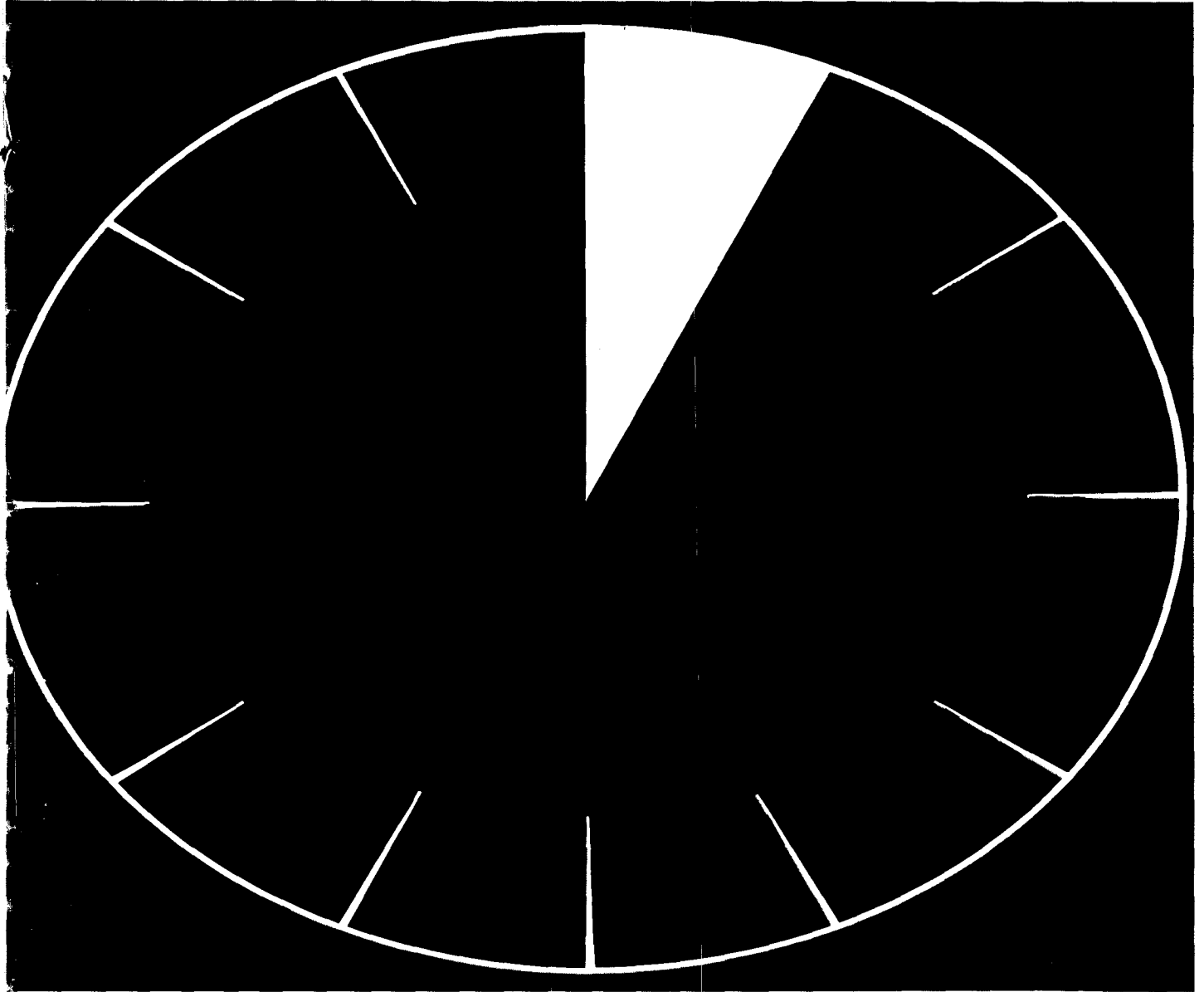


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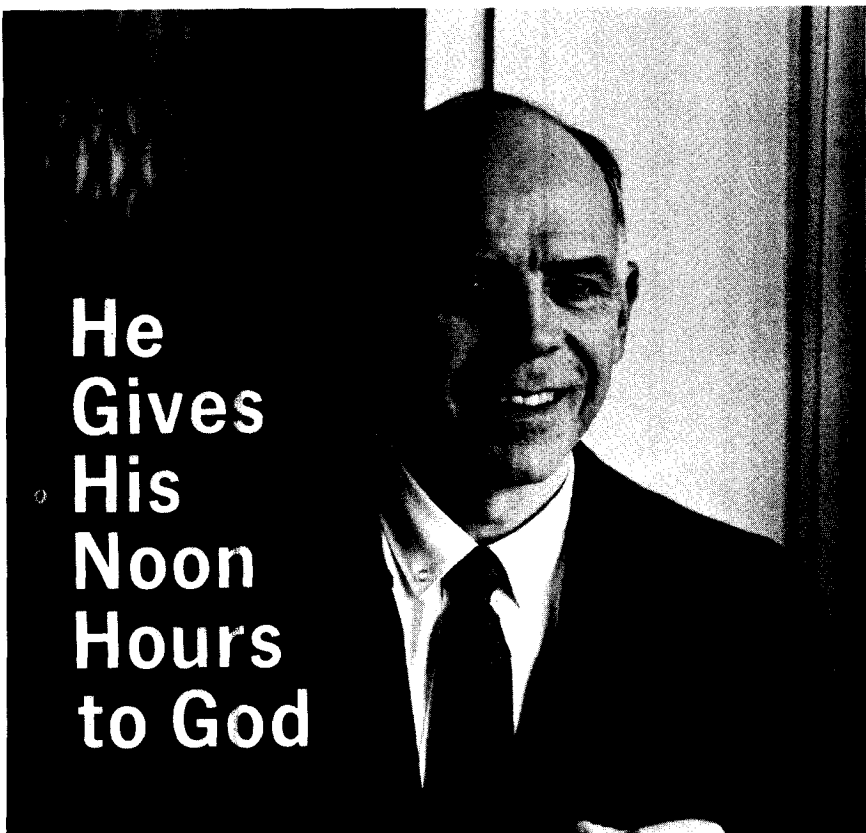
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He Gives His Noon Hours to God

By **MORTEN JUBERG**, Editor
Columbia Union Visitor

DR. J. WAYNE MCFARLAND is a busy man. Like other working people, he finds every day packed with activities related to his full-time position on the staff of Jefferson Medical College in Philadelphia.

But as one examines the accomplishments of this remarkable man it seems that he is able to cram more into a normal day than the average individual. Here are some of the things Dr. McFarland has accomplished in the last two or three years.

- He manages to hold six to eight Five-Day Plans to Stop Smoking each year. This is in co-operation with Philadelphia area pastors.
- He established the Wings of Health Club to help inner-city children in Philadelphia.
- He led out in the opening of a Better Living Center in a choice downtown location.
- Through contacts from the Five-Day Plan, he set into motion plans which saw over 200 ghetto children in attendance at Adventist junior camps last summer.

● He enjoys the friendship of scores of influential businessmen who have abandoned smoking because of the Five-Day Plan.

What is the secret of this physician? Does he have some magic formula that enables him to do so much for Philadelphia? Put the question to Dr. McFarland and you will get a surprising answer: "I give my noon hours to God!"

While other professional men are eating, drinking, or using their noon-time in other ways, Dr. McFarland is hard at work. He grabs a quick snack and he has 1½ hours of what he calls "sacred time."

During this brief 90 minutes each day Dr. McFarland works on the many projects he has initiated. Let's examine some of them in more detail.

Five-Day Plan to Stop Smoking

Probably the best-known and most practical method of stopping smoking is the Five-Day Plan, developed by Dr. McFarland and Elder E. J. Folkenberg about ten years ago. The first

plan was held in Taunton, Massachusetts.

Since then, thousands of the group therapy clinics have been held around the world. Hundreds of thousands of men and women have been delivered from the slavery of tobacco.

It would be natural to expect Dr. McFarland to use this important workable tool. And use it he does. Working with Philadelphia area pastors, he has made the name Five-Day Plan synonymous with nonsmoking in Philadelphia.

Scores of businessmen tell of their deliverance from the tobacco habit with almost evangelistic fervor. To them, the name of Dr. McFarland is as important as the name of the mayor.

At one of the Five-Day Plans a businessman rose to ask an oft-posed query, "Who sponsors this program?" Upon receiving the answer that it was a community program of the Seventh-day Adventist Church, the businessman took over the meeting briefly.

He made a spontaneous, spirited plea for funds, and over \$800 was quickly received. Recently at a dinner he related the experience and added, "I've told Dr. McFarland that I will come in anytime he is holding a Five-Day Plan and make the same pitch. But he won't let me!"

Another contact made through the Five-Day Plan led to another important advance in Philadelphia.

Wings of Health Club

As Dr. McFarland tramped the Philadelphia streets at noon he felt a strong burden for the inner-city children, whom he saw playing in the streets. Through Five-Day Plan contacts he met a wealthy lady who was interested in young people.

As a result of this friendship, the lady promised Dr. McFarland she would raise money to send inner-city children to camp if there was a follow-up program on Sundays for them.

Last summer, with the aid of friends, she raised \$12,000 for the camp project. Over 200 boys were able to attend Camp Keystone and Camp Manawnie, both Adventist camps.

Though the lady died last year, her son is continuing the program his mother loved. This year in excess of \$35,000 will be raised to send more boys and girls to the two camps.

To provide a follow-up, as the lady desired, Dr. McFarland searched the downtown area of Philadelphia for a clubroom. Finally he located a dirty, abandoned bowling alley in an upstairs loft. Cutting through red tape and apathy, he made arrangements to rent it, and it is being used every Sunday morning for inner-city youngsters. For more details on this project, read the accompanying story.

Better Living Center

In his noontime planning Dr. McFarland saw the need for a downtown center devoted to good health. Again he trudged along the Philadelphia streets searching for a suitable location.

His search was successful, and an open house was held on March 11 for the Better Living Center. This facility is operated by the churches of the Greater Philadelphia area.

