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The Parkway South Church Organizes With Thirty-three Members

The Parkway South church in New Jersey was organized in January. Thirty-three signed the list indicating a desire to become charter members. Five additional persons indicated a desire to be baptized and join the church.

J. Lynn Martell, Columbia Union Ministerial secretary, challenged the members to reach out into the community and become a church with the zeal that characterized the early church as recorded in the book of Acts.

George Carlson, head elder, was the first to sign the book, and then he invited his family to join him as members of the new congregation.

Ruth Conti, Sabbath school superintendent, welcomed everyone to the services and called many by name in the congregation as she gave the welcome.

Roger Forss led out in the Sabbath school lesson. He used a lamb to teach how a person in Old Testament times would confess his sins and offer a sacrifice. One young boy said, "I'd never want to sin if I had to kill my pet lamb."

Sabbath school music was provided by Herb Butterfield, Ed King, and Neil Silverman.



Left to right: Roger Forss led out in the Sabbath school lesson. Ruth Conti welcomed everyone to the services. George Carlson was the first to sign the book.

Florida Team Helps New Jersey Conduct a Pathfinder Institute

The challenges of Pathfinding were made easier to approximately 90 New Jersey Pathfinder staff members

during a Winter Institute held February 22, 23, and 24.

Linda and Leland Davis, a Path-

finder team from the Florida Conference, along with Herman Guy, conference youth director, conducted the session.

Topics highlighting the class instruction included such areas as "Differences Between Junior and Teen Pathfinders," "Keeping the Teen Pathfinder in Your Club," and "Tested and Proven Sabbath Camping Ideas." Many other valuable subjects also were discussed.

The program on Sunday morning featured actual Craft Honor work. The Honors taught were glass painting, glasscraft, and textile painting. Robert East, a New Jersey pastor, also shared his knowledge and experience as he conducted a class in backpacking.

The interest, morale, and enthusiasm of the weekend participants were at an all-time high, each participant trying to absorb more new concepts, ways, and means of keeping the real meaning of Pathfinding in their clubs.



Leland and Linda Davis

Regina Meliti Gives Her Personal Testimony at Baptism

Regina Meliti was baptized by Pastor Steven Poenitz at the Toms River church on February 9. The following was her personal testimony given to the congregation.

"I have always believed in God, but never believed in Him enough to trust Him with my life. I've always tried to do things my way, but in the end always wind up praying to God to help me, because I've made such a mess of things.

"Now, I have put my life, my heart, and my future in His hands. I opened my Heart to Jesus, and as far as I am concerned there is no greater feeling to be felt on this earth. I feel as if the weight of the world has been lifted from my shoulders. Now that I know about the gift of eternal life and the new earth, how beautiful and glorious it will be, and still better yet, to see our Lord and all our loved ones, I want it all. I want to be there.

"So if my Lord wants me to be a good Christian, to follow His commandments, and live by His word, I will do so, because He has given me peace of mind. I used to feel so depressed and upset about things that

were happening around the world. Money worried me. Just about everything worried me. But now everything is at ease within me. I know He has plans for me, and I know in my heart,

they are good ones, and I know He won't let me down, because He has proven Himself by answering my prayers many times. I believe in God the Father now and forever."



Regina Meliti (center) receives a copy of *The Desire of Ages* from Pastor Steven Poenitz (left) and Marion Manry, church elder.

Adventists Conduct Classes in Seaford School System

Persons interested in the adult-education program of the Seaford, Maryland, school system had the opportunity to benefit from cooking classes and a Five-Day Plan to Stop Smoking conducted by area Adventists.

Five cooking classes were sponsored by the members of the Seaford church with Audrey McCready, of Denton, leading out and Virginia Dennison assisting. An average of 14 persons attended these classes.

Mrs. McCready pointed out that proper and healthful foods are available in every community. The Eastern Shore supplies ample greens, most garden vegetables, and a variety of fresh berries, she noted. Also, pointed out was the nutritional value

of the soybean—another area product, and the making of the cheeselike "tofu" from the bean was demonstrated by Mrs. Dennison.

Interest demands that another cooking class be held in the fall, and a vegetarian cookbook for the Seaford school district is being produced.

The adult-education program also made it possible for Pastor Ken Cartwright to conduct a stop-smoking clinic. He was assisted by Herbert Dennison and Dr. Ralph Libby, of Grasonville, Maryland.

Participants were offered different types of follow-up programs, the first of which was held in the church a few days after the clinic ended. These follow-up meetings brought encouragement to the participants, discus-

sions of their problems, and answers to their questions. An outgrowth of the follow-up meetings is a weekly stress-control series of lectures by Cartwright in the Seaford Adventist church.

FRANCIS McALLISTER
Communication Secretary

HVA'S CALENDAR OF EVENTS

April 28 Academy Day
May 9-10 Alumni Weekend
May 17 Secular Music Concert
Graduation Weekend
May 30-June 1



Spencerville Koreans Hold Special Consecration Day for Their New Church

The Spencerville Korean church began services in their own church building on February 16, with a special Consecration Day. This group, organized in the Chesapeake Conference in late 1978, purchased the church building recently vacated by the Spencerville English-speaking congregation. On this festive day the church was completely filled, as the congregation of 75 members was joined by many friends and guests. The entire Baltimore Korean congregation attended, as well as the pastor and some members from the New York City Korean church. Pastor Suk-Bai Kang led out in the special services after the day was begun with a Sabbath school program of many special features. A history of the establishment of the congregation was given by the building committee chairman, Jim Y. Kim. He also thanked the congregation for their faithfulness in giving and pledging for the entire cost of the new building. The sermon was given by Gene Cherry, of the Chesapeake Conference, and translated by David Lyu. Barnabas Choo, of the Baltimore Korean church, offered the benediction. A special fellowship dinner had been prepared and was served immediately after the morning worship hour. A highlight of this fellowship hour was the cutting of a cake formed in the likeness of the new home of the Spencerville Korean church. Pastor Suk-Bai Kang (center) and the building committee cut the cake portraying the new church home of the Spencerville Korean congregation.

ALLEGHENY EAST

Robert Booker, Correspondent

Local Elder Considered to Be a "Walking Miracle"

Local elder Hassie Harris, of the Baltimore-Edmondson Heights church, is regarded by his fellow church members as a "walking miracle." Now retired, he was for many years a Bible instructor employed by the Allegheny East Conference. Harris was seriously injured in an automobile accident a few months ago. He survived but was paralyzed to such an extent that the doctors held no hope for his recovery. It was at this point that the Great Physician, Jesus, took over his case.

On a recent Sabbath Harris was

able to stand before the congregation and officiate at the communion service. He gratefully—and tearfully—praised God for His restorative power. He assured his audience that he himself had done nothing great, and that all praise for his healing belongs to God.

Pastor Rudyard Lord and members at Edmondson Heights are convinced that this miracle is a strong testimony for this message. Harris and his wife, Venus, agree.

DEBRA HAMRICK

Communication Secretary

Mortgage Burned Four Years Ahead of Schedule

The Shiloh church of Petersburg, Virginia, was dedicated free of debt in February. The members joined in singing and giving praise to God when the mortgage was burned in a ceremony that was presided over by Luther R. Palmer, Jr., president of the Allegheny East Conference.

Others participating in the ceremony were Bennie Mann, treasurer of Allegheny East; Samuel Boynton, church pastor; Etta Day, church treasurer; Rebecca Powell, church clerk; and local elders James Jones, Hilton Fields, Sr., Paul Williams, John Day, and Waverly Massenburg, Jr.

