

Scheduled July 26-August 4

World Conference To Be Held at San Francisco, Calif.

THE 49th Session of the General Conference of the Seventh-day Adventist denomination will convene in San Francisco, Calif., July 26 to August 4, Elder W. R. Beach, Secretary, has announced.

The opening meeting will be on Thursday night, July 26, at 7:30 o'clock and the final meeting will be vespers on Sabbath, August 4.

The constituency of the Columbia Union Conference will be vitally interested in the detailed program of this convention. Hundreds of members and church leaders in all eight local conferences are planning to attend part or all of this session.

For the convenience of our members in the local conferences we have secured from Elder Beach and the officers of the General Conference a schedule of the high lights of the conference. Please turn to the center-spread of this issue and find the program details.

You will also find in the centerspread pictures of all delegates and alternate delegates who will represent the Union Conference at the west-coast meeting.

The evening meetings and the Sabbath services will be of particular interest. Most of the evening sessions will be devoted to reports from the overseas divisions. Elder R. R. Figuhr, President of the General Conference, will be the main speaker at the service of worship on Sabbath, July 28. On the second Sabbath Elder W. R. Beach will speak.

On the two Sabbath afternoons colorful pageants are planned. Elder W. R. Beach will direct a missions program on the first Sabbath and on the second Sabbath a colorful and interesting program will be presented.

For other details of the program see the schedule on pages 6 and 7.

The site of the convention is the Civic Auditorium of San Francisco,

Calif. On Sabbaths the meetings will be held in the huge Cow Palace while youth will meet at the Civic Auditorium. It is expected that between 20,000 and 25,000 persons will attend weekend sessions of the conference.

Pray that God will bless in all details of this important convocation.

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Alumni to Meet at CUC Booth at GC Session

HARRY HOUSE, President of the Alumni Association of Columbia Union College, invites all graduates of the school to visit the College exhibit at the General Conference Session.

The exhibit will be on Sunday, July 29, from 1:30 P.M. to 6:00 P.M. On hand will be officials of the school to greet graduates. The location is the Educational Department Booth in the Civic Auditorium, San Francisco, Calif.

All alumni of C.U.C. in the Columbia Union Conference are cordially invited to visit your friends and former classmates at or near the exhibit area.



SABBATH MEETINCS. Shown above is an air view of the Cow Palace in San Francisco, Calif., where Sabbath meetings of the General Conference Session will be held July 28 and August 4.

Overseas Officers Here For Pre-Session Meetings

ALL of the officers of overseas divisions of the General Conference will be in the territory of the Columbia Union Conference, July 2-6, for pre-session meetings of the General Conference.

Arrangements have been made for a number of these men to fulfill appointments in the churches of the Greater Washington area. We are pleased to announce the following appointments:

Elder J. J. Aitken, President, South American Division

vision Friday, June 29, Takoma Park MV Society Sabbath, June 30, Sligo Church worship services Sabbath, July 7, Silver Spring, Md., Church Elder David Baasch, Secretary, Inter-American Division

vision Sabbath, July 7, Washington Spanish Church Elder L. C. Naden, Secretary, Australasian Division Sabbath, July 7, Capital Memorial Church Elder R. H. Pierson, President, Southern African Division Sabbath, July 7, Sligo Church Elder C. P. Sorensen, President, Far Eastern Divi-sion

sion Sabbath, July 7, Adelphi, Md., Church Elder A. F. Tarr, President, Northern European Division Sabbath, June 30, Wheaton, Md., Church Elder Arthur Roth, President, Inter-American Di-

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 Sabbath, July 7, Wheaton, Md., Church
 Elder Robert Osborn, Treasurer, South American Division
 Sabbath, July 7, Hyattsville, Md., Church
 Elder Roger Wilcox, President, Middle East Divi-sion

Sabbath, July 7, Washington Sanitarium Church The members of these churches will look forward to the visits of these overseas officers.

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D. A. Roth

West Virginia Marks Another Successful **Camp Meeting**

THE 1962 West Virginia camp meeting is now past. But the many hundreds of persons who attended the eight-day meeting will never forget it.

The combination of perfect weather, an outstanding program, well-kept grounds, and a group of people anxious for a blessing combined to make this year's edition a successful one.

Looking down the roster of guest speakers would lead one to believe he were in a large conference: Dr. H. M. S. Richards, Elder W. A. Fagal, Dr. Earle Hilgert, Elder M. E. Loewen, Elder D. W. Hunter, Elder Robert Correia, Saimone Vula of Fiji, Elder J. B. Keith of New Guinea, Elder E. E. Roenfelt, Elder Glenn Coon, Dr. Glenn Archer, and George B. Nelson among others. The Union Conference staff also contributed their share to the program.

The music? The Faith for Today quartet, the King's Heralds quartet, Roger McNeily, local talent, and visiting performers.

The youth? The juniors will never

forget the snakeskins, the Amazon dolls, the daggers, and the stories by Elder Robert Correia, a real missionary from South America. All youth of every level enjoyed daily programs.

The campus? The seven-acre plot never looked greener or cleaner. For the first time a new platform was in use in the auditorium, which was used for the second year.

The impact on the public? Radio, television, and local newspapers all gave outstanding coverage. On the opening day of camp meeting the editor of the afternoon paper printed a pleasing editorial, welcoming the delegates to Parkersburg.