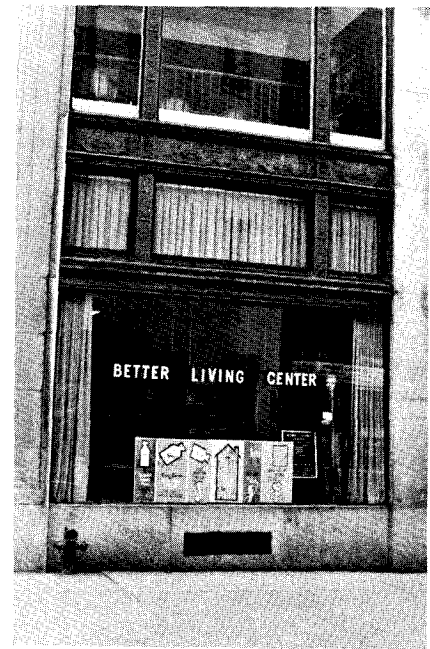
Susan Willis is the co-ordinator of the Center's activities, which include reading racks, counseling services, health lectures, and Five-Day Plans to Stop Smoking. The center is staffed by volunteers daily.

Summer Project

In addition to these plans, Dr. McFarland has worked with the Penn-



The ribbon is cut, and the Better Living Center is officially opened.



Located in the heart of Philadelphia's business area, the Better Living Center is open daily to minister to the needs of those who stop by.

sylvania Conference on another program that will utilize Andrews and Loma Linda University students in a month-long health-evangelism project this summer.

Ten students from Andrews and three couples from Loma Linda University, with faculty direction, will participate in the various projects now operating in Philadelphia.

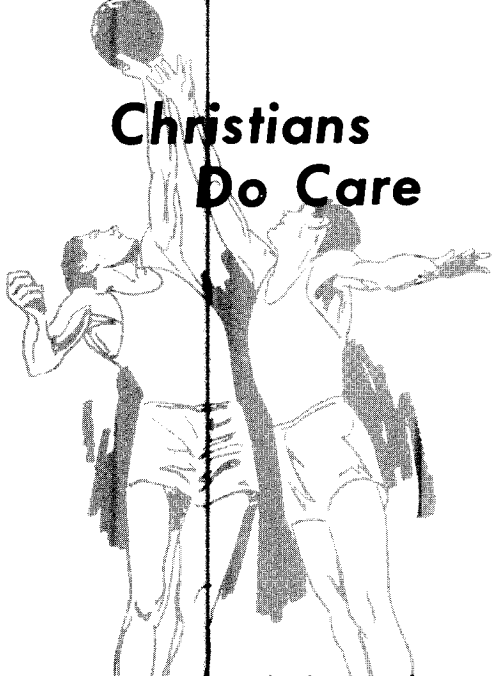
"Give Some Time to God"

Anyone who has met Dr. McFarland quickly realizes that he is an unusual individual. Both persuasive and effervescent, he inspires others to work. Many Philadelphia church members are giving their time to work on the projects the physician has initiated.

Despite the measure of success he has seen in his inner-city work, Dr. McFarland looks for greater breakthroughs in Philadelphia. "God is waiting to open the great metropolitan cities if we will work with Him."

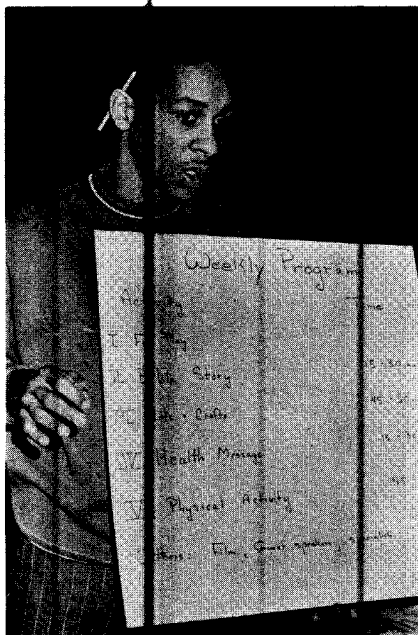
It takes courage to challenge a concrete-and-steel bastion of 2 million, as Dr. McFarland has done in Philadelphia. But he sees nothing unusual in his accomplishments. "Anyone can do what I have done," he says, "if they will give some time to God."

Christians Do Care

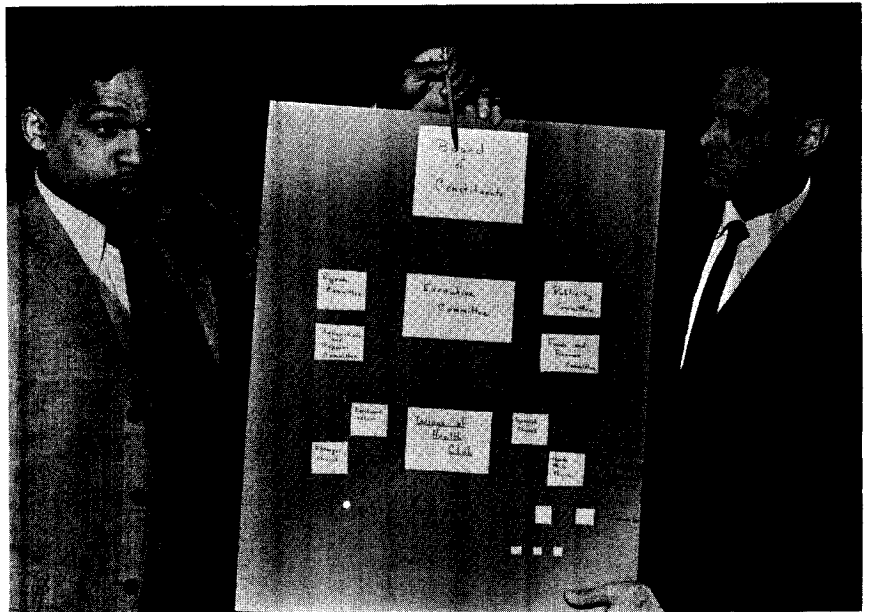


The entrance is bare and unadorned. The stairway leading up from the street is worn by the thousands who have used it in years past. There is nothing attractive about this street-level entrance on a busy downtown boulevard in Philadelphia. But to many boys and girls who live in the inner city, it is the place to go on Sundays.

Following the stairway to the second floor, one finds a mammoth room, a former bowling alley. This is



Reggie Carey is the youthful director of the Wings of Health Club. Here Reggie explains the Sunday program of the club.



Two workers, John Street, left, and Weston Babbitt, right, explain the program for the inner-city work in Philadelphia.

the home of the Wings of Health Club.

Each Sunday many boys and girls excitedly sprint up the stairs to the club to roller skate, play basketball, and to receive instruction in nature, science, and better living.

Always on hand for the Sunday sessions is one of the leaders, 16-year-old Reginald Carey, scarcely taller than the children who come to play.

For Reggie, this is his life. Reggie met Don Thompson, a young man who was involved in the Wings of Health Club. They worked closely together. When Thompson left for college, Reggie continued as leader.

His work at the club is not confined to Sundays. He got an afternoon job as a stock clerk in a store just below the club. "I wanted to be around where I could keep an eye on the club," he explained.

Mornings Reggie attends a vocational high school that specializes in agricultural science. His desire is to be a game warden.

Right now his life is tied up in the Wing of Health Club. "I see a great future for the club," he says. "Our slogan is 'If you are a Christian, then you do care.' That's the way we present things to everybody—we are Christians and we do care."

General News...

Bermuda Biennial Session

By F. R. MILLARD, *President Atlantic Union Conference*

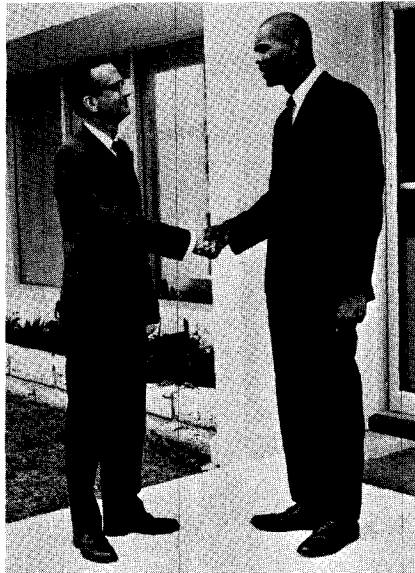
Sixty delegates, representing the five Adventist churches on Bermuda, gathered in the Hamilton church on June 7 for the sixth biennial session of the Bermuda Mission. The General Conference was represented by R. R. Frame, associate secretary, and W. W. Fordham, associate secretary of the Regional Department. In attendance

from the Atlantic Union Conference were: F. R. Millard, president; K. W. Tilghman, secretary-treasurer; F. R. Aldridge, auditor; L. H. Davis, public relations secretary; and C. W. Griffith, youth activities secretary.

Elder H. Carl Currie, president and treasurer of the Bermuda Mission, reported a present membership of 938, with 172 baptisms since the last biennial session. Tithe for the period reached \$251,940, a substantial gain over the report of two years ago.

Elder W. E. Carpenter, lay activities and Sabbath school secretary, told of good gains in Sabbath school offerings and of \$26,390 collected in Ingathering.

C. B. Skinner, principal of the Bermuda Institute, brought a very encouraging report of progress in the educational work of the mission. New facilities have been added, the scholastic level raised, and the enrollment has increased to 191. Plans were announced for the expansion of the school plant to provide much needed classrooms.



Elder W. E. Carpenter (left) congratulates Elder W. Lewis who succeeds him in departmental leadership in Bermuda.

The delegates elected Elder W. Lewis to serve as leader of the Sabbath School, Lay Activities, and Public Relations departments of the mission, along with his work as pastor of the Hamilton church. The Youth Activities and Temperance departments were assigned to Elder James Madson, pastor of the Warwick church. The Education and Publishing departments will be carried by the mission president.

Plans and resolutions were adopted that should add much impetus to the program of evangelism that has been carried on during the last biennium. The working staff now includes six ordained ministers, a strong school faculty, and several office workers. These, with our dedicated literature evangelists and church members, should do much to build up a strong work in Bermuda.