The Friday evening vesper message was delivered by James Clements, pastor of the Ephesus church in Richmond.

The church houses a sanctuary that has a seating capacity of 400, a full basement, which contains a fellowship hall, complete kitchen facilities, and eight classrooms. The property also includes a large fenced-in lot for off-street parking.

The mortgage-burning ceremony was the culmination of a special "sacrificial pledge" offering initiated by the pastor six months ago for the sole purpose of liquidating the mortgage. This offering, along with the systematic giving of each member of the congregation, enabled the church to pay off the mortgage four years ahead of schedule. The congregation considers this a special blessing.

RUBY L. PRICE

Communication Secretary



Richard Hassell, Christian action leader, accepts token of appreciation from Community Services leader Ruth Robbins.

Christian Action Leader Is Honored by Adventists

Richard Hassell, of Norfolk, Virginia, is an outstanding community worker who was recently given a Community Services Award plaque by the Campostella Heights church. As a civic leader, Hassell has been in the forefront whenever serious emergencies arose as a result of sickness, fire, dire poverty, and other domestic problems that emerge among families.

Ruth Robbins, president of the Virginia State Community Services Federation of the Allegheny East Conference, recently presented the award to Mr. Hassell in a special Sabbath ceremony. She has always found Mr. Hassell to be very cooperative whenever it has been necessary to answer local distress calls.

Pastor of the congregation is O. E. Cheatham.

VICTORIA PORTER

Communication Secretary



Samuel Boynton (inset) is pastor of the Shiloh church.

Newtonville Members Review a Year of Progress

The Newtonville First church's 133 members were strongly involved in numerous activities during 1979. The year began under the leadership of a new pastor, William Linthicum.

The church's Home and School Association, led by Ernest Williams, has been engaged in fund-raising projects for the past eight years to support the Modern Miracle school.

Their 1979 project was a concert featuring the W. C. Scales family.

Community Guest Day at Newtonville was the largest in recent years, with Robert Lewis, of Trenton, as the guest speaker. Among the special guests were members of the Senior Adult Chapter of Newtonville. Each guest received a copy of *Steps to Christ*.

The fall Week of Spiritual Emphasis featured David McCottry, of the Teaneck, New Jersey, church, and special music by the local minister of music, Mrs. Doris DeGuzman.

The youth church had as their guest speakers Walter Pearson, of Chester, Pennsylvania, and Melvyn Hayden, of the Philadelphia-Ebenezer church.

After the 1979 Ingathering campaign, three members were awarded Jasper Wayne awards. Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Williams and Mrs. Selena Chandler raised a total of \$450.

Highlight of the year was the baptism of ten new members.

At a year-end social given at the Modern Miracle school, each member pledged to accomplish even more for God during 1980.

SELENA CHANDLER
Communication Secretary

Camden Highlights Local And Foreign Missions

A recent *World Mission Report* at the Mount Olivet church in Camden highlighted results of offerings not only to the Inter-American Division but to the home church as well.

Two participants trained in the Inter-American Division demonstrated their skills obtained as a result of World Missions Emphasis. Erma-lene Black, a registered nurse in the republic of Nicaragua, skillfully "dressed the wounds" of her "patient," Inez Braxton, to the audience's silent admiration. George Peart, also a member of the Camden congregation, was educated on the island of Jamaica. He gave a well-received speech on his personal Christian experience.

Next, the value of local Sabbath school funds was stressed, as Nicole Archie and Tracey Oliveira related that they are learning valuable lessons in health through the junior division.

Sabbath school superintendent is Mrs. Evelyn Coleman, and the pastor is Ronald A. Smith, Sr.

LELA M. DAVIS
Communication Secretary

MOUNTAIN VIEW

Kenneth Stewart,
Correspondent

Youth Urged to Accept Responsibility and Lead

More youth involvement in planning and leadership in the Charleston church was the theme of the February 2, Youth Emphasis Day.

Mark Walker, director of youth activities for the Mountain View Conference, delivered the morning worship message. He appealed to the



Tom M. Hughes

entire congregation, especially the young people, to accept responsibility, to follow, and then lead.

Following a fellowship lunch, Walker again met with the youth for a special afternoon planning session to discuss future plans and happenings in the Mountain View Conference and the Charleston church.

The Sabbath program concluded with Tom Hughes, pastor, vocalist, guitarist, and song writer, presenting a concert on "Reflections of Calvary" that pointed to the cross and Christ on it. He invited all to accept Christ as their friend and Saviour and to serve Him.

JUNE PARSLEY
Communication Secretary

Allegheny East Conference Announces a New Program

SUMMER '80

- SUMMER '80 begins June 22 and ends August 23. It runs one week at a time, from Sunday through Sabbath.
- SUMMER '80 is in addition to all other Allegheny East camps and camp-meeting programs.
- SUMMER '80 is designed to provide a wholesome atmosphere and wholesome activities for your child—off the streets and away from TV.
- SUMMER '80 will include special reading and arithmetic courses.
- SUMMER '80 is designed to accept your child for one week, or two weeks, or up to an entire summer.
- SUMMER '80 is like a junior camp and is open to all SDA school-aged children.
- SUMMER '80 offers a limited number of partial scholarships.

Dear Elder Monk:

Yes! I'd be delighted to have my child in SUMMER '80. Please send me more information.

No. of Children _____

Ages _____

Church and City _____

Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____

New Date
Pathfinder Fair
April 13

Mount Vernon Area Organizes a Singles Group

A singles group has been organized for the Mount Vernon area. The eight persons present at the March 1 meeting elected John Buehler as president, Dick Walpole as vice-president, and Sheila Stewart as secretary-treasurer.

Buehler stated that the purpose of the club is to provide greater opportunity for social relationships and to bring inactive singles back into church fellowship. "We invite other Adventist singles to come and join our group."

Among the monthly activities scheduled was a potluck meal, March 22, in the elementary school gym. Another meeting was held April 12, and a potluck noon meal is scheduled June 14, the first Sabbath of camp meeting. It is hoped that members of

other singles clubs or individual singles will join in the June 14 fellowship meal at the Mount Vernon elementary school on Sychar Road.

85 Youth Attend Annual Ohio Bible Conference

Eighty-five Ohio youth participated in the annual Bible conference at Camp Mohaven, January 18-20. Planned by Youth Director Ron Stretter, Mount Vernon Academy and Spring Valley Academy, the conference brought together academy and high-school students for study, worship, fellowship, and commitment.

Elder Richard Dickinson led in the study of *Steps to Christ*. Music was presented by Brad and Dee McIntyre.

OHIO YOUTH You Are Invited to a YOUTH RALLY

May 10
at

Mount Vernon Academy
9:00 A.M. - 5:00 P.M.

- Music ● Speakers
- Films ● Discussion
- Study ● Fellowship

Evening program includes
Vespers
and MVA Gymnastic Team

Meal tickets are for sale
through the Youth
Department.

SPRING VALLEY ACADEMY

Mary Speidel, Correspondent

Students Plan, Organize, and Operate a Corporation

"Do you wish to reduce your commission and expand sales? How do you feel about it? It is up to you." Jo Mitchell pauses at the blackboard, while nine budding executives ponder the figures on the board, and the facts of corporate life.

Production costs, taxes, sales methods, commissions, bookkeeping, and net profit—all become real to the bookkeeping and graphics students involved in Spring Valley Academy's first Junior Achievement Project. Organized as Centerville Graphics, their first products were note pads, grocery and Christmas lists.

