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Faith for Today

The Challenge of TV Evangelism

By Neal C. Wilson

President, Columbia Union Conference

FOR the past 13 years the Seventh-day Adventist denomination has utilized the media of television for the proclamation of the gospel message. Faith for Today is the oldest continuous religious telecast on the air today, thanks to the annual support of the program by our people throughout North America. Latest statistics available reveal that more than 1,800 persons were baptized last year because of the telecast.

As a member of the board of directors of the program, I am vitally interested in its success. At our regular board meetings we grapple with the financial problems of such a vast undertaking. But the Lord has been good and the program continues to win hundreds of persons every year in all parts of the world.

A forward step in the work of Faith for Today was taken by the telecast board when it voted to produce the program in full color as well as in black and white. Color films will be available to stations on a regular basis sometime this month.

This step should open the door for the program to be seen in 34 additional markets. We shall also have the possibility of being scheduled at more favorable times.

But producing the program in color raises costs considerably. Due consideration was given to this, but it is the firm belief that the extra funds necessary would become a

worthwhile investment in bringing the program to new areas.

Our members throughout the Columbia Union Conference will be given an opportunity soon to assist in this soul-winning program. The annual Faith for Today TV offering will be taken in all churches on Sabbath, February 9.

At this early date we should like to bring this to the attention of all the readers of this paper and request that you plan NOW to give a special offering in February to Faith for

Bulletin

New World Sales Record Set by Union Conference Colporteurs

The sales record by the bookmen of the Columbia Union Conference was \$1,419,720.55 in 1962. This set a new world record for a single union conference.

This total was reported at the time of the annual institute held early this month in Pennsylvania.

Leading all of the other conferences in the Union Conference last year was Ohio with a total of \$330,000. This conference's leaders received the trophy for the year.

This record was an outstanding accomplishment. We are proud of our dedicated corps of colporteurs throughout the Union Conference.

A complete report of the Institute will appear later in the VISITOR with photos.
Neal C. Wilson

Today. The goal this year is \$225,000 for the North American Division. The Columbia Union Conference has always registered a large amount. We hope and pray that the total will be a large one again this year.

Madison, Ohio, Press Secretary Honored



Photo by Hudgins

PRESENTED PLAQUE. As reported recently in the columns of the VISITOR, Mrs. Theo Penrod of Madison, Ohio, was named "Press Secretary of the Year 1962" in the Columbia Union Conference. At a special service in December in her home church Mrs. Penrod was honored and given a plaque in recognition of this award. In the photo above she is being presented the plaque by Elder D. A. Roth, Public Relations Secretary of the Columbia Union Conference (second from left). Looking on are (left to right): Dr. Harry Slough, lay elder of the Madison Church; Elder Marvin Reeder, Associate Secretary of the Bureau of Public Relations of the General Conference, who was the Public Relations Secretary of the Ohio Conference when the press secretary was designated for the honor; and Earl Scott, lay elder of the Madison Church.

The "King's Heralds" of the "Voice of Prophecy"



The old - - - - - and - - - - - the new

New Voices in "King's Heralds" Quartet

FOR a quarter of a century the stirring call, "Lift Up the Trumpet," has proclaimed each radio broadcast of the Voice of Prophecy and has featured the harmonious voices of the King's Heralds. Despite occasional changes in personnel, this familiar vocal group has been careful to maintain the same distinctive sound since its first coast-to-coast broadcast in 1942.

This year the Voice of Prophecy goes on the air with two new voices in the quartet. Jack Veazey, baritone, and Jim McClintock, bass, replace Wayne Hooper and Jerry Dill, respectively. Joining Bob Edwards, first tenor, and John Thurber, second tenor, these ministers of song are making the service of the Master first and foremost in their lives, as those before them have done.

For more than 17 years, Wayne Hooper has been the baritone of the King's Heralds. Now he will devote his full time to securing a wider variety in the musical presentations of English and foreign-language broadcasts. As a result, the new quartet will be able to expand their public appearances and singing in other languages.

More people are now being reached by radio than ever before. Europe I, the most powerful radio station in the world, recently accepted Voice of Prophecy programs in three major languages—English, Russian, and Spanish. Its 1,400,000 watts of power blanket all of Europe, much of Russia, North Africa, and the Near East. Additional station time has been purchased in the Far East and in South America.

Bible schools all over the world are receiving more applications for Bible lessons than limited budgets will allow them to accept. Millions on every continent are starving for the message of hope and peace that the Voice of Prophecy is eager to send to them by radio. Though large numbers are being reached today, vast areas of the world are still groping in spiritual darkness.

Much will be expected of the King's Heralds in the days ahead, in cooperation with the Voice of Prophecy speaker, Elder H. M. S. Richards; Del Delker, contralto soloist; and Brad Braley, organist. As they blend their voices with the electronic magic of radio, spirits will be lifted heavenward, broken hearts will be mended, and eager minds will be turned to the matchless gift of God's grace. This dedicated team will need our prayers and continuing support.

FRED M. LEE

Public Relations Department,
"Voice of Prophecy"

Fifteen Minutes a Day in 1963

NINETEEN sixty-three is the year for you to read your Bible from Genesis to Revelation in 365 days. Why not join the 10,000 Adventist youth in North America who are investing 15 minutes a day in the reading of the Holy Scriptures?

This year is the 100th anniversary of the organization of the General Conference of Seventh-day Adventists. Surely we need the strength and poise today that God's Word imparts. These 100 years have brought us larger numbers and material gains. But what about the in-

ventory of faith, spiritual discernment, and holy zeal?

This is the year when each Morning Watch text is selected from the chapters assigned for the day's reading in the MV Bible Year Plan. Elder A. A. Esteb has selected the daily Bible gems and provided a devotional message for each day in the 1963 devotional book, *Morning Manna*.

This is the year when the Missionary Volunteer Society provides you with a leaflet entitled "Fifteen Minutes a Day." In this you will find each day's assignment in Bible reading. In 15 minutes you can read the Morning Watch text, the special message, and the three or five chapters listed for the day.

This is the year when the MV Department is providing a special award certificate for those who complete the entire Bible in 365 days.

The year 1963 can be your best year. God will speak to you through His living Word. While you thoughtfully read the Word of God, heaven will operate on your mind and heart to prepare you for the better world. Decide now to be one of the thousands following the Bible Year Plan.

L. A. SKINNER

Associate Secretary, General
Conference MV Department

FLASH!

The ministers of the New Jersey Conference attending a workers' meeting at Trenton pledged their support to "Liberty" magazine by committing 520 subscriptions. Several Allegheny Conference pastors were present as the entire group pledged to reach a total equal to two times the membership of the New Jersey Conference.