ATLANTIC UNION

MAY DELIVERIES

LITERATURE EVANGELIST	Greater New York	\$ 19,716.48
	New York	14,811.75
	Northeastern	15,840.47
REPORT	Northern New England	6,490.44
	Southern New England	26,134.58
	Bermuda	4,614.57
	TOTAL	\$ 87,608.29
	CUMULATIVE	\$291,280.04

MISSIONARY REPORT

Literature Distributed	12,846
Bible Course Applications	438
Interested People Attending Services	106
Former SDA's Contacted	38
Prayer Offered in Homes	1,738
Bible Studies Given	292
Baptisms	9

HIGHEST DELIVERIES IN EACH FIELD

G. Brito	Greater New York	\$2,026.70
Robert Jones	New York	2,688.70
Lillian Bolden	Northeastern	1,411.15
Robert Sprague	Northern New England	1,318.00
Fred Dannenberger	Southern New England	1,974.30
Whitford Shaw	Bermuda	4,108.02

"Conquest"

The Fuller Memorial Sanitarium has just completed a weekly series of twelve radio broadcasts over the local radio station WARA in Attleboro, Massachusetts. "Conquest" as this program is called, dealt with current psychiatric problems in today's society. It was conducted by the medical director, L. A. Senseman, M.D., as a public service. Its format was that of an interview between specialists and those involved in mental health problems. This is the third series of "Conquest" and the programs have been well received. They have focused attention on such problems as drug addiction, alcoholism, causes of mental illness, as well as prevention and treatment. The Sanitarium psychiatric staff as well as community personalities participated in these half-hour pre-recorded programs.

The final week featured a one-hour public-response telephone dialogue on mental health. The radio station has asked that these programs be continued at a later date.

L. A. SENSEMAN, M.D.

North American Division Baptism Sabbath

By ANDREW FEARING
Associate Secretary
General Conference
Ministerial Association



Andrew Fearing

"No one ever asked me before." How many times we have heard this expression from the lips of men, women, and youth who might have been added to the family of God long ago if someone had only invited them to join the church through baptism.

Is it not tragic that we are often tempted to hesitate or put off until some more favorable time the invitation to loved ones and friends to accept Christ as their Saviour and to go all the way with Him through baptism into the church? We are offering the priceless gift of complete happiness and great joy. When they have accepted

this hope, they will thank you all the days of their lives for sharing it with them. The Holy Spirit will minister through us if we will give him the opportunity. Even the angels are anxious to help us.

With almost impatient eagerness the angels wait for our co-operation; for man must be the channel to communicate with man. And when we give ourselves to Christ in wholehearted devotion, angels rejoice that they may speak through our voices to reveal God's love.—*Desire of Ages*, p. 297.

We may stir up the ground, sow much seed, and cultivate well; but it will be in vain if we do not plan for a harvest season.

At the 1968 Autumn Council it was voted that September 27, 1969, would be North American Division Baptism Sabbath. Surely there will be other baptisms all during the year. One who is prepared and ready for this sacred service should never be asked to wait for a certain day in the distant future; however, a special baptismal time goal gives us a challenge toward which we may work, allowing nothing to hinder us in tactfully preparing our interests for this special day, a day when new brothers and sisters will be adopted into the family of God, all over the world. Not only will this be a most beautiful and precious day personally for the new members of the family, but they will be participating in what we pray will be the largest baptism and a most wonderful day in the history of our church.

Some overseas divisions have already led the way for others to follow. Notice how God has blessed their faith and endeavors as they worked toward a mutual goal. The South American Division baptized 4,126 on September 26, 1967. And one year later this same division baptized 6,165 on September 28, 1968. These were not their only baptisms but the result of planning for this special Baptism Day. The Inter-American Division baptized over 4,000 on September 28, 1968. On March 9, 1969, 1,108 individuals were baptized in a single baptism at Rwanda in the Trans-Africa Division. What a wonderful harvest we can expect from God on this coming North American Division Baptism Sabbath!

The purpose of this special day is not to set a statistical record but to encourage ministers, institutional work-

ers, and laity to plan for and concentrate on a program *now* that will develop a harvest for a great reaping day—September 27.

We are to be associated with others in an evangelistic campaign this fall in which we have planned for our first baptism to be on September 27. We will pray and plan and labor in trustful confidence that God will bless us all with much fruit on this harvest day.

Time is running out. All around us we see unmistakable evidence that a vicious enemy is at work in the lives of mankind.

We have no time to lose. The powers of darkness are working with intense energy. . . . The great controversy is nearing its end. . . . The Lord is coming. . . . We are to prepare the way for Him by acting our part in getting a people ready for that great day.—*Evangelism*, pp. 218-19.

We invite you to participate in this glorious privilege and become personally involved in doing all you can to prepare someone for North American Division Baptism Day. May God give us the holy boldness and the sanctified tactfulness to be able to

press for decisions for Christ. May no one whom you know ever be able to say at some future time, "No one ever asked me before."

Editor Leaves on Fact-Finding Trip

Garland J. Millet, editor of *Message* magazine, left Nashville this week for an extended fact-finding trip through Europe, Africa, and the Middle East. He will return to the United States on September 7.

An in-depth study of the feelings of minority groups and black churchmen in various countries is a primary purpose of the trip, Dr. Millet indicates. He anticipates an extensive exchange of ideas and experiences with church leaders in London, Paris, Nairobi, Cairo, Tel Aviv, Beirut, Teheran, Delhi, Calcutta, Bangkok, Singapore, Manila, Hong Kong, and Tokyo before his return to the United States.

Message, which is published by the Southern Publishing Association, has an annual international circulation of more than 150,000. Editorially, the magazine endeavors to interpret cur-

It Happened in Takoma Park . . .

What?—"Testimony Countdown"—A special mass class of Washington, D.C., Adventists studying the nine volumes of the *Testimonies for the Church*.

When?—January 8-March 12 in the Takoma Park Church every Wednesday night.

Who presented the program?—The Ellen G. White Estate staff.

How keen was the interest?—The Takoma Park church was crowded to capacity every night with more than 1,500 people in attendance.

What was it really all about?—The *Testimonies* were studied in their historical setting. Attempts were made to show that predictions made by Ellen White were being fulfilled in events of our time. The impression was left that the *Testimonies* are very much up to date.

What was the program like?—Various counsels were studied in depth, background stories of counsels given and responses to them shared, questions were answered, and class members shared publicly their personal discoveries in the volume of the week.

What has followed?—Hundreds have begun reading the Spirit of Prophecy counsel with new enthusiasm, and a spirit of revival has been started that we pray will help to prepare us to meet our Lord very soon.

Ask your pastor about "Testimony Countdown" for your church. Supplies are available now.

ELLEN G. WHITE ESTATE
Washington, D.C.

rent social problems and world conditions in the light of Bible teachings.

"Dr. Millet's experiences and his communications with some of the leading thinkers of our time will lend a broad background and an important depth of experience to his editorial work," indicates R. J. Christian, Periodical Department manager for the Southern Publishing Association.

Dr. Millet received his Ph.D from George Peabody College. He was president of Oakwood College in Huntsville, Alabama, for nine years. Prior to assuming his editorial position with *Message* in 1967, he was assistant to the president of Fisk University in Nashville.

PAULA BECKER
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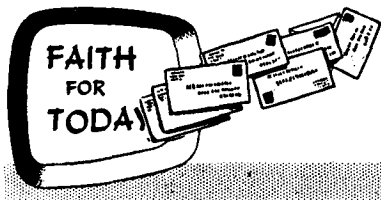
Home Study Institute Elects Director of Studies

Elder Virgil E. Robinson, veteran missionary educator, was recently named director of studies at Home Study Institute. The newly created post is similar to the work of a college academic dean, and fills a long-felt need at the Institute.

Elder Robinson, a great-grandson of Mrs. E. G. White and son of Dores Robinson, was a missionary in Africa for twenty-five years. He has been senior editor at Home Study Institute for the past seven years and is the author of nine denominational books. Both sons, Donald and Marvin, are serving in the Trans-Africa Division and Elder Robinson's wife, Alta, is a secretary in the White Estate offices.

Home Study Institute was established sixty years ago and is filling a rapidly expanding role in the church's educational system. At the present time HSI is unique in the broad range of its course offerings—kindergarten through college and adult education—and its organization and services have been warmly lauded by leading American correspondence educators. Elder Robinson will be mainly concerned with continually improving the educational services and course work at HSI.

D. W. HOLBROOK, *President*



Mr. Freedom Awards

By Roland R. Hegstad
Editor, *Liberty*

Would you like to get involved? Take up your pen and write for the third Mr. Freedom Awards sponsored by *Liberty* magazine.

Top award in each of four categories carries a \$250 check; \$100 is second prize in those sections (top in the short features); other articles will be purchased at regular rates—and the **Grand Award is \$500!** Categories: Prophecy, The Law and the Sabbath, Bible Stories or Bible History Related to Freedom Themes, Miscellaneous, and Short Features.

Enter as many articles as you wish before September 30, 1969. For a brochure giving complete details and contest rules, write:

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Bermuda



Evangelistic Series



Over 12,000 persons heard G. Wells at the Gospel Tabernacle six-week evangelistic series, which were the first tent meetings to be held on the Island of Bermuda.

More than 40 individuals took their stand for Christ pledging to keep all of God's commandments and they have now been baptized. It is anticipated that 75 baptisms will be the results of this first massive tent evangelism program of soul winning.

W. Lewis
Departmental Secretary

Baccalaureate Service



Baccalaureate services were held on Sabbath morning, June 14, at eleven o'clock in the Southampton church, at which time Dr. H. E. Douglass delivered the baccalaureate address.

Graduating Class of 1969



Pictured here is the 1969 graduating class of Bermuda Institute. They are (left to right, first row): Lynn Carpenter, Dawn Lamb, Carol Simmons, Patricia Wilson, Gail Darrell, and Beverly Hall; (second row) C. B. Skinner, principal; Lewis Gibson, Ronnie Smith, and Andrew Burgess. Graduation services were held on the week end of June 14-15.

