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CENTRAL UNION CAMPOREE



August 1 - 4,



Glacier View Ranch, Colorado









SMILE-You're A Pathbinder

Central Union Silver Anniversary Pathfinder Camporee

August 1-4 at Glacier View Ranch, high in the Rocky Mountains of Colorado, Pathfinders from all across the Central Union will gather for a camporee. There will be lots of celebration since this marks 25 years of Pathfindering. What a wonderful way to celebrate the Silver Anniversary with the activity that they love the most—camping.

This camporee is a part of a nationwide celebration of the Silver Anniversary. Many special activities are planned. Each union will have a camporee. Many conference activities and local church activities are planned to mark the growing up of Pathfindering. One of the finest examples within our union was the spectacular Colorado Pathfinder

Nationwide also is the slogan you've seen, "Smile, You're a Pathfinder." Why not plan to join the happy occasion by planning something special for your Pathfinders this summer. Expose them and their soul-saving activities to the church and the community. Better yet, expose your Pathfinders to soul-saving activities. Invite a friend, a neighbor to







These are activities in which you will participate at the Central Union Camporee at Glacier View Ranch in Colorado, August 1 - 4.

be a Pathfinder, and remember to smile! Because you're a Pathfinder, and Jesus loves you!

Every Pathfinder Club in the Central Union should be looking toward Glacier View in August. Details of the camporee are available from your conference youth director. We'll see you there if every church will get behind its own Pathfinder Club and send them to PATHFINDER CAMPOREE. Remember to:

Smile! You're a Pathfinder.

G. Ray James, Director Central Union Youth Activities

To Respond Effectively

American Catholics last supported their church's Welfare Emergency relief program with an offering of \$6.400,000.

With this money the Catholic Church cares for disaster relief, refugee aid, and other needs, just as Seventh-day Adventist World Services (SAWS) does. With these funds instant aid is possible to those stricken by disaster—man-made or natural.

The Seventh-day Adventist emergencyaid program is considered a lively one. But far too often SAWS must shorten its helping out-



reach because funds are lacking. When massive human tragedies call for hundreds of thousands of dollars to save lives and heal wounds, a diminutive fund permits the expenditure of less than a tithe of the amount the church should supply. Last year Adventists gave \$473,600 to Disaster and Famine Relief.

The Catholic overseas aid program is active in more than 60 countries. Seventh-day Adventist World Services annually sends relief to around 50 countries. Seldom is the number reduced, for as the earth waxes old and moves closer to its Lord's return, disasters multiply.

Seventh-day Adventists know the meaning of sharing, of budgeting for tithes and offerings. They practice such giving to a far greater degree than any other group of church-goers.

This July 13, when the Disaster and Famine Relief Offering is taken up in your church, think in terms of the world's multiplying disasters and make your contribution such that SAWS will be able to respond effectively to cries for help from the victims of violence and famine.

M. Carol Hetzell, Communications Department General Conference

Crises in Trans-Africa

Our medical work in the great Trans-African field is very dependent on North America for its supply of missionary physicians. Our Songa, Kenya and Yuka Hospitals are located in primitive areas and are real sanctuaries of light and healing to the native people of these areas.

Our fellow physicians in Africa are calling upon us for help. The work is hard, the environment difficult, and the challenge is great. Five physicians are needed right NOW for this important work. If you are interested in filling one of

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these urgent calls will you please contact the Secretary of the General Conference, 6840 Eastern Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20012. Phone (202) 723-800. Or William Wagner, M.D., Loma Linda University, (714) 796-7311, Ext. 2360.

Cooking Class at Union-Wide School of Nutrition

Mrs. Dorothea Van Gundy Jones of Loma Linda Foods nightly captured the full interest of her audience by her smile and convincing presentation showing the multiplied ways of good food preparation.

The cooking school, at which approximately 100 were in nightly attendance, was conducted under the direction of Loma Linda Foods of Riverside, California. Mrs. Jones has been with them as a cooking school demonstrator and instructor for many years. She plans soon to retire from this active service.

All the Loma Linda foods used in the cooking school and the prizes given away were furnished by the Loma



Mrs. Jones

Linda Food Company.

Mrs. Dorothea Jones provided a sheaf of recipes that were eagerly taken by those in attendance.

Right health and eating habits are of vital concern to the good of our nation and of the church.

Central Union Conference Communications Department

Promises To Keep

A group of young Christians, Americans, were touring a country of the Caribbean. Like others before them, they were overwhelmed by evidences of extreme poverty of the people.

One of them, Arlene, wrote to "The Christian Herald" about one moment of the visit which made a lasting impact on her life. She was walking with a friend on a path by the seashore. Two small boys followed at a discreet distance, but close enough for their soft voices to be heard: "Missy, give me ten cents?" said one. "Missy, give me food?" said the other.

