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Paul Cantrell, former Washington, D.C., First church pastor, greets Mrs. Ethel Nell, retired Bible instructor. Cantrell was guest speaker on Friday evening.



Mrs. Wilmot Fordham, left, wife of a former pastor of the Washington, D.C., First church, greets a friend as she arrives for the dedication services.

PHOTOS BY L. R. PALMER



High point for the weekend services was the burning of the mortgage by Meade Van Putten, newly elected treasurer of the Allegheny East Conference.



ABOVE: The dedication committee, left to right, Ethel Nell, Esther Ottley, Margaret Smith, Esther Hamilton, and Clinton Luckett. Mrs. Hamilton was treasurer of the church for 27 years. Luckett is present treasurer.



RIGHT: Mrs. Mattie Morgan, 93 years of age, oldest member in attendance at the dedication ceremonies.

Washington First Dedicates Church

DEDICATION services were held recently at the Washington, D.C., First church. The full schedule of services closed with an evangelistic program Sunday night.

Guest speaker for the Friday night service was Paul Cantrell, newly elected Sabbath school secretary of the Allegheny East Conference and a former pastor. Edward Dorsey, president of Allegheny East Conference, spoke for the Sabbath morning worship service, while Cree Sandefur, president of the Columbia Union Conference, gave the dedicatory sermon on Sabbath afternoon.

The Washington, D.C., First church is a mother church of all Adventist churches in the Greater Washington, D.C., area. It was first organized February 24, 1889, with twenty-six charter members. But the beginning of the work dates back to 1876 when D. M. Canright, on his way to Baltimore, reported two families in the area actively distributing tracts. In 1880 I. Sanborn spent a week in Washington and found three members and baptized two more. Four years later Reuben Wright distributed publications in the city, held Bible studies, and after some months reported two converts. But no concerted effort was begun until two years later.

In January, 1886, Willard H. Saxby, of Vermont, and his wife, a Bible instructor who had been one of the first converts in Kentucky, were assigned to work in Washington, D.C. Assisted by Charles Parmele and his sister, Julia, of Illinois, and others, including apprentice Bible instructors from time to time, Saxby operated what was called a city mission at 1831 Vermont Avenue NW.

In the first three months they gave two hundred and ninety-seven Bible studies and gained one convert. In two years they had a Sabbath school of

forty-six members, which, having outgrown the Vermont Avenue location, met in Claybaugh Hall, 1630 Fourteenth Street NW. In three years there was a church of twenty-six charter members, organized February 24, 1889, by J. O. Corliss. In the same month the mission was moved from Vermont Avenue to a southeast site near the United States Capitol. There, in March, a council of leaders from Battle Creek, Michigan, planned the formation of the Atlantic Conference (organized September, 1889), which included the District of Columbia. Under the new arrangement it was decided to close the mission, and the Saxbys left in August. The church then had a membership of forty-one.

J. S. Washburn and Charles L. Taylor held several series of evangelistic meetings in 1890, and in 1893 a small church building was purchased on Eighth Street NE., between F and G streets. The congregation was interracial, and among its members was Mrs. Rosetta Douglass Sprague, daughter of Frederick Douglass, who was no doubt influenced in some way by her father's witness to the falling of the stars and his belief that this event was a "harbinger of the coming of the Son of man." Among the speakers in the First church during this period was Mrs. Ellen G. White, whose prophetic gift and voluminous writings have been a constant encouragement and guide to Advent believers everywhere.

In 1902 Louis G. Sheafe was asked to hold meetings in Washington, and since the black membership was in the majority, he was retained as pastor. During this period the General Conference was moved from Battle Creek to Washington, D.C., and the churches in the District of Columbia and Takoma Park, Maryland, were assigned to the administration of the

General Conference. In 1909 they were made a part of the District of Columbia Conference, which had been operating from the Atlantic Union Conference.

In 1916, while the nation was involved in World War I, J. Marion Campbell was called to the First church as its pastor, and with his coming there began a new wave of evangelism in the northeast and southwest sections of the city. The membership grew and the congregation and its minister became more deeply involved in tract distribution and in personal witness. A church school was opened, and the church began a more substantial penetration into the life of the community. Many children were enrolled in the school who were not affiliated with the church, and welfare programs strengthened this tie with the neighborhood and the public.

By 1955 the small church on Eighth Street NE. had become greatly overcrowded and the congregation, under the leadership of Wilmot M. Fordham, purchased the property at Eighth and Shepherd streets NW. In 1957 the official opening services were held with Paul Cantrell as minister.

John H. Wagner, Jr., the next pastor, initiated an extensive remodeling program and at the time of dedication the cost both of the building and of the renovation had been entirely met.

Other ministers who have served the First church include Frederick J. Seeney, Charles B. Akinson, Adolphus E. Webb, Leslie J. Pryor, Eric S. Dillett, R. T. Hudson, and Luther R. Palmer, recently named executive secretary of the Allegheny East Conference.

The current pastor is John Collins. Membership of the church at this time is seven hundred and sixty.



Teachers Hold Institute at Pine Forge Academy

A good attendance of teachers, school administrators, guests, and friends converged on the campus of Pine Forge Academy, Pine Forge, Pennsylvania, despite the promise of contrary weather. The recent teachers' institute began as Robert Lewis, superintendent of education of the Allegheny East Conference, gave the keynote address after which Luther Mitchell, a local layman youth, told of his work in drug education among the young people.

The Sabbath devotional was presented by A. T. Westney, principal of Pine Forge Academy. Edward Mattox, principal of the Dupont Park School, Washington, D.C., was in charge of the Sabbath school program, and Mrs. Nelline Sneed, vice principal of the same school, gave the mission report. Lorenzo Grant, associate MV secretary for the Columbia Union, taught the Sabbath school lesson.

H. Fletcher, former superintendent of education in the West Indies Union and now their treasurer, gave a challenging message on accountability during the eleven-o'clock hour. A talk on dress standards by W. D. Lewis, the Sabbath afternoon feature, sparked lively discussion with many questions and answers for the participating panel. Allen and Mrs. Foster, of the Philadelphia Ebenezer church, gave a sacred concert Sabbath evening.

Sunday's devotional message by Paul Cantrell, pastor of the North Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, church, was accompanied by solos by Phillis Bell, who is principal of the Mount Olivet

church school, in Camden, New Jersey.

Ethel Johnson, elementary supervisor for the Columbia Union, conducted a math workshop during which she worked with teachers of grades 1-6. Mrs. Cordell Williamson, math supervisor in the Pittsburgh public school system, guided instructors of grades 7-12.

Another guest was Augustus Cheatham, Title I supervisor with the U.S. Government. He told the educators how, when, and where they could turn in order to take advantage of some of the Title I programs.

The spiritual tone for Monday was set by a soul-searching devotional by R. W. Newman, pastor of the Pine Forge and Pottstown churches, followed by E. A. Robertson's discussion on school consolidation. Robertson is secretary of education for the Columbia Union. Reginald Barnes, superintendent of education, Lake Region Conference, talked on relevancy in the curriculum. A high light was a bus tour to the famed Longwood Gardens, near Wilmington, Delaware.

Climax of the institute was a banquet held at the Downtown Motor Inn in Pottstown, arranged by Mrs. June Simms and presided over by James Dykes, public relations secretary for Pine Forge Academy. Honor guests were presented orchids and carnations by Mrs. Jayne Darby, office secretary in the conference department of education. Edward Dorsey, conference president, stressed the ultimate goals and high ideals of Christian education, and George Akers, president of Co-

lumbia Union College, Takoma Park, Maryland, gave challenging thoughts to take back to the boys and girls teachers face in the classrooms.

Presentations were made to James and Mrs. Dykes on behalf of Pine Forge Academy. They have since left to take up new duties on the teaching staff of Oakwood College, Huntsville, Alabama. Mrs. Merle Ford received a token of appreciation for her service as secretary to Pine Forge's principal. She is retiring to be a full-time homemaker and mother. Paul Jones was also presented a gift for his fourteen years of continued, faithful service to the academy.

The conference department of education made a number of presentations. Ethel Johnson and E. A. Robertson were honored with plaques representing over forty years of service in Christian education. Mrs. Marian Jones, of Newark, and Mrs. Jennie Dobbins, of Dupont Park, were honored similarly for over thirty years of service. Twenty-year plaques were given to Mrs. Evelyn Thomas and Mrs. Lucille Davis, Washington, D.C., and Mrs. Rebecca James, Baltimore, Maryland. Gold medallions were presented to Mrs. Amelia Fitzgerald, Dupont Park, and Bonnie Allison, of Pine Forge, for over fifteen years. Mrs. Doris Butler, Pine Forge, received a silver medallion for over ten years.

As a surprise, Dr. Akers was presented with a personally engraved desk calendar set as a token of appreciation for his kind and loving spirit and as an ambassador of good will.



Petersburg Youth Serve at Central State Hospital

TEN energetic, humanitarian-minded young people do volunteer work in Petersburg, Virginia. At Central State Hospital are Diane Scott, Willie Scott, Sheryl Scott, Evelyn Massenburg, Carolyn Henderson, Evangeline Henderson, Anne Gaskins (all members of the SDA church), Sandra Graves, and Vanessa Eddy (friends of the above). Fay Anderson is a candy striper at Petersburg General Hospital.

What a wonderful opportunity to reach out and help—as God has instructed His servants!

These young people report they are thankful for the opportunity to engage in such rewarding experiences and they are looking forward to similar experiences next summer. Some are hopeful of returning to this work as early as the Christmas holidays.

Recognition goes to Anne Henderson who introduced the youth to the Central States Volunteer Services Program. She also helps provide transportation.

