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Adventist Fair Nets \$2,260

By **ELLEN CLIZBE**
Public Relations Director



LEFT TO RIGHT: Elsie May Gang, Ellen Clizbe, and Linda Gang of the fair committee with some of the attractions offered at the Country Fair organized by the Adventist Women's Club of Northwest New Jersey.

The Third Annual Country Fair held October 3 at Garden State Academy was organized by the Seventh-day Adventist Women's Club of Northwest New Jersey. For the fair, craftsmen had created beautiful wares, which visitors could purchase. There were home-grown produce, flowers, and home-canned goods at the Country Store. The crafts, needlework, and Christmas booths offered unique items. Beautiful plants, splatter paints, a bakery featuring whole-grain breads, an Italian restaurant, à la carte foods, balloons, and a flea market rounded out the fair attractions.

As a public service, Hackettstown Community Hospital provided health-care information and hypertension screening. The literature booth offered opportunity for contacts with non-Adventist visitors. The Foods of Tomorrow booth gave samples of vegetarian cooking while offering sound, inspired information on healthful diets. The Pathfinders' camping scene gave visual insight to activities they engage in yearly.

Elsie May Gang, chairman of the fair committee, reported a huge success, with a gross of \$2,260 for the day. The women's club is donating this amount equally to the Tranquility Adventist School and the new home economics department at Garden State Academy.



Interior view of the Bucks County church.

Bucks County Members Dedicate Church Complex

By **LEE NAVARRO**

Communication Secretary

BUCKS COUNTY members marked the nation's Bicentennial with a service of personal consecration and dedication for their new church complex, with William Dovico, Sr., presenting the "Story of the Construction of the Church." The consecration sermon was given by Carroll M. Pike, church pastor from 1965-1969. The Sabbath morning message was presented by W. B. Quigley, president of the Columbia Union Conference.

During Sabbath afternoon, replicas of Colonial flags were carried in a processional march by youth dressed in Colonial

costumes. The congregation stood and sang the National Anthem, and were greeted by a short message from the 144th District Assemblyman, Benjamin H. Wilson, who complimented the members for their dedication, sacrificial giving, and patriotism. The dedicatory address was by Roland R. Hegstad, editor of *Liberty* magazine.

On May 1, 1971, the members met for the first time in the completed church facility. The complex was designed for all the church's needs. It features a modern design and is built of white rock-face brick.

The center of interest in the

main sanctuary is a set of two 20-foot stained-glass windows, which rise from the baptistry. White marble separates the two windows. The sanctuary is enhanced by indirect lighting, stained-glass chandeliers, and walnut paneling. The music center projects from the back of the sanctuary, where the Rogers 22 organ and choir area are located. There is a balcony with a seating capacity of 75. The PA control room and the nursery are in the rear of the balcony.

The narthex features carpet squares from Holland and contemporary furniture. The church seating capacity is 430.

Cambridge Church Dedicated

By RANDY HALL



Dedicatory plaque for the new Cambridge, Maryland, church.



Sarah Hyatt, who did masonry work on the new building, stands beside a marquetry representation of Christ she made.

The new church sanctuary. All lighting fixtures in the building are handmade.

PHOTOS BY THE AUTHOR



"A CHURCH dedication is always something special, but it is extra special when you've put the church up yourselves," declared W. R. May, executive secretary for the Southwestern Union Conference, at dedication services for the new Cambridge, Maryland, church on Sabbath, October 2, 1976. May, who gave the dedicatory address, was president of the Chesapeake Conference while the church was under construction.

The new building, valued at approximately \$500,000, was constructed over a six-year period by the members and friends of the church, and was opened entirely debt free. Its A-frame structure, built of native field stone, stands as a testimonial to the dedication of the 45-member Cambridge congregation.

During the morning worship service, W. B. Quigley, Columbia Union Conference president, spoke on the church as the most beneficial of all organizations. "It braces us for the future," he asserted, "through the hope of a coming glorious dawn."

Quigley delivered his message without a microphone, since the building's acoustical system is so efficient that one was not installed.

The church pews were full at the dedication ceremony that afternoon. J. R. Earnhardt, church pastor, gave a warm welcome to all members and guests.

Mrs. Robert Fuchs related the early history of the church. In 1901 J. H. Jones and V. H. Lucas came to the area for tent evangelism. A church of 14 members was organized soon after.

Next came the construction of a small chapel. In 1902 a lot was purchased in the area. A two-story house was then secured and moved from a nearby field to the lot. Its top story was removed and placed next door as a parsonage. The lower level was remodeled to become the chapel, which still stands.

Franklin Mace was the church's first pastor, and O. O. Farnsworth, second president of Chesapeake Conference, held the dedication service for the original

chapel. The parsonage was later sold.

For many years the church had no minister, and its business was directed by James Richardson. He built the chapel's pine pulpit and communion table. Other furnishings were brought in from members' homes. In 1947 Oliver Stimson was sent in as resident pastor. Since then Cambridge has had 16 ministers.

The history of the new building was given by Roy Scott, Jr., chairman of the building committee. Interest in a new church had been manifested since the 1960's. A committee was appointed in 1970, consisting of Scott, James Richardson, William Richardson, and John White, Sr.

Selected as the new site was a lot in Bonnie Brook, two and one-half miles east of Cambridge, and on August 9, 1970, construction was begun. Everything from shingling the roof to laying the carpet was done by members of the church and community.

In spite of the cost of building the new sanctuary, Cambridge has had the highest tithe and mission offerings per capita in the Chesapeake Conference.

An outstanding example of the members' consecration is the work done by Sarah Hyatt. She did some of the masonry and put together a likeness of Christ in marquetry (the use of inlaid wood pieces for artistic effect), which hangs in the church vestibule. Sarah is 71 years old.

On Sabbath morning, July 24, 1976, the Cambridge church held its first worship service in the new sanctuary.

Philip Follett, current Chesapeake president, recited the litany of dedication, with the congregation reading along responsively. Pastor Earnhardt concluded the service with a prayer of consecration.

The church has already begun laying plans for outreach from its new location. Within the next year, Five-Day Plans to Stop Smoking, nutrition classes, Bible studies, an evangelistic series, and a Vacation Bible School will be held.



John Hart's Bible, which was burned as he escaped from a British invasion.

Leechburg Bicentennial Commemorates John Hart

ON SABBATH, September 18, a special Bicentennial service was held in the Leechburg church in honor of John Hart, 1711-1779, a signer of the Declaration of Independence.

