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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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Will Books Win a Soul?

Sometimes the question is asked, Do our books placed by colporteurs in the homes of unbelievers actually win men to the truth? The answer is "Yes," definitely "Yes." A report has just come to our office concerning the work of Jose Maria Barboza, one of our successful colporteurs who recently sent in the following experience:

"When Colporteur Jose Maria Barboza began canvassing, he asked his companion, 'Do you think these books we are selling will ever win a soul to the truth?'"

"One of his books was purchased by a Methodist, who did not appreciate it and therefore gave it to a friend. Nor did this friend like the book, so he gave it to another. This third party began reading the book, *This Decisive Hour*, and started to talk to his friends regarding the contents of it, and they likewise became very interested. They came to his home and the book was read aloud to a large number of friends, and they formed themselves into a group that was fully convinced of the truths.

"The Adventists knew nothing of this interested and convinced group. The Pentecostal people found them and, as usual, said: 'We are the true church of God.' These new believers rejoiced. But, as they soon noticed that the Pentecostal group did not keep the Sabbath, they asked regarding this. The Pentecostal people tried to refute the Sabbath truth, but the

new believers returned to their book and found it clearly given with Scripture authority. Pentecostal pastors of great renown were called, and they tried in vain to convince this group to abandon the Sabbath question. Finally, the Pentecostal ministers became angry and said to them: 'You are Sabbath-keepers and are being taught by the Adventists.' But the new believers knew nothing of the Adventists, nor did the Adventists know anything of this group.

"Finally, news of this new group of Sabbath keepers reached one of our Adventist ministers, who immediately went to the far-flung mountain range to visit them. He found one of the new believers, and he immediately ran and rounded up the group, saying: 'Come quickly, a pastor has arrived who keeps the seventh day holy like we do.'

"As a result of the book, the studies, and meetings held by the pastor, twenty-five precious souls were baptized. Just think, twenty-five souls won by a book that gave the light of truth, sold by a colporteur who asked, 'Will books that I sell win a soul to Christ?'"

It pays to engage in the colporteur ministry both from the material and spiritual standpoint. The need today is great for more colporteurs who have a vision of the soul-saving opportunities wrapped up in the literature ministry. M. V. TUCKER.

dents, as well as dental and pre-dental students, will be included. They will not be exempt; their call for induction will be deferred until their professional training is completed.

The fact that such exemptions and deferments are provided constitutes no reason why you should be either a ministerial, a medical, or a dental student. Do not plan any course of procedure or action just to dodge the draft. A sage bit of Negro philosophy applies here: "Don't be what you ain't." Just be what you are.

Don't pretend to be preparing for the ministry when you had no thought of such preparation until you learned that ministerial students would be exempted from military service. That is not a worthy or an adequate call to the ministry.

Don't pretend to be preparing for medicine or dentistry when you had no thought of such preparation until you learned that medical and dental students would be deferred, possibly until the emergency is past. That is neither a worthy nor proper call to such professions. Just be what you are. Don't change your life plans on account of the draft.

Place yourself and your future in the capable and loving hands of God. He knows where He wants you. He knows what He wants to do with you. He has something in mind for you. He knows how to put you where He wants you to be. Look to Him, trust Him, make all your decisions only after inquiring of Him, and learning His will for you.

For He does have a plan for you. "He is planning for thee in love; for it matters to Him about you."

CARLYLE B. HAYNES.

Faith of Our Fathers

Our thoughtful laymen, who wish to have a clearer understanding of the majestic prophetic foundations of our faith, will welcome the new Volume II, in *The Prophetic Faith of Our Fathers* set, by LeRoy E. Froom. It is unique in all our denominational literature, and is already bringing our denomination to the favorable attention of religious leaders not of our faith. More than a score of book reviews by prominent teachers and editors have appeared on Volume III. These have been in leading religious journals. A growing respect for the soundness of our teachings on Bible prophecy is becoming apparent, based on the remarkable evidence of the centuries here brought out. This book is ideal for lending or giving to ministers, teachers, lawyers, doctors, newspaper editors, and Sunday school teachers in your community. It will help to lift Adventism to its rightful place in their esteem, and will break down prejudice and make friends for the faith.