ANNE LORAY GASKINS

*Press Secretary
Petersburg, Virginia, Church*

Thirteenth Sabbath Was a High Day at Mount Sinai

SEPTEMBER 25 was thirteenth Sabbath, and the Sabbath school council of the Mount Sinai church in Trenton, New Jersey, planned to make it an outstanding event.

Because of concern for missing members in Sabbath school and the tardiness of others, the usual Sabbath services were reversed. The worship hour began at 9:30 A.M., with John Wright, pastor of the Sharon church, Baltimore, Maryland, presenting the sermon. Immediately following, during the ten-minute lay activities period, division leader Fannie Simmons, assisted by Earline Greene, conducted a mission pageant. The Trans-Africa Division was featured, so this was an opportunity for many to don colorful African garb. Lillian Walton, Sabbath school superintendent, wore the costume she obtained during her visit to Africa under the sponsorship of the General Conference.

Sabbath school was filled to capacity. Pastor J. J. Johnson asserted he would like to see this happen again!

An unforgettable blessing was received by all during Pastor Wright's sermon when he reminded us that we should "Tap the Right Thing at the Right Time." At the call for the offering, \$200 was received for missions. Samuel Mendenhall, a local elder, and Elizabeth Redd were the Sabbath school teachers, and it was apparent that they had dug deeply into the Word to present treasures to us. Music was provided by John Williams, Marcella Bradshaw, and Barbara Bass, accompanied on the piano by Mildred Braxton.

ON THE MOVE

L. R. PALMER, executive secretary, Allegheny East Conference; formerly pastor, Washington, D.C., First church.

JOHN COLLINS, pastor, Washington, D.C., First church; from same position, Trinity Temple, Newark, New Jersey.

J. C. SMITH, pastor, Dupont Park church, Washington, D.C.; from Berea Temple, Baltimore, Maryland.

W. C. SCALES, JR., pastor, Berea Temple, Baltimore; from same position, Richmond, Virginia.

JOHN WRIGHT, pastor, Newark church; from same position, Baltimore Sharon church.

JOHN ROBERTS, pastor, Baltimore Sharon church; formerly principal at Newark.

LEONARD HERNANDEZ, pastor, West Philadelphia and Germantown, Pennsylvania, churches; formerly Washington, D.C., layman and lay pastor of Alexandria, Virginia, church.

ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA, church has been added to Mack Wilson's district. Wilson also pastors the Sandy Springs, Maryland, church.

PINE FORGE ACADEMY IS YOUR SCHOOL



1. Ethel Johnson smiles with pleasure as she receives a plaque from Willard Lewis honoring her forty years of service.

2. Twenty years of faithful service are rewarded by the presentation made to Mrs. Rebecca James, of Baltimore Junior Academy.

3. Dr. George Akers stresses an important point as he addresses the teachers during their banquet.

4. James and Mrs. Dykes have just received a token of love and affection from the staff of Pine Forge Academy. Paul Jones, right, made the presentation.

5. Mrs. Bonnie Allison, Pine Forge church school teacher, admires the gold medallion presented to her for twenty years of service.

6. Willard Lewis presents a plaque for forty years of service in Christian education to E. A. Robertson, left.



Gordon Dalrymple speaking at an evangelistic rally in Cleveland, Ohio.

Cleveland Rally Prepares for MISSION '72 Crusade

GORDON DALRYMPLE, evangelist and public relations director of Faith for Today, was the principal speaker at the recent Greater Cleveland, Ohio, rally.

The rally was held in preparation for a city-wide evangelistic crusade to be held in the Cleveland Little Theater in March, 1972, as a part of the MISSION '72 program. Dalrymple will be the evangelist. The rally was attended by pastors and members of all of the Ohio Conference and Allegheny West Conference churches of the Cleveland area.

The rally began with a service on Friday night at the Lakewood church, with music by the Glenville church choir, a Faith for Today film, and a sermon by Dalrymple. Plans for MISSION '72 in Ohio were presented by Philip Follett and Charles R. Beeler, president and public relations secretary, respectively, of the Ohio Conference. The various pastors also spoke briefly.

The principal rally service was held in the Cleveland First church on Sabbath afternoon, featuring the Cleveland Yugoslavian church choir, a sermon by Dalrymple, and presentations by the Ohio Conference representatives and the area pastors.

Plans for the MISSION '72 campaign next March include preparatory contacts with a large number of interests in the area, including viewers of the Faith for Today telecast as well as many who were viewers last year of It Is Written.

CHARLES R. BEELER

Public Relations Secretary

Lay Advisory Group Meet November 7 at MVA

AT THE Ohio Conference Lay Advisory Council meeting held recently at Mount Vernon there was an extended discussion of the question of government aid to denominational schools, the problems involved, and the pressures being applied for adjustments in denominational policy regarding it.

Papers were presented by Elvin Benton, Columbia Union Conference religious liberty secretary; F. E. J. Harder, executive secretary of the newly formed Board of Higher Education of the Seventh-day Adventist Church; Philip Dunson, an Adventist attorney from Columbus, Ohio; and Wally Carson, an Adventist attorney from Cleveland, Ohio.

A discussion period gave opportunity for a number of questions and observations from the lay delegates from Ohio Conference churches. Chairman of the session was Elvin Feltman of Milan, Ohio, one of the council's vice-chairmen.

The Lay Advisory Council will meet again in the chapel of Mount Vernon Academy on November 7. The main topic to be considered will be Mount Vernon Academy. It will be an opportunity to meet the new principal, Roger Dudley. Mrs. Clara Sweeney of Manchester will be chairman.

Delegates for all of the churches are urged to attend. If any find it impossible to do so, they should arrange with their church administration to send an alternate delegate.

In addition to the main topic, study will be given to the plans for the biennial constituency meeting of the

Ohio Conference this coming spring.

The Lay Advisory Council is important to the work of the Ohio Conference providing frequent, open communication between the conference leadership and the laity throughout the territory. Its value increases in proportion to the number of churches represented at each meeting and the freedom with which the lay delegates express their views on the various issues and problems considered. Although not an administrative body, it is a forum from whose discussions great assistance may be given to the officers of the conference and its executive committee.

One elected delegate officially represents each church. But any church member is welcome to attend any of the meetings.

PHILIP FOLLETT

President

Station WHIZ Features Zanesville Smile Booth

ZANESVILLE, Ohio, Adventist youth sponsored a booth at the Muskingum County Fair. They felt it was very successful and rewarding. Thirty applications were made for the gift-Bible program, and twelve thousand signed for the *Wayout* magazine.

The booth was attractively decorated with a large poster with the words, "Smile, God Loves You." All the youth wore smiling-face buttons that corresponded with the big smiles on their faces.

A radio reporter was on hand to give Ossie Heaton, pastor of the Zanesville church, and the youth a five-minute interview on station WHIZ.

The youth in charge of the booth were: Sue Kelso, Kay Graban, Bob Snider, Bill Brokaw, and Rick Heaton, under the guidance of Pastor Heaton.

WILMA POWELL

Press Secretary

Zanesville Church

THE TRUE VINE

LeRoy L. Albers, pastor of the Mount Vernon, Ohio, church, recently used a fruit-laden branch of a grapevine to illustrate his sermon on John 15, regarding Jesus, the True Vine.



It Is Written Returns to Dayton's Channel Seven

THE television industry has launched its new fall program schedules and *It Is Written* has returned to the picture tubes of channel seven viewers in the Dayton, Ohio, area.

The Dayton, Kettering, and East Dayton churches, together with some of the churches in the surrounding area, are sponsoring the program as a coordinated effort in preparation for MISSION '72 evangelism.

George Vandeman, director and speaker of the program, recently visited Dayton and spoke in the churches for opening rallies. A number of former viewers attended the rallies.

It Is Written was broadcast in Dayton from September 14, 1969, to June 6, 1971. Many hundreds of persons responded to the offers of the program of free books and the Bible in the Hand study program. The public campaign, in the fall of 1970, conducted by Vandeman, who was assisted by pastors of the area, brought many people to a personal acceptance of Christ and His truth. It is anticipated that many former viewers will renew their interest in the telecast and will join with new viewers in requesting the books offered, including three new ones very recently published.

In the first three weeks of the new series more than 180 requests for books have been received.

The program is carried on channel seven, Sundays, at 10:30 A.M.

CHARLES R. BEELER

Coffman Is New Assistant Pastor of Kettering Church

JOINING the pastoral staff of the Kettering, Ohio, church is William B. Coffman, of Berrien Springs, Michigan. The new minister recently came from the Theological Seminary, Andrews University, Berrien Springs, Michigan, where he received the Master of Divinity degree.

After completing his undergraduate work at Columbia Union College, Takoma Park, Maryland, in 1968, Pastor Coffman assisted in the Newark, Ohio, church for a year before taking his advanced studies at the Seminary. He will work under the direction of Murray W. Deming, pastor of the Kettering church.

While in college Coffman distinguished himself by being named in *Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities* and also served as presi-



Pastor and Mrs. William B. Coffman and son, William Brent Coffman II.

dent of the school's Religious Liberty Club. Later, while at the Seminary, he was elected president of the Student Forum.

Pastor Coffman, with his wife, Louise, and son, William Brent II, lives in Centerville, Ohio. His parents are Pastor and Mrs. William H. Coffman, of Takoma Park, Maryland, recently retired, who are known to many in the Potomac Conference where they have raised up and pastored many churches. Louise Coffman's mother, Margaret Hillegas, also a resident of Takoma Park, is a secretary at Washington Sanitarium and Hospital, Takoma Park.

RICHARD J. BARNETT

Press Secretary
Kettering SDA Church

Fifty-eight Attracted by Willoughby Bible School

THE Willoughby, Ohio, church conducted a Vacation Bible School this summer under the direction of Mary Ernesty. There was an enrollment of fifty-eight children, thirty of which were not Adventists, and all learned about "God's World."