Failing to pick up any sign of response, one of the boys suddenly shouted: "Jesus lies!" The girls stopped, startled. "What do you mean, Jesus lies?" Arlene demanded.

"God said He would take care of us, but He hasn't done anything," said the one wearing a ragged shirt and nothing else.





Top, left to right: A partial view of the general public in attendance at the cooking school held in conjunction with the Home Nutrition Instructor's Course on the Union College Campus. Approximately 100 were in nightly attendance at the cooking school. Mrs. Dorothea Van Gundy Jones made the people happy as she in her winsome way demonstrated how to prepare colorful, appetizing, and nutritious food for the families well being. Mrs. Jones is from the Loma Linda Foods of Riverside, California. Mrs. Maria Wehtje of the Nebraska Conference recorded the instruction given by Mrs. Jones at the cooking school. Her's was one of many cassette tape recorders in use each night of the school. Second row, left to right: Some mothers had to assist in baby sitting care at the cooking school. Doctor Darlene Hemmerlin (right) of Lincoln, holds one of her two sons, Bryan, on her lap while Mrs. Sharron Waggner of St. Joseph, Missouri, holds Jeffery, Dr. Hemmerlin's other son. There were prizes given out each night to lucky ticket holders. Donita Leavitt was the lucky winner of a delightfully prepared salad. Donita lives in Lincoln, Nebraska. Mrs. Edith Meikles of Las Gratos, California, assisted in delivering the prize dishes to be given out. This dish was given to Mrs. A. K. Phillips of Wellington, Kansas, who was in attendance at the cooking school. Last row: Mrs. Jones experienced a little problem in getting the juicer going. Several attempts were made in finding the right wall outlet. The problem was in the switch that needed to be flipped on the juicer. It was part of the fun of an enjoyable evening.



YOU CAN HELP PEOPLE THROUGH SAWS-Disaster Victims, Famine Sufferers, War Refugees.

As Christians, they were expected to respond, and they did. They went home with fewer garments and with empty

God has promised, and as Christians we have promises to keep. He has committed to our care, "the least of these, my children." They include the hungry, the disaster victims, the poor, the refugees, the deprived of many nations.

Today there are more hungry in the world than ever. Famine is rampant in Ethiopia, Chad, Mali, Mauritania, Niger, Senegal, Upper Volta, and in areas of Tanzania and Kenya. Near famines plague four more nations, and one poor harvest could bring massive hunger to others. In one nation, 600 million people live at or below subsistence level, eating no more than one meager meal daily. In Ethiopia alone deaths from famine are estimated at 100,000.

To help us keep promises and credibility as Christians, is what SAWS-Seventh-day Adventist World Service-is about. Sabbath, July 13, is Disaster and Famine Relief day.

LAST WEEK'S CHAMPIONS

Ray Lewis Team			Mr. & Mrs.		
(Small lit.)	MO	\$1,500.35	William Wendt	CO	593.70
Carrie J. Marshall	CS	1,157.40	Owen Malcom	NE	563.00
Stephan Ruff Tear	n		Hiroyo Kiyabu	CO	557.80
(Small lit.)	CS	1,049.00	Robin Tennison		
Gene Richardson	MO	1,011.30	Team (Small lit.)	KS	551.00
Frankie Lane	CS	953.55	Robert E. Lee	CO	541.70
Charles Cox	KS	695.50	John Guymon	MO	539.50
Ruth Pattillo	MO	638.50	A. R. Wagner	KS	537.85

This week's champions includes three small literature teams-Ray Lewis's team of Kansas City, Missouri, Robin Tennison's team of Kansas City, Kansas, and Stephan Ruff's team of Denver, Colorado. Both Tennison and Ruff are student group leaders and are really making a contribution this summer. Our students consist this summer of the following: 4 — university; 40 — college; 50 — academy; and - elementary. A total of 144 students sharing their faith.

"Workers Called to Highways and Byways. - Consecrated men and women must go forth to sound the warning in the highways and the byways. I urge my brethren and sisters not to engage in work that will hinder them from proclaiming the gospel of Christ. You are God's spokesmen. You are to speak the truth in love to perishing souls. 'Go out into the highways and hedges, and compel them to come in, that My house may be filled,' Christ says. Do not these words plainly outline the work of the canvasser? With Christ in his heart he is to go forth into the highways and byways of life, giving the invitation to the marriage supper. Men of wealth and influence will come, if they are invited. Some will refuse, but thank God, not all." Colporteur Ministry, p. 24.

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In every Seventh-day Adventist church there will be on that day one great hour of sharing. It is a date with destiny-for thousands in hunger and in other needs-and for you. For you have promises to keep.

