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## Medical Cadet Camp to Be Held in Iowa June 14 - July 5

We are happy to announce that definite plans have been made to offer a medical cadet corps camp to serve our young men and women of the Central, Northern, Lake, and Southwestern unions. This camp will be held at the Norman Wiles Junior academy, 8th and Washington Streets, Des Moines, Iowa, June 14 - July 5. The cost will be \$35.00 for the three weeks' training; this will include uniform, board, room, books, and tuition. Uniforms will be secured upon arrival at the camp. Those who wish to attend will of course take care of their own transportation to and from the camp.

On numerous occasions we have had requests for advanced training from those who have had the medical cadet corps course. In order to meet this need we are offering an officers' training course of one week, June 14-21, in connection with this camp. The cost for this will be \$15. Those who are interested in becoming officers should plan to attend at least this portion of the camp.

This is probably the last opportunity for some time to receive this training. All young men and women sixteen years of age and older should plan on attending, for it is entirely possible that many will not have opportunity to attend another camp before reaching the draft age. A good corps of well qualified instructors will take care of the needs of both men and women. Anyone who desires to attend this camp should write at once to G. R. Fattic, 4547 Calvert St., Lincoln 6, Nebr. All applications should be in no later than June 8 in order that we may make the necessary plans. G. R. FATTIC

## Sabbath Begins

	June 2	June 9
Colorado, Denver	8:23	8:27
Kansas, Topeka	8:43	8:47
Missouri, Kansas City	8:38	8:42
Nebraska, Lincoln	8:53	8:58
Wyoming, Casper	8:46	8:51

## KANSAS

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## Late Bulletin

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## Welcome to New Workers

At this time, we wish to introduce a number of new workers that have arrived in the field and are at their post of duty. Our brethren throughout the conference will wish to become acquainted with them as much as they can through the REAPER, and later on meet them in person. Three new individuals have taken up their duties. They are as follows:

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Gregg have come to us from the Southern California conference to take up the Book and Bible house work in Kansas. The responsibilities in the office due to larger demands and sales were such that it was felt that Mr. Ochs should not carry the two departments any longer. Therefore, Mr. Gregg was called to take charge of the Book and Bible house. All correspondence relative to Book and Bible house business should be addressed to him. They have found a nice house in Topeka and will soon be located.

Elder J. R. McWilliam comes to us from the Missouri conference. He is now located in Pittsburg, where he is leading out in a public effort, having as his associate Perry Green. Elder McWilliam has taken up his work with enthusiasm, and we are looking for great results.

Miss Georgia Wentworth from Wichita has joined the office staff. We shall look for greater efficiency from the office because the work was too heavy in the past.

We welcome all of these new workers to the Kansas conference.

J. H. ROTH

Boast not thyself of tomorrow; for thou knowest not what a day may bring forth.—Prov. 27:1

## Signs

We have often wondered in our travels why it is that we, as a people, believe in signs and yet many of our churches do not have a sign to tell what they are. Most of the signs you do see are very poorly constructed.

We were pleased when we went to Coffeyville the other day to see a beautiful sign in front of the Coffeyville I church. We thought so much of it that



Church Announcement Sign in Coffeyville we asked for a picture, and here it is. We would like to have our members notice this.

This is merely a suggestion to other churches, and we hope you will like it.  
B. A. SCHERR

## News Notes

We are thrilled this week in the Kansas conference to report that thirteen districts have gone over the top in their overflow goal in Ingathering, and the last two districts are within a few dollars from going over. No doubt, by the time you read these lines every district in the conference will be over the top.

We now have over \$19,000 and are anxious that we fall in line with the rest of the conferences in the United States and try to get an extra amount of money for missions. One conference after another is going away over the top of its



goal and still pressing on. The General conference home missionary department reports this morning that the total amount of money reached at the end of the first week in the United States for Ingathering was \$838,675.20.

In counselling at the office, we have decided to ask our people to set aside May 28-June 3 as Ingathering Victory week and try to have everyone gather a little extra and have a Jubilee Sabbath on June 3. This is home missionary day and it is the closing week of the six weeks' General conference Ingathering period. Why not bring in a Jubilee offering on this day with the money we gather during Victory Week?

P. W. Ochs audited the books of the Abilene church Friday, and he and Mrs. Ochs attended the commencement exercises at Enterprise academy Sabbath.

### Notice Dorcas Workers

I wish each Dorcas member could have had the thrill that I received when I heard Gertrude Seward's testimony at the consecration service at Enterprise academy Friday evening, May 19.

Miss Seward is very grateful to the State Dorcas Federation and has asked me to pass on her appreciation to those who have made it possible for her to attend Enterprise this past year. At the present time she is working on a colporteur scholarship and plans to attend Union college this fall.

I hope that each society will start now to raise funds for the Worthy Student Plan so that we will be able to do even more this coming school year. Please send all remittances to me at Box 267, Topeka, Kans.