In a special commencement program at the Willoughby church, boys and girls who attended the Vacation Bible School participated in an evening closing program and each received certificates. Parents viewed a display of some of the crafts on which the children had been working.

Tim Layne, age 14, took pictures of the various class groups. The accompanying picture of the primary class was taken, developed, and printed by Tim, a process which he learned in the Pathfinder club.

Special support was given by the pastor, Robert Holland, who was always there when needed. He told stories and taught the children new songs which were heard echoing from the Sabbath school rooms long after Vacation Bible School.

A story hour was conducted as a follow-up to the Vacation Bible School.

MRS. SHARON HARTMAN

Press Secretary
Willoughby, Ohio, Church



Seminary Students Assist in Cincinnati Crusade

Ministers and families who participated in the evangelistic crusade and field school of evangelism in the Cincinnati, Ohio, First church during the latter part of the summer. Eight Seminary students joined with six Ohio Conference ministers in assisting in the campaign. Evangelist Clifton Walter, Mrs. Walter, and Pastor and Mrs. Bernie Paulson were loaned to the Ohio Conference for this effort by the Northern California Conference. Front row, from left: Pastor and Mrs. Harold Baasch, Mrs. Ken Gryte, Mrs. E. A. Trumper, Pastor Trumper, Joseph Damazo (Cincinnati pastor), Pastor and Mrs. Bernie Paulson, Mrs. Clifton Walter, Pastor Walter, Mrs. Frank Tochterman, Pastor Tochterman, Mrs. Ivan Morford, Pastor Morford. Back row: Ken Gryte, Robert Turner, Pastor and Mrs. Orville Baer, Richard Pittack, Lynn Gatz, Charles Cole, Tom Ipes, Keith Mattingly, and Ron Yehl. The children in front are Melinda and Jerry Baer.

CHARLES R. BEELER
Public Relations Secretary

KETTERING MEDICAL CENTER

Two New Instructors Join Kettering Medical Faculty

Two more instructors have joined the faculty at Kettering College of Medical Arts, Kettering, Ohio. Mrs. Bonnie L. Thiel of Dayton, Ohio, is a half-time teacher in obstetrical nursing. She is the wife of intern John T. Thiel, at Kettering Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. Nancy L. Anderson of Kettering, is teaching full time in psychiatric nursing. She is the wife of general surgery resident Merlin G. Anderson at KMH.

Mrs. Thiel received her Bachelor of Science degree in nursing from Loma Linda University, Loma Linda, California, in June, 1968, and has since worked in a hospital and city and county health departments on the West Coast. The Thiels have no children.

Mrs. Anderson received her B. S. degree in nursing from Loma Linda University in 1959. She has since taught at the Ethiopian Imperial Armed Forces Medical Services School of Nursing and been a member of the Nursing Advisory Board for the Minister of Public Health, Ethiopia. The Andersons have four children and one Ethiopian "daughter" who lives with them.

Kettering College of Medical Arts is a coeducational two-year medical arts college owned and operated by the Seventh-day Adventist Church. KCMA and Kettering Memorial Hospital are both divisions of Kettering Medical Center.

LYNDA V. SEIDEL

*Editorial Assistant
Kettering Medical Center*

Kettering Features Sounds of Worship Recital Series

PROMINENT organ recitalists are being featured in a series of seven Sunday evening programs at the Kettering Seventh-day Adventist church, 3737 Stonebridge Road.

The series, called The Sounds of Worship, will center around sacred music played on the church's recently dedicated pipe organ and sung by choral groups. The organ is one of the finest in this section of the State, according to David H. Hegarty, church

organist. A devotional message will precede each recital, with Winton H. Beaven, Ph.D., dean of Kettering College of Medical Arts, as the series speaker.

Organists to perform in the Sunday-evening series include Frederick Swann, organist of New York City's Riverside church; Wim van der Panne, who is on tour from the Netherlands, and Van Knauss, an instructor at Columbia Union College, Washington, D.C.

"We wish to extend the ministry of this church into the community," said Pastor Murray W. Deming, "and sharing the music of this superb organ is one definite way to accomplish this. Its donors had this in mind, and with this Sunday-evening series we extend a special invitation to our community friends to come and hear this unusual musical instrument."

RICHARD J. BARNETT

*Public Information Officer
Kettering Medical Center*

Kettering College Opens With Enrollment of 274

D. WARD CHILDERS came from Alberta, Canada, to begin radiologic technology classes this fall at Kettering College of Medical Arts, Kettering, Ohio. He is one of 274 students working toward an associate degree either in medical arts or general education, according to Eugene R. Cowling, registrar. This is an increase of 28 over last fall's enrollment.

The enrollment includes eighty-four second-year students (graduating in May) and 190 freshmen. A breakdown by curriculums indicates that the students are enrolled in environmental management, 4; nursing, 144; radiologic technology, 14; respiratory therapy, 30; medical office assisting, 17; general education, 56; premedicine, 2; and dietetic technology, 7.

About half of the enrolled students are from the Dayton, Ohio, area. With 88 of 215 women and 24 of 58 men living-in, the residence hall is "good and full," says Dean Marjorie Burns. The men's part is "filled to capacity."

Instructors for the student body number 46. Six of these joined the faculty since last school year, according to Dean Winton H. Beaven. They are Stanley J. Applegate, who will begin course plans for medical electronics technology to be offered next fall; Marjorie Burns, residence-hall dean; Bruce Randall, instructor in respiratory therapy; Adolf Beck, assistant

librarian; Bonnie L. Thiel, instructor in obstetrical nursing; and Nancy L. Anderson, instructor in psychiatric nursing.

LYNDA V. SEIDEL



K. Jean Pohle was recently elected president of the Greater Dayton, Ohio, Hospital Management Association.

Management Group Elects First Woman President

THE first woman president of the Greater Dayton (Ohio) Hospital Management Association is K. Jean Pohle, director of Staff Development at Kettering Medical Center, Kettering, Ohio. She was installed by Charles Roof, a director of the 75,000-member National Management Association, in ceremonies during a recent meeting.

Other KMC personnel newly appointed as officers of the local organization were Peter W. Adams, staff pharmacist, associate treasurer; Douglas J. Campbell, staff pharmacist, treasurer; C. Gordon Hewes, Ph.D., professor of anatomy, KCMA, second vice-president; and Ruth I. Thompson, administrative assistant, correspondence secretary. Robert E. Dell, operating room manager, and Kenneth S. Roth, chief medical technologist, are finishing two-year terms on the association's Board of Directors.

Mrs. Pohle completed her nurse's training in 1949 at Washington Sanitarium and Hospital, Takoma Park, Maryland. She received the Bachelor of Science degree in nursing education in 1960. Her service in her present position at Kettering Medical Center began in 1963. Jean Pohle is the organist of the Dayton Far Hills church and is active in many other church activities. She and her husband, Robert, an engineer at KMC, are the parents of five children. Their eldest son, Robert, recently left to serve a year as a missionary to Korea.

RICHARD J. BARNETT

chesapeake



Top photo, left to right: Dr. Bernard Marsh, Pastor Arthur Moyer, Skip Saunders, Mrs. Shirley Johnson, and Dr. Roland Phillips during "From the Top" telecast on TV-WJZ Baltimore. Lower photo: The telecast included illustrations and demonstrations by Dr. and Mrs. Roland Phillips. Left to right: Charles Berry, Skip Saunders, Dr. Phillips, Pat Phillips, Pastor Arthur Moyer, Mrs. Shirley Johnson, and Dr. Bernard Marsh.

Health Message Televised in Greater Baltimore

LAST spring Dr. Roland Phillips, at that time associated with Johns Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore, Maryland, now in the Department of Public Health, Loma Linda University, California, and his wife, Pat, conducted a six-week nutrition course in the First church in Baltimore, Maryland. Charles Berry, operations manager for TV-WJZ, in Baltimore, and a member of the Towson, Maryland, church, arranged for Dr. and Mrs. Phillips to make a half-hour presentation of the health message on the telecast "From the Top," hosted by Skip Saunders. The first fifteen minutes was a discussion of our health message. Others participating were Dr. Bernard Marsh, head elder of the Northwest

church, Randallstown, Maryland; Mrs. Shirley Johnson, former missionary and presently registrar of the Home Study Institute; and Arthur M. Moyer, pastor of the First church. The last fifteen minutes comprised illustrations and demonstrations by Dr. and Mrs. Phillips. The program was repeated on August 29.

On Sunday, October 3, Pastor Moyer was interviewed by Mrs. Ruth Burnet, hostess of the "Above All Else" program on "Health's Relation to Religion." An opportunity was given to present the major beliefs of Seventh-day Adventists, including our health message. An invitation has been extended by the station for other programs in the near future.

ART MOYER

Pastor
Baltimore First Church

Fleagles Are Honored at Welcome-Home Outing

MORE than one hundred and fifty men, women, and youth made the three-mile, rocky climb to 1,580-foot Black Rock atop South Mountain, near Hagerstown, Maryland, in time to join in a song service on a recent Sabbath morning. They came from the Mount Aetna and Hagerstown churches for a special welcome-home service for David and Mary Fleagle, who more than thirty years ago left their home in this area for a life of service in the cause of God.

In his early years of ministry Fleagle returned to the area as its district pastor. During his ministry the present school, the camp, the Mount Aetna store, Mount Aetna Academy, and the Hagerstown church, as well as other institutions throughout the conference, came into being.

It was like old times to hear Fleagle's strong voice challenging the Lord's remnant to be faithful as he taught the Sabbath school lesson.

Old acquaintances and converts were present at a potluck dinner held at the David and Mary Fleagle Park following the Sabbath services.

The Fleagles make their home at Fort Myers, Florida.