Rose Kriedler, Sabbath school superintendent, spoke on Hart's life. He was a farmer and community leader, having served in the provincial legislature and as judge of the common pleas court. On July 8, 1774, he was sent to the first provincial congress. He served until June, 1776, when he went to the Continental Congress to sign the Declaration of Independence.

In August of 1776 he was elected to the first State Assembly and was unanimously chosen speaker.

When the British invaded the state he heard the warning, "The British are coming," while reading the Bible to his wife. In his haste to escape, he upset a candle and it burned a hole through a number of pages in the Bible. His Bible is on display in the Pennsylvania Historical Society, Chestnut Street, Philadelphia.

John Hart was an ancestor of Oscar Torkelson, former principal of the Greater Pittsburgh Junior Academy, Gibsonia, and the great-great grandfather of Mrs. Sarah Wallace, of Greensburg. Mrs. Wallace was a guest at the service, and at the conclusion of the program was presented an enlarged picture of the Bible and a copy of the talk presented by Mrs. Kriedler.

ROSE KRIEDLER

Communication Secretary



LEFT TO RIGHT: Jay Achenbach and Dale Willet, demonstrating the effects of smoking with a hand smoker.

Stroudsburg Students Give Temperance Programs

TWELVE students from the Stroudsburg school, under the direction of Edward McWilliams, head teacher, volunteered to form temperance teams. The Health Action Teams (HAT) were organized for work in public schools. The students did research on the effects of cigarette smoking on the human body, then wrote a script, showing how smoking causes cancer, heart attacks, and emphysema. Visual aids were made and purchased to add to the effectiveness of the presentation. Following each demonstration by the students the film *One in 20,000* or *Countdown* was shown.

One HAT program was given to 65 students in the fourth grade at the Morey School in Stroudsburg. The second program was given at Strouds-



Helen Leap and Debb Willet, with visual aid listing some of the poisons in a cigarette.



HAT Team No. 2 (left to right): Helen Leap, Debb Willet, Jay Achenbach, Dale Willet, and (standing) Edward McWilliams, head teacher and sponsor.

burg Middle School to the fifth and sixth grades, with about 650 students in attendance. These programs were so well received by the students, teachers, and principals of the public schools that already one principal has invited the Health Action Teams to give another program during the present school year.

JERE D. PATZER

Temperance Director

RELIGIOUS LIBERTY WORKSHOPS

TOPIC:

Employment Problems Relating to Sabbath Employment and Labor Union Membership

PARTICIPANTS:

ROBERT NIXON, Associate Secretary, General Conference Department of Public Affairs and Religious Liberty

ELVIN BENTON, Director of Religious Liberty, Columbia Union Conference

LOCATIONS AND DATES:

Pittsburgh Shadyside Church
November 6, 2:30 P.M.
Greater Philadelphia Junior Academy, Hatboro
November 20, 3:00 P.M.



Ken Stout (third from left) and Rex Edwards (fourth from left) with the four CUC students who assisted in the Chestnut Hill campaign. The students (left to right) are: Fritz Krieger, Jeff Taylor, Larry Ware, and Marvin Oates.

Evangelism Field School Held in Philadelphia

COLUMBIA UNION COLLEGE held its first evangelism field school this summer in partnership with the Philadelphia Chestnut Hill church. Rex Edwards, instructor in evangelism at CUC, conducted the series. He was assisted by four theology students from the college: Fritz Krieger, Marvin Oates, Jeff Taylor, and Larry Ware; a student literature evangelist from CUC, Francis Malone; and the church pastor, Ken Stout.

The students arrived a week before the campaign began and initiated a visitation program. Members of the community were contacted and given a Bicentennial edition of *Steps to Christ*. Later they returned for their personal evaluation of the book. This beautifully opened the way to invite them to the coming meetings.

Shortly before the program began, 30,000 announcements were mailed to interests and the community at large. The colorful brochures featured the opening night's lecture, "Dead Men Do Tell Tales," which was held at the local high school auditorium. This program featured modern archeology's

evidence of the veracity of the Bible as a historical document, and served to whet the appetite for further Bible exploration. The announcements brought in some 1,000 telephone reservations, and when the doors opened for the first lecture, 1,200 people came. Double sessions were held to accommodate this number in the 900-seat auditorium.

Each evening Edwards presented a slide feature that tied the historical-archeological theme with the Biblical message. Attendance continued to average several hundred each evening. Later the meetings were transferred to another community school auditorium, and then to the church, where they were brought to a climax on July 24, when 15 indicated their



Rex Edwards explaining his archeological table.



The campaign staff.

desire to stand with God's remnant people. This brought to 18 those who planned baptism. Seven have been baptized to date; others are preparing for baptism.

As a result of this field school, hundreds of people have become aware of the authenticity of the Bible, and many have been motivated to search the Scriptures. There are also some 30 non-Adventists who are regularly attending a follow-up Revelation Seminar that Stout is conducting.

In conjunction with the meetings, the CUC students attended formal classes on evangelism conducted by Edwards. They were kept busy with visitation and Bible studies, and were influential in bringing about several decisions.

MARIAN DAVIS

Communication Secretary

blue mountain academy

News Note

● BMA principal M. Wesley Shultz was elected president of the Hamburg Rotary Club. Shultz has represented the academy as a member of the service

since he became principal 12 years ago. Over the years he has been in demand as a speaker to neighboring Rotary Clubs on Pakistan, where he and his family spent five years in mission service.

BLUE MOUNTAIN ACADEMY HO SIGMA KAPPA BOYS' CLUB

Presents

Old-fashioned Amateur Hour

Saturday, November 13, 1976

8:00 P.M.

With the top talent on campus
Singing, Comedy Routines, Instrumental Numbers
COME ONE! COME ALL!

YOU WON'T WANT TO MISS THIS SHOW!

General Admission: \$1.25 Reserved Seats: \$1.75
(Children under 10 - Free)



Participants in the weekly seminar being conducted at the Chestnut Hill church.



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Hans Varmer, pastor of the Appomattox, Virginia, church, introduces fairgoers to Sam the Smoker at the 1976 Virginia State Fair in Richmond.

Conference/Churches Unite In Fair Exhibit Venture

MONTHS of planning, countless hours of volunteer service by scores of laymen, and the cooperation of departmental leaders and area churches helped spotlight the Adventist message at the 1976 Virginia State Fair.

The 11-day event in Richmond, Virginia, was marred by several days of rain. Still, thousands of fairgoers sampled vegetarian meatballs, viewed the health-food display by the Bliss Store, watched Smoking Sam, were weighed, enjoyed a free drink of water, and were enticed by the display of *The Bible Story* and other books.