Centerville Graphics stock was sold at \$1.00 per share, and dividends or losses will be computed at the end of the school year.

Junior Achievement is a non-profit international organization financed by businesses and individuals. It was founded in 1919 by Horace A. Moses, president of the Strathmore Paper Company. Its purpose is to provide high-school students with practical business experience and insights into the complexities of economics. This is accomplished by actually organizing and operating their own business. In the United States over 50,000 business people contribute their time to JA, and 90,000 firms and individuals

provide funds.

Each Tuesday morning the sponsoring organization, Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, sends four youthful executives to spend an hour coaching the fledgling businessmen in finances, production, and marketing.

The company has a board of directors and executive officers. The students pay themselves 25c an hour and a modest commission for sales.

Like most modern corporations, Centerville Graphics is diversifying. They sold poinsettias December 13 and 14 in the Metropolitan Life Insurance Building.

A word to would-be investors in Centerville Graphics; try A. T. & T. The officers of this young company have voted not to water down their stock by selling more shares.

MARY SPEIDEL
Publications Secretary



Left to right: Andrew Claibe, personnel director; Jay Rose, treasurer; Eugene Smith, instructor; Doug Applegate, sales manager; Jeff Suico, production manager; and Ian Agard, president.

ALLEGHENY WEST

K. S. Smallwood, Correspondent



Literature Evangelists Pledge 150 Souls for '80

Recently the Allegheny West literature evangelists held their annual year-end meeting in Columbus, Ohio. One highlight of the two-day meeting was the achievement-and-award banquet where the outstanding workers were recognized for their dedication and accomplishments in 1979. Mary Adams, of Cleveland, was presented the top award for highest sales, amounting to more than \$20,000. Two of the conference administrators were present for the occasion, President and Mrs. H. L. Cleveland and Elder and Mrs. King S. Smallwood. At the conclusion of the meeting the literature evangelists pledged themselves, under God, to deliver \$280,000 in sales and 150 souls for 1980. The pledges were presented to the conference president as he closed the meeting with a prayer of rededication. Left to right: Welton Jones, Sr., district leader for Pittsburgh; Harold L. Cleveland, president of Allegheny West Conference; Bernard Hankins, district leader for Virginia; Pastor Robert C. Lewis, publishing director; Robert Crawford, district leader for southern Ohio; Pastor Robert Smith, Jr., intern at Andrews University; Danny Milton, district leader for northern Ohio.

DON'T MISS A CAMP-MEETING

Experience in
Allegheny West

Plan your vacation for
June 27-July 5
in
Mount Vernon,
Ohio

Dynamic Speakers,
Inspirational Music,
Informative
Workshops, and Warm
Fellowship

PLAN NOW TO ATTEND



Forty-one Charter Members Organize the East Cleveland Church

In January the East Cleveland, Ohio, congregation organized. This raised the number of churches in the Allegheny West Conference to 42. Conference President H. L. Cleveland led out in the organizational service and presented the new congregation with a check for \$1,000. The church was fully organized with two elders, three deacons, four deaconesses, ushers, a minister of music, Sabbath school department officers and teachers, lay activities leader, and treasury department. The new congregation began with 41 charter members. The organizational service was held at the St. Paul Episcopal church, situated at 15837 Euclid Avenue, where the members are presently meeting. Pastor Harold Brewer is shown (back row, far left) with some of the charter members.

Cook's Hampton Crusade Pulling 200 in Nightly

More than 200 guests are attending nightly as a new chapter is being written in Adventist evangelism on the peninsula in Tidewater, Virginia. An excitement is gripping church members as the attendance increases night by night.

Pastor Vel Kotter said that one night a bus brought a group from a Methodist church and on another night a group came from the Church of God.

Evangelist Alvin Cook reports that there is a solid interest developing, and he is impressed by the growing attendance. Careful study is being given to how long the crusade should stay in a neutral auditorium before the meetings move to the Hampton church. Retired Bible worker Mary Bierly is on hand to assist in the visitation program. The series is being held in the Thomas Eaton Junior High School, 2108 Cunningham Drive, Hampton, Virginia.

ATTENTION

**All Academy-Age Students
SHENANDOAH VALLEY ACADEMY
presents**

ACADEMY DAY

April 29, 1980

10:00 A.M.

- ★ Campus Tours ★ Door Prizes
- ★ Ball Games ★ Swimming

- ★★★ Monday night guests will enjoy a Drama Club presentation of "Flight Into Danger" in addition to experiencing dorm life.
- ★★★ Prospective students with signed applications will not be required to pay the \$10 application fee.

Potomac Conference Experiences Five Staff Changes

Daniel Matthews, executive secretary of the Potomac Conference since January of 1976, has accepted the invitation to become director of Faith for Today, Thousand Oaks, California. He and his wife, Betsy, who is the secretary in the trust services department, came to Potomac in September of 1974, when he became Ministerial secretary.

Previously he served in the Northwest as a conference communication director, a pastor, and has had experience in television and public evangelism. His warm smile and the special style with which he made announcements at camp meeting will long be remembered. Among his many accomplishments while in Potomac are the contributions made on numerous committees. At Faith for Today he will face the limitless challenges of presenting our message through the mass media.

Conference communication secretary Herbert H. Broeckel has been appointed by the conference committee to serve as executive secretary of the conference. He will continue as religious liberty director and medical recruitment director. Broeckel began his pastoral ministry in Potomac. He



Left to right: Daniel G. Matthews, Herbert H. Broeckel, Norman Middag, Dominic Cotta, Phil Younts.

has also pastored in the Kentucky-Tennessee Conference, and began departmental work in the New Jersey Conference in 1970. He returned to Potomac in 1975.

Conference youth director Norm Middag will be stepping out of full-time youth ministry. He will continue working with youth in several Sabbath school departments and as temperance director. He will also serve as director of health education and family life. Middag has directed Pathfinder, camps, and youth ministries in several conferences throughout his ministry. Camp Kulaqua in Florida and our own Camp Blue Ridge, and the total youth ministries

of Potomac, will long benefit from his expertise and planning.

The executive committee has appointed Norm's associate, Dominic Cotta, to be youth director. The enthusiasm he has given to the youth program, and his acceptance by the youth of our field, give promise to a continued strong program. The associate youth director's post has been filled by the appointment of Philip Younts, the intern in the Wytheville-Pulaski district. Younts assisted in last summer's camping program and has been involved in youth ministries throughout his college years.

All these new staff appointments become effective May 1.

Highlights of Potomac's 1980 Camp Meeting

Potomac's annual spiritual feast will begin Friday, June 13, with a musical concert by the King's Heralds as a prelude to the opening Friday-night ordination service. D. A. Delafield will be the ordination speaker. H. M. S. Richards, Jr., will be the worship-hour and evening evangelistic speaker on Sabbath, with the King's Heralds prominently featured throughout the day, along with the Educational Hour and a church growth program. Also with us the opening weekend will be our union president, W. O. Coe.

The Family Life Hour will meet twice on Sunday. The Dobson film series could change your life and alone be worth your attendance. The traditional book sale will be featured on Sunday, and in the evening Elder Norman Gulley will begin his seven-night series.

On Monday morning a dozen class offerings will begin, with repeat sessions in the early afternoon and the continuation of the Family Film Series at 3:00 p.m. By popular request, an 11:00 a.m. preaching service will be held in the big tent.

