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"Trust ye in the Lord for ever; for in the Lord Jehovah is everlasting strength." Isa. 26:4.

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Union Conference Army Camp Pastor

For some little time we have felt that the time would come when it would be necessary for us to have a pastor to devote his entire time to our boys in the army camps. At a recent meeting of the union committee, it was definitely decided that we had reached that time, and the committee voted to ask Elder T. M. Cole to take up this work in the camps.

Elder Cole is well fitted for this work, having had experience in army life. During the World War No. 1 he was for a time stationed at Fort Lewis. He and his family have moved, and are now located in Tacoma, Washington. His work will be under the direction of the union conference, and he will devote his entire time to the interests of our young people who are now in camp or will be called there.

To the parents who have boys already in camps: Would you please communicate with Elder T. M. Cole,

For some little time we have felt P. O. Box 582, Tacoma, Washington, at the time would come when it ould be necessary for us to have a astor to devote his entire time to our of their company, etc.

Then, to those whose sons are not now in the camp but will be called: It would be well to communicate with Elder Cole, and as soon as they are sent to the camp, let him know and give him what information you can that will help him find the young men as quickly as possible.

We want to do everything we can for these young men, for they will need counsel and encouragement many times, no doubt. If we can be of help in any way from the union office we will be glad to give any assistance that we can consistently give. But as Elder Cole will be right on the ground, and in touch with the work in the camps constantly, you should communicate with him as early as possible.

E. L. NEFF.

his way through Seattle. He planned to spend a few days with his brother who is superintendent of the Everett District.

Elder E. M. Oberg reports that the interest is continuing at Sultan with several having decided for the truth.

Elder Scriven visited the effort at Tenino last week. Brother Mohr and Elder Fish have been carrying on there for a number of weeks. They now plan to work in Bucoda, a little town four miles away, as well as in Tenino. While this effort is not large, some have taken their stand for the truth.

Sabbath, March 15, Elder Scriven visited the Rainier church in the morning and the Jackson Prairie church in the afternoon.

Brethren Hallsted and Butler report the interest is continuing at Elma. A number will be ready for baptism within the next two or three weeks.

Brother E. L. Moore dropped in at our office as he does occasionally to audit our conference books.

The first two months of the year have shown a nice increase in tithe, with our Sabbath school offerings being well above the ten per cent increase which was set as a goal at the time of our elders' and superintendents' meeting in Seattle.

Reports are already beginning to reach our office relative to the interest in the Missions Extension campaign. Indications are that we shall show a good increase over last year. A goodly number of the two books "The Blackout of Civilization and Beyond" and "Challenge of the Tempest" have already been ordered.

Elder Bradley's Sunday night meetings in the church in Olympia are being very well attended. We anticipate that there will be a number of new folks baptized before General Conference as a result.

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Perplexities

One of the perplexities that comes to us in the growth of our work is that of providing suitable houses of worship. When the Lord blesses us with a goodly increase in souls, it means that we must have added housing facilities. Just now a number of our churches in the conference face this problem.

For some months plans have been under way at Chehalis to build a new church or enlarge the present one. The church is packed to the doors on Sabbath. The same is true at Shelton where plans are also being laid to enlarge the present building or erect a new structure. Last Sabbath at the time of my visit to Jackson Prairie I found that every seat was taken. They tell me this is the experience every week. Bremerton, too, is faced with a building problem. Then there is our church at Sequim meeting in a rented church building which has become too

small. The North Seattle church is entirely inadequate to meet the needs of the congregation. The Auburn City church is faced not only with the problem of a new church building, but also a new church school building. A new church has recently been organized at White Center and they have purchased a neat building with a seating capacity of approximately 150.

There are similar needs throughout our field, but we mention this to help our people understand that these perplexities are a source of encouragement inasmuch as they indicate the continued growth of the work. Let us pray that not only will these church organizations needing enlarged facilities be enabled to provide for their needs, but that other churches may soon find themselves in the same perplexity due to an ever-increasing membership.

C. A. SCRIVEN.

News Notes

Upon his return to the office from the Walla Walla College Institute, Brother Lindquist reports having nine students lined up for colporteur work in the Washington Conference this coming summer.

church at Sequim meeting in a rented | We were pleased to have Elder H. A. fare and carnage. Surely these are church building which has become too Oberg of Japan call at our office on the closing days of history and every

The North Seattle District

The 383 members who comprise the five churches in the North Seattle District are responding valiantly to the call of God in these climactic days for a general mass laymen's movement in preparation for the soon coming of Jesus. In every church of the district strong work is being done by the members to carry the message to a world about to destroy itself in warfare and carnage. Surely these are the closing days of history and every

Seventh-day Adventist should put on the full armor of God and go forth conquering and to conquer. In every church large supplies of tracts and Shuler lessons are being used systematically. The Young People's Society of North Seattle church have visited three hundred homes weekly in the immediate vicinity of the church and have distributed literature and invited the people out to the Sunday night meetings. Likewise in every church activity is the watch-word.