CYRIL MILLER

First Radio Network Termed Successful

THE recent trial run of the AARN (Adventist Amateur Radio Net) was very successful. More than 60 stations checked in from the United States and from five other countries. Others tried but failed because of conditions or station problems. The intense interest by such a large group showed evidence of the possibilities of this net.

Letters with your suggestions and contributions will be appreciated as we try to get the program underway.

We suggest the following schedule for the present time: Each Thursday—20-meter phone (am-SSB) 14.270, 1400-1500 G.M.T.; 20-meter phone (am-SSB) 14.270, 1950-2100 G.M.T.

There is also a 40-meter schedule for the eastern part of the United States every Sunday morning at 1245 G.M.T. on 7296.

Here is a suggestion regarding checking in: Please be recognized by net control or relay station before making any comments or listing any traffic. Give your call in phonetics.

After recognition, make your comments and be as brief as possible, for others are waiting to check in or list their traffic with net control. If you have no traffic, say you are QRU. If you are available to handle traffic and will stay on frequency for such, please report QRV. If you wish to visit with someone else, arrange through net control to take that person to another frequency.

If we follow these simple rules, operation will be easier for net control.

E. M. PETERSON

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Takoma Park, Md.

Legal Notice

WASHINGTON (D. C.) SANITARIUM ASSOCIATION

Notice is hereby given that the quadrennial meeting of the constituents of the Washington (D. C.) Sanitarium Association will be held February 25, 1963, at 9:30 A.M. in the Sanitarium Chapel, Takoma Park, Md., for the purpose of electing a board of trustees, making necessary changes in the by-laws, and for such other business as may rightfully come before the constituency.

The membership of the constituency shall be the President, the General Vice-Presidents, the Vice-President of the North American Division, the Secretary, the Treasurer, and the Secretary and Associate Secretary of the Medical Department, of the General Conference of Seventh-day Adventists; the board of trustees of this corporation; physicians who are Seventh-day Adventists in good standing and who are currently on the staff of the Washington Sanitarium and Hospital; the heads of departments and supervisors of the Washington Sanitarium and Hospital; members of the Executive Committee of the Columbia Union Conference of Seventh-day Adventists; the Chairman of the Board and the General Manager of the Review and Herald Publishing Association; the administrative officers and the chairman of the Department of Nursing of the Washington Missionary College, now Columbia Union College.

Neal C. Wilson, President
H. S. Nelson, Secretary

Station Schedule List for "Faith for Today"

FAITH FOR TODAY has received information giving the latest times of the Faith for Today telecast.

Listed below are the stations in your union conference that are now carrying the Faith for Today program. Not all stations have given the time of showing for the winter season. However, you can ascertain the correct hour by checking with your local newspapers.

Also listed are television stations bordering the Columbia Union Conference whose signals reach into your territory.

Faith for Today would appreciate word from believers who are able to receive the program, giving the time of the telecast for those stations that have not as yet given this information.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA				
Washington	5	WTTG	Sunday	10:00 A.M.
INDIANA				
Fort Wayne	15	WANE	Sunday	9:00 A.M.
MARYLAND				
Baltimore	13	WJZ	Sunday	6:00 A.M.
Salisbury	16	WBOC		
MICHIGAN				
Detroit	7	WXYZ	Sunday	9:00 A.M.
NEW YORK				
Binghamton	12	WNBF	Sunday	8:30 A.M.
Elmira	18	WSYE		
Buffalo	7	WKBW		
New York City	7	WABC	Sunday	11:00 A.M.
OHIO				
Cleveland	8	WJW	Sunday	8:30 A.M.
Columbus	6	WTVN	Sunday	11:00 A.M.
Dayton	2	WLW-D	Saturday	6:30 A.M.
Lima	35	WIMA	Sunday	10:30 A.M.
Toledo	11	WTOL		
Youngstown	21	WFMJ	Sunday	12:00 M.
PENNSYLVANIA				
Erie	35	WSEE	Sunday	4:30 P.M.
Lebanon	15	WLYH	Sunday	9:30 A.M.
Pittsburgh	4	WTAE	Sunday	9:00 A.M.
York				
TENNESSEE				
Johnson City	11	WJHL	Sunday	9:30 A.M.

VIRGINIA

Harrisonburg	3	WSVA	Sunday	12:30 A.M.
Lynchburg	13	WLVA		
Norfolk	10	WAVY		
Richmond	8	WXEX	Sunday	10:00 A.M.
Roanoke	10	WSLS	Sunday	9:30 A.M.

WEST VIRGINIA

Bluefield	6	WHIS	Sunday	10:30 A.M.
Clarksburg	12	WBOY	Sunday	1:30 P.M.
Huntington	13	WHTN	Tuesday	8:30 A.M.
Oak Hill	4	WOAY	Friday	9:30 A.M.

Something New for You In the Review!

HERE is exciting news for all Seventh-day Adventist young people! Beginning with the January 3, 1963, issue of the *Review and Herald*, a sparkling column discussing problems unique with Christian young people in the space age will appear each week.

Relationships with your friends, social "know-how," problems with you and your parents, your church and school, and the world in general will be discussed frankly. Letters from readers will be answered and ideas will be exchanged through the column.

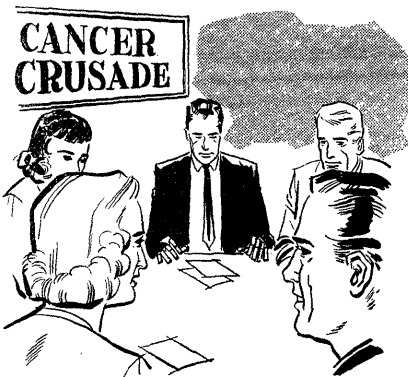
R. G. CAMPBELL

Manager, Periodical Department,
Review and Herald Publishing Association



MAKE
Faith for Today
CALLS
THIS WEEK

You AND THE WORLD AROUND YOU—



Pointers for more pleasant and meaningful relationships between you and your church and the people among whom you live and work.

Don't: Be a community "hermit."

Do: Take an active part in community affairs.

Initiate needed plans if no one else is active—if you have the confidence of those around you. This will place you in a position of respect and trust, and bring you in contact with those you ultimately want to reach with spiritual truths.

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CONFERENCE NEWS

Allegheny

A Worker Writes About Heaven

A VETERAN minister and worker, Elder Lloyd B. Mallory, writes on the home beyond the skies:

"Where is the place called heaven?" we may sometimes ask. How to get there needs to be known.

"What is it like there?" we often hear. Is it like an open plain, or is it like a huge city—just the same? Well, we are told in the Bible and by Mrs. White just what to expect.