There will be inspiration aplenty beginning at 8:00 a.m. each morning (6:30 a.m. on Sabbaths) with Elder W. J. Hackett. Elder Kenneth Mittleider will preach the closing Sabbath, when the Belko Brass and Evelyn Wilson will be our musical guests. Interspersed with the best musical talent in Potomac will be the Literature Evangelism and Trophy hours, combining for an inspiration-filled closing Sabbath afternoon.

You'll want to be on hand for the full camp meeting as Elder Hackett begins the day with his inspiring devotions and Elder Gulley closes it with the power of the Word. There will be so much sandwiched into each day that you will have to be selective. Watch for more information about our June 13-21 camp meeting, including action- and inspiration-packed days for our children and youth.

SVA Calendar of Events

April 26 S.A. Talent Program
27 Sunday Classes—
CUC Career Day
29 Academy Day
April 30-May 4 Home Leave

POTOMAC CONFERENCE Camp Meeting Reservations June 13-21, 1980

Name.....

Address.....

City and State..... Zip.....

No. persons in party..... (beds). No. of chairs requested.....

Ages of children.....

No. of Rooms	Location	1980	1981
		Total Cost	Total Enclosed Total Cost
_____	Hadley Hall (Girls' Dorm) (No children under 12, no cooking)	\$55.00	\$_____ \$65.00
_____	Price Hall (Boys' Dorm) (No cooking)	55.00	_____ 65.00
_____	Motel or Cabin Unit (Cooking permitted)	55.00	_____ 65.00
_____	Trailer Space (Includes electricity and sewage, no beds or chairs)	35.00	_____ 42.00
_____	Tent Space (No electricity, beds or chairs)	10.00	_____ 12.00

FULL PAYMENT REQUIRED, TOTAL ENCLOSED \$_____

LOCATING OFFICE WILL CLOSE ON FRIDAY AT SUNDOWN

ACCOMMODATIONS ARE LIMITED due to pre-registration. However, a standby list of reservations will be assigned as cancellations are received. Send your request today, as assignments are made according to the date received. Please send payment in full at 1980 rates listed above. Refunds will be made if accommodations do not become available. Mail above form to Locating Committee, Potomac Conference of SDA, P.O. Box 1208, Staunton, Virginia 24401.

REGULATIONS—Every room and/or motel must be occupied by at least one adult. Any single person 21 years of age or under, staying overnight, must be chaperoned by a responsible adult. A check will be made, and any facilities found that have not been occupied the first weekend will be rented to someone else unless the Locating Committee has been notified of an emergency, with no refunds available. BIRDS OR ANIMALS SHOULD NOT BE BROUGHT ONTO THE CAMP-SITE. A fine will be imposed on any individual who does not comply with this rule. Any such individual will be asked to leave the campgrounds and forfeit his reservations. Refunds will be made on any cancellations if the Locating Committee is notified no later than May 15, 1980.

1981 CAMP MEETING rates are listed above. Reservations will be accepted at camp meeting according to the following schedule. Sunday through Tuesday, June 15-17, campers can reserve the same accommodations for 1981. Wednesday through Thursday, June 18 and 19, Potomac members get next opportunity at availabilities. Friday, June 20, non-Potomac members can reserve any accommodations which are left. Full payment expected.



York Students Study and Build Sanctuary

The students in grades 1-4 of the York Church School built a model of the sanctuary. As a follow-up to their study of Moses and the building of the sanctuary, the pupils visited the Mennonite Information Center where they have a full-scale model. The pupils were very interested in what they saw, and on returning to school, they decided to build a model of their own. After gathering materials, they were divided into groups, as were the children of Israel. This gave each pupil a special task. One of the pupils made the ark and put a light in it to represent the presence of God. Another pupil made the high priest to move mechanically while working at the altar. The teacher, Mina Miller, stated this was a beautiful learning experience for the pupils. A Mennonite guide (left) explains the candlesticks in the sanctuary. York pupils with sanctuary they constructed.



Pennsylvania Welcomes New Assistant Treasurer

The Pennsylvania Conference is happy to welcome David Witt into his new responsibility of assistant treasurer. David, born in Norwich, New York, formerly lived in Hillcrest, Pennsylvania, where he was administrator of the Witt Nursing Home. David married the former Janice Marinkovic, in Collegedale, Tennessee, in 1974. Both David and Janice received their degrees while attending Southern Missionary College. David has a degree in accounting and Janice an associate degree in secretarial sciences.

Liberty Subscriptions 83 Percent Higher in '80

Despite the absence of a regular \$20 contributor, the Washington church increased its *Liberty* Magazine offering to the point that the church is sponsoring 83 percent more subscriptions this year than last. In fact, this year's offering was the highest since 1974.

One woman contributed money and names so that "thought leaders" in Waynesburg, Greene County, would become acquainted with the Adventists' concern about liberty.

Another motivating factor was the thought that sending *Liberty* was a way of demonstrating thankfulness for the great gift of freedom to worship. Members felt it was important to expose the attorneys and other community leaders to the issues of religious liberty.

Washington church members have gotten the 1980's off to a good start by making it possible for 30 more community leaders and attorneys to receive *Liberty* Magazine. The total number of sponsored subscriptions now is 66.

NORMA JEAN SEAL SAHLIN
Communication Secretary



Junior High Students Give Systematic Bible Studies

Ken Norton, principal of the Blue Mountain Elementary School, and Pastor Alan Jones of the Hamburg church, conducted a witnessing class for the seventh- and eighth-graders. The class was held once each week during the students' regular Bible class. The students were trained for six weeks on how to approach people and give a systematic Bible study. After the training sessions, the students were divided into teams of two and went into the community to take a religious survey. As a result, two of the teams found people who wanted Bible studies. When a team found someone, who was interested in taking studies, an adult was chosen to assist the team in the studies. Mr. Norton said this program provided practical experience that was an extension of the Bible class. Students Scott Diaia (left) and John Pifer giving a Bible study.

Seminar Is Outgrowth of Harrisburg's Fall Series

Sixty persons are participating in a weekly Revelation Seminar now being held at the Harrisburg church as an outgrowth of meetings held last fall.

The 12-part Bible Prophecy Seminar was held by Ken Stout, local pastor, on Harrisburg's "west shore" of the Susquehanna River in the well-known Penn-Harris Motor Inn.

An average of 50 nonmembers attended nightly, with a high one evening of 80. They enjoyed participating in the Bible-marking program.

Five persons have been baptized, and two others are planning to do the same in the near future. Stout has expressed his belief that within the next few months the total baptized may pass 20.

One former Adventist received a brochure in the mail inviting her to the meetings. At first she threw the invitation in the trash, knowing that it was probably sponsored by the Adventist Church. She kept thinking about it and finally retrieved the brochure and determined that she would attend. Calling in a reservation "before the devil could change my mind" (as she later said), she attended the full series. She was baptized and is now an active member. Since her membership had been in another area years ago, the members of the church had not known she existed. She might never have been found except for a strong advertising program.

Another young lady who was married during the series indicated that she hated to miss any of the meetings because of her honeymoon. She missed only two, returned to attend the final meetings and the follow-up series. Although she has not been baptized yet, she is planning for this in the very near future. She has arranged for the pastor to have studies in her home with several of her friends who have expressed sincere interest as a result of her witnessing to them and their families.

Stout has been assisted by Pastor Myron Widmer, who also served as program coordinator, and by a dedicated team of lay people. The church family also strongly supported the series with its attendance.

To keep the evangelistic thrust moving forward, the Harrisburg church is planning a number of programs to continue to captivate community interest. Included on the list are health programs, a family-enrichment seminar, and an evangelistic series for East Harrisburg. All programs are in the planning stages.

