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## **ABOUT THE COVER**

The Kenhorst Boulevard Church, Reading, Pa.

# *Briefly Stated*

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Seventh-day Adventist servicemen stationed near the nation's capital will be able to use the church's new 160,000-dollar servicemen's center in suburban Takoma Park, which was opened February 28. Overlooking a wooded park, the modern facility provides a large lounge with a rock fireplace, a devotional library, a recreation area, a snack bar, sleeping accommodations for 60 men, and four guest rooms. Opening ceremonies featured a ribbon-cutting ceremony by church and military leaders. Though most Adventist youths register as conscientious objectors, the church encourages them to serve in the armed forces as noncombatants. Most serve as unarmed medics. Thirty have been killed in Vietnam.—*On the Air.*

NEW YORK—A prominent psychiatrist says that possibly the most valuable lesson of the hippie movement is that it showed that love without discipline will not work. Writing in *Religion and Mental Health* magazine, Dr. Graham B. Blaine, Jr., of Harvard University said we can well afford to forget the hippie appeal to distribute flowers and to give up and drop out. Dr. Blaine explained that hippie attempts to live by love alone led not to some glorious Nirvana but to bitterness, rivalry, and finally violence. He said that hippies found that a world without discipline led only to chaos. Dr. Blaine said that Christianity will survive all such free-love movements because it provides regulations that provide the structure for a relatively harmonious society.—*On the Air.*

MINNEAPOLIS—Fifty-three per cent of Minnesotans interviewed by the Minnesota Poll say that they would approve of negotiations between Roman Catholics and Protestants on the question of uniting into one church. Protestants were almost evenly divided on such negotiations, while 70 per cent of the Catholics interviewed expressed their approval. On other questions, 87 per cent agreed that there are significant truths in all religions and 60 per cent said that they believed in a literal interpretation of the Bible.—*On the Air.*

CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA.—A Seventh-day Adventist church here has accepted the challenge of a Minnesota atheist who said he would prefer the so-called "washed-in-the-blood" Christians to pay for the broken windows in his shop than to pray for him.

Pastor Trevor Delafield of the Charlottesville Adventist Church said his congregation has sent \$25 to Garry DeYoung of Duluth, Minn., who issued the challenge, perhaps sarcastically, at Christmastime.

Two plate-glass windows in DeYoung's book store were smashed after he succeeded in having religious songs removed from a local elementary-school Christmas program. He said religious songs violated Constitutional provisions for separation of church and state.

In sending the money taken in a special offering, Pastor Delafield said he wanted to make it clear that his church was in "wholehearted disagreement" with DeYoung's atheistic beliefs, but it agreed with his right to believe as he wished.

LOUISVILLE, KY.—Among travelers waiting in Union Station in Louisville, Ky., recently for a train to New Orleans were 21 people leaving an America that has grown too worldly for them. They were Amish farmers from Orange County, Ind. They were bound for the South American country of Paraguay, where they hope to be able to continue the simple, unique way of life they prefer to live. The 21 Amish are the second group to leave Indiana during the past year for Paraguay, one of the most underdeveloped South American countries.—*On the Air.*





**William Hackett—**

## OUR MAN ON CAPITOL HILL

Since congressmen are busy individuals, many of the incoming calls are handled by the administrative assistant, in this case, William H. Hackett.

FEW people know their way around Capitol Hill in Washington, D. C., as well as William H. Hackett. There is a good reason for it, because he has spent the past 34 years as an administrative assistant to two Congressmen.

As far as seniority is concerned, only two senators and four representatives have been in Congress longer.

Mr. Hackett became a Seventh-day Adventist while he was a reporter for a Fort Wayne, Ind., newspaper. When he talked to the publisher of the paper about his decision to keep the Sabbath, he was told: "You're crazy! It's impossible to give you Saturday off."

Young Hackett's answer was simple. "I'm giving you two weeks' notice."

About a week and a half later, he again talked to the publisher, asking him if he had gotten a replacement.

"Were you really serious?" the publisher asked. Hackett replied, "I surely am."

"Would you be willing to work on Sunday?" was the next question, and the problem was easily solved.

Since then, this has been a part of William Hackett's philosophy. "I think Adventists should be diligent workers and when they apply for work, they should explain their religious position," he asserts. They should also indicate that they are willing to go the extra mile even if it involves working on Sunday or an hour longer every day."

Mr. Hackett came to Washington in 1934 as administrative assistant to a Michigan congressman. "He was green at his work and I was, too," he recalls. "This was a time of government expansion in Washington and a number of us got together regularly to exchange information about dealing with government bureaus."

From these informal get-togethers grew the Congressional Secretaries' Club, made up of Capitol Hill staff employees. Hackett helped organize this group and was an officer for over 25 years.

With a colleague, he began to collect helpful information and published it in the form of a handbook. Today this booklet, still in continuous publication after 30 years, is a helpful guide to the 10,000 congressional employees and is published by the club. This year Mr. Hackett was honored when the current edition was dedicated to him.

Administrative assistants perform an important function in Congress. They are generally regarded as being second in command in the congressman's office. Most of the correspondence is handled by the administrative assistant or delegated to other staff members for answering.

In addition, there is the biennial problem of elections, especially for representatives. "We're campaigning all of the time," says Mr. Hackett, who also handles much of the detail relating to the campaign for re-election.

Many people think that all a congressman does is legislate. Mr. Hack-

ett says this has been changed in recent years. "A congressman is the Washington representative for various agencies for his constituents. He helps with veteran's cases, aids with social security problems, and deals with immigration cases, just to name a few. If there's a problem to be handled from our district, we hear about it.

"We get hundreds of letters each day," Mr. Hackett notes. "Some give advice to the congressman on how to vote on specific issues. Some may ask how to raise fishworms and we also get many letters from school children asking help on school assignments." All of these inquiries get an answer.

Mr. Hackett's first assignment lasted 18 years and when his congressman employer was defeated for re-election, he was out of work. But it didn't last long. He had many who wanted his valuable services and he started work again immediately with Congressman Elford A. Cederberg of Michigan, who represents District 10 in the mid-section of Michigan. This pleasant association has continued since 1952.

William Hackett has been a valuable help to the General Conference, especially in dealing with problems relating to religious liberty. For a number of years he has served as Assistant Religious Liberty Secretary of the Columbia Union Conference.

This year, as usual, many congregations in the greater Washington area have heard him speak for Sabbath services.

District 10 in Michigan's midsection, is the area represented by Mr. Hackett's employer, Congressman Elford A. Cederberg.





## Loma Linda Foods Holds Sales Meetings



William A. Weaver of Dayton, Ohio, is shown looking at the silver cup presented to him at the conclusion of Loma Linda Foods' recent sales convention in Mount Vernon, Ohio. Mr. Weaver is retiring after representing the company's Medical Products Division in Ohio for the past 15 years. Much of his time has been spent in detailing the medical profession with the company's product, Soyolac. In the photo are (left to right): Robert MacGowan, Sales Manager; C. P. Miles, General Manager; Mr. Weaver; Don Keeler, Eastern Division Manager; and Clifford Harrison, Medical Products Director.

SALES meetings for Loma Linda Foods' eastern division sales personnel convened at the company's eastern headquarters in Mount Vernon, Ohio, January 8 and 9.

The meetings were under the general direction of the eastern division manager, Don Keeler, assisted by the company's general manager, C. P. Miles, from the headquarters office in Riverside, Calif. In addition, several administrative personnel from the West Coast were in attendance at the Mount Vernon meeting.

Floyd Whalen, a principal in the food brokerage firm of Cohen and Whalen, Inc., of Cleveland, Ohio, reviewed the current trends in food marketing. Additional speakers included Elder A. G. Munson, representing the company's governing Board of Directors; Elder Philip Follet, President of the Ohio Conference; C. K. Okuno of the Review and Herald Publishing Association; and C. W. Trott, M.D., who spoke concerning the physician's role as it relates to medical detailing. Also participating in the convention activities was Elder L. L. Albers, Pastor of the Mount Vernon Church.

A large portion of the eastern division representatives is employed by the company's medical products division and is assigned the marketing of ethical medical products.

We want to thank VISITOR readers for their support of this rapidly expanding, denominationally owned and operated food enterprise.

## "Your Story Hour" Announces Changes

A new, independent organization, known as Your Story Hour Recordings, has recently purchased this record business from World Wide Records of Nashville, Tenn., which has been handling these records with the direction of Ray Hausted, vice-president in charge of sales. Ray Hausted has long been known for his active interest as president of the radio program, "Your Story Hour," since its origin, and is now setting up this new operation in Medina, Ohio. Medina is the city in which the recording studios of "Your Story Hour" are located and also the home of Mr. Hausted. In the future all sales promotion and distribution of records will be handled by Your Story Hour Recordings, in Medina, Ohio.

Your Story Hour Recordings is now marketing these fine LP records at a *minimum cost*, hoping that every home might have the opportunity to expose their children to this spiritual foundation for learning. Here is the largest and the finest library of Bible and character-building stories ever assembled. There are 50 LP albums, including 116 stories in all—72 accurate Scriptural Bible stories and 44 true-to-life secular stories.

These LP albums may be purchased from Book and Bible Houses or direct from Your Story Hour Recordings, Box 511, 201 West Liberty Street, Medina, Ohio 44256.

## Introducing—the Israelite

PERHAPS you already are acquainted, but if you have not had a formal introduction, permit us to introduce *Israelite* to you. Everyone has heard of *Time*, *Newsweek*, *Look*, and *Life*. Yes, the *Reader's Digest* is almost universally read in many, many languages. The readers of this article most surely will have read our denominational missionary journals, *These Times* and the good old *Signs of the Times*. *Message Magazine*, *Listen*, and *Life and Health* are all household words. But what about *Israelite*?

*Israelite* is a publication of the Seventh-day Adventist Church. It is published bimonthly by The Israelite Heritage Institute for the Congregations Hebrew Adventist and others. Is this just another publication? Is it really necessary? Is it needed? Yes, and we should like to tell you why it is needed!

"In the closing proclamation of the gospel, when special work is to be done for classes of people hitherto neglected, God expects His messengers to take particular interest in the Jewish people whom they find in all parts of the earth. As the Old Testament Scriptures are blended with the New in an explanation of Jehovah's eternal purpose, this will be to many of the Jews as the dawn of a new creation, the resurrection of the soul."—*The Acts of the Apostles*, page 381.

*Israelite* magazine prepares the ground for such an experience by presenting basic truth from the Old Testament and encouraging readers to study and to question. When thoughtful investigation is aroused, many questions of Bible origin clamor to be answered. This little journal, prepared with the Jewish viewpoint in mind, endeavors to answer those perplexing questions in a setting familiar and comprehensible to the Jewish mind.