MRS. P. W. OCHS, Sec., Treas.  
State Dorcas Federation

### Raising Offerings

It was my privilege to visit the Topeka Bethel church Sabbath, May 13, and I was very much impressed with the plan they have in their Sabbath school for reaching their 13th Sabbath offering goal. When the teachers collect their offering in the Sabbath school, they have an extra envelope for 13th Sabbath and as the teacher takes up the offering he asks each one what he has for the 13th Sabbath

and then they put this in the envelope, so that on the 13th Sabbath they have their goal. I thought this would be worth trying in our other Sabbath schools to help raise our 13th Sabbath goals.

I also visited a Sabbath school which has a unique way of raising its birthday offerings. Instead of asking the one who has a birthday for an offering, they ask the congregation how many would like to give a birthday present to missions for those who have birthdays and they pass the basket for a voluntary birthday offering and the money rolls in by the dollars. Try it in your Sabbath school.

B. A. SCHERR

## UNION COLLEGE

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### Second Term, Union College Summer School

Union college began its summer school May 28. The first term is for three weeks and includes some short courses. Registration for the regular term of nine weeks will be on June 15. The courses offered during the nine-week term are especially for our church school and academy teachers. Classes begin on Friday, June 16; this may seem unusual for the beginning of a term, but it is necessary to regulate it this way to get in a certain number of class recitations.

Any one interested in attending summer school may write to the director or the registrar at Union college.

I. F. BLUE

Summer School Director

### Forty-five Receive Diplomas

The 53rd annual commencement exercises of Union college were held in the College View church, May 19-21. The consecration service was held Friday evening, May 19, at which time Dr. J. M. Howell, former dean of Union college and now principal of Forest Lake academy in Florida, delivered the consecration address. The theme of Dr. Howell's address was, "God has had His chosen ones in all ages. Some have stood out

among men and some have occupied more humble positions, but have rendered a service to humanity. The lives of these God-chosen men and women have transformed the world and the course of history."

Elder J. N. Anderson, professor emeritus, department of religion, gave the consecration prayer. Harold Wernick, senior class president, responded on behalf of the class.

On Sabbath morning, May 20, Elder J. W. Turner, a Union college alumnus, now president of the Southwestern Union conference, gave the baccalaureate address. Elder Turner said, "As you turn away to take up the lives God has assigned you, have courage; seek not the flatteries nor seek only personal gain; do not ignore the glorious opportunity you will have to prove yourselves worthy of the faith that God has placed in you." The church was filled to capacity for the baccalaureate service.

On Sunday morning at 11:00 a. m., Dr. W. H. Teesdale, associate secretary of the educational department of the General conference, delivered the graduation address. Dr. Teesdale urged the seniors to strive on toward high goals and not to look for escape formulas, but to keep their hopes high and trust in the Lord.

Forty-five graduates had degrees conferred upon them by President E. E. Cossentine, forty-three receiving the Bachelor of Arts degree and two the Bachelor of Science degree. Gerald M. Lien graduated with high distinction.

The following received degrees:

#### BACHELOR OF ARTS

Dale C. Aalborg  
Mavis Irene Betts  
Gladys Marie Brown

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W. H. BEAVEN

### An Abstract from Dr. Teesdale's Commencement Address

"Many a youth today faces maturity with a fairy-tale attitude, hoping that the ugly duckling will really change into a beautiful swan, and that Cinderella, seated on the ashes of her hopes, will yet become the princess of the realm.

"They look for escape formulas that will take them directly to their high honors without the pain and labor so often encountered. Under the banner of laughter and faith the courageous youth plan for happiness and life in a sunlit but shady garden and have confidence that there is no real obstacle to success. Their eyes glisten with the prospect.

"Theirs is the same spirit with which the great west was conquered and settled. It spanned the bays with arches of steel, laced the continent with railroads, blocked the Colorado with a Boulder dam and produced a nation worthy to be the descendants of the hardy and courageous frontiersmen.

"In our own church the youth are of inestimable value. They are the church of tomorrow. In it they will supply the courage and the strength to complete the world task. But youth without discipline are like sweet peas growing without sticks. In order to learn rightly, to face intelligently the issues in their lives, and to serve victoriously, they need to direct their forces and to build on an enduring foundation. Religion must be more than an inheritance. It must be a personal possession. Then they can face their problems with intrepidity and confidence. They may come to the Christian college self-centered, but they must surely go out Christ-centered.

"In the Christian college the sincere youth have learned to live well, going about their duties determined to be actively, joyously, radiantly good. They keep their minds open, growing and sensitive, not to offenses, but to the ignorance and suffering of the needy. They hope to illumine their problems by the clear light of intelligence, to be motivated by good will and to be sustained by an active faith.

"The college itself in its effort to set the pattern of a desirable way of life will not abandon the search for true wisdom, for the pursuit of efficiency. It will provide bracing for shocks, develop strength for the strains and stress, and send men forth burning with a holy passion to reconquer spiritual deserts for

the church.

"Its students will have the knowledge that is power, skills that are useful, and character that can face danger and take punishment bravely.

