

THE apostle Paul had preached the gospel at Thessalonica three successive Sabbaths, and though some believed, others violently opposed the message. So strong was this opposition that the brethren sent Paul by night to Berea. As his custom was, the servant of the Lord went into the meeting place once again to proclaim the gospel.

"These were more noble than those in Thessalonica, in that they received the word with all readiness of mind, and searched the scriptures daily, whether those things were so." (Acts 17:11).

The story has often been told of the Bereans of old. It is a simple story, yet a very beautiful one. Has it been told so often that it has become threadbare by now? Not at all. It is true that it is not spoken of quite so much in these days, but it has by no means lost its force.

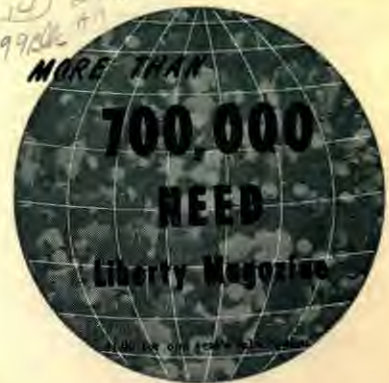


G. R. Nash

bath School stands for! As every member of our church believes in soul winning, it stands to reason that every member believes in the Sabbath School.

Do you believe in the Sabbath School? Of course you do! Do you attend regularly, and are you there on time every Sabbath? There may be reasons why you cannot get there every week; but are you there every time it is possible to attend? That is a fair question, is it not?

Let me ask another question: Can you afford to neglect Sabbath School? Frankly, I feel that I cannot afford to miss my class even once a year. I must be there! It is the first meeting held on Sabbath, as a rule. How delightful it is to stand up with the rest of the members to sing the opening hymn! What a joy it is to open the Bible at the appointed place and read the sacred Scriptures—just as Jesus did at the beginning of His ministry; just as the Bereans did, not only on the Sabbath, but every day. And how thankful we are for the privilege of uniting our hearts with the rest of the members as we kneel in prayer, humbly asking for God's blessing on the school and



Sunday Legislation Opens Wide Doors

Never before in modern times have the efforts to curb religious freedom been more objectively directed. Legislators across the country are being diligently and systematically equipped with the tools necessary to act. Sunday closing bills are being written and finely combed for defects. Every effort is being made to seek the good will of voters. Untiring study is being expended to perfect bills that will not antagonize any person who worships God on Saturday or any other day of the week. The pushers for Sunday legislation are in earnest.

Here in the state of Illinois, which comprises the Illinois Conference territory, it is anticipated that Sunday closing bills will be promptly introduced in the opening session of the state legislature. The legislature takes up its duties in January. No time has been lost since the close of the 1963 legislature, by the proponents of Sunday closing laws. There will be a well organized, adequately financed machine working with the legislature to gain the objectives.

All this news of activity on the part of the commercial interests, merchants, religious leaders, and others interested in the cause, provides a challenge to God's people. Every action in this field of legislation opens the door to the flooding power of God's lighted message. When these steam rolling pres-

Why I Attend Sabbath School

How grateful our evangelists and pastors would be to have the privilege of meeting groups of Bereans in these difficult times! The narrative tells us that the Bereans listened readily to the words spoken, then searched the Bible for themselves every day. What for? To see whether what they had heard was indeed in harmony with what they read. What was the result of these evangelistic meetings and the Bible studies in the people's homes?

"Therefore many of them believed; also of honourable women which were Greeks, and of men, not a few." (Acts 17:12).

Soul winning! Yes, that was what the apostle stood for, and that was what the students of the Bible were interested in. And that is what the Sab-

all its activities, and on the glorious gospel work, which is being carried even to the uttermost part of the earth. When the superintendent makes his few remarks we listen attentively, because the Lord may have a message for us through His servant. The same applies to the reading of the secretary's report; there is always something worthwhile in a good Sabbath School report.

And then the classes! That is where the Berean idea reveals its true worth. Can we assume, as we take our places, that all in the class have studied their lesson every day? I venture to say, however, that no matter how well you have studied your lesson during the week, you will learn something new

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(See *LIBERTY* on p. 14)

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in the class, and often a great deal if you have the will to learn. That goes for the teacher as well as for the student.

Week by week as we meet in the class we become more and more established in the truth and therefore better equipped for service. Just what do I mean by service? Service means doing all we can to reach others with the message. The messenger of the Lord wrote, as recorded in *Testimonies on Sabbath School Work*, p. 74, "The Lord desires that those who are engaged in the Sabbath school work should be missionaries, able to go forth to the towns and villages that surround the church." Ellen G. White further states, "The great work of opening the Bible from house to house in Bible readings gives an added importance to the Sabbath school work." *Counsels on Sabbath School Work*, p. 83. So week by week in the Sabbath School we are trained for service, in Branch Sabbath School work and other forms of "outreach" evangelism.

Have I omitted any important part of the Sabbath School? Ah, yes, the offering. This is very important because it is a missionary offering. It is the means by which we can carry on our soul-winning work in the regions beyond. The larger the attendance at Sabbath School, the larger the offering for missions and the greater the amount of work we can do for God.

For all of these reasons I attend Sabbath School—the depth of thought and the spiritual energy that I gain from the study of the Word, the joy of fellowship with the other members of the school, the worldwide vision that is gained from the mission stories, the satisfaction of giving to help advance the work in all the earth, the assurance in my soul that the Sabbath School's blessings have been heightened because I have followed God's plan by attending Sabbath School. To those who have been missing these blessings I say, "Come with us, and we will do thee good."

G. R. NASH

*Sabbath School Secretary
General Conference*

A Plea From Tanganyika

Have you ever conducted a children's Sabbath School without equipment or pictures? Imagine not having anything to show them, or to keep up their interest. Because we have few facilities, and no funds for this work, our African

VICTORY! ALMOST!

Today we have two conferences over their goals. Indiana and Illinois have not only passed their goals, but surpassed their final totals for last year. Congratulations to these two conferences for being the first. Illinois is again a Silver Vanguard conference. It wouldn't surprise me to see all three of the other conferences going over next week. Michigan, Lake Region, and Wisconsin each have an excellent gain over last year at this time.

We trust that all will keep in mind the importance of their follow-up work with contacts that have been good. We can not emphasize this enough. Be sure to follow through with a free subscription to *These Times* or give a book of the year. This has been the best Ingathering campaign yet. We much appreciate the faithfulness of all.

VERNON FLORY

Lake Union Home Missionary Secretary

Sabbath Schools have little or no equipment, many do not even have a picture roll. This is an appeal to all Sabbath Schools who have old picture rolls, memory verse cards, or other equipment, to send it to the Sabbath School Department, Box 26, Musoma, Tanganyika, Africa.

Smokers' Dial Offers Suggestions for Quitting

Smokers in Denver, Colo., may telephone Smokers' Dial any time of the day or night for advice on how to break the smoking habit. A telephone service on the other end of the line gives a 60-second recorded message

HOW MODERN



MUST ONE BE?

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HOME STUDY INSTITUTE

Takoma Park Washington 12, D. C.

designed to help the smoker decide to stop smoking. The message is changed three times weekly. Porter Memorial Hospital, is sponsoring the Smokers' Dial in connection with sessions of the church coordinated Five-Day Plan to Stop Smoking. During the last two years nearly 2,000 persons have graduated from Five-Day Plans held at Porter Hospital.