The results? These will have to be left to God and the angels of heaven. But the spiritual messages, the books which were purchased, the testimonies which were given, and the decisions which were made were all factors in bringing a new spiritual outlook for those who attended.

Leadership of the camp indicated much planning. In charge of the general over-all program was the Conference President, Elder A. J. Patzer. Elder Lantry had charge of the youth divisions while Elder Ernest Gackenheimer was in charge of the children's tents, the Sabbath schools, and the public relations program. Elder Ralph Wallace kept the grounds in order under his supervision, while W. H. Smith took care of the finances and the Book and Bible House. Each one had duties to perform.

My own impression is that God most definitely meets with His people at camp-meeting time. West Virginia was my first camp meeting this year and I have seven more to attend. Blessings are in store at each camp meeting throughout the entire Columbia Union Conference. Join with me that God might continue to bless in these annual gatherings.

D. A. Roth

Wedding

BEFORE a large group of relatives and friends on Sunday, June 3, Linda Wickwire, daughter of the Secretary



This photo of Elder E. L. Hanson arrived too late to get in the centerspread photo section of the General Conference delegates from the Columbia Union Con-

ference. He is Pastor of the Norfolk, Va., Church.

Division Presidents to Speak at Sligo Church

Two overseas division presidents will speak in the Sligo Church of Takoma Park the next two Sabbaths.

On Sabbath, June 30, the speaker for the 8:30 A.M. and 11:15 A.M. worship services will be Elder James J. Aitken of Uruguay, President of the South American Division.



James J. Aitken

On the following Sabbath the speaker will be Elder Robert H. Pierson of Rhodesia, President of the South African Division. He is a former pastor of the Takoma Park, Md., Church.

In announcing the speakers, Elder William Loveless, Pastor, says that the two officials will be in Washington, D. C., for committee meetings in connection with the General Conference Session.

of the Publishing Department of the Columbia Union Conference, Elder Bruce Wickwire, became the bride of Richard Ruhling.

Just 24 hours before the ceremony both the bride and groom were graduated from Columbia Union College. She received a B.S. degree in nursing and he received a B.A. degree in chemistry.

The ceremony was performed by the bride's father, Elder Wickwire. The organist was Carolyn Sowards and vocalists included Lynn Wickwire, Jeanetta Williams, and Richard Ruhling.

Attendants to the bride were Barbara Clemons (sister of the bride). Yvonne Ruhling, Donna Tucker, Kathy Detamore, and Dorothy Ruhling (junior bridesmaid).

The best man was Bruce Boyer. Ushers included Lester Mohr, Bruce Wickwire, Jr., Robert Chew, and John Cheung. The Bible bearer was Brvan Wickwire and the flower girl was Arlinda Nelson.

A reception for guests was held in the lower auditorium of the Washington Sanitarium Chapel. Mr. and Mrs. Ruhling plan to be literature evangelists this summer in eastern Pennsylvania. In the early fall they will make their home at Loma Linda, Calif., where he has been accepted as a medical student at Loma Linda D. A. Roth University.



Bible studies had been a staunch



Woodbury Youth Active In Church Work

EVERY day we hear so much about young people who are delinquent that we almost regard all teenagers suspiciously. We acquire this concept because very little, if anything, is said or printed about young people who live normal lives or who are succeeding in their attempts to live as victorious Christians.

The Woodbury Church is proud of its group of young people. They take an active part in many of the church programs. One young girl, Cindy Coleman, is proving to be a great blessing to the church. Her story may encourage others who may be in similar circumstances.

Eight years ago Mr. and Mrs. Otto Keubler moved into their new home next door to the Coleman family. The Colemans sent their children to a Methodist Sunday School. Mrs. Keubler was a Roman Catholic. Across the street lived a woman who had been an Adventist at one time.

Two Mormons began Bible studies with the Colemans. The Keublers knew about these studies but were not interested. Mrs. Coleman lost interest as soon as she learned that she would have to give up coffee, liquor, and tobacco. Her husband was intensely interested in Mormonism, and would not stop the studies. Mrs. Coleman appealed to her neighbors for help to stop the Mormon studies.

The former Adventist woman told her to ask them to prove which day is the true Sabbath, their ideas about the dead and baptism, and other doctrines from the Bible. She supplied Mrs. Coleman with texts and facts to use. This caused Mrs. Keubler to avoid the former Adventist neighbor because she felt that her religion was even stranger than Mormonism.

By being a good neighbor, the former Adventist woman was able to regain Mrs. Keubler's friendship, and eventually suggested that the Keublers take Adventist Bible studies. The wife of the couple giving the

Roman Catholic, so she was a big help to Mrs. Keubler. The Keublers accepted the messages presented and were baptized.
Cindy Coleman was in the Keubler

home nearly all the time, either as a baby sitter, or just passing the time of day. The Keublers took her with them wherever they went. She began studying the Bible with them, even offering to help Mrs. Keubler with the housework if Mrs. Keubler would study the Bible with her when the chores were finished.

Soon the Keublers were taking Cindy and her sisters to church and Sabbath School regularly. Then Mrs. Coleman forbade them to go to the Adventist church, saying that she wanted her daughters to be popular, drink, and smoke like the other girls in their school. Cindy began to study her Bible and Sabbath School lessons at home but had to hide them from her mother's wrath. Next, she was forbidden to see the Keublers, but she stopped occasionally anyway.