Financially the district shows up in an encouraging way according to a report just received from the conference office. Quoting from an accompanying letter from our good conference president, Elder Scriven: "In Elder Willoughby's district, not only does the district show a gain in every item, but every church shows a gain in all items." Surely the praise belongs to God, at the same time we wish to thank the faithful members who are so loyally supporting the cause of truth.

Another encouraging feature is that the Home Missionary report just received from the conference shows this district making rapid strides toward greater accomplishments. It is listed among the districts which show a good gain over the previous month. Missionary leaders and secretaries are functioning in every one of the five churches and the Lord is blessing their efforts. Only two of the five churches show less than 100 per cent reporting members. Three of them range from 113 per cent to 122 per cent. The two who are down below the par level are being encouraged to follow the lead of the other three.

Best of all, souls are being won to the kingdom of Christ. One good baptismal service has been held recently and another one is in preparation which shows fine prospects of being a goodly one. The faithful and loyal assistance of Brother Wesley Siegenthaler has been greatly appreciated and has had its share in these encouraging results. May the great God continue to bless us as we step into even further lines of activities for

Branch Sabbath schools are being encouraged and already two have been established. One is affiliated with the Ballard church while the other is being fostered by the North Seattle church. Surely our good people are responding loyally. Brethren, prayer does change things. Pray unceasingly for us in this district.

H. E. WILLOUGHBY.

Senior Convention

The dates for the Senior Convention are from April 27-29. Special arrangements are being made for all seniors to go on the train. Your ticket will cost you \$4.00 for the round trip. This convention is open to all academy and high school seniors who are graduating this spring or to seniors who have never attended a senior convention in previous years.

Begin to make plans for a visit to Walla Walla College. Look for other announcements in the GLEANER. Your district leader and local church elder will be glad to help you in working out plans as information regarding the convention is being sent to them.

NIDA G. DAVIS.

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Don't Be a Fifth Columnist

Some of our people are innocently playing into the hands of our enemies by sending them the names and addresses of Seventh-day Adventists in their churches. It seems to me that a Seventh-day Adventist would be too loyal to do such a thing. In some of our churches some have purposely given the names and addresses of our membership to known enemies of our faith. Such members should be dealt with

I am quoting a letter that came to my desk last week which proves how careless some of our members are in sending names and addresses.

"Dear Brother Belleau:

"Your well written article which warned our people against the tricks of the Shepherd's Rod and other apostates was no doubt appreciated by many readers who, like myself, know that there is danger because of our people's lack of caution about sending lists of friends' names and addresses.

"Adventists have sent me lists of their friends without my asking for them. One sent a list of 150 just because she was impressed with pamphlet with my name on it, though she didn't know me.

"Having investigated several apostate groups without finding anything of value in them, several apostates have Another man told me he has had written asking for some of the lists 'Great Controversy' for thirty years

which I have had no trouble obtaining. All Adventists had best make the same rule I have: to send no names and addresses except to close friends and then only when it is known that their use for them is a good one."

May God help us to be loyal to His truth and to our brethren.

G. S. BELLEAU.

Colporteur Experiences

Brother H. C. Wilson, one of our faithful Idaho colporteurs sends in the following "Great Controversy" experiences:

"A lady in Caldwell on whom I called has had 'Great Controversy' for about ten years and wrote this recommendation for it: 'I have read this book many times and can truthfully say it is one of the finest books I have ever read. No other book have I found to be so thorough as this one."

"One evening I took an order from a young lady stenographer who works in a large office here. Two and onehalf days after I delivered the book I met her and asked her how she liked her book. 'Oh, it is wonderful,' she said."

"I wish you folks could have been with me when I delivered Mr. book, 'Great Controversy.' The man had gone to a sale so we had to wait to see him. As soon as he saw me he was happy. 'Now where is the chapter where it explains why God allowed the devil to have sway in the world?' I showed him Chapter 29, 'Why Sin Was Permitted.' He said. 'I'll read that first.' It was then 1:00 p.m. and I was anxious to go, but he insisted that we eat with him and his wife, so we did, and I think it was time well spent, for he asked me many questions. I expect they will be Seventh-day Adventists some day."

Clarence Maas one of our new recruits says:

"I had canvassed all one morning without any success at all, so at noon I asked God to be with me especially that afternoon. I met two families who did not belong to any church, but were thinking about joining the Catholic church. God helped me I know, because one wants me to order a Bible for her. She also wants the small book, 'The Impending Conflict.' And the other ordered 'Great Controversy.' and best of all the latter is moving out into the hills as soon as the roads permit. I think she will read it out there.

