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Clothing for Post-War Relief

WE are receiving a few letters from countries that have recently been liberated by the armies of the Allies, and each one of these letters brings a picture of real need as pertaining both to food and clothing. Undoubtedly we shall find as the war progresses that these needs will continue to increase. There are millions of people who, during the past few years, have lived under conditions where it has been impossible to secure clothing of any kind because the manufacture of such articles had ceased, the entire economy of the country having been devoted to the production of war materials.

It will be impossible for our denomination to send any large quantities of foodstuffs to these people, but we can render a real service to thousands in distress by providing clothing for the post-war relief of these people.

At a recent meeting of the General Conference Committee it was voted that we encourage our churches through their Dorcas societies and other organizations to gather in a large quantity of new and clean used clothing of good materials to be ready for shipment overseas as soon as transportation becomes available.

The Home Missionary Department of the General Conference has been asked to foster the enterprise of "Clothing for Post-War Relief," and will get in touch with the Home Missionary Secretaries of the union and local conferences, who will work through the Dorcas societies and other organizations for the accomplishment of this important work. It will be necessary that all who participate in this work follow carefully the instruction

By W. E. NELSON
Treasurer, General Conference

given by the Home Missionary Department. Only clothing of real value should be contributed. We believe this is an opportunity for us to fulfill the injunction of the Scriptures: "... when thou seest the naked, that thou cover him; ..." Isaiah 58:7.

A Glimpse of Our Missionary Work in Morocco

[Morocco is one of the mission fields to which the overflow of the Thirteenth Sabbath Offering is devoted on September 30.]

TAKING a train leaving Casablanca at 8 o'clock in the morning, and going south, we arrived at Berrichid at 10 o'clock in the evening. Here a sister received us with all possible cordiality, and placed her home at our disposal

during our stay in this region, from which we might carry on our medical missionary work.

Beginning with the afternoon, our colporteur, Brother L., starts his work and delivers the heavenly message of the printed page. Whenever a person shows interest, he is invited to the meetings, which the writer holds every evening in the home of our sister.

During this time our nurse comes in to treat the sick Arabs who have gathered in the vestibule of the house. These Arabs have eye diseases largely, but also leg and arm infections with large festering sores. Thinking to prevent festering, these unfortunate people often cover the sores with dirt, and before we can proceed in our work it is necessary that we remove all foreign matter which has been applied. When they return home after treatment, they are happy to have been the objects of care and sympathy, and they are proud of the clean dressings which have been applied.

The news of these treatments spreads rapidly among the Moslems, and soon the house is crowded with those who are sick. Often we work until midnight. The writer is engaged in the afternoon in bringing the bread of life from the Bible to friends in the village desiring to acquaint themselves with the heavenly message. In the evening a number of friends and neighbors meet in the square, open court of the home of our sister under the starry dome, singing hymns and kneeling for prayer. Then we study together the main points of the third angel's message until after midnight.

The next day and during the four remaining days of our stay at Berrichid, we courageously continued our

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MEDICAL CADET TRAINING CAMP

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Ohio Conference Association of the Seventh-day
Adventist Church.

Cleveland Church Dedication

OUR Seventh-day Adventist believers in Cleveland looked forward for many months to the dedication of their church, which took place on Sabbath, June 10.

The service opened with a well filled auditorium and many guests present. The morning prayer was offered by Elder W. M. Robbins, President of the Ohio Conference.

We felt highly honored in having Elder J. L. McElhany present to deliver the dedicatory address. He was introduced by Elder F. H. Robbins, President of the Columbia Union Conference. Elder McElhany stated in his sermon that throughout the history of God's true church the congregation and not the building truly represents God's work in the community. As he dedicated the church he asked the congregation to re-dedicate their lives to a fuller service for God in Cleveland. This theme was also present in the dedicatory prayer by Elder F. H. Robbins.

The former pastor, Elder G. R. Carter, gave the history of our work in Cleveland. He pointed out that for years there had been an extreme need of a suitable building and location for our church here and he told of the exhaustive search throughout the city for such a place during the years he served as the minister in Cleveland. He commended the cooperation of Elder W. M. Robbins and the Conference Committee in securing the building.

Two years ago Elder T. A. McCoy, the present pastor, took up the work here in Cleveland. After a complete study of the situation by Elder McCoy and the building com-

mittee, the Reformed Episcopal Church at 86th and Euclid Avenue was chosen. It is built of solid stone and is beautiful in architecture. In cooperation with the building committee and Elder W. M. Robbins, it was purchased for \$30,000 cash.

Under the capable leadership of Elder McCoy, the building has been completely redecorated both inside and out and put in first-class condition. Some remodeling was necessary. A new gas heating plant was installed, including new piping throughout the building; also an auxiliary coal heater with stoker. The heat is thermostatically controlled. The floor is completely covered with new carpeting which adds beauty and quietness to the church auditorium. The church has a full basement which provides rooms for the children in Sabbath school, a young people's room, a Dorcas room, a kitchen, and storeroom space. The church auditorium will seat 500 people. The lawn has been landscaped, hedges and shrubbery planted, the walk widened, and a new glass-faced illuminated church sign placed in front of the church.

We have sensed the marked leading of the Lord in both the purchase and repair of this building. Even with the labor shortage and difficulty of obtaining materials our every need has been supplied even to the extent of a sound system which enables

mothers with small children to hear the sermon in the Dorcas room of the church basement; and now we are installing hearing aids for the deaf. God has richly blessed us. The money has been provided and the church is free of debt.

The dedication service was delayed because of an evangelistic program that has been conducted in the city during the past two years by Elders Leon Robbins and R. Allan Anderson. We are thankful for the souls added to the Cleveland and Lakewood Churches during these two efforts.

The church was filled again for the afternoon service when Elder W. E. Nelson, General Conference Treasurer, delivered the sermon.

