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"One or Nine"

By D. V. POND

HAVE you ever stood face to face with a leper? Probably not. Few in North America have ever seen a person with this loathsome disease.

It would be extremely difficult to picture to your mind the condition of a leper in the final stages of this infectious disease. The peculiar appearance of lepers, some of whom I have seen in the tropics, with thickened and scaly skin, wasted stubs of fingers and toes, nodules, and open ulcers, helps us to understand the abhorrence in which the leper has been held from Christ's day to this.

Yet one day as Jesus was passing along the borders of Samaria and Galilee, going to Jerusalem, He was accosted by ten men with this sickening malady. "And they lifted up their voices, and said, Jesus, Master, have mercy on us. And when He saw them, He said unto them, Go shew yourselves unto the priests. And it came to pass, that, as they went, they were cleansed. And one of them, when he saw that he was healed, turned back, and with a loud voice glorified God, and fell down on his face at His feet, giving Him thanks: and he was a Samaritan." And Jesus answering said, Were there not ten cleansed? but where are the nine? There are not found that returned to give glory to God, save this stranger. And He said unto him, Arise, go thy way: thy faith hath made thee whole." Luke 17: 13-19.

Yes, ten were cleansed! And every one of the ten was given again the skin and health of youth. But how many came back to thank Jesus? Only one—and he was a Samaritan, a stranger, and considered by the Jews as an alien.

Now, let's consider what this

means for us today. We have all been contaminated with the leprosy of sin. In the sight of our Saviour our sinfulness is as a loathsome disease, yet He cleanses us as freely as He cleansed the ten lepers. Why? Simply because He has compassion on us as He had on those unfortunates, and because He loves us with an everlasting love.

Dear friend, at this season of returning thanks to heaven for

the multitude of blessings received, where do you place yourself today? Can you honestly say that you are the "one" who does not forget to thank the Master for the bountiful gifts which He bestows upon you every day? Or are you and I among the "nine"? It is so easy to go right on receiving God's blessings—of life, of food and clothing, of a right mind, eyes to see with, ears to hear with, a tongue to speak with—yes, the power of speech, what a wonderful thing it is!

Just a few days ago as a group of us walked through a large park, we passed near a reserved section where a group of about seventy-five people was gathered. We could not help but notice how unusually quiet they all were. Ordinarily at such a time and place

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Bulletin No. 7

GOD'S WORD ALWAYS FULFILLED

"Whenever God's people, in any period of the world, have cheerfully and willingly carried out His plan in systematic benevolence (tithe paying) and in gifts and offerings, they have realized the standing promise that prosperity should attend all their labors just in proportion as they obeyed His requirements. When they acknowledged the claims of God, and complied with His requirements, honoring Him with their substance, their barns were filled with plenty. But when they robbed God in tithes and in offerings, they were made to realize that they were not only robbing Him but themselves; for He limited His blessings to them, just in proportion as they limited their offerings to Him."—"Testimonies," Vol. III, p. 395.

"An all-wise God knew best what system of benevolence would be in accordance with His providence, and has given His people directions in regard to it. It has ever proved that NINE-TENTHS ARE WORTH MORE TO THEM THAN TEN-TENTHS."—"Testimonies," Vol. III, p. 546 (caps. supplied).

D. A. OCHS

Power of the Press

THE good news of salvation is now to be sounded forth by the Church through the use of every available means. Seventh-day Adventists are well acquainted with the agency of the printing press. Without question, church boards and nominating committees will make sure that officers are elected to lead the church in wide distribution of literature from our own publishing houses.

The power of the press now offered us to extend the influence of Seventh-day Adventist church evangelism goes much further than this, however. The newspapers and the wire services are today handling and publishing an unprecedented volume of news concerning all phases of the Adventist Church and its world mission. This news information quietly read in millions of homes is changing the whole outlook for our work. Adventists are truly coming out of obscurity, and the way is made

easier for advancing every part of the church's evangelistic program.

Usually you will find that faithful and capable church press secretaries are largely responsible for this encouraging progress. The stories they furnish in intelligently cooperating with their newspapers are telling the masses about the activities, beliefs, and standards of this particular Christian church so little known and understood by the majority of people.

If your church has a press secretary working efficiently, our counsel is to re-elect. Because press work is highly specialized, frequent changes are not encouraged.

If your church does not have a press secretary, we appeal to you to elect one for 1950 at this current election. This is in full harmony with General Conference action, as it is recognized to be vital and fundamental in building up good press relations for the denomination.

You need not hesitate because of lack of experienced persons. Very few of our church press secretaries now successful—and there are many of them—felt qualified for this work. But they believed in it, and were willing to work to learn. With the simple, practical instruction received, and the Lord's blessing, they have grown in efficiency and are doing a marvelous work.