"Its alumni will go forth to minister positively with an intelligent faith, be consistently obedient in all things of unchanging and permanent value, and perform deeds that flow naturally and unbrokenly from strong, untroubled convictions. They will possess the trail-blazing courage of the church pioneers who asked no one to build bridges across the Red Sea for them.

"May the class of 1944 keep their faith, the faith of Jesus, the kind that generates and supports action. May they ever stand with those, who, loyal to the principles that have made us a vigorous and growing church are bold to meet the hazards and ventures of such a time as this; patriots in loyalty and sacrifice; pioneers in strength, in foresight, in initiative; heroes in defense of our homes, our country and its institutions; genuine prophets discerning by accurate vision the essentials of their work and lives; and, finally, apostles of a faith that looks up and fights with fortitude the good fight."

W. H. BEAVEN

### Alumni Meeting

"Building" was the theme of the Union college alumni banquet held Sunday afternoon in South hall. Dr. Everett Dick, president of the alumni association, presided. About 150 alumni and faculty members gathered in the south hall parlor and then went down to the dining room for an alumni luncheon together. Following the meal, Dr. Dick welcomed the class of 1944 as well as all other alumni and Mr. Harold Wernick responded for the class of '44. Miss Estelle Kiehnoff of the music department rendered a vocal solo, accompanied by C. C. Engel on the violin, with Mrs. Widmer at the piano. Elder Gerald Minchem, '32, former president of the Seventh-day Adventist college at Singapore, and more recently vice-president of the Australian training school at Avondale, Australia, spoke briefly for the alumni, commenting especially on the virtues of the "Union College Alumnus."

The main theme of the program was presented in three speeches by Dr. Dick, President Cossentine and Dr. Teesdale. Dr. Dick spoke on building the college, or "Union Yesterday," and particularly emphasized the vision of the founders of Union college. President Cossentine



discussed "Building for Tomorrow." Said President Cossentine, "There is no value in living in the shadow of the founders' faith. We must dream and work for a larger Union college to meet the larger needs of today. We don't want Union college graduates to come back ten years from now and find that Union has not changed. We do not feel that because the Lord is coming soon we should stop work, but should work even harder that the work may be finished." In the rebuilding of Union college he suggested that we remember as a motto, "Union Forward," and keep it ever before us.

Dr. Teesdale discussed "Building for Eternity" and spoke particularly about character and character building. He commented that it is far more important that we be remembered for what we have done than for how long we have lived; that the only way to build for eternity is to build characters that will influence the world eternally.

Following the speeches Miss Genevieve McWilliams, '44, played a trumpet solo and the election results were announced. Dr. E. M. Hause of the history department, Union college, was elected president of the alumni association for the coming year. Mrs. E. L. Pingnot of Battle Creek, Mich., was elected first vice-president and Emil Bietz of College View, second vice-president. Clyde Bushnell was elected treasurer and Miss L. L. Culpepper was elected to the executive committee. W. W. Prescott, first president of Union and chairman of the board which located the college in Lincoln, and Enoch Jenkins, who drove the first nail in the construction of the college, both of whom died within the past year, were honored by an alumni resolution. The meeting was adjourned.

The alumni wish to extend a vote of thanks to the college administration for the fine luncheon which was given them through the kindness of the school.

W. H. BEAVEN

## Spirit of Prophecy

ASSIGNMENTS FOR TWENTY-THIRD

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When for the truth's sake the believer stands at the bar of earthly tribunals, Christ stands by his side. When he is confined within prison walls, Christ manifests Himself to him, and cheers his heart with His love. When he suffers death for Christ's sake, the Saviour says to him, They may kill the body, but they cannot hurt the soul.—A. A. 85-86.

## NEBRASKA

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## To the Seventh-day Adventists of Nebraska

Dear Fellow-workers:

In checking returns at the office of the Allied Dry Forces of Nebraska it is found that at present we are far behind in our support of the movement to submit the liquor problem to the voters of the state. The petitions sent out are not being filled and returned as we had hoped they would be and we are becoming alarmed. We certainly do not want to fail in our effort after all the time and money we are putting into it.

I assure you this is not written in a spirit of criticism nor to find fault, but rather to call attention to the importance of the task before us, and to remind you that time is fast passing and that we must have assistance from our faithful workers in the field. It is well known and acknowledged that Seventh-day Adventists are as serious minded and as busy a people as can be found in the land. They are also known for their multiplied worth-while activities, and also for the fact that every Seventh-day Adventist, because of religious convictions, is consistently opposed to the liquor traffic.

The Allied Dry Forces, after very careful study of conditions in Nebraska, decided that this year is a propitious time to submit the liquor question to the voters at the fall election. Petitions have been sent out and should be in circulation everywhere for the purpose of securing enough signers to have the question placed on the election ballot. The state law stipulates the number of names necessary and sets a time limit for securing the names.

Blank petitions have been sent to every Seventh-day Adventist church in the state and we are now urging you to make use of them at the earliest possible moment and get them in to the office. If you do not have petitions, or need more,

please write the office. Full instructions are found on the back of the petition sheets. Please read them carefully and circulate the petitions diligently. It is easy to secure signers and a sheet can be filled in a short time. We earnestly solicit your help in this vital and worth-while movement.