A. B. BUTLER

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Tim Arner recites the thrills of the literature ministry at the Literature Evangelist Institute held recently at Shenandoah Valley Academy, New Market, Virginia. With him, left to right, are Jim Tartaglia, Vic Scalzo, and William Otis, Pennsylvania Conference publishing secretary.

Pottstown Members Called to Literature Ministry

AMONG the many successful literature evangelists in the Pennsylvania Conference is Vic Scalzo, of Pottstown. For him the recent Big Eleven sales effort started out poorly. While making a call-back his car skidded on wet pavement and was completely demolished. Scalzo came out of the wreck with several severe cuts and bruises.

The injuries did not hinder him too much in his work, but the lack of an automobile posed some problems. However, members of the Pottstown church got together and took turns driving Scalzo to his appointments.

Not only does Scalzo believe in the literature work, but he recruits others for it also. He contacted Jim Tartaglia, another Pottstown member, and he has just begun canvassing.

Another member of the Pottstown church also felt the call of God. Elwood Arner tells of his experience:

"My wife wanted to do some house-cleaning, so I helped her. I ran across some literature I had picked up at the General Conference session a few months before. One leaflet, written by Mrs. E. G. White, dealt with the problems of labor unions, and as I read it I was bothered, because I belonged to a union. I began to pray

about it and asked God if He wanted me out of the work I was doing to show me the way to go."

God was also working through the Pennsylvania publishing secretary, Harold Otis, Jr.

"We had just lost Rachael and Tim Arner to the West Virginia Conference," Otis relates. "I thought about a relative of theirs, Elwood Arner, in the Pottstown church. I felt a definite impression to contact him. This impression stayed with me four days; finally I called Pottstown and left word with Arner that I would be down to see him."

Arner recognized the answer to his prayers and is now a literature evangelist.

Beulah Mudgett at the baked-goods table. Left, a satisfied customer leaving with his goodies purchased at the Pittsburgh Shadyside church fair.



Shadyside Social Committee Sponsors Fund-raising Fair

THE social committee of the Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, Shadyside church recently sponsored a fair on the school grounds of the Greater Pittsburgh Junior Academy to encourage members to work together and to raise funds for special projects such as school equipment, Sabbath school Investment, and Pathfinders.



Evans Holdsworth selling a cold drink to two thirsty customers.

The booths were set up and manned by members of the Pittsburgh, Butler, and New Brighton churches. To satisfy the appetite, there were popcorn, ice cream, fruit punch, and a special luncheon plate for sale. A needlework booth included framed Bible verses made by the young people.

Pony rides, motor bike rides, and a car wash supplied entertainment that was a popular feature of the fair. Delicious baked goods of all kinds and an auction were the big attractions. Many salable and useful items, sent in

by church members, provided a lot of fun, as well as a profitable time during the auction.

Those in charge of the fair were Sidney Cuckler, chairman; Mrs. Cuckler; Mr. and Mrs. Roland McDaniel; Beulah Mudgett; and Pastor and Mrs. Kenneth Stout.

MARGARET HARRINGTON
Press Secretary
Pittsburgh Shadyside Church



Directing the school held at the Laurel Lake campsite were (left to right) Ray Greenley, pastor; Robert Kerr, science and math instructor, Pittsburgh Junior Academy; Patricia Habada, director of the outdoor school and principal, Pittsburgh Junior Academy; and Dale Ingersoll, MV secretary, Pennsylvania Conference.

Fair Oaks and Pittsburgh Conduct Outdoor Schools

THE Fair Oaks Junior Academy, Carlisle, Pennsylvania, and the Pittsburgh Junior Academy, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, conducted outdoor schools during the month of September. Meeting at a State park facility and the Laurel Lake youth campsite, both groups listed as their objectives: to acquaint children with God's creative power, to provide youth experience in group association, to provide a practical experience in outdoor living, to foster appreciation for natural surroundings, and to provide a common experience on which to build future educational progress.

Following a daily schedule that began at 7:00 A.M. and ended at 10:00 P.M., the students received instruction in astronomy, edible wild plants, and wilderness survival, in addition to receiving instruction in science, math, English, and Bible.

Instructors for the school included Patricia Habada and Robert Kerr, staff members of the Pittsburgh Junior Academy; Dale Ingersoll, MV secretary, Pennsylvania Conference; and Ray Greenley, pastor, Brockway-Clearfield-Putneyville district.



A group working on edible wild plant scrapbooks.



Ray Greenley (center), pastor of the nearby Brockway-Clearfield-Putneyville, Pennsylvania, district, met with a group each morning for Bible activities and counseling.

Enroll Your Friends in the Faith Bible Courses

ENROLLING a friend or neighbor in a Faith for Today Bible course can have far-reaching effects. In Toledo, Illinois, a Sunday school member was invited to teach a class for the first time. What should she do?

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Have you invited a friend or neighbor to enroll in the Faith for Today Bible correspondence course this week, or to view the telecast? Why not do it now?

Check current TV program listings for your area.

Your effort can mean one more soul for Christ.

GORDON F. DALRYMPLE
Editor of Publications
Faith for Today



STRICKLAND NAMED PRESS SECRETARY OF THE YEAR

William Strickland, press secretary of the New Market, Virginia, church, is presented the Press Secretary of the Year award for 1971 by Fenton E. Froom, president of the Potomac Conference. The presentation was made at the Potomac Laymen's Congress.

JOHN W. MC GRAW
Public Relations Secretary
Potomac Conference

Leesburg Has Eight New Members; Others Study

For many years efforts have been put forth to establish a church in Leesburg, Virginia. In times past groups have organized, only to wane in intervening years.

In June, 1970, Kelsey Hornbaker, of Herndon, Virginia, encouraged Sabbathkeepers in the area to come together for services. Often five or six would make up the congregation.

Becky Singer and Lucy Gattis, Bible workers, with the writer and Leesburg laymen began to lay the groundwork for a summer evangelistic series in 1971.

Contact was made with the Honorable Lucas Phillips, member of the House of Delegates from Leesburg, who made a fine lot available for the meetings.

Another innovation was tried. Beginning July 19, a two-week Vacation Bible School was conducted in the tent. The results were gratifying.

From August 1-27, Robert Clarke, Missouri Conference evangelist, was featured in an evangelistic series. Would the people come? After all, Adventists in the Leesburg area would swell the crowd attendance to twenty at the most. God blessed. Clarke preached the message with clarity. The smallest attendance was 60, the largest 150.

Meetings continued in the Catocin Elementary School three nights a week through October 1.

Eight new members have been added to the church by baptism; as many more are studying and planning to become members.

The Leesburg church now has twenty-three members and over forty

in attendance at the Sabbath services. Please pray for the work in Leesburg.

DONALD ECKENROTH

Pastor

Winchester-Leesburg District



Top: Robert Clarke, Missouri Conference evangelist, speaks at the tent meetings in Leesburg, Virginia. Below: "We will be looking for you tomorrow night," Pastor Clarke tells two visitors after the meeting.



Norfolk Youth Witness to a Beach Full of People

On a recent Sabbath the *Sound of Peace*, a singing group sponsored by the Potomac Conference, visited the Norfolk, Virginia, church and presented a worship hour of music. In the afternoon they accompanied the youth of the church and Fenton E. Froom, Sr., Potomac Conference president, to Virginia Beach to witness on the boardwalk. The youth split up into groups of two or three and talked with the tourists about Christ and what He means to them. Most signed up individuals for the Wayout Voice of Prophecy youth outreach program.

To close the day the group met and sang on the boardwalk. Many stopped to listen to the guitars and the songs. The people were invited to come to a tent meeting to be held that night by E. F. Koch, conference evangelist, in the Hill Top area of Virginia Beach. Some did show up at the meeting.

But this wasn't the end of witnessing on the beach. During the month of August a group of about thirteen youth from the Norfolk church met at the evangelistic tent, prayed and planned, and then went to the beach to talk with other youth and to share Christ with them. The Norfolk youth discovered it was a real challenge to witness to a beach full of people.

DONNA L. EDWARDS

Press Secretary

Norfolk, Virginia, Church

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MV SOCIETIES

Looking for exciting and heart-stirring programs for your MV Society? Columbia Union College has six young people recently returned from such places as Vietnam, Lake Titicaca, Central Africa, the Amazon, and Canada's Northwest Territories. They will bring you the sights and sounds of strange places, and you will catch the thrill of serving Christ in people-to-people ways. All we ask is that at least half of the offering be given to our CUC Student Missionary program to help us send out others into the mission field.

Reservations can be made by telephoning the Department of Religion office, CUC. Phone: 589-2135, Ext. 237.



Primary children work in their activity books at Charlottesville, Virginia, VBS.

Thirty-four Vacation Bible Schools Were Conducted

THIRTY-FOUR Vacation Bible Schools were conducted in the Potomac Conference this summer, ranging in size from a branch VBS in Herndon, Virginia, with twenty in attendance, to the Takoma Park, Maryland, church VBS, with more than 296 attending. The Leesburg, Virginia, company conducted a VBS in advance of a tent evangelistic meeting. Many of the churches reported that they had overflow attendance. The Bladensburg VBS "packed them in like sardines."

Vacation Bible Schools are hard work, but they are an effective evangelism medium. Follow-up is important, and often takes the form of story hours. Sabbath schools report neighbors and friends visiting as a result of VBS contacts.

If your church isn't conducting a VBS program it is missing the blessing of this avenue of witness in the Potomac Conference. Less than half of our churches participated in VBS evangelism in 1971. Now is the time to plan for 1972.

JOHN W. MCGRAW
Sabbath School Secretary

Lynchburg School Upgrades Facilities and Equipment

THE students, their parents, and the teachers of the elementary school, operated by the Lynchburg and Yellow Branch, Virginia, churches, are happy for the Dodge sports van recently purchased for use as a school bus. In a little over three months' time enough money was raised to pay for the bus.

