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1400 LABOR UNIONS

Carlyle B. Haynes

Fourteen hundred local labor unions in the United States and Canada have agreed to exert no pressure on Seventh-day Adventists to become union members, to cancel the union membership of those that are already members, and exercise no employment discrimination against them because they are not union members.

Among the unions so agreeing are those of carpenters, street and electric railway employees, laundry workers, building service, teamsters, truckers, hotel and restaurant employees, automobile workers, steel workers, shoe workers, fur and leather workers, clothing workers, packinghouse workers, bridge structural and ornamental iron workers, plumbers and steam-fitters, hod carriers, electrical workers, culinary workers, upholsterers and hosiery workers.

Has the time not come for all our church members, in view of the instruction which the Lord has given us, to take a firm stand on this important matter?

What is the instruction from the Lord? It is this: "Those who claim to be the children of God are in no case to bind up with the labor unions that are formed or that shall be formed. "This the Lord forbids." Country Living, p. 12.

Perhaps your labour union will agree to do what these 1,400 have already done. Whether it does or not, the prohibition the Lord has made should be observed. Would you not like to explore the possibility and learn the procedures?

If so, request information of and describe your situation to the Council on Industrial Relations, General Conference Office, 6840 Eastern Avenue, Washington 12, D. C.

HISTORY OF THE B. C. JUNIOR CAMP PROGRAM

As far as can be learned, the first Junior Camp in British Columbia was conducted in 1937 at Mara Lake under the direction of Elder W. J. Hurden. Elder James Ackerman was the one responsible for getting the camping program really rolling the next few years.

In 1938, the first large camp for British Columbia was conducted on Gabriola Island near Nanaimo. Elder C. L. Bond, Elder George Bellow, and Brother Ernest Booth were on hand to help with this camp. Elder Bellow and Brother Ackerman had charge of the Senior young folk while Elder Bond and Brother Cecil Mayor guided the junicits. Mirs. Bellow taught crafts and Mrs. Mayor was the cook.

The same year Brother Ackerman and Brother Mayor conducted another camp on Mara Lake. This was the last opporunity for a camp here. It has since been turned into a community park.

Camps were conducted each year following this, one being held on the coast and the other in the interior.

In 1944 a permanent camp sight was developed at Hope, B. C. This place has been adapted each year to the needs of 'the Junior camping program. Elder F. W. Bieber has had a large part in the building up of the camp during the past four years.

We are looking forward to greater heights in the Junior Camp work. This being the 25th Anniversary of Junior Camps we hope that all of our boys and girl will make plans to enjoy a real good time of Christian fellowship in God's great out-of-doors.

E. M. Peterson

COLPORTEUR EXPERIENCE

Brother Clyde Gildersleeve who as most of us know is captain of a fine colporteur cruiser, the "Sea Gypsy" on our west coast, sends in the following experience:

"I had taken an order with a substantial down payment for "Great Controversy" a couple of weeks ago from a lady. A few days ago I was in a store and a clerk girl asked me if I would please go and see her aunt because she was quite angry to have found out that I was a Seventh-day Adventist, and she was a strict Brethren. (If it was an S. D. A. book she didn't want it.) I told the girl I would be very happy to go and see her aunt. So I asked the Lord to help me, and I went to see the lady. We had a very pleasant visit, and she was so pleased that I had come to see her. The wonderful part of it was, she said she would take the book when it came, and if she found anything wrong with it, she would argue with the book. We had a short prayer together before I left her home. How thankful I was for this experience!"



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First, when I saw this wonderful experience in Bro. C. Allaway's newsletter I was impressed because the book sold was a "Great Controversy", the book which Sister White says should be sold above all others because of the "final warning" it contains to men on earth. Secondly, Bro. Gildersleeve's simple childlike trust in Jesus affected me. He had gone forth in faith, now Jesus would surely help him in this predicament.

God's servant says, "A Christlike life is the most powerful argument that can be advanced in favor of Christianity."— T9, p. 1.