Cindy had been taking batontwirling lessons. When she entered high school, her mother suggested that she enter the try-outs for majorette. To Cindy's surprise, she was chosen to be one of the head majorettes. Being a freshman, she had not expected this. She brought the uniform home, and her mother had her put it on and perform for the neighbors.

That night Cindy did some thinking. She felt she could not attend the football games on the Sabbath. The next day she returned her uniform. This so enraged her mother that she threatened trouble if Cindy talked to the Keublers again. She also made Cindy do all the house-



Left to right: Otto Keubler, Cindy Coleman, Mrs. Otto Keubler.

work on Friday evenings and Saturdays.

Shortly after this the Keublers received a summons to appear in court. Mrs. Coleman had brought charges against them, claiming that they were alienating Cindy's affections and disrupting the unity of the family. The judge ordered the Keublers to refrain from inviting Cindy into their home against her parents' wishes.

For more than a year Cindy was completely isolated from Adventists. The Keublers and other members of the church prayed constantly for her, but wondered how she would get along under such circumstances.

Recently, after a family quarrel, Cindy told her parents that what the family needed was Christ. She begged once more to be allowed to attend the Adventist church. Her father agreed to let her go and her mother gave her no trouble.

During the MV Week of Prayer Cindy joined many other young people who expressed their desire to be baptized and serve God.

MRS. ERWIN PIXLEY Press Secretary, Woodbury Church



Million-Dollar Offering

THE million dollars for evangelism to be raised this year is a very small sum with which to meet the needs of the world field. Now is the time when we should be preaching the message with power in all the cities of the world, but this takes much money, hence this offering has been appointed.

The special message that we believe Seventh-day Adventists are commissioned to carry to all the world demands our greatest sacrifices, our most intense zeal, and full consecration. This offering can demonstrate all of this in the liberal gift we place at the feet of our Master.

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May our hearts be touched with the world's millions who are without Christ and then may each of us give as God has so abundantly blessed us. An offering was taken at camp meeting, June 16, but all church members are invited to participate on Sabbath, July 14. If you have not given, please do so then.

President

F. W. WERNICK

Wedding

DEE LUANN SCHULTZ of Bradford, Pa., and John Jay Axford, Jr., of Meadow Glade, Battle Ground, Wash., were united in marriage in the Seventh-day Adventist Church of Bradford, Pa., Sunday, May 6, 1962, at 2:30 P.M.

Attendants at the wedding were Garth Stoltz and Barbara Schultz.

Carl Laubach sang "O Promise Me," and Mrs. Laubach played the organ. A reception was held in the schoolroom following the ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. Axford will establish their residence in the state of Washington this summer. ALVIN J. STEWART

Pastor

Oil City Investment Tree Brings in \$107

SPRING came early to Oil City Sabbath School members as a tree blossomed forth with leaves and flowers that swelled the investment offering for the first quarter. Leaves and flowers were made from construction paper and Kleenex and sold to members for one cent for leaves and five and 25 cents for flowers. A broken, bare limb signifies those who do not take part in the Sabbath School activities. Uninterested members wither, die, and become broken away from Sabbath School activities.



Oil City Investment tree.

The Investment club was started to initiate a systematic way of giving. Each Sabbath School member is asked to set aside 25 cents monthly for Investment dues.

An Investment tree and an Investment "club" gave Oil City an unprecedented total of \$107.68 for the first quarter of 1962.

MRS. JOSEPH EDWARDS



Conference Sponsors First Church Music Institute

THE first church music institute for the Ohio Conference, and possibly the entire denomination, was held in Mount Vernon on the afternoon of Sabbath, May 19.

Sponsored by the Ohio Conference and directed by Roger McNeily, Director of the Mount Vernon Academy Music Department and minister of music for the Mount Vernon Church, the institute was held for church music leaders, organists, choir directors, and all interested in good church music.

More than 200 attended the session which was held in the Mount Vernon Church from 2:00 to 5:00 o'clock Sabbath afternoon. Elder D. W. Hunter opened the institute with a discussion of the place of music. Roger McNeily followed with a session on techniques of choral conducting. For this section, Mr. McNeily used the M.V.A. Echoliers to demonstrate each point and technique.

Next Elder Albert Brendel, Pastor of the Mount Vernon Church, and host for the day, ably outlined the place of music in the worship service.

Roger McNeily came back with instruction regarding how to start a choir. This time Mr. McNeily organized an impromptu choir by selecting talent from the assembled delegates and demonstrated his points by having the group take part in actual choir practice. He also demonstrated ways of learning new music.

Last on the program was Mrs. Virginia Trott, organ instructor at M.V.A. and head organist for the Mount Vernon Church. Mrs. Trott moderated a panel composed of Mrs. Charles Hinckley of Marion, Mrs. Lewis Watson of Worthington, and Clinton Trott, M.D., a local physician. Through the panel Mrs. Trott pinpointed the place of the organ in the worship service.

All segments of discussion were augmented by a display of song

Ohio

Camp Meeting

June 28-July 8



Camp - meeting favorites, H. M. S. Richards and the K in g's Heralds will have the evening meeting on the last Sabbath (July 7) of the Ohio Camp Meeting.

