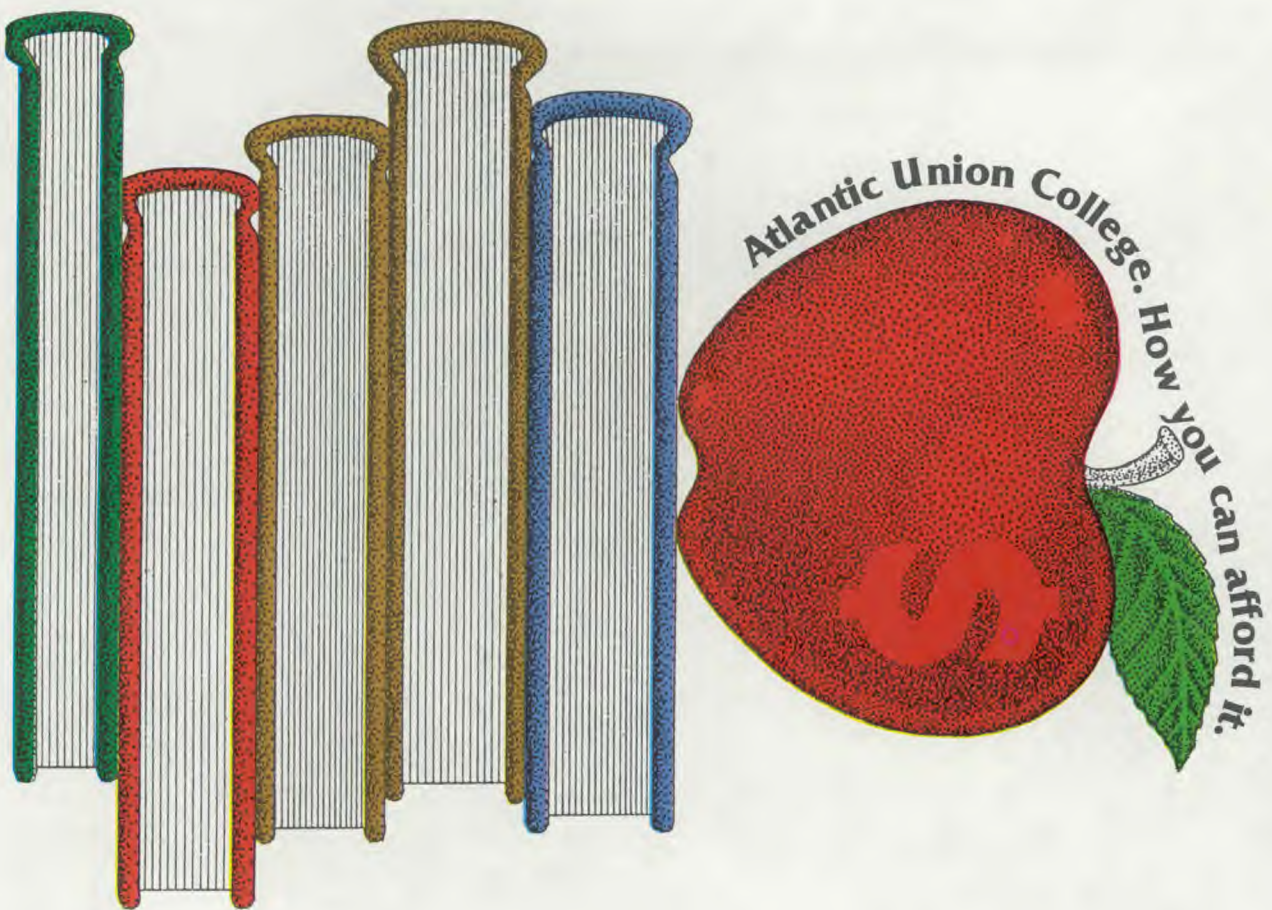
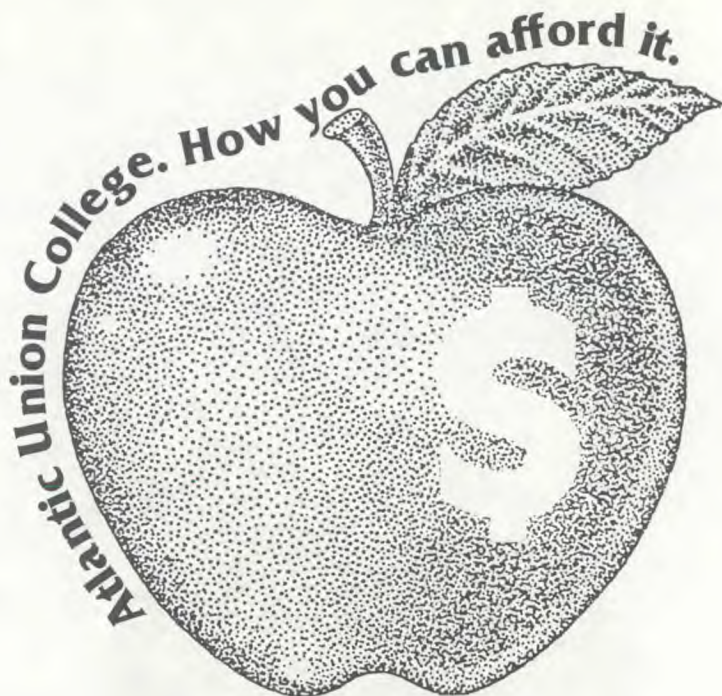


*The Atlantic Union*

# **GLEANER**

July 10, 1979





by Bill Knott

"My parents didn't think I was going to make it," he says with a quick smile and a shake of his head, "but everywhere I turned, God just worked things out for me."

"Things" resulted in a Bachelor of Science in Biology at AUC this spring for Michael Gordon, a twenty-two-year-old pre-medical student from New York. Graduating with both general and departmental honors, Mike has been accepted by Loma Linda University to study for an M.D. degree.

"I believe any progress is possible if individuals will put some effort and diligence into their work," Mike says. Mike's own record at AUC is a testimony to the truth of his philosophy. During his years at AUC, he not only took a full load of classes, but also held a full-time job at Westboro Hospital on the 11:00 p.m. to 7:00 a.m. shift.

"My parents were theoretically able to support my college education," Mike adds, "so I received very little money in grants from Federal or State agencies." In addition to monies he and his wife earned from their jobs, Mike also found his academic achievements to be the source of additional financial help. A recipient of AUC's Freshman Scholarship for having maintained a 3.75 G.P.A. through his first year, Mike was also a two-time winner of a Biology Department scholarship.

Mike Gordon's experience at AUC is proof that energy and faith make a Christian education affordable for any student who truly wants one.

Summer mornings find her up at 5:00 a.m. to ride her bicycle the three miles to AUC's Thayer Conservatory for French Horn practice. Work begins