Porth Bacific Chrion Gleaner - R. T. EMERY, Editor; PEARL COOK, Assistant Editor. - Published weekly at College Place, Washington, U. S. A. Subscription price fifty cents a year; foreign one dollar. Acceptance for mailing at special rate of postage provided for in section 1103, Act of October 3, 1917, authorized June 25, 1920. Entered as second class matter March 20, 1910, at the post office at College Place, Wash. and has never read it, but said he would read it now since I showed him what is in it."

Surely God is blessing our colporteurs as they endeavor to carry out the instruction given by His servant: "The larger books, 'Patriarchs and Prophets,' 'Great Controversy,' and 'Desire of Ages,' should be sold everywhere. These books contain truth for this time,-truth that is to be proclaimed in all parts of the world. Nothing is to hinder their sale." "My brethren and sisters, work earnestly to circulate these books. Put your hearts into this work, and the blessing of God will be with you. Go forth in faith, as you go praying that God will prepare hearts to receive the light." -"Colporteur Evangelist," pp. 35, 37.

Idaho News Notes

Brother W. D. Clayville and son, Richard of Mountain Home, and Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Harbison, church school teachers at Caldwell, were visitors at the office last week.

Last Monday the workers were in Boise for a workers' meeting. They studied plans for the Ingathering campaign. Sisters Treat and Kegley came in with their husbands.

Last Saturday night Brother G. V. Larson met with the Parma young people and showed them moving pictures. Brother Larson reports from his visit at Cambridge that the Cambridge church has made plans to leave literature in every home in that district. We believe that kind of work is going to bring an interest that will lead new souls into the truth.

Elder Ashley Emmer opened his meeting last Sunday night at Enterprise with the tabernacle well filled. He has only a few Seventh-day Adventists to draw from for his attendance. We solicit your prayers for the work there. We believe that God will establish a church at Enterprise, and we hope to see another one at Elgin or in that valley.

Miss Alice Soper visited her parents in College Place over last week end. Elder T. L. Oswald of the union was a visitor in our field last week. We appreciate the help he gave us in the Missions Extension campaign.

Elder Melvin Oss of the Upper Columbia Conference conducted the Week of Prayer at Gem State Academy last week. His messages were appreciated by our young people and we are glad to report that we are planning on a baptism this coming Sabbath.

To the young people who are thinking of camp we are glad to report that Brother Larson bought the first boat March 15, four of these being children made available to all who desire to

taking in to Lake Payette soon. We are looking around for other boats so we will have our own boats for camp time. Start now to lay your plans for the camp.

Brother John Hamel is just back from the colporteur institute at Walla Walla College. His wife and daughter, Jeannie Ann, came home with him. He reports that the sales for January and February this year have doubled the sales for January and February last year, for which we are very happy.

Oregon Conference

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March Twenty-nine

Sabbath, March 29, is a very important Sabbath. Why? That is the time of our Thirteenth Sabbath offering. Our Sabbath schools made a splendid record last year. But 1941 is a more serious and more important year than 1940. Last week I listened to an appeal made by one of our local church elders to his church. He said, "The time will soon come when our money will be useless. I am giving more than I ever did before to the cause of God, and God is richly blessing me." A testimony like that means much. We appreciate such leadership. When the Sabbath school superintendent makes the appeal, will you sacrifice just a little more to answer the urgent calls of missions? Let us work while it is day!

V. G. ANDERSON.

Here and There

Last week Elder T. M. Cole and family left Oregon, responding to an invitation from the Union Conference to locate near the large army camps in Washington, so that Elder Cole might work for and with the Adventist young men in the camps. Elder Cole has spent a number of years in the Oregon Conference. The last several years he has been stationed at Eugene, Oregon, and has had the oversight of the churches in a very large area. As he goes to this new work the prayers of the many friends in the Oregon Conference go with him that God may bless his ministry for the Adventist young men in military service.

Elder B. E. Schaffner baptized six last week for our camp. He will be in the church school who are joining attend.

Lents and Sunnyside churches. On the same Sabbath Elder Hanson baptized nine at Meadow Glade; and Elder Cole baptized three at Cottage Grove.

Some inquiries have been made as to whether camp meeting plans will be altered in any way because of the General Conference session. We are pleased to state that the date for camp meeting at Gladstone is July 16 to 27. This is a conference year, which explains why we are beginning one day earlier than usual.

Last week Brother Diamond spent a couple of days in Portland, when study was given to further improvements planned at Gladstone Park.

There are numerous calls for Adventist women for various housekeeping jobs in Portland, far more than can be supplied. If capable folk outside of Portland wish such employment in the city, they may write to Mrs. Mabel Baumgarten, 8115 E. Burnside St., Portland, as she is devoting her time to placing those who wish employment. It would be well to send references of satisfactory work and a character reference from your church elder or conference worker with applications for work.