Let it never be said that Seventh-day Adventists came behind in such a good cause. And let it be remembered by us all that when this question is before us as an issue we are counseled to make our influence felt "by voice and pen and vote." My confidence is strong that we will not be found wanting.

GEO. A. WILLIAMS, *Vice President*  
*Allied Dry Forces of Nebraska*

## Ingathering in College View

The College View church rallied behind Elder Venden's leadership and on May 6 had more than \$1000 beyond its goal. Though the campaign has closed, money is still coming in. College View deserves our heartiest commendations.

E. E. HAGEN

## A District Gathering

Conditions that are beyond our control make it hard for many of our brethren to get very far away from home, yet, we feel that it is pleasing to God and that it is in the interest of our spiritual well-being that we gather at times for a spiritual feast in gatherings larger than our individual church membership.

With this in mind we have arranged for a gathering of the churches in the north and central section of this district, Friday evening and all day Sabbath, June 2 and 3, in our church in Chadron, Nebr. All who can arrange to be at this service are cordially invited to this spiritual gathering of God's people. Come on Friday afternoon and stay for all the meetings on the Sabbath. The Sabbath program will begin with the Sabbath school at 9:30 a. m.

We have the promise that Elder D. E. Venden, our new conference president, will be with us Sabbath for all the meetings. We feel confident that a real spiritual feast is in store for all who will be privileged to be present. Wayne Bay-singer will also be there and will be in charge of program arrangements. You may contact him at the church Friday, June 2, at 4:30 p. m. and later for information about rooms. It will be well to bring a lunch with you if you can, though Chadron has good restaurant and



hotel accommodations. The church is located at the corner of Bordeaux and 6th Streets, about one block east of the Main St., and about four blocks south of the highway.

We wish to extend a warm invitation to all isolated and church members within reasonable distance from Chadron to come and enjoy this spiritual gathering of God's people.

A. A. DIRKSEN

## Evangelism as Seen by a Ministerial Student

By attending the Venden-Turner meetings Union college ministerial students have been able to see a successful evangelistic effort in progress and thus gain a better idea of some of the problems confronting an evangelist and of how these problems should be met. One phase of this effort that has attracted special attention is the hand-bills which carried titles, such as, "Twenty-Five Reasons for Keeping Sunday," "Mr. X is Guilty," and "Kingdom of the Sun-Rising Troubling the World." The students listened to the sermons presented and found in them ideas to use in the meetings they will conduct in the little towns around Lincoln, or in the work they entered upon graduation. They also noted the way the musical program was carried out under the direction of Elder H. R. Turner, for music constitutes an important part of every evangelistic effort. The students have seen results from these meetings, for over thirty have already been baptized; this number includes children from the church school who were also under the instruction of Elder Rowland, and several persons who had become interested through the efforts of young men from the college.

That ministerial students would be better prepared to conduct evangelistic efforts of their own was one reason this series of meetings was held, and certainly it well fulfilled this aim.

ALDEN JENSEN

Ministerial Student, Union College

## Without Help

Many of our churches deserve special commendation for the very fine work done in Ingathering. I think particularly of those churches who reached their goal without help from the office or district leader.

The first church to go over the goal alone was as usual Wilsonville. Elm Creek followed with a large overflow. Hastings has an overflow goal approxi-

mately five hundred dollars. They have reached their goal in record time. We appreciate the accomplishments of these churches.

The Lord intends that the churches should be activity personified, for only in this way can the church keep alive and be void of dissension and troubles. If you are having troubles, be active for God and see how you and the church will prosper and grow spiritually. Read *Testimonies* VII, pp. 18-24.

E. E. HAGEN

## District Camp Meeting

The date for our district camp meeting this year is June 23, 24 and 25. The first meeting will convene Friday evening, June 23, at 7:45, with meetings during the day and evening both Sabbath and Sunday.

The place will be the high school auditorium, one block east of the courthouse, Gering, Nebr. This is a beautiful auditorium with a seating capacity of about 650, and a room in which the children and young people will be privileged to have their separate meetings. Enter the auditorium through the north-west door.

It has been in the mind of Seventh-day Adventists for many years that we should move our camp meetings from place to place so more people could have the privilege and blessings of the meetings. With this in view, and owing to the fact that we can secure the use of this wonderful auditorium at a reduced rate from what we have been paying in Scottsbluff, we have decided to have the camp meeting in Gering this year. Remember, Gering is just across the river from Scottsbluff, about two miles south. Restaurant and lodging accommodations may be had both in Gering and Scottsbluff. If you wish to do so, you may write to me, or to E. E. Ewing, Gering, Nebr., and an effort will be made to have a room reserved for your needs. Kindly state something about the nature of accommodations needed, and the amount you might be willing to pay.

Camp meetings have their place. "One of the great objects of holding camp meetings is that our brethren may feel their danger of being overcharged with the cares of this life. A great loss is sustained when these privileges are not improved." *Life Sketches*, p. 228. This suggests that it pays to attend these annual gatherings, even at a sacrifice of time and means.