Middle East Press Offers Health Course in Arabic Braille

A health correspondence course is now available in Arabic Braille for blind persons in the Middle East. Published in Beirut, Lebanon, by the Seventh-day Adventist Church's Middle East Press, the course consists of 16 lessons with self-grading questions. A diploma is awarded to persons completing the course. The health lessons are a feature of a new religious-health magazine published in Arabic Braille by the Adventist Church. C. V. Brauer, director of lay activities for the Middle East Division, is in charge of the project. The magazine is published with financial assistance from the Adventists' Christian Record Braille Foundation, with headquarters in Lincoln, Nebr.

Now in the Spanish Language! Prophetic Guidance Correspondence Course

"Ye shall know the truth and the truth shall make you free."

To know the doctrines of the church is important. To know the background of the rise and progress of the remnant church in its march toward the eternal kingdom of God is essential. In these "latter days" when every false wind of religious teaching will seek to make inroads into the life of the Seventh-day Adventist church, God's people need to be fortified with the

teachings of the Bible and counsels provided through the writings of the Spirit of Prophecy.

There are 24 lessons in the course, accompanied by the text book, *La Orientacion Profetica en el Movimiento Adventista*, (*The Prophetic Guidance in the Advent Movement*.) This course is already being used by thousands of our church members in South America and Inter-America. Some churches in the United States have commenced to use them also. We are indebted to the General Conference, the Ellen G. White Publications, and the Voice of Prophecy for making these lessons available.

All requests for information regarding cost of lessons and methods for conducting classes in the church, may be obtained by writing to: The Prophetic Guidance School, Box 200, Glendale 5, Calif.

Wesley Amundsen, Secretary
N.A. Missions Committee

One Out of Three Who Drink Run Into Problems

An affair between man and alcohol today too often results in an unhappy marriage, and a divorce is almost impossible to get, an authority on alcoholism said recently.

Herbert H. Hill, executive director, Alcohol Problems Association, Seattle, Wash., told students at the Washington Institute of Scientific Studies for the Prevention of Alcoholism that just as one out of every three marriages comes to grief, so does one out of every three social drinkers encounter some sort of trouble resulting from his use of alcohol.

"Whether it is a drinking driving accident, domestic problems, economic difficulties, or social habituation and addiction, nearly one out of every three social drinkers is heading for trouble," Hill stated.

He said the public owes a debt of gratitude to the communications media for educating the masses regarding the many signs of oncoming alcoholism. This has resulted in earlier recognition and treatment for many, he said, although only 1 percent of the six million alcoholics in the U. S. is presently being helped.

The progression from social drinking to alcoholism, Hill said, includes five stages:

Stage 1: *Orientation*. This stage—where many stop—centers around getting acquainted with alcohol out of experimental curiosity. High school students and others often start drinking to conform socially.

Stage 2: *Honeymoon or Euphoric*.

This stage begins when the drinker finds drinking a pleasurable experience and continues to drink to heighten pleasure. Though his drinking still presents no apparent problem, the social drinker now drinks for enjoyment.

Stage 3: *Dependence*. Until the drinker moves into this stage, he is not in immediate danger. But once he finds himself becoming increasingly dependent upon drinking to sustain pleasure and escape boredom, he is in real trouble.

Drinking is now an essential ingredient of his happiness and he makes it a part of almost every activity. At this point, an individual should and can quit on his own. If he cannot quit, he should obtain professional help. He stands at the critical crossroads of potential alcoholism.

Stage 4: *Adjustment*. At this stage, the drinker is addicted. He probably cannot quit without professional help, for his addiction is complete. His

drinking patterns involve compensation for declining physical and professional skills. As his problem grows and hampers other phases of his life, he drinks to escape the consequences of his diminished capabilities.

Stage 5: *Survival*. Sometimes called the "squirrel cage" period because of its self-defeating cycle of drinking to relieve symptoms of alcoholism, the fifth stage is a desperate struggle for survival.

Without alcohol, the drinker may tremble so badly that he cannot hold a fork or tie his shoes. Constant drinking provides his only relief, yet at the same time saps the drinker physically and increases the frequency and severity of his symptoms. He drinks to achieve oblivion.

Anyone recognizing his own drift through this progression of stages toward ultimate loss of control should seek at once the effective professional help that is now available, Hill stated.

HINSDALE SANITARIUM AND HOSPITAL

Employee and Supervisor Of the Year

Mrs. Olive DeLay, 129 North Elm St., Hinsdale, was declared employee of the year at Hinsdale Sanitarium and Hospital. Mrs. DeLay has been a cook at the San since 1946 and during the past five years she has been responsible for the preparation of all staff luncheons and has been in charge of salad production. She trains as many as three new employees each year in the art of salad making, reports her supervisor, Bill Mulske.

Supervisor of the year is Mrs. Emory Bowen, 616 East Hickory, Hinsdale, assistant coordinator of inservice education. A 1949 graduate from the San's school of nursing, Mrs. Bowen has been employed at the hospital since 1960. Among her responsibilities are orientation of classes for all candy strikers, volunteers, aides and orderlies as well as educational programs for nursing personnel on all levels now employed at the San. Her fellow employees characterize her as "optimistic" and always pleasant and willing to accept suggestions for improving hospital service.

The awards were made at the annual employee Christmas event at the San December 17.



Mrs. Emory Bowen and Mrs. Olive DeLay receive their honor citations.

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SPOTLIGHT

ON BOOKS



inch playing board, with Bible question cards included.

Another good game for juniors and seniors is the new "Denominational History" game.

In this game there are 100 cards divided into 25 sets. The first set, for example, deals with the signs of Christ's coming. Some of the other sets deal with the Sabbath truth, the Spirit of Prophecy, etc. It is played like the well-known Authors.

These games will be good for birthday giving, awards or for any occasion for which you wish to use them. Buy today and play tomorrow and while you are buying think of someone else to whom you can give games as good gifts.

You may get these from your Book and Bible House now. The "Bible Journeys" game is \$2.75 and the "Denominational History" game is \$2.00. Add tax where necessary and a few cents for postage.

GEORGE H. TAGGART, *Manager*
Michigan Book and Bible House



sergeants at arms; Dave Knecht, Murry Loft-house, sponsors. Juniors: Bruce Moor, president; DeAnn Wrate, vice-president; Germae Sharpe, secretary; Beth Susens, treasurer; Dave Taylor, pastor; Murray Stuck, parliamentarian; Denny Mullen, sergeant at arms; Neal VanderWall, sponsor. Sophomores: Tim Berger, president; Karen Vetne, vice-president; Linda Drake, secretary; Ivan Stuck, treasurer; Bob Quickley, pastor; Randy Kelly, sergeant at arms; Adell Haughey, Hall Finnell, sponsors. Freshmen: Claralynn Omans, president; Gordon Wildman, vice-president; Bonnie Willard, secretary; Robert Maehre, treasurer; Jim Davidson, pastor; Teresa Evrard, sergeant at arms; Vesper Dodd, Erich Bekowies, sponsors.

B.C.A. Students interested in the rehabilitation of the disabled attended a convention of several thousand young people in Cobo Hall in Detroit on Sunday, November 10. In attendance to acquaint the students with the rehabilitation vocations were leading doctors, social workers and other specialists. On hand to help attendance was Richard Chamberlain of TV's Dr. Kildare.