Pennsylvania Conference of Seventh-day Adventists Camp Meeting Order Blank 1980

Pennsylvania Conference of SDA
720 Museum Road
Reading, PA 19611

DATE _____

Please make the following reservations for me at the 1980 camp meeting at Blue Mountain Academy, Hamburg, Pennsylvania, June 13 through June 21. Only reservations that are paid IN FULL before or on May 19, 1980, are eligible for the discounted rate.

Quantity	Location	Full Rate	Discounted Rate	Total
_____	Dormitory Room	\$60.00	\$55.00	\$_____
_____	Tent w/electricity & full floor—9 days	35.00	31.00	_____
_____	Tent—Personal w/o electricity—9 days	16.00	14.00	_____
_____	Single Cot and Pad—9 days	6.00	5.00	_____
_____	Trailer Space w/electricity & water—9 days	45.00	40.00	_____
_____	Size _____ ft.			
_____	Trailer Space w/o electricity & water—9 days	30.00	25.00	_____
_____	Size _____ ft.			
_____	Cabin—Kamp Keystone—9 days	50.00	45.00	_____

Facilities for less than 9 days will be considered after full-time requests are filled. Because of this, only one rate is charged.

	Day Rate	
_____	Dormitory Room per day	10.00
_____	Tent w/electricity per day	6.00
_____	Tent—Personal w/o electricity per day	2.00
_____	Single Cot and Pad per day	1.00
_____	Trailer Space w/electricity & water per day	6.00
_____	Size _____ ft.	
_____	Trailer Space w/o electricity & water per day	4.00
_____	Size _____ ft.	
	Total Charge	_____
	Paid	_____

REGULATIONS:

1. Priority given to members of the Pennsylvania Conference.
2. Please fill in blanks completely to eliminate need of additional correspondence.
3. Autos, motorbikes, etc., are *not allowed to park or drive in tent areas* after initial unloading upon arrival. Driving in all other areas must be restricted for safety.
4. No bicycles permitted in camping areas.
5. Reservations handled in same order as received. Eligibility for the discounted rate: the total cost must be paid in full on or before May 19, 1980.
6. Balance of unpaid accounts must be paid when you register.
7. All campers staying overnight, even one night, are required to register.
8. An adult chaperon must accompany teen-age campers.
9. WE CANNOT ALLOW PETS IN ANY CAMPING, TRAILER, or DORMITORY LODGING, because of consideration of others.
10. Cafeteria meals will be served during the entire camp-meeting session. Sabbath meal tickets may be purchased each Friday from 10 A.M. to 12 Noon and 1 P.M. to 5 P.M. at the Registration Office.
11. Mail applications and checks to above address.

NAME _____ HOME CHURCH _____

STREET _____ PHONE _____

CITY AND STATE _____ (Area Code) ZIP _____

Have you ordered cots and pads for sleeping?

GENERAL NEWS

Ernest N. Wendth

Sixty Attend Four-Day Evangelistic Workshop in Takoma Park

Prospects for a greater evangelistic thrust in three unions have been strengthened because of a four-day workshop held in January on the campus of Columbia Union College, Takoma Park, Maryland.

Host director for the four days of inspirational and practical instruction

was Lynn Martell, Columbia Union Conference Ministerial director. He was assisted by Don Gray, Ministerial director for the Lake Union.

A total of 60 evangelists and pastors attended these meetings. They included local conference Ministerial directors, field evangelists, and from

the Columbia Union territory, two key pastors from each of the eight local conferences.

A number of specialists made presentations, including two non-Adventist advertising specialists. They were Barry Wheeler, of Oklahoma City, and Terry Noah, from Memphis. Both men have worked closely with Adventist evangelists and understand their needs. They could also discuss advertising as it influences nonchurch members.

Others giving valuable help were Robert Conners, Jim Cress, and Mark Finley, from the Lake Union Conference; Gary Ehlert, Columbia Union evangelist; Eldon Walters, of the Pennsylvania Conference; and Sid Mills, of Amazing Facts radio-broadcast. Subjects discussed included: precampaign and campaign organization, advertising, visitation, decisions, and baptismal classes and preparation.

The meetings were so well appreciated that another one is being planned for the end of the year, according to word from Elder Martell.



Top: Mark Finley displays samples of evangelistic advertising and explains the benefits of the new approaches. Techniques for a better tape ministry was one of the benefits received at the council by Rudy Dolinsky (bottom), pastor of the Patterson Avenue church in Richmond, Virginia.

Do You Care? If Yes, Reach Out and Share

A small boy, admitted to a modern hospital for minor surgery, was placed in a room where a wall speaker made it possible for nurse and patient to talk to each other without the nurse's having to leave her desk.

After Bobby was awake from the anesthetic the nurse called his room and asked how he was. There was no answer. Again, "Bobby, how are you?" Still no answer. The third time the nurse was more insistent, "Bobby, answer me. How are you feeling?"

Back came a small, timid voice, "I'm all right, wall."

In commenting on this experience, George Vandeman says, "Too many people are talking to the wall—and playing games with the wallpaper. Too many people are calling the time of day just to hear a human voice. And training parakeets to say, 'I love you.'" Nobody seems to care.

Once again we approach the time for sending our missionary journals, THESE TIMES and SIGNS, to those who are "talking to the wall." Our

publishers are providing warm, personalized messages that portray God's love. Thousands of people want to know about their real selves, to be more alive, to know God—and you have an opportunity to help them.

People—lonely, frightened, searching—are reading more than ever before. Can we who have the greatest message in the world disappoint them? Where else but in *SIGNS* or *THESE TIMES* can the lonely people of our country learn of the soon return of their one true Friend? Would *Time* or *Newsweek* devote an entire issue to the prophecies of Daniel and Revelation? Would they reveal how Satan works to destroy the souls of men?

Dear Abby, whose column is read by millions, is unable to tell her fellow Americans how to prepare for eternity. The brilliant columnist Jack Anderson doesn't really understand the spiritual battle going on for the souls of men.

What secular journal probes the secrets of real prayer—one that gets beyond the ME focus. What journals, other than *THESE TIMES* and *SIGNS*, proclaim the fundamental, life-enriching doctrines of the Bible? Who else writes of the nonimmortality of the soul or God's holy Sabbath? What other publication offers hope for the 1980's by writing of the resurrection available to all men? What other publication tells how to get ready for the final events on Planet Earth? What other publication could present the Christian life style from the Adventist point of view?

Sister White says a great deal about the work of that "other angel" in Revelation 18:1. This angel, according to the *SDA Bible Commentary*, "comes forth from the throne room of the universe, commissioned to proclaim God's last message of mercy and to warn the inhabitants of earth of the imminent fate awaiting 'Babylon the Great.'" Ellen White writes, "In a large degree through our publishing houses is to be accomplished the work of that other angel who comes down from heaven with great power, and who lightens the earth with his glory."—*Testimonies*, vol. 7, p. 140.

Solemn is the responsibility of all who have means to participate in the distribution of our missionary literature and enlighten the earth with the glory of God.

You are invited, through the use of our missionary journals, to feed your fellow men with spiritual food. By doing so, you will be showing them that you care.

SHADY GROVE ADVENTIST HOSPITAL

C. A. (Bill) Oliphant, Correspondent

Judith Smith to Be Vice-president for Patient Care

Judith Isabelle Smith, R.N., of Gaithersburg, has been appointed vice-president for patient care at Shady Grove Adventist Hospital, effective May 5.

Miss Smith replaces Jeanne Kinzer, R.N., who has moved to Michigan following her marriage to an Ann Arbor psychiatrist.