Special music throughout the day was given by the choir and Elder and Mrs. W. M. Robbins. Others who took part in the services of the day were Brother C. H. Kelly, Secretary-Treasurer of the Columbia Union Conference, Brother E. F. Willett, Secretary-Treasurer of the Ohio Conference, and Brother F. C. Webster, Brother Robert Spangler, Brother George Liscombe, and the writer, who have assisted in the work in Cleveland.

HAROLD L. GRAY

News Notes

THIS past week-end Brother F. E. Thumwood and Charles A. Gardner, our new Book and Bible House Manager, visited the Portsmouth Church in the interest of the literature work. While attending the Sabbath school there, they learned the school was short \$24 of qualifying for the "A" banner for the past quarter and encouraged them to take up an additional offering. The second offering resulted in their making up the shortage and qualifying for the "A" banner.

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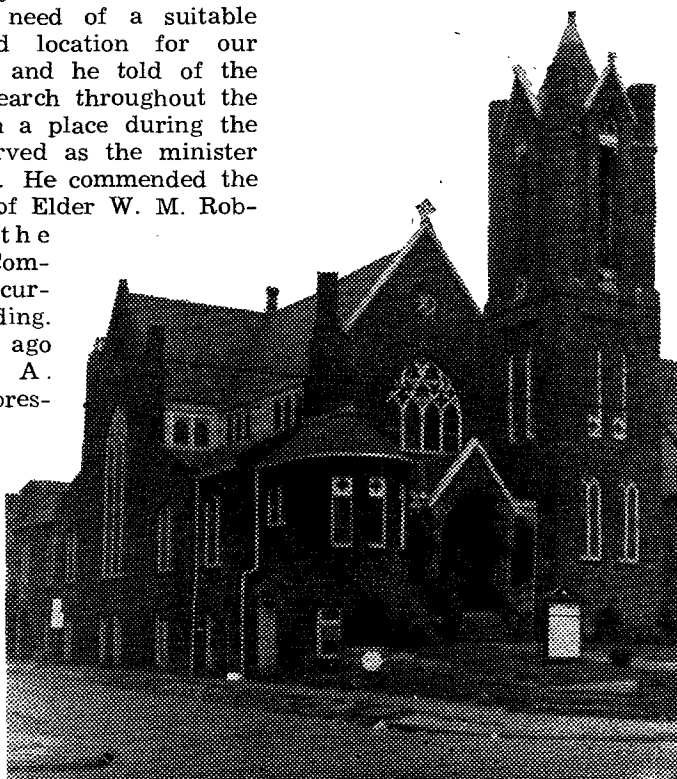
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Dorcas Federations

THE Dorcas Federations of the Cleveland area and the central Ohio area will hold a united Dorcas Federation meeting at the camp grounds on Thursday, August 3, beginning at 1:30 P.M. in the Academy chapel. We trust all members of the Federations will take notice, and will bring others who are interested in Dorcas work.

ANOL GRUNDSET

Brother Gardner is endeavoring to visit the many churches in the Ohio Conference as rapidly as possible and become acquainted with our believers.

While we do not have a large number of student colporteurs, those working have gotten off to a good start, and we trust under the guidance of Brother Robert Kinney, our steady colporteur of Mansfield who is giving assistance

to the students, that each and every one will return to his respective school with good courage, with a full scholarship, and with the knowledge that many precious souls have been turned to their Saviour as a result of the summer's work.

We would not forget to ask our constituency to remember the interesting and profitable colporteur meetings which will be held during the camp meeting session.

Notice

THE Society of Missionary Men of Columbus, Cincinnati, Cleveland, and Toledo will hold a united meeting in the pavilion at the camp grounds on Sabbath, August 5, at 3:30 P.M., consisting of a symposium and a guest speaker from Washington. All are invited to this special meeting.

ANOL GRUNDSET

WEST VIRGINIA

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Make wills and legacies in favor of the Seventh-day Adventist Book Society.

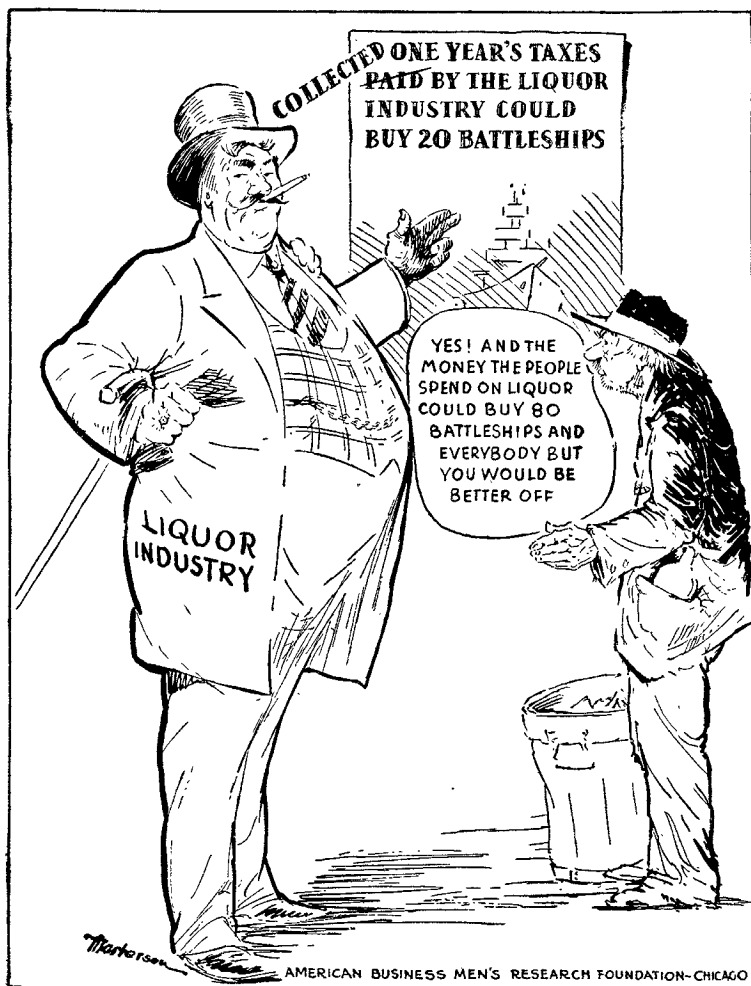
"In Such An Hour as Ye Think Not . . ."