The name and address of your church press secretary should be sent, immediately after the election, to your conference press relations secretary so that it may be passed on to us without delay. This enables our General Conference bureau to begin at once to give necessary instruction and help which will assist your press secretary in quickly getting into work with the local papers.

J. R. FERREN
General Conference Bureau of
Press Relations

"One or Nine"

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there is much laughter and talking. Then suddenly we noticed that they *were* talking—with their hands. They were all deaf mutes! Immediately our group fell into a shocked hush, then very quietly it was remarked how little we sometimes stop to thank God for

the marvelous power of speech!

How easy it is to forget God's many mercies. How quickly the "nine" passed on, failing to remember the debt of gratitude which they owed to the Saviour!

On this Thanksgiving Day, when perhaps nearly all who read these words will enjoy an abundance of the fruits of the earth, given to us so freely by a loving heavenly Father, I wonder if we should not pause long enough to acknowledge that love. It would be well for us to voice our thanks in the words of David found in 1 Chronicles 29:10-13 and in Psalm 103.

We—all of us—owe much to God, for He has done much for us. And the best way of showing our love and appreciation to Him is by honest, thankful praise and unselfish service for others.

At this Thanksgiving season, the entire Voice of Prophecy staff desires to join with you in praise to Him who has so richly showered His blessings upon us individually, and upon this great radio ministry in its service to others.

D. V. POND

Laymen in Action Throughout Union

(Continued from last week)

NEW JERSEY

Mr. and Mrs. R. Durham of Camden have united their efforts in soul winning over a period of time. This consecrated couple has worked from house to house, giving studies, and the results have been great. The last report received from them stated that eleven have embraced the message through their combined labors.

Their godly lives brought into their work an irresistible power that caused men and women to obey God's command. The simplicity with which they gave the message and which characterized their lives had a telling effect upon their students. Brother and Sister Durham are now giving their full time to colporteur evangelism. They, no doubt, will find many openings for studies as they go from door to door with our message-filled literature.

Mr. E. O. Glenz of Camden has given studies, and through his methodical labors souls are now rejoicing in the message. Every effort put forth by consecrated laymen will be blessed. God will prosper those who attempt great things for Him and expect great

things from Him. Thus it has been with Brother Glenz.

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Report of Chesapeake Schools

THREE hundred pupils—a record enrollment in the church schools of the Chesapeake Conference! Surely this is a wonderful indication that the Lord is blessing our schools and that both parents and church members are determined that our youth must be in our schools if their souls are to be saved for eternity.

Every endeavor is being made to make these schools, which serve twenty-two of our thirty-one churches, modern and attractive with a good outward appearance for the finest education that is taught within. The twenty teachers serving these schools are better trained than ever to meet the spiritual, physical, and mental needs of their pupils.

To know just what is being done to make our schools attractive it is now going to be your privilege

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to make a little imaginary visit to each of the schools. Space will not permit telling you about the many wonderful activities going on within these schools. This will be just a brief survey of each school.

Baltimore

Edgecombe Junior Academy has sixty-eight students enrolled under the care of Mr. Tate Zytoskee, Miss Sarita Lochstamphor, and Miss Anna Tucker. Recently the entire school was redecorated within. A library room has been provided and a neat kitchen arranged for the use of the school and school-connected organizations. Plans for the near future include new lights, desks, shades, and playground equipment.

Blythedale

Blythedale Junior Academy with its nineteen students is under the direction of Mrs. Lillian Hill and Mrs. Vivian Marshall. This is practically a new school, having been completed less than two years ago. It is a model building and the best in planning and equipment has gone into its construction to make it an up-to-date school.

Brooklyn

This school is one of the newer schools, just beginning its third year. Mrs. Van Meerbeke is responsible for the fifteen pupils. In making plans for the erection of the new church with facilities for a school, it was decided to build the school first. The constant improvements being made and the plans for additional equipment will make this school a real asset to Christian education.

Chestertown-Rock Hall

This year finds the Chestertown and Rock Hall Churches consolidating their schools to take care of their fourteen students, with Mr. Carleton Jackson as their teacher. The school is being held in rooms built by the Rock Hall Church—rooms that are modern, neatly decorated, and with plans for the future. The Chestertown Church is to be commended for the pleasant schoolroom it has provided during the past years.

Cheswold

The Cheswold school is now beginning its third year under the direction of Miss Regina Greenage and with ten students. Major improvements are being made in the physical plant of the school to

make it an ideal and attractive one. Here, too, constant growth is planned for the future.