Parents no longer have to make a twice-daily trip to the school, and teachers will no longer have to come early or stay late for pupils who had to come early or stay late to accommodate a parent's work schedule.

The schoolrooms have also been freshly painted, and with the profits from the Tom Wat sales, an overhead projector and two new reading tables have been purchased. A pair of mice and some turtles have added a little new life to the scene.

Mrs. Elsie Tomlin, the bus driver, carries her first-grade son, Richie, and eleven other riders. The total enrollment is sixteen. James Wilkerson and Katherine Moss are the teachers.

MARY VARNEY

Press Secretary
Lynchburg School

The children take time to play at Beltsville, Maryland, VBS.



The Cameron Carters Have Fiftieth Anniversary

CAMERON and Mabel Carter, of Warsaw, Virginia, recently celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary with an open house in the assembly room of Tidewater Memorial Hospital in Tappahannock, Virginia. Hosting the event was their daughter, Mrs. Peter S. Altman, of Fredericksburg, Virginia. A. A. Esteb, recently retired from the General Conference and a fellow worker with the Carters in China, was master of ceremonies.

The Carters were married in a double wedding ceremony with Mrs. Carter's sister, Winifred, and the late Thomas Cunningham on August 31, 1921, in the Takoma Park, Maryland, church. They spent over thirty years as missionaries in China and Taiwan and upon their return to the homeland Cameron Carter pastored the Kilmarnock, Virginia, church. He also helped to sponsor the Tidewater Memorial Hospital in Tappahannock and is a member of its board of trustees.

DONALD ANDERSON

Chaplain
Tidewater Memorial Hospital



Pastor and Mrs. Cameron Carter.

Crafts play an important part in the VBS program. Craft director Mrs. Kenneth Dick looks over finished crafts at Beltsville, Maryland.





Mr. and Mrs. Merrill E. Barnhart and son, Norman.



Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Garey, Jr.



Pastor and Mrs. Mitchell Hensen and daughter, Jody Lynn.



Jean Bender

Alumni Return to Teach—Enrollment Slightly Down

FOUR new teachers join the staff of Shenandoah Valley Academy, New Market, Virginia.

From Pine Forest Academy, Chunky, Mississippi, is Jean Bender, a 1966 graduate of SVA. Jean Bender attended Southern Missionary College, Collegedale, Tennessee, and La Sierra College in California, before spending two years at Newbold College in England where she graduated in 1970. Last year she was dean of girls at Pine Forest and she will teach English at SVA.

Another English teacher is Clyde Garey, Jr. His wife, Betty Anderson Garey, is a '65 graduate of SVA. Garey graduated from Fletcher Academy, near Hendersonville, North Carolina, in 1964, and Southern Missionary College in 1968. He has taught at the Hampton Roads, Virginia, Junior Academy and at the C. F. Richards Junior Academy, Staunton, Virginia. Mrs. Garey is a '69 graduate of Southern Missionary College.

The third SVA graduate to return this year is the wife of Pastor Mitchell Hensen, who will be teaching Bible. Sue Harless Hensen is a '63 graduate of SVA. Pastor Hensen comes to SVA with a background as church pastor and prison counselor. A graduate of Mount Pisgah Academy, Candler, North Carolina, he attended SMC and Columbia Union College, Takoma Park, Maryland. The Hensens have a seven-month-old daughter, Jody Lynn.

The new vocal and choral director is Merrill E. Barnhart who for the past three years has held the same position at Sandia View Academy, Corrales, New Mexico. A graduate of Maplewood Academy, in Hutchinson, Minnesota, Barnhart has attended Pacific Union College, Angwin, California, and the University of New Mexico. The Barnharts have a son, Norman, who is one and one-half years old.

Students at SVA this year come from 17 States including Hawaii and the District of Columbia, and from foreign countries. Although enrollment is slightly down, student quality is high.

WILLIAM STRICKLAND

*Assistant Principal
Shenandoah Valley Academy*

Finn Returns to Take Departmental Leadership

AFTER three years working at the Hawaiian Mission, James Finn, Jr., has returned to the New Jersey Conference, this time to become the lay activities, Sabbath school, and radio-TV secretary.

Garden State Adventists will remember him as the energetic publishing department leader who spent seven and one-half years giving dynamic leadership in our field.

Finn began denominational employment as a literature evangelist in the East Pennsylvania Conference. For two years he was assistant publishing department secretary here, followed by five and one-half years as publishing secretary. During his term of leadership he led the conference to the highest sales to that time, was ordained to the gospel ministry, and recruited as associates Publishing Secretary Ed Glenz and Associate Secretary Harry Hartman. In 1968 he accepted a call to Hawaii where he pastored the Aiea church at Pearl Harbor in suburban Honolulu. His successful ministry led to his call to the same departmental leadership in Hawaii that he now holds back home in New Jersey.

Finn's wife, Arleen, is a dietitian, trained at Pacific Union College, Angwin, California, and Loma Linda University, also in California. While in Hawaii she was administrative dietitian at the Adventist Castle, Castle Memorial Hospital.

Living with the Finns is his father, James, Sr. His photographic talents will doubtless be seen in future VISITORS.

James Finn, Sr., Arleen, and James Finn, Jr.



The warm response of our members and staff to their return is evidence that they were truly missed and gladly welcomed home. Finn says, "We never dreamed we would ever have the opportunity to come back. It's so good to be home again!" His love for New Jersey and the missionary potential here will, we are confident, enlist an unprecedented response on the part of our laymen to his leadership.

We warmly welcome the Finns home.
W. B. QUIGLEY

President

Morristown Is Sold on Bible School Evangelism

THE twelve-year-old Morristown, New Jersey, church conducted its first successful Vacation Bible School this summer. Sixteen children attended from our church and twenty-six came from eighteen nonmember families. Edmund Grentz, pastor of the church, plans to visit all non-Adventist families and give them the book *Man the World Needs Most*, by Arthur Maxwell.

A lady who belongs to the Episcopal church in Mendham, New Jersey, and who had been contacted during the visitation for the VBS, came to the pastor's home on the Sabbath following the first week of VBS to inquire whether her son could still be enrolled. She was away the first week and was sorry to have missed. She emphasized she did not want to change churches, but felt her son needed more Bible knowledge. She observed the song service and the opening and closing exercises each day and requested the use of our songs for the VBS to be held in her church. She said, "I like your songs so much better than ours. They are such happy songs, and they all have a real message. I brought my son to learn something, but I learned something also."

She has been teaching in high school for seven years but felt she could not pray in front of a group of children. Now she believes she can. Leaving the special closing program, she observed, "You make religion fun."

The visitation program for VBS was a rewarding experience. The wife of a builder and developer living near the church expressed an interest and promised to visit the church. A Moslem asked the pastor to return and talk more with him about Christ.

EDMUND GRENTZ

Pastor

Morristown Church



Mrs. Isabelle Adams of Burlington, New Jersey, gave many years of service to her church and community.

by MARGARET PIXLEY

Burlington Church
Press Secretary

ISABELLE ADAMS IS HONORED FOR HER

Example of Service

THE Burlington, New Jersey, church surprised Mrs. Isabelle Adams with a testimonial dinner, honoring her for 56 years of continual service. She has just given up her position as church treasurer.

Burlington is a small church, so Mrs. Adams has held several offices simultaneously. She taught Sabbath school classes for more than 50 years, was Missionary Volunteer Society leader for 20 years, and served as Dorcas and lay activities leader for 16 years. Sprinkled among those years were many terms as Sabbath school superintendent, assistant superintendent, deaconess, temperance secretary, school board chairman, Sabbath school secretary, president of the Dorcas Federation, Garden State Academy secretary, and a member of the laymen's advisory committee.

For several years she received a Raphael Senseman landscape award from the New Jersey Conference for soliciting the highest amount during the Ingathering program.

Mrs. Adams also served her community as a member of the local school board for many years. She served as an officer of the county mental health association, and the parent-teacher association. She served as an officer for both the county and State farmers' wives association.

One of the gifts given to her at the dinner was a remembrance book filled

with tributes from church members, former pastors, and church leaders from all over the country. Several former pastors mentioned that as new workers arrived, Mrs. Adams trained them well in matters of church finances.

Others remembered her years of working with young people, encouraging and assisting them in their efforts to get a Christian education.

Many recalled Mrs. Adams' efforts to keep the Burlington church alive and going. One recalled an MV Week of Prayer that she drove many miles to conduct in a home with several young children. Others remembered the many garments she made and remade for them and the Dorcas Society.

It was not that Mrs. Adams had more time than the rest to do these things. She assisted her non-Adventist husband in the operation of a peach and sweet corn farm, maintained a large home, and raised a family. During the summer she had the extra work of cooking for additional farm hands.

The Lord has blessed Mrs. Adams. She still keeps her own home, drives her car, fills two freezers with food, sews, crochets afghans for Investment, makes 500 pounds of candy for Christmas, serves the church as head deaconess and chairman of the social committee, and is interested in the physical and spiritual welfare of others.



Mr. and Mrs. William Walker are Mother and Dad in the girls' dorm.

Unprecedented Growth Reported at Garden State

AN UNPRECEDENTED growth in enrollment, a unified faculty, and a vibrant student body mark the beginning of the school year at Garden State Academy, Tranquility, New Jersey. The opening enrollment of 156 is the highest in the history of the school and an increase of twenty above last year's enrollment.

Principal Carlton Jackson states additions to the faculty have strengthened the school program academically and spiritually. William Walker and his wife come to GSA from Laurelwood Academy, in Oregon. He is teaching physics, biology, and math. His wife, Lois, is the dean of girls. Douglas Ivany is new assistant boys' dean, work supervisor, and teaches physical education. He was formerly with the General Conference and is a 1970 graduate of Columbia Union College, Takoma Park, Maryland. Boys' dean William Baretto joined the faculty during last school year after graduating from CUC. He also teaches Bible and physical education.