Elder Richards always presents a timely and interesting message and the King's Heralds will put finishing touches on the hour with beautiful gospel songs.

Come, join your fellow Ohio church members for this final Sabbath session of our 1962 camp meeting.



The King's Heralds

Every day brings us nearer the climax of the ages. In such a time dare we miss the blessings afforded by fellowship and study of the Word of God at camp meeting? God has promised to be present at these yearly convocations. Will you be present to receive your share of His sweet Spirit?



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books, choir music, organ books, music magazines, and other resource material provided by Paul Weichert, Manager of the Ohio Book and Bible House.

The entire session was marked by active participation on the part of delegates and interested church members. Many voiced the hope that this type of institute will become a regular feature on the agenda of the Ohio Conference.

It was mentioned that we hold workshops and institutes for every other phase of our church program, but usually the musicians are left out. Because of the interest shown, it is hoped that similar institutes will be made an annual or semi-annual event.

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## **Farewell and Welcome**

MEMBERS of the Dayton Far Hills Church recently said good-by to Dr. Hubert Sturges and his family at a farewell supper. Having been associated with Dr. Kenneth L. Meyers of Kettering for the past year, Dr. Sturges leaves many friends in the Dayton area. He has accepted a residency in internal medicine at Brighton, Colo.

Shortly before leaving for the West, he shared with us a visit from his brother, Dr. Stanley Sturges, from Pakistan, who was chosen as one of America's 10 most outstanding young men of the past year.

Although we had to say good-by to the Sturges family, we are privileged to welcome Dr. David Gregg and his family into our midst. Dr. Gregg comes to Dayton from Greybull, Wyo., and will be associated with Dr. Kenneth Meyers. Dr. and Mrs. Gregg have a very interesting family. Charles, nine, and Li Anne, five, are Korean. The third adopted child is La Juana, three, of Mexican extraction. The Greggs also have been foster parents to two older children and enabled them to obtain a Christian education.



Dr. and Mrs. Hubert Sturges and their children.

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Dr. and Mrs. David Gregg and a portion of their family.

In addition to these, the Greggs have four fine children who were born to them. Mari, 17, and Martha, 14, are attending Campion Academy at Loveland, Colo. David, 11, and Debra, seven, are enrolled at Dayton Junior Academy.

We wish the Gregg family every blessing as they settle in nearby Centerville, Ohio.

THEODORE MILLER Press Secretary, Dayton Far Hills Church



## Report From Cumberland District

THE Cumberland district has been making some advances along lines that have long been dormant. In order to be able to use the opportunities to serve that God brings unto us, we must all develop the work in every line. Every activity of the church should play its part in the winning of souls. It is sometimes hard to know just where business ends and soul winning begins. Everything seems to have its influence as we work for the Master.

First, I should like to express a word of gratitude for the devoted cooperation and earnest zeal of the local leadership in these churches. The message is indeed foremost in the minds of the people.

Just about a year ago there began to be quite a stir about the organization of a church school. Although there had been a church school many years ago, it had been some time since one had been in operation. After careful planning and in view of the fact that we had a qualified teacher in our midst, we opened our doors last fall with nine students. Mrs. Donna Stiles, a member of the church and living at Burlington, W. Va., faithfully carried out her work. Day after day she drove the 35 miles to school.

Last Monday night, May 21, was the climax of the year. We were happy to have Elder J. H. Lantry with us for an investiture service. The school presented a very interesting program which demonstrated the fact that the church school was indeed developing not only the head, but also the heart and the hand. We are thankful for the school which will help to develop deep-rooted members of the church. At the conclusion of the program there was a brief graduation exercise. The two eighth graders of our school-Raymond Stiles and Linda Wallace, with their friends and fellow students, were addressed by Elder Lantry, Conference Educational Superintendent

In gratitude for the opportunity to attend the church school, the little graduating class presented to the school a large flag of the United States to be used in place of the borrowed flag of this past year. Both of these young people are making definite plans to continue their education in the academies of our church school system.

The church in Cumberland also is planning to develop a more adequate church plant in the near future. Toward this end they purchased a lovely lot in a very excellent section of town. This past year adjoining property was up for sale and this was added to the church holdings. They now own property a block long and 100 feet deep. The new property also included a spacious home which the members have redecorated and remodeled. This is now being used as a parsonage and with housing so short in the area this also is a real blessing.

The sister church of Frostburg also has been expanding and developing. About 10 years ago a church building was begun at 81 College Avenue. After going through many problems and heartaches, the basement was completed and roofed over so that it might be used temporarily as the church. For many years some of the people of Frostburg thought of the foundation as part of a house. Feeling that our work needed quarters more in keeping with the permanence and importance of our work, plans have been made to proceed with the auditorium of the building.

The initial masonry work has almost been completed. As soon as the camp-meeting season is over, work

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Neal C. Wilson



M. W. Sickler







J. R. Shuff

H. K. Halladay

Program

A. J. Patzer

#### Thursday, July 26

W. E. Haase

7:30 P.M.—Opening Session: Keynote Address by General Conference President; seating of delegates.