B.V.A. Elder Fordyce Detamore was guest Sabbath speaker, December 12. At that time, his evangelistic team was in Chicago for a series of meetings and his willingness to speak to our academy youth of B.V.A. was very much appreciated.

B.V.A. The MV Department of B.V.A. is currently sponsoring a Leader Craft Course. The future master guides greatly appreciate Elder Edsell, MV leader for Illinois, scheduling this course to help them as they continue toward their goal in the MV class work. An investiture is planned at Broadview Academy sometime in the spring, states G. Richardson, MV advisor.

G.L.A. Elder Hnatyshyn was the guest of the academy on the weekend of December 11. He spoke for the Friday evening and Sabbath services.

G.L.A. December 12 the G.L.A. choir had a Christmas program featuring both the regular choir and the glee clubs.

G.L.A. Senior class benefit will be Jan. 23, 1965. Walt Disney's *The Great Locomotive Chase* will be shown in the academy cafeteria. There will be two showings, 6:00 p.m. and 8:00 p.m. The funds raised will go for the senior trip. Get your tickets from any senior or at the door.

W.A. The Junior class of Wisconsin Academy entertained the student body, faculty, and staff, with a pompous "Coming-Out" Saturday evening, December 19. The officers were dressed as royalty, and the entire class of 72 members marched into the gym by candlelight. A short program was given, and a Walt Disney film was shown.

W.A. The MV Society of Wisconsin Academy has recently introduced new activities into their programs. The "MV Action Hour," as it is called, provides for participation in two sunshine bands, two discussion groups, a literature mailing band, a foreign mission band, two nature study groups, and an MV Master Guide Club. The students have received the varied activities with much enthusiasm. The "MV Action Hour" is planned for the second Sabbath of each month in place of the regular program.

W.A. Classes were suspended for two hours Monday afternoon, December 7, to let the students make use of the excellent ice on the Crawfish River which runs past the Wisconsin Academy campus. Most of the students enjoyed ice skating, while some preferred just to wash each other's faces with snow!

Comments . . . from Academy Campuses

A.A.—Adelphian Academy, Holly, Mich.; **A.U.A.**—Andrews University Academy, Berrien Springs, Mich.; **B.C.A.**—Battle Creek Academy, Battle Creek, Mich.; **B.V.A.**—Broadview Academy, La Fox, Ill.; **C.L.A.**—Cedar Lake Academy, Cedar Lake, Mich.; **G.L.A.**—Grand Ledge Academy, Grand Ledge, Mich.; **I.A.**—Indiana Academy, Cicero, Ind.; **W.A.**—Wisconsin Academy, Columbus, Wis.

A.A. The Vespers service, Friday, December 11, in the A.A. chapel was sponsored by the Medical Science Club. The Medical Science Club, something new here at A.A., is for all who are interested in medicine or science. The program featured sacred readings, with a background of guitars, and songs with the emphasis on the birth of Christ.

A.A. On Saturday, December 12, the A.A. Temperance Society presented the MV service in the A.A. chapel. The program consisted of talks with the subjects, "Moderation for Teenagers," and "Know Thyself." A film was shown depicting a canoe race and the great amount of training needed to participate.

A.A. The students of Adelphian attended the biannual Girls' Reception on December 13, in E. P. Weaver Auditorium. The auditorium was gaily decorated in the theme of "Christmas South of the Border." After a delicious meal and a film, the students returned to their dorms.

A.A. The Adelphian Academy Choir presented a program, under the direction of Dwight Rhodes, on Saturday evening, Decem-

ber 12, in the E. P. Weaver Auditorium. The program consisted of a variety of sacred and semi-classical songs having to do with the coming holiday of Christmas.

A.A. The A.A. chapter of the American Temperance Society conducted the November 19 chapel. A film, the latest release from the I.T.A., entitled "Beyond a Reasonable Doubt," was shown. It dealt with the ever-rising rate of diseases caused from smoking. The temperance leaders then outlined the local plans, such as a city-wide oratorical contest.

A.A. On December 5, the students of Adelphian assembled in the E. P. Weaver Auditorium for a Christmas program. The program included selections from the Brass Choir, a skit about a rag doll titled "I have a pain in my sawdust," Christmas songs, and the movie, Charles Dickens' "A Christmas Carol."

B.C.A. Seniors, juniors, sophomores, and freshmen have organized their classes and the results are as follows: Seniors: John Vetne, president; Phyllis Fogg, vice-president; Marie Loughman, secretary; Steve Fox, treasurer; Robbie Sink, pastor; Eileen Moon, Phil Essex,

from the States of the Union

INDIANA



GOAL	\$108,000.00
Per Capita	21.49
To Date	110,397.47

Indiana News Notes Jeffersonville District

★ Spring revival meetings held in both district churches, Livonia and Jeffersonville, resulted in five baptisms, one rebaptism, and a greater closeness to the Lord. Fall ten-day revival meetings held in Livonia in October resulted in two decisions for Christ, and many interests, some of which are grouped together into a cottage meeting.

An aggressive literature program started in the Spring in both churches, using the tract "This May Startle You." The program has brought many interest cards pouring back through the Bible Information Center initiated in the area. Over 10,000 homes have received this tract to date, and before the program is finished, it is expected that 5,000 more will receive it. Interests from this work being done by the churches are already attending church.

★ During the March disaster floods in the Louisville area, the Jeffersonville Dorcas Welfare Society under the leadership of Mrs. G. Lewis, handled all the clothing distribution for the American Red Cross in Jeffersonville, for which it received an award certificate outstanding service rendered.

★ To help the youth in Jeffersonville, a Pathfinder organization was initiated in the spring of 1964 with 18 charter members. Through its activities,

which are being promoted and strengthened, the youth of the church are being led to a closer walk with Christ.

★ A new emphasis on Public Relations has netted better church-public relations for the Jeffersonville Church, and the Indiana "Press Secretary of the Year" award for Mrs. Goldie Hickey, press secretary.

★ With its eyes on the future, the Jeffersonville church school board has taken several steps designed to strengthen the church school. One of these steps is the new "helper" system set into effect for the 1964-5 school year. Already the good results of this step are being seen.

★ Setting its own goal of \$700.00, which is approximately \$200.00 above the goal set by the conference for the church, the Jeffersonville Church, under the leadership of Mrs. Mabel Stoner, burst the top of its own goal with a grand total of \$701.00 as this year's investment returns.

A. G. KROMMINGA, *Pastor*



Investment Ladders

The Bloomfield Sabbath School used these Investment Ladders for their goal device. A final total of \$218.79 was an increase over previous years. The church is inspired for even greater achievements in 1965.

Indiana Conference Legal Notice

Notice is hereby given that a special session of the Indiana Conference of Seventh-day Adventists will be held in the Indianapolis Glendale Church, 2810 East 62nd St., Indianapolis, Ind., Sunday, Jan. 17, 1965, for the purpose of giving study to the evangelism program for Indiana, and of deciding what kind of camp meetings we should have—one 10 day meeting, or two or three full Sabbath meetings at different places in the conference.

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

The meeting will be called to order at 10 a.m. at which time all duly elected delegates should be present.

R. S. JOYCE, *President*
T. IRVILLE RUSH, *Secretary*

LAKE REGION



GOAL	\$70,000.00
Per Capita	10.69
To Date	66,966.40



Elder John Hancock, Associate Secretary, General Conference MV Department, will be a featured guest at the Lake Region Conference MV-JMV Federation Officers' Council.