The church offering next Sabbath, March 28, is for the elementary schools in our conference. The steady strengthening of our local work is very important. This particular offering goes to help build up the equipment needed in our church schools. Let every one contribute for this work.

The elder of the Albany church, Mr. H. S. Eddy, writes: "Our Signs campaign is over the top, 105; daily lesson study 61 out of 77; the "How to Give Bible Readings" class going fine, 24 attending, all but six or seven driving in from the country, one couple driving 30 miles round trip."

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Kepkey, of Dallas, were in the office last week, counseling in regard to their work during the next few months. They have been associated with Elder Chambers in the H. C. KEPHART. Dallas effort.

Oregon Junior Camps

We have been fortunate in securing the use of a beautiful camp at the Silver Creek Recreational Area. This is a more attractive camp than the one we had last year.

Separate camps will be held for the boys and the girls because the camp is not large enough to accommodate both at once. The girls will have their camp June 15-22, and the boys will have theirs June 22-29.

Begin planning now, so that you can candidates at Sunnyside Sabbath, come! Application blanks will be G. W. CHAMBERS.

Portland Union Academy

Many interesting things have been happening at P. U. A. lately. The School Band, Double Sextette, and Quartet, gave a musical program at Laurelwood on March 8.

On Saturday night March 15 the musical department gave the fourth number of our lyceum course.

The Associated Students recently appropriated \$140 for new curtains for the stage. The curtains are now installed and are made of blue velour.

The Senior Class has organized. Its officers are: president Harold Reuber; vice president, Carl Johnson, Jr.; secretary, Elvira Whiting; treasurer, Bette Black; and sergeant at arms, Jack Erickson. The class colors are delphinium blue and white. For their motto they have chosen, "Simplicity, sincerity, service." Their aim is "To succeed."

March 29 will be the date for the Queen Esther Cantata. We wish to invite all of our friends to come. There will be no admission charge.

Death and Destruction on Land and

Death and Destruction on Land and Sea—the Blackout of Civilization and Its Meaning in the Light of Bible Prophecy will be the theme of an illustrated lecture given by the writer in the following churches:

March 27, Gresham.

March 30, Vernonia Tabernacle.

March 31, Monitor.

April 2, St. Helens.

April 3, St. Johns.

April 6, Sifton.

April 7, Silverton.

April 9, Cedar Creek.

April 10, Camas.

Two oustanding motion pictures: "The Destruction of One-half of France's Fleet Near Africa and the Collapse of the Narrows Bridge Near Tacoma," and "News Review of 1940" will be shown to illustrate the lecture. Invite your neighbors and friends to this lecture. Special music beautifully illustrated in natural color on the screen. All lectures at 7:45 p. m. with song service beginning at 7:30.

J. R. NELSON.

Harold Fitting of Grays Harbor and Eda Simpson of Sifton, Wash. were united in marriage at the home of Elder G. W. Pettit, March 18, Elder Pettit officiating. They will make their home at Quinault, Wash.

"Not even God can make characters noble or our lives useful, unless we become coworkers with Him."

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Missions Extension

April 19 is a very important day on our calendar this year. This is the day our members will vote on new work around the world.

God's message to this people includes more than holding what we are doing. Our marching orders are found in Matt. 24:14. The completed task is our goal. This is the hour to do great things for God. In Exodus 14:15 we read "Speak unto the children of Israel that they go forward." We are not only to go forward, but forward with increasing success.

In these days life is cheap. Thousands of people are being destroyed. Property is cheap. Destruction is on every hand. We see pictures of people taking a few possessions with them because of love of country, smiling as they leave their homes in ruin. Love of God, and our uncompleted task calls for sacrifice from every member.

We are praying that when the Missions Extension offering is taken, April 19, God will impress hearts to do great things for Him. This offering goes for new work. Every church has a goal and we trust every member will seriously do his part.

Two of the best and most timely books of the entire crisis series are available for those who wish to earn their offering. This is an unusual appeal. Pray about it. Do something unusual for new work, April 19.

L. E. ESTEB.

Seniors, Attention!

All twelfth grade graduates from our academies and high schools take notice! The Senior Convention at Walla Walla College will be held April 27-29. We want you there and we know you want to be there. This is one of the most profitable and enjoyable gatherings that young people are ever given. The college entertains us and we meet young people from all over the Northwest.

We shall write later concerning the trip in detail. We are anxious now, however, to learn how many will be coming. We have tried from year to year to assist in arranging transportation. In order to do this we must know who are coming from various districts.

Immediately get a postcard or letter and write big lines across the top: SENIOR CONVENTION. When all these letters reach us they will be given careful attention and in due course of time you will be hearing from us.

When you write tell us of your plan to get there as relates to transportation, or if you have a problem mention that.

Tell other young people entitled to come, of this great event. Remember the date—April 27-29.

MELVIN OSS.