Yes, this good woman would "argue with the book" rather than with the colporteur who was Christlike in his dealings with her.

Then, last but not least, the colporteur's prayer. Oh, would to God that more of our brothers and sisters who are engrossed in worldly transactions and the things that are so soon to perish from the face of the earth could catch the vision and blessing of Christian service. "There is no more important work in all of the world", nothing that brings more peace to the soul.

Jesus is calling for more to forsake all and follow him, even as He did when he called humble fisher folk by the sea: "Follow me, and I will make you ..." While time lasts write your local conference to-day.

J. M. Bucy



An editor of a large metropolitan daily recently wrote Elder Froom the following concerning the books, "Prophetic Faith of Our Fathers:

"Could all wishes come true, I should wish some man with a million dollars would put in each and every library in America a full set of The Prophetic Faith of Our Fathers. Also I should wish that each and every minister in the United States would take time to give serious study to the books.

"Four days ago I finished reading the first two volumes, all inside of two months' time. So persistently did I give time to the reading, that my wife became a trifle critical. In reading I read every word in the chapters, the acknowledgments, the bibliography, much of the footnotes, the introductions, the appendices, and some attention to the topical subjects and the indexes.

"The value of your great production is beyond estimate. To undertake such a Herculean task was an enormous thing within itself; and faithfully to follow up that undertaking through the years, writing without bias and fully documenting each and every step taken and conclusion reached, involved labors almost incomprehensible.

"I thoroughly enjoyed every chapter and page. The illustrations are a great source of valuable teachings. Coming out of the study, I am happy to say that my personal faith today in the Holy Bible is clearer, stronger and more definitely fixed in the things of God than ever before. And, as to the prophecies, they cannot intelligibly be questioned. "My oft-stated conviction is, we are running exactly on schedule time, just as we have been informed time and again by God's prophetic spokesmen. My conviction now is, we have only two sure things: One is the uncertainty as to what men will attempt to do, and the sure certainty of what God's Holy Bible says. All else is truly "sinking sand." Would that our 200,000 preachers in America would occasionally give forth on these sublime themes.

"I owe to you much for my enrichment of knowledge concerning these things. And to you I am everlastingly indebted for my enlarging and clarifying of faith as to God's eternal plan and purpose. "My heart is fixed."

You, too, may favorably impress educated individuals in not only being conversant with the facts in the books but also through loaning them others. R. E. Crawford

Alberta Conference 9848 - 106 Street, Edmonton, Alberta A. E. Millner President L. H. Davies Secretary-Treasurer Make wills and legacies payable to the Alberta Conference Association of Seventh-day Adventists.

SPECIAL CONVOCATIONS

Campmeeting has long proved to be a source of help and blessing to our constituency in Alberta. With this fact in mind, the Conference Executive Committee is planning to conduct three such gatherings this summer, as in the past.

July 13 to 21, inclusive, is the date set for Lacombe. Again we look for a large attendance at this central place. Elders A. V. Olsen and B. E. Wagner from the General Conference are expected to be present, along with Union and local conference help.

Beauvallon is next on the list, July 24 to 29, inclusive, and our dear faithful Ukrainian believers from surrounding districts will assemble on the church grounds for this annual meeting.

The dates covering the Peoria campmeeting are August 1 to 5, inclusive. Our nothern membership will be looking forward to this happy get-together, the time when God's people may draw close to their Maker.

With regards to the Lacombe meeting, perhaps it should be

stated here that, in harmony with the suggestion of the General Conference President to conference in North every America, it has been decided not to serve meals on the Sabbath, but to have sack lunches made available to those desiring such on Friday afternoon. Without doubt, this will constitute a welcome gesture to kitchen and dining-room helpers, allowing them to enjoy the day of rest to the fullest extent.

May the Lord give guidance and blessing as plans are made to attend one or more of these meetings. He will meet with us. His presence will be felt in our very lives. Yes, God will greatly bless all who open their hearts to Him.