"It is a place where sin cannot rest, a place where the sun never ceases to shine, a place of golden streets—mansions bright, and pearly gates—realms of light.

"My friend, it is a place of joy and boundless delight, a place where no more sorrow, sickness, death, or pain may ever exist. It is a place where the love of God will surround you

and me, and where the animals, wildest of all, shall dwell together at ease and live in complete harmony.

"Then we shall sing praises to the Most High and meet our loved ones and friends once again, never to part.

"Where is this place called heaven?" we sometimes ask. It is a week's journey from the earth.

"What is it like there?" we may often hear. It is like a boundless city of everlasting day.

"Then we are told in Luke, the 19th chapter, the 10th verse: 'For the Son of man is come to seek and to save that which was lost.' It is a nice thought, isn't it? Furthermore, we have the promise in John, the 14th chapter, the first four verses, that Christ will come again and receive us unto Himself, that where He is, there we shall be also.

"Just think of it, living with our Saviour. Let us as Christians bear these passages in mind and heed them, for they mean to us, as well as others, eternal life.

Yes, this place called heaven is a remarkable one. It has beauty unseen and riches untold.

Our Father in heaven is rich in houses and land. And He holds the wealth of this world in His hand. Of rubies and diamonds, of silver and gold His coffers are full: He has riches untold.

I'm a child of the King, a child of the King. . .

With Jesus our Saviour, we are all children of the King.

By being real children of the King, we are heavenward bound. I want to go there, don't you?

Ingathering at Baltimore



Photo by Simons

Elder and Mrs. W. M. Fordham of the Berea Temple Church in Baltimore, Md. Mrs. Fordham was the first member of the congregation to raise \$130 and qualify for the Jasper Wayne award. Elder Fordham holds the torchlight and his wife is prepared to pass it on. Berea Temple got off to a fine start with a November 24 report of \$5,000 as scores of members carried lighted candles and followed the large torchlight carried by Elder D. B. Simons, Conference Home Missionary Secretary. Allegheny's first report for the 1963 Ingathering Campaign was \$53,135.39, which is a gain of \$16,857.85 over last year's first report. This was also the largest cash report of any conference in the Columbia Union Conference for the current campaign. Thanks to the men and their dedication to the gathering of funds, which makes it possible to extend the message of truth to the regions beyond, and to the loyalty of the devoted members in general. The morale is high, the reports are the best. May all together bend every effort to close the drive on schedule, and may every church reach its goal.—D. B. Simons, Home Missionary Secretary, Allegheny Conference.

New Believers at Martinsville (Va.)

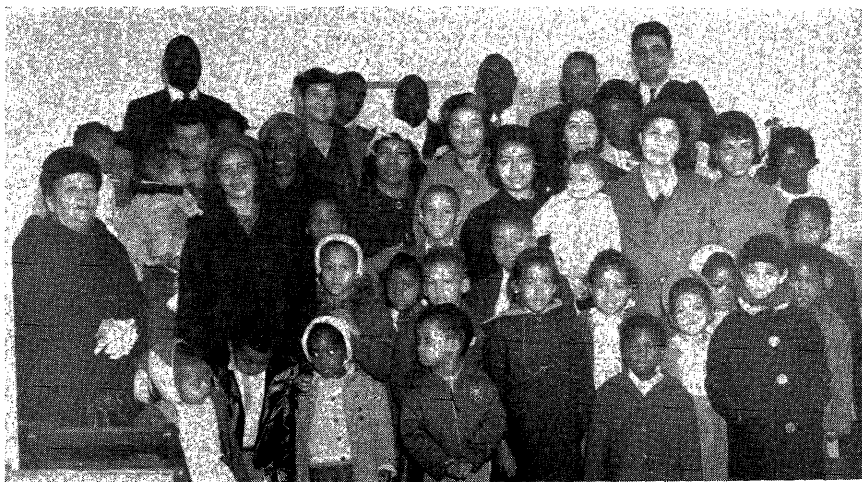


Photo by Pinkney

A new group of believers brought into the church at Martinsville, Va. This is the first church the Allegheny Conference has ever had in that locality. The meetings were conducted by Elder James A. Washington, Pastor of the Roanoke-Danville district. Elder Washington is on the extreme left at the rear. The new congregation is very enthusiastic, rejoicing in the truth. It was the privilege of the writer to visit with them on December 1. It is marvelous how these new members have taken an interest in the Sabbath School, home missionary, church worship, and MV programs. Elder Washington said: "They are showing the spirit of evangelism and are bringing others to the services." Mrs. Ruth Shelton served as the Bible instructor during the meetings and the Pastor is full of praise for her work. The Conference President, Elder W. L. Cheatham, was so impressed that he asked the Committee to allow Mrs. Shelton to remain in the area several weeks after the tent meetings closed in order to help hold the believers while finding a suitable place of worship.—A. V. Pinkney, Public Relations Secretary, Allegheny Conference.

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Richards to Speak in Three Potomac Churches

THIS coming weekend the greater Washington area will have Dr. H. M. S. Richards as a guest speaker in three churches. His schedule is as follows:

Friday, January 25, 7:45 P.M., Sligo MV Society.

Sabbath, January 26, 9:30 A.M., Garrett Park Church.

Sabbath, January 26, 11:00 A.M., Wheaton, Md., Church.

Washington-area members also may wish to attend a big radio Voice of Prophecy rally on Sabbath afternoon January 26, at 3:00 o'clock, in the Baltimore First Church, 5110 Frederick Avenue. At the Baltimore meeting the new Radio-TV Department film, "The Word Is in the Air," will be shown in addition to the messages by Elder Richards.

Elder Richards will be in this area to attend a convention of the National Religious Broadcasters' Association in a downtown Washington hotel. On Wednesday, January 23, he personally presented Voice of Prophecy Prophetic Guidance Course certificates to nearly 400 graduates in a Sligo Church ceremony.

All members are asked to note these appointments for the speaker of the Voice of Prophecy radio program.

Elder Froom to Present Series at Park Church

ELDER L. E. Froom, well-known Takoma Park writer and editor, will begin a series of special sermons in the Takoma Park Church on Sabbath, January 26.

His first appointment is at the morning worship service. He continues on six consecutive Wednesday nights, beginning January 30.

The series will comprise material researched by Elder Froom in the past several years for two new books in his *Prophetic Faith of Our Fathers* volumes. He plans to share with the membership the results of his special studies in the writing of his new books.

Portions of the projected 1,200-page volume will appear soon in the two 64-page paperback books, *Spiritualism Today* and *Spiritualism's Fellow-Travelers*.