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T. H. STOCKTON

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Evangelistic Meetings At Nauvoo

A SERIES of evangelistic meetings in district No. 1 began November 6 in the Patterson Memorial Church School building at Nauvoo, Pa. The meetings have been advertised as "Ten Revival Sermons on John 3:16." The reason for this is the prejudice which has existed for years in this section. John 3:16 will be the opening text every night.

These sermons are all doctrinal and very spiritual. They will include: The Second Coming of Christ, Salvation Through Christ, The One Thousand Years, Heaven, Hell, The State of the Dead, The Law, and The Sabbath. John 3:16 is an excellent basis for these beliefs.

Following this series of ten sermons, the other truths will be presented and the former subjects will be enlarged upon. We ask an interest in your prayers that God will change hearts by His Spirit and turn those who are sincere in heart to His truth for this day.

Our Blossburg Church has purchased a new gas furnace unit which operates by thermostatic control. Other improvements have been made and more have been planned for the future as finances permit.

Our church school in which the evangelistic meetings are being held now has an enrollment of fourteen. An excellent school spirit is seen in the students since their education prior to this was in the public schools and they are thrilled now to be in our own church school.

Brother Fred Morgan, the teacher of the school, is a very consecrated young man whose heart is in his work. We are thankful that our children can be in our own school under the loving care of a

Christian teacher. We are very grateful to our heavenly Father for making these facilities possible to us through His marvelous and providential leadings.

As we work and plan for the future in keeping with God's will, we have the assurance in our hearts that He will continue to lead us in every undertaking.

H. C. READING

District leader

YOUTH RALLY

DECEMBER 2-3, 1949

Wilkes-Barre Church
17 Second Ave., Kingston, Pa.

Elder W. P. Bradley of the
General Conference, Elder
Hershberger, Elder Unruh,
and Elder Patzer will
be there.

First Meeting, Friday,
December 2, 7:45 P.M.

All Youth in Northern Part of
Conference Cordially Invited

News Notes

REMEMBER the Conference radio program with your generous monthly contributions. The three local broadcasts from Chambersburg, Williamsport, and Philadelphia, are bringing splendid results. Your support is needed to keep these programs on the air.

Someone has truthfully said: "Tithe paying is not only a great privilege, but also a solemn obligation; it is not an act of generosity, but a test of honesty."

NEW JERSEY

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Dorcas Federation in Action

THE autumn Dorcas federation meetings were in many ways the most outstanding that we have ever had. The spirit was good, the attendance was good, and the interest was sustained to the very end. Each federation president had planned carefully, and consequently the day's activities went very smoothly. The topics discussed and the panels conducted were designed to meet the needs of the local societies.

The afternoon visitation program saw a large number participating, and the enthusiasm ran high as reports were given of the visits made. Some clothing was received but, above all, opportunities were found to give an encouraging word and to pray with souls who needed Christ.

One of the ladies, who had never done this type of work before, declared, "After I got started I just wished that I could keep on all afternoon instead of stopping after half an hour!"

Literature was left in homes and, in some cases, a card was included which said, "Dorcas Welfare Society of the Seventh-day Adventist Church." The address and telephone number were added.

We believe that as the spirit of these federation meetings is carried into each local church, greater activity for Christ will result. May the Lord arouse us all to action, that His coming may be hastened!

KENNETH H. WOOD, JR.

Home Missionary Secretary, New Jersey Conference

Good News From Bible School

The outlook from the Twentieth Century Bible Course office is decidedly optimistic at this time. Because of the enthusiastic response which the new small tract, "How Much Do You Weigh?" has received among our churches, new applications are coming in rapidly. These small tracts are being distributed by the thousands throughout the State of New Jersey, and we hope to see them bear much fruit in Bible school enrollments and eventual baptisms.

A new system of numbering the churches in the New Jersey Conference has been set up and thus it will be possible in the Bible course office to ascertain which churches distributed the enrollment cards that come in. Please remember to put the number of your church in the lower left-hand corner of the part of the card which comes back to us, for soon we shall compile statistics on this subject. If you do not know your church number, you may obtain the information from your church elder, missionary leader, secretary, or pastor.

Thus far this year the New Jersey Bible Correspondence School has received 1,659 applications for enrollment. Many of the

letters from students are truly inspiring. "You will never know how I feel about this wonderful Bible course. God has helped me through His Son Jesus," states Mr. B., of Long Branch. "This course has fully opened up new avenues that I never knew before in relation to prophecy and God's love for me."—Miss B., Jersey City. "Your Bible course is better than any college course in Bible study," writes Miss H., Newark.

Several of our ministers are studying with Bible school students at the present time, and the prospects for baptisms are good. Please continue to remember the Bible school and all its students in your prayers.