The Place—Gering High School Auditorium, two miles south of Scottsbluff.

The Time—Friday evening, Sabbath and Sunday, June 23-25, 1944.

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## WYOMING

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## The Last Invitation

We now are able to inform you of the good help that has been provided for the regional meetings of the Wyoming mission. Elder N. F. Brewer, who has served for years in China, will attend the meetings at Powell, Rawlins, Cheyenne, and Casper; Elder R. L. Benton, who has done a marvelous work for our young men in the army camps, will attend the meetings at Cheyenne, Sheridan, and Powell; Elder D. A. McAdams, of Central America, will serve at the meetings at Rawlins, Casper and Powell; Elder G. R. Fattic has promised to be present for the meetings at Casper and Sheridan; Elder N. C. Wilson, president of the Central Union conference, plans definitely to attend part of the meetings at Casper; Elder D. E. Reiner, our home missionary secretary who has recently arrived in his new field, will be in attendance at the meetings at Sheridan, June 21-25.

We trust that our people throughout the state of Wyoming will give careful study to the meetings that have been arranged in the various districts for the spiritual up-lift of the believers in the third angel's message. These meetings are very important; the time is short; the Lord Jesus is soon coming to gather His faithful ones unto Himself; we have no time to lose in preparing for eternity; let us, therefore, avail ourselves of the opportunities and attend the meetings in the district where we are located or any others, should you choose to do so. "And the Spirit and the bride say, Come. And let him that heareth say, Come. And let him that is athirst come. And whosoever will, let him take the water of life freely." E. H. OSWALD



## News Notes

The Wyoming Book and Bible house takes pleasure in announcing that in spite of paper shortage there will be special prices on the following periodicals during the month of June, which is our camp meeting month.

	From	To
Review and Herald.....	3.00	2.75
Big Four .....	4.20	3.90
Family Group .....	7.30	6.70
Youth's Instructor .....	2.35	2.15

On May 15, Mr. Johnson took a carload of "Ingatherers" to Douglas. They found the people very responsive and were happy to bring back over \$100.

Mrs. E. H. Oswald, who has been absent from Wyoming for a short time, is back with us again. We extend to her a hearty welcome.

Elder C. G. Cross, publishing secretary of the Central union conference, spoke at the church service in Casper on Sabbath.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Ludwig and David, have now moved to Rock Springs. We wish them continued success as they labor in this new part of the field.

## The Effort at Newcastle

The series of evangelistic meetings conducted at Newcastle has been closed. Messrs. Baughman and Haas rendered excellent service in carrying on the meetings for a period of eight weeks. The Lord abundantly blessed the efforts in behalf of those interested in the message for their generation. The attendance was not very large, but it was quite regular and the people became more interested as the weeks went by.

The meetings were held in the new church building which is practically completed. There was very little expense connected with the effort; in fact, when it was closed and a careful survey was made, the brethren found that they had \$60 left from the offerings they had received.

Sabbath, May 6, was a high day for the believers at Newcastle, as five individuals were baptized and two were accepted on profession of faith. The spirit of God prevailed throughout the meetings that were held both in the morning and afternoon. Some who were baptized had forsaken relatives, friends, and neighbors for the name of Jesus.

We solicit the prayers of God's people in Wyoming in behalf of the work that is being carried on in evangelistic efforts.

E. H. OSWALD

## Attention Sabbath School Officers

Plans are under way to have some Sabbath school officers' council meetings at each district camp meeting. These meetings will be announced each day. Please come and bring your problems as well as your good ideas. Superintendents of all divisions, please bring some of your Sabbath school devices for display, as many write in for ideas, and your device may be the very one that contains the ideas wanted. I hope that it will be possible for many of your officers to attend.

Your Sabbath school secretary,

MRS. E. H. OSWALD

## Baptisms at Newcastle

The newly erected church building at Newcastle has been a real source of encouragement to our brethren and sisters there; but the thing that has brought the most joy to our hearts is the fact that there have been several who have taken their stand for the truth to keep the commandments of God and prepare to meet the Lord.

On March 12 meetings were begun in the church under what would seem to be discouraging circumstances, as it began to storm the first night and continued for more than a week, snowing almost daily; however, with the faithful support of the brethren and sisters of the church, the attendance grew until we often had a capacity crowd. At the end of six weeks' meetings, we were made glad as we witnessed seven new believers take their stand. Five were buried with their Lord in baptism and two came into the church on profession of faith. Three more no doubt will have been baptized by the time this article is read. I feel that the thing that has contributed the most to the winning of individuals in this little city and the community to the extent of seventeen persons in the last year, is the consistent Christian lives of our faithful brethren and sisters of the church. Dear believers, let us not fail to continue to lift up Jesus in our lives that we may draw others to Him.

L. A. BAUGHMAN

## Good News

The young people and children of Wyoming will be happy to know that we will have special help for you at the various camp meetings this year. Mr. and Mrs. Haas are all aglow with good ideas for young people and children. Mrs. Haas will head up the children's

meetings and Mr. Haas will be in charge of the junior meetings. They plan camp fires and hikes for the juniors whenever possible.

