ANDERSON

President

#### Barre, Vermont, Vacation Bible School

July 22 was the opening date for the Barre, Vermont, Vacation Bible School. It continued one week only because of other commitments.

Virginia Eckson was in charge, ably assisted by many of the Sabbath school members. Twenty-seven enrolled the first day; however, each day found the children bringing others until, on graduation night, forty-nine certificates were awarded. Thirty-one of these certificates went to children from non-Adventist homes.

Mrs. Eckson, the leader, is very enthusiastic about laying plans for a twoweek Vacation Bible School next year. She has spoken very highly of the interest of the children and parents.

Marcus E. Payne

#### Baptism Held in Portland

A baptism was conducted in the White Memorial church on August 10. One of the candidates had accepted the third angel's message a few years ago as a student of the 20th Century, Voice of Prophecy, and Faith for Today Bible schools. Because of illness she was not able to be baptized previously, but as a result of prayer her long-awaited dream was realized when the writer assisted by Carl P. Anderson, president of the Northern New England Conference, led her into the waters of baptism.

W. W. MENSHAUSEN, Pastor

#### Presque Isle Members Register at Camp Meeting

The constituency of the Northern New England Conference met in session in November of 1962 and after studying several locations for a campground decided to ask the Pine Tree Memorial School to lend their surplus grounds at Freeport, Maine, for the development of the camp meeting program. Later the school board and constituency of the Pine Tree School agreed to lend their facilities to the conference. The constituency voted a threeyear program of development costing \$45,000, and plans were laid to raise



J. W. Burgess registering members from the Presque Isle, Maine, church.

\$15,000 each year to complete the program. Elder Anderson was happy to report at the recent camp meeting that the first \$15,000 milestone had been surpassed in seven months' time. Those who attended camp meeting were so pleased that they gave another \$1,700 in offerings for campground improvement and expenses.

Shown in the accompanying picture are Presque Isle, Maine, members registering at the locating committee booth. These members represent the church in the conference that is farthest from the campground. Surely if members can come from our farthest church, we would urge those who live nearer to follow their example next year and come to the Northern New England camp meeting.

> MARCUS E. PAYNE Public Relations Secretary

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#### Medical Center at Taunton

Among the fine medical centers serving our conference is the one located in Taunton, Massachusetts. Dr. Donald G. Hodder, a dentist, and Dr. Edgar L. Latimer, a surgeon, have their offices in the attractive medical center.

Prior to starting a residency in oral surgery, Dr. LeRoy Latimer also had his offices in the same building and it is very possible that he will return to the Taunton area.

Dr. Hodder received his college training at Atlantic Union College and Walla Walla College. He received his dental training at Loma Linda University and is a graduate of the class of 1957.

He is married to the former Oleitta Whitsitt and is the father of three girls and one boy.

Dr. Latimer took his college work at Providence College and La Sierra College. He received his medical training at Loma Linda University. He has served residencies at the Trusdale Hospital in Fall River, Massachusetts; the Lakewood Hospital in Lakewood, Ohio; and the Flushing Hospital in Flushing, New York. He is also a graduate of the New York Medical College where he took advanced work in surgery.

Dr. Latimer is married to the former Barbara Leavens and is the father of four daughters, Melanie, Toni, Sherrie, and Lori.

S. A. YAKUSH

#### New England Sanitarium and Hospital

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#### **Refresher Course**

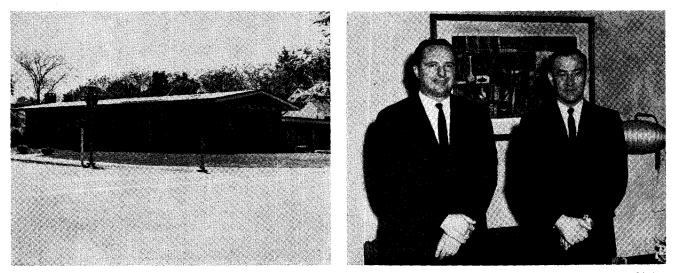
A refresher course in bedside nursing is being offered to all Seventh-day Adventist nurses in the New England area by the New England Sanitarium and Hospital.

Classes will start at 8:00 a.m., Monday, October 7, and will close at noon on Friday, October 11, 1963.

No charge will be made for this course, but each student will be expected to furnish her own notebook, pen and pencil, complete uniform, and watch with a second hand.

Meals may be secured in the hospital cafeteria at the regular meal hours.

Sleeping rooms (including bed linens) will be provided by the hospital, at a nominal fee, for the first twentyfour applicants.



Left: Attractive building which houses the offices of Doctors Hodder and Latimer in Taunton, Massachusetts. Right: (left to right) Dr. Donald G. Hodder and Dr. Edgar L. Latimer



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| Spigner, Estelle       | 41            | 18   | 60 |  |  |  |
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| Bramwell, Minnie       | 35            | 131  | 80 |  |  |  |
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| Cisco, Laura A.        | 95            | 375  |    |  |  |  |
| Collins, Lucille       | 100           | 198  |    |  |  |  |
| King, Essie            | 37            |      | 20 |  |  |  |
| Huggins, George        | 164           | 929  | 30 |  |  |  |
| Jackson, Mildred       | 75            | 100  | 75 |  |  |  |
| Rugless, Teresa        | 138           | 93   | 20 |  |  |  |
| Saulsbury, Hubert      | 205           | 219  | 60 |  |  |  |
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| Holliday, Alfred       | 106           | 246  | 75 |  |  |  |
| Johnson, Sheila        | 116           | 50   | 05 |  |  |  |
| Jones, Sandra          | 37            | 24   | 55 |  |  |  |
| Morgan, Theodore       | 100           | 101  | 95 |  |  |  |
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| Mahabee, L. D.          | 97        |      |           | 50 |
| Palmer, Chas.           |           |      |           | 95 |
| Part-time Workers (1)   | 45        |      |           | 60 |
| Patterson, Thelma       | 3         |      |           | 50 |
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| Juanita Darrow            | 43    | 371     |      |
| Part-time Colporteurs (2) | 110   | 608     | 00   |
| Students                  |       |         |      |
| David Berthiaume          | 6     |         |      |
| Harvey Bidwell            | 119   | 198     |      |
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| Tom Codington             | 163   | 177     |      |
| Fred Falvo                | 106   | 516     | 55   |
| Brenda Keefe              | 20    |         | 50   |
| Nancy Nieb                | 9     | 51      |      |
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#### Freshman Week

More than 250 freshman and new students will be oriented to college life at Atlantic Union College during Freshman Week, September 15-21.