Greater New York

Entire Town Asks Help of Adventists!

A 173-word telegram received by Elder Roy Thurmon, New York's Metropolitan Evangelistic Crusade director, spelled out a plea to Adventists on behalf of an entire town. Originating with the mayor, the wire read in part:

OUR ENTIRE COMMUNITY OF GREENFIELD, IOWA, POPULATION 2,500, IS GOING TO TRY TO GIVE UP SMOKING STOP THE IDEA CAME

TO US BECAUSE A MOVIE, CALLED "COLD TURKEY" ABOUT A FICTIONAL TOWN DOING THE SAME THING WILL BE FILMED HERE THIS SUMMER STOP WE OF GREENFIELD DECIDED WE CAN DO IT IN REALITY FOR OURSELVES AND OUR HEALTH STOP OUR NEWSPAPER, HANDBILLS, WINDOW CARDS, BUMPER STICKERS, ROAD SIGNS, OTHER FORCES BEING MARSHALLED STOP WE NEED YOUR HELP STOP PLEASE ADVISE IF YOU CAN AID WITH LECTURES, FILMS, ANTISMOKING AIDS, MOBILE CLINICS, OR IN ANY OTHER WAY STOP WANT VERY MUCH TO SUCCEED AS A COMMUNITY BUT REQUIRE PROFESSIONAL ASSISTANCE

Immediately following the receipt

of the telegram, a telephone call was placed with the president of the Iowa Conference, and they will be giving all possible assistance to this unique experiment.

Other news from the Metropolitan Evangelistic Crusade group includes information concerning 26 new video productions for the It Is Written telecast. The first of this new series will be ready for release early this fall. Among the group will be three programs dealing with health, one featuring Dr. Kenneth Cooper, the author of *Aerobics*, entitled "I Wouldn't Be Caught Dead Jogging."

On July 20, Elder E. J. Humphrey, pastor of the Brooklyn Bethel church, will begin an evangelistic series in a tent in East Brooklyn.

Also on July 20, Atlantic Union Conference evangelist George Rainey will begin a tent campaign in the Bronx. Among his staff of workers will be ten ministerial students from the Seminary at Andrews University.

Ten other graduate students from Andrews University will be joining Metro evangelist Ron Halvorsen and Elder William Jackson in the South Brooklyn and Lower Manhattan campaigns. The twenty field school students will meet each morning, four days a week, at the New York Center for class instruction, and in the afternoons and evenings will be assisting with the evangelistic campaigns. Seventeen of the men will live at the Center.

Mail is still being received as a result of the recent televising of the Five-Day Plan by NBC-TV. Already more than 1,000 requests for more information have been received at the New York Center by telephone and mail.

DON HAWLEY
Communications

Communication Secretary Wins Silver Award

On Sabbath, June 28, Mrs. Ann Vitorovich of the Greater New York Conference was awarded the silver medallion for excellence in her work as a church communication secretary. Having already received the bronze award from her local conference, she was presented with the silver award by the Atlantic Union Conference.

During the presentation, Don Hawley, conference communications director, recounted some of the activities

AS TIME RUNS OUT . . . *



*Thought-provoking theme at the 1969 Greater New York Conference camp meeting

1. Elder John Loor of Collegedale, Tennessee, challenged the senior youth to play the "Game of Life" to win.
2. Elder A. C. Fearing of the General Conference Ministerial Department was the speaker each evening.
3. Special camp meeting problem—how to match available books with available money!
4. Camp meeting is hardly complete without a baptism.
5. Elder G. E. Andersen interviewed returned missionary Mrs. Charlotte Johnson and daughter, Ginger. The monkey's name is "George."
6. A 1969 innovation—small, daily, informal discussion groups.
7. Time to stock up with health foods!
8. Young people's Sabbath school classes were liable to turn up most any place.



Elder Leon Davis, public relations director for the Atlantic Union, presents the silver award to Mrs. Ann Vitorovich for her outstanding work as a church press secretary. Nearly hidden by the 231 feet of news releases she turned out in 17 months is Elder Don Hawley, director of communications for the Greater New York Conference.

that were taken into account in conferring the honor.

"Mrs. Vitorovich has put all of her considerable talent to work in her responsibility as a communication secretary. Her newspaper clippings over a 17-month period, if arranged in a one-column-wide strip, stretch out to an amazing 231 feet! Many people living in the Jackson Heights area, get the idea that the Adventist church is the only one with a genuinely active program.

"But that is only a beginning. Her church is well represented in both the union paper and the *Review and Herald*. People wonder at the wide array of excellent pictures she has in print, until they learn that she is quick to take advantage of her husband's talent as an amateur photographer.

"Two civic leaders have been invited to the church on separate occasions to receive awards for their service to the community. These carefully planned presentations resulted in good coverage by the local papers.

"Someone forgot to tell Mrs. Vitorovich that it is impossible to put up church identification signs in the New York metropolitan area, so she went ahead and received permission from the city fathers anyway."

Mrs. Vitorovich's latest project has been a church entry into a large Fourth of July parade. The next issue of the *GLEANER* will carry an account of this project, and how it brought the church both a blue and a red ribbon.

On any Sabbath morning in the entry to the Jackson Heights church,

you will find the members clustering off to one side before entering the sanctuary. They are looking at a bulletin board kept by Mrs. Vitorovich, which keeps a running account of the church activities. This stimulates the members to even more faithful service for Christ. The church pastor, Elder Nathan Sims, says: "Our evangelistic endeavors are much more effective as a result of the work of our church communications secretary. She is surely one of the most valuable members of our entire team."

Welfare Inherits a "Store"

For fifteen years a certain gentleman collected a variety of department store goods from fire sales. He stored it away in a warehouse, planning eventually to open a store of his own. However, the fire department recently told him to vacate the premises. He did—and has never been heard from since.

The building along with its contents was turned over to a lawyer, Mr. Sung, a former Seventh-day Adventist and student of Greater New York Academy. Mr. Sung decided to turn everything over to the Salvation Army, but before he could do so he was contacted by Elder Paul Phang who was busy with his missionary work. Elder Phang suggested that he might like to donate the material to the Adventist welfare work, and his suggestion was quickly accepted.

One of the greatest of needs in our welfare work is for children's shoes. The materials from the warehouse include hundreds of new shoes for children, plus many others for men and women. Much clothing is also involved. The Lord has some interesting ways of supplying the church's need!

ELDER GILBERT ANDERSEN
Lay Activities Secretary

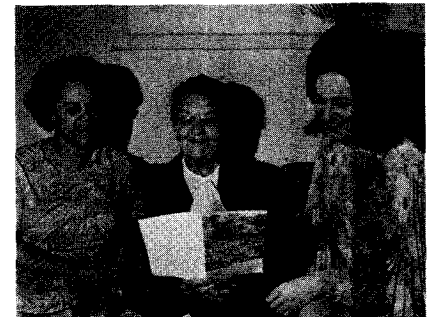
Nursing Retreat Held at Camp Berkshire

Dr. Philip Nelson of the General Conference Medical Department was the Sabbath morning speaker for a week-end nursing retreat held at Camp Berkshire, June 13-15. His chosen topic was, "What It Means to Be a Medical Missionary." Dr. Nelson has given many years of service in the Southern Asia Division.

According to retreat organizer Mrs. Carrie Carbone, the occasion was an opportunity to regain spiritual strength



Dr. Dunbar Smith of the Greater New York Conference, left, visits with Dr. Philip Nelson of the General Conference Medical Department. The occasion was a nursing retreat held recently at Camp Berkshire.



Practical nurse Mrs. Henrietta Gadson, of White Plains, left, and nurse-aide Miss Virginia Manchur, of Andrews University, study week-end program held by Mrs. Carrie Carbone, R.N.

in a quiet place, fellowship with others engaged in ministering to the sick, and study ways of more effective service. Many of those participating were graduates of the Home Health Aide classes offered from time to time in the conference.

Some of those leading out in the week-end services were: Elder E. J. Humphrey, Dr. R. Dunn, Dr. Conrado Espejo, Elder Roy Thurmon, Dr. Gordon Brannan, Dr. Calvin Thrash, Dr. Dunbar Smith, and Elder L. L. Reile. Special music for the Friday evening service was provided by the Bethel senior choir.

Youth Emphasis Day in Livingston and Kingston

Sabbath, May 31, was a special day for the Livingston and Kingston churches. This was the day the young people of the Hudson Valley Pioneers

Pathfinder Club presented the church service in both churches.

As the organist played "Onward Christian Soldiers," the Pathfinders marched briskly to the front, complete with uniforms, flags, and guidons. It was a most impressive sight as the young people repeated the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag, and then turned to face the audience. After singing the Pathfinder song, they held their Bibles high overhead and repeated the pledge to the Bible.

A brief report of the progress of the club was given. It was noted that, under the direction of Robert Windscheffel and his wife, this club has grown and developed in only eight months to a trophy club, standing third highest in total points in the conference.

The Pathfinders gave Scriptures, poems, and special music. Every parent and church member was thrilled with the performance of their Pathfinder Club, and many eyes were filled with tears as we watched our youth glorify God.

An interesting knot-tying ceremony was held, at which time three new members were officially welcomed as members of the club. After a short sermon by the pastor, Elder Dan Schiffbauer, the Pathfinders marched out to the strains of "Onward Christian Soldiers."

But this only began the day's activities. That night at seven o'clock the youth presented a program to conclude the Christ for Youth meetings which had been in progress every Saturday night for three months in the Kingston church.

Again, the young people (mostly non-Adventists) gave Scriptures, poems, and special music. Group songs were also included.

Parents, friends, and church members were invited to this program to see the youth perform and to view the various things that had been accomplished from week to week in the crafts. The boys worked on model airplanes, and the girls did textile painting, sewing, and made stuffed animals.

Nine of the young people were awarded free white Bibles for attending ten of the twelve meetings. Bible studies which started in the meetings, will continue in the homes of the non-Adventist young people each week to help them find a close relationship with Jesus. Already several of these

youth have become regular members of our Sabbath school.

