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Last Minute News Items As We Go To Press...

TAKOMA PARK, MD.--A meeting of the constituents of the Washington (D.C.) Sanitarium Association and the Washington Sanitarium and Hospital, Inc., a Maryland corporation, will be held Thursday, June 22, 1967, at 9:30 A.M. in the Sanitarium chapel, Takoma Park, Md., for the purpose of making necessary changes in the by-laws and for such other business as may rightly come before the constituency.

TAKOMA PARK, MD.--W. J. Keith, Pastor of the Takoma Park Church, has accepted a call to a similar post in Jacksonville, Fla. He will assume his new post about June 1.

ANNAPOLIS, MD.--Among those passing the Maryland Bar Examination was Elvin Benton, Religious Liberty Secretary of the Columbia Union Conference. Taking the examination were 327 candidates, many of them for the second or third time. Just a little over one-third of the candidates, 113, passed the rigorous examination.

BERRIEN SPRINGS, MICH.--Paul Cannon, who has been assistant MV Secretary of the Potomac Conference, has accepted a call to the Department of Religion of Andrews University. He will take the place of D. G. Jacobsen who will become the Ministerial Secretary of the Southeast Asia Union Mission.

TRENTON, N. J.--A. B. Butler, President of the New Jersey Conference, has accepted an invitation to become the Executive Secretary of the Columbia Union Conference. This follows as a recommendation of the recent Union Conference Constituency meeting for the dividing of the responsibilities of the Secretary-Treasurer's work in the Union Conference, brought about by the continued growth of the field.



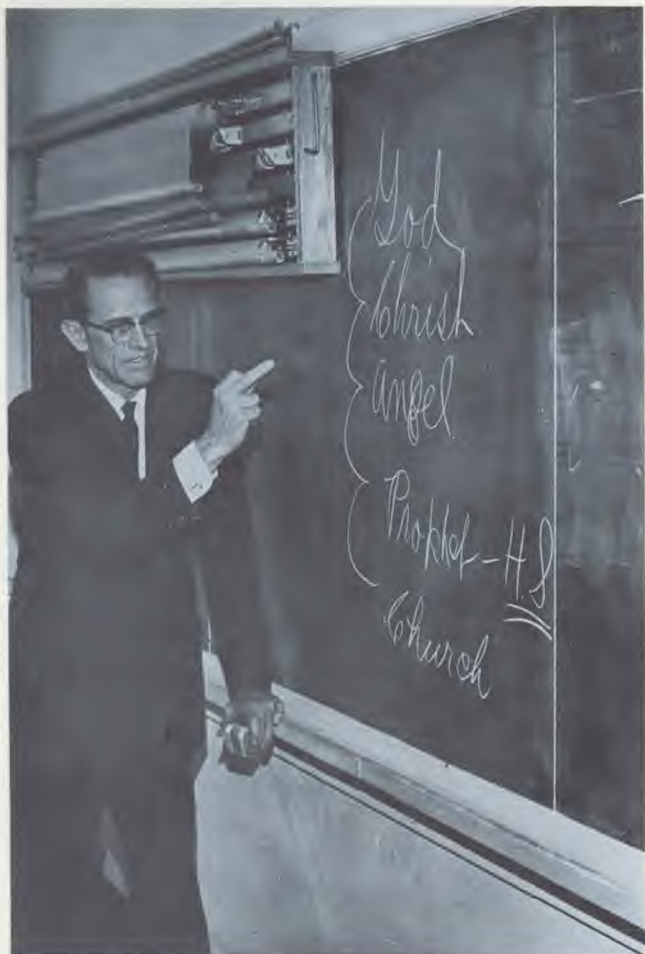
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ABOUT THE COVER

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The Spirit of Prophecy was the subject of Elder D. A. DeLofield, from the White Estates, Washington, D. C.

Columbia Union Bible Conference Held

By Carol Cannon
Columbia Union Conference
Office Secretary, MV Department

SEEKING a vision, the "hippies" in Washington's Dupont Circle take a trip on the magic carpet of LSD—euphoria, insight, over-realized reality. Georgetown discotheques throb with sense-sound, the non-drug psychedelic that likewise takes a person outside himself. The seekers and the search. The seekers and the search. . . . In contrast, a friend of God communicates experienced religious insights, bumps hearts with a boy from Pittsburgh and a girl from Trenton, a mother from Akron, a serviceman from Vietnam. The third Columbia Union Conference Youth Bible Conference convened in Takoma Park, Md., Friday evening, April 21, 1967.

The totally free life—desired object of hope, "happenings," hallucinogens—is found in a relationship to God actuated and enlivened by this kind of serious searching of Scripture. Four hundred young people from the eight conferences of the Columbia Union Conference came Friday and went away Sunday, knowing God better, strengthened, "shipped out of complacency



In each of the eight classes of the Bible Conference careful attention and note taking were the rule.

and given new ammunition to witness," in the words of a soldier-delegate. The youthful effort to evade convention and thus leap to greater heights of understanding is directed to the most challenging subject of all. Man seeking God. God seeking man.

George Suhrie, a layman from Paterson, N. J., who "loves and reverences the Word of God," brought his rare collection of Bibles to display and to testify to the delegates of his esteem for Holy Scripture. E. M. Peterson, Columbia Union Conference MV Youth Activities Director, spoke compelling words of welcome and invitation to dedicated study. In the keynote message, John Hancock of the General Conference Missionary Volunteer Department urged the young people to "face the wind," to devote themselves to earnest study of the Bible as did the pioneers of the Seventh-day Adventist Church. The Friday-evening schedule closed with division of the delegates into eight separate classes for orientation and prayer.

"The great tragedy in Biblical studies today is not literary and his-

torical criticism, the demythologizing and reinterpretation by teachers of religion in pulpits and seminaries.

"The greatest tragedy is the contentment—the fat, happy, lazy, inglorious contentment of the spiritual herd of professing Adventists who contentedly chew the Sabbath School and Bible class cud year after year." The man who penned these words of welcome and challenge to the Bible Conference delegates, Dr. William Loveless, Pastor of Sligo Church, held up to the young people in the Sabbath-morning worship service the spiritual fact of life: share or die.

Those who brought us into the living room of God to talk to Him, who offered us the meat and drink of the Word, were men who came to the Bible Conference to extend the hand of Him who sent them. Their subject fields were totally submerged in the personal encounter with God to which they bore unanimous and moving testimony: Wilber Alexander, Andrews University—The Holy Spirit; Siegfried Horn, Andrews University—Our Bible in the Light of Recent Discoveries (Archaeology); Bruce Johnston, Southern Missionary College—Nature of

Christ; Roland Hegstad, *Liberty* magazine—Steps to Eternity (religious liberty); D. A. Delafield, Ellen G. White Estates—Spirit of Prophecy in 1967; T. H. Blincoe, Andrews University—Righteousness by Faith; Lester Harris, Columbia Union College—Creation and Evolution; J. Wayne McFarland, Temple University—The Body, God's Temple.

"I sincerely felt the Holy Spirit close to me as never before."

"My faith in the Bible has been greatly strengthened."

"I learned more about Ellen G. White in these four hours than I have ever learned before."

"This Bible Conference was necessary!"

The urgency and necessity of the opportunity to which each delegate has been called! Chosen as a delegate of local Missionary Volunteer societies to come and find answers and attitudes, "ammunition to witness." To return home changed.

The seekers and the search: April 21-23, while young people all over the world search for unfindable answers in impossible places, 400 Seventh-day Adventist young people meet the Word, in Whom is all.



Mrs. Carol Cannon (left), office secretary in the Columbia Union Conference MV Department, directed registration for the 400 guests.



Elder Adrian Westney, MV Secretary of the Allegheny West Conference, discusses the program with Elder Tom Blincoe of Andrews University. Elder Blincoe was the chairman for the section, "Righteousness by Faith."

Sharon Stapleton (left) of the Parkville, Md., Church, checks a Bible text with Gloria Vega, instructor at Shenandoah Valley Academy.