With increases in both minimum wages and enrollment, the school work program is being taxed. However, the unique GSA "everybody works" philosophy is being ingeniously adhered to. Split shifts of students are working on painting, maintenance, and construction crews. The increased enrollment has necessitated dividing classes, and needed classrooms are being constructed with as much student labor as possible. Harris Pine Mills has opened the year with fifty-two employed. New off-campus work opportunities are being tried, and an on-campus work and training opportunity in printing hopefully will begin soon.

Students and faculty alike hope to maintain and enlarge upon the spiritual revival that so dramatically marked the last half of the 1970-1971

The building program provides both student labor and practical training. Lloyd Grove, far right, directs the pouring of the floor.



school year. In place of traditional MV meetings, faculty and students, in counsel with conference MV leader Ron Rodgers, have planned a full Sabbath program each weekend. On Friday nights students can choose from a diversity of worship, growth, and witnessing activities. The Sabbath begins each week with a required vesper service conducted by guest New Jersey pastors.

Not only will students participate in the Friday night soul sessions, seminars, witnessing training sessions, and study groups, but the popular Sabbath afternoon activities will give the students numerous off-campus, faith-sharing opportunities.

The school administration, faculty,

parents, and constituency need to maintain a supportive unity. Consider the adjustments necessary to dorm life (and ours are crowded, especially for the fellows), defining and maintaining standards, and the diversity of home situations. Add the basic purposes of scholastic and spiritual development and the occasional need for discipline. Then you have just a small idea of the complexity of a boarding academy.

The way things are growing at GSA somebody must be doing something right. That somebody is all of us, every Garden State Adventist, and our support and prayers will keep our school going forward in faith.

HERBERT BROECKEL

Public Relations Secretary



ABOVE:

The picturesque entrance to Garden State Academy helps explain why the area is called Tranquil Valley.



LEFT:

Academy Principal Carlton Jackson and Conference President W. B. Quigley confer on a campus tour concerning the record attendance.

Washington Sanitarium and Hospital



Left to right: Lions Club representative Vern Engeberg; King Lion Ray Turner; Ralph Longway, M.D.; and John D. Ruffcorn, Washington Sanitarium and Hospital administrator.

Takoma Lions Give \$1,200 for Outpatient Eye Clinic

WASHINGTON Sanitarium and Hospital's outpatient eye clinic is now as well-equipped to serve the community as any facility in the area, thanks to the Takoma Park, Maryland, Lions Club. King Lion Ray Turner, immediate past president, presented a check to John D. Ruffcorn, administrator, and Ralph Longway, M.D., ophthalmologist in charge of the clinic, for \$1,200 to purchase needed equipment.

The chief humanitarian concern of Lions Clubs around the world is sight conservation and help for the blind. This has been their primary interest since Helen Keller spoke at a Lions Club meeting in the 1920's.

The Takoma Park Lions Club has two fund drives each year to provide money for this and other humanitarian efforts—the White Cane Drive (soliciting on the street) each spring, and the Lions Light Bulb Sale (door to door selling) in the fall.

Funds raised from the White Cane Drive are all designated for sight conservation and it is from these funds that the current \$1,200 gift to the hospital was taken.

Takoma Park Lions also contributed \$5,000 to the hospital's building program a little over three years ago. This money has been appointed to

provide a waiting room and an eye room in the emergency department. A plaque will give credit to the Takoma Lions for these gifts.

HOSPITAL NEWS NOTES

- Evelyn Delafield, our lady chaplain at Washington Sanitarium and Hospital, Takoma Park, Maryland, is taking a leave of absence to team up with her husband, D. A. Delafield, associate secretary, Ellen G. White Estate, Inc., for a one-year overseas appointment. The Delafields departed September 15 for assignments in the Northern Europe-West Africa, Central, and Trans-Mediterranean divisions and will visit Seventh-day Adventist schools, churches, publishing houses, and hospitals.

- The personnel department of Washington Sanitarium and Hospital recently welcomed its new director, Herman T. Roberts. Roberts holds a Master's degree in hospital administration and is experienced in personnel work. He, his wife Leona, and two daughters have joined the Takoma Park, Maryland, community.

- Hospital administration is pleased to welcome Michael Leibowitz, M.D., as head of its Nuclear Medicine Department. Dr. Leibowitz is a board

certified specialist in internal medicine and completed a 13-month fellowship in nuclear medicine at Johns Hopkins in Baltimore, Maryland. He has served as a part-time house physician for the past year. He assumed his new responsibilities August 9, 1971.

- Washington Sanitarium and Hospital's cobalt therapy unit (installed March, 1970) is now operating under the direction of Kirkland Brace, M.D. Dr. Brace took charge of this important hospital facility July 1, 1971. He is a graduate of the University of Iowa and the University of Illinois College of Medicine and has accumulated many years of experience in this specialized area of applied medicine, spending time at the University of Chicago, the National Institutes of Health, the University of Maryland, the National Cancer Institute, and the Baltimore Cancer Research Center.

- Patients look forward to the cheerful visits of a new chaplain, Myrtle Webb. Mrs. Webb is replacing Mrs. Delafield in the chaplains' department while the Delafields spend a year overseas. She brings with her a well-rounded background of denominational experience, having been associated with our educational work and with Faith for Today.

- A class on the special problems of the terminal patient was recently conducted by Floyd L. Heckard, chaplain at Walter Reed Army Medical Center, Washington, D.C., for Washington Sanitarium and Hospital employees. A discussion followed, moderated by Chaplain Heckard, assisted by Chaplain A. C. Marple of the WSH chaplains' department.

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these students will be doing is not easy. Some highly qualified candidates will be turned down this year only because of lack of funds. A few will try to go anyway—on their own as self-supporting student missionaries. Others will volunteer again next year.

For those who won't get to work in Saigon or Yellowknife or Osaka, Mike Dunn sums up what it's all about:

"We hear so much talk about getting out and doing things, but until the talk turns into action, things are going to be slow. Everyone can have a part in spreading God's Word whether it means going to the Northwest Territories, to the ghettos of D.C., or just talking to your neighbor."

mountain view



Pastor W. H. Baker (top) joined his twin brother, Pastor L. D. Baker (lower photo), in evangelistic meetings at Cameron, West Virginia.

Baker Twins Win Seven in Cameron Summer Crusade

PASTOR W. H. BAKER, of the New York Conference, and his twin brother, Pastor L. D. Baker, of the Mountain View (West Virginia) Conference, conducted a series of meetings in the Seventh-day Adventist church at Cameron, West Virginia, this summer.

This marks the first time the Baker twins have worked together since their college days some twenty years ago.

With the laymen going forward in living Christianity as witnesses and the blessing of the Lord on their effort, faith was rewarded, and seven souls were won.

The brothers will exchange pulpits later in the year for another series of meetings, this time in the New York Conference.

Van Tassel Joins Pastoral and Lay Activities Staff

DEAN VAN TASSEL, of the Upper Columbia Conference, has accepted a call to the Mountain View Conference as pastor of the Parkersburg, West Virginia, district and assistant lay activ-

ities secretary of the conference. He comes from College Place, Washington, where he served as pastor of the Walla Walla church.

Van Tassel graduated from Walla Walla College with a Bachelor's degree in theology and has taken special work at Andrews University, Berrien Springs, Michigan. He began denominational work after graduation as a teacher in the Idaho Conference. He has since had excellent experience in pastoral and departmental leadership, having served on the conference executive committees of Idaho, Washington, and Upper Columbia eight out of the past twelve years and as president of the Alumni Association of Walla Walla College from 1969 through 1970.

Van Tassel married Viola Marie Walter, a native of Corvallis, Oregon. She has followed a career in nursing and has most recently practiced at the denomination's Walla Walla General Hospital. They have two daughters, Sheryl, living at home, and Carol Marie (Mrs. Gary Harp), of Pasco, Washington; and one granddaughter, Babette Renie Harp.

We heartily welcome the Van Tassels to the Mountain View Conference.

JUNE PARSLEY

Public Relations Secretary

Formerly
West Virginia Conference

Logan Congregation Dedicates New Church

DEDICATION services were recently held for the new Logan, West Virginia, church located in North Mitchell Heights. The sanctuary is colonial in design and has a seating capacity of 125.

Members and friends of the church were thrilled to hear their former pastor, Ernest A. Roberts, of Troy, Michigan, speak. It was under Roberts' leadership that the building program began.

The history of the church dates back to 1947, when a Voice of Prophecy Bible correspondence school enrollee, Mrs. Ira A. Crowder, requested a pastoral visit. A. C. Marple, then pastor of the Huntington, West Virginia, church, located sixty-eight miles from Logan, visited the Crowders and the couple agreed to have Bible studies in their home.

As a result of interest in these studies and Marple's faithfulness, on September 25, 1948, twelve persons were baptized in the Huntington church and the Logan Company was formed.

Mountain View Conference president Richard D. Fearing spoke at the worship hour on the dedication Sabbath, and Cree Sandefur, president of the Columbia Union Conference, was the speaker at the afternoon dedicatory service.

The Logan congregation would like to express appreciation to all former pastors and friends who helped with the building project.

HOPE HAYNER

*Press Secretary
Logan Church*



The Logan, West Virginia, church was recently dedicated.

general news

More Information Given on Current Draft Status

DURING this period of no action by Congress on the extension of the President's authority to draft men for the Armed Forces who have not been previously deferred, there is an opportunity for us to review the church's position and its counsel to the young men who have military obligations.