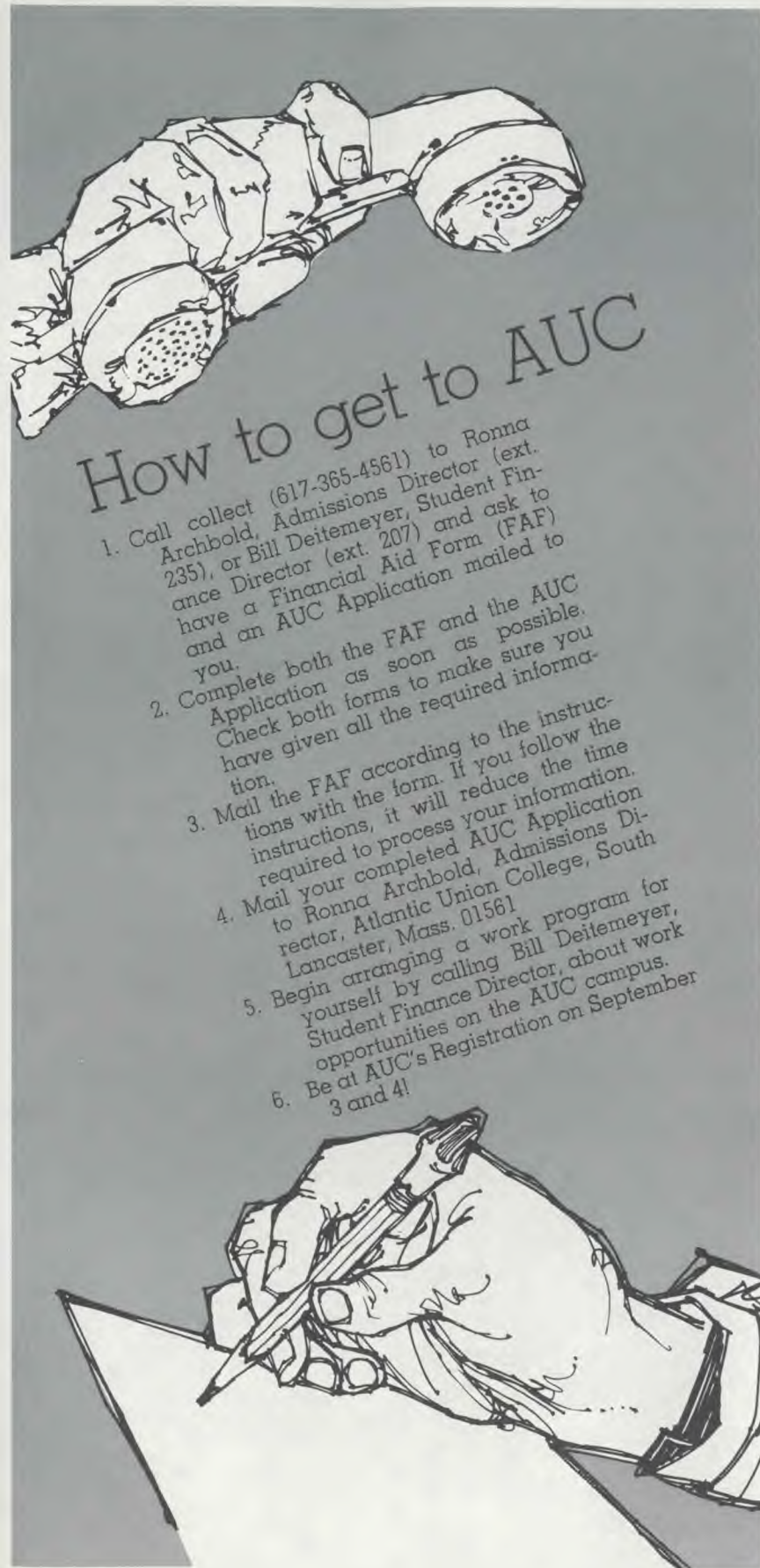
in AUC's Student Finance office at 8:00 a.m., and nine hours of letters, financial forms, and memos later, she returns to practice before pedaling home.

That summer routine belongs to Rebecca Peach, a nineteen-year-old sophomore double major in Accounting and Music. A 1978 public high school graduate, Becky began work that summer in AUC's Student Finance office and has earned a large portion of her college expenses through both summer and school year labor there.

"I started planning for my college finances when I graduated from high school," Becky says. "It isn't difficult to fill out the forms to apply for financial aid." That diligence paid off for Becky this last year when she received both the Basic Educational Opportunity Grant (BEOG) and the Massachusetts State Scholarship, totaling nearly 1700 dollars of educational aid.

A member of the College Band and Wind and Brass Ensembles, Becky also plays for the Thayer Conservatory Orchestra and the well-known New England Youth Ensemble. In addition to her musical talents, Becky has proved herself a capable student, earning another 900 dollars of scholarship money on the basis of her high school and freshman year academic achievement. As a member of both the Centennial Class (1982) and AUC's first Honors Core class, Becky will be receiving additional scholarships in the coming years.

"Tell them it's very important to plan ahead for college finances," she says. "Planning ahead has helped make my college experience much more enjoyable."



## How to get to AUC

1. Call collect (617-365-4561) to Ronna Archbold, Admissions Director (ext. 235), or Bill Deitemeyer, Student Finance Director (ext. 207) and ask to have a Financial Aid Form (FAF) and an AUC Application mailed to you.
2. Complete both the FAF and the AUC Application as soon as possible. Check both forms to make sure you have given all the required information.
3. Mail the FAF according to the instructions with the form. If you follow the instructions, it will reduce the time required to process your information.
4. Mail your completed AUC Application to Ronna Archbold, Admissions Director, Atlantic Union College, South Lancaster, Mass. 01561
5. Begin arranging a work program for yourself by calling Bill Deitemeyer, Student Finance Director, about work opportunities on the AUC campus.
6. Be at AUC's Registration on September 3 and 4!

Like every other American college, AUC has been faced with rising costs during the last ten years. The price of getting a Christian education has caused many college-age Adventists in the Atlantic Union to look elsewhere for their schooling in the belief that they can't possibly afford the Christ-centered education they want.

AUC is sending the word throughout the Northeast that students don't need to be discouraged at the prospects of paying for a Christian college education. College administrators and faculty have been working hard to hold down rising costs and to find new sources of educational aid for students. AUC's new Development Office has already secured several large scholarships for students during its first year of operation.

Students attending AUC may qualify for educational aid from the Federal government and their home state governments in the form of both direct grants and low-interest educational loans. Additional aid may be obtained by participation in AUC's large Work-Study program, through which many students earn at least one-fourth of their year's expenses while enrolled in a full class load. Departmental scholarships, academic achievement scholarships, and on-campus summer jobs are also available to assist students in meeting college expenses.

If you or members of your family are thinking about AUC for this September and are wondering where the necessary money will come from, call **collect**, to Ronna Archbold, Admissions Director, or Bill Deitemeyer, Student Finance Director, (617) 365-4561, Extension 235, 207.

Atlantic Union College is working to make a Christian college education affordable for everyone.



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## General News . . .

### Outreach

Who should make the plans for outreach? Should each church wait for the conference to give them a plan that works? Should each church have a plan of their own? How about individual Christians—should we have a method we use?

Recently there was a meeting called "The Summit." All the conference presidents of the North American Division were invited. The object of the meeting was to discuss ways to help accelerate the work in North America. Some of the conclusions were that there needs to be a deep commitment at every level, that the focus be on the local church, and that the use of the spiritual gifts of all believers be encouraged. These are obtainable objectives.

In this article the main area of concern is the local church. Yes, the local church should have a plan of action for outreach and church growth. Do they need to wait for plans from the conference? It may not be necessary, but they may find many of the existing plans helpful.

Who in the church is responsible for these plans? The Church Board? The Lay Activities Council? The Youth Council? The Sabbath School Council? Church Evangelism Council? Surely all of them should make plans. The

Church Board ideally could lead out, but let us be realistic, there are so many church functions, details, and problems that they may not take time for the important matter of soul winning. But all outreach plans should have the approval of the Church Board. However, they may originate somewhere else.

There are several councils that can and should deal with soul winning and outreach. It seems to be common practice that the leader of each church department assumes the office and carries the responsibility of the whole department. Experience has proven to some of us that it is much better to let the council make the plans and share in performing the duties.

Many churches are now thinking about the election of officers for the next year. This usually takes many hours and is very important work. Sometimes in desperation the nominating committee will select anyone who will "take" the job. Those who are sent to talk to the new officers will say, "this is not a very hard job, all you have to do is say a few words to the church several times a year." We ask, "Are we living in the closing times of this earth's history as we know it today? Are we expecting our Saviour to appear soon?" If the answer is "yes" should we be telling church officers, "Your job is not very hard." I submit to you that we should tell them, "We expect you to put your department on a strong soul-winning and outreach course." This is no time for taking it easy. The harvest is ripe. It is time to reap.