> C. E. Guenther, Lay Activities Secretary, General Conference

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AFRO-MIDEAST DIVISION NEEDS AVSC WORKERS

Current needs in the Afro-Mideast Division for Adventist Volunteer Service Corps workers are:

Bugema Adventist College, Uganda

- Maintenance Man Ethiopian Adventist College, Ethiopia - Auto Mechanics Instructor

- Builder - English Teacher

Heri Hospital, Tanzania - Physical Therapist Iran Field (Middle East Union) - Physical Therapist

Ishaka Hospital, Uganda - Nurse - VOP Press Manager Tanzania Union

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If interested, please write to:

AVSC Secretary General Conference of SDA 6840 Eastern Avenue, N.W. Washington, DC 20012

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PORTER MEMORIAL

Hospital Is Accredited By Joint Commission

Porter Memorial Hospital has been accredited by the Joint Commission on Accreditation of Hospitals (JCAH) according to Olof T. Moline, administrator.

This accreditation, which covers from June 1974 to June 1976, is the result of an on-site survey made by field representatives of the Joint Commission's Hospital Accreditation Program (HAP). Accreditation indicates that this facility has chosen to operate according to standards set by JCAH and that the facility has, in the main, met these standards.

The standards, published as the Accreditation Manual for Hospitals, set forth optimal achievable goals of excellence against which a facility can measure itself and be measured by the Joint Commission's survey.

Porter Memorial Hospital is one of approximately 4,900 general hospitals throughout the U.S. that have earned this recognition. There are approximately 6,600 general hospitals in the U.S.

The Joint Commission's accreditation surveys are voluntary. It is not legally necessary for a hospital to be accredited, but health care facilities have sought accreditation because it represents a benchmark of quality that is higher than governmental licensure alone. The chief aim of the Hospital Accreditation Program, one of four such programs under the JCAH umbrella, is to help hospitals in their pursuit of excellence and thereby provide a higher quality of care to patients. The program also seeks to recognize, and to identify for the public, those facilities which meet its standards.

The Joint Commission began in 1918 under the auspices of the American College of Surgeons. It was incorporated in 1951 with the support of its present member organizations: the American College of Surgeons, the American College of Physicians, the American Hospital Association, and the American Medical Association. JCAH is a Chicago-based, non-governmental, not-for-profit organization. In addition to hospitals, it has programs for the accreditation of long-term care facilities, psychiatric facilities, and facilities for the mentally retarded.

Mike Foxworth, Public Information Officer



97 CANDYSTRIPERS HELP HOSPITAL DURING SUMMER

Sorting papers for the nursing staff in the pediatrics department at Porter Memorial Hospital, candystripers Sharon Rolen, 15, (left) and Joy Jordan, 14, are among 97 teen-agers who are giving some of their free time this summer to help patients and employees at Porter Memorial Hospital. Sharon attends Lincoln High School and lives with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall W. Rolen, at 2800 W. Irvington Place, Denver. Joy is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chester L. Jordan of Morrison, Colorado, and she attends Mile High Academy.

Mike Foxworth, Public Information Officer

UNION COLLEGE

Creative Teaching Awards

Union College has awarded the following teachers with the Creative Teaching Award for the 1973-74 school year:

Miss Opal Miller, Professor of Music, received the first place award as Outstanding Teacher of the Year, Senior Division.

Mrs. Dorothy Giacomozzi, Assistant Professor of Nursing, to receive a duplicate first place award as Outstanding Teacher of the Year, Senior Division.

Mrs. Madeleine Coy, Assistant Professor of Secretarial Science, to receive second place award as Outstanding Teacher of the Year, Senior Division.

Dr. Virginia Simmons, Professor of Education, to receive the first place award as Outstanding Teacher of the Year, Junior Division.

Dr. William Hemmerlin, Assistant Professor of

Chemistry, to receive the second place award as Outstanding Teacher of the Year, Junior Division.

It is a difficult task to single out five teachers for this award as there are many outstanding teachers at Union College. The teachers nominated represent a much larger group of dedicated Christian teachers.

The awards are presented for their dedication to the cause of Christian Education; for their clear, well organized, and scholarly presentations; for their creative structuring of course content calculated to encourage thinking and positive attitudes; for their impartiality and sense of fairness in assignments, testing, and grading; for their personal concern for their students to whom they have given unstintingly of their time and effort; and finally for their Christian influence and ability to inspire their students to greater achievement, loyalty and Christian living.

Stone Family Provided Award to Two Students

In honor of Dr. George P. Stone, chairman of the Union College Department of Education, 1965-1973, his family has provided an award for the outstanding elementary and secondary student teacher of the year. In harmony with Dr. Stone's objectives for himself and his student teachers, selection is made on the basis of professional excellence.