Activities planned for the new students on campus will be co-ordinated with the registration of the rest of the enrollment, which is expected to approach a total of 550 during the opening week.

Students will arrive on campus on Sunday, September 15, and will meet their dormitory deans and move into their dormitory rooms that day. Students returning to the college may register from 8:30 a.m. - 12:00 noon and from 1:30 - 5:00 p.m. The faculty-freshmen softball game from 4:00-5:30 p.m. will provide an informal setting for the incoming students to meet the faculty. Freshman worship Sunday night will be held in Machlan Auditorium at 7:00 p.m., at which time Donald John, Student Association president, will speak on the topic "You Are Here.'

W. R. A. Madgwick will give a devotional talk at the first freshman convocation, which will begin promptly at 8:00 a.m. Monday, and President Reynolds will formally welcome the group to college

Freshman testing under the direction of Miss Agnes R. Eroh, associate professor of education, will begin at 9:00 a.m. for those who have not already taken the tests at academies in the Atlantic Union.

Freshman convocation at 1:30 p.m. Monday will include orientation on dormitory life by dormitory club presidents-Peggy Gibbs, president of Kappa Nu Epsilon, and Gerry Grimaud, president of Phi Delta Chi. The Cam-pus Women's Club will serve refreshments on the Machlan patio.

At freshman worship Monday evening H. E. Douglass, professor of religion, will give the devotional; and D. G. Prior, dean of students, will address the freshmen on "What Can We Do for You?" John Mark Cox, Student Association scholastic secretary, will inform the group about registration procedure.

At 8:30 p.m. the Student Association hayride will begin for freshmen, new students, and Student Association officers only. It will be under the direction of Robert Garren, Student Association social secretary.

Freshmen will register for classes on Tuesday in the Rowena Purdon Library. Tuesday night will feature the traditional faculty-student handshake in the college gymnasium.

The brand new class schedules carefully planned on Tuesday will become reality when classes for the new year commence at 7:00 a.m. Wednesday. At 8:30 p.m., a special freshman reception will be held in the cafeteria.

The first program of the Lyceum Series will be presented on Saturday night to climax Freshman Week, when the parents and ten children of the Burke Family Singers will perform after the Trapp family manner.

The faculty and administration of Atlantic Union College look forward to meeting each new student during Freshman Week, and hope that with co-operation between faculty and students and with the guidance of God, a particularly successful year will be realized.

"The season of distress and anguish before us will require a faith that can endure weariness, delay, and hungera faith that will not faint though severely tried."-Great Controversy, p. 621.

#### South Lancaster Academy Lloyd S. Davis, Principal

#### South Lancaster Academy

South Lancaster, Mass.

Dear Fellow Student:

Steven Chizmas

The summer vacation is drawing to a close. The weeks and days have gone so rapidly that it is difficult to believe

that another wonderful school year at South Lancaster Academy will begin in just a litle while. We, Nancy Johnson and Steven Chizmas, are writing to you to say a hearty welcome to the finest school ever and to share with you our burden

with which we know you will want to co-operate.

Your American Temperance Society is looking for an adventuresome school year. We have many plans such as

taking students to high schools to talk on alcohol, drugs, and tobacco. It is also in our plans to use our denominational films in as many places as possible. Our school participates in many contests both among ourselves and with other



Nancy Johnson

academies in this area. There are cash awards given to the winners of these contests. There will be contests for jingles, posters, essays, and the grandest of all-the oratorical. How about itare you planning to enter?

When the crisis came in Cuba, President Kennedy told the Russians to leave. This he could not have done had he not felt the support of all of us as American citizens. To succeed with our plans at South Lancaster Academy this year, we need this same support in the American Temperance Society. This is a denominational organization and is considered the finest one of its kind. We ned the motto of "One for All, and All for One."

Our plan this year is to have a table in the library at registration time and take your memberships. It is only a dollar and we will see that you receive your subscription to the magazine *Listen*. Speak to your folks and be sure and bring a dollar for membership to the American Temperance Society. We will see you at our table on registration day.

Your temperance leaders, STEVEN CHIZMAS, President NANCY JOHNSON, Vice-President

#### Sunset Table Eastern Standard Time

|                        | Sept. 6 | Sept. 13 |
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| Augusta, Me.           | 6:10    | 5:54     |
| Portland, Me.          | 6:09    | 5:57     |
| Boston, Mass.          | 6:10    | 5:58     |
| South Lancaster, Mass. | 6:13    | 6:01     |
| Pittsfield, Mass.      | 6:19    | 6:07     |
| Hartford, Conn.        | 6:17    | 6:04     |
| New York, N.Y.         | 6:21    | 6:07     |
| Utica, N.Y.            | 6:29    | 6:16     |
| Syracuse, N.Y.         | 6:32    | 6:19     |
| Rochester, N.Y.        | 6:38    | 6:25     |
| Buffalo, N.Y.          | 6:42    | 6:29     |

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