In her new position, Miss Smith will be in charge of all nursing services at the hospital, including medical-surgical, emergency, intensive and coronary care, and pediatrics. She will also be a member of the hospital's executive council, which sets policy and governs the day-to-day operations of the institution.

Prior to her appointment, Judy Smith, who has 20 years of supervisory and administrative experience in nursing, was executive director of Adventist Home Health Services, Inc., a Takoma Park, Maryland, provider of home health and nursing care.

She has been director of nursing at Madison Hospital, Madison, Tennessee, and at Shasta General Hospital, Redding, California, and has held supervisory positions at White Memo-



Judith Smith, R.N.

rial Hospital, Los Angeles, and in the Central Receiving Hospital System, also in Los Angeles.

Judy Smith received a Bachelor of Science degree in nursing at Loma Linda University, Loma Linda, California, in 1957 and a certificate in industrial relations at the University of California, Los Angeles. She is completing a Master's degree in management of health-care facilities through Central Michigan University.

WASHINGTON ADVENTIST HOSPITAL

Geri Fuller-Col, Correspondent

WAH Patients View Live Church Services on TV

Patients at Washington Adventist Hospital are now able to view live, Sabbath morning worship services from Sligo Seventh-day Adventist church as a result of a cooperative arrangement between the church, Columbia Union College's Communication Department, and the hospital.

The new closed-circuit television programming, which is announced to patients by way of a card appearing on their Saturday morning breakfast trays, had already been operating for a few weeks, but only recently was it possible to broadcast the live church services.

Soon to be added to the programming schedule will be a rebroadcast of the Sabbath services on Sunday mornings for patients who prefer to see a worship service at that time. Funding for this aspect of the program has been provided through the courtesy of the Sligo church. Plans are also in the works for other taped programming to be added to the

schedule for broadcast on select weekday evenings.

The purpose of the closed-circuit programming is to provide an inspirational alternative to other television programming, since many people feel a need for spiritual reassurance when they are ill.

"We wanted to make it possible for patients to take part in a worship service if they wanted to, even if they weren't able to get out of bed to go to one," said Geri Fuller-Col, community relations director and hospital coordinator for the program. "We've received such positive response to the program, however, that now we are looking into other uses for the medium of closed-circuit television."

In addition, patients who are able to get about, families of patients, and employees, who wish to attend a half-hour worship service on Saturday or Sunday mornings may do so at 11:00 a.m. Chaplain A. C. Marple gears these services especially for the hospital family.

BULLETIN BOARD

A SERVICE TO CHURCHES
IN THE COLUMBIA UNION CONFERENCE.

GARDEN STATE ACADEMY ALUMNI HOME-COMING, May 2 and 3. Pastor Al Williams will have the Friday evening services. President Don Schneider will lead out in the Sabbath morning worship. There will be a potluck dinner and special music by students. Business meeting after sundown.

MOUNT VERNON ACADEMY ALUMNI HOME-COMING, April 26. Special-feature speaker for Sabbath school will be Dr. Terry Schmunk. Dr. Paul Cannon will have the 11:00 a.m. service. Alumni talent program Saturday night.

UNION SPRINGS ACADEMY ANNUAL HOME-COMING, May 2 and 3, Union Springs, New York. Honor classes are 1930, 1940, 1945, 1955, and 1970. Sabbath morning speaker will be Roger Dudley. Banquet and business meeting Saturday evening. Come for a weekend of fellowship and worship.

ADVERTISEMENTS

NURSING OPPORTUNITIES AT LOMA LINDA. We have immediate openings for R.N.'s, and are continually upgrading our benefits package. Excellent working conditions with opportunities for continued education and specialization. If you qualify we may even be able to help with the cost of your move. Call us collect, M-F, (714) 796-7311, Ext. 3928.

WHERE TO STAY IN SWITZERLAND: At Pension Pilgruher in Interlaken, right in the heart of Switzerland, in the midst of beautiful scenery such as the Jungfrau. Reasonable prices. Write to Pension Pilgruher, CH-3800 Interlaken. Phone (036) 22 30 51.

WANT TO MOVE TO SMC THIS SUMMER? For Sale—delightful 2-year-old custom-built energy-saving home only 2 miles from SMC. Wood stove, den, 3 bedrooms, 3 baths, and other fine features. \$54,500. Clymera Lorren, Altsman Realty, Box 1193, Collegedale, Tennessee 37315. Check for other Collegedale listings.

HOUSE FOR SALE (large rambler, custom built!) 3-4 bedrooms, beautiful family room main floor, two baths, spacious kitchen, two-car garage, walk-out basement, screened porch with private sun deck, ¾ acre (more acreage if desired), professional landscaping, fruit trees. Two miles from Spencerville school. \$145,500 (301) 384-2498. Brokers welcome, 3 percent.

FOR SALE—Brand-new rambler, three bedrooms, two full baths, country kitchen, dining room, wall-to-wall carpet, carport, ½ acre, within walking distance of Spencerville school, walkout basement with heatatator fireplace. House built with energy conservation in mind. Central air, heat pump. \$84,000 or rent with option to buy. (301) 421-1003.

FOR SALE: Two level, wooded lots near Chesapeake Bay. One zoned commercial. Great recreational facilities. Owner financing. \$5,000 each. Proceeds to Sligo SDA church. Call Panorama Real Estate (301) 593-5336, or Gail Young (301) 431-2129.

PISGAH ESTATES RETIREMENT CENTER in beautiful North Carolina, near church, Adventist hospital, and Western North Carolina Medical Center, ideal climate, scenery. All homes on ground level, carpeted, electric heat, fireplace. For further information, write: S. E. White, Pisgah Estates, Box 6953, Asheville, North Carolina 28816; (704) 667-5508.

LOOKING FOR EXTRA \$\$ without sacrificing present employment? Market gas-saving, engine-extending, synthetic AMS/OIL lubricants for cars, trucks, and farm equipment. More money possible in your spare time than your present business or job. Free literature. Louis Rosenthal, 10548 Harvest Avenue, Santa Fe Springs, California 90670; (213) 863-2942.

LIVE-IN STOP SMOKING PROGRAM For those who need to get away from it all for a while. Five full days of comprehensive therapy. Write: Brooke Grove Health Center, Dept. 410, Olney, Maryland 20832; (301) 774-3575. Ask for details about our live-in weight management program.

REAL ESTATE. For relocation assistance or information in purchasing or selling a home or business in the Washington metropolitan area, contact Delores A. Kinsey, a full-time Realtor Associate, specializing in Northern Virginia. Shannon & Luchs Realtors, Delores A. Kinsey, 313 W. Maple Avenue, Vienna, Virginia 22180. Office: (703) 938-6070; residence: (703) 560-3956.

PAINTERS NEEDED IMMEDIATELY: Experience necessary. Must have a good work record and like working in seashore area. Steady work. Must be a willing and dedicated worker. Call (609) 861-2511.

BIBLE WORKERS NEEDED: Newly formed church is seeking ambitious person eager to supplement present income as a Bible worker in a seashore area. We are interested in retired pastors, colporteurs, missionaries, or any dedicated worker interested in spreading the gospel. We're a warm, loving, enthusiastic, and very active church group. Call now and talk it over: (609) 861-2511, or write: Parkway South Seventh-day Adventist Church, P.O. Box 52, Sea Isle City, New Jersey 08243.