The 60-foot-long Adventist exhibit was one of the largest and most striking in the fair. The exhibit was designed by Harry Knox, an Adventist layman and commercial display artist in Washington, D.C., and featured a 6-by-4-foot blowup of the 1976 missionary book of the year, *Come Alive!* Don Hawley, the author, was on hand two days to autograph copies of his book. Two hundred copies were given away as an incentive to participate in the weighing program, and thousands learned their actual and their preferred weights.

Area churches of both the Allegheny

East and Potomac conferences supported the booth financially, as well as with personnel. The publishing, health, temperance, Community Services, and communication departments of the Potomac Conference also contributed financially.

Day-to-day operations at the fair were coordinated by Peter Hardy, intern of the Patterson Avenue church in Richmond. The booth required 10 to 15 people for each four-hour shift. A total of more than 1,200 man hours was given. Major commitments in time were made by Joyce Wood, who directed the food program; Geraldine Jordan, whose home near the fair was used for food storage and who worked countless hours in food preparation; and Christine Mayers, who supervised the daily food sales in the health-food section.

In previous years Adventists have been represented in three separate ten-foot booths, sponsored by youth activities, Community Services, and publishing department. Herb Broeckel, communication director of the conference, was asked to chair the committee for this year's state fair and to bring all conference departments and all churches together in one major coordinated display. As a result, fairgoers were given new insight as to the

scope and outreach of the Adventist Church.

The response was favorable, with many signing up for cooking schools, Five-Day Plans, and follow-up by literature evangelists for *The Bible Story* sales. Each fairgoer was given a "Come Alive!" brochure with a coupon for responses to health and spiritual programs of the church.

Hagele Retires; Treasury Post Goes to H. E. Moog

EMIL M. HAGELE, Potomac Conference treasurer, has announced his retirement. Hubert E. Moog, secretary/treasurer of the New Jersey Conference, has accepted the invitation of the conference committee to be the new Potomac treasurer.

Sligo School Opens With Enrollment of 465

BUBBLE-GUM days were almost over on August 25 when Jackie Hillegas and Kathy Mekeel came to register at Sligo School. They are both eighth-graders.

Enrollment stands at about 465, some 20 students less than last year—and a trend in the Washington-area schools, according to Wayne Foster. On the faculty end of things, Clarence Dunbein reports that there was a 100 per cent return. The only new teacher is an additional teacher—Paul Copiz, a seventh-grade Bible and geography instructor.

Potomac Sabbath School Area Workshops

Sabbath, November 13

Tidewater—Hampton Church
Child Evangelism—3:00-5:00 P.M.

Sunday, November 14

Richmond—Patterson Avenue Church
Child Evangelism—10:00-12:00 A.M.

Sunday, November 14

Valley—Staunton Church
Child Evangelism—3:00-5:00 P.M.

Sabbath, November 20

Greater Washington—Sanitarium Church

Adult Teacher Training—2:00-6:00 P.M.

Child Evangelism—3:00-5:00 P.M.
Sabbath, December 4

Northern Virginia—Vienna Church
Adult Teacher Training—2:00-6:00 P.M.

Child Evangelism—3:00-5:00 P.M.
Sabbath, December 11

Southwest Virginia—Wytheville Church

Adult Teacher Training—2:00-6:00 P.M.
 Child Evangelism—3:00-5:00 P.M.

Instructors for these vital meetings are:
 W. R. Leshner, General Conference
 Samuel Thomas, Columbia Union
 Gale Gabbert, Potomac Conference
 Emmagene Gainer, Potomac Conference

Also Sabbath school leaders from each area will share their ideas and methods.



Warren Harrison explains the health principles he plans to follow in his practice of medicine in Washington, D.C.

Warren Harrison Opens New Medical Clinic in D.C.

A SABBATH afternoon vesper service featured the dedication of Warren Harrison's new Washington, D.C., medical clinic.

Potomac's health director, Matthew Dopp, gave the dedication address, and Harrison presented the unique aspects of his new missionary venture. Joseph F. Butler, chaplain and communication director for Hadley Memorial Hospital, in Washington, D.C., offered the prayer of dedication. The program was emceed and coordinated by Wayne Hicks, pastor of the Brotherhood church in Washington, D.C.

Designed to treat the problem rather than the symptom, the clinic will give more than pills. It will carry out the health principles of the Spirit of Prophecy.

The lobby and reception area of his office will double as a health education center, and a gymnasium for exercise programs and physical therapy is being developed on the lower level of the 5325 East Capitol Street location.

Harrison plans that his clinic in Washington will serve the needs of the

people there as effectively as his soybean and protein-enrichment programs have served the needs of the people in Africa. He has already begun operating a food cooperative, where area residents can purchase items at 2 pounds for 25 cents. In announcing this phase of the project, Harrison said, "We won't sell you anything that isn't good for you."

Dawn Jones Holds Music Day Camp for Youth

THIRTY 10-to-12-year-olds enjoyed group music activities, cultural field trips, and the sharing of musical talents at the first Potomac Music Day Camp. The innovative program was conducted by Dawn Reynolds Jones, a



music specialist for the District of Columbia public schools. Dawn, who has a Master's degree in music from Andrews University, Berrien Springs, Michigan, also is music director of the YES ensemble, a singing group from the Washington metropolitan area.