Miss. Vol. and Educational Sec. 817 W. Nora Ave., Spokane, Wash.

News Notes

A district meeting will be held at Newport, Sabbath, March 29. Elder Reynolds will speak at Bonners Ferry in the morning. Elder Esteb will speak at Sandpoint; Elder Oss at Newport, and all the churches will meet at 2:30 in the afternoon at Newport in the Baptist church for the baptismal service and district meeting. Brother McGhee is planning a special program in the evening for the young people. We trust all of our isolated believers will make a special effort to attend these meetings.

The conference committee met Sunday, March 16, in Yakima, to give study to the request of the Yakima church that the conference take over the Missionary Volunteer camp site on Clear Lake. This beautiful site is just fortytwo miles from Yakima. Dr. Mullinnex has spent a lot of time in securing this site from the reclamation service. The committee was very glad to respond to the request of the church that the conference take over this project and develop it as a Missionary Volunteer camp for this section of the conference. We greatly appreciate the work done by the members of the Yakima church in securing this site. Elder Oss will direct the activities of this camp as he does the Hayden Lake camp, under the direction of the conference committee. Plans were made to begin developing the site just as soon as final papers are signed with the government. This camp will be a great blessing to our work. This gives our conference two of the best camp sites to be found. We know our people will be glad to know that as a conference we are making definite plans for the evangelism of our youth.

Elder J. W. McComas has arrived in our field. He began an evangelistic campaign in Coeur d'Alene, Sunday night, March 23. Elder McComas has been one of our most successful evangelists, and we welcome him to our field.

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With Our Missionary Volunteers



Spring Is Here

Soft southern winds, like sirens' songs, Entice me from my books,

To view the magic touch of spring
In nearby woodland nooks.
O'er grassy knoll, through ricky glen,
With eager feet I go,

By laughing streams whose mossy banks Are drenched with melted snow.

Arbutus blossoms, half concealed,
With fragrance fill the air;
Spring beauties and hepaticas
Are blooming everywhere.
Down from a cloudless, azure sky
Some wild geese drop to rest;
High in a budding maple tree
Two bluebirds build their nest.

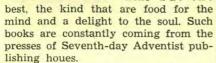
The alder trees are catkin hung,
The graceful jonquil blooms,—
All nature seems to prophesy
Of broken, empty tombs.
For Gabriel's final clarion
Eternal life shall bring,
As sure as winter's deathlike gloom
Gives place to glorious spring.
Lorna B. de Ginder.

"It Is a Gripper"

No truer statement was ever penned than the one we find in Eccl. 12:12, of making many books there is no end." Almost every day one or more circulars come to my desk advertising new books. Books of every description.

> Some good, some questionable, and some, as one librarian called them, "filthy."

It would be utterly impossible to read them all if one really cared to do so. Of course the Christian would consider none but the



One that has been especially prepared for the youth is now ready. The title, "Challenge of the Tempest," by Arthur S. Maxwell. It will help you to know how to relate yourself in this crisis hour to the great storm that is

breaking. Will you face it as a hero or will you grow discouraged and cynical?

One minister said of this book, "It is a gripper. I certainly enjoyed reading it. Personally I feel that it should be placed in the hands of every one of our young people, and I hope we will succeed in placing it in the hands of the boys in camp."

Truly it is a timely, thought-provoking book, one that will hold the attention of the youth and will encourage them in the problems of life.

"Challenge of the Tempest" is one of the books to be used in the Missions Extension program; so we not only desire that you read it yourself but help to place as many copies as possible in the hands of other youth and those older in years. The price is twenty-five cents with a fifty per cent discount to those who sell, plus sales tax and postage. Dean A. Lower.

Washington Young People

The young people of the Washington Conference are doing a good and acceptable work. Some activities have shown an increase for the year 1940. Many are preparing for an active part in the Lord's work. Hundreds of our young people are willing and anxious to do the work of the Lord and it will be well in all our churches to place responsibility upon the youth. God can use their zeal and energy to His glory.

In one of our city churches the young people told the pastor that if he would give the studies, they would visit the homes around the church and invite the people to attend the meeting. The meetings have been started and a good number of the neighbors around the church are attending. Young people can be a great help to the pastor in assisting him in his work for the public.

In the year 1940 the following work was reported by the young people: 2,269 Bible readings, 12,232 missionary visits, 130,253 papers distributed, and 83 were baptized by the help of Missionary Volunteers. Several Sunday schools are being conducted by young people as well as branch Sabbath schools.

Master Comrade Classes

At present there are hundreds preparing to be invested. Many of the standard of development."

schools and societies are conducting classes in the Master Comrade work. Applications for certificates are coming to the office in large numbers and investiture services are already arranged for during the months of April and May. Seventy-two Friends, 23 Companions, 6 Comrades, 12 Master Comrades were invested in 1940.