Elder Andrew Fearing, Associate Secretary of the Ministerial Department of the General Conference, enjoys a brief visit with three of the lecturers at the Bible Conference. Left to right: Elder Wilber Alexander, Elder Tom Blincoe, and Dr. Siegfried Horn. The three guest speakers are all from Andrews University.





From Temple University in Philadelphia, Pa., came Dr. J. W. McFarland who lectured on the body, God's temple.



A Bible with print so small it has to be read with a magnifying glass is examined by Frank Greci of Dundalk, Md., and Ruth Schmoeller of the Baltimore First Church.



Elder Wilber Alexander led in the discussions on the Holy Spirit.



Elder John Hancock, Associate MV Secretary of the General Conference, holds the Bible that belonged to an Adventist pioneer, J. N. Loughborough. On the flyleaf are written these words: "Completed reading Old Testament by course the 70th time, December 28, 1922."



George Suhrie of Paterson, N. J., displays a copy of the Torah, handwritten on lambskin.



The Bible Conference was a special treat for Anthony Coombs, a member of the Baltimore Berea Church. He has spent time in Vietnam and, after a brief furlough, is going back for six more months of duty in Vietnam.



A youthful delegate to the Bible Conference has some questions to ask of Lester Harris, whose subject was "Creation and Evolution."



Special music was furnished by the Takoma Academy trio, consisting of (left to right) Eunice Hill, Bonnie Iversen, and Dulcie Carreno.



Elder Roland Hegstad, Editor of Liberty magazine, taught classes concerning religious liberty.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Moore of Parkersburg, W. Va., look over a Bible, one of the many displayed by George Suhrie.

Two youthful delegates to the Bible Conference exchange greetings before the meetings begin. David Smith (left), Dayton, Ohio, and Harold Van Dyke, a serviceman stationed at Fort Dietrich.



Regina Haynes of Port Allegany, Pa., tells Elder Dale Ingersoll, Pennsylvania Conference MV Secretary, about her long, involved trip to the Bible Conference. Because of layovers and a train wreck, her trip from the northern Pennsylvania city took 17 hours.



new jersey

Meetings Held at Cape May Court House



New members who have joined the Cape May Court House Church. Left to right: front row, Mrs. Leona Tank, Mrs. Florence Berry, Mrs. Sarah Sears, Mrs. Eleanor Leupold, Cristy Arnold; back row, Mrs. Johanna Wielder, James Chew, Mrs. Ethel Laisi, Walter Laisi, William Berry, Paul Chambers, Mrs. Pearl Pritchard, Mrs. Sara Arnold. Those absent when the picture was taken: Ralph Chambers, Wallace Humbert, Robert Pyke, Janelle Pyke (all young people).

THE Christ for Today team held a series of evangelistic meetings in the Cape May Court House Church recently.

The team ordinarily consisted of Elder Roger Holley, Elder Leighton Holley, and Elder Robert Folkenberg, but the new year found the Holley's "on their own." Elder Folkenberg accepted a call to the mission field. Pastor Jess Dixon led in singing gospel songs for the first evan-

gelistic effort to be conducted in the southernmost district of the New Jersey Conference.

Every pew in the little church was filled on the first night and during the three weeks that followed the interests continued to grow.

February 4 was an eventful day when eight were baptized. On the following Sabbath nine more followed their Lord in this blessed rite. Since that time new interests have

developed and several more are attending the Sabbath-morning service and looking forward to baptism.

MRS. REBECCA GASKILL
Press Secretary, Cape May
Court House Church

Swedesboro Member Reads Self into Church

Mrs. Mildred Nauta, Swedesboro, N. J., read herself into the Seventh-day Adventist Church. She searched diligently until she found the truth and since then has been very active in literature distribution.

Believing the counsel from the messenger of the Lord that everyone should have a part in the literature campaign of the church, she participates joyously. That is why 150 families are receiving *These Times* in her community. She makes herself



Mrs. Nauta continues to read and study.

Official Reservation Application for 1967 Camp Meeting at Tranquility, N. J.

Locating Committee
New Jersey Conference of S. D. A.
2160 Brunswick Avenue
Trenton, New Jersey 08638

The following reservation is submitted for camp meeting, July 21-30:

Number	Items	Price Each	Cost
.....	TENT (12x14 with floor and shelf)	\$14.00	.....
.....	DORMITORY ROOMS (\$35 for 2 people; \$10 each additional person; \$5 for attached bath) .....		.....
.....	DOUBLE BED (frame and springs)	2.00	.....
.....	MATTRESS (for double bed)	2.00	.....
.....	SINGLE COT	1.00	.....
.....	MATTRESS (for single cot)	1.00	.....
.....	TRAILER SPACE (with electricity)	10.00	.....
.....	TRAILER SPACE (without electricity)	5.00	.....
.....	SPACE FOR PERSONAL TENT	5.00	.....
	TOTAL CHARGE .....		.....
	Deposit Paid .....		.....
Date	Balance Due .....		.....

Financial Regulations:

- Reservations will be handled in the order in which they are received and assignment of facilities made only upon receipt of one-half cost of reservation. In the event that the desired location has been taken, we shall endeavor to locate you as near as possible to your choice. Accommodations for transients available only from remaining facilities which may be secured upon arrival. No bedding is available either for transients or full-time campers. We are not permitted to rent facilities to teenagers. They must be accompanied by parents or responsible adults.
- The balance of your account must be paid when you register and before you occupy your accommodations.
- Make checks, or money orders, payable to the New Jersey Conference, S.D.A.
- Mail to Locating Committee, New Jersey Conference of Seventh-day Adventists, 2160 Brunswick Avenue, Trenton, New Jersey 08638.

Name Church
Address Zip Code

responsible for evangelizing through this media.

"Let every believer scatter broadcast tracts and leaflets and books containing the message for this time."—*Christian Service*, p. 145.

"The world is to receive the light of truth through an evangelizing ministry of the Word in our books and periodicals."—*Ibid.*, p. 146.

"Church members, awake to the importance of the circulation of our literature."—*Ibid.*, p. 147.

Let us set up a pulpit in every home in our community by sending *These Times*. Then there are business acquaintances, Ingathering donors, ministers, etc. Surely God's work requires haste. Let us follow the worthy example of Mrs. Nauta and send *These Times* while the door of mercy is still open.

Hightstown Pathfinders Gain Honors in Cooking



Hightstown Pathfinders qualify for their honors in culinary arts by preparing a delectable dinner for their parents. They not only prepared the meal, but they did a worthy task in cleaning up after the celebration. Good work, Hightstown Pathfinders, and congratulations to the leaders, Mrs. L. Hulinec (left, rear) and Leslie Covell (right, rear).

News From Garden State Academy



The Garden State Academy Choir under the leadership of Elbert Anderson, Dean of Boys, did a magnificent job at the North Jersey Youth Rally in Newark on April 8, with their choir numbers. Truly we can be proud of our young people, and we are watching them develop into our future leaders and workers in the cause of God. Christian education pays the highest dividends. Garden State Academy is doing an outstanding service with the facilities available, but we believe that soon we shall have more desirable accommodations to offer our young people.

LINDA ANDERSON, Robert Barnhurst, and Terry Wojcicki, seniors at Garden State Academy, have been notified that they have qualified for the New Jersey State Scholarship and will be receiving \$500 each toward their college education. They are also invited to re-apply each academic year for four full terms for a total of \$2,000 each toward the bachelor's degree. We are happy to see such tangible results from the Testing and Guidance Program here at G.S.A.

Members of this year's senior class have high hopes for a life of service. Tests to correlate their interests and abilities have been administered and

Pathfinders Receive Awards During Investiture



Bridgeton Pathfinders lighting the Candle of Service. Left to right: Mark St. Bernard, David Cole, John Trusty, Joan Bryant.

HONOR badges and awards were conferred upon 25 members of the Bethany Seventh-day Adventist Pathfinders at a special investiture program in Bridgeton, N. J.

Elder D. L. Davis, Allegheny East MV and Lay Activities Secretary, presented tokens of achievement for the various classes of the church's Missionary Volunteer Society.