THE possessions of a lifetime, lost in a moment! Such was the experience of those who lived through the worst disaster experienced in central West Virginia. In just a few minutes of time a sudden raging, twisting tornado brought death and injury to hundreds. The storm struck without warning at dusk on Friday evening, June 23. It left in its wake thousands of dollars worth of damage to property, scores of homes destroyed, crops ruined, and took a large toll of human lives.

Victims of the catastrophe were rushed to near-by hospitals and emergency stations. In a call for aid, the writer and wife volunteered their services at a local hospital in Clarksburg, and were permitted to work with the doctors and nurses in their efforts to render proper treatment to the injured victims. With only the aid of torches, candles, and flashlights, the work of medical relief was administered.

One of our Adventist families living in the Shinnston area was reason for much concern to the members of the Clarksburg Church. Following a call for clothing, members of Clarksburg responded in contributing this necessity and food as well. The food and clothing was taken to the stricken area and left at the mayor's office for distribution. At the same time a visit was made to the Adventist family residing in this area. To our great relief and happiness we learned that no harm or property damage had befallen them. Our brethren here were protected by a ridge which shielded them from the fury of the storm.

The storm struck so suddenly, in the waning light of day, that few realized what was happening. In personal visitation with some of the victims it was related that in two seconds, they were left homeless, their every possession having been completely demolished and blown away. The wreckage wrought in so short a



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time was unbelievable. On those of us who saw the destruction, it had a solemnizing effect. The suddenness of this occurrence impressed upon our minds the vision of those who forever shall be homeless, at the sudden appearance of the Son of man. "In such an hour as ye think not, the Son of man cometh." Surely it can be said, "Fire, and hail; snow, and vapours; stormy wind fulfilling His word: . . ." Psalm 148:8.

A. J. HIRSCH

Draft of Women

It perhaps has very little likelihood of being enacted into law, but legislation has been introduced into Congress by Representative Emanuel Celler, of New York, providing that single unemployed women between 20 and 35 shall be made subject to the Selective Service Act. The author of the bill declares that his intention is to supply through conscription the need of more women in the WACS, WAVES, SPARS, and so forth, the quotas of which have not been realized by voluntary enlistment.

The terms of the bill, which has

been referred to the House Military Affairs Committee, would include in the legislation all "female citizens of the United States, between the ages of 20 and 35 inclusive, who are unmarried and without children; except that any such female citizen or other person shall be deferred from training and service under this Act in the land or naval forces so long as she is regularly employed."

CARLYLE B. HAYNES

Servicemen's Benefits

THE so-called G. I. Bill of Rights, more properly known as The Servicemen's Readjustment Act of 1944, providing Federal Government aid for the readjustment in civilian life of the returning World War II veterans, has become law by approval of the measure by the President June 22. Because of the special interest in that legislation and its provisions which Seventh-day Adventist servicemen and their families are bound to feel, I am making its provisions known to our people in this way in several succeeding issues of this paper. It will be well for those who expect

to take advantage of any of the provisions of this law to clip these articles as they appear.

The major benefits afforded by the Act are:

"(1) Educational aid by way of payment of the cost of education and maintenance allowance of \$50 per month for a veteran without dependents and \$75 per month if the veteran has a dependent or dependents.

"(2) Loans for the purchase or construction of homes, farms, and business property, and which provide for the guaranty by the administrator of Veterans' Affairs of not to exceed 50 per cent of a loan or loans for such purposes, with the provision that the aggregate amount guaranteed shall not exceed \$2,000.

"(3) Aid in the employment of veterans by the creation of a veterans' placement service board, with the Administrator of Veterans' Affairs as chairman, to carry out the intent and purpose of the Congress that there shall be an effective job-counseling and employment-placement service for veterans. The board is to determine all matters of policy relating to the administration of the Veterans' Employment Service of the United States Employment Service. The operating entity will be the United States Employment Service.

"(4) Readjustment allowances for former members of the armed forces who are unemployed under which unemployment allowance of \$20 per week are allowed for a maximum period of 52 weeks."

Brief statements explaining the detailed provisions of the Act will follow in later issues.

CARLYLE B. HAYNES

The Aftermath of War

As the forces of destruction gather increasing severity on every world-wide battlefield, great minds are endeavoring to envision a post-war world free from strife, hunger, and disease. To those, however, who are familiar with the promise of the second coming, this concept of a post-war world assumes the aspect of a disappointing mirage.

Referring to this present world cataclysm and its aftermath, inspiration pictured a vastly different post-war world in the following language: "There seemed to be a little time of peace. Once more the inhabitants of the earth were presented before me; and again everything was in the utmost confusion. Strife, war, and bloodshed, with famine and pestilence, raged everywhere. . . . War caused FAMINE. Want and bloodshed caused PESTILENCE. And then men's hearts failed them for fear, 'and for looking after those things which are coming on the earth.'"

"And then . . ." These two words are freighted with wonderful meaning to Seventh-day Adventists. They refer primarily to the post-war world of tragic disillusionment when the inhabitants of the earth will be ravaged by famine and pestilence.

Vacations . . .

that are Pleasant and Profitable

"SHALL I study this summer?" is a question that many of our young people will be asking themselves in the early days of the long vacation.

The natural rejoinder is "Why not?" If you have favorite authors that you enjoy reading, is it not the natural thing to read them at your leisure? If your desire is to develop your writing gift, is there a better place than your home in which to practice news writing and editing? If history, Bible, and mathematics are interesting subjects during the school year, are they not equally so in the long summer vacation?

School days are busy days, and oftentimes even a good student will enter the recitation room at the required hour not fully prepared. There is real satisfaction in handling some assignments in a leisurely way. The good times that we all hope to enjoy in the summer vacation are not shut out by doing some studying on the side. Rather they gain zest and interest when interspersed with mental activities.