### TUNE IN FAITH FOR TODAY

—CONNECTICUT—

HARTFORD ..... WHCT ..... 18 ..... SUN ..... 5:30 pm  
 NEW HAVEN ..... WTNH ..... 8 ..... SUN ..... 6:30 am

—MASSACHUSETTS—

BOSTON ..... WCVB ..... 5 ..... SUN ..... 6:30 am

—NEW HAMPSHIRE—

MANCHESTER ..... WMUR ..... 9 ..... SUN ..... 10:00 am

—NEW YORK—

BUFFALO ..... WKBW ..... 7 ..... SUN ..... 7:00 am  
 ELMIRA ..... WSWF ..... 18 ..... SUN ..... 6:30 am  
 NEW YORK CITY ..... WABC ..... 7 ..... SUN ..... 7:00 am  
 SCHENECTADY ..... WRGB ..... 6 ..... SUN ..... 7:00 am  
 SYRACUSE ..... WSYR ..... 3 ..... SUN ..... 6:30 am



One pastor, who has been a very successful soul winner, tells his church department leaders what he wants them to do. He also gives them ideas to put into action or at least consider. As the various department councils (such as Lay Activities Council, Youth Council, Sabbath School Council, et cetera) meet, study, plan, and pray they will surely be led by God as to what they can do in their area of the Lord's harvest field.

Each church department should have the spiritual welfare of each church member at heart. The time has come for every Seventh-day Adventist to pant after holiness and unreserved obedience. When members are in their top spiritual experience they share what they have.

In conclusion we quote portions of page 125 of *Christ's Object Lessons*. "All who receive the gospel message into the heart will long to proclaim it. . . . Those who have put on Christ will relate their experience, tracing step by step the leadings of the Holy Spirit—their hungering and thirsting for the knowledge of God and of Jesus whom He has sent, the results of their searching of the Scriptures, their prayers, their soul agony, and the words of Christ to them, 'Thy sins be forgiven thee.' It is unnatural for any to keep these things secret, and those who are filled with the love of Christ will not do so. . . . And as they make known the rich treasures of God's grace, more and still more of the grace of Christ will be imparted to them." [Italics supplied]

LEE KRETZ, Director  
Lay Activities and Ministerial  
Departments

### Paul Harvey Talks About THESE TIMES on Noon Broadcast

ABC news commentator Paul Harvey dedicated a weekly newspaper column, a television broadcast, and the first five minutes of his noon radio program on April 21 to an article published in the March issue of *THESE TIMES*. The article completely disproved the claims of modern-day psychics and astrologers to knowledge of future events.

In his three-page news release, which went out to some 300 newspapers, and

was read over 800 radio and 400 television stations, Paul Harvey quoted several times from the article which appeared as the feature story on the cover of the March issue.

The author of the article, Paul Harvey said, "collected all the predictions of our nation's 30 leading psychics and astrologers for this year 1978. Then he carefully compared what they predicted with what happened."

After listing many of the unfulfilled predictions given in the article, Paul Harvey added: "Out of 250 specific published predictions for 1978 only six came to pass. That's less than 3 percent accuracy. They were 97 percent dead wrong!"

Paul Harvey concluded his five-minute discussion of the article by stating, "Before Ralph Blodgett began his research he believed that psychics had to be led either by God or by the devil. Since his research he has concluded that they are led by no one at all."

This year as you order your missionary magazine subscriptions from the four journals available nationwide (*THESE TIMES*, *SIGNS*, *MESSAGE*, and *EL CENTINELA*), remember that people all over the world will be influenced toward heaven by the truths they read in these publications each month. Only eternity will reveal the full impact they have had on their lives.

### "Ministry" Seminars

In April of this year, three *Ministry* Seminars were conducted in the Atlantic Union. They were held in Portland, Maine; White River Junction, Vermont; and Syracuse, New York. The total attendance of the three meetings was 190; of this number 115 were non-Seventh-day Adventist ministers. The non-Seventh-day Adventist ministers had been receiving *Ministry* magazine for some time.

Twenty-nine such seminars were held in North America with 1,066 non-Seventh-day Adventist ministers attending out of a total attendance of 1,902.

LEE KRETZ  
Ministerial Director  
ATLANTIC UNION

### A Report on Conference Constituencies

Regular triennial constituency meetings have been held in four conferences this spring—Northern New England, Greater New York, New York, and Northeastern. In each case the officers who had been serving were re-elected, with the exception that Elder Harold Baptiste was elected Secretary of the Northeastern Conference for the next triennium. The services of Elder S. W. Stovall have been much appreciated and were duly noted by the delegates present. Departmental directors were re-elected with only slight alterations in work assignments. A great interest was manifested in the various phases of the work of the conferences regarding successes and losses, challenges and opportunities. Administrators called upon members to join together in a great spiritual commitment for the finishing of the work.

EARL W. AMUNDSON, President  
Atlantic Union Conference

### Plans Taking Shape for 1980 General Conference Session

R. M. Reinhard (left), Assistant Treasurer of the General Conference and secretary of the 1980 General Conference Session Physical Arrangements Committee, and James E. Chase, General Conference Communications Director, recently discussed plans for the session.



This will be the first General Conference session held in the United States in ten years. Dallas, Texas, was chosen as the best option for the 1980 General Conference Session from April 17 to 26. There will be an early session to be organized on Thursday night, April 17, to enable the nominating committee to get into its work at an earlier time. This early session will convene until Friday noon, at which time a special weekend of meetings for the ministers and delegates and their families, called "Delegates Council of Faith and Unity," will be held.

Throughout the week, beginning Sunday night, April 20, except for Sabbath, business sessions will be conducted and the evening meetings will feature reports on the Church from the world divisions. It is hoped that from Sunday on Seventh-day Adventists will not only attend themselves but will bring their non-Adventist friends also.

There will be many facilities and conveniences available, such as the arrangement for the arena from April 17 to the closing Friday evening. The arena seats 10,000. On the closing Friday evening, April 26, we will transfer to the exhibition halls for the evening service, and then the Sabbath services, which climax the session. The exhibition halls seat 25,000 and will accommodate comfortably everyone—delegates, families, and friends. No tickets are necessary. A system of "image magnification" will be provided so that the speakers can be seen on giant screens—24 feet by 36 feet—each side of the stage.

Meetings will be conducted in English but there will be arrangements for translations into Spanish, Portuguese, German, French, and Norwegian and actually will be broadcast on different AM closed circuit frequencies within the arena during the week and in the exhibition halls on the last weekend. These language translations can be received on regular inexpensive AM radios, but everyone will be required to use headsets. This will be the first time the Church has used this system, but other organizations have employed it with success. There will be a limited number of inexpensive radios available for purchase by visitors. But remember—if anyone brings his own

radio, he must have a headset with which to listen.

The General Conference will be making reservations for the delegates, but non-delegates who will be attending should make their own reservations for accommodations, either through their agent or through an airline office. If some people wish to make their own reservations, they can secure a list of hotels and motels in the Dallas area by writing to the Convention and Visitors' Bureau, Dallas Chamber of Commerce, 1507 Pacific Avenue, Dallas, Texas 75201. Their telephone number is (214) 651-1020.

We expect a big crowd and a wonderful time. It is hoped that everyone will be praying for this session. We know that the Lord will richly bless everyone who submits to His will and follows in His footsteps.

### P.R.E.A.C.H. OFFERING

For the P.R.E.A.C.H. offering taken on February 3, \$8,067.35 was contributed by the members of the Atlantic Union. This offering will continue to send *Ministry* magazine to non-Seventh-day Adventist ministers in the Atlantic Union. We thank you very much.

*Ministerial Department  
Atlantic Union Conference*

**Souls for Christ—Our Objective.  
Literature—Our Method.  
Be a Literature Evangelist.**

### "Tell" Magazine Wins Two Top R-P-R-C Awards



"Tell," the monthly communications journal of the Seventh-day Adventist Church, has been awarded the "best of class" first prize in the print division of the annual Religious Public Relations Council competition.

In addition, "Tell" was also named the best newsletter by judges in RPRC's Hinkhouse-DeRose Memorial Awards. From nearly 2,000 entries representing all major religious denominations, 39 awards were given at RPRC's 50th anniversary convention at the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel in New York City.

The Hinkhouse-DeRose Awards panel was headed by Eugene Schneider, associate director of the Office of Communication of the United Church of Christ.

"Tell" is an eight-page monthly devoted to communications in the 3-million-member Seventh-day Adventist Church. DeWitt S. Williams is editor, and James Gallagher is associate editor. Dr Williams says the \$100 prize will be donated to the M. Carol Hetzell Memorial Fund for Adventist World Radio. Miss Hetzell, former director of communications for the Adventist Church who died in September, 1978, founded "Tell" in 1948.