Those who received awards and pins were: John Mosley, Lenlon Brown, David Trusty, Harold Stevenson, Willie Holden, Mark St. Bernard, David Cole, Deborah

Green, Susan Trusty, Charles St. Bernard, Kenneth Green, Joan Bryant, Kay Bryant, Dorothy Banks, Ruby White, Alonda Banks, Linda Bryant, John Trusty, Leon Trusty, Dianne Trusty, Milton Brown, Deborah Brown, Corrine Kenslowe.

Mrs. Sarah Bryant, Bridgeton Pathfinder Director, received an award for outstanding achievement in needlecraft, baking, cooking, trees, flowers, birds, dogs, mammals, poster making, and music.

Elder A. L. Banks is the Pastor of the Bethany Church.

MILTON BROWN
Press Secretary, Bridgeton Church



Elder D. L. Davis presents Mrs. Bryant with awards for outstanding services in many fields.

Dupont Park Deaconess Accepts Bible Instructor Post at Akron

Mrs. Elizabeth Lohman, pictured at left, has served as a deaconess in the Washington Dupont Park Church for the past 15 years, heading that organization since 1960. Her visits to the sick and ministrations to members in need have helped anchor many in the faith. She recently accepted an appointment as Bible instructor with Pastor Harold Lee of the Akron Bethel Church in Akron, Ohio. This type of work is not new to Mrs. Lohman, as she formerly worked with Elder John Collins in the Millsboro, Del., district.—Marie A. Morgan, Press Secretary, Washington Dupont Park Church.



each student is counseled to use his talents in the area most suited to abilities and character traits. When their plans materialize we shall number doctors, dentists, teachers, nurses, and ministers, skilled laymen, and active church leaders among the graduates of 1967.

MERLE H. ROUSE

Principal

WILLIAM K. JOOST

Teacher and Guidance Counselor

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COLUMBIA UNION COLLEGE

CUC Choir Director Collects Recorders

PAUL HILL, choir director at C.U.C., collects recorders. "Why would anyone want to collect tape recorders?" some people have asked. The answer is: they aren't tape recorders. They are simply recorders.



Elaine Shipp

A recorder is a woodwind instrument, a sort of vertical flute that looks something like a clarinet. Mr. Hill now has four of them, all made in Switzerland. The soprano is the smallest and highest-pitched. It is about eight inches long and made of ivory and ash.

The soprano, also made of wood, is 12 inches long and is pitched about four notes lower. Lower still in pitch is the alto recorder, which is made of pearwood.

There are also bass and contra-bass recorders. Mr. Hill has neither of these. The contra-bass is quite rare. According to Mr. Hill, there is only one in the Washington area.

The recorder is the forerunner of all woodwind instruments. Its first appearance in history cannot be dated, although it is believed to have existed in biblical times. It reached its final form in the late Middle Ages. Mr. Hill's recorders are modeled after those of the 16th and 17th centuries.

In recent years there has been a renewal of interest in recorders in the United States. A few contemporary composers are writing recorder music. The instruments and music are readily available, although, as Mr. Hill says, "Recorders are deceptively expensive."

Where did Mr. Hill's interest in recorders come from? The Pro Musica specializes in performing Renaissance music. During the Renaissance the recorder was used to accompany vocal music. Mr. Hill

hopes that some C.U.C. students will learn to play the recorder so that the Pro Musica can perform Renaissance works in an authentic manner.

Mr. Hill thinks someone will ask, "Why are they called recorders when they don't record anything?" Unfortunately, neither he nor the music dictionary has the answer.

ELAINE SHIPP

Maintenance Head Receives Award



Aubrey Kinzer, Superintendent of Maintenance, shown receiving an award from Kenneth Stewart of the General Conference Insurance Service. The award, the first of its kind presented in the Columbia Union Conference, was given in appreciation for the contribution of Mr. Kinzer's services to the Seventh-day Adventist Church and his interest in the prevention of loss of life, as well as the protection of denominational property.

Emergency—for Noncombatants Today

EVERY Seventh-day Adventist man should understand the value of the noncombatant classification should he be drafted into the military forces. A veritable flood of problems has come to this office in recent days. These are all cases of men already in the military service who have been denied a request for a noncombatant assignment. These men have not entered military service through the noncombatant classification in the draft. They had reasons in each case as to why this was done, but now they desire to be noncombatants and they find the way to that goal to be very difficult indeed.

Authorities tell us that requests from men in the military service to be considered as conscientious objectors have risen from two or three a week to a hundred a week. This has come because of various pressures in the national scene. Therefore, all such requests are being given intense scrutiny and investigation. Requests not carefully documented and plausible are being denied.

It is pointed out that any man signing an enlistment contract and then claiming within days or weeks thereafter that he is a conscientious objector to the bearing of arms must be suspected as to his motives. Such a man is called upon to explain adequately his change of conscience. This is difficult to do.

Those men now in service who have a deep personal conviction that they must be noncombatants should explain their situation openly and fully to their commanding officer. Their paper work asking for the noncombatant assignment should completely explain why they are at this time presenting this request. It should be documented fully. This means notarized letters from the pastor of the home church and from the pastor of the church near the military base; a letter from the unit chaplain; letters from those having personal knowledge of the man's belief and resulting pattern of life.

Those who were members of the Adventist Church prior to their entrance into the military service have a special problem. They must explain adequately why they have not sought a noncombatant classification until

this point. Those who are converts to the church after entering the service should indicate the length of time they have studied and the changes that have come into their lives as a result of their baptism. All should be prepared for stringent scrutiny of their request and a psychiatric examination.

The man of conscientious belief today must be prepared to explain his convictions and to live by those convictions every day of his life. Today he cannot ignore the provisions of the government for a 1-A-O classification in the draft and then expect to obtain easily a noncombatant assignment after entering the military service. The church will continue to assist as far as possible those in service who wish to change to a noncombatant assignment, but all must recognize the current limitations.

Those who have specific questions concerning this are asked to get in touch with the young people's department secretary in their conference.

CLARK SMITH

Director, National Service Organization

pennsylvania

Teachers Receive Awards At Institute Held at BMA



Left to right: Elder Robertson, Mrs. Bee, Mr. Canosa.

LOUIS CANOSA, Superintendent of Education of the Pennsylvania Conference, recently presented a Bible and hymnal set to Mrs. C. M. Bee, Principal of the Carlisle Intermediate School, in recognition of the 31 years she has spent in denominational teaching.

The presentation was made at the one-day Teachers' Drive-in held at Blue Mountain Academy, May 1. Other personnel participating in the institute were: E. A. Robertson, Secretary of Education, Columbia Union Conference; Ethel Johnson, Elementary Supervisor, Columbia Union Conference; Dr. Lloyd Mauldin, Chairman, Department of Education, Columbia Union College; Dr. Marion Hartlein, Department of Education, Columbia Union College; Mrs. Jeanne Fillingham, a teacher at the Sligo Elementary School; and Mrs. Sandra Haas, also a teacher at the Sligo School.

Former Union Worker Writes From Canal Zone

A LETTER has been received at the Columbia Union Conference office from Elder Robert S. Folkenberg who is presently located in Cristobal, Canal Zone. A portion of his letter follows:

"At last on arrival I met my district. The district consists of nine churches. The most remote of the churches is so distant one can get there only about three times a year at the most! To go there you have to

Wedding

MANY relatives and friends gathered in the Norristown Seventh-day Adventist Church to witness the marriage of Shirley Ann High to Charles Donald Gulick, Jr., on the evening of March 25, 1967.

The bride was given in marriage by her uncle, Robert Nice. Included in the bridal party were Sharon High, sister of the bride, as maid

of honor. The bridesmaid was Barbara Gulick, sister of the groom. Donna High was the flower girl. The best man was Robert Smith and the ushers were Bart Smith and Dale Lord. Vocal music was provided by Elder and Mrs. Albert Ellis of Winchester, Va. The organist was Mrs. Joan Carlson of Lansdale, Pa.