Mr. Haas will be in charge of the M. V. meetings with Mrs. Haas assisting. I am sure that these young workers will prove a great blessing and inspiration to our youth and children. Come, young people and children; we welcome every one of you.

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G. R. FATTIC

## Telegram from the Bereans

A telegram from the Berean church in St. Louis, Mo., dated May 21, reads as follows:

"GOAL REACHED AFTER CAMPAIGNING TWO WEEKS."

(Signed) E. S. DILLETT

The Ingathering goal of the Berean church was \$1,000. It is a remarkable Ingathering achievement for a congregation of that size to raise \$1,000 in the short period of two weeks. The Bereans of St. Louis, like the noble Bereans of Paul's day, deserve commendation and are to be emulated.

J. H. McEACHERN

## WEDDINGS

### Alexander-Aalborg Nuptials

Surrounded by banks of ferns, white lilies, and pink snapdragons, Edythe Mae Alexander and Dale Aalborg spoke their marriage vows in the College View church as Elder R. R. Bietz, president of the Texico conference, read the lines. Mrs. Aalborg is the foster daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Groom of Oklahoma, and Mr. Aalborg is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Aalborg of Palisade, Colo.

A reception followed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Stout. Mr. and Mrs. Aalborg, both members of the 1944 graduating class at Union college, will engage in ministerial work in the Texico conference.

HILDA B. HAGSTOTZ



## Double Wedding at Shaffer Obituary

Miss Ruby Rodie from Timken, Kans., was married to Pfc. Francis F. Lowinsky from Wisconsin and Miss Mildred Lorenze from Bison, Kans., was married to Pvt. Lloyd Rodie of Timken, Kans., on Thursday evening, May 4, at the Shaffer S. D. A. church. Elder S. A. Reile officiated. After the ceremony relatives and friends met at the John Rodie home, where they congratulated the couples and spent the evening in eating sandwiches, ice-cream and cake after which they opened the many presents.

H. C. SCHMIDT

## BUSINESS NOTICES

NEED THREE CONSECRATED GRADUATE NURSES for hospital or office work; near good shopping center; church privileges; splendid opportunity for missionary work. Ernest Pohle, M.D., 25 W. Eighth St., Tempe, Ariz.

WRITE FOR FREE SAMPLES of our new and delicious products, VITA-SPRED and SMOKY-YEAST. Tasty, appetizing, healthful; rich in natural vitamins; bacon-like flavor. Representatives wanted everywhere to sell these products. If interested write for our liberal proposition. Send orders at following prices—VITA-SPRED 8 oz. Jar 60c; 1½ pounds \$1.50—2½ pounds \$2.30. SMOKY-YEAST ½ pound 70c; 1 pound \$1.30. Sent Postpaid. Address GRANEX SALES COMPANY, MURFREESBORO, TENN.

HELP IS NEEDED in denominationally owned institution. Has been declared essential. Graduate and practical nurses, a lady hydrotherapist, a male hydrotherapist who is also willing to do other work are needed at once. Write or wire today if interested. Boulder-Colorado Sanitarium, Boulder, Colo.

WANTED—Ten or fifteen men to operate a small sawmill doing local work, all kinds of finished repair work. Small farm in connection. One hundred dollars a month, living quarters and fuel free. Church and church school. If free to come at once, phone 76F31. Use night rates, reverse charges. A. Summerton, Sheridan, Ill.

WANTED: At once a good middle-aged S.D.A. lady as housekeeper for S.D.A. widower and 11-year-old son. Permanent home if satisfactory. Good modern home. W. S. Bryant, 4527 Adams, Kansas City 3, Kans.

HANSON.—A. P. Hanson was born on April 7, 1869, at Fyn, Denmark, and died May 16, 1944, in Exira, Iowa. At the age of five, he moved to America with his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Jens Hanson. The family located in Audubon County, Iowa, in which county the deceased resided the remainder of his life.

On December 27, 1893, A. P. Hanson was married to Elsie Kathrine Christensen. Twelve children were born to this union.

As a young man Mr. Hanson was not religiously inclined and took no interest in the affairs of the church. However, his wife was a devout christian, having united with the Methodist church in Denmark, as a girl before coming to America. In the year 1899, Mrs. Hanson united with the Seventh-day Adventist church west of Exira. It was not until 1902 that Mr. Hanson was converted and joined the Seventh-day Adventist church, uniting the family in Christian faith. Since that time he had remained a consistent christian.

During his affiliation with the church, Mr. Hanson has held many responsible positions, among which were membership on the Iowa conference committee; Hutchinson Theological seminary board at Hutchinson, Minn.; Oak Park Academy board at Nevada, Iowa; and the board of the Iowa sanitarium, also at Nevada, Iowa. He also served as elder of his local church for thirty-two years. He was deeply interested in the work of the church, not only in his own neighborhood, but he had a great desire to see the message, which he held dear, carried to every part of the world, and did what he could to contribute to this end.