Lake Region Conference MV-JMV-Federation Officers' Council

Attention all MV, JMV, and area MV-Federation officers for 1965! Our annual Youth Leaders' Council will be held again this year at our Lake Region Conference Camp at Cassopolis, Mich. Your attendance is a must. Plan now to be present Friday evening, January 29, through Sunday noon, January 31. Special guests will be present from our General, Union, and local conference headquarters to assist in making this an outstanding occasion for you. Come prepared to coordinate your plans and ideas with those projected by our General, Union, and local departments for a most challenging and eventful year of Missionary Volunteering.

JAMES H. JONES, JR.
MV Secretary

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GOAL	\$310,000.00
Per Capita	15.10
To Date	266,392.23

Student Pastors Assigned to Pioneer Memorial Church

Four students from the Andrews University Seventh-day Adventist Theological Seminary have been assigned as student pastors in the Pioneer Memorial Church, Berrien Springs.

They are Edwin Eisele, Don Hamer, Richard Jewett, and Wayne Judd. Their assignment is a part of their work for a two-semester class, Theory and Practice of Biblical Teaching and Church Leadership. Some 85 Seminary men have similar assignments in churches in Michigan, Northern Indiana, and as far away as Chicago and Kankakee, Ill.

Edwin Eisele, a New Testament major, is from Williams, Minn.; Don Hamer is a New Testament major from St. Helena, Calif.; Richard Jewett is an Applied Theology major from Berrien Springs; and Wayne Judd is a church history major, also from Berrien Springs.

J. H. Rhoads, pastor of the Pioneer Memorial Church, says that the duties of the student pastors include assisting in church and prayer meeting services, visiting church members, assisting in



Happiness on Thanksgiving Morning

Pathfinders of the Detroit-Oakwood Boulevard Church pose beside the stack of over 800 canned goods which they collected on Halloween night. Along with other food items which had been donated to the Dorcas Society, these "goodies" were packed in attractive gift baskets which were distributed to 62 needy persons in the Downriver area on Thanksgiving morning. In charge of the young people were James Boardman, Pathfinder leader, (extreme right, back row) and Kenneth Johnson, assistant leader (extreme left, back row). (Photo by Rolf Holthe)

Romeo D. Brion, Press Secretary

the Pathfinder Club for young people; and assisting in the junior church service, which is held once a month.

ELAINE DAVIS
Press Secretary

McPherson-Knight Wedding

The beautiful new Midland, Mich., Seventh-day Adventist Church was the setting on Sunday, Dec. 13, 1964, for the afternoon wedding of Miss Jeanette Grace McPherson and Rodney Percy Knight. The bride was given away in marriage by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clare McPherson of Berrien Springs, Mich.

Immediately following the ceremony, a wedding reception was held in the Columbian Club Hall, Fisherville, Mich., where the bride and groom were greeted by many friends and relatives.

After their honeymoon the couple plan to make their home in Berrien Springs where the groom is employed.

GEORGE A. COFFEN

Burk-Spruth Wedding

Ronald Spruth and Karen Burk were united in marriage in a lovely candlelight service at the Oakwood Boulevard Seventh-day Adventist Church, Detroit, Sunday evening, Oct. 4, 1964.

Karen is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Grover Burk, and Ronald is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Spruth of Detroit.

Both Karen and Ronald were graduated from Adelphian Academy and



Members of Honor Society

These Juniors from the Wright church school have had an MV Honor Society for three and a half years. Shown with them is their teacher, LaVern Link.

they both attended the Detroit Business Institute.

Ronald is employed by the Blue Cross Insurance Co., and Karen is employed by Dr. Donald Ballard of Dearborn.

Elder Gordon L. Henderson preformed the wedding ceremony. A reception was held in the church parlors immediately following the ceremony. After a trip through northern Michigan the couple returned to Detroit and are now residing at 20024 Moross.

MRS. CONSTANCE WRIGHT
Press Secretary

Hunt-Noonan Wedding

An afternoon candlelight ceremony in the Cedar Lake Academy chapel united in holy wedlock Doris Leona Hunt and Michael Lynn Noonan. Doris is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Cook of Cedar Lake, Mich., and Michael is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George Noonan of Rochester, Ind.

Both of these young people graduated from our academies in Michigan, and they will now make their home in Argos, Ind., where Michael is employed.

May God bless this home with years of happiness and service in His cause.

L. H. COWLES

MICHIGAN
ACADEMY
DEVELOPMENT



A minister once asked a small boy what he intended to be in life. The lad promptly replied, "a Christian." Then he added, "If I wanted to be a lawyer, I would go to law school; and if I wanted to be an engineer, I would go to an engineering school. But I want to be a Christian, so I plan to go to a Christian school." Small though the lad was he had the right idea, based on a sound principle.

If our young people are to be saved in the kingdom of God, they must now, during their youth, develop a firm unwavering confidence in the Word of God and in the last message of warning and mercy that we have been commissioned to carry to the world. This can only be accomplished through an education in our own Christian schools. "It is to fortify the youth against temptations of the enemy that



George A. Coffen

we have established schools where they may be qualified for usefulness in this life and for the service of God throughout eternity."—*Counsels to Parents and Teachers*, p. 495.

We can be justly proud of the type of youth our Christian schools are producing. We can also be proud of our Christian schools where we train youth not only for this world, but for the world to come. No wonder we believe the inspired statement: "Nothing is of greater importance than the education of our children and young people."—*Ibid.*, p. 165.

The principal of a large Catholic school recently said, "The public high schools are the graveyard of the Catholic religion." We know this is true somewhat of Adventism. Without going into statistics, we are all agreed that the losses of our youth from the Adventist faith are staggering among those who attend the public high school. On the other hand we lose very few youth to the enemy when they are graduated from our own academies. The servant of the Lord was truly inspired when she wrote: "We are rapidly nearing the crisis in this world's history, and it is important that we understand that the educational advantages offered by our schools are to be different from those offered by the schools of the world."—*Ibid.*, p. 56.

This is not the place to criticize the public school system, for they do the best they can to achieve their purposes, but this is the place to emphasize the greater purposes of our own Christian schools. Indeed, we believe, "no other work committed to us is so important as the training of our youth, and every outlay demanded for its right accomplishment is means well spent."—*Education*, p. 218.

The Lord's messenger once wrote: "As a church, as individuals, if we would stand in the judgment, we must

Church Officers' Meetings January, 1965

Sabbath Afternoons, 2:30 to 6 p.m.

- Jan. 2—Cedar Lake Academy
9—Pioneer Memorial Church, Berrien Springs, Mich.
16—Battle Creek Tabernacle, Battle Creek, Mich.
23—Mio High School, Mio, Mich.
23—Wilson Church, Escanaba, Mich.
30—Detroit Metropolitan Church, Detroit, Mich.

make more liberal efforts for the training of our young people, that they may be better fitted for the various branches of the great work committed to our hands."—*Testimonies*, vol. 6, p. 206. This brings us face to face with the needs of our academies in our own conference. A careful examination and analysis has been made of the existing academies. We acknowledge we have been negligent; we are chagrined as we admit our academies are inadequately furnished; nearly all buildings are in need of repair and renovation; expansion must take place immediately if we are to provide for the educational needs of our conference youth.