On Sabbath, March 16, a special emphasis in behalf of this journal will be featured in all of the churches of the North American Division. Plan to have a subscription entered in the name of as many Jewish friends as possible. One dollar and 50 cents will take the message to a Jewish home for one full year.

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## Member Pays \$2.50 a Minute to Get Mission Story



Paul Snider

It was Sabbath School time at Parkersburg Church, W. Va., when Paul Snider stepped to the microphone and asked, "I would like to know this morning before giving the mission story just how many of you got lost coming to Sabbath School, or how many of you have ever been lost? Can I see your hands?"

"Our mission story comes today from the Republic of Panama in Central America describing a family who really got lost on their way to a branch Sabbath School," he continued.

The mission story was then related, describing the experience of Edward McClain, his wife, their seven-year-old son, 17-month-old baby, and a 17-year-old nephew who were lost at sea for eight long days and nights with only enough food for two days. Finally they were miraculously rescued by a ship which made a 180-degree turn and started back toward them and picked them up.

Mr. Snider's inquisitive nature got the better of him, for he, too, had been lost at sea and in the air, and he wanted to know other details which were not related in the *Missions Quarterly*. He wanted to know such things as: When it took place? What size the boat was? How much food they started with? How much food they had when they were through? How much water? What went wrong with the boat? How far were they going to the branch Sabbath School that morning? Did anybody get sick?

Were they cold at night? Did it rain? Did anyone panic? Do you feel that God answers prayer? Was it hot in the daytime? Had you made this trip before? Have you made this trip since? How rough did the sea get? Did you catch any food? What did the baby do for food? Why did the Japanese boat return? What did they say when they picked you up? How long did you have to wait before getting home? How long have you been an Adventist? There were other interesting questions which remained unanswered to this Sabbath School member who was to give the mission story. Paul Snider, a self-employed businessman, always gets to the bottom of things, and on this occasion there was no exception, so he lifted his telephone and called the New York operator, directing her to call Panama and place a personal call to Edward McClain.

It is not every member in a congregation that will spend \$2.50 a minute on a long-distance telephone call to find out everything about a mission story, but if you want to have a spellbound audience just try it. As Paul Snider described the conversation with this man, the members of the Parkersburg Church listened attentively.

## Wheeling District Welcomes New Pastor



Elder and Mrs. E. B. Lundin and their son, Lynn.

ELDER and Mrs. E. B. Lundin have been warmly received and are ministering to the spiritual needs of the Wheeling, Weirton, and Cameron Churches, having come to the West

Virginia Conference from the Iowa Conference where they served in pastoral work for the past six years.

Elder Lundin is a native of Colorado and a graduate of Union College in Lincoln, Neb. Mrs. Lundin, whose maiden name is Stevens, is a registered nurse, having been graduated from the Washington Sanitarium and Hospital School of Nursing.

A daughter, Linda, is working in Colorado; and a son, Lynn, is at home at the present time.

## Reads Bible in 26 Days

To read the entire Bible in January was the goal of D. L. Baker, pastor-teacher of Buckhannon, W. Va. The idea came to him when he heard that H. M. S. Richards, one of the greatest Adventist preachers, often reads the Bible through in one month. "If Elder Richards can do it," thought Mr. Baker, "I can do it also." However, by using every extra



D. L. Baker (center) receives the first Bible certificate issued in the West Virginia Conference in 1968. Phylis Foss (right), Buckhannon MV Society leader, looks on as H. W. Bass, Conference MV Secretary, presents the certificate at a recent MV meeting.

available minute to read God's Word his goal was reached earlier. Friday afternoon, just 26 days into the new year, the 21st verse of chapter 22 in Revelation was reached.

Not content with this achievement, he has received such inspiration from the holy pages of the Bible that he has started through the sacred Book again. He says it may become such a habit that he can do it every month in 1968.

The feat is all the more astounding when one realizes that not only did Mr. Baker teach school and read the Bible through, but during January he gave 12 Bible studies and preached several sermons.

H. W. BASS  
Superintendent of Education



## "Pot of Gold" Used for Investment at Fowler Ridge



The Sabbath School Investment goal device of the Fowler Ridge, Ohio, Sabbath School.

THERE really was a pot of gold at the end of the rainbow during 1967 at the Fowler Ridge Sabbath School. To be more precise, silver was substituted for gold. Here is how it came about.

"At the beginning of the year, I was looking through some of the old Senior Sabbath School Helps and found the sentence, 'There is a soul in the pot of gold at the end of the Investment rainbow.' That gave me the idea for our Investment device," writes Mrs. Orpha Greenley, superintendent.

So the device in the accompanying picture was made, showing a large pot with a portion of a rainbow showing above it, and displaying the motto she had read. As the Investment money came in, the pot was covered with dimes and quarters. Not only was the pot overflowed—so was the goal. Instead of \$250, they raised \$334.48.

Representing the idea of soul winning as the ultimate result, a picture of a child was posted on the device as the money came in.

Investment money came from such services as clock repairing, knife

and scissor sharpening, and from the sale of flower arrangements, soap, and pies. One African violet that had not been blooming began after a nickel was pledged for each bloom.

The membership of the Fowler Ridge Sabbath School is 36.

## Cincinnati Church Marks Pastor's Birthday

As a part of the "high day" sponsored by the youth of the Shiloh Church of Cincinnati, Ohio, Martha L. Sharp, the sponsor of the youth church and Missionary Volunteer leader for the day, planned an inspiring program for the evening. The program followed the general motto for the day, "Give God Your Heart in Youth."

Mrs. Elaine Sales narrated the program. Supporting participants to discuss "The Reality of God" were Michael Sales, Martha L. Sharp, and Pastor A. R. Jones.

With great planning and difficulty the leader managed to conceal the latter half of the program, a surprise birthday celebration for Pastor A. R. Jones. A letter from his mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. William E. Jones of Hopewell, Va., told of his birth into the message through the missionary work of Paul Williams of Petersburg, Va., and others. Mention was made of his educational training in Desputania High School with highest honors and Oakwood College with honors. His college work was interrupted by a term in the military service. During this interval he met Doris M. Ewell who became his wife at the end of her college days.

Elder W. A. Thompson, President of the Allegheny East Conference related some of the high lights of Pastor Jones' early experiences with him during the time he was Pastor of the Berea Temple Church.

Comments from many of Pastor Jones' earlier church members who could not be present in person were spiritually enlightening and could be summarized by Mrs. Elizabeth Redd of Trenton, N. J., who said, "Pastor and Mrs. Jones are good people; we miss their uplifting counsel in Trenton."

Elder D. B. Simons, President of

the Allegheny West Conference, and many friends sent telegrams and letters of inspiration.

Several carloads of friends came to represent the Cleveland Bethel Church. Mrs. Jayola Stokes summarized the sentiments of the youth of Bethel. Springfield, Dayton, Germantown, and others attended in large numbers.

Pastor Jones sat up front with a look of utter surprise, but when the part of his life described his family, he was totally unprepared to receive his major surprise. His brothers, their wives, and one sister walked down the aisle. They included Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jones of Nyak, N. Y.; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jones of New Haven, Conn.; Jones Jones of New York City; Ronald B. Jones, U. S. Army, Fort Meade, Md., with his fiancée; and Mrs. Agnes Jones of Philadelphia, Pa.

The church family responded with gifts for the occasion and by entertaining the out-of-town guests. The program was enriched with music by a trio and a solo by Mrs. Josie Pullins of Cincinnati, Ohio.

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## Ohio Youth Rallies Held



Elder D. M. Winger (left) and Elder S. W. Burrows speaking at the youth rally in Akron, Ohio, on the Gift Bible Evangelism plan.

MOUNT Vernon Academy students assisted Elder D. M. Winger and Elder S. W. Burrows, MV Department and Lay Activities Department Secretaries, respectively, in conducting a series of four youth rallies in the Ohio Conference.

The Mount Vernonaire male quartet sang at each of the rallies, and the boys also spoke at the morning worship service in each place.





Laczlo Pinter and Sylvia Slezak playing mandolins in the Cleveland Hungarian Church orchestra at the Akron youth rally. The orchestra is composed of violins, mandolins, and guitars.

The Mount Vernon Academy gymnastic team, under the direction of William Jarvis, presented a performance during the secular program on Saturday night at each place. At one of the rallies the Academy instrumental ensemble gave a program directed by Garland Peterson.

The rallies were held at Worthington, Toledo, Akron, and Kettering. The afternoon program consisted of inspiration through music, a challenge to youth by the Conference President, Elder Philip Follett, a Bible quiz performed as a tick-tack-toe match, and a film on the conducting of Voice of Youth evangelism. One of the principal features was the presentation in dialogue form by Elder Winger and Elder Burrows of the Gift Bible Evangelism plan.

MV officers' meetings were conducted in connection with each rally for consideration of the urgent need of putting the youth to work in organized soul-winning efforts.



Photos by Charles R. Beeler

The Mount Vernonaire quartet, singing at the youth rally in Akron. Left to right: Benny Kochenower of Elyria, Jerry Winchell of Medina, Jack Robinson of New York, and Tom Labianca of Findlay.

## THE REVIEWER

You will be able to start the new year off right, book-wise, no matter what your reading interests are. Books are coming off the presses at Seventh-day Adventist publishing houses so fast we can hardly find the time and space to tell you about all of them.



One of the most outstanding new offerings is *Genesis and Science*, by Harold W. Clark, published by Southern Publishing Association. Professor Clark's imaginative, down-to-earth style makes the scientific facts of creation versus evolution meaningful to any reader. The philosophy of evolution can present arguments for its case which are persuasive and easy to accept, but Professor Clark, who has devoted his entire adult life to studying and teaching science, makes the case for creationism equally understandable.

In the light of recent developments on the ecumenical scene, ministers and others will welcome the new addition to the Southern Publishing Association Reference Series, *The Apocrypha*, by Mary Walsh. Miss Walsh, of the Pacific Union Conference staff, has done extensive research into the background of the non-canonical Scriptures. She feels that a compromise may be effected in the near future which will produce a "Common Bible," acceptable to Protestants, Catholics, and Jews. In that event, a clear understanding of the false doctrines contained in some of the apocryphal books would certainly be necessary to those seeking to counteract such a movement. *The Apocrypha* provides this understanding in concise detail.

Animal fans, whether child or adult, are really in luck right now, with two new books especially for them. In the *Panda* series from Pacific Press is *Dixie, a Dedicated Doberman* by Beth Hill and Norma Youngberg. You can not help falling in love with Dixie, who grows from a very precocious puppy into an intelligent and valuable grownup dog.