Thoughtful reading of some worth-while books and making brief reports of them to one's instructor—this is what any well constructed home study course calls for. Surely there is nothing unpleasant in such activities if one is at all interested in the things of the intellect.

We ought to remind ourselves that even the completion of a college course is merely the beginning of one's education. Only those graduates who expect to go on studying all their lives are fit to become teachers, ministers, doctors, and dentists, or to follow any other profession.

The Home Study Institute is ready to cooperate heartily with young people who wish to use their spare minutes profitably. Our courses, which number more than one hundred, are giving excellent satisfaction to a growing number of students, and they are accepted at full value by our colleges and academies. A copy of our latest catalog is yours for the asking. Write for it now and get an early start.

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But there is another consideration in this horrible prospect for the post-war world. It will be our time of challenge and opportunity to accomplish a two-fold work in behalf of the sick and suffering:

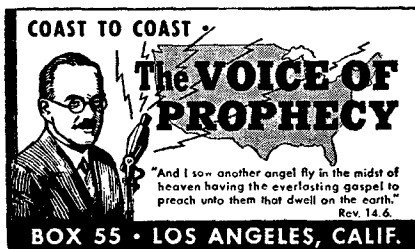
1. To present to the unfortunate around us the great principles of healthful living which the Lord has given us.

2. To act the part of the good Samaritan in helpful ministry for others.

It is this prospect that creates for *Health*, one of our most colorful and popular medical missionary journals, an essential place in heaven's program through the momentous period of the post-war world. In its columns you will find each month an effective presentation of health principles that will enable you to build your physical defenses against disease, and also qualify you to minister successfully to the sick and suffering around you.

The accompanying full-page presentation in behalf of *Health* in this issue of the Columbia Union VISITOR (page 8) merits your careful reading and response. ACT NOW. Join the nation-wide circle of *Health* subscribers, readers, and distributors.

H. K. CHRISTMAN



We appreciate the reports which come to us from the field regarding the names which we send out. This work is like one gigantic evangelistic effort, and not every name that shows an interest is necessarily sincere; however, we find from the reports which come back to us that many who have longed for the truth are finding it. Some may never be found by the workers, but the Lord marks their dwelling place and the Holy Spirit will instruct them and prepare them for eternity. A few of these reports are listed below for your encouragement:

"Mrs. _____ will soon be ready to join with us. She is keeping the Sabbath; has given up tea, coffee, and unclean meats. She has been a member of the Methodist Church and is truly one of God's chosen. She studies faithfully everything that you have sent her and is well informed. She believes that at last she has found the truth. Needless to say, it was a heart-warming experience to call on her. She is out in the country where an

evangelistic meeting would never reach her."

"Mrs. _____ has been a Baptist but now believes this truth. She has some questions yet. We shall continue to visit her."

"Mrs. _____ and Mrs. _____ are not far from the kingdom. They are really in the love of the truth. They desire baptism and will soon unite with the church."

"Mrs. _____ we found attending church when we visited her. Bible studies have been arranged, and since our visit there I understand that she has been baptized."

"We found Mrs. _____ very definite in her belief in the seventh-day Sabbath."

"_____ has been contacted and she is going to start

keeping the Sabbath this week."

"Mrs. _____ is attending church regularly and will be baptized soon."

Many are "looking wistfully toward heaven" longing for the light of the gospel. Remember them in prayer.

SUNSET CALENDAR

	JULY 14	JULY 27
Baltimore, Md.	8:33	8:27
Cleveland, Ohio	7:59	7:52
Columbus, Ohio	8:05	7:58
Cumberland, Md.	8:42	8:36
Parkersburg, W. Va.	8:55	8:48
Philadelphia, Pa.	8:34	8:27
Pittsburgh, Pa.	8:53	8:46
Richmond, Va.	8:33	8:27
Toledo, Ohio	8:07	8:00
Trenton, N. J.	8:30	8:23
Washington, D. C.	8:35	8:29