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Everett Evangelistic Meetings

"REPEAT the Message," is the counsel given by God to His messengers. This counsel has been followed in the little town of Everett, Pa., during the past few months.

On Sunday night, June 12, Richard C. Barron opened a series of tent meetings on North Spring Street, about one mile from the center of town. Twelve years had elapsed since Brother Russell Quackenbush and Brother Ted Webster held an effort in another section of Everett.

This summer's series of meetings was well attended from the opening night, the attendance ranging from sixty-five to 125 on week nights, with an attendance on Sunday nights of from 175 to 250. One unusual thing about the attendance was that folk attended better on rainy nights than when the weather was clear.

Meetings continued in the tent five nights a week, for nine weeks, closing August 14, when the tent was sent to Somerset for camp meeting. On Sabbath, September 3, a baptismal service was conducted by Elders Barron and Valentine in the Everett Brethren Church, when twelve precious souls followed their Lord in baptism, as the firstfruits of the effort.

All of these united with the Everett Church, which up to this time consisted of seven members.

Elder Barron began a second series of meetings in the American Legion Hall, located on the opposite side of Everett from the tent location. This new series had been well advertised, and on the opening night, September 18, nearly 300 were present to hear the subject, "The Passion Play of Ancient Israel."

On Sabbath, October 15, another beautiful baptismal service was held, this time in the river, as nearly all of the twelve candidates preferred the open stream to the inside pool. Since then a lady has been baptized in her home, bringing the total baptisms to date to twenty-five.

Elder Barron, in addition to his faithful companion, was assisted in the two efforts by Elder George Valentine of the Johnstown district and Mrs. C. M. Paden, who served as pianist and Bible instructor. Valuable assistance was also given in the first series by Elder Barron's brother, Henry, whose messages in song were deeply appreciated by all. Brother Ralph Brown of Johnstown was present upon several occasions with his Swiss bells and musical glasses, which everyone enjoyed.

The small group of believers, who have endeavored to uphold the light of truth in Everett for a number of years, feel grateful to the Conference for making possible these evangelistic meetings. Election of new church and Sabbath school officers has been held, effective November 1, and to continue through 1950. Many of the new believers are filling posts of responsibility.

Many people still manifest a deep interest in the truths they have heard. To foster this interest Elder Barron is continuing Sunday-night meetings, supplemented by community Bible classes. Truly the Spirit of God has been working in Everett to release men and women from chains of sin, and to the Lord we give praise for every victory won. We earnestly ask your prayers for the work in this section of the Conference, for "Prayer Changes Things."

MRS. C. M. PADEN
West Pennsylvania Conference

"Our God shall come, and shall not keep silence: a fire shall devour before him, and it shall be very tempestuous round about him."—Psalms 50:3.

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ventist Church.

Farewell

ON September 22 we received a call to labor in the Michigan Conference. Now we are located in our new field and endeavoring to carry forward the work under God's blessings. We felt inclined to go where God calls, although we shall miss our many friends in the Ohio Conference.

During the seven years in Ohio we have learned to love the people and have received many blessings while working for the schools and the young people.

It was not easy to give up the good times at Tar Hollow. Here we had an opportunity to know the boys and girls and help them to know their Creator better. We shall miss the association of the men and women who helped make Tar Hollow what it is to the boys and girls. We thank each one for his unselfish service in behalf of the juniors. We shall miss the boys and girls and the young people. We shall pray that each one will find his place in God's work and in His kingdom in that great day.

We are not far away, and we invite our friends to stop and see us. We are now entering the work here. Although we shall not have direct contact with the young people's work, we shall find plenty of opportunity through the forty-five schools in this conference.

May God help each of us to be faithful and serve Him well in this life so that we may continue that service in the new earth. Pray for us as we carry on the work for the Educational Department in the Michigan Conference.

ELDER AND MRS. H. R. NELSON
RAY AND CHERYL

Lebanon Evangelistic Effort

A SERIES of evangelistic meetings was begun on Sunday evening, October 9, in Lebanon, Ohio, by the writer. These meetings have been well attended from the start, with an average of about 125 on Sunday nights, and approximately seventy on week nights.

Lebanon has a population of

about 6,000, and is located in a dark county, as far as our established work is concerned. Assisting with the meetings are Brother W. A. Moore, our church school teacher; Brother B. E. Sooy; and other consecrated laymen of the Hamilton and Middletown Churches. The interest is good, and we pray that God will help us to gather many souls for His kingdom.

In connection with the meetings, we broadcast three nights each week—Sundays, Thursdays, and Saturdays, at 6:30 P.M., over Station WPFB in Middletown. In addition to advertising our meetings over the radio, we have also offered the Bible course and have had a good response from the people requesting the course.