It is our prayer that, because of these meetings, Jesus may become a real friend and personal Saviour to each of these precious souls.

LYLE POLLETT

Brooklyn "School of Prayer" Highly Successful

A highly successful "School of Prayer" was recently completed in the Brooklyn church under the direction of Stephen Doyle, assistant pastor. A previous school was so popular that it was necessary to repeat the series.

The course, entitled "Positive Living Through the Prayer of Faith," was held each Sabbath afternoon in the church over a period of eight weeks. Participants, averaging twenty-eight in number each week, were divided into small prayer bands of five members each. The age level ranged from juniors to the elderly, and some in attendance were from other churches in the conference.

The theme text for the series is found in Matthew 7:7: "Ask, and it

shall be given you; seek, and ye shall find; knock, and it shall be opened unto you." Some of the topics considered were:

Conditions of Prayer
The Secret of Answered Prayer
The Laws of Soul Winning
The Way to Peace of Mind
Principles of Good Health

When asked about the benefits of the prayer school, Pastor Doyle pointed out that animosities were eliminated, rings removed, bad health habits dropped, and reading habits changed. Some former members returned to the church, and one non-member, who had held off attending church with his mate for fifteen years, decided to attend. Over one hundred testimonies were given during the meetings, which closed with a final test to see how much valuable knowledge had been retained.

Those assisting with the School of Prayer were: Kent Gustavson, June Gustavson, Lou Gershon, Maria Pensante, Ben Caputo, Gerda Christie, and Frieda Doyle.

New York

Ordination Service at Camp Meeting



Three pastors—Nelson Evans, Erling Odell, Jr., and George Pursley—were ordained at the New York Conference camp meeting on Sabbath afternoon, June 28. The candidates and participants are pictured above (left to right): Elder W. P. Bradley, ordination speaker; Elder and Mrs. Nelson Evans; Elder V. E. Robinson, ordination prayer; Elder and Mrs. Erling Odell, Jr.; Elder and Mrs. G. L. Pursley; and Elder A. J. Patzer, conference president, welcoming the candidates into full ecclesiastical authority. Elder K. W. Tilghman gave the charge.

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News Notes

★ Elder D. A. Orsburn, publishing secretary, reports that his literature evangelists are busily at work. At the recent evangelistic meetings held at Rome, New York, six persons were

baptized who had first come in contact with the message through the work of Edward Schlist, a literature evangelist. Some of these people first bought books seventeen years ago during the very first week of Mr. Schlist's canvass-

Winners in "Name the Boat" Contest



Three girls win honors in "Name the Boat" contest. During the junior youth meetings at the recent New York Conference camp meeting, more than three hundred juniors had an opportunity to name the inboard-outboard boat which was purchased for Camp Cherokee. The name judged to be the best was "Little Miss Cherokee" and it was submitted by Karen Weber (center), pictured above. Karen received a prize of one week's free camping at Camp Cherokee. The second-place winners, Linda Nord (at the far left) and Darlene Parker, will come to camp for half price. The names they have submitted will appear on two aluminum canoes. One canoe will be named "Summer Wonder," and the other "Children's Joy."

ing. Recently Bob Jones, literature evangelist, who works in the vicinity of the Albany district had sales amounting to more than \$1,500 in one week. Eleven student evangelists are also busy at work this summer in the New York Conference.

★ Elder E. Dale, pastor of the Genesee Park church in Rochester, New York, reports that construction of their new multi-purpose building, which is attached to the church, is rapidly moving along toward completion. The members and the youth of this church are anxiously awaiting the use of these new facilities.

★ Elder G. H. Rainey, Atlantic Union evangelist, recently completed a series of meetings in Rome, New York, assisted by the local pastors of the area—Larry Grahn, Leonard Tessier, and Russell Vaughn. As of this date, fifteen individuals have been baptized and the pastors are working diligently with other individuals who have indicated an interest in becoming members of our church.

★ C. L. Jacobs, manager of the Book and Bible House, reports the best year ever on the sale of our message-filled books during the recent camp meeting.

In all more than \$15,500 in books alone were sold.

★ J. O. Carey, who heads the Department of Religious Liberty and Education in the New York Conference, reports on both departments. The highest number ever of *Liberty* magazines were sent to both the local officials and state officials. Elder Carey also reports that the Norwich church is opening a new church school this fall and the percentage of teachers who have their teaching degrees is the highest ever in the history of the conference.

★ Elder A. M. Karolyi, who heads the Dorcas Welfare work in our conference, reports more than twenty-five churches contributed boxes of clothing to be taken to the New York City depot for world-wide distribution. The pick-up was so large that more than one hundred boxes had to be stored in the facilities of the Auburn (New York) church.

Pastor Featured in Radio Interview



Pastor Ben Plumb of the Niagara Falls district gives the details of his Five-Day Plan during an interview by radio personality Iney Wallens over radio station WHLD in Niagara Falls. This station also gave several spot announcements to help promote the Five-Day Plan.



Elder G. R. Earle, president of the Northeastern Conference, at the eleven o'clock hour commending the ushers for the excellent work they have been called to do for God.

New England Federation of Ushers recently.

Sabbath morning started as usual with a sunrise service at the church. Many were in attendance. By 9:00 a.m. ushers and well-wishers from New York, Massachusetts, and Connecticut began to arrive at the church to witness or take part in the activities planned for the day.

Since our own church could not hold the anticipated worshippers, the Hope-well Baptist church was gracious enough to let us hold the Federation in their church.

The Sabbath school hour set the



Bethel News Notes

Sabbath School

During the Sabbath school hour at Bethel on June 7, John Bryant, assisted by his wife Lucille, made a report on the branch Sabbath school which they conduct in east New York. Color slides of their school in session were shown. Mrs. Bryant gave a resume of their activities. They have an attendance of approximately forty each Sabbath and Sunday afternoon. Study aids were exhibited which encourage the children to bring or invite their friends. As a result of this branch Sabbath school, one person has already been baptized and is now actively helping with the children.

MV Society

On Saturday evening, June 7, the Missionary Volunteer Society presented Miss Patricia Lynch, soprano; Aubrey Rawle Baker, baritone; in concert. David Coleman was the accompanist. These non-professional young people certainly displayed their God-given talents in a professional manner. Their program included numbers by Handel, Schubert, and Mendelssohn.

The proceeds from the program went to establish a scholarship fund for worthy Bethel youth who are pursuing advanced studies.

The Missionary Volunteer Society anticipates a trip to Buffalo, New York, in the near future as guests of Emmanuel Temple. Their plans are to leave on a Friday and spend the Sabbath with the young people of Emmanuel Temple. On Sunday a tour to Niagara Falls and other parts of interest in Canada is on the schedule before returning home.

Health and Welfare Society

The Health and Welfare Society of Bethel was right on hand to render aid to the neighbors in the vicinity of the church when an apartment dwelling side wall collapsed leaving several families homeless. The families appreciated the interest and help rendered by the church.

Ushers' Federation in Hartford

The ushers of the Faith church in Hartford were host to the first annual



Officers of both the Northeastern and New England Federation (center) have just completed details for the afternoon service as the many other ushers line up to march into the church.

tone of the day with a well-planned program, punctuated with good music. At the eleven o'clock hour, Elder G. R. Earle, president of the Northeastern Conference, brought greetings and a truth-filled message to the waiting congregation. He spoke on "The Church of the Living God."

He highly commended the entire ushers' organization of the Northeastern Conference, and thanked them on behalf of the conference staff for the excellent work they are doing.

As the afternoon service began, it was a glorious sight to behold the ushers as they marched into the church to their respective places while the organist played "Onward Christian Soldiers." We are sure each person felt the presence of God throughout the services of the entire day.

Otis Butler of New York City is the president of the Northeastern Federation of Ushers. President for the New England Federation is William Johnson.

MISS MARGARET PARHAM
Press Secretary
Faith Church

Unusual Setting for Church Service

The Bethel youth church, under the direction of the youth pastor, Ivan Warden, held their eleven o'clock service in the street on Sabbath, June 7, 1969. One entire block on Lefferts Place from Classon to Grand Avenue was reserved for them by the neighborhood police precinct.

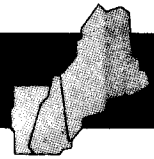
This service was a dramatic testimony to the neighborhood as many looked on. The sermon for the morning was entitled, "Who Is My Soul Brother?"

After the service, the youth church and the senior church engaged in Operation Doorbell, distributing one thousand new tracts by W. W. Fordham entitled, "Who Is My Soul Brother?" An area of about one hundred blocks was covered, and many persons were ready to receive the tracts and some welcomed prayers.

This is the beginning of many activities planned by the Missionary Department, under the leadership of Kenneth Dennis and his co-workers, who have been inspired by Pastors E. J. Humphrey and I. Warden. Albert Potter, with the staff, planned and organized the areas.

Mrs. MARIE A. CURTISS

Northern New England



John Williamson Ordained During Camp Meeting



Front row, left to right: Dr. H. E. Douglass, president of Atlantic Union College; Elder Carl P. Anderson, president of the Northern New England Conference; Mrs. John Williamson; John Williamson, and Elder W. J. Hackett, vice-president of the General Conference. Back row: Elder F. A. Soper, associate secretary of the American Temperance Society of the General Conference; Elder K. W. Tilghman, treasurer of the Atlantic Union Conference; and Elder A. V. Wallenkampf, professor of religion at Atlantic Union College.

Pastor John T. Williamson was born in Perth Amboy, New Jersey, as a member of a Christian family. His dedicated parents taught him principles that laid a foundation for Christian living through respect and obedience to God's Word.

Being part of an active family, Pastor Williamson joined in church activities, youth programs, school and extra-curricular activities, such as Boy Scouts, choir, band, Glee Club, and other character-developing programs in which his mother and dad carefully guided him.

His early years were spent in schools stressing manual arts and vocational preparation. Thus schooling netted a background in the trades, providing a means of earning a living and helping God's work.