Pictured left to right: Art Perez, layout artist, showing the February issue of "Tell"; James Gallagher, associate editor, holding the "Best of Print" first prize award; Skip Baker, designer of the cover of the winning issue; DeWitt S. Williams, editor (with plaque); and Byron Steele, art director, displaying the award for best newsletter.

## Have You Read

### Every Believer a Minister

(Dimension Series)

By Dr. Rex Edwards



Inasmuch as every follower of Jesus has a work to do as a missionary for Christ, in the family, in the neighborhood, in the town or city where he lives, then every member is a Christian minister. The demand then for an informed, educated, and equipped laity is self-evident. This book is an attempt to reveal the layman's role in the ministry.

### Witnesses Through Trial

(Orion Series)

By MARVIN MOORE



Being a Christian isn't always easy. Sometimes Christians go through prison, hunger, wild animals, wild Indians, and face firing squads. Some even die for their faith. WITNESSES THROUGH TRIAL is, in the words of the author, "stories of men, women, and children, who experienced suffering, and through their endurance witnessed to others." And some will someday have the privilege of seeing how their endurance influenced others.

someone a  
Voice of Prophecy  
radio log

## DATELINE

### ATLANTIC UNION COLLEGE

AUC Summer School	
Term II	June 18-July 13
Term III	July 16-August 10
Adult Degree Program Seminar	July 1-July 13
Summer Commencement	August 12
"For Parents Only"	September 2 2:00-3:00 p.m.
Fall Registration	September 3-4
Classes Begin	September 5

### Now You Can Understand

(Back to God Series)

By Raymond H. Woolsey



Current interest in Bible prophecy has prompted many to open the books of Daniel and Revelation for a clearer understanding of these veiled writings. Today's busy schedule seldom allows sufficient time for most of us to search all the sources necessary for a solid foundation for our study. Author Raymond Woolsey gives the searcher a headstart with this new verse-by-verse exploration of these two books. NOW YOU CAN UNDERSTAND does not claim to be an in-depth study of Bible prophecy, but rather, an aid for the student who feels lost in the language and symbolisms of these books.

## Bermuda

### Stewardship Revival Meetings Held

Elder Leonard Newton, Stewardship Director of the Northeastern Conference, conducted a week of Stewardship Revival at the Hamilton church February 17-24. Elder Newton was invited to return to the Hamilton church after such an overwhelming response last year. He preached to the congregation last year on the Elijah Message I and this year he has called his topics in general Elijah II. The Elijah message is truly the message in which we as a people of God must adhere in these last days. Systematic Benevolence was the keynote topic during the Stewardship period of approximately 20 minutes nightly.

The Sabbath morning address was



Elder Leonard Newton.

taken from St. Luke 16. At the conclusion of the service, Elder Newton appealed for renewals of last year's covenant, for those who would like to

make a new covenant, and for those who never made one to make one to

God. What we do as stewards of God determines our salvation.

### Stewardship Ledger Sheet It must Balance.

#### Stewardship

1. Time
2. Talent
3. Body Temple
4. Treasure

Hearts were blessed and revived as the week came to an end. Hamilton church is blessed to have in her midst a very good Stewardship Secretary in that of Brother G. Burch who was responsible for the entire week. May

#### Salvation

1. Jesus Christ
2. Commandments
3. Reforms
4. Witnessing
5. Faith
6. Prayer
7. Stewardship

God continue to bless this Church and those he has called aside to do a special work.

DEREK ALBUOY  
*Communications Secretary*

delegation gave a warm vote of acceptance.

During the afternoon, other reports were presented. When a committee finished its work, the report was read, discussed, and voted. The last committee to finish was nominating. They recommended that all departmental directors continue in their positions. Several changes were recommended for membership on the Conference Committee. The assembly accepted the report as read.

A few minor changes were made in the Constitution having mainly to do with updating language and terminology. The Plans Committee suggested bolder plans for evangelism in the conference.

Several items of unfinished business were left for the conference Committee to complete. At 7:00 p.m., the session was dismissed and people went home thanking God for the spirit of fellowship and harmony that prevailed throughout the day.

## Greater New York

### Conference Session

Delegates from the churches met at Camp Berkshire on May 20 for the 44th session of the Greater New York Conference. Special delegates and delegates at large, added to those from the churches, made a total of 324 present when Elder G. M. Kretschmar, conference president, called the session to order.

Devotional speaker was Elder Jose Espinosa, associate secretary of the General Conference who spoke in both English and Spanish. The theme of his message was, "The Church's Number One Priority." In preparation for the second coming of Jesus, our first priority is to reflect more fully the character of Christ.

Immediately after the president and treasurer gave their reports, the large committee, under the direction of Atlantic Union president, E. W. Amundson, went to work and soon after lunch brought back their report of the standing committees. These were: Nominating, Plans, Credentials, and Constitution. The Nominating Committee spent little time in returning the names of G. M. Kretschmar and C. E. Schmidt to continue as President and Secretary-Treasurer respectively. The assembled



Elder G. M. Kretschmar was re-elected president of Greater New York Conference during the 44th Conference Session on May 20.



Three hundred twenty-four delegates assembled under the banner of their church in the Berkshire Auditorium.



Elder Jose Espinosa presented the devotional message.

### Urdu Language Company Organized

For several months a group of Adventists from Pakistan who speak the Urdu language has been meeting in a branch Sabbath school. Elder Meh-bub Khan has been working with the group in addition to his pastoral responsibilities in the Staten Island, New York, church.

Late in 1978, the Urdu members rented the auditorium of the Bronx-Manhattan church school for their worship services. During the winter, their numbers continued to grow. Recently the Conference Committee voted for





There were 23 persons who came forward to become regular members of the Urdu Language Company.



Elder G. M. Kretschmar (left) spoke to the Urdu Language Company. Elder Mehabub Khan, pastor of the group, translated the message into Urdu.



Roban Muchtaque playing the drum and Philip Messey playing the Harmonium provided several musical numbers during the Urdu Language Company organization.

them to organize into a company with the hope they can achieve full church status soon.

The organization took place May 12. More than fifty gathered for the special service and twenty-three responded to the invitation to become members of the company. Guest speaker was conference president, Elder G. M. Kretschmar. Other visitors from the conference office were Elder D. E. Kenyon, Ministerial Secretary, and Wally Quedzuweit, Publishing Director.

After the service, ladies of the group

served a delicious dinner for all who attended. Elder Khan has been officially appointed as pastor of the company. The Urdu-speaking population of the city will provide many opportunities for evangelistic activity.

### Baptism in Spanish Queens Church

For a number of weeks, Elder Hearley Roscher, evangelist from Metropolitan Ministries, has been working with local pastor, Elder Jose Siqueira, in an



The church, which seats several hundred people, was full the night of the baptism in Spanish Queens.



The candidates were dressed in white robes for the baptismal service.



Among those baptized by Elder Siqueira were Mr. and Mrs. Orlando Chavez.

evangelistic program in the Queens Spanish church.

Attendance throughout the series has been excellent. Fourteen were baptized in late April. A call was made that night for others to plan to be in future baptismal services. A total of thirty persons stood indicating their desire to get ready for baptism soon. There have been many evidences of God's blessing in the evangelistic series.

### Patchogue Spanish Church Organized

Friday night, May 18, was the time set aside to organize the Spanish-speaking church in Patchogue, Long Island, New York. After meeting as a group for many months, they were organized into a company last year; but a company always looks forward to full church organization.

Pastor of the church, Elder Marco Valenca, welcomed the members and



Conference Secretary-Treasurer, Elder C. E. Schmidt, invited charter members to come forward to sign the register during the Patchogue organization service.



Maria Alicea was one of four persons baptized by Elder Marco Valenca during the organization of the Spanish Patchogue church.

visitors. Guest speaker was Elder G. M. Kretschmar, president of the conference. Also present was Elder C. E. Schmidt, secretary-treasurer of the conference. He invited the charter members to come forward and record their names in the register. Charter membership is thirty-three with potential for rapid growth. The membership could easily double in a few months.