What shall we do about it? The constituency has voted for this renovation and expansion and plans are already in progress. But how are we going to pay for it all? We are all building or expanding church schools of our own; we are either renovating our old churches or building new ones. How can we with all of our local needs provide the funds necessary for the needs of our conference academies? We can do it all and more if we will step out in faith. I believe that God has prospered His people as never before so that there are funds enough to care for our local needs and also for our conference needs. With the means that God has entrusted into the hands of His people and with the further prosperity He has promised to the "cheerful giver," certainly the cause of God will not suffer disaster or defeat either locally or conference wide.

I'm not going to tell you what you should do or how much you should give to this academy project, for surely, this is a matter you will talk over with God. The only pressure we desire is the pressure of the Holy Spirit. When I read statements such as the following, I know what I must do. "There is no work more important than the education of our youth."—*Counsels to Parents and Teachers*, p. 46. According to that statement there is no department or function of the church more important than the education of our youth. The emphasis is even stronger in the next statement: "Of all the institutions in our world, the school is the most important."—*Fundamentals of Christian Education*, p. 226.

With many others in this conference I have no children to send to these academies, but along with them I will give to support the project. I have always been grateful to the sacrificing believers who gave to build and maintain the Christian schools from which I was graduated. The future of our church and its glorious cause depends

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on the Christian education of our youth. We can't fail our boys and girls. We must support this project for the needs of our academies.

When a member of the canvassing committee comes seeking your commitment, receive him kindly. Make your gift a matter of prayer and give as God has prospered you.

GEORGE A. COFFEN
Pastor, Berrien Springs
Village Church

WISCONSIN



GOAL	\$85,000.00
Per Capita	15.06
To Date	76,504.53

Wisconsin News Notes

★ A "Service of Thanksgiving" was held at the Bethel Church under the direction of Elder S. D. Seltzer, on Thanksgiving Day. The 10 to 11 a.m. service was composed of scripture, prose, poetry and music. Members of the congregation presented the musical features with Mrs. Harold Howard presenting the organ background music. An offering of money and food was given to the local Dorcas Society.

★ Four individuals followed their Lord in baptism at Wisconsin Rapids as a result of the "It Is Written" evangelistic series concluded in November. Elder S. D. Seltzer, assisted by Stanley Cottrell, singing evangelist, presented the candidates to the church. Follow-up studies with other interested persons are being conducted.

★ The Marshfield Church has voted to install new front lighting. This has been encouraged by a memorial gift recently received by the church. Also, plans were made at a recent board meeting to strengthen the Sabbath School department by securing needed items for both the children and adult divisions.

★ The Withee Sabbath School reports that the highest Investment record was received during the December 5 Investment Day. Rose Linger, Sabbath School Superintendent, reports \$247 turned in to date. The work of forwarding the Gospel has not been forgotten by these faithful believers.

★ The Granton company is involving themselves with the distribution of the "This May Startle You" tract to secure interests for the strengthening of the work in this locality. Brother Forest Green, company treasurer, reports that they are nearing their Ingathering goal.

Clear Lake Students Treat the Needy

Following a short Vesper service Sabbath evening, October 31, the students from the Clear Lake church school were hurriedly grouped into seven cars, with a monitor in each car. They were armed with shopping bags and the tracts "Treats for the Needy." The cars headed for three nearby towns to collect canned goods to make Thanksgiving baskets for needy families.

Notices had been put in the local newspapers of each town, so most homes called on needed very little explanation of the project.

Promptly at 8:30 all drivers gathered the students with their "treasure" and brought them back for a few games.

We were delighted to discover we had 547 cans of food. One store keeper who had not been solicited called and donated a case of corn. Several others that had not been called on also offered canned goods.

The week preceding Thanksgiving the Dorcas ladies sorted the cans and added home baked cookies, sweet bread, apples and celery, to make a total of 17 baskets to be delivered to the needy in the area.

Not only were we thrilled with the success of our night's work in collecting food, but also with the picture and article which appeared in the local newspaper. The news photographer visited the school and took a picture of the students who helped collect cans and the baskets waiting to be delivered.

There were 475 tracts given out in connection with this project and it is our hope that not only were some helped with physical food, but that some will take advantage of the spiritual food in the form of the Bible Correspondence Courses that are offered with each tract.

Mrs. F. E. McCLINTOCK



Glimpses of Wisconsin Academy

Dr. Glenn Cunningham, famous Olympic runner, talks with a group of Wisconsin Academy students after presenting his life story at a recent MV meeting. He stressed the importance of clean living and good habits in the race of life.



Mr. and Mrs. LaVerne Bissell with the church school students who participated in collecting "Treats for the Needy."

IMPORTANT

ATTEND THE STATE-WIDE MV OFFICERS' INSTITUTE—January 9 and 10 at Wisconsin Academy.

SEE THAT EVERY OFFICER AND EVEN PROSPECTIVE OFFICERS OF YOUR MV SOCIETY ARE THERE.

This will be of more value than 100 issues of the MV Lookout.

This will be extremely practical and down to earth.

We are going to give you specific suggestions as to how you can make your MV Society a success. We will have materials there and ideas. *Every MV Society MUST have a representative there*, if it is to have even half a chance of real success this year.

Win Souls and Earn a Living

Prairie du Chien is an important town in southwest Wisconsin, and there are a number of other such towns in that corner of the state. The unfortunate fact is that there are no Seventh-day Adventist churches in that area, with the exception of one very small church at Stitzer.

Mid-American Nursing Homes, Inc., has facilities now operating at Prairie du Chien and these facilities are being expanded. Soon there will be one hundred and ten beds available. This enterprise is under Seventh-day Adventist management.

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FEBRUARY 6



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The individual goal is 1500 PENNIES. No one will fail. Every church will be responsible to see that its youngsters succeed. Remember, the goal for each boy and girl is 1500 PENNIES.

* * *

This campaign begins February 6. Materials will be presented in your church on that day. A report will be taken every Sabbath. Start collecting pennies **N O W !**

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A great gathering of pennies will take place on April 4 in a central part of the state. Everyone is invited, including the Governor of Wisconsin. Every church will bring its pennies and report. Just think! 2,000,000 PENNIES in one great pile!



More Details of 2,000,000 Pennies
for
CAMP WAHDOON

NOTICE: The blanks are surprises and will
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3000 PENNIES — Everyone who raises 3000 pennies becomes a part of our
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a Grenadier.

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\$ 50.00 — In addition to the above-mentioned items, we are giving
a special \$5.00 discount for Camp Wahdoon to every-
one who raises \$50.00.

\$100.00 — A special \$15 discount at Camp Wahdoon.

\$300.00 — A \$50.00 scholarship at Wisconsin Academy or the
Wisconsin church school of your choice.

\$500.00 — A \$100.00 scholarship at Wisconsin Academy or the
Wisconsin church school of your choice.

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WATCH the LAKE UNION HERALD for more details and be ready to go on
Feb. 6.



Glimpses of Wisconsin Academy

Myron McPherson, pianist from the New York Center, presented a concert at Wisconsin Academy to conclude the Student Association Courtesy-Culture Week.

It would be a step toward developing our work in this area if enough Adventist employees could be found for this facility to form a small church and church school. Definite plans are now under way for a full-time minister to act as chaplain of the convalescent home and as pastor of such a church. He would also have time and opportunity for soul-winning work in the area.

If you can fill a need in one of the following occupations, write to Mid-American Nursing Homes, Arpin, Wis: registered nurse, nurse aid, licensed practical nurse, orderly, housekeeper, cook, laundry worker.