#### Friday, July 27

8:15 A.M.-Devotional, Elder W. E. Murray. 7:30 P.M.-Dr. F. D. Nichol, speaker, meeting at the Cow Palace

#### Sabbath, July 28

9:30 A.M.—Sabbath School.

11:00 A.M.—Hour of Worship. Speaker: Elder R. R. Figuhr, President of the General Conference.

3:00 P.M.—"Mission to the World," directed by Elder W. R. Beach, Secretary of the General Conference. 7:30 P.M.-Middle East and Australasian Division reports.

#### Sunday, July 29

8:15 A.M.-Devotional, Elder W. B. Ochs.

7:30 P.M.—Southern African and South American Division reports.

#### Monday, July 30

8:15 A.M.-Devotional, Elder M. V. Campbell. 7:30 P.M.-Southern European and Southern Asia Division reports.

#### Tuesday, July 31

C. B. Green

8:15 A.M.—Devotional, Elder F. L. Peterson. 7:30 P.M.—Central European and Inter-American Division reports.

D. A. Roth











M. H. Reeder





H. C. Reading



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# San Francisco, Calif.

In this issue the Columbia Union "Visitor" Conference which is scheduled to convene jub courtesy of the office of the Secretary of the main meetings of the quadrennial meeting. N attend the world conference in California and v visit there. For the others who will not have t that all might know the program of the confer of the Columbia Union Conference the delegate Conference at the Session. These include pastor for the success of this important gathering of G



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E. M. Peterson









L. G. Small

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#### Wednesday, August 1

8:15 A.M.-Devotional, Elder W. G. C. Murdoch. 7:30 P.M.—North American Division reports.

#### Thursday, August 2

8:15 A.M.-Devotional, Elder R. A. Anderson. 7:30 P.M.-Northern European and Far Eastern Division reports.

#### Friday, August 3

8:15 A.M.-Devotional, Dr. A. G. Maxwell. 7:30 P.M.-Speaker, Dr. Harold M. S. Richards at the Cow Palace.

#### Sabbath, August 4

9:30 A.M.-Sabbath School. 11:00 A.M.--Worship service. Speaker: Elder W. R. Beach, Secretary of the General Conference

3:00 P.M.—"This Hope We Share," pageant.

The General Conference Session will close with a vesper service at the Cow Palace at sundown on Saturday night.

#### Youth Meetings-Each Sabbath **Civic Auditorium**

#### Sabbath, July 28

9:30 A.M.—Sabbath School.

11:00 A.M.-Worship service. Speaker: Elder R. A. Vince of Australia.

3:00 P.M.-Special program.

#### Sabbath, August 4

9:30 A.M.-Sabbath School. 11:00 A.M.-Worship service. Speaker: Dr. A. G. Maxwell.

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# West Virginia

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will proceed with the roof and veneer work. People in the city are beginning to get the idea that this is a church, that Adventists are here to stay, and that our work is important. It is hoped that the auditorium may be in usable condition in about six months.

But with all this activity, souls are the important thing. Baptisms are not to be ignored. One person, Mrs. Nancy Bittner, joined the church recently and there is a baptismal class of eight preparing for baptism the last of June. With Bible course interests and new interests being developed by our literature evangelist, Randy Murphy, we are sure that there is a bright future for the work in this part of the field.

God has been good. Much has been accomplished! But there is so much that still needs to be done. The people are so unaware of the third angel's message. We here in the Cumberland district feel the need to dedicate ourselves to greater work for the Master. In the fellowship of the church is the strength of our work. May we all do our part to hasten the glad day when Jesus shall come.

R. E. WALLACE Pastor, Cumberland-Frostburg District



# Shenandoah Valley Academy Day

ACADEMY Day at Shenandoah Valley Academy was held on the campus of the Academy, May 13, with prospective students arriving from all over the Conference for a day of planned sight-seeing, activity, and recreation.

The following schools were represented: Alexandria, Amicus, John Nevins Andrews, Beltsville, Damascus, Rockville, Danville, Fredericksburg, Hampton Roads, Lynchburg, Norfolk, Richmond, Roanoke, Stanley, Staunton, Takoma Academy, Vienna, Winchester, and Wytheville.

Registration at 8:30 was followed by a special program in the gymnasium. Such features as the following were on the program: drill demonstration by the Medical Cadet Corps; Shenandoah Valley Choir presenta-



Thelma Barry of Shenandoah Valley Academy types a registration card for Cammie Stewart of Norfolk on Academy Day.



Jim Ramsey and Silvia Zent (right) are showing a group of visiting students around the boys' dormitory during Academy Day at Shenandoah Valley Academy.



"Let's try the Principal's office," said Bob Woods (left) of Waynesboro, Barbara Stout of Winchester, and Eddie Sherrill of Staunton. They were exploring on Academy Day at Shenandoah Valley Academy.

tions; S.V.A. Band renditions; class songs by the upper and lower classmen.