A. E. Millner

A GRAND WORK

How thankful to the Lord our members should be for the Ingathering work in our organization. Not only has the cause benefited to a large extent by the millions of dollars sent to the world field through the years, but our own hearts have been inspired and blessed in serving • humanity.

Truthfully speaking, Ingathering is a spiritual work. So many opportunities are present to witness for Christ and to speak words of courage and hope. It is a well known fact that not a few public-spirited business men believe in prevailing prayer, and are, to the best of their ability, serving the Lord.

Then there are those in both business and home life who know little, if anything, concerning spiritual values. In this respect much may be accomplished by consecrated solicitors.

Let us seek to make this year's Ingathering Campaign a blessing to God's work. With the end close at hand, we must work while we have the opportunity. On to victory, faithful followers of Christ!

A. E. Millner

RAIN VERSUS INGATHERING

Our May Ingathering offensive has bogged down a bit in the mud, but we may be encouraged by the fact that early spring moisture has always benefited our work. The Lord is giving us rain in due season, and the blessing will be felt with fine gains in our Ingathering income. Many churches have reported their eagerness to quickly reach their Ingathering goal and refuse to be discouraged by poor road conditions, realizing that the same mud is good for "forty bushels."

At the very moment roads are again passable, let each member seize the opportunity to quickly reach and surpass his goal. We still have plenty of time in the month of May for each church to complete its Ingathering. We must be vigilant until victory for all is won.

L. L. Bock

DORCAS FEDERATION MEETS

The bi-annual meeting of the Lacombe Dorcas Federation under the leadership of Mrs. T. Murdoch was held on Sunday, April 29, in the College Chapel. A record attendance gathered to hear interesting and helpful talks given by Elder Millner, Dr. McKibbin, and Elder L. Bock. A film "A Child Went Forth" was also shown.

Mrs. Verne Gimbel

NEWS NOTES

The heavy rains of recent date, though bogging side road traffic, will provide excellent moisture all over the province. We thank God for this blessing.

It is not planned to pitch any tents for the campmeeting at Lacombe. Those desiring rooms would do well to make reservations without delay. Correspondence regarding such reservations should be addressed to the business office of Canadian Union College.

In spite of heavy rains lately, our colporteurs continue to carry on in the work. John Wells, heading south toward Edmonton, had remarkable sales. Rain and mud may be inconvenient at times, but the Lord will bless the faithful colporteur-evangelist.

Man's Humanity to Man

Seventh-day Adventist young men may serve humanity in time of need if you will come to the Medical Cadet Camp to be held at Saskatoon, July 24 to August 7.

Two weeks of training can do the following for you:

- 1. Help you to clarify your spiritual vision.
- 2. Give you a basic course in Red Cross First Aid.
- 3. Train you in military courtesy.
- 4. Make you physically fit.

- 5. Give you a business-like bearing.
- 6. Show you how to solve problems that may arise.
- 7. Train you to be a better civilian.
- 8. Lead you to better understand your relation to God.

In order that as many as possible will be able to attend we have held fees to a minimum. There will be a registration fee of \$5 and a camp rental of \$3. You will be asked to buy an inexpensive shirt and beret as a part of the uniform. Food will be obtainable on the cafeteria plan. You pay only for what you eat. Transportation to and from Saskatoon will be at your expense.

All young men of sixteen or over who will adhere to S. D. A. standards are welcome to attend. Get your application in early. Accompany your application with one dollar, which will be applied on your registration fee.

You will count these two weeks among the happiest and most profitable of your entire career.

J. I. Crawford

CANADIAN UNION MESSENGER

Ingathering results are excellent, according to recent reports. What a blessing the cause of missions would receive if every member would be responsible for the Minute-Man Goal of \$20.40. Why not surprise ourselves sometime and try it out?

Elders Crawford and Millner attended the specially-called meeting in Saskatoon regarding the cadet camp to be held there this summer.