In addition to earning a livelihood, you can be a help in developing a new work for the church in this needy area.

R. E. FINNEY, JR., *President*

ILLINOIS



GOAL	\$175,725.00
Per Capita	25.35
To Date	178,206.76

Henke-Rainwater Wedding

Mrs. Alice Henke and Curtis E. Rainwater exchanged vows in a simple church wedding Saturday night, November 28, in the Beverly Hills Seventh-day Adventist Church in Chicago.

May God bless this new home with His abiding presence.

T. G. HERR, *Pastor*
Beverly Hills Church

Schlisner-Klinger Wedding

On the afternoon of Oct. 11, 1964, Marcy Schlisner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Schlisner of Frederick, S. Dak., and Harvey Klinger, son of Mr. and Mrs. Romeo Klinger of Hinsdale, Ill., were united in marriage in the new church at Ellendale, N. Dak.

Marcy and Harvey were both students at Union College last year. They will be making their home in Lincoln, Nebr., where Mr. Klinger is in the carpet laying business.

A reception was held in the church basement following the marriage service.

We wish this young couple God's choicest blessings as they set up a Christian home.

F. W. Bieber

Influence of Church School Great

Elder Lyle Euler welcomed Jeffrey Greko, Richard Greko and Philip Greko into church fellowship after their baptism on Sabbath afternoon, November 14, in the Moline Church.

Mr. Greko, a mathematics teacher in a local public school, desired to find a parochial school for his boys. This led them to the Seventh-day Adventist church school in Moline two years ago. The end results of the influence of this Christ-centered school were attendance at evangelistic meetings by Elder B. H. Green, church attendance, Bible studies by Elder Euler and prayer, which all led to surrender.

The three stand today as a mighty fortress for truth in God's cause. May God bless them as they have answered the call to service.

E. L. ALLEN, *Director*
Public Relations Department



Elder Lyle Euler, left, welcomes Jeffrey Greko, Mr. Richard Greko, and Philip Greko into the Moline Church fellowship.

Canton Church Dedication

Speaking at the Canton Church dedication Sabbath afternoon, December 5, at 3:00 p.m., F. Stewart Reed, executive secretary of the Chamber of Commerce and spokesman for the Mayor, stated, "I must compliment your leaders and each one of you for this lovely place of worship. You are adding to the strength and character of this community. You are a great asset to this and every other community and may God bless you."

Elder J. D. Smith, Lake Union Conference president, in his dedicatory sermon gave greater impetus to the previous remarks of Mr. Reed by speaking on the text ". . . upon this rock I will build my church."

The afternoon's program was presided over by Elder H. H. White, district pastor. It included words of praise and rejoicing, music by Mrs. Harold Stiles and Gordon Pollitt; invocation by Elton Dessain, conference treasurer; history of the church by Mrs. Pearl Cone; Scripture reading by former pastor Elder C. L. Turner; the act of dedication by the pastor; prayer of dedication by Elder W. A. Nelson, conference president; and the benediction by the writer.

The Canton Church had its beginning in Farmington, Ill. in 1903. Mrs. Louesa Baker accepted the truth in Lincoln, Nebr., and came to live with her sister in Farmington. Mrs. Baker and four other people began to observe



The Canton Seventh-day Adventist Church

the Sabbath through reading material given them by two colporteurs.

One October in 1903, Elder M. G. Huffman of Peoria came to Farmington to rent a hall and hold a seven-week series of meetings. He then baptized several people. In February, 1904, Elder Huffman, after many weeks of labor in Bible studies, organized with Elder J. M. Rees, president of the Southern Illinois Conference, a church in Farmington with a membership of 19.

A church building was erected in 1906 and dedicated on May 25, 1907. In the years following the church prospered and grew. In 1951 when Elder C. L. Turner became district pastor, he held meetings in Canton which resulted in the securing of lots from an estate for a Canton Church. The Farmington Church was transferred to this new area. Until a church building was erected, they met in homes and other buildings located in the city.

On July 28, 1961, ground breaking ceremonies were held with Elder W. A. Nelson, president of the Illinois Conference; Elder C. G. Tuland, pastor; Mayor Lee Cook; F. Stewart Reed, executive secretary of Chamber of Commerce; and Raymond Pollitt, chairman of the building committee, taking part.

Erection of the Canton Church building began July 30, 1961. The first service held in the church after its enclosure was Jan. 5, 1963 with Elder H. H. White officiating. On Dec. 5, 1964 it was dedicated. From the doors of this beautiful edifice will go adults to share their faith with the community and young people to prepare in our schools for service.

May God bless this church membership as they have dedicated their lives and their church to the finishing of the work. E. L. ALLEN, *Director Public Relations Department*

A Colporteur in Paris

On Sabbath, December 12, I went to the town of Paris, where I found a commendable church structure well representing our message. The people of the church were friendly and the services interesting.

A brief history of this church will help us realize that the colporteur ministry is vital to God's cause.

The beginning of the work in the city of Paris dates back more than 60 years. As in so many instances, the original interest was formed because

of the faithfulness of consecrated laymen and the work of a colporteur.

In the latter part of the year 1899 or the first part of 1900, William Frys, who resided in Paris, became interested in the prophecy of Revelation 12. He wrote to his father, Erasmus Fry, an Adventist colporteur in Virginia, for an explanation. The father wrote his son a letter saying "Don't fail to study the book *Bible Readings for the Home Circle*."

Evidently the son heeded his father's counsel because he never attended any other church thereafter. Records do not indicate whether or not he ever joined the Seventh-day Adventist church; however, he taught his family the truth and talked to his neighbors about it. The results of his labors bore fruit. His daughter, mother of Mrs. Floyd Vaughn of Paris, was baptized and joined the Paris Church in 1949 along with her daughter and family.

In 1910 the conference sent Elroy Knott, a colporteur, to Paris. Many books were sold, and through the colporteur's influence, Mrs. Bertha Vickers and her daughter, Mrs. Oxford, accepted the message. In the early twenties Mrs. Jacobs and her son, Alton, moved from Albion, Mich. and joined the Paris Church. Alton went to Emmanuel Missionary College and prepared for the ministry. After completing his studies he was sent to Paris to work with interested people. To help with expenses Alton did part-time colporteur work and held meetings in various buildings. In 1930 the conference sent Elder G. A. Lagrone to conduct a series of tent meetings which resulted in the baptism of 17 people.



F. Stewart Reed spoke at the Canton Church dedication with H. H. White, Elten Dessain, C. L. Turner, and W. A. Nelson seated on the platform.

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The Seventh-day Adventist Church in Paris, Ill.

The Paris Church was organized with 17 charter members on July 7, 1930, at the home of Dudley Jacobs on East Newton St. Elder S. N. Rittenhouse, Southern Illinois Conference president, was present at the meeting.

From 1930 to 1950 the church held its weekly services in various rented quarters. By 1949 the members felt a definite need for a church building of their own. After a special appeal to the Lord in prayer, they asked for a sign. If the Lord desired them to build, the first offering would be a substantial gift. The first major contribution was \$600. Paris businessmen responded with liberal donations totaling more than \$3,000. Members of the Terre Haute, Ind., Church, businessmen, Paris members and the local and union conferences made the completion of this building in 1951 a reality. On Sept. 6, 1961, under the pastorate of Victor R. Pike, the church was dedicated.

Paris can be your home church if you are looking for a desirable place to live.