LOCAL RADIO LOG

For Columbia Union Conference For Week Commencing July 16, 1944

PLACE	STATION (Letters)	DIAL (Kilo.)	TIME	SPEAKER
Akron, Ohio	WJW	1240	Sunday 9:30 A.M.	Voice of Prophecy
Allentown, Pa.	WSAM	1470	Sunday 9:15 A.M.	W. C. Moffett
Atlantic City, N. J.	WFBG	1450	Sunday 10:00 A.M.	H. W. Wolcott
Baltimore, Md.	WFBR	1300	Sunday 9:30 A.M.	Voice of Prophecy
	WCBM	1400	Sunday 8:30 A.M.	Hanson, Gibson
			Mon.-Fri. 1:15 P.M.	Hanson, Gibson
Bluefield, W. Va.	WHIS	1440	Sun. & Mon. 1:15 P.M.	E. Koch
			Tues.-Fri. 4:00 P.M.	E. Koch
Bridgeton, N. J.	WSNJ	1240	Sunday 9:30 A.M.	Norman Feltman
Camden, N. J.	WCAM	1310	Sunday 11:15 A.M.	V. D. Rees
Canton, Ohio	WHBC	1230	Sunday 9:30 A.M.	Voice of Prophecy
Charleston, W. Va.	WGKY	1490	Sunday 9:30 A.M.	Voice of Prophecy
Cincinnati, Ohio	WCPO	1230	Sunday 1:10 P.M.	O. L. Denslow
	WLW	700	Sunday 7:30 A.M.	Voice of Prophecy
Cleveland, Ohio	WCLE	610	Sunday 9:30 A.M.	Voice of Prophecy
Columbus, Ohio	WHKC	640	Sunday 9:30 A.M.	Voice of Prophecy
Danville, Virginia	WBDM	1400	Sunday 9:30 A.M.	Voice of Prophecy
Dayton, Ohio	WING	1410	Sunday 9:30 A.M.	C. Osborn
DuBois, Pa.	WCED	1230	Wed. 4:30 P.M.	H. L. Yates
Easton, Pa.	WEST	1400	Sunday 9:30 A.M.	Voice of Prophecy
Frederick, Md.	WFMB		Wednesday 2:30 P.M.	Wm. F. Schmidt
Fredericksburg, Va.	WFVA	1290	Sunday 9:30 A.M.	Voice of Prophecy
Hagerston, Md.	WJEJ	1240	Sunday 9:30 A.M.	Voice of Prophecy
			Thursday 10:15 A.M.	Wm. F. Schmidt
Harrisonburg, Va.	WSVA	550	Sunday 1:00 P.M.	K. S. Crofoot
Hazleton, Pa.	WAZL	1450	Sunday 8:30 P.M.	Voice of Prophecy
Lima, Ohio	WLKQ	1240	Sunday 9:15 A.M.	J. M. Hoffman
			Mon.-Fri. 10:00 A.M.	J. M. Hoffman
Newark, N. J.	WAAT	970	Sunday 6:15 P.M.	A. C. Fearing
Newport News, Va.	WGH	1340	Sunday 9:30 A.M.	Voice of Prophecy
Norfolk, Va.	WHN	1050	Sunday 9:30 A.M.	R. S. Watts
New York, N. Y.			Sunday 10:00 P.M.	Voice of Prophecy
			Mon.-Fri. 9:30 P.M.	Watts-Haynes
Norfolk-Portsmouth, Va.	WSAP		Sunday 9:30 A.M.	Voice of Prophecy
Philadelphia, Pa.	WIBG	990	Sunday 10:30 P.M.	J. G. Mitchell
	WIF	610	Sunday 12:30 P.M.	Voice of Prophecy
Pittsburgh, Pa.	WCAE	1250	Sunday 9:30 A.M.	Voice of Prophecy
Portsmouth, Ohio	WPAY	1400	Sunday 9:30 A.M.	Voice of Prophecy
Portsmouth-Norfolk, Va.	WSAP		Sunday 9:30 A.M.	Voice of Prophecy
Roanoke, Va.	WSLS	1490	Sunday 9:30 A.M.	Voice of Prophecy
			Mon.-Fri. 12:30 P.M.	Vernon Flory
Salisbury, Md.	WBOS	1230	Sunday 9:30 A.M.	Voice of Prophecy
Scranton, Pa.	WARM	1400	Sunday 9:30 A.M.	Voice of Prophecy
Steubenville, O.	WSTV	1340	Sunday 9:30 A.M.	Voice of Prophecy
Toledo, Ohio	WSPD	1370	Sunday 10:30 A.M.	M. L. Mills
			Mon.-Fri. 11:30 A.M.	M. L. Mills
Trenton, N. J.	WTNJ	1310	Sunday 5:30 P.M.	A. D. Nagy
	WTTM	920	Sunday 9:30 A.M.	J. L. Nell
			Sunday 1:30 P.M.	Voice of Prophecy
Washington, D. C.	WINX	1340	Sunday 1:30 P.M.	C. J. Coon
	WOL	1260	Sunday 9:15 A.M.	G. S. Rapp
			Sunday 9:30 A.M.	Voice of Prophecy
	WWDC	1450	Sunday 5:15 P.M.	R. L. Boothby
			Mon.-Fri. 6:15 P.M.	R. L. Boothby
Washington, Pa.	WGPA	1470	Sunday 1:30 P.M.	S. A. Reile
			Wed. & Fri. 8:30 A.M.	S. A. Reile
Wilkes-Barre, Pa.	WBAX	1240	Sunday 9:30 A.M.	Voice of Prophecy
Winchester, Va.	WINC	1400	Sunday 1:30 P.M.	Voice of Prophecy
			Mon.-Fri. 1:15 P.M.	P. W. Manuel
			Sunday 7:15 P.M.	P. W. Manuel
York, Pa.	WSBA	900	Sun., Tu., Th. 10:15 A.M.	H. R. Veach
Zanesville, Ohio	WHIZ	1240	Sunday 9:45 A.M.	F. C. Webster

Send corrections and changes to J. C. Holland, Radio Secretary, Columbia Union Conf.

A Glimpse of Our Missionary Work in Morocco

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task. It is through our colporteur work that the gospel enters the homes. Souls refreshed through the word of truth are restored to peace and health, and through the medical work relief and health are restored to many unfortunate people who otherwise would probably be subjected to continual suffering.

On our return home, our European friends, and especially the many Mohammedans who have been the object of our sympathy, gather around us, and are profuse in their expressions of gratitude.

We would gladly submit to the urgent pleas of these poor people to remain with them were it not for the fact that we must meet appointments for similar work in different localities at a distance, so that we are bound to respond to them in the words of the Master, "I must preach the kingdom of God to other cities also: for therefore am I sent." Let us therefore pray that "the Lord of the harvest, . . . will send forth laborers into His harvest." HENRI PINCHO



ASSIGNMENTS FOR 29TH WEEK

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The traditions and maxims of men must not take the place of revealed truth.—A. A. 199-200.

ASSIGNMENTS FOR 30TH WEEK

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Gem Thought

Truth that is not lived, that is not imported, loses its life-giving power, its healing virtue.—A. A. 206.

OBITUARIES

BOWMAN: Mrs. Alice, was born February 20, 1857, at Appomattox Court House, Virginia and died in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania May 5, 1944. She was married to Abraham L. Bowman and to this union five children were born. In 1896 she accepted the truth. She leaves to mourn their loss three daughters: Mrs. Madge Harris, Mrs. Alice Francisco, and Eugenia Bowman; three sisters; Mrs. S. Coursey, Dr. Grace Kimbrough, and Miss Ella Duiguid, R.N.; two brothers; and six grandchildren and other relatives. Services were held in Pittsburgh Ethan Church on May 8 with the pastor, M. A. Burgess, officiating. Final rites were held in Co-

lumbus, Ohio, where the writer spoke words of comfort, with Elders U. S. Willis and M. A. Burgess assisting. She was laid to rest in Greenlawn Cemetery.