Elder Bucy, Union Conference Publishing Secretary, just came into the office. It is good to see his smiling face once again.

Brother Peavoy, elder of the Edmonton Church, is working hard with Elder Blair in visiting business men for Ingathering funds. Their sacrificial efforts are greatly appreciated.

Man.-Sask. Conference 1202 Third Ave. N., Saskatoon, Sask. H. D. Henriksen President B. H. Stickle Secretary-Treaswer Make wills and legacies payable to the Saskatchewan Conference Association of Seventh-day Adventists.

NOTICE TO MEN OF MILITARY AGE

Men of military age, your church is interested in you. We want to help you to prepare for the difficult days ahead. The experiences that have come to our young people and service men in past years make it urgent that we prepare to serve our country in a way pleasing to God should a national emergency arise.

On April 2nd. the Man.-Sask. Conference committee took an action to conduct a Medical Cadet Corps training camp this summer at our camp grounds in Saskatoon. It was decided to invite the Alberta Conference to join us in this important project. Recently Elder A. E. Millner and Brother J. I. Crawford, president and M. V. Secretary respectively of the Alberta Conference, met in Saskatoon with the officers of this conference and others to organize and plan for this proposed camp. We were fortunate to have with us Elder L. E. Smart, M. V. Secretary of the Canadian Union Conference.

The date of the camp will be July 24 to August 7. Colonel E. Dick, National Commander of the Medical Cadet Corps in the United States has most kindly consented to be commander of the camp. Brother Lloyd Ellison has been chosen camp director with Brother Crawford as associate. These men attended the M. C. C. officers' training camp held at Oshawa last February.

Young men, that there may be no regret later on, plan now to attend this Medical Cadet Corps camp. Fill in the coupon provided and return it to this office and full information in the form of a bulletin will be mailed to you at once.

H. D. Henriksen

IMPORTANCE OF LAYMEN'S CONGRESS

The servant of the Lord has made it very clear that the work on earth will not be finished until lay-members arise as a mighty army to complete the task.

"The work of God in this earth can never be finished until the men and women comprising our church-membership rally to the church officers." 9 T p. 117.

Without question lay members must realize they are being personally called of God to "actively" engage in spreading the gospel. It is not enough to sit back and support liberally the evanglists and world-wide mission program.

Many hesitate and are fearful because they feel unqualified to carry on such work, but all should realize that God will increase their abilities when they go forth in faith to do His bidding. Personal feelings and ideas of one's ability must be laid aside, then God can work wonders in the saving of souls through the efforts of trusting servants.

"He who begins with a little knowledge, in a humble way, and tells what he knows, while seeking diligently for further knowledge, will find the whole heavenly treasure awaiting his demand. The more he seeks to impart light, the more light he will receive." Christian Service, p. 100.

The Laymen's Congress, to be held in Grand Ledge, Michigan. August 29 to September 2, should prove to be a meeting of great in spiration to lay-members throughout North America. Representatives from every Conference will gather to plan complete mobilization of our forces for the last great conflict between right and wrong.

The exchange of soul-winning ideas, the instruction in lay evangelistic methods, the presentation and use of new equipment available for assistance in this work and the practical demonstrations of what may be accomplished, should set afire for God those who attend this important Congress. They will return to their churches as recruiting officers and leaders of the great army of lay members who will be ready to march forward and victoriously proclaim the soon-coming of Jesus to friends and neighbors everywhere.

W. C. Rick

MEDICAL CADET CORPS

Last December at the Union Conference session the question of giving pre-induction training to our young men of military age was discussed. It was agreed that we here in Canada ought to incept the Medical Cadet Corps training which in the United States has proved so beneficial to Adventists. Plans were laid then and there for an Officers' Training Camp to be held at Oshawa Missionary College on the dates February 1-21. This event is history, but from that camp came a group of men, Cadet officers-who will conduct camps in the conferences across Canada.