For younger children there is

*Happy Hippo*, by Joe Maniscalco. Unique illustrations make the story of this unusual animal doubly interesting. Children learn from the story many important facts about the strange world of wild animals in the African jungle. Published by Southern Publishing Association.

To add to your list of New Year's resolutions: Read at least one new book every month.

PAULA BECKER

## New Booklet Entitled *Study Guide to Child Guidance*

THE appearance of the new booklet, *Study Guide to Child Guidance*, published by the Southern Publishing Association, could be the most important publishing experience in the lifetime of the readers of this magazine. The reasons why I think the *Study Guide* is so important and why every family should have and read the book are as follows:

1. There is a mistaken idea that wisdom, tact, skill, and "know how" in child development and growth come to parents by magic or osmosis, or some other mysterious method. We learn how to be good parents by application of the mind and will to the study of certain standards and principles, just as we learn swimming, first aid, algebra, or Bible doctrine, or any skill that is worthwhile. And what are the principles that govern the serious business of successful parenthood? This is what we seek to learn in the study of the E. G. White book, *Child Guidance*. The *Study Guide* leads the reader into the wisdom of the book.

2. *Child Guidance* contains important statements on purity of life. It deals with everything from Christ, textbooks, study habits, will power, diet, sex, and prenatal influence to discipline, dress, prayer, Sabbath keeping, church membership, baptism, and truthfulness.

I urge you to secure this important little volume, read it prayerfully, and resolve to make a study of successful home life. Understand all of your parental privileges and responsibilities.

D. A. DELAFIELD

Associate Secretary, White Estate, General Conference

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# pennsylvania

## Ministerial Staff Changes Announced



Elder Orville Wright, President of the Pennsylvania Conference, extends a welcome to Elder William H. Elder, Jr., newly elected Lay Activities Director of the Conference.

ACCORDING to O. D. Wright, President of the Pennsylvania Conference, the following changes will take place in the ministerial staff of the Pennsylvania Conference: Elder William H. Elder, Jr., is the newly appointed Sabbath School, Lay Activities and Religious Liberty Secretary. A graduate of Pacific Union College, he served as a pastor and evangelist for a number of years. His last assignment was Lay Activities and Public Relations Secretary in the Arkansas-Louisiana Conference. The Elders have two children, Mrs. Donna Gail Butler and Mona Kay.

Elder Donald D. Stephan is the new Pastor of the Allentown-Bethlehem-New Tripoli district. A graduate of Andrews University, he was



Left: Elder Donald Stephan; right: Elder Waldemar Ehlers.

born in Grayling, Mich., and served pastorates in Michigan and North Dakota.

He is married to the former Ann Whitney and they have three children: Robert Bradley, Jon Scott, and

Todd Michael. The new Pastor of the Philadelphia German Church is Elder Waldemar Ehlers. Born in Brazil of missionary parents, who were the first to serve in Brazil from Germany, he was graduated from the Seventh-day Adventist Seminary in Sao Paulo, Brazil, and has worked for many years as a pastor, principal, treasurer, and president of various missions. For the past six years he has served as Sabbath School, Lay Activities, and Radio-TV Secretary of the East Brazil Union.

Born in Africa, Mrs. Ehlers is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Persson of Sweden who served as missionaries to Africa.

The Ehlers have three married daughters: Mrs. A. Ciuffardi of Puerto Rico; Mrs. Erlo Roth, Kettering, Ohio; and Mrs. Helmut K. Ott, Denver, Colo., and six grandchildren.

Assuming pastoral responsibilities in the Tunkhannock-Montrose-Beaumont district will be Elder Morris H. Rossier. He was born in Canandaigua, N. Y., and was graduated from Southern Missionary College. He has held pastorates in Louisiana and, most recently, in Hot Springs, Ark. He also served as a teacher in Missouri.

Elder Rossier is married to the former Marilyn Sparks whose birth place was Phoenix, Ariz. They have two children: Jennifer Sue and Connie Marie.

We welcome these men and their families to the Pennsylvania Conference and wish them God's richest blessing.

## Worker Bids Farewell To Members

To our fellow ministers, church officers, and the laity of the Pennsylvania Conference we say farewell and Godspeed as we go to our new field of labor in the Alabama-Mississippi Conference. You have made our stay a very pleasant one.

Many things were accomplished through your excellent Christian spirit and cooperation. Many of you have become our close and dear friends. We shall miss all of you. Thank you for your letters that have

come to us from churches and individuals.

Our prayers will be with you. We shall watch with great interest as you move forward in our God-given task of a finished work. We shall not say good-bye but au revoir or "until we meet again," if not here then around the Throne of God.

T. H. AND ALICE WEIS

## CUC Band Gives Sacred Concert in Reading Church



Adell Haughey, director; Rita Woods, vice-president; Mike Moulder, equipment manager; and Elder G. W. Woodruff, Pastor of the Reading Kenhorst Church.

THE Columbia Union College concert band presented a sacred concert at the Reading Kenhorst Church on Sabbath afternoon, January 13, 1968.

Directing the musical organization is Adell Haughey, a member of the C.U.C. music faculty, who teaches instruments and band-instrument methods.

The stated aim of the C.U.C. music faculty, to present music as a medium for communication; for spiritual, emotional, and cultural development; and for worthwhile use of leisure, was aptly demonstrated.

LOUIS CANOSA

## Publishing Department Tries TV and Telephone Advertising Experimentally

TELEVISION advertising and Dial-a-Bible Story are two areas currently being tried experimentally by the Publishing Department of the Pennsylvania Conference, according to Harold F. Otis, Pennsylvania Conference Publishing Secretary.



Viewed over WTPA, Harrisburg, for a two-week period, the TV advertising venture brought some encouraging results.

Approximately 200 responses and 40 letters were received and sales amounting to \$2,000 were realized. Included with this program was the gift-Bible offer which has resulted in 75 Bibles and lessons distributed.

As a result of this promotional endeavor, the work of the literature evangelist in the Harrisburg and surrounding areas has been enhanced, and now it is not uncommon for a colporteur in his door-to-door contacts to receive the response, "Yes, we know what this is; we saw it on TV."

The Philadelphia area has been selected as the proving ground for the Dial-a-Bible Story endeavor. Two telephones have been installed in the Hatboro Church and a brief advertisement has been placed in the Philadelphia *Bulletin* (circulation, 800,000) for 25 days.

In the first two days calls from 260 persons were received, 10 of whom left their names. During one week there was an average of 125-130 calls a day. In one day 24 persons requested further information.

It is felt that both of these areas have a wide audience potential, and plans are being laid for enlarging the work of the literature ministry in Pennsylvania.

LOUIS CANOSA

## BMA Student Body Raises \$312 for Fellow Student



David Beachler, a rheumatic-fever victim, works in his dormitory room while he is tuned in to one of his classes in the Administration Building.

THE Associated Student Body at their annual Christmas party raised \$312 for David Beachler, senior student.

Last October David suddenly found himself in the hospital, a rheumatic-fever victim. As the weeks rolled by, chances for a June graduation became increasingly hopeless. For nine and a half weeks he remained confined to a hospital room, doing light assignments from his teachers.

When he finally was permitted to

go home (David's home is B.M.A.; he has no parents), the doctor's orders demanded a very circumscribed existence. He was allowed to be up and about in the dormitory but only in the vicinity of his room. His room was moved to the first floor, near Dean Winn's office. Here David was permitted to work on his school work, but was not to be a part of the school activities.

Someone, perhaps in jest, suggested telephone service from David's classrooms to his dormitory room. The idea "caught." At the Christmas party John Wuchenich, A.S.B. President, and Sherrie Brazz, Vice-President, approached the student body with the idea. The result was David's "hotline" to the Administration Building.

He can sit in his room and hear everything that happens. The teacher can ask him questions as easily as if he were sitting in the classroom. By pressing a button on his speaker receiver David can reply. Worship services and programs in the auditorium are also a part of David's life via the "hotline."

Things look bright now for a recovery and a graduation in June. Next year David plans to attend college.

DARWIN HEISEY

## "Glasses for Haiti" Project



In response to the report in the VISITOR concerning the "Glasses for Haiti" project of Dr. Swanson of Orlando, Fla., the Coudersport, Pa., Sabbath School has, as a special missionary effort, collected glasses for the Haiti project. Harold Benedict has led out in the project, collecting glasses not only from the church members but also from the community. Mr. Benedict placed an appeal for glasses in the area newspapers and with the local radio station. Glasses were left at designated stores and even mailed to Mr. Benedict. Over 200 pairs of glasses have been received and are being sent to Dr. Swanson.

## Temperance Society Contest Winners From BMA



Left: Robert Shimp, a Blue Mountain Academy student, is displaying his prize-winning poster which received top honors on Saturday evening, January 20, 1968, at the annual Temperance Society poster contest. Pictured with Mr. Shimp is Mrs. Joan Thompson, art instructor at the Academy, who made the poster award presentation on Saturday evening. Four of the 19 poster entries were selected for presentation at the Union Conference Temperance Oratorical contest held at Highland View Academy, February 3, 1968.

Right: Elder Jesse O. Gibson, Statistical Secretary of the General Conference and formerly Treasurer of the American Temperance Society, is presenting the Society's first-place award to Robert P. Yehl, an academy junior. The Temperance Oratorical Contest was held January 20, 1968, at Blue Mountain Academy. Looking on is Elder Dale Ingersoll, Temperance Secretary of the Pennsylvania Conference. Mr. Yehl represented B.M.A. at the Union Conference Temperance Oratorical Contest at Highland View Academy, February 3, 1968. Milton E. Phelps is president of the local A.T.S. chapter and Harold R. Streidl is the sponsor.



## Edward Odell Spencer

"EDDIE," as everyone knew Edward Odell Spencer, did not have to go to Vietnam. He might have chosen to remain in Columbia Union College where he was in training for the ministry, but he chose, because of his deep conviction that he owed something to the country he loved, to ask that he be given the opportunity to serve in the armed forces. So he was drafted into military service, July 19, 1967, and was sent to Fort Sam Houston, Texas, to train for the Medical Corps.



Edward Spencer

After a short furlough at his home in Culpeper, Va., he shipped out for Vietnam on December 19, 1967. On January 19, 1968, Eddie, now called "Doc" by his fellow soldiers, was on night patrol near the Cambodian border. During a heavy mortar attack he died for his country and for the people of Vietnam.

Edward was graduated from Shenandoah Valley Academy and at the time of his induction was attending

Columbia Union College. He expected to complete his ministerial training when his tour of duty was completed.