These candidates are nominated by their peers and final selection is made by a committee of professional educators.

We are pleased to announce that the recipients of the award for this year, 1973-74 are:

ELEMENTARY - Sally Carriger SECONDARY - Mrs. Shirley Eivins

Music Major of the Year Award

In recognition of comprehensive musicianship, scholarly achievement, and personal growth, the title "Music Major of the Year, 1973-74" has been awarded to three students:

Joann Herrington Jeffrey Lauritzen Ryan Wells

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Summer Program for the Publishing Work

Under the leadership of Elder James Marshall, publishing secretary of the Central States Conference, literature evangelist rallies were held in Kansas City, Kansas, and Omaha, Nebraska. For the rally held in St. Louis, Missouri, Elder Paul Jensen, associate director of the Central Union Conference, attended and was the speaker for the worship service.

As a result of these three rallies three full-time and four part-time literature evangelists were added to the conference team. Work was started with some participating in the small

literature program.



Elder James Marshall

Added to the list of workers with the literature evangelists in the Central States Conference are several students in the Summer's Student Program. Some from Union College and one from Walla Walla College. A larger group came from Oakwood College in Alabama. Some from this group were assigned to Denver, Des Moines and Kansas City. The prayers of the church members are invited for the successful literature program in this conference.

KANSAS



FORD TRACTOR POWER TRAIN GIVEN ACADEMY

A 4000 Ford tractor power train—worth more than \$5,000—was donated to Enterprise Academy on June 2, 1974, by Ford Motor Company's Tractor and Implement Operations—North America. The donation, arranged by Wilkerson Equipment Co., Inc., Salina, Kansas, is part of a continuing Ford program to support the agricultural community. Donated under the company's cooperate contributions program, the power train consists of a three-cylinder, 201-CID (gasoline or diesel) engine, an eight-speed manual transmission, and rear axle.

Power trains are given to qualifying high schools, colleges, universities and technical schools. L. William Templeton, district marketing manager and a member of the New Haven SDA Church, presented the unit to Dallas Carr.

Looking on were S. S. Will, president, Kansas Conference; J. J. Aitken, associate secretary of the General Conference; Phillip Miller, industrial arts teacher, and N. K. Harvey, conference treasurer.

In 1972, Ford T & I Operations donated 229 power trains valued at more than \$1,580,500 to educational institutions. Last year's total increased donations of Ford Tractor power components since 1961 to worth more than \$8,744,000.

Charles C. Case, Communications Secretary

Youth Sing at Kansas Camp Meeting

The Kansas Conference Camp Meeting was blessed by the youth in song and testimony. Elder Lamont Francisco and his three daughters—Diana, Carla, and Sharon—presented a special musical program on Friday evening to begin the youth meetings at camp meeting. The Union College witnessing group, under the leadership of Elder John Baldwin, sang for the adults, opening the adult meetings. Sabbath morning and evening, the Union College Witnessing group presented the Three Angels' Messages in song and reading.

A special musical program Saturday night included the Reflectors of God's Love from Enterprise Academy. As the academy and college youth presented the programs, all attending the camp meeting felt a real blessing. Elder Dallas Carr, principal of Enterprise Academy, and Dr. Mryl Manley, president of Union College, presented the importance of Christian education. Pray for our youth at Enterprise Academy and Union College. They need our prayers and support. We appreciated our youth at camp meeting.

Charles C. Case, Communications Secretary











Top: Diana and Sharon sing, accompanied by their father, Elder Lamont Francisco on the marimba. Second row: The Francisco daughters, Carla, Sharon, and Diana sing. Third row: Union College Witnessing Troupe sing the Three Angels' Messages. Fourth row: Enterprise Reflectors of God's Love sing sold favorites of youth. Last row: Left, Dr. Myrl Manley presents the importance of Christian education to the Kansas Youth. Right, Elder Dallas Carr talks to Kansas Youth and encourages them to attend Enterprise Academy.

Come Join the Fun at BROKEN ARROW RANCH



Picnics on the Beach

CAMP DATES

Blind Camp Water Ski Camp July 7-12 Aug. 11-18

New for '74—Extended Camps—spend 1-4 weeks at the Ranch. Write for information. See your pastor or elder for application blanks or write:

> Youth Director Box 4526 Topeka, KS 66604

Hutchinson Evangelism

Elder Lawrence Nelson, associate secretary of the General Conference Youth Department, held a three-week series of meetings at the Hutchinson church.

Night after night he preached from Revelation. The church members testified that these messages had done so much for them.