On April 28, he was stricken with a severe heart attack and following that, was confined to his bed until the time of his death May 16, 1944, his age being 74 years, one month and nine days.

He leaves to mourn their loss, his beloved wife, Mrs. A. P. Hanson of Exira, ten children—Mrs. Andrew V. Christensen of Clifton, Colo.; James Oliver of Phoenix, Ariz.; Mrs. M. J. Sorenson of Mandeville, Jamaica, British West Indies; Alfred Peter of Glendale, Calif.; Lt. Russell Howard of Carlisle Barracks, Penn.; Mrs. G. R. Fattie, Jr. of Lincoln, Nebr.; Mrs. Gilbert Roberts of Hood River, Oregon; Dollie Bernadette; William Leonard; and Harrison Franklin, of Exira, Iowa; all of whom were present at the funeral except Mrs. M. J. Sorenson of Jamaica.

Besides these, a host of relatives and friends in the church and community mourn the loss of a devoted counselor, spiritual advisor, and a respected citizen.

Interment was made at the Seventh-day Adventist cemetery not far from the Exira, Iowa, church. The writer was assisted in the funeral service by Elders L. H. Christian and Arthur Axelson.

C. LESTER BOND

## COLORADO JUNIOR CAMP ENROLLMENT APPLICATION

Detach and return to the Missionary Volunteer Department, 1081 Marion St., Denver 3, Colo. Inclose \$1.00 application fee. The remaining \$9.00 is to be paid upon arrival at the camp.

I agree to abide by the camp regulations as interpreted by the camp management.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_

We are in favor of the above named junior attending the junior camp, July 11-18 at Palmer Lake, and we accept all conditions named, including the release of the conference and the camp management from all liability in case of accident or illness.

Signature of parent or guardian \_\_\_\_\_

## Central Union Literature Ministry

Secretary C. G. Cross  
A YEAR FROM NOW—WHAT WILL YOU WISH YOU HAD DONE TODAY?

WEEK ENDING MAY 20, 1944

### COLORADO CONFERENCE

ERIC RISTAU, Secretary		Book	Hours	Orders	Deliv.
Bartling, H.	MC-BR	44	184.83	83.84	
Beierle, A.	MC-BR	8	30.60	10.20	
Beierle, Ben	MC-BR	28	100.06	65.78	
Butler, Mrs.	MC-BR	30	80.45	38.25	
Freitag, C.	MC-BR	25	85.05	66.05	
Greenley, Matt.	MC-BR	34	87.20	65.40	
Miller, R.	MC-BR	32	10.20	43.50	
Nero, Freda	MC-BR	29	90.10	61.20	
Reeder, M.	MC-BR			102.00	
Yarnell, C.	MC-BR	40	66.90	126.90	
Sherbondy, G.	MC-BR		78.70	78.70	
Gordon, Mrs.	MC	28	125.80	100.20	
Leatherman, K.	BTS	10	35.00	19.60	
Austin, Mrs.	H	24	45.00	45.50	
Hayer, Mrs.	MC-BR	30	135.70	73.70	
Totals			362	1155.59	980.82

### KANSAS CONFERENCE

C. B. WATTS, Secretary		Book	Hours	Orders	Deliv.
Bogle, Jack	HS	36	118.80	118.80	
Dowdall, Harold	HS	45	91.80	91.80	
Imler, Irvin	HB	42	86.40	86.40	
Jones, L. G.	BR	11	40.80	40.80	
Lindsay, Frank	BR	41	108.87	108.87	
Maxfield, Bennie	BR	21	47.70	47.70	
Morris, W. J.	HS	33	114.90	75.25	
Northern, G.	MMC	3	30.60	30.60	
Totals			232	639.87	600.22

### MISSOURI CONFERENCE

P. M. LEWIS, Secretary		Book	Hours	Orders	Deliv.
Boborosky, John	BR	46	7.10	47.30	
Cates, Marjorie	MMC	39	244.35	90.55	
Clegg, F. E.	BR	40	240.05	70.85	
Dennis, A. A.	BR	37	50.00	76.20	
England, G.	MMC	37	129.60	55.80	
Hinton, F. M.	BR	32	98.00	109.70	
Kieser, W. D.	BR	42	83.00	105.50	
Krause, Raymond	BR	33	65.53	92.28	
Porter, S. W.	BR	36	72.30	45.70	
Powell, W. H.	BR	32	34.50	66.90	
Riedel, Wm.	BR	34	34.50	16.20	
Saxon, Delmar	BR	46	117.00	90.30	
Tewksbury, Geo.	BR	30	170.80	170.30	
Thompson, Lonnie	BR	44	90.80	99.40	
White, Mr. Robert	BR	45	132.00	97.00	
Beasley, Hazel		17	27.14	27.14	
Boborosky, Mrs. J.		8	7.10	7.10	
Bray, Lottie		19	13.90	13.90	
Hildebrand, Mrs. C.		3	6.60	6.60	
Nation, Gladys		9	14.25	14.25	
Totals			629	1638.52	1302.97