It is doubtless the key volume of the set, and covers the Old World prophetic exposition from the Renaissance to the French Revolution. Replete with illustrations—historical scenes, facsimiles of title pages and extracts, reproductions of coins and medals, portraits of the prophetic spokesmen, and a progressive series of charts and tables—it covers a period filled with human

The Draft and You—3

It has been pointed out that the draft law is likely to contain exemptions and deferments for certain classes of men, or men in certain courses of training. Some may claim exemptions; others may claim deferments.

Exemption is not the same as deferment. Exemption is provided in the law itself. Deferment is usually by Selective Service regulations.

Among the exemptions provided by law, no doubt, will be ministers of religion and ministerial students. If such exemptions are made in the draft law, then by Act of Congress these classes do not come under the operation of the draft and therefore cannot be called for service.

Among the deferments provided it is likely medical and premedical stu-

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Walla Walla College

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Professor Thurston Receives Degree

Prof. Claude E. Thurston, head of the Chemistry Department of Walla Walla College, received the degree of Ph. D. from Washington State College at the annual commencement exercises there Sunday. He wrote his doctor's thesis on "The Solubility Relationships in Three Component Systems of Sulphates and Selenates in Water at 25° C." His thesis will be condensed and published in a scientific journal next year.

Professor Thurston came to College Place as a student in grade school in 1914. Twelve years later he graduated from college with the first B. A. in chemistry to be conferred by this institution. President Bowers was at that time head of the Chemistry Department and Professor Thurston was his first chemistry major to graduate.

In the autumn of 1926 Professor and Mrs. Thurston entered mission service in the Far East, where they taught in our schools in southern China and the Philippine Islands. During their first overseas term Professor Thurston had

charge of the science and industrial departments at Philippine Union College, and during their second term he served as principal of an academy on the island of Guimaras, a small island of the Philippines on which they were the only occidentals. While on furlough in the United States in 1934 he received his M. S. degree in Industrial Chemistry from the University of Washington.

Returning to this country and to Walla Walla College in 1938, Professor Thurston was made head of the Chem-



istry Department, succeeding Dr. G. W. Bowers, who at that time became president of the college. Between them Professor Thurston and Professor Thurston have headed the Chemistry Department for the past twenty-three years.

Professor Thurston continued his graduate work at the University of Washington during the summers of 1940 and '41. In 1944-'45 he completed the residence and course requirements for his doctor's degree at Washington State College. He finished his thesis last autumn and passed the final examinations this spring.

Summer School

All students registering for the summer session of the Walla Walla College campus division are called to meet in the college chapel Wednesday, June 9, at 8:30 a.m. The purpose of this convocation is to complete arrangements

for the summer session classes. If there is sufficient demand, other courses may be offered in addition to the regularly scheduled curriculum, states Dean H. L. Sonnenberg, director of the summer session.

Registration for the first term of the summer session will begin immediately following the convocation in the chapel, and will continue throughout the day. Classes will begin Thursday morning, June 10. An enriched curriculum is planned and a very pleasant summer is anticipated.

Theology Officers Plan For Next Year

Theology club officers for the Walla Walla College 1948-49 term met May 17 to consider plans, campaigns, and specific programs for the summer and the coming school year, according to a statement released by Clare Bishop, president-elect of the organization.

The club's executive committee for the next college term is composed of Bishop, Kenneth H. McVay, first vice president; Donna Jean Spillman, secretary; Nathan Merkel, treasurer; Lillian Casebolt, assistant secretary; Kenneth Hoover, social vice president; and Dean Hickok, publicity manager.