In addition to the organization service, four new members were baptized during the evening program. It was a

thrilling experience for them to receive their baptismal certificates and become charter members of a new congregation all in the same evening.

The new Spanish church is sharing the same church building with the English congregation in Patchogue. The Spanish members meet from 8:00 to 10:15 a.m. At 10:30 a.m. the English congregation starts Sabbath school.

The new Spanish-speaking church plans to carry on an aggressive program of evangelism in the surrounding area.



Elder William Quigley



Dr. Gerhard Hasel



Dr. Harold Coffen



Dr. Jay Edison

### The Trust Services Department Greater New York Conference

Offers our members an opportunity to invest in the Lord's work, by providing a variety of plans which can be individually tailored to meet the needs of all. Such plans as the following are suggested:

1. Outright present gifts.
2. Gift Annuities—a gift which provides a life income for the donor.
3. A variety of Trust Agreements which are income producing for the depositor and give opportunity to make both large and small investments in the Lord's work.
4. Property transferred by will.

"In disposing of your property by will to your relatives, be sure that you do not forget God's cause." (*Counsels on Stewardship*, p. 328)



A delicious vegetarian dinner was served in the church youth room.

## New York

### P.R.E.A.C.H.

Thirty-six non-Seventh-day Adventist clergymen, some accompanied by their wives, met in the West Genesee Seventh-day Adventist Church for a *Ministry Seminar*. The Seminar was sponsored by the New York Conference with the non-Adventist ministers from central New York. This meeting constituted one of the largest such gatherings since the P.R.E.A.C.H. program began. Remarks such as these were heard from some of the preachers:

"Time sure passed quickly."

"I really like this food."

"Good, now we are going to hear about nutrition."

"Please send copies of all lectures to us."

The guest speakers were Doctors Gerhard Hasel and Harold Coffen, professors from Andrews University, and Dr. Jay Edison, medical director of the



Registration



The group gathered in the church sanctuary.



"I really like this food."

New York Conference and a practicing physician in Northeastern New York. Elder William Quigley of *Ministry* magazine co-ordinated the program. The very delicious and well-chosen menu was prepared and served by the wives of Conference departmental directors and office secretaries.

### Utica LE Rally

The storm troopers, the forward scouts, the front line soldiers—in other words, the literature evangelists convened in the Utica, New York, church May 26. Here Bill Boyd, Publishing Director, rallied his forces for the work Ellen White declared to be the greatest.



1. Leaf Larrabee from Plattsburgh leading the song service.
2. Carmine Walters presented special music.
3. Carol Gadway contributes to the program with a beautiful solo.
4. John Bobenhausen tells his experience.
5. Jim and Barabara Burry with young David; a husband and wife team working in Syracuse.
6. Celestia Dow, 71 years young with 25 years of L. E. experience, tells how she placed almost \$1,000 in books in a bakery.
7. James Holland, a new worker in the New York Conference, tells how he appreciates the work.
8. Mary Jane Smith gives a thrilling experience.
9. Bill Boyd, Publishing Director of the New York Conference.

### Perrysburg Church

Pastor Hardy Loomis came to our area to encourage and follow-up our building program in Brocton, but at the same time, he did some beautiful stone work for the Perrysburg church.



Elder L. J. Tessier (left), pastor of the Perrysburg church, with Elder Hardy Loomis.



Perrysburg church after Elder Hardy Loomis installed stone work on the foundation.

Previously only an ugly cement wall was showing from the ground up 40 inches. This has given our church a finished look.

PASTOR L. J. TESSIER

### Brocton Church Building Program

The new Brocton church on Route 20 between Fredonia and Brocton, New York, is literally in the air. The cellar walls are in place, also the floor of the basement has been poured and on May 30 the floor was placed. It is plexicore with the walls and roof going up shortly after.



Pastor Leonard Tessier of the Brocton church is on "Cloud 9" as he observes the progress of the new church building.

Hardy Loomis was with us May 19 for a review of our Building Program. Our thanks to him for his guidance.

Things have been moving along well. Thanks for your prayers.

PASTOR L. J. TESSIER

### Special Service to Observe Mother's Day

On Sunday afternoon, May 13, Maple Lawn Nursing Home at Manlius, New York, had Open House and a special church service to celebrate Mother's Day and for the start of National Nursing Home Week.

At the 2:00 p.m. service, Arthur L. Dale, ASI Director of the New York Conference, was the speaker. Mr. Dale talked about "mothers." Joan Payne, R.N., from the Syracuse church, played hymns on the accordion. After the service, refreshments were served. Families and friends of the patients were invited to this special occasion.

JOAN PAYNE  
Communications Secretary

These stalwart, intrepid men and women of God came from the eastern part of the conference to be encouraged, inspired, and instructed how to carry on God's work with even greater zeal and enthusiasm. These words: "Neither snow, nor rain, nor heat, nor gloom of night stays these couriers from the swift completion of their appointed rounds," eulogize the work of the postmen and can well be said of God's workmen who do so much to move the work of God forward to His eternal purposes.

May the Lord continue to bless and guide the Literature Evangelists as they go forth seeking the spiritually hungry.

*A Light at the Crossroads*

## Klean Up Day

June 5 was KLEAN UP day at the Conference office. Elder C. W. Skantz, the conference president, believes "headquarters" should be representative, too, and set an example for all the churches.

Early that day, the conference president, secretary-treasurer, office secretaries, and departmental directors all came in their work duds for a day of



1. The chief, C. W. Skantz, demonstrating his talents.
2. Trust Officer and Religious Liberty Director, Don Orsburn, hooking up the power.
3. ABC Manager, Dick Harper, enjoying his labors.
4. Brother Dale, Assistant Treasurer, cleaning out the Erie Canal.
5. Robert Farley, Youth Director, directing the youth.
6. Jeannette Borgersen, office secretary, polishing the cupboard.
7. Nik Satelmajer, Secretary-Treasurer, manuring the lawn.
8. Loren Nelson, Lay Activities and Sabbath School Director, in the brush department.
9. The New York Conference Headquarters looking fit and representative.

toil. Offices were cleaned, windows washed, grass cut and trimmed, trees and shrubs pruned and Arthur Dale, assistant treasurer, cleaned out the "Erie Canal."

One of the important ways to Share Our Faith is to communicate the proper image of Adventism through orderliness, cleanliness, care, and attractiveness in our churches and institutions.

## Revival Meetings Held

Elder A. N. Brogden, executive secretary of the Atlantic Union Conference, held "Revival and Stewardship" meetings in the Syracuse West Genesee church April 6-15. His topics included: "Rights of Ownership," "Taxes Are Going Up," "Parallels of the Sabbath and Tithe," "Your Money and You."

Each evening before the meeting the first six people who arrived met with Elder Brogden and Elder Dick E. Dale, local church pastor, for a season of prayer in behalf of the meetings. The meetings began after a song service. Everyone attending these revival meetings felt that a blessing was received.

JOAN PAYNE  
*Communications Secretary*

## Northern New England

### Baptism in Nashua New Hampshire

Sabbath, June 3, 1979, will always be remembered as a happy day for Mrs. Audrey Civiello as she was baptized into the family of God in the Nashua, New Hampshire, church.

For Audrey, the story began two and a half years ago at the Milford Manor Nursing Home where she is employed as a registered nurse. Bea and George Combe invited her to join them for Bible studies; and later, when Pastor P. D. Bakker moved to this district, he, too, was invited to study



Left to right: Pastor P. D. Bakker, Audrey Civiello, and Beatrice Combe.

with the small company. The studies proved to be so fruitful that after two years, Audrey decided to take her stand for Christ and His wonderful love. To witness her baptism were her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Wil-

liam Crawford, and her brother, Mr. Barry Crawford, and his three children, in addition to the church family.

"Loyalty" was the title of Pastor Bakker's sermon that day. Loyalty to Christ and His Church was stressed as he closed with Hebrews 10:25: "Not forsaking the assembling of ourselves together, as the manner of some is; but exhorting one another: and so much the more, as ye see the day approaching."