Pastor Williamson met his wife while attending a church social. After their marriage they lived in central New Jersey, where Pastor Williamson had his business. Children became part of the family and numbered four—Scott, Timmy, Fred, and Kathy.

One day while Mrs. Williamson watched a TV program called Faith for Today, a free poem, "The Parents' Prayer," was offered by Elder Fagal

and a request was sent. A letter was received from Faith for Today with Bible studies that Mrs. Williamson faithfully completed. The studies progressed until one concerning God's Sabbath called her attention to a small white card asking if she desired to learn of a people who keep the Bible Sabbath. The response was Yes!

Soon afterwards Elder Conrad Rasmussen was invited to the Williamson home to hold studies. With the truth clearly presented and the Holy Spirit's prompting, Pastor and Mrs. Williamson were baptized into God's Church as members of the New Brunswick (New Jersey) church.

A call to prepare for the ministry led the family to South Lancaster where Pastor Williamson attended Atlantic Union College for four years. Study and work kept them busy six days a week and on Sabbath the church duties at the Sterling (Massachusetts) church helped prepare the family for pastoral work.

Following graduation, a call to the Northern New England Conference was accepted, where the family has worked in the Auburn district ever since.

CARL P. ANDERSON
President

Field School of Evangelism



Joel O. Thompkins

At the present time, a Field School of Evangelism is being conducted in Brunswick, Maine, under the direction of Elder Joel O. Thompkins, our ministerial secretary and conference evangelist.

Attending this field school are eight theology students from Andrews University: Richard Morris, Dan Goddard, Don Bush, Fred Schmid, Kenneth Burrell, John Martin, Siegfried Roeske, and Bob Haddock. Robert Farley is also attending. He will attend Andrews University this fall, sponsored by the Northern New England Conference. The ministers of the Northern New England Conference in attendance are as follows: Dale Chaffee, William Dudgeon, Milton Hallock, Roger Holton, George Mills, Leslie Shultz, Dwayne Toppenberg.

We ask an interest in the prayers of all of our constituency that God will bless this special endeavor being carried on in the Northern New England Conference. This is the first such field school ever conducted in our conference. We will give a further report of the meetings at the conclusion of the campaign.

Dedication of the Portland Church

Elder R. H. Pierson, the president of the General Conference, will be the guest speaker for the dedication services of the White Memorial church in Portland, Maine, on the week end of August 15-16. It will indeed be a pleasure to have the president of our General Conference as the guest speaker.

We extend an invitation to relatives and friends of the Portland church

members to attend the special services. These services will be as follows:

Friday, August 15	7:30 p.m.
Sabbath, August 16	
Sabbath School	9:30 a.m.
Church Service	11:00 a.m.
Dedication	3:00 p.m.

We are happy to announce that two former conference presidents, Elder R. W. Moore and Elder A. E. Millner, will be here for this week end. Attend-

ing also will be former pastors of the Portland church—Elder Clayton Child, Elder W. W. Menshausen, and Elder James D. Meade.

We are looking forward to a real blessing during the dedication week end for the White Memorial church in Portland, Maine.

CARL P. ANDERSON
President



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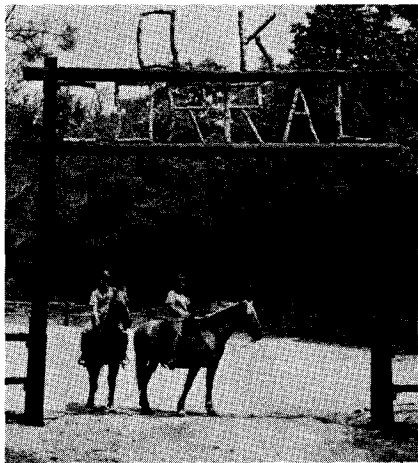
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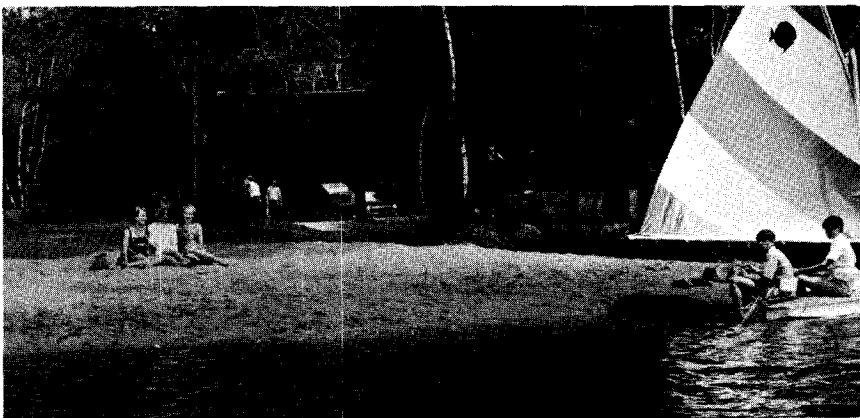
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The newly constructed corral at Camp Winnekeag is pictured above along with two of the camp's newly acquired horses. The larger corral will make it possible to teach horsemanship to more campers. Another addition to the horsemanship enthusiasts will be a new bridle path that will go all the way to Mount Watatic.



A portion of the new sandy shoreline at Camp Winnekeag is seen in the above photo. This improvement will make for easier landing of the boats and provide an ideal place to soak-up some sunshine.

Reminiscences of a



R. R. Trecartin prepares to lead his Conestoga wagon around the campground at the Southern New England Conference to advertise the centennial camp meeting book sale which took place on June 29. With him in the wagon are Mrs. George Alfke and Mrs. George Peterson (far left), two Bible House helpers.

The Southern New England Conference enjoyed the unique experience of celebrating a dual centennial at its recent camp meeting in South Lancaster (June 26-July 5). Not only was this their one hundredth annual camp meeting, but also the centennial of their Book and Bible House ministry. The Southern New England Book and Bible House began in 1869 as the Vigilant Missionary and Tract Society and was the nucleus of all Adventist Book and Bible Houses. The photos on these pages help recall a most memorable camp meeting experience.



Daily group discussions proved to be one of the most popular features of camp meeting this year. Above, Elder Richard Leshar of the Atlantic Union College Religion Department led his group in a study of the Bible. J. J. Londis, also of the college, and N. S. Mizher, pastor of the Bridgeport (Connecticut) district, were also discussion group leaders.



Elder Trecartin with one of his sons and Bible House helper Vivienne Douglass "arrives" at camp meeting in the Conestoga wagon. The beards, top hats, colorful vests, bonnets, and long dresses, put one back one hundred years in time and lent interest to the centennial proceedings.



Ron Halvorsen, Greater New York Conference evangelist, was one of the featured speakers at camp meeting. He visited with youth following one of his sermons in the large youth tent.



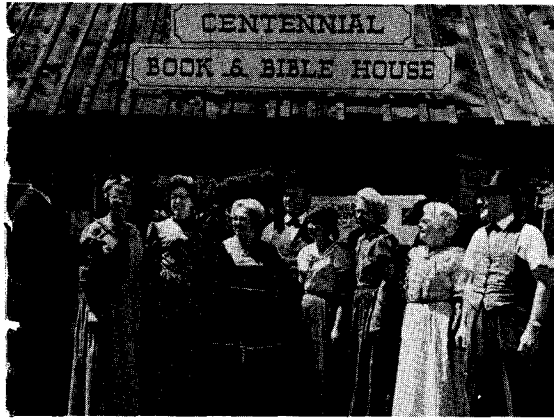
An old camp meeting photo from grandpa's album? No, just an impromptu photo of performers preparing to have part in Southern New England's Centennial Camp Meeting Pageant on July 4.



A scene during the Centennial Pageant showing the Vigilant Missionary and Tract Society ladies planning the constitution of their newly formed organization which was destined to grow to world-wide proportions. It spawned the denomination's Book and Bible House idea.

CENTENNIAL CAMP MEETING

Eighth-Grade Graduate



Ralph Trecartin (left), manager of the Southern New England Book and Bible House, instructs his staff at the opening of the one hundredth annual camp meeting at South Lancaster, Massachusetts. The outdoor Bible House Annex helped give an old-fashioned atmosphere to the centennial. The occasion also marked one hundred years of Book and Bible House ministry. At the right is J. L. Clements, field representative of the Review and Herald Publishing Association.



The little miss above, dressed in a garb of the past, helped give an "old-fashioned" flavor to the centennial camp meeting. She is Miss Cheryl Price of South Lancaster.



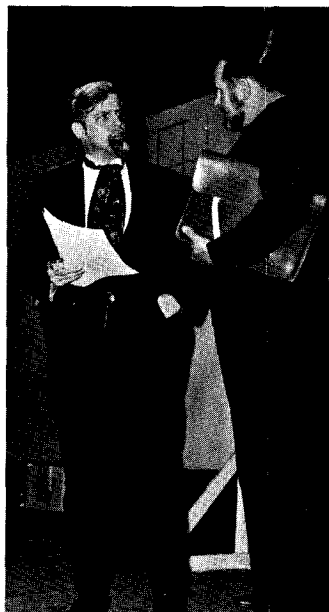
Ann Marie Candee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Candee of Monterey, Massachusetts, received her diploma on June 12 from the Canaan, Connecticut, church school. Presentation in behalf of the church was made by H. E. Clough, church elder and administrator of Geer Memorial. Ann plans to attend Pioneer Valley Academy next year and later prepare to become a registered nurse.



Elder R. R. Bietz, one of the vice-presidents of the General Conference, met seven speaking appointments during the first week end of camp meeting. He visited informally with Pastor Alphonse Chabot of Bridgeport, Connecticut (left), and Elder Malcolm Gordon, (right) conference youth leader.



A baptism was conducted during the Evangelism Hour on the final Sabbath afternoon service. Elder Daniel Lopez of the Middletown (Connecticut) district was one of the pastors who officiated.



"Why don't you ask for the world?" snaps the railroad president to Elder Stephen Haskell, during the Centennial Pageant on July 4. Roland Madore (left), Atlantic Union College student, played the president and Elder R. R. Trecartin portrayed Haskell, who presented an unbelievable list of requests to the railroad for free services for a camp meeting that was held in Groveland, Massachusetts, in 1876. Twenty thousand persons attended that early convocation.