There are many voted statements of the church on the principles involved in the relationship of the church and its members to warfare and military obligations. The most recent statement was passed at the General Conference session in San Francisco, California, in 1954, with minor editorial changes at the following Autumn Council. It reads:

Genuine Christianity manifests itself in good citizenship and loyalty to civil government. The breaking out of war among men in no way alters the Christian's supreme allegiance and responsibility to God or modifies his obligation to practice his beliefs and put God first.

This partnership with God through Jesus Christ, who came into this world not to destroy men's lives, but to save them, causes Seventh-day Adventists to take a noncombatant position, following their divine Master in not taking human life, but rendering all possible service to save it. In their accepting the obligation of citizenship, as well as its benefits, their loyalty to government requires them to serve the state in any noncombatant capacity, civil or military, in war or peace, in uniform or out of it, which will contribute to saving life, asking only that they may serve in those capacities which do not violate their conscientious convictions.

From this statement and others going back to Civil War days, and from a study of the laws here in the United States, the church has counseled that the classification in the U.S. draft process closest to the position of the church is that of the noncombatant who is drafted into military service (I-A-O).

There has always been the added counsel that a position of conscientious objection to warfare presupposed a deep commitment on the part of the individual. This is sometimes overlooked but is a very important part of the church's counsel.

In the U.S. draft laws there is provision for two types of conscientious objectors. The I-A-O or noncombatant drafted does not serve with a weapon. This is the position recommended by the church. There is also the I-O type of objector who not only objects to

taking human life, but also objects to serving in the Armed Forces even as a noncombatant. The church does not counsel its members to request this classification in the draft. Nevertheless, some church members have requested this classification on the basis of their personal belief.

Because of SDA's seeking the I-O, the matter was studied at the 1969 Autumn Council so as to clarify the church's stand. The action was published in our church and school papers. Some have thought this was a change in our church's counsel to its young men. *There was no change in counsel.* The action clearly indicated the church's counsel toward the I-A-O and asked those who sought a I-O to first consider the I-A-O. However, if on a personal decision they still sought the I-O, then the church's support for them was carefully spelled out.

This support was to be in the form of statements from church workers who were personally acquainted with them and with their Christian experience. When the worker could establish that the request for a I-O was based on a "consistent religious experience" he was to write statements addressed to the draft board from his personal knowledge of the young man. These statements were to concern the man's "(a) church membership, (b) attendance and participation in services of the church, (c) personal standards of conduct, (d) previous expressions of belief supporting his request for I-O classification."

Leaflets put out by the church, entitled "Filling Out the Special Form for Conscientious Objector" and "Seventh-day Adventists and Civil Government," are available at the conference youth department and at school counselor's offices. The draft board has some well-written leaflets, including one on conscientious objection.

If a request is made for either the I-A-O or I-O classification and denied by the draft board, a I-A is given automatically. The draft boards consider the beliefs represented by the I-A-O and I-O to be distinct one from each other. If a request for I-O is denied and the registrant then seeks the I-A-O classification, new and convincing evidence will have to be provided to indicate that the registrant has actually

changed his deep belief and practice.

Another important point concerning both the I-A-O and the I-O request is that the belief expressed as the basis for the request must apply to all wars and not to specific wars. Objection to a specific war is held by all major writers on the subject to be a politically based belief rather than religious. The draft law specifically excludes selective objection as the basis for a conscientious objector classification.

Questions concerning these matters should be sent to conference youth directors, counselors in academy or college, or to the National Service Organization, a section of the Youth Department in the General Conference.

CLARK SMITH

Director

National Service Organization

Share the Blessings of Sacrifice; Give November 6

THERE is something special about the Week of Sacrifice offering. It is different from any of the others we give. Coming at the Thanksgiving season and just before Christmas, it lets us bear our gifts to God before we give to others. And it is so simple to figure what the amount of the offering should be—one week of our income. More than a gift, it is like an investment, a purchase of stock in the divine enterprise.

Fortunate to have been born in the home of an Adventist minister, I was brought up on the idea of sacrificial giving. One time when I was a student in academy my parents made a visit to school. The girls were having a campaign to purchase drapes for their parlor, and it wasn't long until one of them approached my father for his gift. Reaching into his pocket he pulled out a fifty-cent piece, quite a substantial contribution in those days. I heard my mother whisper: "Do you think we can afford it?" My father smiled and answered: "Every time I give, I get it back."

I have never forgotten those words of quiet confidence. During the years that have passed I have often proved to myself how true they are.

The year I entered the ministry was a really tough one for us financially. It was during the depression years. Our first baby was born just a few days before the letter came from the conference president reminding all the workers that we should be planning to participate in the Week of Sacrifice offering. We were having

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trouble making the money last until the next check. How could we get by without a whole week's pay?

We had a sober family council. Careful figuring with pencil and paper made the situation look even more difficult. Giving that offering would have to be an act of faith, but we decided to do it. A letter went back to the conference president—we would.

The very next day's mail brought a long envelope. Opening it we found a letter and a check. It was money we had no idea we would ever receive, and it was three times the amount of our Week of Sacrifice offering.

It doesn't happen that way every Week of Sacrifice, but the blessing never fails.

And what does this offering accomplish? Each year it makes up a very important segment of our world mission budget. Think of what would happen if every Seventh-day Adventist in the whole world actually contributed a full week's income. That would be the biggest day in the financial history of our work.

Now the opportunity has come again. As you recognize the privilege and make the sacrifice, the blessing will surely follow.

PAUL H. ELDRIDGE
President, Far Eastern Division

WEDDINGS

FOSS-MEDEIROS—Marilyn Marie Foss, daughter of Pastor and Mrs. Kermit I. Foss, Derwood, Maryland, married James Douglas Medeiros, son of Mrs. Marie Miears, of Mountain View, California, and William R. Medeiros, of San Francisco, California, on July 25, in the Damascus, Maryland, church.

The bridegroom is a senior theology major at Columbia Union College, Takoma Park. The couple resides in Gaithersburg, Maryland.

ALTMAN-GANG—Linda Rose Altman and Walter Allen Gang were united in marriage on Sunday, June 27, 1971, in the Bellingham, Washington, Seventh-day Adventist church. Linda was a teacher last year in Reading Junior Academy, Reading, Pennsylvania. Walter graduated from Loma Linda University School of Dentistry, California, in the class of 1970. Dr. Gang will practice dentistry in his new office at Andover, New Jersey. The ceremony was performed by Robert Tyson, uncle of the groom.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Delaware

"Pray for my grandson who has lost interest in the church. Pray also for another grandson who seems to be following the same route away from Christ."

District of Columbia

"Please pray for me. I am losing my eyesight and my hearing. Pray for a friend to get loving and sweet and not be so mean as she gets older."

New York

"Pray for my brother, please, who is very ill with cancer. Pray that if it is God's will he may be healed."

Ohio

"Pray for a son who is involved in a lawsuit, and pray that he will obtain a good job. Please pray also that God will touch my brother's heart to pay me money he owes."

"Please pray that I may be stronger in the faith and do what is right. Pray also for my family to become Christians."

"My daughter is mentally ill and in the hospital. Please pray for her. Pray also that she will draw closer to the heavenly Father."

"Pray for my family. I have a daughter in one of our academies who doesn't want to stay. Pray for another son and daughter who have left the truth and who are having problems. And pray that my son-in-law and husband will come into the truth."

Pennsylvania

"Please pray for my son who is an alcoholic. Pray that he will stop smoking, too, and give his heart to God. Also pray for my daughter and for me."

"Please pray for my beloved family."

"Keep praying for my daughter to go to a Christian college. Pray for my physical condition."

Virginia

"Pray for me, please, that I may overcome a persistent weakness. Pray that my faith will be strengthened and pray for my family that they will become true Christians."

"Please pray with me that I may overcome all sin in my life and for the conversion of my son and the safekeeping of my family."

"Please pray for my son-in-law who has a drinking problem, and that my daughter will come back to church."

"Please pray for my son-in-law, who has a drinking problem. Pray also for my son and daughter and their families that they will come back to church."

"Please pray for me and my three daughters. Please pray that my health may be strengthened."

West Virginia

"Pray for my wife and me. We are having marital problems. Pray also for our children who are involved. Thank you."

"My daughters need help. One is very ill, the other deserted her small children and will not contact us. We are worried sick. Please pray for us. Also pray for my health and courage and for my entire family."

"Pray with me for my mother's health and that she will accept her Saviour. Pray for my brother and his family. My family and I need your prayers also."

"Please pray for a little granddaughter that she will get fair treatment at school. Pray for my husband's health and that we can get back to church. Pray for our daughter and her family."

"Please pray for my youngest sister, who has cancer. Also pray for her five children who were recently baptized. Pray for her husband that he will accept Christ and become a Christian."

PRAYER PROMISE

"By prayer, by the study of His word, by faith in His abiding presence, the weakest of human beings may live in contact with the living Christ, and He will hold them by a hand that will never let go."—*The Ministry of Healing*, p. 182.

Send us your prayer promise. Address all requests for prayer to:
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QUICK TRICKS

Pour hot Chili with Beans over cooked spaghetti or noodles.

Heat and serve with tossed salad and garlic bread.

Heat and serve over toast, or over split toasted English muffins or buns.

Serve hot in the center of a natural brown rice ring.

Heat and spoon over Linketts in buns.

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Mash and use as refried beans in tacos, tostadas, or other Mexican dishes.

Great! for year-round festivities

"TOSTADA" CASSEROLE

2 cans Loma Linda Chili with Beans
2 cans mushroom soup
1 large onion, chopped finely
1 6-oz. pkg. corn chips or tortilla chips
½ head lettuce, chopped
2 or 3 large tomatoes, chopped
½ c. cheese, grated — optional

Mix chili with beans, soup, and onion. Alternate layers of chips and bean mixture in lightly greased baking dish. Sprinkle grated cheese on top, if desired. Bake 30 minutes at 350° F. Top with lettuce and tomatoes and serve. Serves 6.