E. M. Peterson

The 11th Annual Temperance-Youth Weekend

Shenandoah Valley Academy

February 1, 2, 1963



R. L. Osmunson

Schedule

FRIDAY, 7:30 P.M.

- Special music.
- Columbia Union College A.T.S. Chapter; Frank Robinson, Chapter president.

SABBATH

- Sabbath School, 10:00 A.M.

- Church service, 11:15 A.M. R. L. Osmunson, speaker.
- "Youth Speaks Out," 3:00 P.M.

SATURDAY NIGHT

- 7:00 o'clock band concert.
- 7:45 o'clock, Academy Temperance Oratorical Contest.

Church's Cosmos Club Has Active Year

THE "Cosmos Club," an organization of young people in the Takoma Park, Md., Church, reports an active program for the year 1962.

High light of the year was a weekend camping trip to Catoctin Park, near Thurmont, Md. The three-day excursion attracted a large group of young married couples and their children and included spiritual emphasis as well as recreation and nature study.

Ernest Runge, club president, directed the weekend program which included a Friday-night youth "sing-splosion," a Sabbath School and worship service, an afternoon hike, a social, and outdoor recreation on Sunday.

Takoma Park MV's Present "The Helen Keller Story"

This inspiring film of the world-famous deaf and blind woman will be shown at the Takoma Park Church, January 25. The meeting begins at 7:50 P.M.

Peggy Burns, academy student, associate MV leader, a marimbist, will be in charge of the program. Ladies are especially invited.

Main participants in the program included Elder W. J. Keith, pastor of the church; Lester Harris, nature specialist; Elder E. F. Sherrill, MV Secretary of the Potomac Conference; and Elder Grover Winslow, returned missionary from the Middle East. The youth pastor of the church, Thomas Kopko, also took part in the program.

Another recent activity of the club was a Saturday-night recreational program in the gymnasium of Columbia Union College.

The "Cosmos Club" has been in operation for a number of years and attracts youth from both the Wheaton and Takoma Park Churches.

D. A. ROTH

Press Secretary, Takoma Park, Md., Church

Family of Five Killed In Plane Crash

A flaming plane crash killed nearly an entire family late in December at Marathon, Fla. The family of Edward Hass belonged to the Pennsylvania Avenue Church in Washington, D. C.

Funeral services were held on Sabbath, January 5, for Mr. and Mrs. Hass and three of their children. Their pastor, Elder John Davidson, conducted the multiple funeral service.

The only surviving member of the immediate family is a son, Ben, who is a student at Columbia Union College.

Mr. Hass, an elder and leading member of the Pennsylvania Avenue Church, had just left the landing strip and was about 200 feet in the air when the plane faltered and crashed to the ground.

Complete obituaries will appear in the VISITOR in the very near future.

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New Jersey

Spanish Church Organized At Perth Amboy

REPORTS of the progress of the work of God both at home and in fields afar are always a cause for rejoicing. The third church to be organized in the New Jersey Conference in 1962 was organized on December 22 at Perth Amboy in the Methodist Episcopal Church of that city. Twenty-six charter members enthusiastically banded themselves together and set about to immediately strengthen the work in this fine city in New Jersey.

For several years the Perth Amboy Company had met in different homes of believers. In October the Spanish evangelist, Elder Jose Rivera, assisted by Blanco Pol, began an intensive series of evangelistic meetings. These meetings were well attended and were faithfully followed up by Miss Pol, resulting in the baptism of 22 a few weeks ago. An additional baptism of three was held on the morning of December 22, when the church was organized. What a wonderful strength these new members will bring to the new work in Perth Amboy!

With the organization of the church in Perth Amboy, a high point was marked in the advance of the work among the Spanish people in the New Jersey Conference. Earlier in the year a new church of Spanish-speaking believers was organized in Vineland, followed by the organization of a company in Newark. This means that in 1962 two new Spanish churches and one company were organized in the New Jersey Conference.

We rejoice that the message is going to this fine class of citizens, and we pray for them God's richest and choicest blessings.

M. K. ECKENROTH

President, New Jersey Conference

Food Solicited for Needy By Hackensack Children



Left to right: Joseph Moniz; Mrs. Salvatore Meliti, Dorcas Society leader; James Clifford; Mrs. F. Liljeros; Mary Maletin; and Janice Watson. The Dorcas Society of the Hackensack Church prepared and distributed 15 Thanksgiving baskets.

LATE one evening I entered the Hackensack Church. The basement was well lighted and it was obvious that loyal and faithful church members were at work for God.

The Dorcas Society leader and her helpers were preparing food baskets for the needy. The MV Society and the church school had fully cooperated by having the children gather canned goods and other food instead of bothering the neighbors and destroying property. I was amazed at what the children had gathered in and how wisely the Dorcas Society members prepared those baskets. Elder Maletin informed us that a

Catholic lady could not understand why Seventh-day Adventists would be so gracious toward them, even though they were not members of the church.

Surely the Lord will bless the ministry of the kind hands of welfare workers. May we not grow weary in well doing.

R. D. STEINKE

Public Relations Secretary

Chesapeake

VOP Rally Scheduled for Baltimore, January 26

THIS is a last-minute notice of a big Baltimore-area Voice of Prophecy radio rally which will be held on Sabbath, January 26, at 3:00 P.M., in the Baltimore First Church, 5110 Frederick Avenue.



H. M. S. Richards

The main speaker for the rally will be the speaker of the Voice of Prophecy radio program, Dr. H. M. S. Richards, of Glendale, Calif. He will be in the east for a meeting in Washington and will speak at two Washington churches.

All members, young and old alike, are asked to plan to attend this large meeting. Come early for a good seat. An extra feature of the program will be the premiere in the Baltimore area of a new Radio-TV Department film, "The Word Is in the Air."

Directing the meeting in the absence of the Conference Radio-TV Secretary will be the Conference President, Elder A. B. Butler. Scheduled also to be at the church to introduce Elder Richards is Elder D. A. Roth, Radio-TV Secretary of the Columbia Union Conference, who made arrangements for the rally.

Newark Children Collect Food for Distribution to Needy



Newark Church school students who collected 65 cans of food on Halloween night.

Report From Mt. Aetna Academy

THE last week in November was set aside at Mount Aetna Academy for the fall Week of Prayer. "Building for Eternity" was the theme of the talks given by Elder W. C. Moffett. There was a fine response on the part of students and faculty.

Following a forthcoming baptism, it is expected that every academy student will be a baptized member of the church. It is expected that

plans will be formulated to enable the older students to participate in a "Share Your Faith" program.

The school, in all grades, is blessed with teachers of experience, and there is the advantage in smaller schools of close teacher-student relationship.