The Medical Cadet Corps training is intended to give our young men an orientation to army life. They will learn how to drill without weapons, how to salute, how to ask for Sabbath privileges, what to do to help the wounded and sick, and what the Biblical basis is for our non-combatant position. They will be instructed in First Aid by a qualified Red Cross instructor and graduate with the Red Cross Aid certificate. They will sleep, eat, play, work, and be disciplined like soldiers in an army barracks. If they are conscripted later on they will know how to make a good impression on the army officals and at the

same time live the principles of the church.

On April 26 at a special meeting in Saskatoon at which time the officers of the Alberta and Manitoba-Saskatchewan Conference were present, it was decided to conduct a joint training camp ---Camp Almansask---for these two conferences at the Saskatoon Seventh-day Adventist camp grounds July 24 to Aug. 7. To this camp every Seventh-day Adventist young man is urgently invited to come. Many young men from the Alberta Conference will attend along with the Alberta Cadet officers. This may be the only opportunity for our young men to obtain the "know how" to problems they will face.

If you are 16 years of age or over, or if you know some other young men of the same age, fill out and send in the application form below. We want to place you on our mailing list for the special M.C.C. bulletins where the costs and camp details will be published. Plan now to let nothing stop you from attending the M. C. C. camp, July 24 to August 7 in Saskatoon.

Send your application to: the M. V. Department, Manitoba-Saskatchewan Conference, Box 70, Saskatoon, Saskatchewan. L. Ellison

Ontario-Quebec Conference Box 337, Oshawa, Ontario G. Eric Jones President A. G. Rodgers Secretary-Treasurer Make wills and legacies payable to the Ontario Conference of Seventh-day Adventists.

QUEBEC M. V. RALLY

Yes folks! It's really true. There's NO mistake about it either! YOU won't want to miss it. So... here's calling ALL the Youth (ages 1-100) from Montreal English, Montreal French, Stukely, Abercorn, South Waterville, Riviere aux Pins and All isolated members in Quebec to the BIG YOUTH RALLY planned just for YOU. Here's your chance to enjoy some fine Christian fellowship with those of like faith as well as listening to some soulstirring sermons delivered by men who work for, and love the Youth!

Beginning at 8 p.m., May 25 in our own church at South Stukely, Elder G. Eric Jones will deliver the opening message of the rally. We hope that others (other than those who live in and around South Stukely) will plan to attend the opening service. Elder Jones will have a message that YOU will not want to miss. Then beginning at 10 a.m. sharp, Elder Kaytor will open the Sabbath school.

	M. C. C. CAMP		
	(application form)		
	Place a check mark in either (or both) brackets		
	() I am 16 years of age or over and want to take the M. C. C. training.		
	() Place my name on your mailing list for special f M. C. C. bulletins.		
	NAME AGE		
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	Names and addresses of other young men below.		
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I know that he has a good program planned, for we have just finished a rally at Toronto at which time he conducted a Sabbath School that people are still talking about! Don't miss the Sabbath School. Following that, Elder A. M. Ragsdale will be the guest speaker. Brother Kagsdale is the Ed.-M. V. Secretary for the Northern New England Conference and is a man of wide experience. Mrs. Ragsdale will also be present. Both of these good folk have seen many years of mission service in the Far East, the Philippines to be exact, and I am sure that he will have sermons that will be an inspiration to all present. We are indeed pleased that Elder and Mrs. Ragsdale can be with us.

Elder Ragsdale will again speak at the first afternoon meeting. The second afternoon service will be one that will long be remembered, for approximately 25 students from Oshawa Missionary College will give a special RALLY program. Here we will actually observe Youth IN ACTION! It is altogether possible that Elder W. A. Nelson, our Union Conference President will be present. If he is, then he will speak at the last afternoon meeting.