The high light of the program was the introduction of the new Principal, Loren E. Poole, who will take the place of Elder Herbert E. Haas, recently called to become Educational and Home Missionary Secretary of the Northern Union

| Potomac Conference<br>Youth Camps                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |  |  |  |
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| <ol> <li>SENIOR CAMP—July 4-8; coed,<br/>ages 16-30.</li> <li>KUB-KAMP—July 8-15; boys<br/>and girls, ages 8-11.</li> <li>JUNIOR CAMP, NO. 1—July<br/>15-22; boys and girls, ages 10-13.</li> <li>JUNIOR CAMP, NO. 2—July<br/>22-29; coed, ages 13 and up.</li> <li>ACTIVITIES—FOR YOU TO ENJOY:<br/>Boating, water skiing, canoeing,<br/>camp-outs, Indian tepees.</li> <li>GET YOUR APPLICATION IN<br/>RIGHT AWAY</li> <li>For Full Information Write to:<br/>E. Frank Sherrill, Camp Director<br/>MV Department<br/>Box 1208<br/>Staunton, Va.</li> </ol> |  |  |  |



Faith Wash of Hampton Roads is a prospective worker at the Shenandoah Valley Academy Bindery, according to Helmut Liers, superintendent. The interview took place on Academy Day.



Elder H. J. Capman, President of the Potomac Conference (center), looks approvingly at the new Principal of Shenandoah Valley Academy. Outgoing Principal, Herbert E. Haas, welcomes Loren E. Poole, who comes from Garden State Academy in New Jersey.

Conference. Elder Poole comes to the Academy from Garden State Academy in New Jersey, where he served as principal for five years.

Others who also had part in the program in the gymnasium were Elder R. G. Burchfield, Treasurer of the Potomac Conference; Elder H. J. Capman, President of the Potomac Conference; Roland John, Treasurer of Shenandoah Valley Academy; and Elder E. J. Barnes, Secretary of Education of the Potomac Conference.

Dinner was provided at the Jones Cafeteria and in the afternoon a movie of S.V.A. was shown and there was a ball game between students of the Academy and the Conference ministers.

New Lake at Conference Youth Camp

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A view of a portion of the new Hidden Valley Lake at Blue Ridge Youth Camp. Be sure to get your application in today.

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# Pine Forge Institute Graduates 37 Seniors

MORE than 600 persons attended the weekend graduation exercises on the Pine Forge Institute campus which began on Fridav evening, June 1, and concluded with the commencement on Sunday at 10:30 A.M., when 37 graduates received their diplomas.

The consecration speaker on Friday evening was Pastor Donald J. Williams of Lynchburg, Va.

The baccalaureate sermon was delivered Saturday morning by Elder W. R. Robinson of Chicago, Ill., a former resident of Pine Forge and returned missionary from Uganda, Africa. The commencement speaker was Elder William L. DeShay of Toledo, Ohio. His subject was "The Third Component."

This was the 16th annual commencement of the Institute and was held on the spacious lawn in front of the administration building.

Elder W. L. Cheatham, Conference President and board chairman, gave the welcome to parents, friends, and guests from several adjacent states.

Special awards of \$50 each were presented to Peggy Keys of Delaware and Shem W. Wandiga of Kenya, East Africa, for their outstanding achievements.

Two students, Walter Darby and Julie Tivy, both of Pine Forge, received special awards. Darby received a bronze plaque, an honorary science award of Bausch and Lomb. He was in the upper 90th percentile in the National Merit Test.

Frank McRae of Lancaster won a portable typewriter, a gift from Levitz Furniture Company, for the best essay. He wrote on the "Efficacy of Constructive Thought."

Elder W. A. Thompson, Conference Treasurer, made the awards. The principal-manager of the school, Elder Charles Lee Brooks, officiated at the ceremonies.

A. V. PINKNEY



Thirty-seven graduates of Pine Forge Institute shown at the commencement exercise.



A section of the large crowd at the commencement exercise.



Graduation scene at Pine Forge Institute commencement.

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#### **Million-Dollar Offering**

THE report just received showing the standing of the financial side of the churches gives us much for which to thank God. Our members here in Chesapeake have received richly of heaven's bounties. Substantial gains are noticed in church after church, both in tithe and Sabbath School offerings. A picture like this, we are told, causes the angels to rejoice in heaven. How fitting it is for us to do likewise.

This is reason enough, among the many other reasons, why we should make specific plans to insure that the 1962 World Million-Dollar Offering will be a real experience in the life of each one basking in the sunlight of the speedily triumphing remnant church. We are directed to attempt great things for God. To do this requires effort and planning. Large offerings under God's blessing will accomplish great things for His name.

As you look over the economic uncertainties of the hour, what better investment can any child of God make than to drive another mighty stake in the soon-to-be-finished advent movement? A *real* sacrifice will do just that, and will slip another eternal payment into your safe deposit box in heaven's treasure vault. Let us all do just that.

A. B. BUTLER

## **Meetings Held at Dundalk**

ON May 6 John F. Cameron, William J. Robbins, and Elder Sidney M. Young began a three-week series of meetings in the Airatorium at Dundalk, a suburb of Baltimore. Instead of preaching, they conducted the meetings like a cottage meeting by furnishing a Bible to each family which they kept after attending 10 nights of the 22.

It was an inspirational sight to see the people mark their Bibles together and respond by reading back portions of the different texts. As the people left the Airatorium night after night, they would remark how they enjoyed this way of studying their Bibles.

The attendance remained steady throughout the week nights as it was on the weekends. More than 100 non-Adventists attended the meetings and a good number made their



Most of the people attending the evangelistic services mark their Bibles during the sermon.