Junior Camp

Beautiful Camp Orkila has been rented for Junior Camp. The date is June 22-29. We are expecting a large attendance at Junior Camp this year. We are now in a position to supply Junior and Senior uniforms for the boys and men. Samples are on display at the conference office or will be taken to schools and churches upon request.

A. D. Bohn, Missionary Volunteer Secretary, Washington Conference.

Some Thoughtful Questions

Once again we are listing some questions for study. The answers are found in "Messages to Young People," chapters 118-126. If you are reading the Spirit of Prophecy Reading Course, you will find this correlates with the assignment under date of March 30 to April 5.

- 1. What is said about those who are careless in dress and in business, discourteous and rough in their manners?
- 2. What is said about Sabbath dress?
- 3. How is the influence of the Christian affected by his dress?
- 4. What is said about the dignity of simplicity in dress?
- 5. What are the qualities which characterize proper dress?
- 6. What distinction is drawn between recreation and amusement?
- 7. What privilege and duty do Christians have regarding recreations?
 8. How does Satan use worldly
- amusement?

 9. What is the significance of a
- craving for amusements?

counteract the working of the Holy Spirit than anything else? Why?

H. C. KLEMENT.

"We are here for a purpose. God has given us His plan for our life; and He desires us to reach the highest standard of development."

News Notes

(Continued from page 4)

Elder McComas has been laboring in the Kansas Conference.

We call your attention to MARCH 29. This is Thirteenth Sabbath. We trust that every member will be unusually liberal in this important offering.

Brother Waters is very busy these days. He reports an unusual interest in the colporteur work at the college. Thirteen young people from the college are definitely planning on canvassing in our field this year. Now is the time to circulate our literature. Pray for this important work. Is the Lord calling you to enter this field of service? Write Brother Waters for information and the special offer being made to those who desire to make this their work.

Elders Reynolds and Esteb held a convention with the Colville and Chewelah churches, March 15. The Lord is greatly blessing the work in these churches.

The "New Day" series of tracts are here. There are twenty numbers in this series. Dr. Merlin Neff has spent considerable time in revising these tracts. The conference is subsidizing these so our churches can secure them for \$2.50 a thousand. Brother Dexter is busy supplying orders. Get your order in now.

This is the day to use more literature than ever before.

Yakima Valley Academy

The annual amateur hour, sponsored by Sigma Kappa Sigma, was presented March 9, by Charles Hurley, master of ceremonies, assisted by Harold Fristad, boys' club president. The program was divided into three sections with two prizes for each section, the first prize being five dollars. Melvin Schwisow won first prize in the light section, Ellen Hammill first prize in the serious section and in the novelty group the prize was divided between Arthur Fund, Harold Fristad, Lloyd Mooers, and Harold Schnepper who put on a tumbling act.

The Walla Walla College orchestra stopped at the academy on their way to the coast and played last Thursday morning from 10:45 to 12:00. Every one enjoyed the program very much.

March 12 was the opening date for spring vacation. Most every one took the opportunity to leave the campus for a few days.

"Building the West" was shown as a moving picture during chapel last Wednesday, presented by the Standard Oils of California.



NEW CHURCH HYMNAL

Ready March 30

SPECIAL OFFER FOR 90 DAYS

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Maas, Clarence	GC	12	10.55	11,30
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Thompson, Carl	GC	31	37.00	37.00
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Miscellaneous			7.50	7.50

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Colporteur	Book	Hours	Orders	Deliv.
Adams, Harold	GC	7	5.25	25.10
Groom, Mrs. Lynn				
WE	BTS	23	20.30	4.90
Komoll, Beatrice	BR	18	17.00	19.00
Laffoon, Mrs. Sam	GC	20	23.40	
Miscellaneous		25	15.20	.75
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C. S. Johnson, Field Secretary Week Ending March 15, 1941

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Colporteur	Book	Hours	Orders	Deliv.
Bankston, D. B.	BR	40	43.25	
Booth, A. H.	GC	35	20.45	.25
Colvin, M. F.	BR	32	20.50	
Gay, M. F.	GC	40	30.70	5.65
Gearhart, Mrs. J. A	. GC	19	20.30	11.15
Goodrich, Mrs. E. F.	3.			
	Mag	15	15.00	15.00
Johnson, H. B. G	CHP	31	33.60	25.80
Lowe, C. H.	GC	42	41.50	1.00
Means, Mrs. Rose	GC	36	14.40	3.00
Nimz, Fred	GC	33	12.20	
Schofield, Mrs. G.	GC	37	14.05	1.00
Schuren, Mrs. M.	Mag	17	14.95	14.95
Strangway, Mrs. I.	GC	26	24.15	1.00
Ziegele, Walter	BR	34	24.75	4.25
Miscellaneous		170	39.75	17.20

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UPPER COLUMBIA N. H. Waters, Field Secretary Week Ending March 15, 1941