E. L. ALLEN, *Director*
Public Relations Department

Sabbath School Juniors Make Bells of Sugar

Sugar bells which bring Christmas cheer to shut-ins and friends were made by the Junior department of the Rockford Sabbath School. Gordon Bennett is their leader. The pure white molded bells, made of sugar with a fluted edging of white royal frosting, contain

miniature nativity scenes or something of a religious nature.

Money made from the sale of the extra bells not used for the shut-ins, was wrapped and tied on a Christmas tree and presented to the pastor, Elder L. J. Marsa, at a special service December 26. The money will be used for a special mission project which the Juniors explained that day when they presented to their pastor the surprise tree. Mrs. Charles Swanson, the assistant Junior leader, has worked untiringly on this project. Mrs. J. R. Thompson also assisted with this project, and was enthusiastically supported by the entire Junior room. This has given the Juniors a deeper insight into the concept of "giving to others."

MRS. FRANCIS GRIESTAD



Religious scene inside of sugar bell.



Back row, left to right: Rue Grow, teacher; Gordon Bennett, leader; Mrs. Charles Swanson, assistant leader; Mrs. Francis Friestad, teacher. Juniors, left to right: Joyce Smith, Dianne Witzel, Barbara Friestad, Linda Kidd, Dawn Demus, Kenneth Fritz, Bobby Smith, Tony Krovadas, Dale Adcock, Ronald Atkinson, Alan Beebe, Dana Beebe, Roger Fritz, David Rowe, and Daniel Rowe.

Liberty (From p. 1)

...sures push open the gates, then they ring the signal for action by the messengers of salvation's story. This is the time to present the true Sabbath. In all the power of heavenly guidance and wisdom let God's people arise and hold high the Word of God as the only answer to justice, peace, and freedom of liberty.

Many honest and sincere people around us, in legislatures, assembly halls, religious organizations, and business enterprises are open to the message of the Third Angel. While attention is being focused on legislation for Sunday closing enforcement, then is the time to present the Scriptural teaching of the Seventh-day Sabbath of God's origin and blessing. Then is the time to direct thinking people to God, and to an interest in glorifying Christ. Eternal salvation in peace and happiness depends upon recognition and acceptance of Christ as our Savior.

Ellen G. White wrote in 1890: "The Lord in His providence is far ahead of us. He has permitted this Sunday question to be pressed to the front, that the Sabbath of the fourth commandment may be presented before the legislative assemblies; thus the leading men of the nation may have their attention called to the testimony of God's Word in favor of the true Sabbath. If it does not convert them, it

is a witness to condemn. The Sabbath question is the great testing question for this time."

In *Testimonies to the Church*, p. 51, a challenging picture is presented: "It is the neglect of Seventh-day Adventists to improve these providential opportunities that is hindering the advancement of the cause." Here in Illinois at the last legislature the gospel of truth regarding the Bible Sabbath was proclaimed not only by representatives of the Illinois Conference and the church, but also by legislators who stood up and enthusiastically upheld the Bible facts. These men got their important information from the *Liberty Magazine*. This is a channel of light. We are entrusted with the important responsibility of seeing that this magazine is regularly placed in the hands of every senator, representative, lawyer, minister, magistrate, judge, teacher, and all other persons of influence in the state. It should be in the homes of the citizens of the state also. January 23, Religious Liberty Day, will give us the opportunity to accomplish this. Do not neglect so great and vital an opportunity for this time.

HARRY M. LODGE, *Secretary*
Religious Liberty Department

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An Energetic Young Lady

Linda Barton named all the books of the Bible the other evening with no prompting and no hesitation. She lives at Broadview Academy in the dean's apartment because her father is dean of boys. Linda is seven years old and attends the church school at Aurora. She has two hobbies which, though quite different, are still compatible; she collects paper dolls and star-gazes.

Partnership With God

"At the foundation of true success is the recognition of God's ownership."—*Education*, p. 137.

Do You Know —

1. How to get the fullest enjoyment of your earthly possessions? (*Testimonies*, Vol. 9, pp. 50, 51.)
2. By what divine plan every believer may become "a treasurer for the Lord"? (*Ibid.*, Vol. 3, pp. 388, 389.)
3. What assurance is given to the conscientious tithepayer? (*Ibid.*, p. 395.)

This brief testimony study was extracted from one of the popular 24-lesson Prophetic Guidance Courses, and represents just one phase of the broad subject presented. If you wish to enroll and learn more about the writings of the Spirit of Prophecy and how they came to us and also about the life and work of Ellen G. White, simply send one dollar to the Prophetic Guidance School, Box 200, Glendale 5, California. You will receive first lessons and a 192-page textbook by mail. Certificate awarded. Twelve thousand Seventh-day Adventist graduates.

OBITUARIES

EGGERT, Ada Ellen Frase, was born Aug. 14, 1887, at Akron, Ohio, and was laid to rest Oct. 27, 1964. At the age of twelve she moved to Michigan, graduated from Cedar Lake Academy in 1908, and married Wm. Henry Eggert in 1915. This home was blessed with four sons and three daughters and was a haven for many other young people who were always welcome. She took an active part in church activities all her life including Dorcas and Sabbath School work. She was always of good

courage to the time of her death at the Gratiot Community Hospital in Alma, Mich.

Surviving her death are her husband; four sons, Howard, Ralph, and Sherman of Flint, Mich., and Forrest of Corunna, Mich.; three daughters, Wava Walters of Evert, Mich., Virginia Pearson of North Attleboro, Mass., and Seresta Deardorf of Stanton, Mich.; a stepson, Leo, of Alaska; 34 grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Interment was at Cedar Lake, and words of comfort were brought by L. H. Cowles assisted by Gordon Frase, a grandson of the deceased. L. H. Cowles

JOHNSON, Charles W., was born near Tustin, Wis., Aug. 10, 1876, and died at Loma Linda, Calif., Dec. 10, 1964. He took nurses' training at Battle Creek and served in medical missionary lines in Hawaii, Michigan, and Wisconsin. While in Hawaii he was married to Gertrude E. Vollmer, sister of Dr. H. W. Vollmer who was also a graduate nurse. Later he went to Emmanuel Missionary College for ministerial training and assisted in raising up several churches in Wisconsin.

In 1922 he and his wife came to Loma Linda Sanitarium resuming medical missionary activities from which he retired in 1951 because of health conditions. His wife, Gertrude preceded him in death about one year ago. He is survived by his son Loren and his daughter Margaret, both of Loma Linda. His was a life of deep devotion and dedication and of him it can be truly said, "Well done thou good and faithful servant."

MILLER, Elsie M., at the age of 84, passed to her rest Dec. 16, 1964, at the Mt. Washington Home, Eau Claire, Wis., where she resided during the last months of her life.

She gave the fullness of her life to the Seventh-day Adventist Church and to her husband Herman A. Miller, who preceded her in death. She leaves to survive her passing, three daughters, Mrs. Ruth Hetherington, Eau Claire, Wis.; Mrs. Alma LaCroix, Santa Ana, Calif.; Mrs. C. C. Krohn, Angwin, Calif.; one brother, Fred J. Smith, Fullerton, Calif.; two sisters, Mrs. Mattie Lafferty, Sonoma, Calif.; Mrs. Otto Paulsen, Cathedral City, Calif.; four grandchildren and eleven great-grandchildren.

She was laid to rest in the Lake View Cemetery, Eau Claire, Wis.