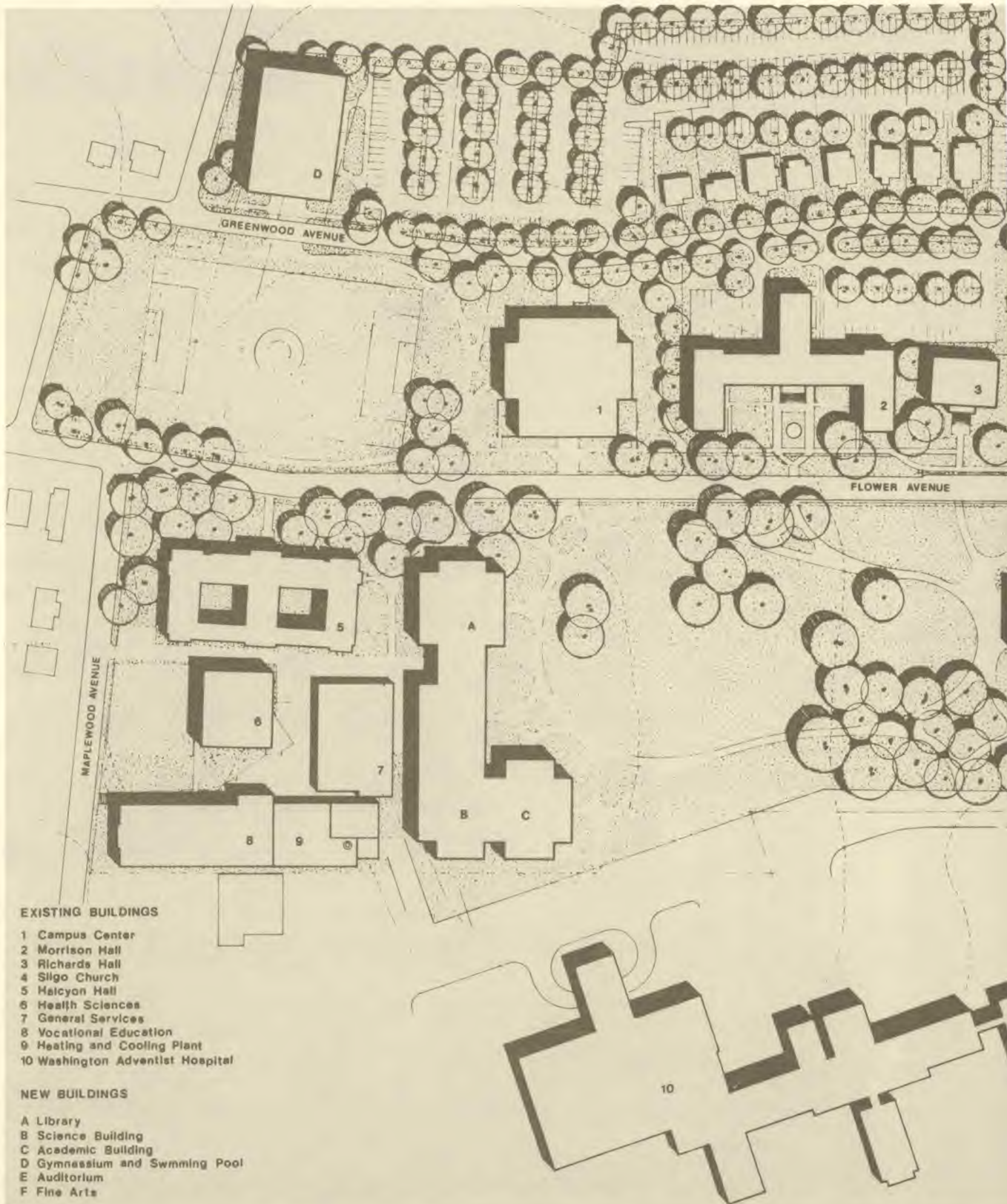
The Music Day Camp was conducted at the Potomac Conference Branch Office in Takoma Park, and included trips to the Washington Cathedral, Kennedy Center, and the Folk Life Festival on the Mall. Participants learned new sacred and secular songs, played musical instruments, created sound pieces, shared musical talents, and participated in musical games and activities. A whole host of music aids were used, as well as films and filmstrips. Featured in the program were performers from the Washington Performing Arts Society.



Bookmobile Schedule

Nov. 7	Sun.	9:00 A.M.-11:00 A.M.	Manassas, Va.
		2:00 P.M.- 4:00 P.M.	Front Royal, Va.
		6:00 P.M.- 9:00 P.M.	Winchester, Va.
Nov. 14	Sun.	12:00 M. - 2:00 P.M.	Buena Vista, Va.
		5:00 P.M.- 8:00 P.M.	Roanoke, Va. (back of school)
Nov. 15	Mon.	11:00 A.M.- 6:00 P.M.	Wytheville, Va.
Nov. 16	Tues.	7:00 A.M.- 8:00 A.M.	Wytheville, Va.
		11:00 A.M.- 1:00 P.M.	Galax, Va.
		5:00 P.M.- 7:00 P.M.	Richlands, Va. (Clinch Valley Bank lot)
Nov. 17	Wed.	10:00 A.M.- 1:00 P.M.	Marion, Va.
		6:00 P.M.- 9:00 P.M.	Big Stone Gap, Va. (Colonial Shopping Center)
Nov. 18	Thurs.	12:00 M. - 2:00 P.M.	Radford, Va.
		6:00 P.M.- 8:00 P.M.	Pearisburg, Va.

Master Plan Approved f



Columbia Union College

By **FENTON E. FROOM**

Director of College Affairs

The Columbia Union College Board of Trustees, at its September 30 meeting, voted to accept the proposed master plan for the upbuilding and revitalization of the CUC campus and its life-style. The decision to remain at the Takoma Park, Maryland, location came at the Columbia Union College constituency meeting held February 22.

The master plan, which appears on the opposite page, was developed by the firm of Daniel, Mann, Johnson and Mendenhall after several meetings with administrators and other leaders, faculty, and the Executive Board. It is attractive and cohesive; not rigid, but practical. One excellent result is the drawing together of the campus to provide all the open space possible. From the buildings facing Flower Avenue the grass and trees in the open area extending to Washington Adventist Hospital allow beauty and openness and provide a vista of God's creation, promoting healing and strength to the spirit.

Estimated cost for developing

the master plan is seven to ten million dollars. With prudent management and God's blessing, the hope is that it can be accomplished at that figure, even in today's changing market.

The college administration has requested the services of Robert Clements as builder. He is currently completing the new administration-science-classroom complex at Shenandoah Valley Academy at New Market, Virginia. Some years ago he built the addition to Takoma Academy and, most recently, the new church at SVA.

The Board of Trustees authorized the Executive Board to appoint a committee to select an architect. It is the desire of the college administration to have building plans and specifications prepared so that construction on the first phase, the science building and an addition to Halcyon Hall (the women's residence hall), can begin prior to the close of school on April 30.