Eddie loved everyone, even his enemies. In one of his letters to his mother he wrote: "The Vietnam people aren't such bad people. I've found that I am the one who has to make friends with them, not them with me. They are just as ready to laugh and have fun as we are."

He was devoted to his family. Just two days before his death he wrote: "God bless you all, I love you. I trust you are praying for me. *I know He is with me.* Please write often. It doesn't have to be news, just to hear anything often is fine. It means a lot here." The day before his death he wrote: "I got a pack of letters from my friends at the College."

Edward became a member of the Culpeper, Va., Church by baptism, October 13, 1962. For the past two years he had been a member of the Washington Sanitarium Church, Takoma Park, Md. Besides his family, he leaves many friends who look forward to the resurrection morning when the faithful will be united for eternity.

The Jesse Merrell family raised a total of \$1,892.36. Trevor Delafield is the pastor at Charlottesville.

## Charlottesville Reaches Double Ingathering Goal

CHARLOTTESVILLE raised more than a double goal in Ingathering in 1967 and about \$1,000 more than it did the previous year.

The total was \$3,363.44. But \$100.01 was given the Amicus Church and \$54.34 to Waynesboro to help them. This left \$3,209.09 for Charlottesville. The church goal was \$1,400.

Six Pathfinders raised a total of 10 Jasper Wayne goals. Clarence McClure and John Dinwiddie each raised one Jasper Wayne goal. Gwen Merrell, Brad Merrell, and Mark Merrell each raised two Jasper Wayne goals. Carolyn Merrell raised four Jasper Wayne goals.

Their totals were: Clarence, \$135.09; John, \$136.62; Gwen, \$312.30; Brad, \$326.80; Mark, \$302.58; and Carolyn, \$553.87.

## Hillside Reaches Ingathering Goal

On Saturday evening, January 13, members of the Hillside Church met in the kindergarten room for a victory Ingathering supper. The program and supper were planned by the missionary leader and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Orby Willard.

Preceding the supper, the children were entertained by games and a film on Hawaii.

The Hillside Church, with a membership of 26, reached their goal of \$1,000 in three and a half weeks.

MRS. ETHEL FOWLER

Press Secretary

## Pathologist Named to Post

WILLIAM C. SWATEK, M.D., pathologist at the Washington Sanitarium and Hospital, was elected Chairman of the Section on Pathology and Laboratory Medicine of the District of Columbia Medical Society for the year 1968 at the December 21, 1967, meeting. The section's membership includes pathologists from all of the hospitals in the Washington metropolitan area, as well as Arlington, Fairfax, Montgomery, and Prince George's Counties.



William C. Swatek

## Takoma Academy Has High Enrollment Figure

ENROLLMENT in Seventh-day Adventist academies topped the 16,000 mark for the first time at the beginning of the 1967-1968 school year.

Academies in the Columbia Union Conference reported 1,837 of the record 16,283 students. Individual schools in the Union Conference showed these enrollments: Takoma Academy, 410; Blue Mountain, 390; Mount Vernon, 335; Shenandoah, 263; Pine Forge, 190; Mount Aetna, 102; Garden State, 87; and Greater Baltimore, 60.

Takoma Academy, with 410 students, was the largest day academy in North America. Blue Mountain placed third in the boarding academy category. The Columbia Union Conference ranked fourth in the total number of students.

The statistical report from the General Conference Department of Education showed that over-all enrollment in the 10 North American union conferences increased 3.6 per cent over last year's record 15,721. Enrollment is up 7.8 per cent (1,183 students) over five years ago.

With 22 of the 80 academies, the Pacific Union Conference ranked first in enrollment with 5,125 students, nearly a third of the total enrollment for the entire division. Forty-eight boarding and 32 day schools reported.

Following the Pacific Union Conference with its 5,125 students were the North Pacific (2,483), Lake (1,839), Columbia (1,837), Southern



(1,410), Central (981), Atlantic (930), Southwestern (656), Canadian (567), and Northern (455).

Large increases were reported in the Pacific Union Conference (up 240), Lake (up 139), and Atlantic (up 118). Only the Southern Union Conference (-73), Northern Union Conference (-42), and Southwestern Union Conference (-30) reported decreases in enrollments.

The 48 boarding schools ranged in size from the 477-student Auburn Academy in the North Pacific Union Conference and 408-student Monterey Bay Academy in the Pacific Union Conference to 64-student Jefferson Academy in the Southwestern Union Conference.

The 32 day academies ranged from 410-student Takoma Academy in the Columbia Union Conference to the 31-student Newfoundland Academy in the Canadian Union Conference and the 28-student Southwest Region Academy in the Southwestern Union Conference.

The number of academies in each union conference at the beginning of the school year was: Pacific, 22; North Pacific and Southern, each nine; Columbia and Lake, each eight; Atlantic, Central, and Southwestern, each six; and Canadian and Northern, each three.

## Pennsylvania Avenue Church Exceeds Goal

INGATHERING for 1968 for the Pennsylvania Avenue Church, S.E., Washington, D. C., is now an event of the past, but not so the many wonderful experiences that will be remembered by all.

Success was the aim and the final word when the campaign was over, with an overflow of \$1,500. Emphasis was placed on soul winning, and as a result many wonderful experiences were reported.

JUNE SPARROW

Lay Activities Leader

Pictured are members of the Pennsylvania Avenue Church who earned Jasper Wayne Awards. Denise Hyde (left, front) raised \$367.35. Her sister, Cherie (center, front) raised \$332.35. These girls were presented watches by their pastor, on behalf of the entire church, in recognition of their labors. These young people represent the spark and enthusiasm of the youth of the Pennsylvania Avenue Church.

## Sanitarium Church Youth Given Jasper Wayne Awards



There were eight Jasper Wayne Award winners among juniors at the Washington Sanitarium Church. Left to right: back row, Donnie Beavon, Tommy Philbrick, Leonard Jessop, Jack Benigni, and Wayne Wuerstlin; front row, Carol Jessop and Jeanie Laughlin. Not in picture: Terry Woods.

## Sanitarium Church Holds Ingathering Victory Dinner

"Far Away Places" was the theme of the well-earned Ingathering Victory Dinner for the Sanitarium Church family on Sunday evening, January 28, in the Sanitarium gymnasium.

The delicious food, representing three countries (China, Italy, and Mexico), the colorful decorations (including the flags of various countries), and the delightful entertainment, provided for an enjoyable evening, under the direction of the Social Committee chairman, Mrs. Marjorie Meyer.

Neil Wilson, director of the Ingathering campaign, was happy to announce that the Sanitarium Church had reached and exceeded last year's Ingathering figure by a total of \$13,204.81.

He then read to those present a

letter from Elder J. E. Edwards, General Conference Lay Activities Secretary, congratulating them on their "over the top" victory, since he could not be there in person.

A special portion of the program was presented by the Junior Department which did an amazing job of gathering over \$1,600 under the enthusiastic direction of Judy O'Connor. Besides the awards they received, they all have earned free trips to junior camp this summer.

Elder C. C. Weis of the Columbia Union Conference was present and thanked the church members not only for the record goal they reached, but also for the dedicated enthusiasm with which it was done.

All were surprised and thrilled to hear that the Columbia Union Conference was the highest of any conference in North America in Ingathering totals!

MRS. DAVID BOSTROM





**By Jerome Davis**

*Student Director, Urban  
Service Corps*

*Photos by James Nash*



There is joy in learning when it is accompanied by patient, understanding care. Juli Ling works with a student.

## CUC Students Help Underprivileged Children Through the

# URBAN SERVICE CORPS



Jerome Davis, student leader of the Urban Service Corps, meets children on their own level on the school playground.



Tutoring is done on a one-to-one basis. Pete Reynard helps a young lady with the intricacies of mathematics.

As a small boy of 11 or 12, I lived next door to a family that was quite different from any other in the neighborhood. The people invited children from the streets into their home. They instructed these children in various fields of life. These included teaching, drawing, how to work with clay, singing secular and religious songs, and memorizing books of the Bible. This family was considered odd because of the interest they took in the children of the community. No other parents bothered about boys or girls other than their own.

When I became 15 years of age I inquired more about this family. I

had known of their religion, Seventh-day Adventism, but now I wanted to become part of it. When I discovered the place of their new residence, I informed the Rodgers of my desire to join their church. At the age of 16 I became a member of the Seventh-day Adventist Church. Looking back at my earlier experience, I realize that as a result of this great personal interest taken in me I discovered the meaning of religion.

In the Urban Service Corps, students of Columbia Union College have attempted with much success to feed a growing need of underprivileged children in the Washing-

ton, D. C., area—a need for love and understanding. We employ tutoring as the vehicle by which we communicate with them, in order to learn of their problems and to minister to them.

Upon first arriving at Logan's Elementary School, we are met by our students on the playground. How happy we are to see them and they in turn, to see us. Each week we have more and more children with a desire to have someone work with them, for the college students are more than sincere in their responsibility to relate to these children. We write down the names of these addi-





Children gain confidence in their tutors as they show their love for them. Karen Lumb prepares to enter the building with one of her students.



A question often asked by young students is: "Why are you helping me?" The answer as given by Olie Melkerson, shown tutoring, is: "We like to."



Ed Crawford leads a song service.



Through object lessons these students are taught practical lessons in living.



Sharlene Beebee relates the story of Jesus' love.

all boys and girls and tell them enthusiastically, "If you promise to be here every week at 2:30 promptly, I will see if I can't get you a tutor next week."

At 3:15 everyone leaves the classroom building and moves to the pool auditorium. It is here that Ed Crawford's work begins. As he asks, "What songs would you like to sing today, boys and girls?" a variety of hands are raised and such responses are given, "Zacchæus Was a Wee Little Man," "There Was a Prophet," "You Can Smile." Sharlene Beebee next relates a 10-minute story which always teaches a moral

lesson. The group always claps, when she finishes, in appreciation of what was learned in the story.

Of the entire day the "What's Behind the Curtain" portion of the program is the most interesting, for no one knows what is to be found behind the stage curtains until they are opened. There may be a doctor who will explain and illustrate to us the importance of good health. There may be a musician who will relate and demonstrate how to play certain instruments. Perhaps there may be someone from a different country to enlighten us concerning the traditions and customs of other

nationalities. Anything could be behind the curtain on any given afternoon.

At 4:00 P.M. our program for the day has ended, and we must depart again for C.U.C. But we always leave the promise that we will be back next week.

It is my earnest belief that in the not-too-distant future, some of these same children will respond graciously to the gospel invitation, just as I had done as a result of a plan similar to the Urban Service Corps. They will respond because someone was willing to love and befriend them.