GENERAL CONFERENCE RISK MANAGEMENT SERVICES, Washington, D.C., office, has a job opportunity for a P&C underwriter. The position requires two years of heavy commercial lines P&C underwriting experience. Interested parties please contact Manager, Administrative Services, 6930 Carroll Avenue, Takoma Park, Maryland 20012.

GENERAL CONFERENCE RISK MANAGEMENT SERVICES, Washington, D.C., office, has a job opportunity for a loss-control specialist. The position requires two years of property, liability, and workers' compensation loss-control experience. Interested parties please contact Manager, Administrative Services, 6930 Carroll Avenue, Takoma Park, Maryland 20012.

WANTED—Production manager for furniture factory. Must be experienced from milling through shipping. This is denominational employment and carries denominational benefits, including retirement. Excellent pay. Contacts strictly confidential. Call or write Bob Jacobson at Thunderbird Furniture, 13401 N. Scottsdale Rd., Scottsdale, Arizona 85254. Phone (602) 948-0600.

OWN YOUR OWN RESORT HOME on small quiet lake in Maine. Over 3 acres wooded land with 300-foot lake frontage. Built 1971. Fully insulated. Electric heat. Ethan Allen furniture. Quaker Maid kitchen. Artesian well. \$48,500. Phone (615) 236-4729.

DRIED FRUITS, NUTS, GRAINS, beans, flours, spices, teas, vegetable-enzyme cheeses, carob items, and more. Complete line of meat substitutes. Order individually or save with group orders. You will be pleased with our high quality and low prices. Send for free catalog. Granny's Pantry, P.O. Box 346, Interlaken, New York 14847.

RETIREMENT CENTER. Consideration is being given to the establishment of an SDA retirement center in Wytheville, Virginia, by the Medical Group Foundation and Wytheville Hospital, both of which are nonprofit corporations. Wytheville is situated in the beautiful mountain area of southwestern Virginia at the intersection of Interstates 77 and 81. If you have any interest as a resident in this project and desire additional information, please write to the Medical Group Foundation, Inc., 4404 Queensbury Road, Riverdale, Maryland 20840; or call (301) 699-2350.

BE YOUR OWN BOSS—Earn \$100 to \$1,000 plus per month in spare time selling 25,000-mile synthetic AMS/OIL. Phone or write John McCoy, Route 2, Box 87, Danville, Ohio 43014. Phone: (614) 599-7757.

Preparing for the Harvest

	These Times	Signs	Message	El Centinela*
When purchased in U.S.A.	5.50	3.50	4.50	3.00
10-99 to one address	4.75	3.25	4.00	2.75
100 or more to one address	4.60	2.95	3.75	2.50
When purchased in Canada	6.50	3.50	5.50	4.80
10-99 to one address	5.75	3.25	5.00	4.50
100 or more to one address	5.60	2.95	4.75	4.20

Israelite—for your Jewish friends \$4.00

In U.S.A. add \$1.00 to prices of THESE TIMES, SIGNS and EL CENTINELA, or 75 cents to price of MESSAGE for each subscription for overseas areas.

*Also available in French and Portuguese.

Journals mailed outside your country may require extra postage. For full particulars consult your church lay activities secretary or Adventist Book Center.

Prices subject to change without notice. Order through your local church lay activities secretary or Adventist Book Center.



COUNTRY LIVING in the peaceful Shenandoah Valley. Is it time to move your family to the country? Contact us for information on homes, farms, acreage, and business properties, near Shenandoah Valley Academy (grades 1-12). New Market Realty, Jerry and Doris Swanson, Realtors, 358 W. Old Cross Road, New Market, Virginia 22844. (703) 740-3133.

EASTERN SHORE JUNIOR ACADEMY desires families to locate in upper Maryland Eastern Shore—Delaware. Rural area between Chesapeake and Delaware bays. Farming and light nonpolluting industries. Six churches. Call (301) 438-3288 or write: Principal, Eastern Shore Junior Academy, Route 1, Box 54B, Sudlersville, Maryland 21668.

SINGLE? Do you make things happen or wait for something to happen? If you are an action person and would like to date someone special, write ADVENTIST CONTACT, P.O. Box 4250, Takoma Park, Maryland 20012. (Under 18 not eligible.)

FOR SALE—Adirondack Mountain Refuge, 33 acres 8 miles west of Corinth, New York. Beautiful insulated home. Stream, garden, timber, well. Adjacent wilderness area. All-seasons road. Reasonable. Southern Union Trust property. Contact C. G. Cross, P.O. Box 849, Decatur, Georgia 30031. Phone (404) 299-1832.

PHYSICAL THERAPIST: Exceptional career opportunity in modern 106-bed acute care hospital committed to the highest standards of medical service. We are seeking an individual with the demonstrated abilities and interests to potentially assume managerial responsibilities in this busy department with planned expansion, including development of health education programs. New Jersey registered (or eligible). Academy, elementary school, and several churches within five miles. We offer good salary and complete benefits program. Please send résumé to Personnel Director, Hackettstown Community Hospital, Hackettstown, New Jersey 07840; or call collect (201) 852-5100, extension 137.

LOOKING FOR A GOOD CAR? Larry Policano, well-established automobile wholesaler serving Adventists, is the man to see for large savings on all types of cars. He recently expanded his operations by purchasing Ballard Auto Sales, Burtonsville, Maryland (Routes 198 and 29), and is happy to serve church members in the D.C., Maryland, and Virginia areas. For more information call Peter Esveld or Larry Policano at (301) 384-5623 daily, 9:00 A.M. to 8:00 P.M., and Friday, 9:00 A.M. to 3:00 P.M. Sunday by appointment only.

INSURANCE—For all your insurance needs (auto, home, life, health, business, retirement, mutual funds) call Russell Isaac (301) 439-4410; or visit 7676 New Hampshire Avenue, Suite 116, most conveniently located in the Langley Park shopping center.

FILL YOUR MAILBOX WITH FRIENDSHIP! Share your interests, express a viewpoint, and strengthen your Christian experience by pen palting with SDAs across the nation and the world. All ages welcome! For information send self-addressed, stamped envelope to Christian Fellowship for Adventists, P.O. Box 796, Silver Spring, Maryland 20901.

ADVERTISING RATES

Minimum charge, \$6.50 per insertion for 50 words or less for ads originating within the Columbia Union, and \$12.00 per insertion for all others. Additional words, 28 cents a word. All ads appearing for the first time should be placed through the local conference and bear a statement of conference approval. Payment must accompany ads. Make checks or money orders payable to Columbia Union Visitor Supplement Office, 7710 Carroll Avenue, Takoma Park, Md. 20012. Telephoned advertisements are not accepted. There is a \$1.00 service charge per insertion for blind advertisements where the replies are sent to the Visitor office. A copy of the advertising policy is available upon request.

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HOUR OF PRAYER

REQUESTS FOR PRAYER

Delaware

● Continue to remember my daughter and son who have health problems because of their nerves, my husband to give up drinking and seek the Lord, and me in my loneliness and sickness. ● Pray for my Christian friends who are bothering my home.

Maryland

● Pray for me to lose 40 pounds, and for my husband who has a heart problem. Also for our five children and their families.

Ohio

● I am having a problem trying to get my birth certificate. Please pray that God will help me.

Pennsylvania

● Please remember my four children and me. My husband left us and we are alone living in a bad area where my son has gotten into trouble.

Virginia

● Pray for my husband, who had a stroke, and for our house to sell. ● Please pray for my grandson who is in trouble, and also my granddaughter.

Washington, D.C.

● Pray for a new member who has come into the church through the Breath of Life Crusade.