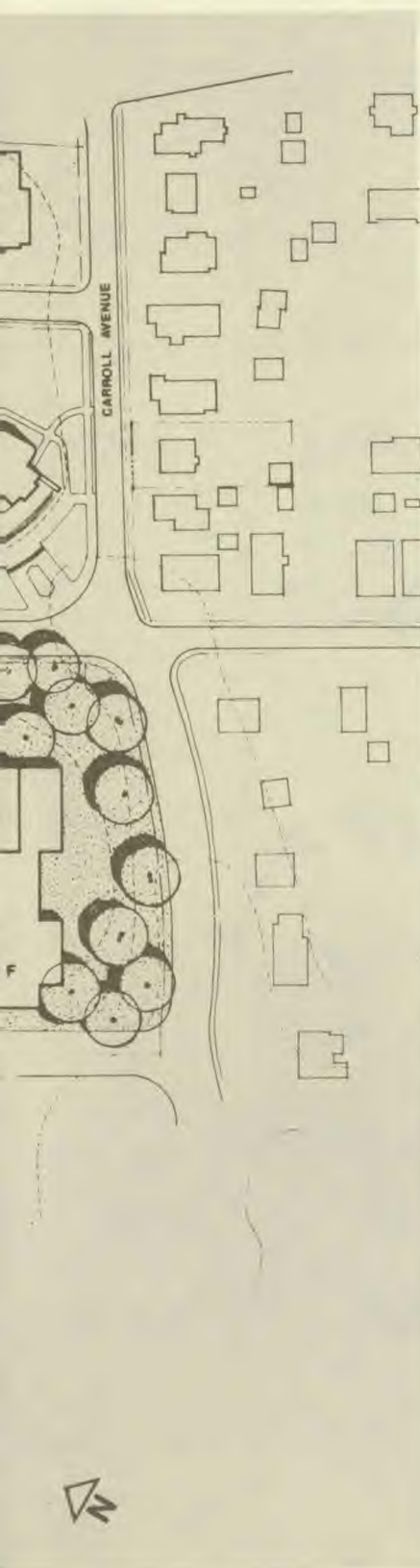
But these actions alone will not bring the campus development to fruition. It will take a full commitment of the life of each member to Christ, and a willingness to make all possible resources available through the union and the eight local conferences. Special financial gifts from the members will be needed in addition to gifts from foundations, alumni and friends of CUC, and other sources.

It will take every one of us doing our part, and more!

CUC has long served the constituency of the Columbia Union Conference. This constituency (63,487 members) includes noble youth who must be trained to be stalwart men and women in God's work. We believe CUC is to be a "city of refuge," a place of hope to train these youth for these last days. It needs sturdy support from you!



Allen Ryder describing the master plan.



On the Move



David Newman

THE new director for the lay activities and Sabbath school departments has begun his duties in the Ohio Conference. He is J. DAVID NEWMAN, who since 1975 has been pastor of the Elyria-LaGrange district. He will not only promote the usual aspects of these departments but also will spend considerable time in churches to help train laymen in soul winning.

Newman is a native of Cape Town, South Africa, where his parents were missionaries. He took his collegiate work at Loma Linda University, Loma Linda, California, and earned an M.A. degree at Andrews University, Berrien Springs, Michigan. Before coming to Ohio he was a pastor in Scotland.

His wife is the former Phyllis Fehlmann, of San Diego, California. The Newmans have two children, Heather and Michelle, ages 4 and 6.



George Khoury

Replacing Newman in the Elyria-LaGrange district is GEORGE KHOURY, from Beirut, Lebanon. Khoury received his B.A. degree from Middle East College, Beirut, and his M.A. and M.Div. degrees from Andrews University. Besides serving as pastor in Lebanon, he was also president of the Lebanon Section, evangelist for the Middle East Division, and director of the lay activity and stewardship departments for the Middle East Union. Before coming to the United States he was a Bible teacher at Middle East College.

Mrs. Khoury is the former Venice Semaan, also from Lebanon. The Khourys have three children: Rury, age 12; Victoria, age 15; and Nabiha, age 16.

Several changes have been made in districts during the past few months. GEORGE SHERBONDY has moved from the Clyde-Fremont-Sandusky district to the Napoleon-Swanton district. He was replaced by ED BOWEN, who had been an assistant pastor in Akron.

The new pastor of the Ravenna and Salem churches is KARL JORGENSEN,

formerly from Portsmouth. He replaces CLAUDE STEEN, who left for mission service. RON ATKINSON has replaced DAVID PIERSON in the Beaver Creek-Xenia district. Pierson is now pastoring in California.



Richard Dickinson

RICHARD E. DICKINSON, new associate pastor of the Cincinnati church, has actually gone back home. He was born in Radnor, Ohio, and from 1953 to 1959 pastored in Cincinnati, Waverly, and Portsmouth. He was also dean of boys at Mount Vernon Academy from 1949 to 1953, and Bible instructor from 1959 to 1968. More recently he was Bible instructor at Blue Mountain Academy, Hamburg, Pennsylvania. Dickinson received his B.A. degree from Washington Missionary College (now Columbia Union College) in Takoma Park, Maryland, and an M.A. degree from Andrews University.

Mrs. Dickinson is the former Florence McDougal of Plymouth, Ohio, where her parents still reside. The

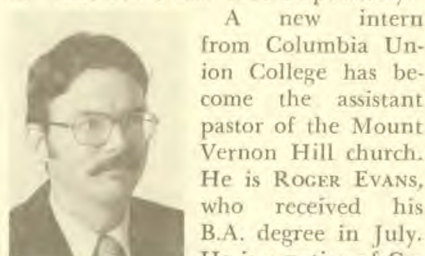
Dickinsons have two children, Mrs. Priscilla Wilbert and Mrs. Andrea Johnson.



Pablo Ayala

The Youngstown Spanish church has a new pastor, PABLO AYALA. Born in Puerto Rico, Ayala received his B.A. degree from Antillan College in Mayaguez, Puerto Rico, and later attended Andrews University. He served as pastor in the Greater New York Conference and later in Puerto Rico. Since 1969 he has been the youth director for the Puerto Rico Conference.

His wife, Aida, is also a native of Puerto Rico. The Ayalas have three children, Janet, Joyce, and Pablo, born in 1963, 1965, and 1966 respectively.



Roger Evans

A new intern from Columbia Union College has become the assistant pastor of the Mount Vernon Hill church. He is ROGER EVANS, who received his B.A. degree in July. He is a native of Columbus, Ohio, and his parents reside at Gahanna, Ohio. Mrs. Evans, formerly Christine Neal, is a native of Columbus.



Members from the Cincinnati club share a campfire to prepare supper.

Peter Read Leads Pathfinders in Camporee

APPROXIMATELY 180 Ohio Pathfinders representing eight clubs participated in the annual camporee held at Camp Mohaven the weekend of Sep-

tember 25. Leading the three-day meet was Peter Read, pastor of the Cincinnati church.

Chilly weather did little to cool the spirits of the campers, who pitched their tents along the edge of an airfield and brought wood from a nearby

forest for campfires. Some prepared their meals as a club while in other groups individuals provided their own menus.