D. E. Longfellow

BUSINESS NOTICES

All advertisements must be approved by your local conference office and accompanied by cash. Money orders and checks should be made to the Lake Union Conference at Berrien Springs, Mich.

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—171-5

Great Savings—1965 Volkswagens. Delivery to Great Lakes after March. Available now 1200 sedan \$1570. 1500 station wagons \$2150. East or gulf coast delivery. Prices are complete costs. Call or write Bob Jobe, 616-473-2871, Garland Apts. F-10, Berrien Springs, Mich., 49104.

—207-6

For Sale: Four-room motel, plus living quarters on total access dual highway, within sight state capital, main highway South, Tallahassee, Fla. Superb location. Additional space two duplexes. Appraised value \$23,000. Sale price \$19,500. Retirement opportunity. Want continued Adventist ownership. Picture on request. Write Sam Martz, Box 1304, Nashville, Tenn. —229-2

Health Food Specials: 10 per cent discount, Cedar Lake Foods, Soyameat Diced Chic, Not Meat-Zoyburger 14 oz., Dinner Morsels—Vigorost 20 oz., 25 per cent discount—frozen white meat sliced or chunk 6 oz. Olsen Foods, Rt. 1, Fort Atkinson, Wis. —232-2

Wanted: L.P.N. or R.N. for supervision work in nursing home. Must be able to live in. Board and apartment provided plus good salary. Write Superior Health Haven, Munising, Mich. —235-1

Attention: S.D.A. schools, churches, and institutions. Most styles of ready-built plastic-lighted sign units, letters in plastic, cast aluminum, including plastic or aluminum changeable copy at dealer's cost. This is for improved public relations as a missionary project. "Let us always be first." Please contact Phil Wazdatskey, Discount Signs, Rt. 1, Box 195A, Berrien Springs, Mich. Phone Area code 616-429-3756. —236-1

Learn Printing: Instruction begins early in January. Earn as you learn. Young married men preferred. We also have openings in Composition, Letterpress, and Offset departments for experienced, dependable men. Write to W. C. Starkey, Starkey Printing Company, P.O. Box 6069, Chattanooga, Tenn. —237-3

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Stamp Collectors: Breaking up our fifteen year accumulation of stamps, covers, blocks, souvenir sheets, into \$1, \$2, \$5 lots; first come, first served. Stamps, 208½ Courtland, Dowagiac, Mich. —4-1

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January 12	January 16	January 1
January 19	January 23	January 8
January 26	January 30	January 15
February 2	February 6	January 22

SUNSET TABLE

(According to U.S. Naval Observatory)

	Jan. 8	Jan. 15
Berrien Springs, Mich.	E.S. 5:31	5:39
Chicago Ill.	C.S. 4:37	4:45
Detroit, Mich.	E.S. 5:19	5:26
Indianapolis, Ind.	E.S. 5:38	5:45
LaCrosse, Wis.	C.S. 4:45	4:53
Lansing, Mich.	E.S. 5:21	5:29
Madison, Wis.	C.S. 4:40	4:47
Springfield, Ill.	C.S. 4:51	4:58

E.S.—Eastern Standard time. C.S.—Central Standard time. C.D.—Central Daylight time. Add one minute for each 13 miles west. Subtract one minute for each 13 miles east.



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WILL TRAVEL ABROAD

Teachers Receive Awards

Schwantes the Winner of National Book Contest

The Baker Book House of Grand Rapids has awarded first prize in a book contest to Dr. Siegfried Schwantes, associate professor of religion.



Dr. S. Schwantes

Schwantes' book, which he says is about 60,000 words long, is entitled, *A Short History of the Ancient Near East*. The prize award for first place in the national contest is an expense-paid tour of the Holy Land.

The Baker Book House is a publishing company of religious books only. Cornelius Zylstra, editor, says that close to 125 books were entered in the contest. No restrictions were made as to the approach or subject matter, although all material was non-fiction.

The publishing company's contest was in celebration of its 25th anniversary in the field.

"The committee selected Schwantes' book," says Zylstra, "because it reflected a great deal of research, the content was substantial, and it was well-organized and well-written."

He added, "The committee felt that it would make a real contribution to the field of Christian literature." The book is scheduled for release in May, 1965.

Schwantes' undergraduate work was taken at Pacific Union College in Angwin, Cal. He obtained his Master of Arts degree from the Seventh-day Adventist Theological Seminary,

and his Ph.D. from Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, Md.

He is a member of the American Society of Oriental Research and the American Society of Biblical Literature.

Jones Will Study in Paris Next Year

Harold T. Jones, professor of mathematics at Andrews University, has been notified that he is the recipient of a Science Faculty Fellowship from the National Science Foundation.



Dr. Harold T. Jones

The fellowship provides that he will study at the University of Paris in the Institute of Henri Poincaré, from September, 1965 to September, 1966.

The foundation will finance his study there and transportation to and from Paris for him and his wife and two children: Meredith, 10, and Bruce, 17 months.

Jones says that the research he and Dr. Edward Specht, chairman of the department of mathematics, have been doing for the past ten years is in the field of modern potential theory, and that the University of Paris is the world center for this study.

About 400 Science Faculty Fellowships such as the one Jones received are offered annually by the National Science Foundation.

Andrews University has agreed to send Jones to the International Congress of Mathematicians to be held during August, 1965, in Moscow. During the summer of 1965, Jones will direct the third National Science Foundation summer institute in mathematics to be held on the Andrews University campus.

As for his proficiency in the French language, Jones says that he had to pass a reading examination in order to qualify for his doctorate at Brown University in 1958. "However," he adds, "reading mathematics in French and understanding the spoken language are two different things."

P.E. Students Take Field Trip

Physical education students visited Michigan State University in East Lansing on December 11, according to Miss Ingrid Johnson, chairman of the department.

The purpose of the trip was to inspect the M.S.U. department of research in physical education and to observe demonstrations in fundamentals of movement.

"In physical education we are emphasizing research more today, and we want our students to see what kind of research is being done in the field," said Miss Johnson.

The students who went are from the classes in kinesiology, introduction to health, physical education and recreation, and professional skills.

Nurses Join National Council

The department of nursing joins the Council of Member Agencies, which is sponsored by the National League for Nursing, this month, according to Mrs. Evelyn McClure, chairman of the department.

Mrs. McClure attended the fall meeting of the council held November 9 to 11 in Dallas, Tex. Theme of the convention was "Teacher-Practitioner: Collaborators for the Improvement of Nursing Care."

Book Cellar Adds to Religion Section

The Book Cellar of the University Store has expanded the theological section in response to the demands for more contemporary theological materials.

More paperbacks and hardbacks are now available to both graduate and undergraduate students. This includes books recommended by professors, reference materials, commentaries for New and Old Testament theology, and volumes on archaeology, Biblical languages, and applied theology.

"Just about a year ago, the book store started a paperback section with 600 titles," says Mrs. Lois Morel, manager of the Book Cellar. She says that there are now 1500 titles on sale. The total number of hardbacks in all fields is about 6,400.

"Eventually we would like to provide all the reference books for the students in all fields of study so that they won't have to go elsewhere to purchase them," said Mrs. Morel.

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January Events at Andrews University

- 16— Andrews University Orchestra Concert
 - 23—"Inherit the Wild," D. J. Nelson Audubon Nature Film
 - 30— Stephen J. Kovacs, Pianist
- All programs are at 8:00 p.m.