MEXICAN BEAN DIP

1 can Loma Linda Chili with Beans, mashed
2 tbsp. mayonnaise
½ tsp. oregano
½ tsp. cumin
Salt to taste

Combine all ingredients and allow to stand several hours. Serve with wide corn chips. Makes about 2 cups of dip.



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The Bulletin Board

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice to Physicians

The newest recognized specialty in America is the American Board of Family Practice. This is a board specialty recognized by the American Medical Association that involves certification as the result of meeting the proper requirements for eligibility and passing a two-day written examination.

This examination is given in many medical school centers throughout the nation and always comes on Sabbath and Sunday. Last year, as a result of a request, Loma Linda University was made an examination center and the test was given on Saturday night and Sunday.

The Board has looked with favor upon making Loma Linda a testing center again in 1972 if there are enough Adventists who desire to take the examination.

For further information contact: **James M. Whitlock, M.D., Department of Family Practice, Loma Linda University, Loma Linda, California 92354**, before January, 1972.

FAITH FOR TODAY

Program Change

Virginia

Harrisonburg WSVA-3 Sun 12:30 PM

Dropped until December 19

(Effective September 19, 1971)

SPECIAL MEETING

Pennsylvania Conference of Seventh-day Adventists

A special session of the Pennsylvania Conference of Seventh-day Adventists is called to convene at 10 a.m. Sunday, November 7, 1971, at the Harrisburg church located at 416 North Progress Avenue, Harrisburg, Pennsylvania. The purpose of the meeting is to discuss the broad-base plan of giving for evangelism, educational development fund (BMA), church and school development fund, Laurel Lake Camp development fund. Each church is entitled to one delegate for its organization and one additional delegate for each 25 members or major 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.

Donald G. Reynolds, President
R. W. Dunn, Treasurer

PIN POINT Liberty

Religious Liberty Department, Columbia Union Conference
Elvin Benton, Secretary

AMISH FIND FRIENDS IN NATIONAL COUNCIL OF CHURCHES

The National Council of Churches doesn't want the Amish people to leave. It has told the United States Supreme Court so.

Although the plain-living Amish do not hold membership in the NCC, their quiet insistence on primitive piety somehow appeals to the more conventional religionists who have thus banded together. The National Council has filed a friend-of-the-court brief in behalf of the Amish point of view.

The Supreme Court has agreed to hear arguments in the cases of three Amish fathers who refused to send their children to school beyond the eighth grade in New Glarus, Wisconsin. They were convicted in the trial court, but the Wisconsin Supreme Court reversed the convictions. The State of Wisconsin petitioned the United States Supreme Court to hear the matter. Apparently because similar problems have arisen with the Amish in a number of other States, the high Court accepted the case. It is scheduled to be heard in the fall term of the Court.

The National Council of Churches does not pretend to agree with the views of education held by the Amish. But, says the NCC, the Amish have contributed much to the heritage of religious people in our country.

Says the NCC's brief for the Court: "The entire Christian movement would be poorer if the Amish were forced to conform to the environing society. And that society itself would be poorer if the Amish were compelled to [leave the country], as they have often done in preference to conforming."

The brief argues that while the State "should not tolerate any mode of education or non-education which produces criminals," it can be shown that "the Amish mode of education has made a far better showing than the public schools in this respect. It has produced no felons and no public-welfare cases."

We need not agree with the Amish before we wish them well. Many thinking people aren't so sure the Amish are wrong. But even if they are, they may have more going for them than do some who believe themselves to be unquestionably right.

MORE READERS OF RELEVANT REVELATION

We've been urging you to read *The Great Controversy*, by Ellen G. White, and to tell us about it.

Here are more names of those who have read this book through since the beginning of last year (1970) and have written to us about it:

Mrs. Louise T. Johnson, Ohio

Mrs. Walter R. Stenhouse, Virginia

Arthur H. Schultz, Virginia

Lulu B. Shuke, Ohio

Mrs. Arthur H. Schultz, Virginia

Some of their comments:

"How blessed we are to have this wonderful book."

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If you've read *The Great Controversy* through, last year or this, and would like us to print your name as an encouragement to others to read it also, write to PINPOINT LIBERTY, in care of the VISITOR. We'll do the rest.

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Organist, Van Knauss, Columbia
Union College

Message: "The Courage to Be"

NOVEMBER 14, 7:30 p.m.

Organist, William Ness, Ann Arbor,
Michigan

Message: "Do You Believe in Absolutes?"

NOVEMBER 21, 7:30 p.m.

Organist, Frederick Swann, River-
side Church, N.Y.C.

Message: "Beyond Technology"

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October 30

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City	Eastern Standard Time			
	Oct.	Nov.	Nov.	Nov.
	29	5	12	19
Baltimore, Md.	6:10	5:02	4:55	4:50
Cincinnati, Ohio	6:41	5:33	5:27	5:21
Cleveland, Ohio	6:25	5:17	5:09	5:04
Columbus, Ohio	6:34	5:25	5:19	5:13
Jersey City, N.J.	5:57	4:49	4:41	4:36
Norfolk, Va.	6:11	5:04	4:58	4:53
Parkersburg, W. Va.	6:29	5:21	5:14	5:09
Philadelphia, Pa.	6:03	4:54	4:48	4:42
Pittsburgh, Pa.	6:21	5:13	5:06	5:00
Reading, Pa.	6:05	4:57	4:50	4:44
Richmond, Va.	6:15	5:07	5:01	4:56
Roanoke, Va.	6:26	5:18	5:12	5:07
Scranton, Pa.	6:02	4:54	4:47	4:41
Toledo, Ohio	6:34	5:26	5:18	5:12
Trenton, N.J.	6:00	4:52	4:45	4:40
Washington, D.C.	6:11	5:03	4:57	4:51

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CUC Missionaries Serve the World

MANY people in the Columbia Union feel they have been so saturated with student missionary reports from this Asian country or that African territory that they care to hear no more. On the campus of Columbia Union College, however, this is not the case.

The college, in conjunction with the Sligo church Young People's Missionary Volunteer Society, first established the student missionary program back in 1959. In the twelve years of the program's local operation, 35 students have served all over the world. As many as ten have been self-supporting—which means they paid their own travel expenses. No one is salaried. It's all volunteer duty—and it's a great experience.

Six students are presently serving in the Seoul-Pusan Language School in Korea. Patricia Plisco is sponsored by the program. Five others are self-supporting: Donna and Jim Jeffrey, Bob Pohle, Ann O'Fall, and Lynda Shull—who is grateful for travel aid provided by her home church in Mount Vernon, Ohio.

Bruce Meyer, a self-supporting student missionary now teaching biology at Bugema Adventist College near Kampala, Uganda, and Jim Minor, another self-supporter who teaches French in Osaka, Japan, report from their duty-stations that they want to go back after they finish college.

Six sponsored student missionaries sent by Sligo MV and CUC last school year have returned to Takoma Park

glowing with enthusiasm, ready to tell experiences and show artifacts.

Junior nurse Judy Reese spent three months in South River, Ontario, Canada. She was particularly fascinated by the medical work there. The only two doctors were Seventh-day Adventist. "I learned a lot this summer about depending on God," says Judy. "Many times I would have been very frightened driving from place to place if I hadn't known that God was with me."

Michael Dunn, a junior theology major, spent his summer in Yellowknife, Northwest Territories. Acting as assistant to Pastor Henry Bartsch, first Adventist minister in the 3-million-square-mile region, Mike made pastoral calls, hospital visits, and preached sermons.

Susan Youngberg worked at the Belém Adventist Hospital in Brazil where appendicitis, dehydration, and early-morning Caesarean births were just a few of the medical needs she had to help meet. Later she moved to Manaus, 1,000 miles inland, to visit a leprosarium and an agricultural school and to treat people and give comfort. "We say 'God bless America,'" the junior nurse observes, "but we really don't know that we have a God-blessed America."

The Visitor has already carried the story of Joy Tolson, the girl who gave 100,000 immunization shots during her 12 months of service in Saigon. And the reports from Jerald Reinschagen (Peru) and Don Martin (Rwanda) must be told later.

Meantime, more and more Columbians are expressing a desire to be sent to places all over the world to minister in their own ways, to tell others of Christ's love for all. To date a total of 466 students of North American Adventist colleges have served as student missionaries—143 of them this year alone. It is quite evident that the program is expanding rapidly, but not all know of the tremendous financial aspects involved.

Four sponsored student missionaries cost Sligo church and Columbia Union College some \$3,000. That's \$750 each. But nationally about 100 sponsored student missionaries will be commissioned this school year. The cost rounds out to \$75,000.

Contrary to popular notion, the weekly MV offerings do not cover the expenses involved in this program. To be able to send Adventist collegians to faraway places of service, the program needs the help of everyone—the churches, the college, the complete Christian community.

During the next month the Sligo MV Society will be accepting applications from students who wish to volunteer their lives and their time for this important project. It is no simple task to select the few who will be able to go from among the many who will apply. In addition to the obvious dedication of the volunteers, the selection committee considers grade-point averages, congeniality, and such intangibles as "willingness-to-work." What

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by CAROL MARIE LONGARD

Carol Marie Longard is a sophomore English major at Columbia Union College. She says she might like to go someplace someday and just write, write, write. Appropriately, the Takoma Academy alumna works in the College Book Shoppe.

Left: Joy Tolson plays a Vietnamese instrument—and recalls her year of service as a student missionary at the Saigon Adventist Hospital. Center: Jerald Reinschagen went to the Andes of Peru. He plays an Indian pipe and wears the national dress with a kind of natural flair acquired through personal experience and identification with the people there. Right: Susan Youngberg shows some of the artifacts she brought back from her tour of service as a nurse in Belém and Manaus, Brazil.