Audrey resides in Amherst, New Hampshire, with her husband Rocco and their three children, Julie, Joseph, and Kimberly. A potluck dinner was served in her honor after the services. God is truly blessing us in spreading His Word.

LISA GILBERT  
*Communications Secretary*

## Southern New England

### Hartford Hosts Cooking School

Hartford's Better Living Center, located in the Prospect Avenue church, hosted a "Meals Without Meat" class during March, 1979. Attendance was over 60 at each of the four meetings, reports Pauline Pichette, Community Services Leader and organizer of the course. Forty persons were making their first contact with Adventists at these classes.

Bread making, taught by Jacqueline Eagles, was the star attraction, with students actually participating in the demonstration. The course, which taught the transition from a flesh to a vegetarian diet, also included the presentation of entrees by Donna Henderson and Brooks Martyn; breakfast

foods by Linda Marazzie; and sprouting and sandwich spreads by Terry Lucas. Each evening's program was begun with a film strip on nutrition and ended with a sample buffet of the foods which had been demonstrated.

The Lord blessed the efforts of Sr. Pichette and her staff of dishwashers, kitchen helpers, and table decorators as keen interest was expressed by many of the students in learning more of the better way of life offered by Seventh-day Adventists. Graduates have requested Bible studies, How to Stop Smoking Clinics, and advanced cooking classes.

JOANNE SEATON  
*Communications Secretary*



Instructor Jackie Eagles demonstrates the finer points of bread making.



Students of the Hartford Better Living Center's "Meals Without Meat" course try their hands at bread making.

### Elder Kidder Joins Finley Team in Chicago



Elder Marion Kidder, Co-ordinator of the Bible Instruction Program at AUC, ended fifteen and one-half years of service in SNEC the last of June. Besides his work at the college, he served as pastor in New London, Hudson, PVA, and Fitchburg. He is pictured with his wife, Mary Lou, and son, Larry, 18. They have two daughters, Mrs. Marcia Botelho of Marlboro, and Mrs. Christina Hauck of Washington, D.C. They leave with our best wishes as they join Elder Mark Finley's evangelism team in the great Chicago metropolis.

Victor W. Collins  
*Communications Director*

### New Pastor for Boston and Framingham Spanish Churches

The Boston and Framingham Spanish churches were made happy on Sabbath, May 26, when the new pastor, Elder Osvaldo Utz, and his lovely family joined them in worship for the first time.



Elder Osvaldo Utz, new pastor of Boston and Framingham Spanish churches, with his wife, Erlinda, daughter, Marisa, and son, Ronald.

Elder Utz and his wife are natives of Argentina. He graduated from River Plate College there in 1965. In 1966 he finished the nurses course at River Plate Sanitarium, married Erlinda Koch, and they went to the Lake Titicaca Mission as missionaries for five years.

From 1970 to 1978 he served as a pastor in Ecuador and Argentina. They come to Boston from Loma Linda Medical Center where he had

been employed for the last year. They have two children, Marisa Etel, 10, and Ronald Herman, 6.

We wish the Utz family God's choic-

est blessings as they labor in the Boston-Framingham District.

VICTOR W. COLLINS  
Communications Director

### Task Force Workers



Brenda Peterson (left) and Ruth Roberts have been selected as a Task Force team to work in the children's divisions at the Southern New England camp meeting June 22-30. They will be assisting also as needed in the following Vacation Bible Schools in the SNE Conference:

Middletown—July 9-20  
Boston Temple—July 22-August 3  
Gardner—August 5-11  
Willimantic—August 13-18  
Northboro—August 19-25

Both girls graduated this May from PVA. Ruth worked in the same capacity last summer, but it is Brenda's first time to have been chosen for the program. Brenda is a member of the Fitchburg church and is the daughter of Pastor and Mrs. Paul B. Peterson. Ruth is a member of the Village Church in South Lancaster and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred M. Roberts of South Lancaster. For this work the girls are given a scholarship toward their college tuition.

Thelma E. Hale  
Communications Secretary



## Metropolitan Ministries

### Unionwide Off-Campus M.P.H. Program Sponsored by Metropolitan Ministries to Begin This Fall

Starting this fall, ministers, physicians, teachers, nurses and other professionals will be able to start earning a master of public health degree from Loma Linda University without leaving the Atlantic Union. Metropolitan Ministries, in co-operation with the Atlantic Union and Loma Linda University, will be co-sponsoring the M.P.H. extension program.

The first classes, Principles of Administration in Public Health (3 units) and Philosophy of Health (1 unit), will be taught at Camp Berkshire, September 14-17. The cost is \$90 per credit hour; \$40 will be charged for registration and room and board. Students must provide their own bedding.

Each succeeding quarter another course will be offered. The course content and instructors will be the same as those offered at Loma Linda University but pre-course and post-course work will generally be assigned. A total of 48 hours is required for the degree.

"Having a master's degree in public health has certainly given me an appreciation for the health aspect of evangelism, made me more competent in conducting health programs, and given me credibility when I deal with the public," observes Elder Ted Wilson, director of Metropolitan Ministries.

Elder Gaspar Colon, health department director of the Greater New York Conference, also holds an M.P.H. degree from Loma Linda University.

"The ministers I've talked with are extremely interested in this new pro-

### New Bedford Baptism



On Sabbath, June 2, there were eight precious souls who followed the Lord into the watery grave of baptism at the New Bedford English church. There were three young couples: Wayne and Rose Marote, Steven and Christine Mendez, George and Ellura Ferro, besides two ladies, Evelyn Arenburg and Eva Flaherty. Elder William Johnson, pastor, performed the sacred rite.

Victor W. Collins  
Communications Director



### Faith For Today Showing The Word To The World

gram. I believe it will bring about a higher grade of health evangelism in the Atlantic Union and will give our leaders a vision of what we need to do to evangelize cities like Boston and New York," comments Elder Colon.

This past spring, the Atlantic Union Conference Committee voted to set up the extended M.P.H. program. Local conference presidents in the Atlantic Union pledged their support and Metropolitan Ministries agreed to co-sponsor and promote it.

The M.P.H. program is tailored to the needs of professionals desiring to become qualified to organize health programs and to engage in health evangelism in their respective professions. The program was inaugurated in 1974 in Western Canada in response to pastors and health professionals who found it difficult or impossible to take a year off to attend Loma Linda but who still wanted to obtain the educational training. It has been successfully operated in several other union conferences.

For detailed information regarding the off-campus M.P.H. program, please write to: Elder Ted Wilson, Metropolitan Ministries, 227 W. 46th St., New York, NY, 10036 or call: (212) 354-4360.



# Northeast Adventist Health Services

## Clergy Seminar at Fuller

Depression, one of the most common types of mental disturbance, was the subject of a seminar held at Fuller Memorial Hospital for area clergy.

Arthur Tamkin, Ph.D., chairman of the psychology department, spoke on how to recognize and help the person who is suicidal.

Leonard Holst, M.A., spoke on how anxiety can be triggered by the stresses of daily life in the home, at work, or in one's sense of personal worthlessness; and how, in turn, anxiety triggers depression. Therefore, stress must be reduced, or one's ability to endure stress must be strengthened. Mr. Holst is a psychotherapist at Fuller.

Bonnie Johnson, M.P.H., presented an illustrated lecture on depression and its various causes, types, and treatments. Mrs. Johnson has a Master's degree in Public Health and is the health educator at Fuller.

Host for the Seminar was Alton D. Johnson, Chaplain at Fuller Memorial Hospital and Public Relations Director. He is also a member of the North Attleboro and Attleboro Clergy Associations.

Those attending were given a luncheon which featured protein-rich meatless entrees and were also given a brief explanation of the economic and other benefits of nutritionally balanced meatless meals. Much appreciation was expressed for the luncheon and the seminar. Represented were clergy from the Baptist, Methodist, Mormon, Presbyterian, and Lutheran faiths, and a priest and sister from the Roman Catholic faith.



Mrs. Bonnie Johnson, health educator at Fuller, lectures to clergy. A Nun and priest are in the foreground.

## Veteran Employees Retire

Three faithful veteran employees of Parkview Memorial Hospital have retired after a total of 60 years' service.