On the final Sabbath, Elder Teddric Mohr, pastor, baptized five. Four were junior youth and the fifth was Mike Stephenson, vice-president of a local seed company. Two of the youth baptized were daughters of Mike. Mike was first introduced to Adventism by Joanna Atkins, a church member who accepted the job to be the housekeeper and take



Elder Lawrence Nelson presents the message of Revelation. Elder Teddric Mohr, left, stands with Elder Nelson and those baptized in Hutchinson.



care of his three daughters. What a joy it was for Joanna as Mike was baptized.

All felt the meetings were a real success as God blessed. Charles C. Case, Communications Secretary

Wyoming

Children Dedicated at Cheyenne

We know the angels sing with joy and all the universe is enraptured at every soul that takes the path to our Lord, no matter at what age—from the baptism of those at the beginning of the true knowledge of God, through those whose years advance to the very aged. Steps are taken with the full knowledge of the seriousness of life as it must be lived, "NOT" with evil as it abounds in the world, "BUT" hand in hand with Christ our Saviour.

So it is with happiness and spiritual sublimity that we observed the dedication of the babies by their parents, whose vows to raise them in the true remnant church will create an almost certainty of more souls saved for our Lord. Pictured are the happy parents and their children who took this step over the past few weeks.

May all these children have the blessings of the Lord and the guidance of the Holy Spirit as they advance through life. Bob Douglas, Church Communications



Left to right: Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Carper with sons, Curt and Reid; Mrs. Pat Gallegos holding her son, Jason; Mrs. James Delinger with her son, Gary L.; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Kapusta and son, Michael Thomas.

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Sunnydale Academy News Notes

Senior Graduation

Twenty-nine seniors graduated from Sunnydale Academy on Sunday, May 26. Mr. Thomas Baker of Union College addressed the class admonishing them to follow their class aim "To Strive Onward and Upward" but make sure that they kept the proper goals in focus.

Mrs. Joyce Baker was the organist for the weekend and other speakers included Elder Marvin Ponder of Union College, baccalaureate, and Elder John Fisk of the Rolla district delivered the consecration sermon.

Parting time was difficult for the whole school family, but we wish the seniors well as they go on their way "onward and upward." After the graduation exercise, the seniors, at their request, marched to the back of the gym where they had their special prayer together for the last time. With diplomas in hand, they knelt together and prayed for one another. Class members were: Gary Guyman, president; Margo Zacharias, vice-president; Jolene Criswell, secretary;

Debbie Riffel, treasurer and valedictorian; Delbert Bolejack, pastor; Gary Paterson, sgt.-at-arms; Vicki Valentine and Aaron Jonan were co-salutatorians; and the others were: Brian Blackwell, Jeneane Bolin, Darrell Boudreaux, Sonja Cansler, Sharon Chapman, Mike Darling, Patti Farmer, Linda Fountain, Melody Giese, Debbie Haas, Berle Haugsted, Debby Johansson, Alisa McDonald, Majiel Pearson, Cathy Pierson, Kathy Reed, Paul Satterlee, Cindi Salvens, Anwar Soehendro, Bette Troyer, and Beth Ann Waltz.

Hills Arrive on Campus

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hill, Cindi, 5, and Debbi, 2, have arrived on campus. Mr. Hill will teach auto mechanics and help in the maintenance department for the next school year. In the meantime he is finding plenty to do around the campus. There is almost more repair work to get done before the next school year arrives than Mr. Otto, Mr. Schnell, and Mr. Hill combined can accomplish. However, with the addition of Mr. Hill to the faculty force, things should be in good condition for next school year.

Mr. Hill has his degree in Industrial Arts from Walla Walla College. He has previously taught in Idaho and in Amsterdam, Missouri. The Hills are getting comfortably situated at Sunnydale, and we are glad to have them here.

Summer Workers

Currently there are approximately 40 student workers on the campus this summer. Dakota Bak-N-Serv employs Lynette Schrenk, Berl Haugsted, Brian Blackwell, Paul Troyer, John Abe, Chester Eastland, Peggy Lefort, Len Otto, Dennis Reed, David Walden, Merry Lou Freeman, Jeff Kelly, Linett Thall, and Brad Foster. S. & S. Plastics employs Rodney Merideth, Nina Colvin, Cheryl Culton, Margie Fountain, Linda Fountain, Shelton Greer, Everard Roofe, Chuck Short, Lilies Soehendro, Agus Widjaja, Anawake Clinch, Khin Ling, Margo Zacharias, Donna Bland, Sue Bland, Cheryl Croxton, and Cindi Slavens. Robbie Burkett and Ron Jahn work in the men's dormitory while Tina Clinch and Debbie March work in the girls' dormitory. Teresa Eastland and Laura Jean Fisk help out in the kitchen. Kathy Yurth and Iris McKenny work in the business office and administration building, while Eddie McMillen, David Schnell, Billy Rogers and John Wake work on the grounds and in maintenance. Mrs. Mildred Olson

THREE BAPTIZED AT ST. LOUIS SOUTHSIDE

Tammy Czapla (left), Tommy Czapla (middle) and Cheryl Bryan (right) are standing with Pastor Rittenhouse after their baptism at the Southside church on May 25. The Czapla children are twins. Their mother is Sabbath school superintendent. Cheryl's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Les Bryan. Mr. Bryan is a literature evangelist in the area.