This year marks the highest attendance and best year in the history of Mount Aetna Academy. Wesley Moore, Principal, reports that applications, already coming in indicate greater things ahead for Mt. Aetna Academy.

W. C. MOFFETT



Revised Rates Announced For Camp Mohaven

It will not be long now until the churches and organizations will be interested in making use of the facilities at Camp Mohaven. For the information of all in the Ohio Conference, it is felt wise that we publish the revised rates for the use of the facilities at Mohaven.

For the use of the lodge, swimming pool, sanitation block, and the grounds the rate per day is as follows: Per person, \$1; 1-10, \$7.50; 10-20, \$12; 20-30, \$15; 30-40, \$25; 40-50, \$35; 50-60, \$45; 60-75, \$50; 75-100, \$60; 100-150, \$75; 150-200, \$85.

A \$10 deposit is to accompany reservations, the balance to be paid in advance or upon arrival. The period from Friday noon to Sunday noon (the weekend) is considered on the basis of two days.

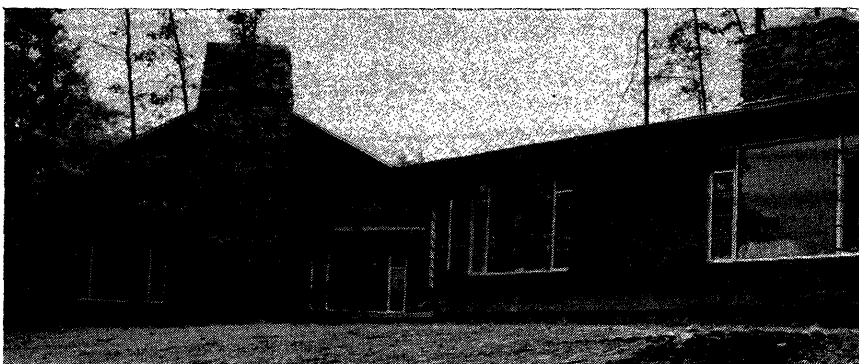
For the use of the pool only it is 50 cents per person for those of 10 years of age or older; 25 cents for any under 10. The night lights can be turned on only if there is a minimum of at least five dollars per hour of operation. Camping in the walnut

Attention, All Church Officers!

This is to remind all 1963 church officers of the meeting to be held in the Mount Vernon Church, Sunday, February 3. The session will begin at 9:30 A.M. and will include information, instruction, and inspiration for every department of church activity.

Lunch will be served at the Academy gymnasium free of charge. All officers are urged to be present and on time.

D. W. Hunter
President, Ohio Conference



Camp Mohaven.

grove without any use of lodge or other facilities is free.

Make all requests for reservations to the MV Department of the Ohio Conference, Box 831, Mount Vernon, Ohio.

MV DEPARTMENT
OHIO CONFERENCE

Ohio MV Calendar of Events for 1963

MV RALLIES

February 9—Willoughby, 9:30 A.M.—all day Sabbath.

MV LEADERCRAFT COURSES

January 27—Zanesville, 7:30 A.M.—all day Sunday.

February 10—Willoughby, 7:30 A.M.—all day Sunday.

February 17—Findlay, 7:30 A.M.—all day Sunday.

February 24—Athens, 7:30 A.M.—all day Sunday.

UNION BIBLE CONFERENCE

March 1-3—Washington, D. C.

MV WEEK OF PRAYER

March 16-23—every church in Ohio.

INVESTITURES

April 11-May 7—as announced in every school in Ohio.

PATHFINDER FAIR

May 19—Mount Vernon.

CAMPS, ETC.

June 6-16—Senior Youth Scenic and Historic Cruise—as announced.

June 18-26—Senior Teen-age Activity Camp—Mohaven.

July 9-14—Cub Camp, ages 8, 9—Mohaven.

July 14-21—Boys' JMV Camp, ages 10-16—Mohaven.

July 21-28—Girls' JMV Camp, ages 10-16—Mohaven.

July 28-August 4—Music Camp—Instrumental—Mohaven.

August 5-9—Welfare Camp—Mohaven.

STATE-WIDE YOUTH RALLY

October 5—Mount Vernon.

Wedding

On Sunday, November 25, 1962, Terry Mark Brain and Carol Ann Sauder were united in marriage in a ceremony conducted in the Seventh-day Adventist church at Mansfield, Ohio.

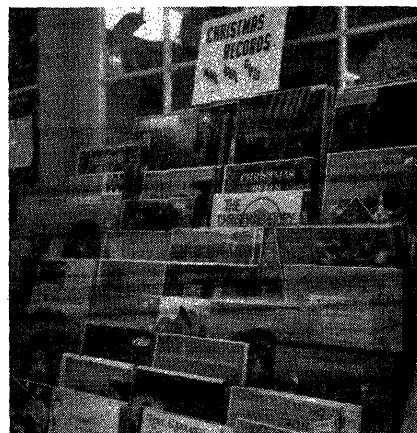
Mr. Brain is a graduate of Iowa State University where he received his degree in electrical engineering. Mrs. Brain is a graduate of the Columbia Union College School of Nursing and since her graduation has been employed as a public-health nurse in the District of Columbia.

Mr. and Mrs. Brain will make their home in Mansfield, Ohio, where he is employed as a Products Design Engineer by Westinghouse Electric Corp.

The wedding ceremony was conducted by the bride's brother, Elder H. L. Sauder, of Hagerstown, Md. We pray God's richest blessing on this newly founded home.

H. L. SAUDER

January One-Cent Sale



RECORDS—LP's OR STEREO

Christmas Records—Buy two (2) at regular price and choose a third one of same value for only one cent (SAVES you up to \$5).

All Other Records—Buy three (3) at regular price and choose a fourth one of same value for only one cent (SAVES you up to \$4.50).

OHIO BOOK AND BIBLE HOUSE
Box 831, Mount Vernon, Ohio

Camp Meeting in 1963

MANY of our members plan to take their vacations during the time of our annual camp meeting. In order that you might plan accordingly, it was thought that it would be well to send the notice of the date well in advance.

Our committee voted to have camp meeting for 1963 from June 28 to July 6. This is the usual date every year.

We trust many of you will be able to spend the entire time at camp meeting. Start planning early to make it possible.

ARTHUR KIESZ

President

Baptism at Reading

EVERY baptism is a cause for rejoicing, but the baptism held in the Reading Kenhorst Church on November 24 was more than just an ordinary cause for happiness. On that day Mrs. Laura Hauser, who has been a patient at the Reading Institute of Rehabilitation for several months, was baptized and united with the Kenhorst Church.