### NEBRASKA CONFERENCE

L. E. LOOMER, Secretary		Book	Hours	Orders	Deliv.
Aitken, J. B.	MC	23	12.10	12.10	
Burley, Eugene	MC	13	51.00	58.56	
Mead, Miss C.	MC	28	76.80	90.20	
Plumb, M. D.	MC	35	68.70	74.10	
Reeder, C. W.	MC	41	128.10	63.60	
Mosley, C.	MC	7	14.50	27.00	
Nelson, Rose	BR	36	103.85	74.25	
Pitchford, M.	MC	22	82.00	28.50	
Warner, Ruth	Mag.	4	3.45	3.45	
Crabtree, Floyd	NG	12	18.00	4.50	
Miller, Shirley	NG	26	53.50	16.00	
Totals			247	612.00	452.26

### WYOMING MISSION

KENNETH WENBERG, Secretary		Book	Hours	Orders	Deliv.
WYOMING					
Burris, Albert	MC&H	34	107.50	43.80	
*Nosteller, Mary	MC&H	59	71.70	61.50	
Totals			93	179.20	105.30
Union Totals			1563	4225.18	3441.57

\*Two Weeks



Conference	1944 INGATHERING PROGRESS										Goals
	10	20	30	40	50	60	70	80	90	100	
Colorado											\$21,000.00 \$30,000
Kansas											20,000
Missouri											20,000
Nebraska											18,000
Wyoming											5,000
Union											93,000

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### Colorado Comments

Three members of Union college graduating class for 1944 are Colorado young people. They are Dale C. Aalborg, Gladys Marie Brown, and Melvin Leroy Rich.

Colorado people seen on Union college campus at commencement time were Elder G. F. Eichman, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Aalborg and son Donald, Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Schlotthauer, Anne Draper, Drs. G. D. and Hilda B. Hagstotz, Dr. R. F. Waddell, L. F. Bohner, and J. C. Shull.

Elder S. H. McLennan delivered the baccalaureate address for the Denver Junior academy May 20. Elder Raymond Cales gave the commencement speech. At Pueblo Elder Jerry L. Pettis gave the baccalaureate and Elder L. G. Jorgensen the commencement.

The bulletins for the junior camp, July 11-18, are off the press. Have you received yours?

Orders are coming in every day for the pamphlet, "Bonds or Bondage." Inform your neighbors concerning the liquor evil by ordering a supply.

The Signs campaign is finished. More Signs were ordered during this campaign than in any preceding one in the history of the conference.

### Will You be There?

As the time for camp meeting draws near, we are much concerned that our people attend this annual gathering from June 15-25.

The Advent people have been on the way a long time. Each year, yes, each day, brings us additional evidence of the nearness of the end. The times are speedily growing more serious and grim. Should we not come together this year with the old and the young of each family and make this 1944 camp meeting the most spiritual and therefore the most profitable of our lives.

I state again that we are greatly concerned for our people. We fear that the rush to make money and the pressure due to shortage of help will cause some to stay at home. And there will be other reasons for staying away from camp meeting. The shortage of tires and gasoline will be a real hindrance. But in spite of these difficulties, we plead with you to plan to come so that you may receive an unusual blessing this year.

Will you plan now and pray God to help clear the way so you may attend this annual gathering of God's people? We are looking forward to seeing you. Remember the date and begin now to make arrangements to be there.

R. H. WENTLAND

### Another Fine Meeting

Those Federation meetings are always good, but the one held at the Denver Social Center May 11 was, we believe, the best ever. Elder D. E. Reiner, Central union home missionary secretary, gave a timely and encouraging talk.

Sack lunches were pooled while Mrs. W. S. Jesske entertained the crowd with marimba music. Both Elders Reiner and Wentland took leading parts in the discussion that followed and gave practical

answers to many questions asked.

A number of people from Boulder attended the meeting.

MRS. B. L. SCHLOTTHAUER  
*President*

MRS. RUTH THOMAS  
*Secretary*

### Dorcas Tent at Camp Meeting

We are all happy to have a good old camp meeting again this summer. It will start Thursday evening, June 15, and close Saturday night, June 24.

The Dorcas tent will be located at the usual place and the writer will have charge. If you have any questions, please write early. We hope all of you will bring your nice displays and your ideas. Also bring anything you wish to sell, but some one from your society must be there to arrange for the prices.

The Dorcas tent will be the popular place for rendezvous, rest, and visiting. We plan to have plenty of easy chairs for your enjoyment. On Sabbaths it will be a place for relaxation, reading, and eating lunches. We will furnish the reading material; you furnish your own lunch.

Again the Dorcas tent will give the camp meeting the finished touch. Better make definite plans early for your display of salable articles. We'll meet you at the Dorcas tent, June 15, Boulder, Colo.

MRS. WILLIAM BOYER  
*State Dorcas President*

### Camp Meeting Dates

The opening date of the Colorado camp meeting is Thursday evening, June 15, and the closing date is Saturday night, June 24.