Items of Interest from the Conference

For the week ending June 6, top honors among Missouri colporteurs go to:

Ray Lewis Team—for 757 Bible School enrollments, Gene Richardson—for \$1,227.70 in sales, Ruth Pattillo—for 54 hours, Gene Richardson—for 33 exhibitions.

For the week ending June 13: Paul Kincaid—for 60 Bible School enrollments, Gene Richardson—for \$1,011.30 in sales, Tom Phillips—for 45 hours, Paul Kincaid—for 36 exhibitions.





NUTRITION SCHOOL AT ROLLA

Pastor J. W. Fisk, Mrs. Bonnie Guill, and Mrs. Esther Hoots all shared in the leadership of the nutrition classes in the Rolla church. Pastor Fisk of the Rolla district was named "Cook of the Week" by the local newspaper. He and Rolla members had conducted a nutrition school in conjunction with an evangelistic meeting.

MISSOURI SUMMER CAMP PROGRAM CAMP HERITAGE

Junior Camp — July 14-21 (Ages 8-12)
Friendship Camp — July 21-26 (Ages 10-12)
Family Camp — August 30-September 2
Put Summer Camp in Your Schedule

NEBRASKA

Piedmont's Glorious Weekend

We are told that all Heaven rejoices when one soul comes to repentance. Faithfully each week for over one year, Charles and Naomi Henkelmann studied the Bible with the Jim Hornung family. Two baptisms followed the Piedmont evangelistic series conducted by Elder Ray James, Central



Seated, left to right: Naomi Henkelmann, Donna Hornung, Mrs. Joan Hornung, and Diana Hornung. Standing, left to right: Charles Henkelmann, Jim Hornung, Jimmy Hornung, and Elder Ray James.

Union youth director. At the last baptism, Elder James made a call for baptism and the Jim Hornung family responded. Sabbath, June 22, the angels rejoiced with the Piedmont members as they watched Jim, Joan, Jimmy, Donna, and Diana Hornung unite with the church through baptism.

After the baptism and a brief message by Elder James, Elder Tom Brash, retired minister from Australia, gave the worship hour sermon. In the afternoon, Elder Brash showed two moving pictures about Adventist work in New Guinea. He also showed two unusual films direct from Australia on kangaroos and koala bears.

In the evening, the pastor gave Elder Brash a sample of American life by taking him visiting in the homes of a few of the Piedmont members.

Sunday, many enjoyed a church social at the lake. The day began with pancakes and scrambled eggs prepared by Melvin Dickerson. The rest of the day was spent boating and water skiing with Owen Berthelsen and Dave and Sylvia Penix. Everyone had a wonderful time. The Lord blessed the weekend with good weather and divine protection.

It was also noted that the Lord has blessed in the commitments to the Adventure in Faith. Piedmont Park members have pledged approximately \$4,000 up to the present time.

V. L. Heglund, Pastor

Gymnasium-Auditorium Becoming a Reality

On Sunday, June 9, a giant step forward was taken in Nebraska with the groundbreaking ceremony for the new gymnasium-auditorium at Platte Valley Academy. As you know, this building will serve a dual purpose; an auditorium for our camp meeting, as well as a gymnasium for the students at Platte Valley Academy during the school year. This building, of course, will be the largest part of PROJECT '75.

To date, the teacher housing at Platte Valley Academy has been completed as well as the boys' bath house at Camp Arrowhead. All of these are part of PROJECT '75. You will also be happy to know that on Wednesday, June 19, construction began on the new building. The projected plan is to have it enclosed by September, and then finished during the winter months ready for use in the early spring and most assuredly by next camp meeting season. To have a place for camp meeting where the elements will not be a major problem will certainly be another giant step forward.

We wish to express our thanks to the good people of Nebraska for the way they have supported the project. To date, some \$90,000 has come in from the churches and this has been a big factor in the conference launching out a year before PROJECT '75 has been completed. It shows their faith in the people of Nebraska in supporting the program. With the money that will be coming from the Nebraska Conference

and the Central Union, we will be able to complete the program without going into debt. The Lord has truly been blessing in each step of the program and this is just further evidence that when we do things according to His plan success is assured.