Following the reception, the couple left for their honeymoon.

Mr. Gulick plans to continue his studies at Ursinus College while Shirley continues her work at a local bank. The writer performed the ceremony.

W. C. ANDERSON

Pastor

Twenty Baptized at Washington



Elder R. W. Taylor, Pennsylvania Conference Evangelist, and Elder R. L. Cheney, pastor, recently concluded a month-long series of meetings in Washington, Pa., as a result of which 20 were baptized and six more have made their decision to unite with the church. In the baptismal font (left) with Elder Cheney are Robert Bandel, postmaster of Eighty-four, Pa., and his three sons. Also pictured (right) is the group of new believers who took their stand at the conclusion of the evangelistic series held in Washington, Pa.



A special feature of the afternoon session included the awarding of the 15-year service pins to six teachers and the 20-year service pins to four teachers. The 43 Pennsylvania Conference teachers' cumulative denom-

inational teaching experience totaled 390 years of service to Christian education.

LOUIS CANOSA

Superintendent of Education

leave on Thursday morning and return home on Monday evening! You travel by car, launch, canoe, horseback, and walk! I have yet to make the trip. I am planning to go the end of May and really am looking forward to it.

"The Lord is really blessing us here. We are planning for a city-wide series of evangelistic meetings in a few months and in the meantime a week-long series of revival meetings in all of the churches. As you can see, it takes some time to carry out a program in all of the churches and it

forces the churches to be, to a great degree, self-sufficient. So I am planning some classes for all the elders in how to prepare more effective sermons—at their request."

Elder Folkenberg formerly was with the Christ for Today Evangelistic Team and is well known in the Columbia Union Conference. For those who would like to write to him the address is:

Elder Robert Folkenberg
P. O. Box 2402
Cristobal, Canal Zone

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Mount Vernon Church Holds School of Prayer



A portion of the group of men meeting for a weekly prayer breakfast in the private dining room of the Mount Vernon Academy cafeteria. Elder L. L. Albers (center) conducts a Bible discussion.

How to make the Christian faith tangible and realistic in the twentieth century is the challenging but rewarding duty of every minister. The world of 1967 is so visible, so touchable, many church members lose touch with God. They enjoy no real living connection with heaven in the fellowship of prayer.

Yet there is a growing sense of need. Increasing numbers are pleading, "Lord, teach us to pray." Thus when Elder LeRoy Albers, Pastor of the Mount Vernon Church, announced that the School of Prayer would be held February 11-25, over 200 members of his congregation responded.

Under the pastor's direction, the following persons served as the faculty for the school: Elder E. R. Cowling, Mrs. Paul Gregoroff, Mrs. Wayne Hines, Elder and Mrs. R. E. Dickinson, and Leon Curtiss.

Classes were held in six periods, mainly on Sunday nights and Sabbath afternoons. A topic such as "The Preparation and Discipline for Prayer," was presented by the minister, followed by a panel discussion and the answering of questions by the school's faculty; or group discussion was held in various rooms moderated by members of the faculty. Many church members remarked, "This is the finest spiritual blessing that has ever come to our church" and "This has done so much for me personally; I feel nearer to God now, when I pray." Even chil-

dren and youth attended and felt they had gained much.

Since the close of the school, several prayer groups have been organized and others are being organized. These groups are formed according to the initiative of the laymen, with a minimum of guidance from the pastor. Some meet in homes; others, in the church. One group of men meets at a Wednesday-morning prayer breakfast.

As these groups study the Scriptures, and Spirit of Prophecy materials and pray for the power of the Holy Spirit in their lives and the lives of others, surely revival and reformation—our greatest need—will follow.

L. L. ALBERS

Pastor

Camp Meeting

THE Ohio Book and Bible House is making big plans for the best display of books, Bibles, records, tapes, and church supplies for the coming camp meeting, June 22-July 1. The special bargain books for the big book sale in the large auditorium on Sunday afternoon, June 25, have all been packed and are waiting for camp meeting. Discounts on these bargain books range from 30 to 75 per cent. Many other books, Bibles, and records will be on sale at special discounts during camp meeting. We shall be looking forward to seeing you then.

Youth Rally Held at Dayton

A WORD of Life Youth Rally was presented by seminary and graduate students of Andrews University in the Dayton Far Hills and Kettering Churches, April 7 and 8.

These 35 committed Christian youth, all members of the Koinonia* Club, gave a Friday-evening program of music and singspiration in the Kettering Church. On Sabbath morning the club members divided and conducted Sabbath School in each of the two churches.

The Sabbath-afternoon program of more inspirational vocal and instrumental music was interspersed with testimonies from several members of the club who told why they were choosing a life of service to the church.

The large audience listened with rapt attention while two members told briefly their experiences in finding present truth. Vel Kotter's miraculous escape from the invading armies in his European home country proved to him the efficacy of faith. Thirteen years of growing up in the environment of Fox Studios



Left to right: Caleb Rosado; Diana Rickards, president; and Vel Kotter.

in Hollywood was all that Diana Rickards could endure of the artificial life. After she learned of Adventism she gladly renounced a career in pictures for service to Christ.

This youth rally was a forerunner to the anticipated city-wide evangelistic crusade for the Greater Dayton area to begin May 27. Several of these students will return to Dayton to help in the crusade.

Also preparatory to the crusade is a series of Fireside Friendship Clinic sessions, under the direction of Elder Don Jacobsen of Andrews University, who will be the speaker for the crusade.

* A New Testament Greek word meaning fellowship or friendship.

These weekly classes, which began April 22, offer instruction to the lay people of the churches on how to work with the crusade team.

LYDIA BAKER

Press Secretary, Dayton
Far Hills Church

Let's Make a Profit!

PROFIT! Did you see the word and begin to read? That word is an attention trap. It has a built-in interest grabber! Everybody wants a profit.

Would you still like to invest for profit? For *real* profit? Would you like to invest wisely? All right. Here is wisdom: "He that winneth souls is wise" (Proverbs 11:30).

Put a \$2.50 investment in the soul of a loved one, or a neighbor, or a friend through *These Times* evangelism. Let this great message of truth channel into his home and into his heart through its scores of sermons and sermonettes. Let the Spirit of God work with your investment; and then let eternity record its dividends to your account. This is wisdom as heaven defines it.

(You still have time to avail yourself of the 1967 *These Times* crusade price before the June 17 cut-off date.)

SPENCER W. BURROWS

Lay Activities Secretary

Teachers of Tomorrow Club Gains New Members



Mount Vernon Academy students receiving membership pins for the Teachers of Tomorrow Club from Elder J. R. Shull (left), Ohio Conference educational superintendent. The students are (left to right): Phil Sager, Cleveland; Cynthia May, Cincinnati; and Mary Jane Jackson, Lima. Margaret Reichard of Dayton is president of the club, which has 45 members.

Spot News

• **ELDER** Olav Labianca began evangelistic meetings in the Findlay Church on Sunday, April 16. On the opening night a graduation service was conducted, in which certificates were given to the students of that area who had completed "The Bible Speaks" course.

KETTERING MEMORIAL HOSPITAL NEWS

Workers Given Recognition For Service



Left to right: Richard L. Terrell, Mrs. John Krumholtz, and J. Russell Shawver.

ONE hundred and forty-two volunteer workers at Kettering Memorial Hospital recently received recognition and service pins for the time they have donated to the institution.

The volunteers were honored at the hospital's third annual Volunteer Awards Presentation, held April 25. Of the number recognized, 94 had donated over 100 hours of service each; 40, over 500 hours; and seven, over 1,000 hours.

Mrs. John (Peggy) Krumholtz of 6328 Seton Hill Street, Dayton, has given 2,000 hours to the hospital's emergency service since she joined the K.M.H. volunteer staff in 1964. She is the mother of two teenagers and the wife of a realtor-appraiser.

Richard L. Terrell was the featured speaker for the occasion. A native of Dayton, he has been with General Motors since 1937, becoming a vice-president in 1959 and general manager of its Frigidaire Division in 1965. The title of his talk was "Personal Involvement."