Colporteur	Book	Hours	Orders	Deliv.
Knutson, Mrs. C. J.	BR	30	51.00	
McIntyre, Earl B	R GC	44	72.10	25.40
New, Roy G	H GC	39	34.20	1.90
Tucker, E. H.	GH	43	43.75	21.55

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WASHINGTON G. E. Lindquist, Field Secretary Week Ending March 15, 1941

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Colporteur	Book	Hours	Orders	Deliv.
Austermuhl, Mr	s. M.			
	GC BR	37	45.85	4.50
Chappell, John	Mag	33	39.50	36.00
Cox, Herbert	GCHP	45	87.95	10.80
Graham, Mrs. M	[,			
	BR GC	24	35.50	3.90
Jones, Mrs. E. V	V. BR	31	23,25	9.50
Larson, Hattie	BR GC	20	15.25	8.50
Lawrence, J. W.				
	GC BR	30	18.25	4.75

		371	394.85	131.00
Miscellaneous		72	26.20	5.00
Weiding, Earl	GC	8	18.40	9.65
Tenma, Mrs. M.	Mag	13	13.75	18.25
Seaunier, Ralph	GC	20	26.10	9.15
Richter, Mrs. M.	BR	12	17.75	11.00
Porter, Ida M.	BR HG	26	27.10	

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Mount Ellis Memos

The M. E. A. Mountaineers, together with the Mount Ellis Improvement Club, gave a dinner for seventy-two paying guests recently. Among them were twenty-five members of the Bozeman Professional and Business Women's Club. The proceeds went to the boy's parlor improvement fund. Both clubs have now reached their goal of \$35.00.

The seniors gave an interesting program in chapel recently.

The juniors announced their officers Tuesday. Their officers are: Jeanne Morrison, president; Max La Mare, vice-president; Genevieve Harvey, secretary; Dick Firman, treasurer; and Harold Reinke, sergeant at arms. Their chosen flower is daffodill, and their colors are daffodill yellow and silver. Mrs. A. R. Tucker is the faculty adviser.

Two cars loaded with members of the Ministerial Association made a week end trip to Hardin and Custer where they gave two programs on the subject, Temperance. Saturday evening they were entertained by the Hardin M. V. society at a social gathering in the community room at the court house. Professor and Mrs. Tucker accompanied the group.

Miles City has sent in its allotment for the boys' dormitory improvement fund. Have you done your share?

ADVERTISEMENTS

WANTED.—A man with car who will take over a paying bakery route. Write Yakima Valley Academy Bakery, Granger, Wash.

FOR SALE.—One and one-half acres with sixroom house and barn close to Mt. Ellis Academy. Priced for quick sale. Edith W. Carlton, R. 4, Bozeman, Montana.

WANTED.—Woman to care for small boy and do light house work. Board, room, and \$5 per week. Church privileges. Marshall A. Rockwell, M. D., Vernonia, Ore.

CARS SOLD ON CONSIGNMENT.—New and late model cars bought and sold. Lowest rates auto loans, plus insurance. Downs Auto Sales, 1901 East Roy, Seattle, Wash.

LESTER RUUD. — Watchmaker. Watch repairing a specialty. New and used watches, straps and bracelets. 213 Panama Bldg., Third and Alder, Portland, Ore.

FOR RENT. — House, \$47.50, desirable eight rooms, pleasant home for students, 2707 Nob Hill Avenue. Inspection by appointment. Miss Johnson, MAin8868, 318 Insurance Building, Seattle.

WANTED.—Seventh-day Adventist man or boy, eighteen or above, capable of greenhouse work. Wages and maintenance provided. Contact Betz Greenhouse at once, 9432 S.E. Clinton, Portland, Oregon.

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS.—New and used band and orchestra instruments. Special prices to church school children. Write for full particulars. Sheet music. Music Shop, College Place, Wash.

FOR SALE.—Up-to-date fuel yard; a good living and a home combined; in College Place, Wash. Reason for selling, poor health. Price \$9000, part terms. Wm. Evenson, College Place, Wash.

WANTED.—Able-bodied man to act as companion to young man recovering from a mental illness. Must be patient and understanding. Salary \$12 a month plus board and room. Possible to make additional money by cutting wood or selling books part time. Write Box 1229, Spokane, Wash.

SEVENTH - DAY ADVENTIST HEALTH home situated two miles north of Seattle, close to bus line. Specializing in health diets for colitis, arthritis, and diabetes. Ula E. Ackerson Home, 12552 Phinney Ave., Seattle, Wash. Grant 0452.

WANTED.—Good mechanic for "cats" and log trucks. Must be good welder. Also "cat" driver, fallers, and buckers. Good pay to Seventh-day Adventist men. Must contact me personally. A. W. Poulson, Husum, Wash. (near White Salmon).