Walter R. Howard,

Stewardship and Development Secretary



An aerial view of the large tent which has been used for a number of years at the Nebraska Camp Meeting, and will be replaced by the new gymnasium-auditorium.

CAMP MEETING SINCE 1901

Mrs. H. H. Yost of the Gordon church remembers Sister White in attendance at the 1901 Omaha Camp Meeting. She was thirteen years old at the time.

Pictured here with her pastor, Elder Al Stern, are four generations of Adventists. Seated on her right is her daughter, Mrs. Bernard Owen, also from the Gordon church. Standing, is her granddaughter, Mrs. Lowell Gaswick with her great-grandson, Brent, and greatgranddaughter, Candace, all from the Hemingford church.



Mrs. Yost has been a faithful attendant at camp meetings in Nebraska as often as it has been possible for her to attend. The 1974 meeting was another highlight in her 87 years!

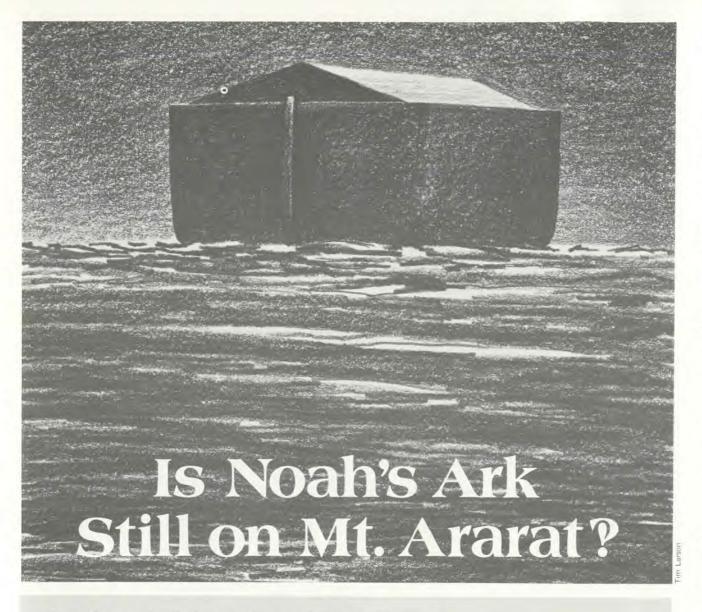
Minister of the Year

Each year the Nebraska Conference selects a "Minister of the Year." He is assisted financially in making a trip to some mission field to help broaden and enrich his experience and deepen his concepts of the work in other parts of the world.

Elder A. C. Becker, pastor of the Omaha Memorial Church, was selected to be the 1974 Minister of the Year, and he responded to an invitation of his brother-in-law, Dr. Eldon E. Carman, dental secretary of the General Conference, to accompany him on a trip to the dental clinics in three countries in the Caribbean area.

Their first visit was to a very modern 70-bed hospital in Port-of-Spain, Trinidad. Here Drs. Robinson and Wade conduct a dental clinic in the hospital.

In Georgetown, Guiana, we have a 40-bed hospital known as the Davis Memorial Hospital, where Dr. Tim Wall conducts a clinic. Once a month he travels into the interior and



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provides dental service in these primitive areas. Pastor Becker accompanied Dr. Wall on one of his trips where many teeth were extracted for needy people.

In Caracas, Venezuela, we have a large dental clinic, and in this clinic we have some non-Adventist dentists working. Some of these dentists are studying with our missionaries and they are very interested in our message.

One of the common problems in the Caribbean area is to find professional men from the United States who are willing to give up the comforts and conveniences of the homeland to go out into these hot humid areas and labor for the Master.

Pastor Becker expresses deep appreciation to the Nebraska Conference and the Central Union for the privilege he had of seeing our missionary doctors in action, helping the needy people of these lands and spreading God's message of a soon-coming Saviour.

Carole Sue Slattery, Church Communications

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themes for several weeks, with enough variation week-byweek to keep fresh interest.

The highly attractive background decorations are not designs merely to entertain, but to make the truths of the Bible more meaningful to the children during these highly formative years. The leaders have found that by co-operation with decorations and advance planning, they are able to reduce the cost for any one department. The kindergarten and primary divisions are currently studying a theme that week-by-week unfolds the beautiful Plan of Salvation.

The Littleton Sabbath School, under the general leadership of Dr. Norman Ensminger, solicits your prayers as we combine our efforts to prepare daily for the Sabbath school of the hereafter, as well as to share this "Blessed Hope" with others.