The awards were presented by J. Russell Shawver, K.M.H. administrator, and Mrs. Louise Platner, director of Volunteer Services. Mr. Shawver commented, "The spirit of the hospital volunteers exemplifies the philosophy of unselfish service, which is the goal of Kettering Memorial Hospital. They provide the extra touch that means so much to the patients, but which could not be provided in any other way. They comprise one of the hospital's most valuable assets."

Awards for 1,000 hours of service

were presented to Mrs. Howard (Helen) Hollander, Mrs. William (Nancy) Mowery, Mrs. Eugene (Nellie) O'Neil, Mrs. Urban (Geraldine) Rieger, Mrs. Robert (Dorothy) Utz, Mrs. Raymond (Lois) Vetter, and Mrs. John (Willa) Yeck.

More than 400 men and women in Dayton and surrounding communities are currently giving over 5,000 hours of service each month. Four husband-wife teams are included in the group.

Personnel Changes at Kettering Hospital

Kettering Memorial Hospital recently appointed Paul Kezdi, M.D.,



Paul Kezdi

acting director of its cardiac diagnostic program. Dr. Kezdi is director of research at Cox Coronary Heart Institute, which is located next door to the hospital. Before joining Cox Institute, he headed the heart station of Northwestern University's Wesley Memorial Hospital for 11 years.

Kettering Memorial Hospital officials have announced that, effective June 1, 1967, Mrs. Fred (Darlene) Schmitz will become director of Food Service, a position held by Clinton Wall since the hospital opened in 1964.



Mrs. Fred Schmitz

Mr. Wall will be joining the staff of Andrews University, where he has been invited to be an instructor in home economics, help to establish standards of quality and service in the food-service department, and assist in organizing an administrative dietetic internship program.

Mrs. Schmitz was graduated from Walla Walla College and interned at Loma Linda University. She has been assistant director of Food Service at Kettering for the past three years. Prior to that, she was an administrative dietitian at Glendale Hospital in Glendale, Calif.

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New Workers Chosen



Left to right: top row, Raymond Greenley and Theodore Chamberlain; bottom row, Donald Eckenroth and George Brown.

FOUR young men were chosen to become future workers in the Potomac Conference at a recent meeting of the Conference Committee. Three of these soon will be attending Andrews University for further training. One will enter directly into field work in the Conference.

Raymond Cecil Greenley was graduated from Mount Vernon Academy and will be graduated from Columbia Union College in August, 1967, with a major in theology and a minor in speech. He will attend Andrews University where he will fulfill requirements for a B.D. degree before returning to the Potomac Conference.

Mr. Greenley's wife, Beverly, will be graduated from Columbia Union College in December, 1967, with a B.S. degree in nursing.

Theodore Jerry Chamberlain will leave Takoma Park for Andrews University in August where he will study for a Bachelor of Divinity degree. He is a graduate of Portland Union Academy and Columbia Union College. His undergraduate majors were religion and sociology.

Mr. Chamberlain served in the U. S. Army during 1964-1966, and was stationed at Walter Reed Hospital in Washington, D. C., where he was part of Operation Whitecoat.

Mrs. Chamberlain, formerly Faye Okuno, holds a B.S. degree in secretarial science. She is presently the

secretary of the Sligo Seventh-day Adventist Church.

Donald Eckenroth is a graduate of Shenandoah Valley Academy and will be graduated from Columbia Union College in August, 1967. He will enter his internship in the Potomac Conference, beginning September 1.

Don has served as local elder in the Bladensburg, Md., Church for the past five years. He also has been active in lay evangelism and youth activities.

The Eckenroth family includes Gloria, formerly Gloria Howes, and three children—Donald, Susan, and Peggy Ann.

George Brown, a junior theology major at Columbia Union College, will work in the Potomac Conference this summer as an extern and will return to the College to complete requirements for his degree in theology. After being graduated he will then attend Andrews University for advanced training.

He is married to the former Yvonne Bartley. She, like her husband, is a graduate of Mount Vernon Academy, and presently is attending Columbia Union College as an education major.

Regional Spelling Contest Winners Meet



Winners of the regional spelling contests recently held in various places in the Potomac Conference met at the J. N. Andrews School, Takoma Park, Md., April 23, 1967, to compete in the finals. Winners were (left to right): Janice Clark, representing grades 9-10, from Tidewater Junior Academy, Norfolk, Va.; Steve Cavin, seventh grade, Tidewater Junior Academy; Willard Baerg, eighth grade, Sligo Elementary School, Takoma Park, Md.; Karen Sin-cavage, sixth grade, Beltsville Church School; Sherry Jones, fifth grade, Hampton Roads Junior Academy; and Denise Malcolm, fourth grade, J. N. Andrews School. The smiling gentleman in the back row is George P. Babcock, Elementary Supervisor of the Potomac Conference.

Hadley Hospital Appoints Administrative Assistant

JAMES B. HOLLIDGE has been promoted by the Hadley Memorial Hospital Board of Trustees to the position of Administrative Assistant.

Mr. Hollidge joined the Hadley Hospital staff in September, 1959, and became Purchasing Agent in 1961. In his new position he will be an assistant to the Administrator in several areas of the hospital.



James B. Hollidge

"There are many complex problems in today's hospitals," commented C. O. Eldridge, Administrator, "and we feel Mr. Hollidge will be able to give valuable assistance in some of these areas."

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Mr. Hollidge is a lifelong resident of the Washington, D. C., area. He was graduated from Takoma Academy in Takoma Park and is a graduate of the International Correspondence Schools. His membership in professional organizations includes the American Hospital Association Purchasing Society, the National Association for Hospital Purchasing Agents, the National Capital Area for Hospital Purchasing Agents, and the Hospital Council of the National Capital Area, Incorporated.

Mr. Hollidge and his wife, Marian (the former Marian Sharper), reside at 7608 Allentown Road, Camp Springs, Md. They are members of the Pennsylvania Avenue Church. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Hollidge, also live in the Washington area and are members of the same church.

Five Baptized at Sanitarium Church



Left to right: front row, Wanda and Morris Lavender, Judy O'Connor; back row, James Philbrick, Dave Wood.

Five young people joined the family of the Washington Sanitarium Church, November 19, 1966, in a baptismal service conducted by the Pastor, Elder Russell Quackenbush.

It was a joyous day and the church was full of glad hearts as these young people gave a public testimony of their love for Jesus Christ.

Judy O'Connor already is active in the young people's Missionary Volunteer Society, serving as an MV leader and MV secretary.

Kilmarnock Church School Picture Notes



Above: the upper grades enjoy learning Spanish from their teacher, Elder R. E. Cash, a former missionary.

Right, above: Elder T. M. Kopko, Pastor of the Kilmarnock Church, puts the entire student body through their exercises.

Right, below: Mrs. Alma Jenkins and the lower grades have fun with a flash-card drill.



Morris and Wanda Lavender are an exceptional couple with the young people mainly because of their radiant Christian personalities and their sincere interest in others. It was through the efforts of the young people at the Washington Sanitarium Church that they desired to know Jesus better.

Dave Wood and James Philbrick

are two of our very active Pathfinders in the church. They both attend John Nevins Andrews School, and come from the homes of fine Christian parents—another evidence of the value of home training and Christian education.

MRS. DAVID BOSTROM
Press Secretary, Washington
Sanitarium Church

Dorcas Societies Meet



Left: ladies of the Dorcas Societies of the surrounding area met at the Potomac Conference warehouse recently to sort clothing for emergency disaster relief. Here it is sorted and left in labeled cartons where it can be quickly loaded onto the conference's three vans and carried to any disaster area. Some is sent to needy places within the conference, and what is not needed here is sent overseas. In the foreground is Elder R. H. Brodersen, Lay Activities Secretary of the Conference, helping the ladies as he prepares the boxes.