# allegheny west

## Baptism at Cincinnati Shiloh Church



Elder A. R. Jones shown with newly baptized members of the Shiloh Church in Cincinnati and their guardians.

## Evangelism Workshop Held at Youngstown

ELDER Samuel Thomas, Lay Activities Secretary of the Allegheny West Conference, held an evangelism workshop for instruction in soul winning, from January 12 to January 20, in special services each evening at 7:30 P.M. at Temple Emmanuel Church in Youngstown, Ohio.

During these meetings many believers took their stand for the Lord.

We are preparing to continue these workshop meetings under the guidance of our local lay activities leader, Lartee Forester.

HILDA ROSS

Press Secretary

## Couple Celebrate 25th Wedding Anniversary

THE 25th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Emmanuel McCottry was celebrated on December 30 in the Temple Emmanuel Church, Youngstown, Ohio.

The couple renewed their vows at 6:30 P.M. with Elder Isaac Lester officiating. Mrs. Beatrice Vanderhorst served as matron of honor, accompanied by Hilda Ross, Mrs. Rebecca Brimmer and Mrs. Juanita Darnell, who served as bridesmaids. The best man was Oliver Hopson of Massillon, Ohio, a friend of the family. Ushers were the couple's sons and nephew, Alvin Leon McCottry,

David McCottry, Jonathan McCottry, and Kenneth Woodall. The flower girl and boy were Juanita McCottry and Dennis Lemon.

The reception was held at the home of Elder and Mrs. Isaac Lester, followed by a buffet supper for Mr. and Mrs. McCottry and escorts at the McCottry home.

HILDA ROSS

Press Secretary, Youngstown  
Temple Emmanuel Church

## Oakwood President Speaks



Dr. Frank Hall, Jr., President of Oakwood College, challenges the young people at the Ethan Temple Church in Dayton, Ohio, January 20. He spoke to nearly 700 members and visitors on Christian education. That evening at 5:00 P.M. the Oakwood College musical group presented a program.

## Ordination Service Held



Elder A. R. Jones, conducting ordination services for Lloyd Lasley and Charles Creech, lay elders.

## News From Akron

PASTOR Lorenzo Grant of Erie, Pa., was the guest speaker for the fall Week of Prayer, November 4-11, 1967, at the Akron Church. Following the Week of Prayer, Pastor Harold Lee, minister of the Akron Church, began Sunday-night evangelistic meetings in the church. We are expecting a large addition to the membership as a result of these meetings.

Elder Samuel Thomas, the Sabbath School and Lay Activities Secretary of the Allegheny West Conference, spoke at the 11:00 o'clock service, Sabbath, December 9, and again at 4:00 P.M. During the 11:00 o'clock service, 15 persons who had completed the "Bible Speaks" Course were awarded certificates.

Starting at 10:00 A.M. on Sunday morning, Elder Thomas held a workshop for the Sabbath School and Lay Activities Departments of the church. Just before his sermon on Sunday evening, new Bibles were presented to the "Bible Speaks" graduates.

VESTORIA COLEMAN

Press Secretary, Akron  
Bethel Church

KEEP  
Faith for Today  
ON YOUR STATION  
Say "thanks" Now!





## An Invitation to Pray

DURING the latter part of 1967 *Newsweek* magazine suggested that in matters of morality the situation "has changed more dramatically in the past year than in the preceding 50" (November 13, 1967, p. 74). The article mentioned "the swiftness with which all the old restraints are losing their force."

These swift changes are bringing increasing pressures upon our youth. Observed one Christian teacher recently, "It's a victory just to hold your own."

Holding our own is not enough, however. It is time for the church to press forward to a triumphant finish. And the victories needed—for individuals and for the church—can come only through the presence of the Spirit of God.

"The descent of the Holy Spirit upon the church," wrote the servant of God in 1895, "is looked forward to as in the future, but it is the privilege of the church to have it now. Seek for it, pray for it, believe for it. We must have it, and Heaven

## Daily Prayer Schedule

- March 16—Sabbath, MV Day**  
Pray for worldwide revival among Adventist youth.
- March 17—Sunday**  
Pray for youth of the local church.
- March 18—Monday**  
Pray for youth of the Australasian and Central European divisions.
- March 19—Tuesday**  
Pray for youth of the Far Eastern and Inter-American divisions.
- March 20—Wednesday**  
Pray for youth of the Middle East, North American and Northern European divisions.
- March 21—Thursday**  
Pray for youth of the South American and Southern Asia divisions.
- March 22—Friday**  
Pray for youth of the Southern European and Trans-Africa divisions, and Eastern Europe.
- March 23—Sabbath**  
Pray for total youth consecration and the success of MV TARGET 100,000.

is waiting to bestow it."—*Evangelism*, p. 701.

If true in 1895, how much more true today! If the conditions for this

promised outpouring could be fulfilled during 1968, how great would be the blessings which would descend upon our youth and upon all of us!

The General Conference Missionary Volunteer Department has set aside the week of March 16-23 as a week of special intercession in behalf of our youth all around the earth. The office family of the General Conference, every division, union, local conference, and mission of the entire world is being invited to join in "A Million Prayers a Day" during this week in behalf of the youth of the church and their evangelistic programs.

The MV Week of Prayer is to be conducted during this week. In every church the sermons on March 16 through 23 should be devoted to the youth. Let every parent, pastor, teacher, and church member pray especially that God will put His Spirit into the heart of our youth and make them instruments for the finishing of His work. Wherever possible, let there be a Sabbath of fasting and prayer for more of God's presence.

## Outdoor World Announces Editorial Appointments

*Outdoor World*, major new nature magazine soon to be published by an Adventist firm in Atlanta, has announced the appointment of several editors.

Named by Preston Publications, Inc., to edit *Outdoor World* is Dr. Ernest S. Booth of Escondido, Calif. Associate editors appointed thus far are Dr. Asa C. Thoresen, chairman of the biology department at Andrews University, Berrien Springs, Mich.; and Lester E. Harris, Jr., chairman of the biology department at Columbia Union College, Takoma Park, Md.

Dr. Booth, presently the head of Outdoor Pictures, is the author of numerous field guides and textbooks as well as hundreds of articles in the outdoor field. He formerly was chairman of the biological sciences department at Walla Walla (Washington) College. He also was for more than 20 years publisher and editor of *The Naturalist*.

Dorothy Deer, a native of Canora, Saskatchewan, has been named assistant editor of *Outdoor World*. She is also publisher's assistant for Preston Publications, Inc.

Appointed to the post of photography editor was Ray Simons of Atlanta, a widely known creative photographer.

Named art director was Joe Pardue, of Cleveland, Tenn. A graduate of the Ringling School of Art, Mr. Pardue has had wide experience in publications design.

Announcement of these appointments was made by Cecil Coffey, executive vice-president and editorial director of Preston Publications, Inc.

The first issue of *Outdoor World* will be ready for mailing by early March, he said.

## Sabbath School Offerings Increase

THE plan of giving an offering in the Sabbath School was soon adopted in the beginning. The winning of souls always has been the objective of the Sabbath School. To this end, personal study of the Bible and passing on the light to others by personal witness in the homeland and by giving an offering for overseas work always went hand in hand in the work of the Sabbath School. From 1959 to 1962 Sabbath Schools in the

Columbia Union Conference gave a total missions offering of \$3,156,-893.77. In the following four years a total of \$3,960,870.43 was given, making a gain of \$803,976.66.

The Columbia Union Conference Sabbath School membership now contributes over \$1,000,000 every year through the humble Sabbath School envelope. For the year 1965 we received a total of \$1,029,711.86. In the year 1966 we reached the total of \$1,140,273.77. In 1965 our gain over the previous year amounted to \$103,-000. In 1966 we had a gain of \$110,-561.91. The year 1967 has just closed and Elder T. R. Gardner, our Columbia Union Conference Treasurer, reports that the Sabbath Schools of the Columbia Union Conference have contributed \$1,178,683.24. This is a lot of money and indicates real faithfulness and dedication on the part of our people in the Columbia Union Conference. We thank God for His rich blessings upon His work and to you each we say "thank you" for this large amount of money which you have made possible for the advancement of God's cause in the mission field.

C. C. WEIS  
Director, Lay and Sabbath School Activities



# chesapeake

## Scrap-Metal Investment Project Pays



Charles M. Wilson

CHARLES M. WILSON of the Laurel, Md., Church is a printer by trade. He decided to save the aluminum plates from which offset printing is done. They formerly were discarded. As his stack of plates became higher he asked a local scrap dealer, one that advertised for scrap printing plates, how much he would pay for the aluminum. He was told that the price was seven or eight cents a pound. Mr. Wilson felt that this price was too low, even though other scrap dealers were paying about the same price; so he asked the Sababth School members to remember his scrap metal in their prayers, that the dealer would offer more per pound.

Repeated calls to this dealer did not alter his buying price; however, a friend in the church told him to try selling them back to the manufacturing representative. This was done and the representative paid 14 cents a pound. This was a certain answer to prayer. When the metal was being delivered it only covered a small utility trailer floor to the depth of one foot, but when weighed it amounted to 1,307 pounds. The representative paid \$182.98 for this metal for Investment.

Scrap dealers want old aluminum, brass, and iron, and are presently paying a premium price for old copper wires and pipe. Do you know of valuable material being discarded which, with a little effort on your part, would mean a boost to your local Investment program and, better yet, provide means for the saving of souls? Why not put forth that extra effort now? It is worth it.

## Of Cooks and Cooking



By ALBERTA REED

OCCASIONALLY when I receive a recipe from one of our readers they express concern that someone else may already have submitted the same one. Please don't let this hold you back from submitting your contributions to this column. Now and then there are duplicates, so I usually give credit to the person who submitted the recipe first, and if the ingredients or method of preparation differs from the first recipe, I shall quite often include a comment on your recipe.

Our column today includes two such recipes. The first recipe was submitted by Mrs. Kenneth Sturm of Sussex, N. J. Just the other day I received a similar one from Mrs. H. Ray Doyle of Weslaco, Texas.

### LINDA'S COTTAGE CHEESE ROAST (Mrs. Kenneth Sturm)

- 1 quart cottage cheese
  - 5 eggs
  - 1 cup nuts—chopped
  - 1 stick oleo—melted
  - 1 onion—chopped
  - 3 packages of G. Washington's Broth (brown)
  - 6 cups Special K Cereal
- Combine ingredients and bake one hour at 350°.

Bethel Doyle's recipe is basically the same, only she uses just four cups of the Special K and only one package of the G. Washington Broth. Her recipe calls for only four eggs beat in half a cup of milk. Both of these dishes are quite good and you

can take your choice or interchange the two recipes.