A. N. DURRANT

BENGTSON: Mrs. Mina, was born in Sweden December 17, 1858 and died May 13, 1944. In 1887 she married Enock Bengtson who died a few years after their marriage, leaving her alone with two small children, a boy and a girl. She came to the United States in 1919 and made her home with her daughter in Palisade Park, New Jersey. For 20 years she was a faithful and beloved member of the Jersey City Swedish S.D.A. Church until her death. She is mourned by her son and daughter, friends, and the church members. Funeral services were conducted by Elder Lidner and the writer.

O. J. NERLUND

Wanted Addresses of Draftees

Those knowing the address of any Seventh-day Adventist draftee are requested to send the name, army unit, camp location, and mailing address to the representative of the War Service Commission located nearest his army camp. Draftees are also requested to send this information.

For Army Camps in:

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Write to:

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LUCAS: Mrs. Bertha, was born February 18, 1877, and passed away May 26, 1944 at 6:30 A.M. She leaves to mourn their loss: her husband, Frank; one son, Ralph; two daughters, Mrs. Robert McGinnis and Mrs. Selma J. Holderman; one brother, Oscar Martin; and seven grandchildren, other relatives and a host of friends. Mrs. Lucas was a member of the Dayton S.D.A. Church and died in the blessed hope. CALVIN OSBORN

DEGRAY: Sophia, died June 7, 1944 at Paterson, New Jersey. She was born in Groenigen, Holland and came to America at the age of 11 years. Thirty-four years ago she united with the Seventh-day Adventist Church. She leaves to mourn her death two daughters, a son, a brother, and a number of grandchildren and great-grandchildren. STEPHEN PAULLY

Summer Session

The first term of the summer session at Washington Missionary College has been well attended. There are 206 students enrolled in 36 courses. The first term of six weeks closes July 27. New students for the second term of six weeks, closing September 7, should plan to register on July 27 and be ready for class work July 28.

W. J. McCOMB

Director of the Summer Session

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING JULY 24, 1944

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EAST PENNSYLVANIA

ARVA NICKLESS, P.D.S.

OHIO (Continued)

F. E. THUMWOOD, P.D.S.

WEST PENNSYLVANIA (Cont.)

ROGER VAN ARSDELL, P.D.S.

NAME	HRS.	ORDERS	DEL'D
Ralph Holmes	54	263.90	
G. D. Yoder, Sr.	46	47.00	32.25
Ralph Holmes	42	204.40	
Luke G. Price	83	193.70	183.85
G. D. Yoder, Sr.	41	32.55	30.55
Clayton Beck	40	15.80	40.35
R. Guinyard	80	327.15	240.75
M. L. Haas	40	111.10	57.70
Howard Dewiler	38	61.45	61.45
Elwood Achenbach	68	108.00	84.75
R. Guinyard	37	126.80	93.60
Harry Passion	71	133.55	133.55
Howard Detwiler	35	91.00	91.00
M. L. Haas	35	108.20	133.90
O. C. Weller	35	80.75	80.75
George Baldwin	64	62.55	62.55
Elwood Achenbach	31	18.50	34.25
Clayton Beck	31	77.70	38.60
Ray Brown	60	132.95	132.95
Mrs. M. E. Sims	23	67.75	39.90
Claire H. Smith	22	57.00	54.50
Elsie Passion	18	59.20	59.20
Mrs. M. E. Sims	15		29.35
Mrs. D. T. Goins	17	18.55	
Wm. T. Smith	20	7.80	
Wm. Blankenhorn	40	51.30	81.65
Mrs. D. T. Goins	6		
Mrs. E. L. Miller	11	26.35	34.45
Mrs. M. Martin	44	24.40	8.80
Lewis H. Wagner	78	225.65	182.45
M. L. Howard	67	122.30	80.85
Gloria Britton	64	221.90	12.50
Myrtle Justice	63	145.70	50.20
M. D. Hollenbaugh	32	58.70	52.35
Myrna L. Jensen	26	68.40	
Gloria Britton	24	77.00	
M. S. Smith	35	66.00	66.00
Doris E. Larkin	16	58.45	
Harry Passion, Jr.	6	22.50	3.75
Earl Smith	6	.35	.35
A worker	6		112.55
<i>Magazine Workers—</i>			
R. O. Schroeder	81	223.25	216.75
C. S. Miller	37	75.00	35.20
Mrs. L. Graham	41	114.60	66.60
Miriam Justason	21	26.65	26.65
C. S. Miller	21	66.35	66.40
Mrs. Heller	2	20.25	
Mrs. S. Monk	35	31.60	31.60
Mrs. A. Jones	18	22.50	22.50
Mrs. A. Hampton	15	15.00	15.00
Mrs. L. Johnson	15	10.00	10.00
Mrs. R. Kelly	15	12.50	12.50
John Moore	15	15.00	15.00
Miss Ruth Peterson	15	10.00	10.00
Lois Kinckner	14	10.00	10.00
June Soper	14	14.50	14.50
Arthur Holland	10	12.50	12.50
Mrs. R. Boykins	10	10.40	10.40
John Moore	15	27.00	27.00
Mrs. A. Jones	16	32.25	32.25
Barbara Guinyard	19	19.00	19.00
Totals	1972	4326.20	3021.25