There is much work to be done, and we want to do our small part in preparing for the soon coming of our Lord. Pray for God's work.

R. A. BATA

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Thirteenth Sabbath in Roanoke

"Isn't it thrilling to think that our thirteenth Sabbath program is on the air!" whispered one Sabbath school member to the one sitting next to her. "But we aren't really on the air," was the reply, "it is just so real that it seems that way!"

Sure enough. In the Roanoke Sabbath school at the end of the third quarter, the thirteenth Sabbath program was arranged in the form of a radio broadcast. Elder Mansell had borrowed a microphone from station WSLs where he broadcasts daily. There was a tiny red light and a sign which read, "Off the Air," at the back of the platform. All those participating in the program were seated in a semicircle on either side of the microphone, facing the audience.

Brother Harry P. Cowley was the station announcer. The letters IAD (Inter-American Division) were seen on the microphone, and we incorporated the call letters

WSLS to this: "Warning—Saving Lost Souls." The theme music consisted of organ music played by recording in the background.

The superintendent announced that in two minutes we would go on the air! Everyone watched the time in dead silence, and when the time was up the red light flashed on, and the "Off the Air" sign changed to "On the Air" as the theme music was played.

"This is station IAD, the Voice of the Inter-American Division, the voice of missions, appealing to all Sabbath schools everywhere for a liberal Thirteenth Sabbath Offering today," the announcer said.

Following this we listened to a program so inspiring that we hardly moved in our seats. It consisted of a mission talk by Gordon Prenier, a returned missionary from the Turk's and Caicos Islands in the Inter-American Division; a cello solo by Mrs. Gordon Prenier, accompanied by Mrs. W. S. Mead; a talk by Gordon Harris, a recent graduate of Walla Walla College; a vocal duet by the twins, Mary and Martha Walker; a reading, "Systematic Giving," by Miss Donna Harris of Washington Missionary College; a vocal solo by Elder L. R. Mansell, pastor of the Roanoke Church; a talk by Mrs. Gordon Prenier; and a quiz program, conducted by E. M. Ihrig, with different members of the audience participating.

The announcer then told us that the ushers would pass the offering baskets right there in the "radio studio" for a generous offering for the Inter-American Division. Organ music was heard in the background while the offering was received.

"And now, brothers and sisters of the radio audience, this is Station IAD, the Voice of the Inter-American Division, signing off. 'And may the Lord bless thee and keep thee, the Lord make His face to shine upon thee, and be gracious unto thee, the Lord lift up His countenance upon thee and give thee peace. . . . Amen.'"

As the light went off, the sign simultaneously changed to "Off the Air," the music stopped, and we realized that we were sitting in the Roanoke Sabbath School after all!

MRS. H. P. COWLEY
Sabbath School Superintendent,
Roanoke, Va.

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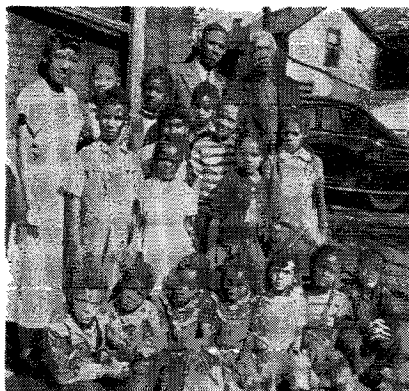
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"A Little Child Shall Lead Them"

THE Columbus, Ohio, Church school wins friends by the good behavior of its pupils, said Elder J. H. Lester, pastor of the Ephesus Church in the city.

Since the opening of the school this year, "Dad" Stevens, a resident of the neighborhood, has made it his concern to escort the children across busy Cleveland Avenue. "Dad" Stevens knows every child by name and stays at his post until the last one has been conducted across the street. He is not an Adventist.

Miss Ethel Phipps, daughter of the late Elder Fred C. Phipps, is the principal and teacher of this happy family.



Wedding

ON Saturday night, August 20, 1949, Miss Thelma A. Churchill became the bride of Mr. Harry James Faison, Jr.

The couple was united in marriage at the home of the bride in Philadelphia, Pa. Elder Monroe A. Burgess of Philadelphia officiated at the ceremony.

Beautiful decorations and flowers in the room made the setting a fitting one for the occasion. Miss Gloria Banfield, daughter of Elder and Mrs. M. S. Banfield, was maid of honor and Mr. John Wagner, Jr., son of Elder and Mrs. J. H. Wagner, was best man.

The groom is from Wilson, N. C., and was a student at Oakwood

College before entering the armed services.