Evangelist S. M. Young and John F. Cameron, Assistant Pastor, stand at entrance of Airatorium.



Elder S. M. Young preaches during evangelistic meetings in Baltimore.



Upon entering the Airatorium individuals get Bibles at the Bible booth to use during lecture.

decision for the truth. The laymen and the ministry have started studies in some of the homes.

The most outstanding result of the meetings was the effect upon the minds of the people as they saw and studied the precious truths of the Bible for themselves.



### **Chesapeake Music** Camp

GOOD FUN-GOOD FOOD-GOOD MUSIC

August 26-September 1

For Application Write to:

R. E. Hamilton Director, Chesapeake Music Camp 5110 Frederick Ave. Baltimore 29, Md.



MADSEN, Ida Gustavesen, was born in Sweden in 1869 and died January 21, 1962. She was a members of the Seventh-day Adventist Church for over 57 years. Her membership was in the Perth Ambog Church for most of this time. In 1888 she was married to Peter Madsen. She is survived by one son, Peter Madsen; three daughters: Anna and Minerra Madsen and Mrs. Edith Schwyter; one grandson. Jack Madsen; and one great-granddaughter, Joanne Madsen. (Copy received June 4, 1962.

ENGSTROM, Mrs. Marie, was born March 24, 1880, at Interlocken, Switzerland, and died in DuBois, Pa., May 17, 1962. She was baptized a Seventh-day Advent-ist in 1912 and became a member of the DuBois, Pa., Church. She is survived by her two sisters, Mrs. Anna Lockwood and Mrs. Margaret Streich. She was laid to rest in Ridgway, Pa., beside her husband. She rests in the hope of the resurrection. Walter E. Kloss

STAUBACH. Olis, was born April 7, 1870, in Yugo-slavia, and died April 25, 1962, at his home in Crest-line, Ohio. He was laid to rest beside his wife in the Crestline Cemetery where both await the resurrection. Many Seronth-day Adventists, both in the United States and in Yugoslavia, can trace their knowledge of the Adventist faith to the labor of Mr. Staubach. Surviving are Mrs. Marie Klaesi; four sons: Steve, Joseph, John, and Dr. Fred Staubach; and many friends.

KOLB, Frances Amelia, the eldest child of Leuis and Agens Kolb, was born October 29, 1918, at New-ark, Ohio, and died May 14, 1962, in Cambridge, Ohio. She was baptized a Seventh-day Adventist February 22, 1947, at Zanesville, Ohio, but remained a member of the Dresden, Ohio, Church, She is survived by her parents and two brothers.

#### Floyd Smith

LINDSAY, Mabel G., was born January 15, 1887, in Haymaker, Pa., and died May 19, 1962, at Mount Vernon, Ohio. She shared with her husband, now de-ceased, 33 fruitful years of ministry for God in the Columbia and Southern Union Conferences. Her life was enriched by 12 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren. She leaves two daughters: Mabel Grace Wright and Esther Rebecca Small; four sons: Roscoe Andrew, Paul Samuel, Donald James, and Elder Harold Lindsay. Interment was in Moundview Cemetery, Mount Vernon, Ohio. Assisting the writer were David Percy and Elder Richard Farley. and Elder Richard Farley.

Albert E. Brendel, Jr.

# ADVERTISEMENTS

RATES. Minimum charge, \$3 for 50 words or less; additional words, 5c a word. All ads must be ap-proved by the local conference office. Consecutive insertions only when space permits Payment must accompany ads (do not send cosh). Make checks or money orders payable to the Washington Col-lege Press We prefer not to accept telephoned ads.

FOR SALE: lake-frontage lots and cottages. Also cottage for rent about 7 miles from Cedar Lake Acad-emy or 11 miles from Alma, Terms, Dr. E. A. Ochs, 30450 Main St., Ithaca, Mich.

WANTED at once: registered nurse. Also a licensed practical nurse, nurse's aide, and a good cook. Must be Christians and efficient. Give complete information -experience, reference, etc.-in first letter. Norma Tabor, Mount Vernon Best Home, Mount Vernon, Ohio.

WANTED: licensed practical nurse and nurses' aide for alternating shifts, and woman to assist in kitchen. Experience preferred, but not necessary, if willing to learn. Fine opportunity for someone who desires a steady year-round position in one of New Jersey's finest 18-bed nursing homes. Five-day week, Sabbath privi-leges, churches near. Mapleton Nursing Home, 100 Craske St., Woodbridge, N. J. Telephone ME 4-1389. Call or write Joanna Manry, administrator.

HELP WANTED: Retail milk men for established HELP WANTED: Retail milk men for established routes. Dairy plant worker: a good opportunity for a man with mechanical ability to operate, maintain, and service plant equipment. In the fall we shall need men for school routes. Ideal for upperclassmen at C.U.C. that attend afternoon classes. We have Blue Cross and Blue Shield hospitalization. Apply to Hadley Farms Dairy, Inc., Route 2, Gaithersburg, Md. Telephone 948-9566 948-9266.

FOR SALE: super market, grossing \$20,000 weekly in the Washington, D. C., area. Closed on the Sab-bath, No fresh meats. This store is ideal for partners. Shows excellent profits, Low rent, good lease, Sub-stantial cash required. Call or write Atkin and Ely Associates, 929 Kennedy St., N.W., Washington, D. C. Titcherma, 2,3100 TUckerman 2-3100.