Friday evening vespers was given by a group of students from Mount Vernon Academy. Sabbath morning services climaxed a two-mile hike, with Orlin McLean, from the Mount Vernon Academy Bible department, giving the morning sermon.

On Sabbath afternoon Phil Lewis, from the Hamlet church, led the groups on a nature hike, and after evening vespers James Gibson, of Mount Vernon, led a night hike with no flashlights. Hot chocolate was later served to everyone.

The various units were judged on camp neatness and cooperation with the leadership. Points were given through nomination by other units. If one unit observed that another was very neat, they nominated it to receive special points. On this basis, five units received special awards as follows: Cincinnati girls won an ax; Kettering Black Panthers won a set of tent stakes; Kettering Tigers were awarded a mess kit big enough for the whole unit; both Akron Unit II and the Barberton Pottawatomies won compasses. The field event had to be canceled because of rain.

Rod Christ Named Harding Hospital Finance Manager

ROD CHRIST, CPA, has been named financial affairs manager for Harding Hospital, Worthington. His appointment was announced by Donald Hanson, administrator of the 120-bed psychiatric facility.

Christ was associated for several years with the Columbus accounting firm of Peat, Marwick, Mitchell, and Company.

Community Service Was Theme at Scioto Fair

THE Portsmouth church again presented an attractive booth at the Scioto County Fair. The theme was "Your Friends in Community Service."

With the help of Smoking Sue, the church had 79 people sign up for a Five-Day Plan to be held in October.

More than 5,000 pieces of literature were distributed; 37 people signed up for Bible courses.

The fair booth was under the direction of Paul Poole. He and the church members look forward to the task of working with the newly interested people and to the planning of next year's fair project.

spring valley academy

Enrollment Shows Trust In Christian Education

THREE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIVE students enrolled at Spring Valley Academy when the school opened its doors in August to begin the 1976-1977 school year. Lloyd Davis, principal, believes this size enrollment in the 12-grade school in these times of inflation and recession speaks well for the confidence parents are placing in Christian education.

Two new instructors have joined the staff.

Robert Pound is a member of the American Guild of Organists. He came to Ohio with his wife and two college-aged children from La Fox, Illinois. Pound will also hold the position of choir director of the Dayton Far Hills church and has already obtained an excellent new organ for the church. He hopes to develop an orchestra for Dayton area Adventists. He is also planning to offer a keyboard department for students of piano and organ at the academy.

Malcolm Caviness recently completed a four-year teaching term at Forest Lake Academy, Maitland, Florida. He is a fourth-generation Caviness educator and has joined SVA's staff as science teacher. He is married, has three children, and has known mission service in Africa. One of his goals is to form a class in astronomy. "However, the school needs a telescope for this project," he asserts.

Two other new staff members who



LEFT TO RIGHT: Lloyd Davis, Malcolm Caviness, Robert Pound.

were formerly associated with Kettering Medical Center are Brenda Wood and Jean Isentrager. Miss Wood will have a dual role as librarian and English instructor, featuring expository writing. Mrs. Isentrager accepted the position of registrar and secretary to the principals, Davis and Evelyn Spuehler.

Continuing on the staff are Eugene Smith, David Castetter, Susan Davis, Edward Dower, Arnold Farenick, Patricia Foll, John Kihlstrom, Donald Quackenbush, Dorothy Schaffner, Carolyn Shields, Timothy Willsey, Norma Bair, Charles Cobb, Dorothy Bostian, Elaine Bynum, Susan Castetter, Karen Caviness, Virginia Collins, Carmen Griffith, Priscilla Moyer and Bonny Neufeld.

BETTY KOSSICK

Communication Secretary

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Walter L. Pearson, Jr.,
Correspondent

Back Yard VBS Expands to Branch Sabbath School

A VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL with a different approach was held recently in Danville, Virginia, during the past summer.

Usually, a VBS director must send out invitations and advertisements to build up attendance. Also, these programs are usually held in a church or public auditorium.

Mrs. Dorothy Lea, associate director of the Ross Street church junior Sab-

bath school department, held a VBS in her own back yard for the children in her neighborhood. An average of 18 attended daily for a week.

It began with a group of approximately six children who wanted to know more about Jesus. As the week progressed, these children brought more—some relatives and friends.

Because of the interest, Mrs. Lea has decided to begin a branch Sabbath school.

C. H. BROWN

Communication Secretary



Richard and Trudy Wright and their children, Dana and Dustin.

Richard Wright Is New Pastor of Weirton Church

RICHARD WRIGHT has recently joined the staff of the Mountain View Conference and is serving as the pastor of the Weirton, West Virginia, church.

Wright was born in St. Johnsbury, Vermont. He graduated from Union Springs Academy, and upon graduation was given the John Milton Jackson award for special recognition of Christian character.

Wright served two years as a medic in the United States Army, from 1965 to 1967. He graduated from Atlantic Union College, South Lancaster, Massachusetts, in 1976 with a B.A. degree in theology. He served as pastor of his sophomore and junior classes. He also served as the student pastor in the Fitchburg-Gardner district in the Southern New England Conference.

Wright married Trudy Gayle La-Clair, a graduate of AUC in 1970 with a B.S. degree in home economics. She has taught in public schools and at South Lancaster Academy.

The couple have two children, Dana, age 4, and Dustin, age 1.

The Wrights are already settled and deeply involved in the work of the church.

Oakland Bank Plan Urges Give Up Smoking or Die

ON SUNDAY night, September 12, 26 smokers, huffing and puffing, made their way to the First National Bank in Oakland, Maryland. When they left an hour and one-half later, their pockets

were cleaned out. What happened inside the bank is the story of a hold-up that made front-page news in the local paper. In a Five-Day Plan setting, each person was warned to give up all his cigarettes or prepare for a slow death by poison. Everybody emptied his pockets of all tobacco in order to save his life.

Twenty-one people claimed victory over the cigarette habit during this Five-Day Plan conducted by three local doctors and Bob Forss, pastor of the Oakland church. It was cosponsored by the American Cancer Society, whose members remarked that it was the largest stop-smoking clinic in which they had participated in western Maryland.

The following Sunday night, many of these ex-smokers brought their



A severe warning led 21 to claim victory over the cigarette habit. Here Bob Forss addresses those attending the Plan.

families to the Adventist church for a victory dinner. The church members prepared a delicious vegetarian meal for the 35 people. Four of these smokers were filtered into the Five-Day Plan from the church's weekly Bible-study program.