Many relatives and friends attended the ceremony and the couple received quite a number of lovely gifts. May God's richest blessings be upon them as they prepare to establish a residence in Philadelphia as soon as the groom is out of the armed forces.

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Sabbath School Rally

ON Sabbath, October 22, the churches of the Clarksburg and Buckhannon districts met in the newly redecorated Clarksburg Church for a Sabbath school rally. Following the Sabbath school, Elder H. W. Lowe, Associate Secretary of the General Conference Sabbath School Department, gave a very inspiring message on "The Love and Grace of God."

"Sabbath School Evangelism" was the theme of the afternoon meeting. Various plans and methods of Sabbath school work were discussed. Several of the laity joined the workers in an interesting and helpful question-and-answer period.

The motion picture on the Voice of Prophecy was shown during the evening. The meetings were well attended and the Sabbath hours of Christian fellowship were profitable to everyone.

The following took an active part in the services: Elder H. W. Lowe, Associate Secretary of the General Conference Sabbath School Department; Elder J. C. Holland, Columbia Union Sabbath school secretary; Elder C. J. Coon, President of the West Virginia Conference; Elder H. E. Metcalf,

SUNSET CALENDAR

	Nov. 25	Dec. 2
Baltimore, Md.	4:46	4:44
Cleveland, Ohio	5:03	5:00
Columbus, Ohio	5:08	5:05
Cumberland, Md.	4:55	4:53
Parkersburg, W. Va.	4:56	4:53
Philadelphia, Pa.	4:39	4:36
Pittsburgh, Pa.	4:56	4:53
Richmond, Va.	4:53	4:52
Scranton, Pa.	4:39	4:36
Toledo, Ohio	5:10	5:07
Trenton, N. J.	4:36	4:33
Washington, D. C.	4:48	4:46

Clarksburg pastor; and the writer.

L. G. CORNELIUS
Sabbath School Secretary, West Virginia Conference

Washington Missionary College

"The Gateway to Service"

W. H. SHEPHARD, President

News Notes

THE 1949-50 *Golden Memories*, College yearbook, is already in the process of construction. Portraits of students and staff members have been taken during the past three weeks.

Thirty members of the A Cappella choir sang in the Gettysburg, Hanover, and Waynesboro, Pa., Churches November 4 and 5. According to Dr. O. S. Beltz, choir director, the full choir consists of seventy members, forty of whom are new members.

President W. H. Shephard and Dean C. N. Rees will attend the annual meeting of the Middle States Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools at Atlantic City, N. J., November 25.

Thanksgiving vacation will begin at noon, November 22, and terminate Sunday evening, November 27.

Elder Leslie Hardinge, affiliated with the evangelism department at Union College, Lincoln, Nebr., was the vesper speaker on November 4.

BETTY LOU WILLIAMS

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ALLEGHENY

NAME	HRS.	ORD.	DEL'D
H. D. Warner, P.S.			
G. W. Anderson, Asst. P.S.			
Sylvia Slagle	38	23.00	14.75
George Finch	35	12.85	12.85
Lillian Finch	30		471.55
Charles Thompkins	27	88.00	10.00
Carrie Finch	24	28.75	28.75
Maggie Jackson	24	89.95	28.80
Henry Freeman	13	65.55	15.15

E. D. Brantley, Asst. P.S.			
Bineta Ashford	75	134.03	258.75
Albert Berrien	57	326.58	121.29
Albert Berrien	44	107.77	134.25
Lois Williams	42	129.80	46.00
A. A. Arrington	43	152.20	40.10
W. C. Scales	34	126.00	88.10
Ruth Edmond	23	16.70	16.70
W. Spencer Small	19	27.85	27.85
Ellen Brooks	12	13.00	13.00
James Stewart	10	21.00	21.00
Robert L. Armster	10	16.50	13.50

J. R. Britt, Asst. P.S.			
Part-time workers	47	85.97	85.97
M. S. Medley	44	79.90	79.90
Dorothy Bowers	29	121.75	63.10
Helen Pennewell	42	83.43	33.43
R. Guinyard	40	60.00	60.00
Philadelphina Aux.	36	61.50	37.50
R. Guinyard	40	60.00	60.00
Ulysses Bracy	35	22.10	22.10
John A. Craig	35	32.00	15.25
Helen Pennewell	34	84.95	84.95
J. A. Craig	33	103.25	39.75
Lillian Riddick	28	22.89	22.89
R. Guinyard	25	45.00	45.00
Maude A. Fisher	23	63.00	22.50
Mrs. H. D. Warner	20	54.88	54.88
C. L. Craig	20	19.50	11.75
L. Brockenbrough	19	19.60	19.60
Ada B. Thomas	16	56.30	17.80
C. L. Craig	16	11.50	3.00
M. L. Austin	14	11.80	11.80
Part-time workers	12	17.50	17.50
M. Harris	12	14.10	14.10
Lucy Graham	11	20.50	12.50
Fannie Richards	10		8.25