The night meeting will be one that I am sure no one will absent himself from for we shall rent the South Stukely Community Hall, and beginning at 8 p.m. there will be a good oldfashioned social! Yes, folks, there'll be sound motion pictures, games and marches. It will be a social evening long to be remembered. Now folks, if you have had the patience to read thus far, you have already concluded that this is to be a BIG Rally!...."but the end is not yet!" At 9:15 a.m. Sunday morning there will be an M. V. Officers Institute at which time we want all the officers to be present for we want to give you some things that will be of help when you go back to your respective societies. I am especially anxious that the M. V. Secretaries plan to be present, as well as all officers. This is not merely an M. V. leader's institute, but an "Offi-cers" institute Fider Baradala as well as others will lead out in the discussion. The institute will last only up until noon and there will also be time for any present to ask questions.

Those of you who will be driving in for the Sabbath day only, do not forget to bring your Junches along. There will be "NO" cafeteria. If it is a nice day, then there will be many places to eat the lunches. By all means, plan to come for the entire day, and social evening. I hope that some of you folk who live in and around Quebec City (Riviere aux Pins), yes, and even as far north as Arvida, will plan to be with us. May God grant that we shall have the pleasure of seeing each of you May 25, 26 and 27 at South Stukely, Quebec.

F. B. Wells

Maritime Conference

Box 125 — Sub. Blk., Moncton, N.B. J. W. Bothe _____ E. J. Heisler _____ President Secretary-Treasurer Make wills and legacies payable to the Eastern Canadian Union Conference Corporation of Seventh-day Adventists.

MARITIME CAMPMEETING

"God gave direction to the Israelites to assemble before Him at set periods, in the place which He should choose, and observe special days wherein no unnecessary work was to be done but the time was to be devoted to a consideration of the blessing which He bestowed upon them." 2 T p. 573.

This was the admonition given to ancient Israel. Surely, we who are living in the last period of this earth's history need the blessings of God more than ever. So why not start planning now to attend the annual camp meeting

The dates are as follows: Hali-

fax, June 21 to 24; Saint John, June 28 to July 1.

If you desire help in securing accommodations write to: Elder J. E. Whelpley, Box 178, Arm-dale, N. S.; or Elder Ira D. Fol-lett, 2½ Carleton Street, Saint John, N. B.

You will be happy to know that in addition to our local conference workers we hope to have several men from Union Conference Headquarters: and according to our present information the following General Conference ministers plan to be with us: Elder A. V. Olsen, Vice-President of the General Conference; Elder W. P. Bradley, Associate Secretary of the General Conference; and Elder B. E. Wagner, Associate Publishing Departmnt Secretary of the General Conference.

Pray and plan for the success of these meetings.

J. W. Bothe

RADIO NOTICE

CFBC, ST. JOHN, N. B. Believers in the Maritimes who are within the hearing range of radio CFBC will want to take notice of a broadcast to be given on June 3 in St. John. Elder Ira D. Follett informs us that during the regular St. John, N. B. Ministerial Association's church hour on Sunday, June 3, between eleven a.m. and 12 noon the St. John S. D. A. church will be on the air and will broadcast the church service at that time for a full hour.

NEWS NOTES

CORRECTION — In the April 11th issue of the Messenger on page 8 an announcement was made of Pastor Follett's appoint-



ment to speak over the radio. No date was given. Sorry! Elder Follett will speak on June 3 over CHSJ in Saint John, 1150 on the dial, from 11 to 12 a.m.

Every month, on the 28th of the month, Brother G. B. Smith conducts the morning devotional service over the air from Fredericton, station CFNB, 550 on the dial. at 8:30 a.m.

Congratulations to the New Glasgow church on being the first in the Conference over their Ingathering goal. They also rolled up a fine record for Minute-Men raised. The other districts are off to a good start as well and a fine list of Minute-Men appears on the Honor Roll for the Conference. Total Ingathering raised to April 21st was \$4,863.89.