Right: members of the Staunton Dorcas Society as they met recently to prepare cancer dressings in cooperation with the American Cancer Society. Shown in the picture (left to right) are: Irene McCormick, Mrs. W. L. Agnor, Mrs. John Smith, Mrs. Lester Harris, Sr. (local Dorcas Society leader), Mrs. R. G. Burchfield, and Mrs. Oscar Moore. The Staunton Dorcas Society ladies also cooperate with the local welfare department in sending get-well cards to the welfare clients while they are patients in the hospital.

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Camp Meeting Scheduled For June 9-17

CAMP-MEETING time will soon be here. We are working diligently to have all in readiness for you. An outstanding number of visiting guests are planning to administer the daily spiritual food. With the help and cooperation of all, this can be our best camp meeting. Are you planning to enter into its joys and blessings?

Elder C. D. Brooks, who recently held an effort in Cairo, Egypt, and Elder Fordyce W. Detamore, one of our veteran evangelists who has held efforts in various parts of the world, will speak at the night meetings.

The General Conference will be represented by Elders D. H. Baasch, R. E. Adams, and W. L. Pascoe. All of these men have had wide mission experience.

Elder G. F. Dalrymple will be with us from Faith for Today. Dr. H. G. Stevens will give daily talks and conduct discussions concerning "Your Health."

Elder Cree Sandefur, the Union Conference President, with the other Union Conference brethren, plan to be with us. The ministers in the West Virginia Conference plan to be there. Roger McNeily of the Music Department of Mount Vernon Academy will bring to us daily songs of hope and cheer.

What a feast of good things God has for us! The dates are June 9 to 17 on the campground in Parkersburg.

In order to impart spiritual blessings to others, our own souls must be fed. How many more camp meetings will we be privileged to attend? The answer to that question is recorded only in the mind of God. Why not lay your plans now to be there? We shall be waiting to welcome you.

ROSCOE W. MOORE
President, West Virginia Conference

Pathfinder Spring Camporee Held

KANAWHA State Forest, near Charleston, W. Va., was the scene of the Spring Camporee for the Pathfinder clubs of the West Virginia Conference, held May 5-7.

Activity broke loose with all its Pathfinder fury as the clubs arrived on Friday afternoon and set up camp. Tent pitching, fire building, wood carrying, and other duties were carried out with organization and dispatch. It was evident that a small army had arrived on the scene as tents sprang up in rows and the Pathfinders carried out their assigned duties.

Pathfinder clubs that came to the camporee were: East River (Bluefield-Princeton), Charleston, Huntington, and Parkersburg, with their club directors, William J. Arrington, Gary Deem, M. A. Wheeler, and Edith Baldwin, respectively.

Kanawha State Forest, with its nearly 7,000 acres of streams, mountains, forests, trails, and wild life, made an ideal area in which to camp.

The Parkersburg Club was responsible for the Friday-night campfire. Sabbath School was conducted by the Club director, William Arrington, of the East River Club.

Rain, with promise of more to come, necessitated the breaking of camp after dinner at the conclusion of Sabbath School and the church service. The thunderstorms and heavy rains that followed in the night and on Sunday morning indicated the wisdom of breaking camp, even if this was not the wish of these hardy Pathfinders.

Much credit for the success of the Camporee must be given to the dedicated Pathfinder directors and their staffs.

H. W. BASS

MV Secretary, West Virginia Conference

Congregation "Learns ABC's"

THE ABC's of salvation begin with Matthew 7:7. "A" stands for "Ask, and it shall be given you." "B" stands for "Believe that what the Lord has promised He will fulfill and do." "C" is the difficult one for most people, for they do not claim the promise and give thanks to God that they have received it.

The book *Education* states on page 258: "... for any gift He has promised, we may ask; then we are to believe that we receive, and return thanks to God that we have received."

These Bible promises are made real and vital to an almost capacity audience nightly at the Parkersburg, W. Va., Seventh-day Adventist Church, where Elder Glenn Coon is presently conducting a two-week evangelistic crusade, entitled "The Positive Living Clinic."

Elder Coon has just completed a successful evangelistic campaign in Huntington and this present series in Parkersburg is the second one this month.

Long-standing, besetting sins are being overcome; new faces are accepting Jesus and His promises for the first time. Elder Shepard, Pastor of the Parkersburg Church, and his members are looking forward to many of "The Bible Speaks" interests taking their stand for Jesus and joining the remnant church.

Mrs. Coon supports her husband's ministry with her musical talent and the following fitting prayer, repeated by Elder Coon each evening, aptly expresses the sentiments of all attending:

Lord, make me a nail upon the wall
Fastened securely in its place.
Then from this thing so common and so small
Hang a bright picture of Thy face,
That travelers may pause to look
Upon the loveliness depicted there,
And passing on their weary ways,
Each radiant face may bear—
Stamped so that nothing can efface
The image of Thy glory and Thy grace.
Lord, let not one soul think of me,
Only let me be a nail upon the wall,
Holding Thy picture in its place.

—Mildred Hill

DOUGLAS LOGAN

*Public Relations Secretary,
West Virginia Conference*



A young lady, who has been in attendance every night, says goodnight to Elder Coon (right) and Elder Shepard (center).



Elder Glenn Coon brings a happy message to the Parkersburg Church.



Mrs. Glenn Coon at the piano during the revival series at the Parkersburg Church.



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Highland View Academy Announces New Principal



Mr. and Mrs. Dean Holmes and their children.

THE Highland View Academy board chairman, Elder Cyril Miller, announces that Dean Holmes from Maplewood Academy, Hutchinson, Minn., has been elected to replace Eris Kier as Principal of the Chesapeake Conference's new boarding academy, scheduled to open next fall.

Mr. Holmes comes to his new post with a rich background in our denominational educational system, having received his B.A. degree from Emmanuel Missionary College in 1953 and a master's degree from Michigan State University in 1958.

He has served on the staff of two Adventist academies and has lived on the campus of numerous boarding schools, since his father also served the church in the capacity of an academy principal for many years.

Mrs. Dean Holmes has been called to serve as librarian and will head the English Department at H.V.A. She, too, received her B.A. degree in English from Emmanuel Missionary College in 1953 and a master's degree from the University of Minnesota.

The new principal and his family will be moving to Highland View Academy early in June to begin a summer student-work program in preparation for the opening of school next fall.

We welcome Mr. and Mrs. Holmes and their five children, Larry, Jimmy, Cheryl, Sandra, and Jean, to this most important work and wish Mr. and Mrs. Eris Kier Godspeed as they take up their new responsibilities on the staff of Southern Missionary College.

"Voice of Youth" Meetings Held in Baltimore



Baltimore First Church youth conducting a Voice of Youth meeting.

THE young people of the Baltimore First Church recently conducted a 10-night Voice of Youth series. The meetings were held each Sunday, Wednesday, and Friday from February 12 to March 5.

About 20 young people served as speakers with others taking part as song leaders, performers of special music, accompanists, and ushers. On the opening night, more than 100 people were present, 27 of whom were non-Adventists.

Several non-Adventists attended every night of the series. The Pastor, Elder Robert Wood, states that some prime interests have developed and are now being followed up. The young people of Baltimore are looking forward to baptisms in the near future as the result of these meetings.

CRISIS-HOUR EVANGELISM

• THE DeWitt-White evangelistic series in Westminster closed on March 18 with 30 already baptized. Enthusiasm is running high and dates already have been set for a fall series.

• Sixty-four persons were baptized this month making the baptismal record for the first quarter of 1967 the greatest, by far, in Chesapeake Conference history.

• Fifteen have been baptized and others are preparing as a result of the DeWitt-Morgan meetings in

Waldorf which ended on February 11. Things are surging ahead in southern Maryland.

• Charles Griffin baptized six from a short reaping series in Wilmington this month. Extensive preparations are being made for the meetings to be conducted in Wilmington this fall by Elder R. H. Pierson, General Conference President. The air-conditioned Towne Theater already has been leased for this series.

• The May-Everett meetings in the Cambridge Church (29 members) closed on March 11 with 12 decisions for baptisms. Seven have been baptized and the others will be ready shortly.