Virgil Gibbons, Asst. P.S.			
E. E. Gavers	60	232.00	70.25
R. Rikardocole	44	185.70	98.15
J. Armstrong	40	120.00	50.00
Washington Aux.	35	65.00	65.00
Pearl B. Mack	34	61.70	61.70
J. V. Russell	32	155.00	48.75
Mary Rogers	32		42.75
J. V. Russell	31	115.00	66.50
M. A. Shorter	31	36.00	17.30
S. S. Davis	30	210.65	57.00
Annie Bannister	30	36.70	36.70
Carrie Pindell	30	75.50	25.75
Luberta George	29	35.45	35.45
Bessie McBroom	27	50.35	13.95
William Woodford	26	145.25	66.25
Floyd Williams	26	32.00	11.00
Danville Aux.	24	57.50	57.50
Lauraina Parker	22	74.73	28.70
Mary Whitehead	20	78.25	28.13
Luberta George	20	27.25	27.25
Della Myers	17	42.90	31.10
Ida Jeffries		22.00	22.00
Clarice Gibbons	15	115.20	27.45
Eva Robinson	15	146.05	27.30
Minnie Watson	15	31.20	10.20
S. Potet	15	16.10	16.10
Mamie Harper	14	15.90	15.90
Odessa Scott	10	15.00	15.00

Totals 1906 4729.33 3329.64

WEST VIRGINIA

A. L. Page, P.S.			
James L. Long	39	169.50	37.50
Mrs. Hazel Cole	34	71.85	1.50
Mrs. Hazel Cole	26	51.75	2.00
Mrs. R. E. Dakin	25	143.60	105.10
Robert Dornburg	37		102.00
Mrs. Louise Pruett	20	11.00	40.10
Mrs. A. C. Sheets	20	22.70	59.40
Ethel Shinn	16	30.40	
Miss Ica Monroe	13	20.00	12.50
Edna Reiner	10	36.25	36.25

Totals 240 557.05 396.35

OHIO

NAME	HRS.	ORD.	DEL'D
Clark McClurg, P.S.			
Harry Freese	40	59.40	59.40
Harry Freese	40	134.40	134.40
C. H. Carter	31	43.00	102.50
H. E. Flory	13	15.25	
H. E. Flory	35	79.50	45.75
H. Quick	28	73.05	60.75
H. Quick	35	164.50	164.50
Danny Leach	10	62.50	62.50

R. O. Schroeder, Asst. P.S.			
R. A. Wuttke	9	28.45	28.50
C. L. Warner	53	45.95	45.95
Mrs. Milton Ettler	13	37.00	37.00
C. F. Wolfe	36	70.67	
C. F. Wolfe	32	63.78	
C. F. Wolfe	30	322.78	
E. M. Phillips	35	73.75	3.50
Ruth Ditullo	40	22.25	19.75
C. H. Diehl	35	48.50	154.00

Fred Goodman, Asst. P.S.			
S. E. Curry	34	106.62	132.18
Mrs. Carl Gee	17	40.00	40.00
Mrs. Mary Woolley	24	81.50	3.00
Irma Benton	11	15.00	5.00
Merle Waldron	12	31.95	
Norman L. Harris	29	106.80	
Erwin Ruth	34	22.75	42.95
Mrs. Jean Cline	9	29.75	29.55
E. S. Klester	3		2.25

Bessie Vincent, Asst. P.S.			
Betty Cring	33	87.50	87.50
A. Spicer	37	125.65	125.75
A. Spicer	40	116.25	121.25
Mrs. B. Pride	30	48.75	5.50
Marie Zimmerman	31	113.00	51.50

Totals 859 2270.25 1564.93

POTOMAC

C. H. Smith, P.S.

Paul Lindsay	48	163.65	84.95
B. E. Wood	41	164.50	
E. E. Cobb	38	126.45	248.25
Mrs. P. M. Jenkins	21	26.30	34.15
Mrs. Dale Conner	18	6.50	6.50
Albert Nielsen	17	65.85	3.75
Mary Speidel	16	29.85	47.35
Mrs. Dorothy Gentry	14	45.75	6.30
Orville Kierstead	11	23.00	23.00
John Wright	8		106.75
Carol Klooster	5		53.50
Mrs. H. P. Tucker	2	14.85	14.85
Donald Rima	84		2080.60
Frank Boyer	5		45.25
Marlou Smith			18.25
Fred Smith			15.50