HOUSEKEEPER, under 40. Living in or out. Mod-ern vegetarian home in Bethesda with all conveniences, including use of second car. School-age children, very good conditions. Write P. O. Box 9868, Washington 15, indicating age, salary required, and previous Ď C., experience.

OPPORTUNITY—nationwide—Adventist Tool Man-ufacturing Co. desires ambitious man 25-45 to do sales work in metropolitan N. Y. and Long Island area. Op-portunity to advance with fast-growing Co. Send re-sume. Reply to W. W. Burke, Box 633, S. Lancaster. Mass.

WANTED: housekeeper to live in. Also help with elderly folk. Sabbath privileges. Mrs. Cecil J. Deavers, Rileyville, Va.

#### Sunset Calendar

|                                    | June 29  | July 6 |
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| Baltimore, Md.                     | 7:37     | 7:36   |
| Cincinnati, Ohio                   | 8:08     | 8:07   |
| Cleveland, Ohio                    | 8:05     | 8:03   |
| Columbus, Ohio                     | 8:05     | 8:04   |
| Jersey City, N. J.                 | 7:31     | 7:30   |
| Norfolk, Va.                       | 7:29     | 7:28   |
| Parkersburg, W. Va.                | 7:57     | 7:56   |
| Philadelphia, Pa                   | 7:34     | 7:33   |
| Pittsburgh, Pa                     | 7:54     | 7:53   |
| Reading, Pa                        | 7:40     | 7:39   |
| Richmond, Va                       | 7:38     | 7:37   |
| Scranton, Pa                       | 7:40     | 7 :39  |
| Toledo, Ohio                       | 8:12     | 8:11   |
| Trenton, N. J                      | 7:35     | 7:30   |
| Washington, D. C                   | 7:38     | 7 :37  |
| NOTE: Time given is Eastern Standa | rd Time. |        |

# EAST PENNSYLVANIA CONFERENCE Cooperates in WORLD EVANGELISM

# CAMP MEETING

JUNE 30

BRING YOUR OFFERING

MILLION-DOLLAR OFFERING



Spanish Evangelism, Philadelphia, Pa.



Church evangelism, typical of all East Pennsylvania Conference churches.



Public evangelism continues each year in our field. This year let us give a liberal offering to assist evangelism in all fields of the world.



New converts as a result of public evangelism in East Pennsylvania.



Bui ding new churches, results of evangelism.

An offering is to be received for world evangelism on June 30 at our camp meeting. Thousands of dollars will be contributed on that day to help spread the light of the gospel of Jesus Christ. Plan to give your offering or make your commitment on June 30. The offering also will be received in all East Pennsylvania Conference Churches on June 30.

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Enthusiastic listeners hear the gospel message as told by an Adventist evangelist.



# College Graduates 99 Seniors

SPEAKING at the 58th Commencement exercises of Columbia Union College on the subject, "Unscared by Immensity," Elder Kenneth Wood, Associate Editor of the *Review and Herald*, listed some of the immensities, unique in our day, which the class of 1962 must face.

Among these he listed the immensity of change, of power for world destruction, of truth—both scientific and religious—of freedom, and the immensity within oneself.

Elder Wood told the class that, "girded with truth and committed without reserve to Jesus Christ, you can step forth into the future with its problems and challenges unafraid."

Drawing the attention of the class to the task that confronts the church, Elder Wood pointed out that for every 2,353 people in the world there is only one Seventh-day Adventist.

"Here," he said, "is a task almost overwhelming in magnitude. Can we face it unscared by its immensity? We can if we sense that divine power is equal to the task. Nothing is too hard for God."

Concluding h is address, Elder Wood told the graduates:

"We believe that the time is here for the church to move forward. The bugles of God never sound retreat.

"The time is here for a new commitment to our assignment. The time is here for unprecedented sacrifice, for the formulation and implementation of larger plans. The time is here for courage, not timidity, for singleness of purpose, not fragmentation of effort."

"To carry the advent message to the entire world in this generation," he said, "must be embraced wholeheartedly as the *raison d'etre* of every Seventh-day Adventist, certainly of this class."

Ninety-nine graduates received degrees. Forty-five of these were Bachelor of Arts and 50, Bachelor of Science degrees. Four students received two-year certificates in Secretarial Science.

Nations represented in the class span the globe from Hong Kong to Italy. The youngest graduates are



Elder Kenneth H. Wood

20 years old and one has a son six months old. The oldest member has 23 years of denominational service, including seven years in Africa. Children of the candidates number 28, and there are five grandchildren.

Dr. Edward Heppenstall, Professor of Christian Philosophy at Andrews University, preached the consecration sermon. The baccalaureate sermon, "The Impact of God's Holiness," w a s delivered by Elder William Loveless, Pastor of the Sligo Church, Takoma Park, Md.

Class officers are: James W. Burns, president; Donna Lee Tucker, vicepresident; Madeline Buckley Barkman, secretary; Richard Glen Ruhling, treasurer; James E. Surrency, pastor; and Betty Louise Pascale, publicity secretary.



Dr. Charles B. Hirsch



Photos by Willis Adams

Elder Kenneth H. Wood addresses graduates.