Beginnings of Publishing Work Commemorated

You must begin to print a little paper and send it out to the people. Let it be small at first; but as the people read, they will send you means with which to print, and it will be a success from the first. From this small beginning it was shown to me to be like streams of light that went clear around the world.—*Life Sketches*, p. 125.

The above words spoken by Ellen G. White to her husband, Elder James White, in the winter of 1848 were truly prophetic. They must have tested the faith of Elder White as well as some of those early believers, who were small in numbers, on the brink of poverty, with no "great" men among them. The Whites at that time were living with the Albert Belden family at Rocky Hill, Connecticut, and yet here was the promise of God's blessing upon this humble project.

Elder White went forward in faith. Not having the means to print the first issue, he labored to harvest a field of hay to raise the money. Mrs. White describes her husband's work on the first paper which he entitled *Present Truth*.

He published a small sheet at Middletown, eight miles from Rocky Hill, and often walked this distance and back again, although he was then lame. He brought the first number from the printing-office,



Following the unveiling of the stone marker in front of the old Belden farmhouse, church leaders posed for a formal picture. Left to right, they are: Lowell Bock, president, Southern New England Conference; Neal C. Wilson, vice-president of the General Conference for North America; and F. R. Millard, president of the Atlantic Union Conference.

we all bowed around it, asking the Lord, with humble hearts and many tears, to let his blessing rest upon the feeble efforts of his servant. He then directed the paper to all he thought would read it, and carried it to the post-office in a carpet-bag. Every number was taken from Middletown to Rocky Hill, and ever before preparing them for the post-office, they were spread before the Lord, and earnest prayer mingled with tears, were offered to God that his blessing would attend the silent messengers. Very soon letters came bringing means to publish the paper, and the good news of many souls embracing the truth.—*Spiritual Gifts*, II, 115-16.

The above experience tells the graphic story of the faith of these early Advent pioneers. Today, in fulfillment of the above prediction, the Seventh-day Adventist Church produces literature in 263 languages, from 46 publishing houses world-wide.

On Sunday morning, July 6, a service to commemorate the first printing of *Present Truth* was held at the old Albert Belden home in Rocky Hill. Some 100 persons gathered as church officials cited the achievements of the church in publishing enterprise, and pointed back at its humble beginnings. Elder Neal C. Wilson, vice-president of the General Conference for North America, unveiled a stone marker at the site to commemorate those early



Elder Lowell Bock leads a group to retrace the steps of James White from Rocky Hill to Middletown, Connecticut, following the commemorative service at the old Belden Farm.

beginnings. With the mayor of Rocky Hill and representatives of the local historical society were denominational leaders present to share in the service. They were: Elder Virgil Robinson, great-grandson of Ellen G. White; J. Ernest Edwards, of the General Conference Lay Activities Department; F. R. Millard, president of the Atlantic Union; and Lowell Bock, local conference president.

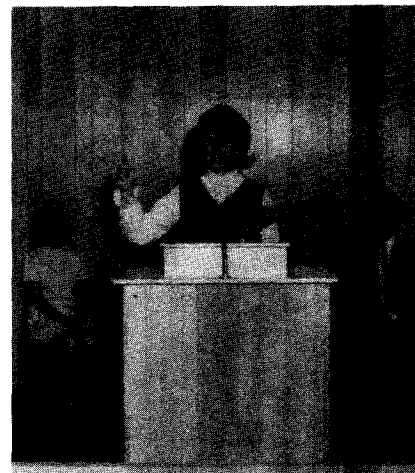
Following the formal part of the service, Elder Bock led a representative group to retrace the steps taken by Elder White as he carried the first copies of *Present Truth* in a carpet-bag, from Rocky Hill to the post office at Middletown.

Those wishing to visit this spot which is historic to our church may locate the old Belden Farm by following these directions: From Route 91 in Rocky Hill going south, take Exit 23 west to Route 3. Turn right and go a short distance to France Street. Turn left and continue about a half mile. The old Belden farmhouse and the marker will be on the left.

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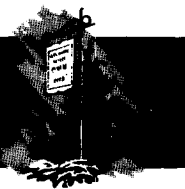


Seven students, with the co-operation of their teachers, conducted a one-week, Christ-centered revival series in the airatorium on the campus of Pioneer Valley Academy, May 11-17.



Debbie Sundin (above) was one of the speakers, who spoke to her fellow students and guests from the New Braintree area on the meaning of a right relationship with Christ. One hundred thirty was the top attendance during the week with some thirty non-members attending. Other speakers for the series were: Nancy Parella, Pat Botelho, Dan Ruggles, Dale Finley, Dennis Williams, and Ben Schrock. The academy choir provided special music and W. A. Fagal, Jr., led in the singing of gospel music each evening. The program was under the direction of Elder Marion Kidder, school pastor. Those who attended were given free Bibles with lessons and interests are being followed up with Bible studies. These fine youth are to be commended for their ardent desire to witness for their faith in Jesus in this manner.

MALCOLM GORDON
MV Secretary



E. E. Miles Company Has New Manager



Donald L. Crews is the new manager of the E. E. Miles Company, taking the place of Michael Bogdanovich, who has gone to Walla Walla College.

Mr. Crews attended schools in Iowa and is married to the former Ruth Ramesbothom. The couple have three children, Karalyn, Steven, and Ann.

Mrs. Crews finished the two-year nursing program at the college in 1968 and works at Hahnemann Hospital in Worcester.

Mr. Crews first came to the college, as a compositor, in 1959. After working several years in Worcester, he returned to the College Press in 1966. He took up his new duties in May.

The E. E. Miles Company has an interesting history. It was opened in 1892 by E. E. Miles, an ordained minister, who saw the need for students to work their way through college.

Elder Miles contracted with such chain stores as W. T. Grant and Kresge's to supply scrapbooks, photo albums, lesson assignment books, and autograph albums. Mr. Miles was the originator of the first vest-pocket dictionary.

After Elder Miles' death, his son, Walter E., operated the company until two years ago, when it was purchased by Atlantic Union College. The company continues to operate on its own, guided by the executive board of the college. Some forty students are employed there at present.

Scholarship Awarded to Academy Seniors

The following fifteen students, who were at the top of their academy graduating classes, will receive scholarship to AUC:

Janet Hedden and Judy Kuester, Greater Boston Academy; Robert Bouchard and Kenneth Nyirady, Greater New York Academy.

Vernard Bennett and Stephanie Galloway, Northeastern Academy; Shawn Little, Nancy Parella, Sharon Pearson, and Dan Ruggles, Pioneer Valley Academy.

Reatha Douglass, Loran Hauck, and Karen Moeckel, South Lancaster Academy; and John Kriegelstein and Brian Strayer, Union Springs Academy.

W. G. Nelson Elected Dean of AUC



William G. Nelson, Sr., vice-president of Loma Linda University, has been elected dean of the college and will arrive on campus in mid-August. He will bring to his new office a record of administrative leadership and sympathetic concern for students.

Dean Nelson's graduate schooling includes the University of Colorado, the University of Denver, and the University of Southern California.

His son, William G. Nelson, Jr., preceded him to Atlantic Union College two years ago, and is currently president of the Student Association. A second son, Stacy, will be entering the freshman class at the college. Mrs.

Nelson is the former Maryon Lucile Jung.

Faculty Profile



Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Sauls have joined the faculty: she, the Department of Education; and he, the Department of English.

Mrs. Sauls is a graduate of Southern Missionary College and earned her Master of Arts degree in education from the University of Iowa. She enjoys cooking and gardening.

Mr. Sauls also graduated from Southern Missionary College and then earned his Master of Arts degree in English from the George Peabody College for Teachers. He enjoys swimming and creative writing.

Both plan to do graduate work and both have written for the *Youth's Instructor*, and he, for *These Times*.

They have a son, Raymond.



New England Memorial Participates in Exhibit

The New England Memorial Hospital, Stoneham, Massachusetts, was invited to exhibit its Five-Day Plan to Stop Smoking program materials at the War Memorial Auditorium in Boston, to better acquaint the public with the international scope of this program,

and its implications and impact on current smoking education.

The exhibit ran concurrently with the twenty-second World Health Assembly which provided Massachusetts' citizens and visitors with a splendid opportunity to see a major international meeting. Open to the public, the Assembly was held in Boston in July as the delegates from 131 member nations reviewed health programs affecting the entire world.

The World Health Organization is a branch of the United Nations, and generally holds its annual assembly in Geneva, Switzerland. It came to Boston this year upon invitation of the United States government as the highlight in the centennial year of the Massachusetts Department of Public Health, the first state health department in the nation.

National, state, and local officials and voluntary health agencies provided a splendid group of educational exhibits which were open free to the public.

The exhibits had universal appeal and were especially valuable for students and anyone interested or engaged in any health or related occupations. As an example, the National Space Agency displayed its medical program for astronauts and several of the Boston area hospitals illustrated some of their unique programs.

JOHN M. LEW, *Director*
Public Relations Department

People on the move

New Department Head Chosen



A new department of the Southern New England Conference was formed recently in answer to a specific need of a growing work. The conference

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The Lancaster Lions Club express their thanks to our people for the tremendous response given to their appeal for used eyeglasses. The drive was very successful.

Adventist Lawyers and C.P.A.'s to Meet

The Association of Seventh-day Adventist Lawyers and the Association of Adventist C.P.A.'s are both holding their annual meetings at the Denver Hotel in Glenwood Springs, Colorado, from August 21 to August 24. The location and the programs are designed to include recreation for the families of the members. All members are urged to attend.