The dollars which have been invested in medical evangelism are beginning to bring fruitage. She is the first patient baptized as a direct result of the work and influence of the Institute, although others have reported that they have found Christ

while they were patients. Prospects that more patients will be baptized are very good. Elder Guenther, the chaplain, is currently studying the Bible with other patients and families of patients.

We in Reading thank God for the Reading Institute of Rehabilitation, which is the only medical institution in the Conference. It has made a good impression on the Reading community and its influence is continually growing. The Christian influence of the physicians and staff is appreciated by the patients.

Your prayers and support are solicited that this institution may be a strong representative of the medical work of the church and that it may continue to be a place where the hearts of men, as well as their bodies, may find healing.

HARLEY SCHANDER

Pastor, Reading Kenhorst Church

Conference President Welcomes Ingersoll Family



Elder Arthur Kiesz, President of the East Pennsylvania Conference, shown welcoming Elder Dale M. Ingersoll and his family to the office staff at an informal Christmas social. Elder Ingersoll recently became Missionary Volunteer and Temperance Secretary of the Conference. Mrs. Flossie Ingersoll is the office secretary in the Educational and Missionary Volunteer Departments. Receiving the basket of fruit are Elder and Mrs. Ingersoll, Dale DeForest, Clifford, and Joyce.



Left to right: Ray Crissey, administrator of the Reading Institute of Rehabilitation; Dr. Russell Youngberg, medical director; Elder Harley Schander, Pastor of the Reading Churches; and Elder C. W. Guenther, chaplain at the Institute, congratulating Mrs. Laura Hauser for being the first patient to become a member of the Seventh-day Adventist Church as a result of contacts made at the Institute.

School Room Added to Media Church



Elder Horace Reading, Pastor of the Media Church, explaining some of the difficulties of construction on the day of the dedication of the school-room addition to the Media Church. The relatively small Media Church has for a number of years operated the only church school available for children who live on the west side of Philadelphia. Recently the combined needs for more space for Sabbath School, Vacation Bible School, and church school have been met with the building of an addition which doubles the floor space available. A folding partition separates the new room from the old one. The new room was dedicated free of debt on December 1.

York Springs Youth Collect Food for Needy



On Halloween the young people of the York Springs Church participated in a treat-for-the-needy campaign. Enough food was gathered to fill 31 baskets which were distributed at Thanksgiving time by the ladies of the Dorcas Society.



Blue Mountain Academy "Teachers of Tomorrow" Club officers. Left to right: Carole Collins, public relations secretary; Bunny Horst, secretary; Mrs. Lee Johnston, sponsor; Analyn Wheeler, spiritual emphasis leader; and Maxine Johnson, president.

"Teachers of Tomorrow" at BMA Announce Officers

ON Thursday evening of September 27, 1962, the second chapter of the Teachers of Tomorrow Club organized at Blue Mountain Academy under the sponsorship of Mrs. Lee Johnston, presently teaching grades one through four. Officers for the year were elected as follows: president, Maxine Johnson; secretary, Bunny Horst; spiritual emphasis leader, Analyn Wheeler; public relations secretary, Carole Collins.

In the September meeting the film, "What Greater Gift?" was shown. The Educational Superintendent of the East Pennsylvania Conference made a few comments at the October meeting when materials which could be very attractively used in church schools were distributed.

Future plans include two films, "Johnny Keystone's School Report" and "A Desk for Billie." The club is anticipating a visit from Mrs. Irma Mowry, an elementary teacher of Danville in the East Pennsylvania Conference. Other plans include a picnic prepared by the Home Economics Department. For the final meeting in May Elder Arthur Kiesz will be the speaker.

A small membership fee is required to pay for beneficial materials made available and for activities of the club.

Among the members are several seniors: Nancy Bernet, Carole Collins, Faye Cangdon, Bonnie Hagele, Bunny Horst, Maxine Johnson, Sharon Roscoe, Carol Smith, Linda Welker, and Analyn Wheeler.

CAROLE COLLINS
Public Relations Secretary, Teachers of Tomorrow Club, B.M.A.

West Pennsylvania

"Faith for Today" Aids Evangelism in Conference

FAITH for Today with its telecast each Sunday is a real evangelistic

aid to the work of the West Pennsylvania Conference. People in thousands of homes in the Conference see this program weekly and hear that it is sponsored by Seventh-day Adventists. Without this modern-day method of soul winning Adventists would find their work much more difficult than it is.

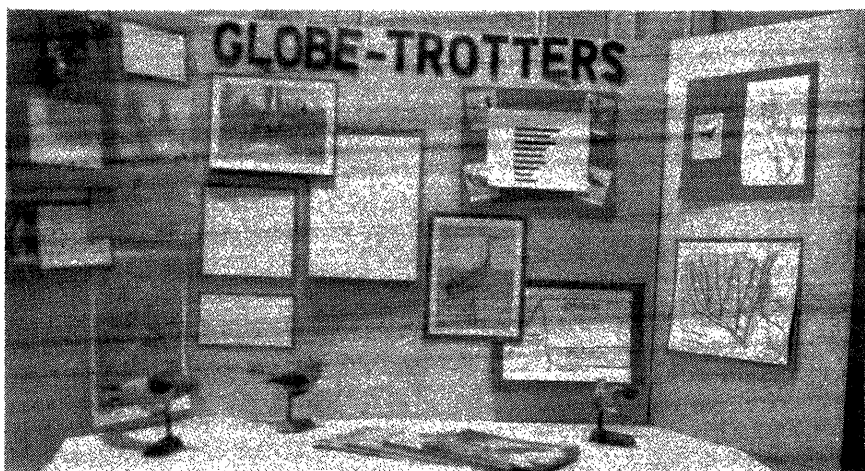
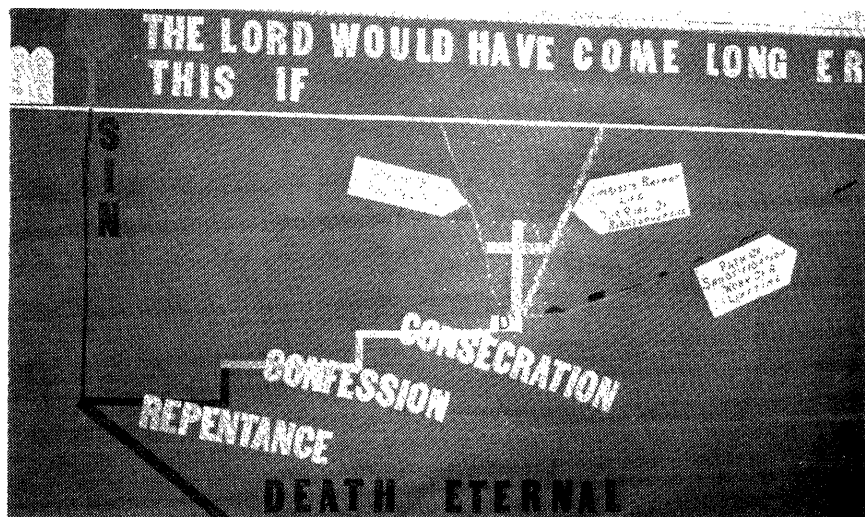
On Sabbath, February 9, a personal opportunity and privilege will be given to keep this program on the air. The present number of stations was expected to reach 210 by January 1, 1963. This is unprecedented in Faith for Today history.