FOR SALE OR TRADE.—Twenty-five acres, six cultivated; one acre boysenberries, one-half acre strawberries, some timber, buildings. \$2,300.00. F. A. Quackenbush, Deer Island, Ore.

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FOR SALE.—Ten-acre farm, irrigation. Three acres clover and pasture. One mile from church school and Seventh-day Adventist church. One mile from Yelm, Wash. Price \$425. Sacrificing to enter colporteur work. Write Ralph Seaunier, R. 8, Box 267, Seattle, Wash.

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Sunset Table

Fri	iday, Ma	rch 28, 1941	
Medford	6:32	Pocatello	6:52
Portland	6:34	Billings	6:37
Seattle	6:33	Helena	6:51
Spokane	6:14	Havre	6:44
Walla Walla	6:16	Miles City	6:26
Wenatchee	6:24	Missoula	6:59
Boise	7:07	Juneau, April 4	7:47

RADIO LOG

"The Quiet Hour"

"Back to the Bible"

The Dalles, KODL (1200 kc.) Sunday 9:30-10:00 A.M.



Assignments for Fourteenth Week, March 30 to April 5.

Volume: "Messages to Young People," Chapters 118-126.

March 30 349-350 March 31 351-353 April 1 354-357 April 2 358-360 April 3 362-366 April 4 367-369 April 5 369-372

The Home Study Plan

The Home Study Institute has furnished the answer to the educational problem of many young people who have not found it possible to attend one of our own schools. On the one hand the Institute cooperates heartily

Commendations

To say that we appreciate what our people did in the Missions Extension in 1940 is stating our feelings mildly. What a great blessing came to our mission fields from the money that was raised for Missions Extension!

Now we are coming to you again and appealing for an even larger offering for 1941. There are eighteen new projects that will be benefited this year by the Missions Extension offering. As we look at the list, we cannot help but express our gratefulness for what the Missions Extension offering has meant throughout all these years.

PUBLISHING

	E. G. White books: Initial expense for foreign languages in overseas	
	divisions to be distributed by the General Conference Committee \$	2,500.00
	Press and type for printing plant at Malamulo Mission	1,500.00
	Literature for officials of foreign governments	500.00
	MEDICAL	
	Complete new hospitals in Nigeria	2,340.00
	Manila Sanitarium equipment	2,500.00
	Tanganyika hospital building and equipment	5,000.00
	EDUCATIONAL	
	School equipment in Hamadan, Iran	500.00
	Additional land and two cottages for teachers, Costa Rica	3,000.00
1	Colombia-Venezuela school building and land	12,500.00
1	Dining hall-service building, Manchuria Training Institute	2,000.00
ı	Zambesi Union Training School building, Lower Gwelo	1,800.00
ı	Dormitory for girls' school, Bethel Training School, South Africa	7,000.00
ı	Antillian Union school building and equipment, Santa Clara, Cuba	12,500.00
١	East Brazil Union Academy, workshop.	600.00
l	Boys' dormitory	1,800.00
I	SPECIALS	
I	Assam Mission station	7,200.00
	Two mission stations and equipment, Congo	6,200.00
	Equipment for new workers to Lhasa.	560.00
	TOTAL	70,000,00

Altogether \$70,000.00 is the sum called for in these eighteen new projects. This offering will be taken up in our churches in the North Pacific Union on April 19. We have taken as our share \$9025.00. We wouldn't be at all surprised if we would go beyond that figure. God has greatly blessed our people and we do want to appeal to you for a liberal offering in behalf of these new projects. We are calling on all workers and lay forces to contribute one day's salary toward this fund. The week preceding the offering is known as the Big Week, and we desire that all of our people sell the two fine books that have been prepared for the Big Week. Let us begin to lay plans now for a large offering.

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with those who feel the need of a more liberal education and helps them to realize their ambitions. To others the school desires to arouse their interest that they may awaken to the possibilities that lie within their grasp.

This institution serves a real need in our denomination. Courses of college and academy level are offered. Special mention should be made of some courses especially adapted to church officers. For full particulars regarding courses, please write to the Home Study Institute, Takoma Park, Washington, D. C. H. C. KLEMENT.

Why Not?

Spring is here. Why not invest for the Lord? Are you planning on an Investment garden? With the beauti-

ful days in spring that have come, there are many avenues open to us for Investment. Why not choose an Investment project from the following?

Garden: Flowers, berries, vegetables. Orchard: The fruit of a certain tree, or a percentage of the crop.

Poultry: A setting hen, or the Sabbath eggs.

Dairying: Cottage cheese from the skimmed milk, or a percentage of milk from a certain cow.

Sales: Books, magazines, fancy work, art work, old newspapers, scrap iron and other junk.

Why not invest in a very definite way for God through our Sabbath schools? We hope that each one will give the Sabbath School Investment prayerful consideration.

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