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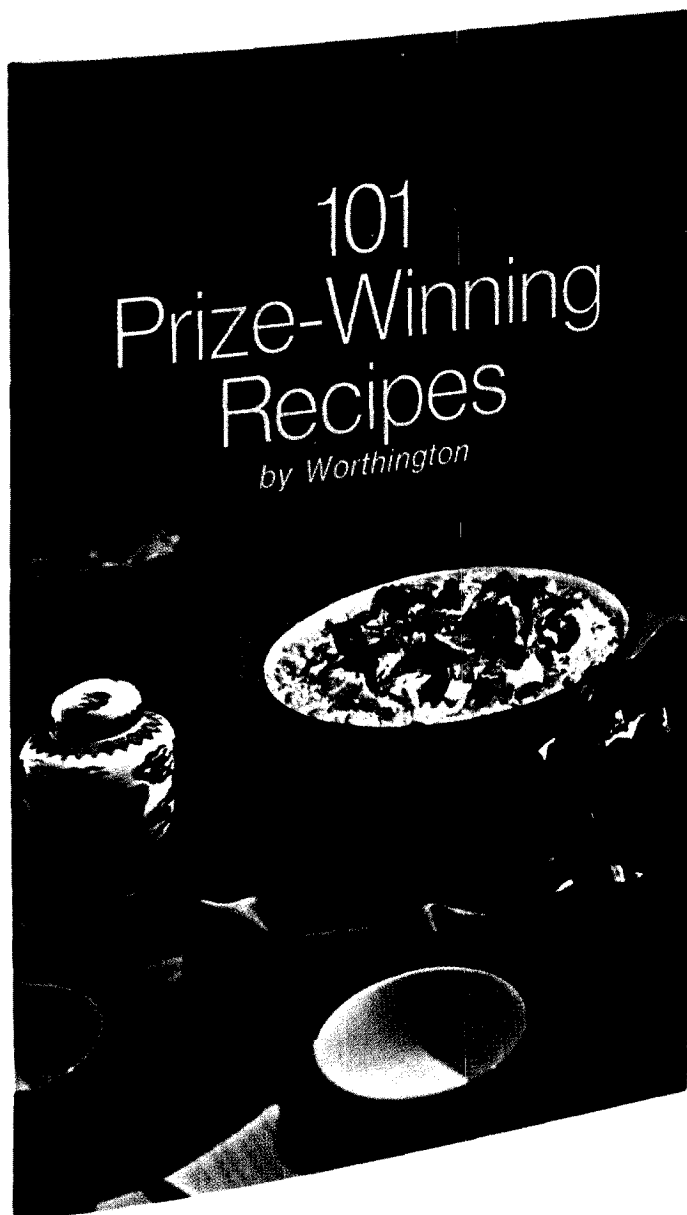
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committee voted into existence the Department of Health Services and appointed Dr. James Crawford as secretary.

Dr. Crawford, who graduated from Loma Linda University School of Dentistry in 1960, served the Bangkok Sanitarium and Hospital as dentist, medical secretary, and public health chairman, from 1961 to 1968, and was awarded a Master's degree in public health from Harvard University in June.

Dr. Crawford's work will serve to co-ordinate and direct programs of general health education, temperance, and medical evangelism, which will include the Five-Day Plan. He will work closely with our pastors and the various departments of the conference to serve the needs of the field in these areas.

Mrs. Crawford is the former Frances Lorraine Berry, and with her husband, is a native Californian. The Crawfords have two children, Cynthia Lee and James, Jr., both students at Greater Boston Academy. The family will reside at Reading, Massachusetts.

We are happy to introduce Dr. Crawford to our field and pray that his work might fill a great need in Southern New England.

LOWELL BOCK, *President*
Southern New England Conference

At Rest

ALDRICH—Lucius Edward Aldrich was born January 2, 1898, in East Killingly, Connecticut, and died June 3, 1969, in Atlanta, Georgia, after a short illness.

Early in life he accepted Jesus as his personal Saviour and attended Atlantic Union College. Upon completion of his college work, he entered denominational work in the old Southern New England Book and Bible House in Hartford, Connecticut, and remained there until 1936. From 1936 to 1938 he served the Bible House in the New York Conference. In 1938 he assumed the duties of secretary-treasurer of the Northern New England Conference where he remained until 1944. For the next ten years he served the Southern New England Conference in the same capacity. In 1954 he came to the South to connect with the Alabama-Mississippi Conference as manager of the Book and Bible House and later as treasurer. During the year 1960, he and his wife moved to Atlanta where he served as treasurer

New Pastor to Greater New York



Elder and Mrs. Nathan Sims and children, Danny, David, Keri, and Lissa.

Elder Nathan L. Sims is the new pastor of Greater New York's largest congregation, the Jackson Heights church.

Elder Sims was born in Dallas, Texas, and received his B.A. degree in theology from Union College in 1958. In 1959, he received the M.A. degree in Biblical languages at Andrews University.

He began his ministry as a pastor

evangelist in the Wyoming Conference in the fall of 1959. In 1964, he became pastor of the El Paso Central church in Texas, a position he held until coming to Greater New York.

Mrs. Sims is the former Judy Lynn Walker. They have four children: Danny, David, Keri, and Lissa.

DON HAWLEY, *Communications*
Greater New York Conference

of the Georgia-Cumberland Conference until his retirement in 1966.

For a period of time, he served as the treasurer of the School of Bible Prophecy until that school merged with Faith for Today. During the last year and a half Brother Aldrich assisted in the work of the Georgia-Cumberland Book and Bible House.

Those who survive him include his wife, Edith; one son, Robert, from Glendale, California; five sisters, two grandchildren, and nieces and nephews.

Services were conducted by Elder Desmond Cummings, assisted by Elders Perry Green and Ira C. Pound, Jr. He was laid to rest beside his first wife, Ruth, in the Greenwood Cemetery in Atlanta, Georgia, to await the call of the Life-giver.

HARDY—Callie M. Hardy passed to her rest March 11, 1969, after a prolonged illness. She was born August 24, 1891, near Wellsville, New York. At the time of her death, she lived near Portville, New York. She had been a member of the Seventh-day Adventist Church for nearly forty years and was a member of the Olean (New York) church at the time of her death.

She is survived by her husband, Wesley Hardy; one son; eight step-children; and many grandchildren.

Interment was in the Maplegrove Cemetery, Shinglehouse, Pennsylvania. Elder Herbert E. Coe officiated at the services.

HERBERT E. COE

JENNINGS—Charles R. Jennings was born in Burnside, New York, September 28, 1890, the son of William and Julia Jennings, and passed away on March 12, 1969, at the Summit Park Hospital, Spring Valley, New York. He accepted the Adventist faith while a young man and spent over thirty years in the literature ministry. He was very active in giving Bible studies and led many to accept the faith. As head elder of the Pearl River church, he will be greatly missed.

Pastor Bert Benson and Martin Henry conducted the funeral service at the Greene and Greene Funeral Home at Washingtonville, New York, on March 14 and interment was at the Hamptonburgh Cemetery.

He is survived by his wife, Bertha, one son, one daughter, one sister, and a number of grandchildren.

BERT BENSON

PEARSON—Laid to rest for the short pause in time between his death on November 14, 1968, and the second coming of Christ, the great Life-giver, was Alfred H. Pearson, father of Ronald Pearson, chief physiotherapist at Fuller Memorial Sanitarium, South Attleboro, Massachusetts.

Mr. Pearson, born in England in 1891, early migrated to Canada and thence to the United States. He worked for many years at the New England Memorial Hospital in Stoneham, Massachusetts. Upon retirement, he made his home in North Attleboro. He was an active member of the Seventh-day Adventist Church until his illness confined him and restricted his activity.

Awaiting the great resurrection day while Mr. Pearson sleeps are his wife, Adrianna; his son, Ronald; two daughters, Mrs. Thomas Thompson, of South Attleboro, Massachusetts; and Mrs. Mary Hodder, of Berrien Springs, Michigan; besides other relatives.

GROVER C. WINSLOW

PERUNA—Jennie Peruna was born March 15, 1883, in Italy, and passed away on March 11, 1969, in Spring Valley where she lived for the past fifty-eight years. Charles Jennings sold her *Patriarchs and Prophets* and she watched for him two years to come back and tell her more. He gave her studies, she accepted the faith and became a charter member of the Pearl River church.

She was an active Dorcas leader for many years. Mr. Jennings passed away about the same time as she did and there were only two hours difference between his funeral and hers. Both fell asleep in the "blessed hope."

She is survived by her husband, Nicholas; a daughter, Elizabeth; and a number of grandchildren. Pastor Bert Benson and Martin Henry conducted the burial service.

BERT BENSON

RANDOLPH—Mrs. Izzetta Wells Randolph, age seventy-seven, fell asleep in Jesus on April 2, 1969. Mrs. Randolph has been a resident of Corning and Painted Post, New York, for the past fifty-three years, and was a faithful member of the Corning church.

Mrs. Randolph was born in Cohocton, New York, December 22, 1891, to Perry and Amanda Hayward Wells, and passed away in the sure and certain hope of the resurrection morning at the second coming of Christ, looking forward confidently to seeing her Friend and Saviour, Jesus Christ.

Surviving are: one daughter, Evelyn Randolph, of Cherry Hill, New York; two sons, Otto, of Corning, New York; and Lloyd, of Addison, New York; three grandchildren; six great-grandchildren; and a brother, Theodore Wells, of Corning, New York.

Funeral and committal services were conducted by the writer in the Phillips Funeral Home, Corning, New York, and interment was made at the Maple View Cemetery, Cohocton, New York.

HENRY A. UHL

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Bangor, Me.	7:02	6:52	6:41	6:30	6:18
Portland, Me.	7:05	6:55	6:45	6:34	6:23
Boston, Mass.	7:04	6:55	6:46	6:35	6:25
So. Lancaster, Mass.	7:07	6:58	6:48	6:38	6:27
Pittsfield, Mass.	7:13	7:04	6:55	6:44	6:33
Hartford, Conn.	7:09	7:00	6:51	6:41	6:30
New York, N.Y.	7:12	7:04	6:55	6:45	6:34
Utica, N.Y.	7:23	7:14	7:04	6:53	6:42
Syracuse, N.Y.	7:27	7:17	7:08	6:57	6:46
Rochester, N.Y.	7:33	7:24	7:14	7:03	6:52
Buffalo, N.Y.	7:37	7:28	7:18	7:07	6:56
Hamilton, Bermuda	7:17	7:11	7:04	6:56	6:48

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