Marjorie Hall came to Parkview in May, 1959, two months before its opening. She worked as secretary to administrator Harry Clough, as well as doing patient billing, insurance, and cashiering. Later, she served five years as business office manager, then returned to insurance billing. Most recently she served in the admitting office. She has moved to Collegedale, Tennessee, to live with her sister.

Josephine Kuykendall answered the first telephone call and admitted the first patient on Parkview's opening day, July 12, 1959. She was in charge of switchboard, admitting, and information, plus the outpatient department! Throughout the past 20 years, she has also supervised medical records and patient care co-ordination. At the time of her retirement, she was medical staff secretary. Mrs. Kuykendall and her husband, Milton, plan to remain in the area and enjoy things they have "always wanted to do."

Millard Leighton joined the Parkview staff before the opening. He was one of the workmen who finished the building. He came to Parkview after 17 years with the DuPont Company of Portland and eight years with the Windham Millwork Company in North Windham, Maine, to accept a job as "working manager" of the laundry. At the time of his retirement, he was chief of the maintenance department, fire marshal, and security officer. Mr. Leighton and his wife plan to spend winters in Florida and summers in Maine.

## Family Care Center Opens July 1

Walls have been taken out, new partitions constructed, complicated oxygen and electrical lines connected. Next will come the finish remodeling. Finally, with the arrival of the resident family physicians and staff, the new Family

Care Center at New England Memorial Hospital will open.

Scheduled to open July 1, the Family Care Center will offer area families a staff of doctors making family care their practice specialty. The new center provides the practice base for the hospital's family-practice residency, the only such physician-training program in greater Boston.



James W. Boyle (left), associate administrator, and John A. Danis, M.D., family-practice residency director, inspect remodeling for new Family Care Center at New England Memorial Hospital in Stoneham.

"Physicians in the Family Care Center will assume the full care of an increasing number of families in this community," said John A. Danis, M.D., residency director.

When fully operational twelve physicians will work closely with teaching staff in the Family Care Center, located on the campus of the hospital. The center comprises eight examining rooms, laboratory, business office, administrative offices, library, and conference room.

"In an age marked by increased specialization, family-practice residencies have been created to provide communities with fully qualified family doctors," continued Danis.

Since the practice specialty was founded in 1969, residency programs have increased tenfold, although the output of trained family physicians is not expected to meet the public demand until the late 1980's.

The hospital program provides extensive three-year training to residents in both in- and out-patient services through the hospital and its affiliations with Salem Hospital, North Shore Children's Hospital, and New England Rehabilitative Center.

## Parkview Memorial Hospital News in Brief

● Parkview's board has approved renovations to its operating room suites. A local architectural firm has been engaged to develop plans and specifications.

● Ralph Kinney, a resident of Parkview's retirement village and a very active hospital volunteer, was recently honored by hospital employees and neighborhood friends on the occasion of his 90th birthday. Kinney has also been honored for putting in the most volunteer hours of any volunteer.

● Administrator William H. Gosse has been elected treasurer of the Brunswick Area Church Council, a local fellowship of clergy and laity.

● Chaplain Erling Odell has been elected a member of the board of directors of the Maine Lung Association. He has just completed a two-year term as vice-president of the Brunswick Area Church Council.

## Wedding

Olschewski - White

Ruth Kay Olschewski and Charles Willis White were united in marriage May 31, 1979, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Strayer. The Whites will be residing in Auburn, New York. Prior to their marriage, they have both lived in this general area and have known each other for many years. We wish them the Lord's richest blessings as they unite their lives in continued service for Him.

RALPH TRECARTIN

## At Rest

BURKETT—Mrs. Ruth S. Burkett died Sunday, May 13, 1979, at the Alice Hyde Hospital in Malone. She was born on December 16, 1903, to William and Sara Bugbie Cady. She was first married to Arthur White who died in 1935. On August 10, 1942, she married Bernard Burkett in Brushton, New York.

She leaves to mourn her loss three sons, Lester and Everett, Williamson, New York, Albert of Moria, one son, Theron, died in 1974; 15 great-grandchildren; three sisters,



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Mrs. Lena Spellan, North Lawrence, Mrs. Ada LaPlante, Carthage, Mrs. Ruby White, Lawrenceville; five brothers, Howard of Poughkeepsie, Maynard and Ernest of Apalachian, New York, Leon of Vestal, New York, and Floyd of Buffalo, two brothers predeceased her; several nieces, nephews, and cousins.

She awaits the return of her Saviour in the Hillcrest Cemetery.

PASTOR HARDY LOOMIS

BUTENDIECK—Elder Rolf Butendieck was born in Baldivia, Chile, July 29, 1921, and died Friday, May 18, 1979, in Bridgeport, Connecticut.

Elder Butendieck served in the ministry in Argentina, Chile, Equador, and Peru. His assignment in Lima, Peru, was most rewarding because of his successful development of O.F.A.S.A. (Seventh-day Adventist Welfare Services) in Peru now known as S.A.W.S.

In 1970 Elder Butendieck came to the United States and was assigned to the Spanish church in Framingham and two companies; one in Boston and the other in Clinton, Massachusetts. For the last five years he pastored the Spanish church in Bridgeport, Connecticut, and a company in Norwalk. Under his able leadership the church has grown steadily.

He went to sleep in the Lord after a short and acute illness leaving behind his wife Marta; two daughters, Mrs. Dorita Frost and Mrs. Edelweiss Onfray of South Lancaster, Massachusetts; and his son Ronald of Bridgeport Connecticut. The loss of Brother Butendieck will be felt deeply by the entire church family.

His resting place is Mountain Grove Cemetery in Bridgeport, Connecticut, where he awaits the call of the Life-giver.

PASTOR JOHN FERRARO

BRUSO—Desford A. Bruso was born September 14, 1896, in Ellenburg Center, New York, and died April 15, 1979, in Clinton, Massachusetts, after a long illness. He was the son of Fred and Ada (Welch) Bruso. He was married to Minerva Gadow who predeceased him. He lived in South Lancaster, Massachusetts, for the last 23 years of his life.

He is survived by eleven children—four sons, Ivan of Los Angeles, California, Galen, Carl and Dennis of South Lancaster, Massachusetts, seven daughters, Mrs. Maida Peets of Chateaugay, New York; Mrs. Zaida Rivers of Sterling, Massachusetts; Mrs. Arlene Harris of Atlanta Georgia; Mrs. Yvonne Tallman of Merrill New York; Mrs. Dorothy Brooks



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Funeral services were April 19, 1979, in Dannemora, New York.

PASTOR G. L. PURSLEY

**FARLEY**—Stanley Elwyn Farley, M.D., born October 26, 1917, in Richmond, Maine, passed away in Colton, California, on May 16, 1979.

He graduated from Atlantic Union College, South Lancaster, Massachusetts, in 1941 and from the College of Medical Evangelists (now Loma Linda University) in 1945. He practiced medicine in Riverside, California, over thirty years.

He was certified by the American Board of Urology, was a member of the American Urological Association, a Fellow of the American College of Surgeons, and a Diplomate of the International College of Surgeons.

He is survived by his wife Dorothy; four daughters, Janet Cathcart of Santa Monica, California, Kathleen Ingersoll and Patricia Farley of Santa Ana, California, and Carolyn Farley of Redlands, California; two grandchildren; his mother, Lottie Farley of Loma Linda, California; and a sister, Evelyn Strachan of Paradise, California.

Funeral services were held May 20, 1979, in the Loma Linda University church with David N. Hartman; Roger W. Barnes, M.D.; and Elder H.M.S. Richards officiating. Private entombment was in Montecito Memorial Park Mausoleum, Loma Linda, California, where he awaits the call of the Life-giver. The Hughes Loma Linda Mortuary in Loma Linda, California, was in charge of arrangements.

**MACEWEN**—It was when Jean MacEwen was needed most that she left her teaching post in the public school and

offered her services to the Kellogg Elementary School, Bedford, New Hampshire. She provided leadership and taught in the upper grades. Jean, by the grace of the Lord, won the affections of her pupils and stayed for five years. She left because of health reasons.