Your enthusiastic interest is needed to keep this high level of operation. A total of \$225,000 will be needed from members in North America to fulfill the obligations of Faith for Today in 1963. This is our program, so let us keep it and help it grow even more.

F. W. WERNICK
President and Radio-TV Secretary

Visual Aids Are Effective Communication Media

WE are admonished in Habakkuk 2:2 to "... write the vision, and make



Soul-Winning Rallies to Be Held

Sabbath, February 9, 1963, Warren, Pa.
Auditorium Near S.D.A. Church
(Address to Be Announced)

Guest Speaker: Elder D. W. Hunter,
President, Ohio Conference, Missionary
to India, Youth Leader

- All-day meeting. Bring your lunch.
- Program from 9:30 A.M. to 4:30 P.M., beginning with Sabbath School.

Another soul-winning rally will be held for the southern part of the Conference at Johnstown on February 23. Full details next week in the VISITOR.

it plain upon tables, that he may run that readeth it." Visual aids have long been used in order to communicate effectively. The Pittsburgh Junior Academy believes this. Grades nine and 10 have completed a poster containing the words, "The Lord Would Have Come Long Ere This If—." This poster ties in with the English, speech, and Bible teachings conducted at the Academy, taught by Donald Miller, Principal. Each teacher is encouraged to follow comparable ideas.

Churches would do well to heed the same counsel and devise charts appropriate for use in Sabbath School, Missionary Volunteer, temperance, and other activities. Members with talent could use their skills to good advantage in helping to make God's message clear to our girls and boys as well as to the adult members of our churches.

Why not see what you can do in your own local church?

J. A. TOOP

Sabbath School Secretary, West
Pennsylvania Conference

Everett-Six-Mile Run-Altoona District Report

As we ponder the past 12 short months of 1962, we are grateful for the blessings of God toward us. Our three churches show a considerable increase in tithes and offerings. Our Sabbath School attendance has increased and a remarkable spirit exists.

During the first quarter our members were busily engaged in giving Bible studies, distributing literature, etc., in preparation for coming evangelistic meetings. During January a religious liberty workshop was held in Altoona. Elder Neal C. Wilson of the Union Conference and Elder Melvin Adams of the General Conference were guest speakers. Red Cross classes were held for all three churches during the first quarter in

conjunction with Civil Defense preparedness.

The Dorcas Society has been very active. A federation meeting was conducted in the Altoona Church. Many needy families in the communities have received a helping hand. Thousands of garments, shoes, furniture, and items of food were distributed.

The Everett Church school is making remarkable progress. We appreciate the dedicated labors of the new teacher, Nellie Holtery. Several hundred dollars' worth of new books and other supplies add to the efficiency of the school.

Vacation Bible Schools were conducted in all three churches, fostering good public relations and strengthening the Sabbath Schools.

Evangelistic meetings were held in two of our churches and a series of tent meetings was held during the summer. Several baptisms resulted and the churches revived. The tent remained at the Bedford Fairgrounds for a very attractive display of our work at home and abroad during the County Fair.

Our district again for the fifth consecutive year blazed the trail for the Conference and celebrated the quickest Ingathering victory in the history of the district. An inspiring Thanksgiving banquet was held November 18, at Everett Sportsman's Club. Approximately 100 members and friends from all three churches were present. Elder J. A. Toop and William Otis of the Conference staff were honored guests.

The fall Week of Prayer was held in all three churches. Laymen took a leading part and many victories were gained. As we face the new year, our newly elected officers and members are united for a strong soul-winning program.

NOBLE K. SHEPHERD

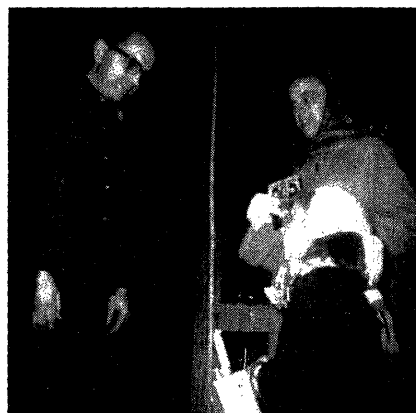


West Virginia

Four-Year-Old Solicits \$160 For Ingathering

FOUR-YEAR-OLD Robin Wheeler, daughter of Pastor and Mrs. Maynard Wheeler in Charleston, has solicited beyond the Jasper Wayne amount and obtained \$160 during the Ingathering campaign which has just closed.

Robin, who learned a little speech, went out night after night with her mother and father nearby so that no harm would come to her. After knocking on the doors she gave her



Robin Wheeler

own invitation for individuals to contribute. Robin's largest total for any one evening was \$17.23. This she solicited in about one hour and 45 minutes. Her usual offerings were from pennies to one dollar, but one night a man was so impressed with the sincerity of the child that he gave her five dollars. This was the largest donation she received.

Her appeal was tremendous. The people were both surprised and pleased to hear a little girl give such an appeal and it reached deep into the hearts of many.

This demonstration of the love of Jesus in the hearts of the children is deeply appreciated—and not only in the hearts of children and youth, but in adults as well, who have demonstrated a marvelous soul-winning spirit and made it possible for the Conference to record the highest amount in the history of the West Virginia Conference. This will bring cheer and courage to the world-wide Adventist mission program—and God is pleased.

A. J. PATZER

President, West Virginia
Conference

Ingathering Echoes

• THE Parkersburg district, under the leadership of Elder R. H. Shepard, who became the pastor just a few months ago, has reached its goal for the first time in many years and in the shortest time.

• The Clarksburg-Grafton-Shinnston district, led by Pastor J. O. Carey, has raised the highest amount in many years.

• The Weirton Church, with the enthusiastic church missionary leader, David Huber, has achieved \$56 per capita. This is wonderful.

• The Fairmont-Morgantown-Masontown district, led by Pastor C. Norman Farley, was a Silver Vanguard district and exceeded all previous records.

• The Bluefield-Princeton-Welch district, under the direction of Pastor W. J. Wilson, was a Silver Vanguard district and exceeded all previous records.