On April 20 Brother E. J. Heisler visited the Carlingford Church school. During the week of April 15-21 Brother G. B. Smith conducted special services every night in Carlingford. The days were busy with Ingathering and visiting the members and interested folks in the community. On April 23 Brother Heisler visited the St. John school. We have a good school program going in our field. Let's give it our full support!

We are happy to have Elder C. C. Weis with us to assist in the Ingathering campaign. He visited Halifax, St. John, North Sydney, and Moncton.

Brother R. C. Spangler has returned to Moncton after visiting the Colporteur Institute at Oshawa, Ontario. He reports that six students have decided to enter the colporteur field this summer, in the Maritimes.

April 29 marked the close of the series of meetings which Elder J. W. Bothe conducted in the Moncton church. The film of the work of the Voice of Prophecy was shown. A good attendance continued through the series.



The subjects of the Voice of Prophecy for the next two weeks are as follows:

May 13 — "They Call Her Blessed." May 20 — "Free Grace."

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Canadian Union College College Heights, Alberta E. E. Bietz, President

C. U. C. NEWS NOTES

On Wednesday afternoon, April 18, while the hilltop was enveloped in a swirling, and unexpected, snowstorm, twentyeight of the more fortunate members of the flaculty and students of Canadian Union College left for British Columbia and, we hoped, finer weather.

The first weekend found us at the Youth Rally being held in Langley Prairie, B. C. Our C. U. C. group participated in the Sabbath afternoon program by the sacred music presented by the Vesper Choir. On Saturday night a concert was given by the college band and the choral group.

Fortunately, between a radio broadcast and a program in the evening, our schedule was not too crowded to prevent our spending an enjoyable Sunday of sight seeing in Vancouver.

Three o'clock Monday afternoon found the whole caravan on the docks in Victoria-minus our five cars and any other visible means of transportation. However, we did not have long wait until friends came πo. down from Rest Haven and we recived a royal welcome. We enjoyed every minute of our visit on Vancouver Island-from the enthusiastic audience that attended our program in Sidney to our tour of the beautiful Buchart Gardens and the delicious pancake breakfast given to us down on the seashore.

The return boat trip to Vancouver was highlighted by two events. Our musical groups presented an hour's concert for the passengers and the captain, having heard part of our performance, invited us all up to his pilot house where we were shown every thing from radar equipment to detailed maps of Vancouver harbour.

The next several days were spent in the Okanagan Valley. A program in the Empress theater and a radio broadcast in Kelowna on Wednesday, and another concert in Vernon the next night did not, however, keep us so busy that we did not have time to enjoy the fine strawberries and raspberries we had heard so much about!

Our last stop before we turned our caravan homeward was the "International" Youth Rally held in Tonasket, Washington, on April 28. Canada was not only represented by C. U. C. in a program of sacred music in the afternoon and a joint concert with Walla Walla in the evening, but there were many Canadian visitors in attendance.

Early Monday morning saw the homecoming of the wavfarers—looking, perhaps, a triffe worn because of the all-night drive. However, even though we have once again put away our "seven league boots" and are again hard at work, memories of our trip will long remain pleasantly with us. A large part of the enjoyment of the tour might be attributed not only to the fine weather we had, to the new places we visited, but also to the generous hospitality of all the friendly people we met who opened their homes to us when, at night, we would arrive after many weary hours of travel. It has truly been a privilege for us to have made this trip in behalf of the college, and, if it was as interesting to those we met as it was to us, then it has certainly been worth while.

The Colporteur Institute, conducted by Elder J. M. Bucy, was held from May 4 to 10. According to the interest, prospects are favorable for Canadian Union College being well representd in the field again this year.

Elder D. E. Rebok, who represents the Theological Seminary, visited the College in the interest of the theological students. The inspiring talks by Elder Rebok during chapel and union worship challenged the student body to devote their abilities to God's service.

Mr. R. E. Crawford of Oshawa was the speaker at the church service, May 5.

Obituaries

WALTON— Mrs. William J. Walton, nee Alice Elizabeth Hirons, was born near Hamilton. Ontario, in 1883, and died at Orlando, Florida, March 8, 1951.