April 9, Jean was laid to rest in Kennbunk, Maine, to await the call of the Life-giver. She was only 50 years of age, having been married to Paul MacEwen 27 years. Besides her beloved husband, she leaves to sorrow over her passing, her three sons, Paul Jr., Peter, and David, and one daughter, Marsha. Her mother, Mrs. Brackett, lives near the school in Bedford. There are also two brothers to mourn her passing.

May God keep us faithful and true until that morning when Christ will return to claim the dead and the faithful living.

PASTOR P. D. BAKKER

**PIERCE**—John E. Pierce was born in Pembroke, Massachusetts, son of George K. and Myrtle S. (Goodwin) Pierce. He was a student in the Whitman schools. For a time he was employed by the Commonwealth Shoe and Leather Company. While at work for a company, he was injured and never fully recovered. As a result of this accident he was left an invalid for 54 years.

At the age of 17 he gave his heart to Jesus and in all his trouble and suffering he learned to love his Lord more fully. What a life fully dedicated to God for His cause in a life that brought forth fruit for the heavenly kingdom. He served the Church as a musician, a member of the church choir, taught Sabbath school classes, church clerk, missionary leader, and as press secretary he placed church news in the local paper each week. It was most satisfying for him to do In-gathering work.

He never did wish to miss attending Sabbath school and church services when he could go. Camp meeting was a most compensating time for him. Even though his body was hardened, he was of good courage and never complained. He was invited to sing at camp meetings and was rolled in his bed and lifted up onto the platform to sing his lovely numbers.

The Bible was truly God's sacred Word to him and he read and studied it regularly. His hope and trust in God were fully evident in his manner of living. His bed was placed by a window in his home and he enjoyed waving to people as they passed by. After many years of suffering, he passed to his rest February 25, 1979, at the Plymouth County Hospital, Hanson, Massachusetts.

Survivors are a brother, Earle K. Pierce of Whitman, Massachusetts; five sisters, Viola P. Peterson and Ida O. Beals, both of Whitman, Dorothy H. McCarty of Watertown, Mildred L. Holbrook of Orlando, Florida, and Gertrude C. Dowling of Brockton; 25 nieces and nephews; other relatives; and friends.

He was laid to rest in the Colebrook Cemetery at Whitman, Massachusetts, to await the call of his Life-giver. The funeral service was conducted by Elders V. A. LaGrone, Clarence Johnson, and Paul Peterson.

ELDER V. A. LAGRONE

**TURNER**—Alice Abbott (Tiney) Turner born October 15, 1890, in Wenham, Massachusetts, died April 24, 1979, in Fleetwood Nursing Home, Athol, Massachusetts. Her parents were the late John Henry Tiney and Evelyn August Edwards. She was a member of the Fitchburg, Massachusetts, church for a number of years.

In November, 1902, the family moved to Athol near South Royalston where Alice finished grammar school in 1903. After graduating in 1909 from South Lancaster Academy where she took the stenographic course, she worked for a time at the New England Sanitarium, then in the Book and Bible House and conference office in South Lancaster. She also worked in the General Conference office in Washington, D.C., where she was secretary to Elder G. B. Thompson. She also worked a short time in the offices in Utica and Rome, New York.

Mrs. Turner played the organ in the Takoma Park, Maryland, church and also in the General Conference office for morning devotions. She also was church organist in the South Lancaster Village church for

a time as well as pianist for tent meetings in Springfield, Boston, and other crusades. For about 30 years near the end of her life she played the organ in the Baldwinville Baptist church. She started composing poetry when a teen-ager and many of her poems have been published in various periodicals and some have been set to music and sung in public.

Alice Turner took the nurse's course in Madison, Tennessee. She was a volunteer worker for the Athol Blood Bank for twenty years. In Phillipston she taught some classes in First Aid and Home Nursing and also was chairperson of the Christmas seal program.

She married Clinton Turner October 7, 1925, and survived him by nearly 12 years. Although she never had any children of her own, she raised her husband's four children as a labor of love. They are Edward Turner, teacher in Enterprise, Kansas; Elder Ronald Turner of Healdsburg, California; the late Ivone Todd; and Olive Tyler of New Ipswich, New Hampshire. She is also survived by a sister, Mrs. Richard Farley of Centerville, Ohio. The late J. Henry Tiney, Jr. was her brother.

Interment was at Wenham, Massachusetts, where she awaits the call of the Life-giver.

THELMA E. HALE  
Communications Secretary

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1 teaspoon lemon juice      ½ teaspoon nutmeg  
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	July 6	July 13	July 20	July 27
Bangor, ME	8:24	8:21	8:16	8:09
Portland, ME	8:26	8:23	8:18	8:11
Boston, MA	8:24	8:21	8:17	8:11
So. Lancaster, MA	8:27	8:24	8:20	8:13
Pittsfield, MA	8:33	8:31	8:26	8:20
Hartford, CT	8:29	8:26	8:22	8:16
New York, NY	8:31	8:28	8:24	8:18
Utica, NY	8:43	8:41	8:36	8:30
Syracuse, NY	8:47	8:44	8:39	8:33
Rochester, NY	8:53	8:50	8:46	8:39
Buffalo, NY	8:57	8:54	8:50	8:44
Hamilton, Bda.	8:30	8:28	8:25	8:21

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

## AFRAID TO WITNESS!

By EARL W. AMUNDSON, *President  
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Christ organized His church for service—and the service for which the church was organized is that of spreading the gospel. The gospel is the good news of what Christ did for man in giving him a second chance at eternal life. Man threw away his first chance in the Garden of Eden. Many are now throwing away their second and last chance for salvation. But there are multitudes of people in every land who will accept the second chance if it is offered to them in the right way. The privilege that Christians now have is to tell all mankind that Christ is offering them their second and last chance to gain eternal life. God in His great wisdom prefers that Christians living on planet earth assist Him in this mission rather than the angels who would be most happy to do it.

We have noted previously that the apostolic church preached the message with the dynamic power of the Holy Spirit. That same demonstration of power has not been witnessed since Pentecost, but the Lord has promised it will happen again in even greater measure than previously. But we haven't seen it happen yet and that is what is giving the leaders and many, many lay members of the church such concern. That concern led to the holding of the "Summit Strategy for Evangelism" referred to on the back page of the June 12 issue of the *GLENER*.

Why is the message being given in only whispered tones instead of as with the sound of a trumpet? If Christ expects all Christians (and not only the ministers and teachers, but every member of the church) to take an active part in the giving of the gospel, then why are not all Christians doing it? It was noted previously that only about one per cent of our church membership is actively and regularly witnessing to nonbelievers. Why is this?

The church has published much literature encouraging all Christians to become active in witness-

ing. The church has conducted many training courses to teach people how to do it. Pastors and lay activities leaders and directors plead with the church members to go out and do it. Equipment and visual materials are available. God's special messenger to the church has written "volumes" on the subject. But yet not much is happening. Why?

Most of the Christians with whom I have talked have told me that they are afraid to witness for Christ. That fear stems from two reasons: Either they don't know how or they don't have a message with which to witness. Shocking? Incredible! Now then, read thoughtfully this statement found on page 125 of *Christ's Object Lessons*:

All who receive the gospel message into the heart will long to proclaim it. The heaven-born love of Christ must find expression. Those who have put on Christ will relate their experience, tracing step by step the leadings of the Holy Spirit—their hungering and thirsting for the knowledge of God and of Jesus Christ whom He has sent, the results of their searching of the Scriptures, their prayers, their soul agony, and the words of Christ to them, "Thy sins be forgiven thee." It is unnatural for any to keep these things secret, and those who are filled with the love of Christ will not do so. In proportion as the Lord has made them the depositories of sacred truth will be their desire that others shall receive the same blessing. And as they make known the rich treasures of God's grace, more and still more of the grace of Christ will be imparted to them. They will have the heart of a little child in its simplicity and unreserved obedience. Their souls will pant after holiness, and more and more of the treasures of truth and grace will be revealed to them to be given to the world.

I really believe that there is more in this statement than at first meets the eye. It will bear re-reading. It is a statement that deserves a great deal of thought and prayer. I will comment further on this in the next issue.

Meanwhile, "Keep looking up. Your God is still the same today."