Mrs. Earl Brewer of Willoughby Hills, Ohio, has submitted the next recipe. This is also a favorite at our home and some of you may recognize it as a "tried and tested" recipe in various communities and printed in cookbooks.

### FRAN'S GOLDEN LOAF (Mrs. Earl Brewer)

- 1 cup chopped onion
- 1/3 cup sweet butter (or oleo)
- 1 can (4 oz.) sliced mushrooms
- 1 cup burger (I use 1/2 can of the 20 oz. size of Vegeburger)
- 1 cup finely shredded raw potato
- 3 envelopes of G. Washington Golden Broth
- Pinch of Poultry Seasoning
- 3/4 to 1 cup canned milk (I use one small can)
- 3 eggs slightly beaten

Sauté onion in the butter until soft; add mushrooms and brown lightly. Add remaining ingredients and mix well. Bake in buttered shallow pan at 350° for one hour. Serves 6.

Mrs. Allen J. McCain of Woodstown, N. J., submitted this recipe also. She says that when she makes it she adds one can of mushroom soup to the basic recipe and then arranges the sliced mushrooms on top of the loaf before baking. She also has substituted a small can of gluten (cut in small pieces) if she does not have the ground gluten on hand.

My thanks to these four ladies for sharing their favorites with my readers. I would enjoy receiving your specialties also.

(Alberta Reed's address is Route 7, Frederick, Md. 21701.)

## Chesapeake Conference Youth Rally

ALL DAY—SABBATH, MARCH 30

Greater Baltimore Academy Gymnasium



Charles Martin

Hear Charles Martin, General Conference MV Secretary (eight years in the Far East), and Edmund Peterson, Columbia Union Conference MV Secretary.



Edmund Peterson



# new jersey

## Church Officers' Meetings Held

CHURCH officers' meetings were conducted in New Jersey at the Newark and Woodbury Churches, January 13 and 20, respectively. It was a joy to see the overwhelming response on the part of the local church leadership in counsel on how we might improve our talents and unite together in the greatest crusade of evangelism for an unprecedented soul-winning effort for 1968. It is obvious that God's people are preparing for the outpouring of the Holy Spirit in copious measure, and that the work of God will move forward with increasing success.

All departments of the church were well represented and the interest of the officers in their responsibilities was an evidence that this year will be one of the best for New Jersey. Pastors, church officers, and laity alike are hungry for the latter rain. The Lord will not forget us as we measure up and are ready to receive it. If we ever need Divine power for the task, surely it is today. Gathering storm clouds tell us that this world is tottering on the brink of eternity.

The achievements of 1967 give evidence that the people of God will do greater things during 1968. Last year the number of baptisms was above that of the previous year—a total of 256. Ingathering reached an all-time high mark of \$108,156 as of December 28, 1967, and the literature evangelists broke all previous records with sales amounting to \$178,106. Sabbath School and Investment offerings were on the highest levels, producing \$102,600.87 for missions, and the laity joined in reaching the highest subscription record for *These Times*—5,803. Other literature distributed and the "Bible Speaks" program reached encouraging levels.

We rejoice as we see the believers supporting Garden State Academy with their means and prayers and by sending their young people to our school. Loyalty on the part of our people is manifest in every facet of the work. Our church schools are manned by dedicated teachers and we are thankful for church members

and parents who uphold their hands. We feel our people are pressing together as the enemy is seeking to bring about frustration around us to divide our efforts for effective service.

The officers divided into groups and instruction was given by W. B. Quigley, President of the Conference; C. B. Green, Secretary-Treasurer; John Wilkins, Assistant Treasurer; Sydney Young, Stewardship Secretary; Dr. Wayne McFarland, Medical Secretary; C. G. Jackson, MV, Educational, and Temperance Secretary; James Finn, Publishing Secretary; R. D. Steinke, Lay Activities and Sabbath School Secretary; and John Easton, Manager of the Book and Bible House.

At the close of the meeting a large selection of books was available and the Book and Bible House Manager reported a good book sale.

We are made happy to see all the departments of the work blend into one beautiful pattern to serve toward one objective in evangelizing New Jersey and to help finish the work.

W. B. QUIGLEY

## Pathfinder Leaders Complete Course

ELDER E. M. Peterson, Elder Danny Davis, and Elder Carleton Jackson united their efforts to help the leaders of Pathfinder Clubs become better prepared to serve our youth.

On Friday, January 26, 75 Pathfinder directors, counselors, and instructors convened at the chapel of the New Jersey Conference office to complete a 10-hour basic course. Elder Peterson, Columbia Union Conference MV Secretary, set the tone of the meeting as he spoke on the subject, "Let's Look at the Leader."

Sabbath was a day filled with meetings. Breakfast was served at 7:15 A.M., Sabbath School was conducted by Elder James Finn, the Publishing Secretary of the New Jersey Conference. The church service followed, with Elder Peterson giving the challenge of the hour, "Save Our Youth Through Acts of Loving Kindness."

An outstanding presentation was given in the afternoon by Don Mayer, Director of the Trailside Nature and Science Center. His topic, "The Thrill of Discovery," was covered with beautiful slides and preserved specimens of animals.

On Saturday night 72, including three from the Pennsylvania Conference, were awarded their certificates for completing the basic course.

Elder Daniel Davis, MV Secretary of the Allegheny East Conference and Carleton Jackson, MV Secretary of the New Jersey Conference, are planning a campout for club leaders in the early spring.

## "Thank You," New Jersey Believers

THE New Jersey Conference has broken all previous records in the Ingathering by raising \$32.43 per capita in the campaign just closed. The members rejoice because they have had the privilege of participating in this great missionary enterprise of the church. Truly we can thank God for this great avenue of missionary service.

One church placed the card offering the "Bible Speaks" plan in the Ingathering magazine, and as a result 80 requests for the Bible Study Guides and the FREE Bible. Others have had the privilege of seeing people come to church as a result of the Ingathering contacts.

We pay special tribute to our young people and boys and girls. They gave willingly of their time and talent in witnessing for the Lord.

Many adults did outstanding work as they went out evening after evening gathering funds. We shall make special mention of Mrs. Lenore Truscott, a member of the Rockaway Church, who gathered in more than \$700. Mrs. Betty Simons, a member of the Trenton Church, did not keep a record of the amount she obtained, but we know it amounted to hundreds of dollars.

The following churches raised a double Vanguard goal: Newark Spanish, Elizabeth Spanish, Mount Holly, Pompton Lakes, and Perth Amboy Hungarian. The following churches raised a goal and a half: Woodbury, Passaic Polish, Salem, Paterson, Union City, Paterson German, and New Brunswick.

We rejoice with all our New Jersey churches for a task so nobly done.



## Legal Notices

### Twenty-sixth Biennial Session of the New Jersey Conference of Seventh-day Adventists

Notice is hereby given that the 26th Biennial Session of the New Jersey Conference of Seventh-day Adventists will convene at 10:00 A.M., Sunday, March 17, 1968, in the Trenton Seventh-day Adventist Church, located off South Broad Street at the intersection of Lillian Avenue and Irvington Place, Trenton, N. J. This meeting is called for the election of officers and for the transaction of any other business that may properly come before the Conference at that time. Each church shall be privileged to elect one delegate for the church organization and one additional delegate for every 20 members or fraction thereof. Delegates at large shall include the following: Members of the General Conference and Union Conference executive committees who are present, members of the New Jersey Conference executive committee, all employees of this conference who hold ministerial credentials or licenses or missionary credentials, and who are in good and regular standing, the principal and business manager of Garden State Academy, and the general manager of Harris Pine Mills at Tranquility.

W. B. Quigley, President  
C. B. Green, Secretary

### Biennial Session of the New Jersey Conference Association of Seventh-day Adventists

Notice is hereby given that there will be a legal meeting of the New Jersey Conference Association of Seventh-day Adventists incorporated under the laws of the State of New Jersey, in connection with the 26th Biennial Session of the New Jersey Conference of Seventh-day Adventists to be held on Sunday, March 17, 1968, in the Trenton Seventh-day Adventist Church located off South Broad Street at the intersection of Lillian Avenue and Irvington Place, Trenton, N. J., beginning at 10:00 A.M. The purpose of this session is to elect officers and a Board of Trustees for the ensuing two-year period and to transact such other business as may properly come before the Association. Delegates of the New Jersey Conference of Seventh-day Adventists' Biennial Session are delegates of this legal Association.

W. B. Quigley, President  
C. B. Green, Secretary

The 28th biennial session of the Chesapeake Conference of Seventh-day Adventists will convene at 3:30 A.M., Sunday, March 10, 1968, at the Baltimore First Seventh-day Adventist Church, 5110 Frederick Avenue, Baltimore, Md. 21229. The purpose of the meeting is to elect officers for the ensuing term, to receive reports, and to transact such other business as may properly come before the full Conference in session.

Each church is to send one delegate for its full body, plus one additional delegate for each 15 of its members and major fraction of 15.

Delegates at large shall consist of General Conference and Columbia Union Conference representatives; all Columbia Union Conference and Chesapeake Conference ordained or licensed ministers, and credentialed missionaries.

Cyril Miller, President  
A. E. Randall, Secretary

Notice is hereby given that the 28th biennial session of the Chesapeake Conference Association of Seventh-day Adventists will be held in connection with the regular biennial session of the Chesapeake Conference of Seventh-day Adventists, Sunday, March 10, 1968, at the Baltimore First Seventh-day Adventist Church, 5110 Frederick Avenue, Baltimore, Md. 21229, at 1:00 P.M. The purpose of this meeting is to elect trustees and officers whose terms shall expire, and to transact such other business as may come before the session at that time. Delegates to this meeting shall be the delegates of the Chesapeake Conference session.

Cyril Miller, President  
A. E. Randall, Secretary

### Potomac Conference of S.D.A.

The Twenty-third Biennial Session of the Potomac Conference of Seventh-day Adventists will convene at 10:00 A.M., April 14, 1968, in the Silgo Seventh-day Adventist Church, corner of Flower and Carroll Avenues, Takoma Park, Md. The purpose of the meeting is to elect officers and committees, to receive reports of the organization, and to transact such other business as may come before the Conference at that time.

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

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

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

### Potomac Conference Corporation of S.D.A.

Notice is hereby given that the Twenty-third Biennial Session of the Potomac Conference Corporation of Seventh-day Adventists will be held in the Takoma Park Seventh-day Adventist Church, 6951 Carroll Avenue, Takoma Park, Md., at 2:30 P.M., April 14, 1968. This meeting is for the purpose of electing trustees and the transaction of other business that may come before the Corporation at that time.