• Charleston, with Elder N. L. Meager, Pastor M. A. Wheeler, and Mrs. Lippincott, reached its goal in a short time.

• The youth in all of our churches deserve much credit. Their willing,

enthusiastic, and faithful work in the snow and cold weather is greatly appreciated. God bless our wonderful youth.

• Everyone cannot be mentioned by name, but thanks to one and all for helping the world-wide missions program and the cause of God. Certainly all who had a part can with an expression of sincerity rejoice in participation and the results.



Columbia Union College

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CUC Extends Invitation

FIFTY new students will arrive on the campus for the second semester, according to Corinne Wilkinson, Secretary of Admissions.

They will be able to choose courses in a wide variety of educational fields.

Classes offered for the new semester include a study of Comparative Religions, conducted by Elder Gerald Minchin, Professor of Religion; Biblical Archaeology, introduced by Elder Lenel G. Moulds, Instructor in Religion; and Revelation, taught by Elder Euel Atchley, Instructor in Religion.

Students interested in literature can study the Victorian Period with Dr. Lloyd Mauldin, chairman of the Department of Education; or investigate the Masterpieces of Elizabethan Literature with Dr. Edith Stone, Chairman of the Department of English.

The Department of Science offers courses which include Quantitative Analysis and Biochemistry, directed by M. Bruce Bush, Assistant Professor of Chemistry. Animal Physiology will be taught by Lester E. Harris, Associate Professor of Biology.

Education courses offered during the second semester include classes in the Philosophy of Education, instructed by Mrs. Zella Holbert, Assistant Professor of Education, and Educational Measurements, taught

by Marion Hartlein, Assistant Professor of Education.

If you wish to get an education and more effectively serve the Master, Columbia Union College invites you to join 900 other students on this campus, working together with the same objective.

Inquiries should be made to Corinne Wilkinson, Secretary of Admissions, Columbia Union College, Takoma Park, Md.

Second-Semester Courses For AU Extension

ANDREWS University Seminary extension courses for the second semester on the Columbia Union College campus will be offered in two areas:

New Testament

N500, Introduction to New Testament, three semester hours, taught by Dr. Loasby, will meet at 10:10 on Mondays.

Church History

C510, The Early Church, two semester hours, taught by Dr. Werline, will meet at 8:10 on Mondays.

Registration for the courses will take place on Monday, February 4, and classes will begin on that day.

Sunset Calendar

	Jan. 25	Feb. 1
Baltimore, Md.	5:18	5:26
Cincinnati, Ohio	5:51	5:59
Cleveland, Ohio	5:34	5:43
Columbus, Ohio	5:43	5:51
Jersey City, N. J.	5:04	5:13
Norfolk, Va.	5:22	5:30
Parkersburg, W. Va.	5:38	5:47
Philadelphia, Pa.	5:12	5:21
Pittsburgh, Pa.	5:30	5:38
Reading, Pa.	5:14	5:22
Richmond, Va.	5:25	5:33
Scranton, Pa.	5:10	5:19
Toledo, Ohio	5:42	5:51
Trenton, N. J.	5:09	5:18
Washington, D. C.	5:21	5:29

Correction

Registration for new students for the second semester will take place on Sunday and Monday, January 27 and 28. Instruction begins on Wednesday, January 30.

Kate Lindsay Guild To Present Benefit

KATE LINDSAY GUILD, the Registered Nurses' organization at C.U.C., will present "A Man Called Peter" on January 26 in Columbia Hall. This film is the life story of the beloved Peter Marshall, Chaplain of the Senate until his death. Proceeds from the program will be used for a mission project. Last year funds were sent to Taiwan for use in the graduate nurses' home.

There will be two showings of the film, 6:00 P.M. and 8:30 P.M. Admission is 75 cents for adults and 50 cents for children.

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Parkway Evangelism

Pastor Finds Rural Areas Fruitful

By Neal C. Wilson

President, Columbia Union Conference

THE territory of the Columbia Union Conference is filled with large urban areas. The large cities present a tremendous challenge in evangelism.

But rural areas need to be worked also. Many times the endeavors of our pastors and evangelists meet with more success in these sparsely settled areas than in the large, metropolitan centers.

The following is a very interesting report of this kind of soul-winning work from Elder John Morgan, Public Relations Secretary of the Potomac Conference:

"Thirty miles south of Waynesboro, Va., just off the Blue Ridge Parkway, is a little community called Montebello.

"Here for a number of months Elder O. E. Hanna, district superintendent of Buena Vista and Covington, with help recruited from the Potomac Conference headquarters office, has been conducting regular Sunday services for the people of the community.

"In spite of steady opposition, the attendance has been fine, and prospects for establishment of a Seventh-day Adventist church in this community are very good.

"Though most of the people are rural residents, they faithfully attend the services held in the little community church where Pastor Hanna unveils before them the truths of the three angels' messages each week. Thus far the interest has been heartening.

"Just recently six persons who attend these Sunday services and who are local residents, were baptized into the message at the Buena Vista

Church. These people drive a long distance each week to attend services on the Sabbath at Buena Vista. They find themselves busily engaged throughout the week in giving Bible studies and encouraging people to attend their own services in Montebello on Sundays.

"Other persons are scheduled for baptism and there is great anticipation of the establishment of a new church in the shadow of Potomac's summer youth camp and just off the north-south Blue Ridge Parkway overlooking the Shenandoah Valley of Virginia."

Baptismal Instruction Class For Juniors Recommended

At the time of the General Conference Session held in San Francisco, Calif., the Sabbath School Department in connection with their departmental meetings passed a recommendation which we believe will

be most beneficial to junior boys and girls in many Sabbath Schools.

Where feasible, it is recommended that a junior baptismal instruction class be held for those juniors looking forward to baptism, and that this class be held during the 30-minute class-study time. The pastor, assistant pastor, elder, or one who is capable of conducting such a class might be appointed by the Sabbath School council to be the teacher of such a class. It is also recommended that the Junior MV Baptismal Manual be used as a course of study for such a class.

This practical pamphlet reviews the cardinal principles of belief and conduct for junior boys and girls contemplating baptism. There are 14 lessons arranged in question-and-answer form that could be comprehended in three months of instruction. These are ordered in the regular way by the church missionary secretary from the Book and Bible House at a small cost of only 25 cents each.

Such a class might be held one quarter each year in schools where there is a need. If such a need exists in your church, why not try it?

H. K. HALLADAY

*Sabbath School Secretary,
Columbia Union Conference*



Photo by Morgan

BAPTIZED. Pictured above is a small group of persons from Montebello, Va., who were recently baptized at the Buena Vista Church in Virginia.