Mrs. Lucille Claridge, Church Communications



Mrs. James Chaddic teaches important truths of the Plan of Salvation to the kindergarten children, and invites participation, against a versatile sky background that is prepared to be black light when desired

OBITUARIES

LEE, Rosa Bell, was born Oct. 24, 1890, in Tazewell, TN. She passed away March 30, 1974, in the Southeast Colorado Hospital in Springfield, CO. Rosa was the first child of John and Elizabeth Sandefur. She met and married John N. Halbert, Dec. A, 1910, in Richland, OK. To this union 2 children were born who died in infancy. John preceded Rosa in death Aug. 16, 1957. On June 9, 1966, she was united in marriage to Archie Lee. Archie preceded her in death Dec. 19, 1972. Pastor Jerry Oster

STAFFORD, Linzie Freeman, was born in Artesion, SD, Dec. 11, 1901, and passed to his rest, April 20, 1974, in the Boulder Memorial Hospital. On May 7, 1925, he married Hazel M. Ambrose. Two sons were born to this union. He is

survived by his wife—Hazel, 2 sons—Dr. Gene of Longmont, CO, Richard of Hanford, CA: 1 sister—Mrs. Ivalee Faw of Evansville, IN, and 3 grandchildren. He was laid to rest in the Mountain View Memorial Park in Boulder, CO. Services were conducted by Pastor Lloyd Austin and the writer. R.L. Warner

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Denver, CO	8:31	8:29	8:25	8:19
Grand Junction, CO	8:43	8:41	8:37	8:32
Topeka, KS	8:52	8:49	8:45	8:40
Kansas City, MO	8:48	8:45	8:41	8:36
St. Louis, MO	8:29	8:26	8:22	8:17
Lincoln, NE	9:01	8:59	8:55	8:49
Casper, WY	8:48	8:45	8:40	8:34

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Montrose Church Dedicated

June 7 and 8 were days of rejoicing and praise for members of the Montrose church as they dedicated themselves and their sanctuary to the Lord.

Elder N. C. Wilson, vice-president of the General Conference, North American Division, was the featured speaker for both Sabbath services. God's guidance was truly evident as Elder Wilson stressed in his sermons the strength and the power of a church exceeded the grandeur of its buildings, and was vested in the spiritual power of its individual members.

Friday evening the congregation celebrated the Lord's Supper preparatory to the dedication. Elder Wm. C. Hatch, Colorado Conference president, set the tone for the communion service with his sermon, "Who is Greatest?" His sermon was based on St. John, the thirteenth chapter. He illustrated graphically that humility and self-surrender raises one to greatness in God's kingdom.

Elder H. L. Haas, secretary-treasurer of the Colorado Conference, taught the Sabbath school lesson and brought to all the urgency of being personally ready for the coming of the Lord.







Top: Elder N. C. Wilson, vicepresident of the General Conference for North American Division, speaking. Elder H. L. Haas is at the far right. Cen-ter: Front row, Elder Wilson, Elder A. H. Liebelt, former pastor, and Elder Wm. C. Hatch. Lower: Elder Kenneth Schelske baptizing the daughter of Paul Downey, contractor who built the church.

One former pastor was able to attend. Elder A. H. Liebelt, who was pastor in 1968 through 1970, was able to be with the congregation for this weekend of fellowship. Also representing the Colorado Conference were: H. Preston Hoskin, stewardship and trust secretary, and C. Gerry Fisher, communication director.

The present church building was begun under the leadership of Elder A. H. Liebelt in October, 1968. Those who served on the building committee were: Dr. Norman Brethouwer, chairman; Dr. Marlyn F. Cline, Mrs. Floyd Duckett, Mr. Bob Kissinger, Pastor A. H. Liebelt, Dr. C. Lester Owens, Dr. Bill Spaulding, Dr. F. Verne Stong, and Dr. Lloyd Wenzel. The building contractor was Paul Downey. Much donated labor markedly reduced the cost.

Seating capacity in the auditorium is 250. There are 8,328 square feet of space in the building, including the educational

wing. Present membership is 202.

Words of appreciation and greeting were brought to the congregation at the 3 p.m. Sabbath service by Mr. Del Kinkel, mayor pro tem of the City of Montrose, and by Pastor Jim Patton, of the Montrose Ministerial Association.

May God continue to bless and prosper the growing work

in the City of Montrose and surrounding areas.

C. Gerry Fisher, Director Department of Communication



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P. W. Schmidt Youth Director

Littleton Sabbath School Emphasizes Child Evangelism

The Littleton Sabbath School is bending every effort to obey the command of the Master Teacher, "Feed My Lambs." The various children's division leaders are spending countless hours in preparation-both of background scenes as well as materials for their programs. By cooperative planning, they are making the truths of God's Word live in the minds of the children.

Recent public education trends have reminded us that repetition is a highly effective method of training children, particularly in the pre-school years. The division leaders are utilizing this method by maintaining the same program

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