OHIO

F. E. THUMWOOD, P.D.S.

C. McCampbell	51	103.50	94.20
Ralph E. Waldron	47	125.30	89.50
S. E. Curry	44	120.45	96.90
W. C. Scales	83	63.00	170.90
R. A. Wuttke	41	112.95	99.00
W. R. Wetherell	40	168.80	168.80
F. Goodman	39	130.35	99.10
James Alford	38	112.05	96.60
Marie Zimmerman	38	141.55	103.40
A. Clark McClurg	36	160.05	149.45
Evan Miller	36	37.85	37.85
H. Quick	36	223.30	236.50
David Washington	65	61.10	91.00
George Sisson	65	260.25	223.85
Erwin Ruth	60	176.40	140.70
Evelyn James	25	264.00	10.50
Genevieve James	24	78.10	
Wendell Poole	21	91.80	105.60
C. R. Johnson	53	74.70	68.70
Part-time workers	48	102.00	102.00
James Stewart	47	34.30	34.30
Charles Morris	87	288.00	99.00
Ernest George	42	13.50	32.50
R. E. Dickinson	38	133.00	9.95
Frank Brandstetter	36	78.00	55.00
M. Sulen	35	44.60	44.60
Jesse Bernhardt	34	430.50	10.50
Frank DeHann	30	138.00	2.50
H. A. Rossin	34	41.10	37.50
C. C. Brown	30	77.40	79.10
Mrs. E. Wilman	24	67.00	13.50

NAME	HRS.	ORDERS	DEL'D
Betty Mitchell	23	105.00	7.00
Florence McDougal	22	109.00	
Milton Rice	20	42.20	26.20
Roy Kegley	16	57.40	50.90
C. Preston Seard	14	7.80	
Ann Miller	9	8.75	5.00
S. J. Pinnick	7	11.50	18.25
W. H. Zimmerman		17.00	17.00
<i>Magazine Workers—</i>			
B. Pride	53	165.50	136.00
May Rose	43	65.30	43.40
Bertha Daarud	42	59.75	59.75
Clall Yaeger	40	165.00	165.00
Mrs. Clall Younger	40	96.50	96.50
E. O. Collins	38	11.95	11.95
Lillie Dunlap	30	34.85	34.85
Lotte Julien	31	55.30	43.35
Kathryn Campbell	30	88.10	88.10
Evelyn Smith	30	11.95	23.90
Edith Harvey	27	82.25	84.60
Mabel Smith	13	59.75	47.80
Claude Diehl	12	20.70	20.70
O. Hostetler	10		
Minnie Harvey	8	11.95	11.95
Kathryn Campbell	6		
Georgia Corbin	40	8.00	8.00
M. C. Bernhardt	31	26.45	26.45
Mrs. F. C. Gee	16	100.85	100.85
Mrs. A. Henry	11	2.55	16.95
Mrs. N. Thompson	11	2.40	14.30
Minnie Pride	9	12.75	12.75
Francis Henry	2	4.40	4.40
Totals	2016	5497.80	3783.90

CHESAPEAKE

JAMES E. CURRY, P.D.S.

Henry Grant	49	75.20	49.30
Leslie Jones	43	229.85	116.45
James Stewart	40	210.55	210.55
J. H. Berry	82	342.40	148.30
Jennie Russell	73	253.70	137.70
C. F. Circle	35	264.00	123.00
Ada Thomas	30	99.30	30.65
Leona Best	40	84.40	69.00
Eva B. Griffin	30		
Carl Zimmerman	35	150.00	100.00
William Henson	13	57.10	27.80
Alfred Dybeck	31	55.55	85.45
Melvin White	4	34.20	7.80
<i>Magazine Workers—</i>			
Carrie Pindell	70	211.70	110.45
Annie Bannister	79	190.45	131.45
Annie Matthews	30	67.30	67.30
Mrs. Wm. Cheatham	22	50.00	50.00
Sophie Williams	18	30.00	30.00
Francis Henry	14	11.40	11.40
Coreitha Thomas	6	7.65	7.65
Misc. workers	25	43.40	43.40
Totals	769	2468.15	1557.65

WEST VIRGINIA

L. A. WARD P.D.S.

Carl E. Calfee	82	237.80	159.90
Willard Knight	54	214.25	349.25
Steve Pantili, Jr.	38	100.10	93.50
Thomas Carlton	38	173.30	97.40
E. N. McClellan	30	160.05	101.45
J. W. Franklin	30	62.25	21.45
G. E. Missbaugh	50	250.00	200.00
Mazie Taylor	11		177.00
Bill Snider	33	114.55	22.25
Mary Moore	22	116.50	
Louise Breedlove	22	103.50	
Betty Pugh	17	179.25	
Ella Scutowich	17	156.35	
Mary Etta Myers	16	174.00	
L. A. Ward	5		80.50
S. L. Clark	5		76.50
<i>Magazine Workers—</i>			
Hazel Callahan	23	19.80	19.80
Totals	479	2061.70	1399.00

WEST PENNSYLVANIA

ROGER VAN ARSDELL, P.D.S.

Nathaniel Evans	90	125.10	103.60
Fred Cermak	75	193.15	61.20
Richard Lange	35	10.20	57.20
Ella Hillyer	21	18.50	18.50
Maggie Jackson	20	39.70	18.50
Edith Dilts	8	20.40	20.40
E. S. Campbell	38	14.00	15.00
David Hall	37	187.10	
Sylvia Slagle	34	55.40	28.20

NAME	HRS.	ORDERS	DEL'D
G. J. Schuerger	33	36.55	23.75
O. W. Cooper	28	62.50	63.80
<i>Magazine Workers—</i>			
Mrs. A. L. Pangborn	51	236.25	236.25
Lillian Keenan	21	60.45	60.45
Agnes Bonda	25	57.20	57.20
Lillian Keenan	22	40.60	40.60
Mrs. Anamary Kraft	20	32.35	13.40
Mildred Bissell	22		
Emma Hershelman	27	10.35	10.35
Amelia Reitlinger	37	101.70	101.70
Evelyn Mosby	17	28.10	28.10
Lois Miller	18	27.40	27.40
Dorothy Knapp	12	24.25	24.25
Louise Mosby	8	12.05	12.05
Phyllis Bowman	6	6.90	6.90
Mrs. Nelson	15	3.75	3.75
Totals	720	1403.95	1032.55