The delegates of the Twenty-third Biennial Session of the Potomac Conference of Seventh-day Adventists are the delegates of this Corporation.

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

### District of Columbia Conference Corporation of S.D.A.

Notice is hereby given that the Twenty-sixth Biennial Session of the District of Columbia Conference Corporation of Seventh-day Adventists will be held in the Takoma Park Seventh-day Adventist Church, 6951 Carroll Avenue, Takoma Park, Md., at 2:45 P.M., April 14, 1968. The purpose of this meeting is for the election of trustees and the transaction of such other business as may come before the Corporation at that time.

The delegates to the Twenty-third Biennial Session of the Potomac Conference of Seventh-day Adventists are the delegates of this Corporation.

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

### Virginia Conference Agency of S.D.A.

The Twenty-fourth Biennial Session of the Virginia Conference Agency of Seventh-day Adventists, Inc., will be held in the Takoma Park Seventh-day Adventist Church, 6951 Carroll Avenue, Takoma Park, Md., at 3:00 P.M., April 14, 1968. The purpose of the meeting will be to elect trustees and to transact such other business as may come before the Agency.

The delegates to the Twenty-third Biennial Session of the Potomac Conference of Seventh-day Adventists are the delegates of this Agency.

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

The second biennial session of the Pennsylvania Conference of Seventh-day Adventists will convene at 10:00 A.M., Sunday, March 31, 1968, at Blue Mountain Academy, Hamburg, Pa. The purpose of the meeting is to elect officers for the ensuing term, to receive reports, and to transact such other business as may properly come before the full Conference in session at that time.

Each church is entitled to one delegate for its organization and one additional delegate for each 25 members or fraction thereof.

Delegates at large shall consist of General Conference and Columbia Union Conference representatives; all Pennsylvania Conference ordained or licensed ministers; and credentialed missionaries.

O. D. Wright, President  
E. M. Hagele, Secretary

Notice is hereby given that the regular biennial session of the West Pennsylvania Conference Association of Seventh-day Adventists, The East Pennsylvania Conference Association of Seventh-day Adventists, and The Pennsylvania Conference Association of Seventh-day

Adventists will be held in connection with the biennial session of The Pennsylvania Conference of Seventh-day Adventists at Blue Mountain Academy, Hamburg, Pa., at 11:30 A. A. Sunday, March 31, 1968.

The purpose of this meeting is to elect trustees and officers and to transact any other business that may come before the association at that time. Delegates to the Pennsylvania Conference Session are recognized as delegates to the Association meeting.

O. D. Wright, President  
E. M. Hagele, Treasurer

Notice is hereby given that there will be a legal meeting of the Trustees of and for the West Virginia Conference of Seventh-day Adventists which will be held in connection with the 55th Biennial Session of the West Virginia Conference of Seventh-day Adventists at 2:00 P.M., March 24, 1968, in the Parkersburg Seventh-day Adventist Church, located at 19th Street and Park Avenue, Parkersburg, W. Va. The purpose of this session is to elect trustees whose terms shall expire and to transact such other business as may come before the session at this time. Delegates to this meeting shall be the delegates to the session of the West Virginia Conference of Seventh-day Adventists.

R. W. Moore, President  
C. F. Brooks, Secretary

The 55th Biennial Session of the West Virginia Conference of Seventh-day Adventists will convene at 10:00 A.M., March 24, 1968, in the Parkersburg Seventh-day Adventist Church, located at 19th Street and Park Avenue, Parkersburg, W. Va. The purpose of the meeting is to elect officers for the ensuing term and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the Conference at that time.

Each church is entitled to one delegate for the organization and one additional delegate for each 15 members or major fraction thereof. All members of the executive committee, the ordained and licensed ministers and departmental secretaries in the employ of the Conference, and members of the Union Conference Committee and the General Conference Committee who may be in attendance at the session are delegates to this meeting.

R. W. Moore, President  
C. F. Brooks, Secretary

The eighth annual meeting of the membership of the Kettering Medical Center will be held in the hospital auditorium at 3535 Southern Boulevard, Kettering, Ohio, at 10:00 A.M., March 8, 1968. The meeting is called to hear reports, elect trustees, and for such other business as may be presented. The members of the corporation are: (a) the members of the Board of Trustees, (b) the members of the Executive Committee of the Columbia Union Conference, (c) the following members of the Executive Committee of the General Conference: President, Vice-President for North America, Secretary, Treasurer, Secretary of the Medical Department, Associate Secretaries of the Medical Department, (d) 15 persons appointed by the Executive Committee of the Columbia Union Conference, (e) 15 persons appointed by the Board of Trustees of the Kettering Medical Center.



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Trenton, N. J.

March 9, 1968



W. B. Quigley  
President, New Jersey  
Conference



C. G. Jackson  
MV Secretary, New  
Jersey Conference

## PROGRAM

10:00 A.M.—SABBATH SCHOOL: W. B. Quigley  
11:00 A.M.—WORSHIP SERVICE: Wilber Alexander  
12:30 P.M.—DINNER: Bring your lunch  
2:00 P.M.—COLPORTEUR SYMPOSIUM: James Finn  
3:00 P.M.—SACRED MUSIC: Garden State Academy  
4:15 P.M.—MV YOUTH IN ACTION: Edmund Peterson  
5:15 P.M.—VESPER: Wilber Alexander  
6:15 P.M.—BOOK SALE: John Easton



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## Bible Course Graduation Held at Richmond



Graduates of the "Go-Tell" Bible Course pose with their diplomas and caps in the Richmond, Va., Church. Seated in the center are Elder U. S. Willis, pastor, and Andrew Bell, lay activities leader.

On the evening of December 3 the graduates of the "Go-Tell Bible Course" were capped in a moving ceremony at the Richmond Church. More than 110 persons have completed the course.

Elsie Martin, Linda Michaux, and James Minor had perfect scores on each lesson. Eloise Pittman was the first person to complete the course and Lester Maroney finished in the shortest period of time.

This program was sponsored by

the Lay Activities and MV Departments. The director was U. S. Willis, Pastor, and the associate director was Andrew Bell, lay activities leader. Mrs. Novella Minor, Mrs. Beatrice Ellis, Mrs. Mary Bell, Mrs. Althea Henderson, and James Minor corrected the lessons.

The church is looking forward to the next graduation.

LEOLA JOSEPH

Press Secretary,  
Richmond Church

## Five-Day Plan Session Conducted in Baltimore

THE Five-Day Plan to Stop Smoking was successfully conducted in Baltimore, November 13-17, under the sponsorship of Berea Temple.

Dr. Lennox S. Westney and Elder Leon G. Cox proved to be an extremely effective physician-minister team. They were ably supported by James Daily and Kenneth Palmer in presenting the psychological phase of the sessions and by Dr. Thomas Zirkle, surgeon, and Dr. Norman Peckham, pathologist.

On the final night Elder Daniel Davis, Temperance Secretary of the Allegheny East Conference, congratulated 12 addicted smokers as they wrote their names on the pledge cards indicating their resolve to stop smoking. A four-week follow-up program shows that 10 of them have completely refrained from smoking since the sessions.

Dr. Westney states that, as a result of the wide publicity and the favorable comments by those who participated, his office has been inundated by queries as to when the next session will be held. Plans are in progress for future sessions in the spring and summer of 1968.

OIDA WESTNEY

Press Secretary, Berea  
Temple Church



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forest fires!

## There Is Still Need

THIS appeal is being written while I am in attendance at the Middle East Division Council in Beirut, Lebanon. Were you here to listen in person to the pleas for help and see with your own eyes the needs of this difficult field, I am sure that you would respond more sacrificially than ever before in the Spring Missions Offering, March 9.

Libya is typical. In the whole country there is not one national Seventh-day Adventist. Our only work is the Benghazi Adventist Hospital. The personnel of this institution have gained entrance into the homes and hearts of the leading people of the nation, as well as the poor who heretofore received very little medical attention. Members of the royal family claim our doctors as their personal physicians.

The new hospital will be of tremendous value to our work in Libya. The building is completed, but much equipment is needed. While forbidden to evangelize publicly, the workers there use medical education, five-day plans, maternity clinics, national fairs, et al, to promote the medical, temperance, and educational work. These lead to Bible-study courses. We have great hope for Libya.

The Middle East war caused great difficulties. However, it has provided a real opportunity for welfare work. Today in central Jordan there is a most impressive refugee camp accommodated in 400 tents donated by the Seventh-day Adventist Welfare Service (SAWS). In place of destruction, there is now a monument of love. This service has greatly impressed these Muslim people.

The working force in this great division is very small when we consider the 136 million people to evangelize. Most of these are Muslims. Our future depends on training former Muslims to work for their own people.

Such needs could be multiplied in every mission field around the world. The needs continue to mount, but our missions giving remains almost constant. This year we are encouraging every wage earner to give at least five dollars on Sabbath, March 9. That which we give now will be used to great advantage in mission lands.

D. W. HUNTER

Associate Secretary,  
General Conference



# Annual Temperance Oratorical Contest Held at Highland View Academy



1. Bob Yehl (right), a Blue Mountain Academy junior, was awarded first prize in the Columbia Union Conference Temperance Oratorical Contest. He is being congratulated by Elder Ernest H. J. Steed, Associate Secretary of the General Conference Temperance Department. In the center is Elder E. M. Peterson, Columbia Union Conference Temperance Secretary.
2. Tina Henderson, representing Highland View Academy in the contest, draws a slip of paper from the hand of Elder Peterson indicating in what order she is to speak.
3. Judges for the oratorical contest included (left to right) Elder Christy

Taylor, James Stymiest, Elder Ernest Steed, Paul Welker, and Elder J. A. Jarry.

4. Contestants in the annual contest included: Teddy Toms, Shenandoah Valley Academy; Tina Henderson, Highland View Academy; Allen Treadway, Greater Baltimore Academy; Stanley Rouse, Garden State Academy; Gary Euler, Mount Vernon Academy; Bob Yehl, Blue Mountain Academy; and David Trusty, Takoma Academy. Elder Steed is third from the right.
5. Elder E. M. Peterson demonstrates the Scottish kilt and costume which is the emblem of Highland View Academy.



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March 23, 8:00 P.M.

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Virtuoso of the United States  
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Columbia Hall Admission

## Arthur White to Hold Philadelphia-Area Meetings

(Change in Dates Previously Announced)

On March 15 and 16 (not 22 and 23),  
Arthur White will speak in the Orvilla-  
Telford-Hatboro-Philadelphia area.  
7:45 P.M., Friday, in Orvilla Church,  
1133 Orvilla Road, Hatfield, Pa.  
11:00 A.M., Sabbath, Orvilla Church.  
3:00 P.M., Sabbath afternoon, Hatboro  
Church, on County Line Road.