Magazine Group—Mrs. W. L. Bigelow			
Mrs. May Todd	28	66.85	73.35
Mrs. W. L. Bigelow	27	85.10	85.10
Mrs. Hall Self	26	58.75	58.75
Mr., Mrs. A. J. Miller	9	17.00	20.25

C. A. Yarnell, Asst. P.S.			
Bailey White	33	92.25	81.10
Ted Henderson	32	127.50	
Courtney Wood	15	18.00	18.00

J. G. Vasko, Asst. P.S.			
A. H. Robertson	33	113.50	24.50
Walter Young	30	43.00	73.00
J. E. Gould	27	42.25	32.50
Margaret Hogan	10		16.25
Mrs. G. C. Tatem	3	17.75	15.00
John Klim	65		444.65
Nancy Harner	18		109.15

Totals 684 1348.65 3840.55

NEW JERSEY

M. V. Doran, P.S.

G. W. Barnes	37	109.00	109.00
G. W. Blinn	30	210.00	100.00
E. Marion Browne	25	62.25	45.50
R. Durham	40	76.75	63.50
R. E. French	15	53.75	53.75
E. O. Glenz	37	109.00	76.50
C. Hager	35	99.75	50.00
D. McDermott	21	100.00	100.00
V. Michael	9	25.00	25.00
D. Ritchie	39	56.35	56.35
P. Voorhees	28	104.75	101.75
Wilma Widmer	23	141.00	

Totals 338 1147.60 781.35

EAST PENNSYLVANIA

NAME	HRS.	ORD.	DEL'D
J. A. Jarry, P.S.			
J. Ledonne	41	117.20	212.00
Dee Trautmann	40	162.75	
Laura Wire	39	8.75	
C. A. Baumgartner	36	140.60	140.60
M. D. Hollenbaugh	35	80.00	44.75
Rose Heck	34	144.00	10.00
A. Brandt	33	83.50	103.25
O. C. Weller	32	82.00	82.00
Lois Walker	21	62.00	48.50
Mrs. P. Shirley	20	83.00	69.00
Mrs. H. Habig	13	98.00	26.50
Mrs. M. Burrows	10	24.50	4.50
Harriet M. Wise	10	8.75	11.50
Mrs. J. Cusson	9	45.00	21.50
Harriet M. Wise	9	9.75	
M. Klimosh	7	71.50	

L. H. Wagner, Asst. P.S.			
Paul Bernet	41	140.00	28.75
Paul Bernet	40	70.75	114.00
Jane Steward	30	107.75	102.50
Mrs. V. Siegel	20	125.50	112.75
Aquila Fegley	15	63.45	33.00
Mrs. J. Jackson	15	34.50	4.50
Mrs. S. Fleisher	13	33.75	13.50
Mrs. C. Getz	3	6.50	6.50

Totals 566 1803.50 1189.60

CHESAPEAKE

R. D. McGann, Sr., P.S.

W. F. Houck	40	139.00	87.00
A worker	30	102.00	102.00
Mrs. E. Long	30	38.75	38.75
Mrs. M. McGann	17	52.50	66.35
E. G. White	17	34.25	15.50
Mrs. E. Clark	13	17.00	25.50
Mrs. A. Hudson	8	6.25	6.25
Mrs. R. Gamble	7	26.00	
Mrs. A. Stafford	6		12.25
Mrs. R. Dillon	4	1.75	1.75
A worker	3	27.00	27.00
N. Selfridge	2		6.25
Mrs. M. Newland	1		

Totals 178 494.50 388.50

WEST PENNSYLVANIA


J. H. Creighton, P.S.

Harry Sparks	40	156.00	87.25
Fred Cermak	34	41.50	125.25
John Cordek	32	63.50	57.00
George Schuerger	30	8.25	21.50
George Buttermore	18	55.75	16.50
Alice Robinson	14	12.75	.25
Maude Fitzgerald	8	17.50	
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Lois Miller	4	17.00	17.00

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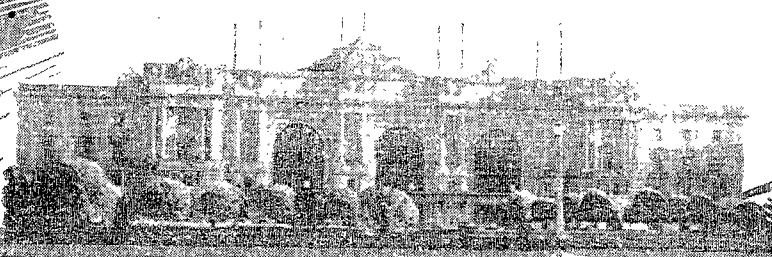
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