BOB FORSS

Pastor

highland view academy



Bus Donated

On September 13, 1976, Frank DeHaan, left, turned over the keys for a new Dodge 17-passenger bus to David Patterson, right, treasurer of Highland View Academy. The bus will be used to transport workers and carry small groups on weekend tours. The academy extends its thanks for this fine gift.



Campus Gets New Sidewalks

A feeling of relief and satisfaction prevailed as the students and faculty of Highland View Academy, Hagerstown, Maryland, watched men, boys, and machinery dig the ground for a new

sidewalk complex between the new administration building and the dormitories. Now they would be able to make their way comfortably about the campus to their studies and duties, without getting their shoes wet and muddy.

The Work Study Industry, owned and operated by HVA, made the forms and worked the concrete. When it was finished, new grass was planted and the campus began to take on new beauty.

The academy would like to thank all who contributed to this project.



Students Visit Black Rock

On a recent Sabbath, Highland View Academy took its 139 students along the Appalachian Trail to Black Rock.

Sabbath school was conducted by HVA church leader Catherine Giannoni, as the students crowded around a small campfire. Buz Menhardt, youth pastor of the Sanitarium church at Washington Adventist Hospital, had the worship service, which was held beneath the mountaintop trees.

Several hikers came by; some stopped and listened. One hiker, who had been on the trail since July, joined the students for lunch. He had started in Maine and was heading for Georgia.

Four students, above, survey God's second book, nature.



Pastor Grove, Kathy Davis, and Jeanise DeCenzo.

Jeanise Wins Kathy; Others Are Interested

LIFE SPRING, a retreat center nestled in the lake-studded hills near the Maryland-Pennsylvania border, was the fitting scene for the baptism of Kathy Davis, from Havre de Grace, Maryland.

The baptism was the first for Rodney Grove since he became pastor of the Blythedale church, and was also the first for Jeanise DeCenzo since she became a literature evangelist in Chesapeake Conference in June. In addition,

the baptism was a beautiful gift for Jeanise since it fell on her birthday.

Jeanise began Bible studies with Kathy last January after an unusual meeting. Jeanise met Linda, a friend of Kathy's, at a laundromat when her car broke down nearby. She began telling Linda about the second coming of Christ, and Linda said she wanted Jeanise to come to her house for a Bible study the following Sabbath.

During the study Linda mentioned that she knew someone who would also be interested, so she took Jeanise to Kathy's house. Kathy had prayed the night before for someone to tell her about Christ, the answer to life's problems. "I was tired of facing life all by myself, and when I met Jeanise I just knew the Lord had answered my prayer," she said.

Kathy's sister, her mother-in-law, and her husband have also expressed interest in learning more about the church. Kathy has begun a Bible Story Hour for neighborhood children.

Jeanise and her husband, John, have been responsible for six of the 48 baptisms reported by Chesapeake Conference literature evangelists so far this year.

and perfect balance to walk to the center of the building—through flames and smoke—to an escape ladder, then down through more smoke and flames to the ground, where she was rushed, unconscious, to the nearest hospital. Although blackened with smoke, she had been unharmed.

Mayme doesn't remember any of that, however. She had been unconscious from the time she had stumbled and fallen to the floor after making it to the window. Angels had been on the scene and guided her to safety.

Three weeks later Mayme presented Walter with a baby girl, Karen—who today is a teacher at the Beltsville, Maryland, Elementary School.

Walter then proceeded to the South Pacific, where he was slated to land on the beach at Tarawa. Orders were changed and he hit the beach at Okinawa. Later he learned that most of the crew at Tarawa had been killed.

His ship landed on Okinawa two hours ahead of schedule: exactly two hours later the entire bow of that ship was blown to bits—the exact spot where he had been. A little later Walter cheated death again as shrapnel cut across his chest.

But now S. Walter Dahl—the man who lives to tell the story—has retired, after 24 years of commendable service to the denomination as manager and salesman of the Oak Park Academy Press; nurse at Iowa Sanitarium; foreman of the Washington College Press Bindery; and printer-compositor for the Review and Herald Publishing Association in Washington, D.C., for the past 12 years, where he skillfully formed hundreds of tons of linotype slugs into pages of major denominational books and periodicals.

This former owner/editor/publisher of the Ruthven, Iowa, *Free Press* newspaper found it especially difficult to say so long to his close friends at the Review and Herald—including the Columbia Union Visitor. He had been associated closely with the Visitor for the past 17 years, serving as its makeup man for the past decade. He gave it tender loving care such as only an oldtime newspaperman can give. Elane Rogers appreciated his years of efficient service.

So did the Review and Herald superintendent, George A. Tatum, who told his retiring buddy: "It brings a little ache to my heart—the end of an era."

Walter and Mayme, remembering how God has led them in the past, plan to move to Coalmont, Tennessee—not far from their other daughter, Marilyn, a nurse—where they will be working to save souls for the kingdom.

ERIC JONES, JR.

general news

S. Walter Dahl Retires With Hot-Type Era

A TELEGRAM from the American National Red Cross stating that Mayme Dahl had been burned during a blaze that left the Nevada, Iowa, Sanitarium in ashes had just been received by Pharmacist Mate 2/c Walter Dahl as he was about to sail with the U.S.

S. Walter Dahl adjusting linotype slugs for an issue of the VISITOR.



Navy to the South Pacific, where World War II was at its hottest.

He caught the first train out from the West Coast and sped to his wife.

Walter will always remember the unbelievable rescue of his wife from those flames—and so will all the firemen and scores of horrified onlookers at the scene of the conflagration. But Mayme doesn't remember. She had been overcome by smoke and intense heat and lay unconscious on the floor of her fourth-story room.

Flames licked around that fourth-floor room. Suddenly, Mayme could be seen standing at the window, then she disappeared. Onlookers called for her to open the window and crawl out onto the ledge in an attempt to escape the encroaching flames.