• The Glen Burnie series is now in full swing. Attendance is growing. The meetings are being held in the Improvement Association Building on Crain Highway. Pastors Ulmer, Boggess, and May are teamed up for this evangelistic thrust. A full report on this meeting will be given next month.

• The Chesapeake Conference has just purchased a new 40' x 64' steel-clad tent and an almost-new 40' x 80' air building which is fully equipped. Elder Harold Friesen and Pastor Lyle Chamberlain have put the tent up for a three-week reaping series in Dover and the new air building will soon be erected in Seaford.

• The old air building has been erected in Bel Air and the Cox-Parish meetings are now in progress in this unentered city. A full report on these meetings will be issued later.

• Twelve have been baptized into the Essex and Dundalk Churches as the first fruits from short reaping meetings by the Pastor, Elder Tom Hicks. Ten or 12 others are deeply interested.

• Joe Crews, Amazing Facts broadcast speaker, and Wilbur Atwood are finishing a short reaping meeting in Martinsburg, W. Va. Details will be given in a later issue of the VISITOR.

• An attractive hall on main street in Salisbury has been leased for the Crews-Rose-Worth meetings which will begin shortly.

• The DeWitt-Ray-Petty meetings will be in progress in the Franklin Court Auditorium in Hagerstown by the time you read this. We earnestly request your prayers for this meeting. We believe it will be a great one.

• Elder F. F. Schwindt has begun a three-nights-a-week series in the Baltimore First Church which will continue for nine weeks. Pastors Wood and Francisco are associated with Elder Schwindt in this series. A goal of 100 baptisms from this meeting has been set.

Trading Stamps Purchase Piano for School



Imagine a Baldwin Hamilton piano from TV Trading Stamps! Mrs. Joan Lintner (center) of the Spencerville Church began the project which was finished by the Home and School Association leader, Mrs. Dorothy McNeil, who is presenting the key to Roger Davis, Principal of Spencerville Junior Academy.

Spencerville Youth Conduct Sabbath Services



Debbie Lintner presents George Whidden with a special birthday gift.

DURING "Youth at the Helm" Day, March 18, when more than 40 Spencerville youth let out in the Sabbath services, one feature stands out above all others. Debbie Lintner, a student of Spencerville Junior

Academy, had the honor of introducing our senior citizen—George Whidden. The year 1872 is known to historians for various reasons. Among some of the most important events of that year was the passing of the Amnesty Act, giving full political privileges to most of the former Confederate citizens. General U. S. Grant, the victorious Union General, became president of our country, and plans for southern improvement finally were settled. But the most important event of all to us in the Spencerville Church was the birth of Mr. Whidden on March 18 of that year.

Since then he has led a full life, and is now enjoying the benefits of being a great-grandfather. His Investment project is building bird houses—for birds are his hobby. He loves to read and goes to the library regularly, weather permitting. He is one of the few who are admitted to the Review and Herald library. His great-granddaughter is quoted as saying that he has read over 400 books. In behalf of the Spencerville Youth Division, Miss Lintner presented him a copy of *Diamondola* in honor of this special day—his 95th birthday!

ROBERT CASH



Get Ready Now

WAR is bound to escalate, perverse human nature will see to this. In spite of man's best efforts to create peace, wars will increase. Said the Master, "Ye shall hear of wars and rumors of wars" (Matthew 24:6).

The international situation being what it is, more, and still more, young men will be called into military service. This, of course, includes Seventh-day Adventist young men.

Holding as we do to definite religious concepts of Sabbath observance and noncombatancy, it is understandable that such convictions pose real problems to our young men entering military service.

Real as they are, the problems can be alleviated somewhat if the young man prepares to meet them. The preparation calls for a thorough understanding of the church's position on Sabbath keeping and noncombatancy and why he, as an individual, adheres to and supports the church's position. Furthermore, he needs to be clearly briefed beforehand on military parlance, procedures, privileges and responsibilities. As a noncombatant he stands on vantage ground if, upon induction, he stands ready to contribute some distinctive noncombative service. Naturally, such a preparation involves time and effort.

In order to help its young men in times of war, the Seventh-day Adventist Church has instituted a program of training that all young men of draft age would do well to ponder. During June 6-18, 1967 several hundred young men in company with dedicated instructors will meet at Grand Ledge, Mich. At this camp the prospective draftee becomes acquainted with all the problems facing him upon induction and the best manner in which he, as a Seventh-day Adventist, can apply himself to such problems. The training is factual, thorough, and demanding, but it pays rich dividends when the soldier finds himself far removed from church fellowship and those of like faith.

Whether we wish it or not, war is with us. Since we have to live in this world until our Lord returns, why not prepare to witness faithfully and efficiently should you be drafted? Your pastor or conference MV Secretary can supply you with complete details and application blank for admittance at Camp Desmond T. Doss, Grand Ledge, Mich.

THEODORE CARCICH

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Notice

Elder R. W. Taylor, Pennsylvania Conference Evangelist, announces that special services will begin July 8 in the Cloud Cathedral, in Milton, Pa. Those having friends or relatives in the area whom they wish to have contacted should write immediately to: Elder D. V. Kurbrock, R.D. 4, Danville, Pa. 17821.

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RODGERS, Allan Burdette, was born October 28, 1944, and died suddenly in Takoma Park, Md., February 25, 1967. He was baptized in the Takoma Park Church in May, 1950, and was graduated from Shenandoah Valley Academy in 1964. For the past several years he has been employed at the Washington Sanitarium and Hospital. Surviving are his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin G. Rodgers; a brother, Pastor Ronald B. Rodgers; his maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Roy Stewart; and many other relatives and friends. Funeral services were conducted by Elder W. J. Keith in the Takoma Park Church.

LASIW, Mrs. Mary, was born January 7, 1890, in the Ukraine and died December 24, 1966, in Wallington, N. J. She was born on the first day of Ukrainian Christmas and died on Christmas Eve, according to the calendar of western Christians. There was a day between these two Christmas holidays when Jesus was born in the heart of the departed and who knew her, had no doubt that He was born in her heart. Mrs. Lasiw came to this country from the Ukraine when she was very young. She was married in the United States and was the mother of eight children. Her membership was with the Passaic Polish Church in New Jersey. Funeral and burial services were conducted by the writer. Mrs. Lasiw was laid to rest on December 28, 1966, at Cedar Lawn Cemetery in Paterson, N. J.

Mirosław Roshak

GROVE, James P., was born February 3, 1898, and died February 25, 1967, while visiting his son, J. Paul Grove, Jr., at Walla Walla, Wash. He is survived by his wife, Mary; six sons and two daughters: J. Paul Grove, Homer N., Helen Manevill, Lloyd J., Harriet Stimpson, Earl M., Kermit, and Kenneth. Burial services were held at his home church in Williamsport, Pa., where he had served faithfully for many years as an elder and a deacon. He awaits the resurrection.

H. R. Kehney

KLIMOSH, Karl, was born February 24, 1913, in Czechoslovakia and died April 7, 1967. At the age of 13 he came to the United States and, at the age of 18 he was baptized at camp meeting in Wescosville, Pa., and joined the North Philadelphia Church. He later transferred his membership to the Hathboro Church. Surviving are his wife, Myrtle, a son, Karl; and a daughter, Linda; two sisters: Maria and Helen in Czechoslovakia; and a brother in Ontario, Canada. Also 14 nephews and nieces mourn his passing. Funeral services were conducted by the writer at the Wetzel Funeral Home in Willow Grove, Pa., and interment was in the Whitmarsh Memorial Cemetery where he awaits the resurrection.

C. M. Pike

JOHNSON, Lawrence R., was born in Louisville, Ky., September 8, 1918, and died in Takoma Park, Md., April 20, 1967, at the age of 48. When he was quite young his parents accepted the Seventh-day Adventist faith through the ministry of Elder Donald Hunter. He attended Grayville Academy in Tennessee and later studied theology at Washington Missionary College, now Columbia Union College. He was married to Treasa Bernice Clouse, November 15, 1939. At the time of his death he was a member of the Takoma Park Church. Besides his wife, he is survived by one son, Johnny Lawrence Johnson; one sister, Eleanor Mable Bennett; and two nephews: Robert Howard Johnson and William Rush Johnson.