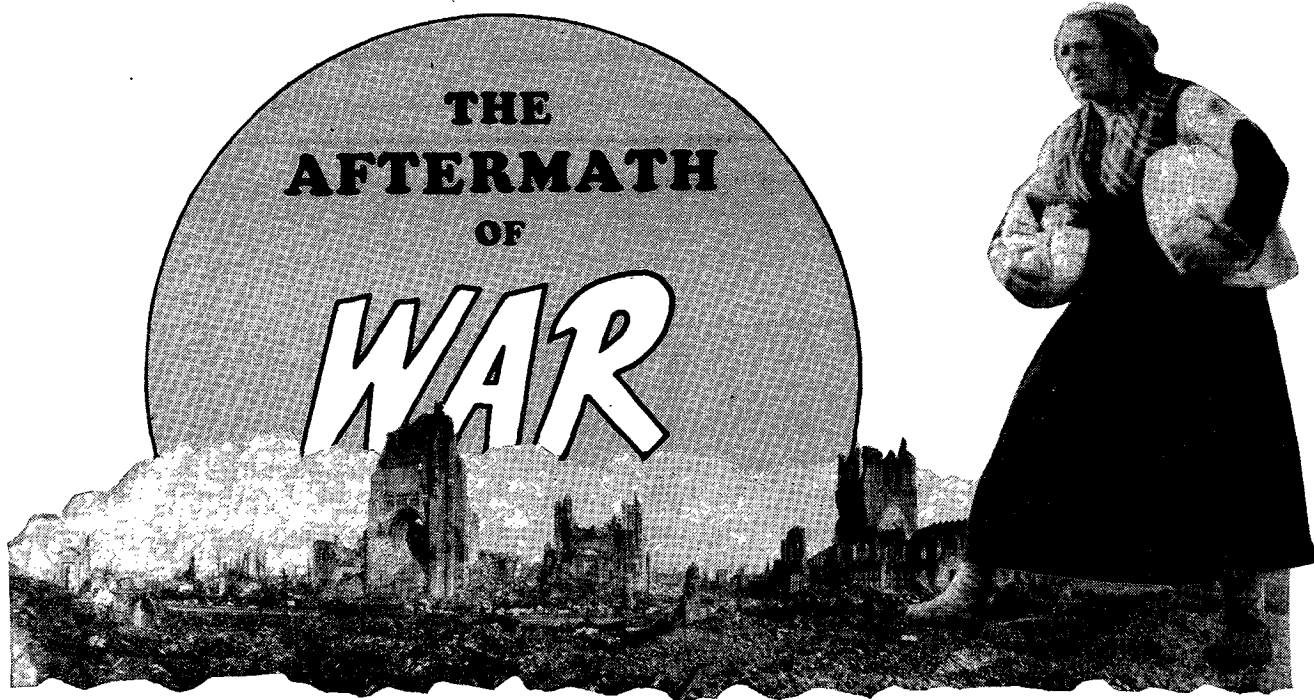
POTOMAC (Week ending July 1, 1944)

W. H. ATHERLY, P.D.S.

William S. Battle	52	94.80	38.85
Katherine Baker	44	167.75	146.70
C. L. Braxton	42	101.25	28.45
Mary Richardson	42	93.50	
G. R. Tutt	41	72.60	7.50
Hilliard Pettway	41	143.10	59.90
Edward Walden	40	152.50	152.50
Katherine Baker	40	200.95	61.00
M. Richardson	30	170.25	131.75
C. L. Braxton	40	137.95	44.00
Margaret Jenkins	37	102.00	30.60
Josephine Fountain	35	28.80	22.50
P. M. Jenkins	33	71.40	51.00
William Woodford	32	22.25	38.75
Mary Reid	61	160.50	160.50
Mary Fountain	31	121.80	30.00
William S. Battle	30	52.70	51.35
Gertrude Battle	24	34.40	42.25
G. R. Tutt	23	7.00	
Edward Walden	20	45.75	45.75
Gertrude Battle	20	11.85	40.55
W. M. Wilson	16	12.45	42.35
Edward Walden	10	62.95	62.95
G. G. Vasko	10	17.35	8.85
Donald Rima	100	170.00	40.00
L. Buckner	46	169.10	5.00
E. E. Gavers	42	10.00	10.00
Billy Reedy	43	438.50	
Garland Blevins	42	163.70	
Robert Luckett	40	216.85	9.00
Floyd Williams	40	40.65	4.80
Marina J. Price	39	105.00	104.55
Blaine Reedy	40	106.50	104.00
Robert Luckett	36	157.50	34.50
Walter Young	66	199.50	213.50
Gilbert Goodwin	32	212.30	
Floyd Williams	32	25.00	11.75
Agnes Woodgate	32	94.65	
Marina J. Price	32	270.50	39.25
Ivy Chenault	29	127.00	66.00
Mrs. S. B. Roberts	29	10.25	57.00
William Woodford	29	40.05	20.85
Gilbert Goodwin	28	212.60	
Anonymous	25	83.41	
Allen Hayes	23	17.25	9.00
Mrs. S. B. Roberts	20	102.20	31.50
R. E. Townsend	19	55.80	
H. C. Wilcox	17	10.25	47.25
T. J. Hooper	12		104.00
Norman Stark	10		103.15

Magazine Workers—

Marie Francis	40	63.50	20.75
Mrs. H. T. Terry	32	83.65	92.65
Mary Speidel	23	35.85	38.85
Nettys Wingo	23	71.70	71.70
M. Pettway	23		
Abbie Belles	20	18.95	
Della Sincavage	20	31.00	
Nettys Wingo	12	35.85	35.85
Ida Jeffers	40	100.00	100.00
Pauline Tutt	40	50.00	50.00
Ida Jeffers	40	94.80	94.80
S. Medley	35	30.60	30.60
Ethel Bowen	19	35.80	35.80
Tonsa Warner	15	50.00	50.00
Ethel Bowen	14	24.32	24.32
Panzy Corbin	14	14.05	14.05
Sylvia McKinney	12	15.75	15.75
Panzy Corbin	10	11.60	11.60
Sallie Manley	10	51.00	51.00</



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