There was no response for some time. Then Mayme appeared at the window. She calmly opened it, crawled out onto the extremely narrow ledge, and proceeded with calm deliberation

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Eastern Standard Time

	Nov. 5	Nov. 12	Nov. 19	Nov. 26
Baltimore, Md.	5:02	4:55	4:50	4:46
Cincinnati, Ohio	5:33	5:27	5:21	5:18
Cleveland, Ohio	5:17	5:09	5:04	4:59
Columbus, Ohio	5:25	5:19	5:13	5:09
Jersey City, N.J.	4:49	4:41	4:36	4:32
Norfolk, Va.	5:04	4:58	4:53	4:50
Parkersburg, W. Va.	5:21	5:14	5:09	5:05
Philadelphia, Pa.	4:54	4:48	4:42	4:38
Pittsburgh, Pa.	5:13	5:06	5:00	4:56
Reading, Pa.	4:57	4:50	4:44	4:40
Richmond, Va.	5:07	5:01	4:56	4:53
Roanoke, Va.	5:18	5:12	5:07	5:04
Scranton, Pa.	4:54	4:47	4:41	4:36
Toledo, Ohio	5:26	5:18	5:12	5:08
Trenton, N.J.	4:52	4:45	4:40	4:36
Washington, D.C.	5:03	4:57	4:51	4:48

HOUR OF PRAYER

PRAYER REQUESTS

District of Columbia

- ☐ I met an elder in the church. Pray that we can get married and live happily together, and get a small house.
- ☐ My family needs your prayers that they will turn to Jesus in the near future.

Maryland

- ☐ My prayer request is that Jesus will take complete control of my husband, so he will treat me like a wife and go to church with me.

Missouri

- ☐ Please pray for success in our evangelistic meetings and for those under conviction, and that our branch Sabbath school will grow into a church. Pray for our church members to have more love for one another and for God. My final request is that the Holy Spirit will work in the lives of my children and their families. Thank God for allowing me to have a part in winning souls for Him.

New Jersey

- ☐ I ask for God's help to do my job well, and to get along with people. I pray for confidence, so I will not fear others. Please pray for my family and myself and our relationship with God, that it will be a good and strong one.

Ohio

- ☐ Please pray that my husband will accept Christ in his life. Pray also for a son to accept Jesus, so that he may return to academy to finish his last year. Also pray for a daughter and her fiancé, that they will study the truth and accept it and God. Finally, pray for another daughter who is away at an Adventist college.
- ☐ Pray that my brother will leave drinking, drugs, and fornication to walk with Jesus, his only hope. And pray that God will bring my mother and two sisters back to the true Sabbath. May God bless you for praying for others whom you know not.

Pennsylvania

- ☐ Please pray that my daughter's health will improve so she will not have to have an operation.
- ☐ My 3-year-old granddaughter is going to have heart surgery in November. Please pray that if it is God's will He will heal her before the operation. If she must go through it, pray that God will be with the doctors and that she will come out in better health. I also ask that God be very near to my son and his family.

Virginia

- ☐ I would like to request prayer for my son. He was born with a learning disability. Pray for solutions to personal problems that will bring peace in three families.
- ☐ My daughter just lost her husband and has a drinking problem. Please pray that the Lord Jesus will save her and that a change will come into her life.

West Virginia

- ☐ My husband has hurt so many members of his family that I believe his mind is sick. Pray that God will heal him and give me more understanding, wisdom, and spiritual strength, for I am under a terrible strain with our marriage. My young daughter is married to a 42-year-old man who is dying of cancer. Pray for her to have more compassion and love for him and that he will accept Christ. I have been praying for a long time, but now I believe some outside help is needed. Please remember my family in your prayers.
- ☐ I would like to request prayer for my husband, that he may give up drinking, and for my son, who is using drugs and is drinking. I pray that they both may have a change of heart and accept Jesus as their personal Saviour. Pray that my nerves will get better, and that we all will have a happier home by being filled with the love of Jesus.

PRAYER PROMISE

"And if God cares so wonderfully for flowers that are here today and gone tomorrow, won't he more surely care for you, O men of little faith? So don't worry at all about having enough food and clothing. . . . Your heavenly Father already knows perfectly well that you need them, and he will give them to you if you give him first place in your life and live as he wants you to. So don't be anxious about tomorrow. God will take care of your tomorrow too." (Matt. 6:30-34, T.L.B.).*

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Members of the Morristown health-evangelism team are, left to right, Lou Toscano, Betty Toscano, Joe Cote, Lynn Ortel, Michael Ortel.

Health Outpost Set Up At Morristown Church

THE Morristown church, under the leadership of Michael Ortel, is the outpost for the New Jersey health-evangelism team. The team, consisting of Ortel, director; Lou Toscano, newly appointed Bible worker; and Joseph Cote, literature evangelist, is working with the members of the Morristown church in implementing methods and plans from the Spirit of Prophecy. Gary Hopkins, a physician and a member of the church, is supplying the medical expertise.

Five-Day Plans, held in the surrounding communities and requested by factories, executive organizations, schools, and others, as well as Plans held in the Fellowship Hall, have begun. The local television studio is giving Ortel a half hour each week.

Rite Weight programs, vegetarian



Carol Zimmer chaired the medical-health committee.



Gary Quackenbush brought an inspiring devotional.

cooking, and nutrition classes will follow, preceding the Century 21 Health Evangelism meeting to be held in Morristown this fall.

In the Morristown church one Sabbath each month is devoted to health. The message of the worship hour is health-orientated. Visitors and members then join in a fellowship dinner. A health seminar is the focal point for the afternoon.

Names of those who should receive invitations are to be sent to Pastor Michael Ortel, Tempe Wick Road and Route 202, Morristown, New Jersey 07960.

Louis Toscano Joins Health Evangelism Team

LOUIS TOSCANO, of Greendell, New Jersey, has joined the working force of the New Jersey Conference. The Toscanos were devoted Roman Catholics until the early 1970's when Lou Blumenberg, a literature evangelist, knocked on their door and arranged



Bette and Louis Toscano and two of their sons.

for Bible studies. They were baptized April 3, 1971.

Louis Toscano graduated from Seton Hall University with a major in social studies, and has worked as field representative of the Social Security Administration. On October 1 he became a member of the New Jersey health evangelism team and works with Joseph Cote, also a literature evangelist, and Pastor Michael Ortel, team director and evangelist.

Bette Toscano, a dedicated mother and wife, cares for their three children, Mark, Robbie, and Timothy, as well as serving Hackettstown Hospital as a part-time secretary.

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Calvary Church Joins in Newport News Bicentennial

THE Calvary church of Newport News, Virginia, participated in a 76-mile Bicentennial parade, sponsored by the Peninsula Townships in recognition of the country's 200th birthday. Among the multitude of marching organizations, the members of the Calvary Pathfinders, Adventist Men, and Health and Welfare Ladies "marched to the beat of a different drummer," proclaiming the year of jubilee and Independence Through Christ.

The Allegheny East Conference health and medical van and the Calvary temperance float with the theme "The Amazing Human Machine" were represented in the motorcade. Calvary proudly honors Ruth Wilson, Nadine Monroe, and Mildred Mann for their outstanding leadership in this Bicentennial project.

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