## Attention, All S.D.A. Youth in Washington, D. C., Area

A week of spiritual emphasis will be held March 23-30 for all S.D.A. youth in the Washington, D. C., area.

Meetings will be held in the Takoma Park Church through the week. Elder John Loor, Pastor of the Collegedale, Tenn., Church, will be the speaker.

A youth rally will be held in the Shady Grove Music Hall, Sabbath afternoon, March 30. YOU WILL WANT TO BE PRESENT!

G. D. Bras

MV Secretary

## You Are Invited

to Attend the Voice of Youth Meetings  
Being Held in the Roanoke, Va.,  
S.D.A. Church

1701 Memorial Avenue, S.W.  
Roanoke, Va. 24401

February 25—Will the World Unite Under One Flag?

March 3—The Second Coming  
10—God's Last Warning Message

17—The Symbolic Beast of Revelation 13

24—The Beast, the Dragon, and the Woman

31—Five Words Astounding the World

April 7—The United States in Prophecy

14—The Mark of the Beast

21—Which Day Did the Apostles Keep?

28—Flesh and Blood Cannot Enter the Kingdom of Heaven

PLAN TO TAKE A FRIEND WITH YOU!

Twenty-one Seventh-day Adventist ordained ministers are spending their entire time serving the men in the United States armed forces. Twelve of these are military chaplains who care for Adventist personnel as their other duties permit, but they are always available when urgency marks a need. The other nine chaplains are civilians whose specific assignment is serving our church members in U. S. uniform.

When requests for help are made to these men, it is important that complete and specific details be given. This information should be accurate and up to date. If parents, relatives, and servicemen themselves will keep this in mind, it will assist greatly.

Frequent inquiries come in for the current addresses of our chaplains. A number of changes have been made recently. These men may be contacted at the following addresses:

### AIR FORCE

CH (MAJ) William S. Hall  
Center Chaplain's Office  
Lackland AFB, Texas 78236

CH (MAJ) Wayne C. Hill  
Hq Sheppard Tech Trng Ctr (ATC)  
Sheppard AFB, Texas 76311

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Center Chaplain's Office  
Amarillo Tech Trng Center  
Amarillo AFB, Texas 79111

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CH (MAJ) Glenn I. Bowen  
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Fort Dix, N. J. 08640

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APO New York 09139

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LT Norman Goodwin, CHC, USNR  
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Office of the Base Chaplain, MCRD  
Parris Island, S. C. 29905

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Elder Robert L. Chism  
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6 Frankfurt/Main (Niederrad)  
Johann Klotz Strasse 13  
West Germany  
Elder Chester L. Jordan  
615 West Ashby Place  
San Antonio, Texas 78212  
Elder J. D. Westfall  
2435 Western  
Waukegan, Ill. 60085

## West Virginia Lay Activities Rally and Workshop

CHARLESTON, MARCH 23

Featuring:

General Conference Lay Activities Secretary, Elder J. Ernest Edwards, of the General Conference.

West Virginia Conference President, Elder R. W. Moore.

West Virginia Conference Lay Activities Secretary, Elder Douglas Logan.

Thrilling "front-line" experiences of laymen "on the march."

Musical feature

Special unfurling of the new lay activities flag.

Onward Christian Soldiers, to Charleston on Sabbath, March 23, and witness this high light of Christians with a purpose!



## Sligo Church Spring Series—March 16-23

A. Graham Maxwell, Ph.D., Chairman of the Department of Religion at Loma Linda University, will present the topics in the Sligo Church as follows:



A. Graham Maxwell

**SABBATH**  
March 16, 8:15 and 10:50 A.M.  
**SUNDAY**  
March 17, 7:30 P.M.  
**WEDNESDAY**  
March 20, 7:30 P.M.  
**FRIDAY**  
March 22, 7:30 P.M.  
**SABBATH**  
March 23, 8:15 and 10:50 A.M.

Also group meetings as follows:  
(For reservation, contact Sligo Church, JU 5-2500.)

Sunday, March 17—Physicians, dentists, and guests—breakfast, 9:00 A.M., Langley Park Hot Shoppe.

Monday, March 18—Para-medical S.D.A.'s and guests—dinner, 6:00 P.M., Langley Park Hot Shoppe.

Tuesday, March 19—Teen-age S.D.A.'s and guests—breakfast, 7:00 A.M., Langley Park Hot Shoppe.

Inner City, D. C. S.D.A.'s and guests—luncheon, 12:00 noon in D. C. Peeking Restaurant.

Tuesday, March 19—special service for University and college students, Sligo Church, 6:30 P.M.

## Potomac Conference Sabbath School Workshop Schedule

March 9, 1968, 3:00-5:00 P.M., Waynesboro.

March 16, 1968, 3:00-5:00 P.M., Capital Memorial.

March 23, 1968, 3:00-5:00 P.M., Richmond.

March 30, 1968, 3:00-5:00 P.M., Pennington Gap.

Junior Division—Mrs. Florence Bocock.  
Primary Division—Mrs. Lorraine Juberg.  
Kindergarten Division—Mrs. Evelyn Hamer.

Cradle Roll Division—Mrs. Kay Rizzo, Mrs. Karen Crump.

Special Guests—Elder J. E. Edwards, Elder Lawrence Maxwell, Elder Fernon Retzer.

## Announcing . . . . .

### Wisconsin Academy Alumni Day

March 16, 1968

#### FEATURING:

F. W. Bieber, Principal of Wisconsin Academy, 1954-1960, now President of the South Dakota Conference, will be the speaker at the 11:00 o'clock service.  
Adell Haughey, class of 1952, who was recently selected for Outstanding Young Women of America.

Karla Krampert, class of 1965, student missionary from Union College to Central America in 1966.

MAKE RESERVATIONS FOR THE ALUMNI SUPPER AS SOON AS POSSIBLE. We also need current addresses of all alumni. Mail to: Miss Mildred Summerton, Vice-Principal, Wisconsin Academy, Columbus, Wis. 53925

## West Virginia Sabbath School Rally and Workshop

MARCH 15 AND 16 AT THE PARKERSBURG CHURCH

Elder Fernon D. Retzer, Associate Secretary of the General Conference Sabbath School Department, will be the guest speaker.

Beginning at 3:00 P.M., Sabbath afternoon, study will be given and information shared on Sabbath School leadership; adult instruction; children's division teaching; and branch Sabbath School and Vacation Bible School evangelism.

The closing Sabbath-evening program will feature an original 3 Kodak Carousel Projector film-slide presentation with the use of three screens.

A Book and Bible House Sabbath School material display is scheduled and refreshments will be made available during the evening recess.

Sabbath School counsel, instruction, information, and the thrill of being present will be yours when you attend this once-a-year, never-to-be-forgotten workshop.



## ADVERTISEMENTS

RATES: Minimum charge, \$4 for 50 words or less; additional words, 5c a word. All ads must be approved by the local conference office. Consecutive insertions only when space permits. Payment must accompany ads (do not send cash). Make checks or money orders payable to the Washington College Press. We prefer not to accept telephoned ads.

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## SUNSET CALENDAR

	Mar. 8	Mar. 15	Mar. 22	Mar. 29
Baltimore, Md. ....	6:06	6:13	6:20	6:27
Cincinnati, Ohio ....	6:38	6:45	6:52	6:59
Cleveland, Ohio ....	6:25	6:33	6:40	6:48
Columbus, Ohio ....	6:31	6:39	6:46	6:53
Jersey City, N. J. ....	5:55	6:02	6:10	6:17
Norfolk, Va. ....	6:06	6:12	6:18	6:25
Parkersburg, W. Va. ....	6:26	6:33	6:40	6:47
Philadelphia, Pa. ....	6:00	6:08	6:15	6:22
Pittsburgh, Pa. ....	6:19	6:27	6:34	6:41
Reading, Pa. ....	6:03	6:10	6:18	6:25
Richmond, Va. ....	6:10	6:16	6:23	6:29
Roanoke, Va. ....	6:21	6:26	6:33	6:39
Scranton, Pa. ....	6:01	6:09	6:17	6:24
Toledo, Ohio ....	6:34	6:42	6:49	6:57
Trenton, N. J. ....	5:58	6:06	6:13	6:20
Washington, D. C. ....	6:08	6:15	6:22	6:28



## personality profile

SOUL winning is not reserved for the swift and the strong. Nor need missionary activity necessarily be restricted because of age or station in life. The command comes to all to "go, tell others what God has done for you."

Mamie Montgomery, who is 71, lives four miles from Galax, Va. The road to her house is rough and crooked. In fact, the portion of road from her mailbox to her humble home is impassable when it rains or snows. She depends on others for her transportation, because she has no vehicle of her own and she can walk only a short distance.

Two years ago, when the "Bible Speaks" program was launched, she wanted to do her part, but her physical condition would not permit her to visit her neighbors. Willing minds cannot be stopped, so she did what she could—she called her neighbors by telephone to explain her desire to present the gift Bible to them in return for the completed lessons she would mail to them. To her surprise, 47 persons accepted her offer!

As the lessons were returned by mail, she carefully and prayerfully graded them and mailed them back with new lessons. To date almost half of her neighbors who followed the plan have completed the course.

Each day Mrs. Montgomery prayed for those who were receiving the lessons. One day, as she was praying, she said: "Lord, use me in a greater way. I can't speak in public, but I might, with your help, study the Bible with someone. Lord, help me to meet Mrs. Leonard so I can ask her to study the Bible with me."

Her prayer was answered. Mrs. Leonard was a Bible-class teacher in a nearby Protestant church. As she and Mrs. Montgomery



studied together, the new truths presented were joyfully accepted. Naturally, the newly found light began to be shared in the Bible class. One day Mrs. Leonard went to her pastor to tell him of her new experience in Jesus and that she had decided to become a Seventh-day Adventist. She requested that he explain her position to the church in business session and to present her resignation as teacher of the class and her withdrawal from his church.

Mrs. Leonard attended the business meeting. When the time came to present her resignation the pastor seemed hesitant to express her wishes. He finally asked her to present her own request. This she did. Her testimony made a great impression, especially on the members of her Bible class. Several came to her later and declared that they wanted to study with her the truths that made her become a Sabbath Christian. Mrs. Leonard will have been baptized by the time you read this story.

Mrs. Montgomery rejoices that her three children and their families are all members of the remnant church. She says: "It was difficult to walk the four miles to Sabbath School and church each week through rain, sleet, and snow, as well as fair weather, but when I see my children and their companions and my grandchildren all in the fold, any effort on my part has more than been rewarded."

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