She was united in marriage to W. J. Walton, November 27, 1907. To this union were born six children. Three are now living: Mrs. Lois Wennerberg and Norman Walton of Washington. D. C. and W. D. Walton of Orlando Florida.

Sister Walton. with her husband, accepted the message in 1911 under the labours of Elder Matt J. Allen, and united with the Hamilton, Ontario, church. During the last few vears she was in failing health, but her condition of late seemed to be about as usual. As she and her husband were visiting their son. William D. Dalton, Orlando, Florida, Sister Walton was stricken with an illness suddenly terminating in her death.

Our deep symathy goes out to the bereaved husband and children in the great loss that has so unexpectedly come to them. For forty years, Sister Walton's consecerated life was a living testimony of the saving grace of her Saviour and an expression of faith and hope in the soon return of her Lord. The faith and hope and love revealed in the life of this dear one, enable these sorrowing ones to turn with renewed confidence in God's promises and the second coming of Christ when the saints be reunited in the everlasting kingdom according to God's unfailing Word. Interment was in Orlanda. Florida.

H. B. Taylor

COCHRANE - Robert Kitchener, was born May 26, 1900 in Moncton, New Brunswick. He died on the morning of April 2, 1951 at Hope-well Cape. N. B. The first forty years of his life he lived in Moncton, N. B. On May 26, 1921, he married Irene Buck. Besides his loving wife, he leaves to mourn two sisters, Mrs. T. R. Newcombe living in Montreal and Mrs. E. F. Margeson living in Boston, Mass., three brothers; Earl, Malden Mass.; Ernie, Monc-

ton; and Kenneth. Napadogan, N. B. In the nearly 51 years of his life he had won the admiration of a host of friends. Many knew him only through the years of his illness for he was a sick man for close to twenty years. During the last ten years of his life he was bed-fast. And yet through this trying ordeal the was the essence of patience, showing remarkable cheerfulness and presence and clearness of mind until the moment of his death.

A funeral service was conducted in the Hopewell Cape Baptist church followed by another service in the Moncton S. D. A. church where the writer brought a message of hope and comfort. J. W. Bothe

SPRATT- Lillian R. Spratt was born in Windslow, New Jersey, in 1893 and passed away in Oshawa, February 20, 1951

She was married in 1922 and came to Canada in 1926. In the year of 1934 she accepted the Third Angel's Message and enjoyed a rich faith in God which did not falter in the last hours. She willingly accepted God's plan and had confidence that she would rise in the glorious resurrection morning.

She leaves to mourn her husband, her aged father, Howard Coleman of Rochester N. Y., three sons, two daughters, thirteen grandchildren and one sister.

L. W. Taylor

ROWLAND- Annie Jane Rowland was born in London, England, February 7, 1879 and passed away at Oshawa, January 21, 1951,

She came to Canada in 1888 and lived in or near Port Hope ever since. She accepted the message and was baptized in 1938. In spite of great hardship and handicap, she maintained a cheerful, trustful spirit. May she have a rich reward on the resurrection morning.

She leaves to mourn her father in England and a niece in California. L. W. Taylor

LEFTROOK- Mary Leftrook came to Canada and settled near Winnipeg, Manitoba, about 47 years ago. She and her husband accepted the third angel's message and were bap-tized by Elder G. Soloniuk in 1927.

She was 73 years of age when she died March 10, 1951, in Selkirk, Manitoba. The news of her death was a shock to her family and many friends, for she had been ill only a very brief period. She was a sincere Christian in spite of many trials, and loved her Lord and His work. Her greatest desire was to be in God's kingdom and have all

her children there with her. She is survived by her husband five sons, three daughters, and eleven grandchildren. Elder G. S. Remick assisted in the funeral service, which was conducted in both the Ukrainian and English languages. Interment took place at a Gonor cemetery where our sister awaits the resurrection call.

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