PRAYER PROMISE

"For the Lord God will help me; therefore shall I not be confounded: therefore have I set my face like a flint, and I know that I shall not be ashamed" (Isa. 50:7).

Send us your prayer promises. Address all requests for prayer to:
Hour of Prayer, 7710 Carroll Avenue, Takoma Park, Maryland 20012

OBITUARIES

GEARY, Charlotte Staughton, b. Sept. 29, 1896, Braddock, Allegheny County, Pa.; d. Feb. 22, 1980, Silver Spring, Md. Survivors: two daughters, Charlotte Francis and Patricia Kennedy; four sisters, Elizabeth Dowell, Laura Leizear, Eloise Vannix, and Bea Cole; and seven grandchildren.

HEIL, Donna M., b. September 3, 1961, Allentown, Pa.; d. January 20, 1980, Allentown. She was a member of the Allentown church. Survivors: parents, James F. and Anieta with whom she resided; a maternal grandfather, Raymond Andrews of Kunkletown, Pa.

INGELS, Deana, b. June 23, 1884, Kokomo, Ind.; d. Feb. 9, 1980. She worked as secretary to the medical director for the Washington Adventist Hospital from 1921 to 1971. Survivors: two nieces and a nephew.

LIPSCOMB, Eyria, b. Dec. 8, 1962, Mason County, W. Va.; d. Feb. 21, 1980, Middleport, Ohio. The deceased was a member of the Pomeroy, Ohio, church. Survivors: parents, Robert and Elsie Lipscomb; brothers, Robert, Daniel, and William.

MOSLER, Linnie Kirk; b. May 4, 1902; d. Aug. 21, 1979, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. She was a member of the Philadelphia Boulevard church. Services were conducted by Pastor Jerry Small, with interment in Whitmarsh Memorial Park. Survivors: one brother, Kenneth Coughenour; two sisters, Alberta Brown and Audrie Miller.

TAYLOR, Rheba M., b. Dec. 3, 1901, Ashland County, Ohio; d. Feb. 12, 1980, Shelby, Ohio. She was a member of the Blooming Grove church. Survivors: Widower, Harlan; sons, Harlan, Jr., Merle and Vaughn; and daughters, Mrs. Lawrence (Dorothy) Wuthrich and Mrs. Hoy (Evelyn) Ryan.

WHITEMAN, Charles Leroy, b. March 22, 1890, Scotch Hill, Clarion County, Pa.; d. Jan. 20, 1980, Marienville, Pa. He was a member of the Seneca church. Survivors: two sisters, Maude Fitzgerald and Katherine Lantz; one brother, Keith; and nieces and nephews.

LEGAL NOTICE

Annual Meeting of the Corporation of Hadley Memorial Hospital

The ninth annual meeting of the Corporation of Hadley Memorial Hospital will be held at the Columbia Union Conference office at 7710 Carroll Avenue, Takoma Park, Maryland. The meeting is called for Tuesday, May 13, 1980, at 10:00 A.M. The purpose of this meeting is to receive reports, amend the bylaws, elect trustees, and transact such other business as may properly come before the corporation at that time.

C. O. ELDRIDGE, *Chairman of the Board of Trustees*
JAMES SUZUKI, *Secretary of the Board of Trustees*

SUNSET CALENDAR

	EST	DST				
	Apr. 18	Apr. 25	May 2	May 9		
Baltimore, Md.	6:47	6:54	8:00	8:07		
Cincinnati, Ohio	7:18	7:25	8:32	8:38		
Cleveland, Ohio	7:10	7:17	8:25	8:32		
Columbus, Ohio	7:13	7:20	8:27	8:34		
Jersey City, N.J.	6:38	6:45	7:53	8:00		
Norfolk, Va.	6:42	6:48	7:55	8:01		
Parkersburg, W. Va. . . .	7:06	7:13	8:20	8:27		
Philadelphia, Pa.	6:42	6:49	7:56	8:03		
Pittsburgh, Pa.	7:02	7:09	8:16	8:23		
Reading, Pa.	6:45	6:53	8:00	8:07		
Richmond, Va.	6:47	6:53	8:00	8:06		
Roanoke, Va.	6:58	7:04	8:10	8:17		
Scranton, Pa.	6:46	6:54	8:01	8:08		
Toledo, Ohio	7:19	7:26	8:34	8:41		
Trenton, N.J.	6:41	6:48	7:55	8:02		
Washington, D.C.	6:48	6:55	8:01	8:08		

Professors From Six Colleges Meet and Discuss Applied Theology

"It was the most profitable gathering that I have attended in the area of teaching these practical subjects that I have had the opportunity to be exposed to since becoming a teacher." Dr. Carl Coffman, chairman of the Religion Department at Andrews University, was talking about the first Applied Theology Workshop on the East Coast.

February 8-10, professors for applied theology from six colleges met



Dr. Norman Johnson (CUC) and Dr. Ben Reaves (OC)

at Columbia Union College. Their goal was better teaching on the undergraduate level in the areas of preaching, public evangelism, personal evangelism, and pastoral leadership. Each professor was assigned a topic for presentation. These were followed by in-depth discussions.



Dr. Douglas Bennett (SMC) and Dr. Carl Coffman (AU)

Two presentations about undergraduate training for ministers were by church administrators. Elder Don Reynolds, president of the Ohio Conference, spoke on "The Minister for the '80's," and Dr. William Loveless, president of CUC, discussed "My Dream: The Church of the '80's."

The colleges represented were Atlantic Union College, Andrews University, CUC, Oakwood College, Southern Missionary College, and

Union College. Dr. Douglas Bennett, chairman of the religion department at SMC, applauded the practical and helpful program planned for this initial meeting.

Dr. Rex Edwards, associate professor for applied theology at CUC and coordinator of the workshop, reported that the next Applied Theology Workshop was scheduled for the winter of 1981 at Atlantic Union College in Massachusetts.

Alumni Encourage Others to Enroll in CUC's Secretarial Program

"More than ever, today's world demands a person with not only specific skills but a broad general knowledge, culminating in an ability to meet the challenges of life in a variety of ways. College has a unique way of widening one's horizons as nothing else can. I can't imagine what I would exchange for the years I spent at CUC—the social contacts, the religious concepts gained, the life companion I met there, the opportunities presented to prepare for a lifework of teaching that has helped to make my life fulfilled and purposeful."—Doris Kopko, B.S. Secretarial, 1958.

"I do feel that a Christian education is more vital than ever. All around us are signs that this earth's life span as we now know it is very short—Jesus is

coming very soon, so our young people need to be preparing more for heaven than for future jobs on earth."—Gloria Pohle, B.S., 1969.

"I really thought the program at CUC was exceptional. After taking more secretarial classes at another college, I still think so! Classes were generally well organized, and in their lectures teachers presented not only that which was stressed in the textbook but also that which was gained from personal experience. I especially appreciated getting to know the teachers. . . . I'm also glad I chose a Christian college, because of the spiritual atmosphere. It was very meaningful for me to hear teachers and fellow students speak about what Jesus meant to them. I think it's very

important that we learn to integrate our spiritual and secular lives. . . ." —Cynthia Bullock Waring, A.A., 1977.

This is just a small sampling of what former secretarial students are saying about CUC and the secretarial program.

In response to demand, the secretarial department is strengthening the program with the goal of making it possible for our students to become certified medical assistants. For more information about this program, contact the Office Administration Department, Columbia Union College, Takoma Park, Maryland 20012.

DIANA FITZSIMONS
Associate Professor
Office Administration