W. J. Keith

TUCKER, Mrs. Cora B., was born November 16, 1883, in New York, and died April 18, 1967, in New Castle, Del. Mrs. Tucker loved the Adventist message and was devoted to her church. Surviving are her children: Foster P. Tucker, Ralph E. Tucker, Mrs. Gertrude Waddell, Mrs. Evelyn Betts, and Mrs. Pearl Rivers.

Charles J. Griffin

GOODMAN, Fred W., 53, of New Carlisle, Ohio, died December 15, 1966, at Kettering Memorial Hospital where he had been a patient. Mr. Goodman was born in Frankfort, Ohio, June 24, 1913, a son of Henry C. and Mary Alice Robbins Goodman. He was a mechanical engineer, and a local elder of the New Carlisle Church. He attended Southern Missionary College, Chattanooga, Tenn. For seven years he was associated with the Ohio Conference in the literature work as a colporteur and Assistant Publishing Secretary. During the past three years he was serving as a pastor for the Kentucky-Tennessee Conference. Survivors include his wife, Evelyn; two sons: James A. and Phillip W. Goodman (in the U. S. Army); one daughter, Mrs. Marcus (Constance) Traa; one brother, Shural Goodman; and three sisters: Mrs. Pearl Ahrendt, Mrs. Irene Hatfield, and Mrs. Allice Chastain. Services were conducted in the New Carlisle Church. Elder E. L.

Special Constituency Meeting to Convene

A special constituency meeting of the Potomac Conference of Seventh-day Adventists will convene at 1:30 P.M., June 11, 1967, in the camp-meeting auditorium, New Market, Va. One major consideration of the meeting will be the Conference-wide educational program and other important items for which counsel is needed from the constituents.

Each church is entitled to one delegate for its organization and on additional delegate for each 35 members or fraction thereof.

General Conference and Columbia Union Conference representatives and all conference workers holding ministerial licenses shall be delegates-at-large.

C. H. Lauda, President
R. G. Burchfield, Secretary

Marley, President of the Kentucky-Tennessee Conference, officiated, assisted by Elder Fred Stauffer, local pastor. Burial was at Omega, Ohio.

C. R. Beeler

SEMBACK, Mrs. Edna, died January 15, 1967, at the age of 70. A resident of Hedgesville, W. Va., she was baptized at the Martinsburg Church in 1922. Funeral services were conducted by Pastors John E. Kelchner and Wilbur Atwood. Interment was in Tamahawk Cemetery, Hedgesville, W. Va.

John E. Kelchner

KIDD, Mrs. Mary Gene Tarver, died suddenly in Bowling Green, Ohio, on April 10, 1967, at the age of 40. She was lay activities leader of the Bowling Green Church. She is survived by her husband, Marvin, and her son, Gary.

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STEELMAN, Mary R., was born in Pittsburgh, Pa., May 21, 1907, and died at the Washington Sanitarium and Hospital, February 23, 1967, at the age of 59. Throughout her life she was a faithful Seventh-day Adventist and at the time of her death she was a member of the Takoma Park, Md., Church. She is survived by her husband, Charles T. Steelman, and one brother, Wallace Curry.

W. J. Keith

HALE, Elijah G. E., was born April 2, 1914, in Wadesville, Pa., and died March 5, at Reading, Pa. He was a lifelong member of the church. He rests in Laureldale Cemetery.

George M. Woodruff

LAMBERTZ, Mrs. Lena, was born October 15, 1882, and died March 30, 1967 in St. Joseph's Hospital, Paterson, N. J. She accepted the Adventist faith as a result of a "Present Truth" tract given her 47 years ago. She remained a faithful member all her life. Her husband died 13 years ago. She is survived by her two sons: Charles and Herman Lambertz; a brother, Herman Peggert; a sister, Mrs. Martha Braen; and four grandchildren. She was laid to rest in Laurel Grove Memorial Park Cemetery, Totowa, N. J., where she awaits the resurrection. Funeral services were conducted by Elder Malcolm Maxwell, assisted by Elder George Lindquist.

DETWILER, Oscar J., son of the late Reuben and Mary Detwiler, was born in New Britain, Pa., December 16, 1884, and died April 27, 1967, at his home. He was the first church elder of the Telford Church after its organization and in this office he continued for a number of years. On April 18, 1911, he was married to Stella Frederick. Three children born to them: Howard, Dorothy, and Esther. Mr. and Mrs. Detwiler celebrated their 56th wedding anniversary shortly before his death. Funeral services were conducted by the writer, assisted by Pastor Fred Hyde at the Sommers Funeral Home in Telford and interment was in the Hillside Cemetery in Souderton, Pa. The deceased is survived by his wife, Stella; his three children; one granddaughter; two brothers; and five sisters.

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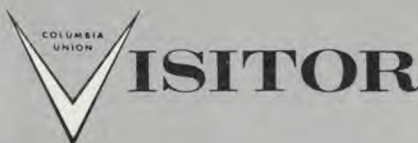
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	June 2	June 9	June 16	June 23
Baltimore, Md.	7:27	7:32	7:35	7:37
Cincinnati, Ohio	7:59	8:03	8:06	8:08
Cleveland, Ohio	7:54	7:59	8:02	8:04
Columbus, Ohio	7:55	8:00	8:03	8:04
Jersey City, N.J.	7:21	7:26	7:29	7:31
Norfolk, Va.	7:19	7:24	7:28	7:28
Parkersburg, W. Va.	7:47	7:52	7:55	7:56
Philadelphia, Pa.	7:23	7:29	7:32	7:33
Pittsburgh, Pa.	7:44	7:49	7:52	7:54
Reading, Pa.	7:28	7:32	7:36	7:37
Richmond, Va.	7:25	7:29	7:32	7:34
Seranton, Pa.	7:30	7:35	7:38	7:40
Toledo, Ohio	8:03	8:08	8:11	8:13
Trenton, N. J.	7:23	7:27	7:31	7:32
Washington, D. C.	7:28	7:32	7:36	7:37

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By L. L. Reile

President, Greater New York Conference



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One out of every 10 inhabitants of the entire United States lives and works in this congested area. They have many cultures and speak 70 languages. Every day nearly 500 are born to join them and 250 die.

We have been counseled: "Let not the fields lying in the shadow of our doors, such as New York City be passed over lightly and neglected. This field is just as important as any foreign field" (MS. 154, 1902). Sixty-five years ago the messenger of the Lord stated, "New York City is ready

to be worked" (GCB. 4-10-1901). Then she added: "God wants the work to go forward in New York" (LS. 385). How anxious God must be now! This is a challenge to the whole church.

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Providence has opened added television and radio time for us. We have been able to televise some of the It Is Written program, which has had a ready acceptance. From the first telecast requests came for literature and lessons. Now additional time has been made available for the daily telecast. This is a miracle! Other organizations have funds on deposit, anxious to secure TV time for their

religious programs—yet God, in His mercy, has made time available to us.

Evangelistic meetings must also be conducted in all sectors where earnest souls are looking for church homes. Multitudes live many miles from the center of the city and would not attend a series of meetings in Manhattan, owing in part to heavy traffic, plus the costly and limited down-town parking available. Efforts by the denomination's leading evangelistic teams will have to be held in the areas where the people live if we are to bring them God's special message for this hour. This tremendous program includes you, too, for it requires the prayers and support of all our people.

Today we must "buy up" the opportunity, but the local conference cannot do it alone. This has been made a division project, so that all members in North America can participate in evangelizing Metropolitan New York City. "Let all that is done be a symbol of the work the Lord desires to see done in the world" (7T, 37). June 10 has been designated for a special, important offering with a goal of \$500,000. We look expectantly to you for your generous support and thank you for your participation. Help us to uplift Christ and make a breakthrough for God in this "great and wicked city." May you soon see souls saved in God's eternal kingdom as a result of your offering.

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