At their meeting this group approved the naming of Lloyd Wyman as chorister and Marvin Troutman as head of the organization's research committee. Bishop's statement disclosed, and in addition favorably considered Bob Sanders as editor of the still-tentative yearbook for the School of Theology.

Money for summer club activity, with specific provision for membership campaigning through correspondence, was voted by the committee. It was also revealed that work of various committees for the new term was analyzed, conduct of the club's monthly program was reviewed, and new methods of kindling and retaining interest were discussed with a view to inception.

Elder Scharffenberg Visits

Elder W. A. Scharffenberg, executive secretary of the American Temperance Society, visited the campus last week in the interest of a temperance promotion campaign.

In a talk to the students in assembly on Wednesday Elder Scharffenberg reported the progress of the temperance work since his visit here last autumn. The liquor industry is fearing the return of prohibition, he said, as he displayed numerous newspaper advertisements sponsored by the liquor interests in which they appeal for public support of their traffic.

Influence of the American Temper-

Walla Walla College Commencement

Senior Consecration, Friday June 4
8 p.m.

Elder Clarence C. Kott

Baccalaureate Sermon, Sabbath,
June 5, 11 a.m.

Elder C. A. Scriven

Commencement, Sunday, June 6,
10 a.m.

Dr. W. Homer Teesdale

ance Society, which is a Seventh-day Adventist organization, has increased most encouragingly during the past several months, Elder Scharffenberg said. Rising from the position of a minor temperance organization, it is now listed in second place among the temperance forces of America.

Once again all of our people who are qualified are urged to register and become certified voters, so that when the opportunity comes to vote against any phase of the liquor traffic they may do so. "The advocates of temperance fail to do their whole duty unless they exert their influence by precept and example—by voice and pen and vote—in favor of prohibition and total abstinence."—*Gospel Workers*, p. 388.

WEDDINGS

Marilyn Parmenter became the wife of Melvin Atwood in Eugene, Oregon, the evening of April 19. The ceremony was read by Elder R. F. Bresee. Mr. and Mrs. Atwood will live in Eugene. May the Lord guide this young couple in a life of faithful service.

Ellen Lucille Chaffee and William A. Clouse, Jr. exchanged vows in the Blachly Seventh-day Adventist church the evening of May 11. Elder R. F. Bresee performed the ceremony. May heaven's blessings attend these young people.

A beautiful candlelight service took place at the College Place church Sunday evening, May 23, when Miss Betty Louise Adams was united in marriage to Mr. Leslie Lee Cook. Elder I. M. Burke officiated at the ceremony. The couple will make their home in College Place.

On May 9 in a beautiful candle light service, Miss Delores Denny became the bride of Mr. Don Wyson, at Pendleton, Oregon. Elder Logan E. Houser read the ceremony. These young people will make their home in Pendleton. We wish them the Lord's richest blessings as they journey through life.

Sunset Table

Friday, June 4, 1948

Boise	8:23	Coos Bay	7:50
Pocatello	8:04	Medford	7:42
Billings	7:59	Portland	7:56
Havre	8:17	Seattle	8:02
Helena	8:17	Spokane	7:43
Miles City	7:48	Walla Walla	7:38
Missoula	8:25	Wenatchee	7:52
Juneau, June 11	10:05	Ketchikan, June 11	9:27

Northwest Youth's Congress

Congress Chatter Preview

"What a huge crowd! Most of them are young people, too! I haven't seen so many young people in one place since the North American Youth's Congress at San Francisco."

"Neither have I. From their badges I see that they have come from all over the Union. The ones who are wearing the ribbon with the badge are delegates. I understand that they get special privileges, including the best seats in the auditorium and better housing."

"Lucky people! Judging by the size of the crowd, we're going to be fortunate if we get a seat at all, to say nothing of getting good seats where we can see as well as hear. Think of what it will be like by next Sabbath! With the people coming out from Portland, there will be at least ten thousand people on the grounds. How will they be cared for?"

"I've heard that arrangements have been made to take care of the overflow crowd in the M. V. and J. M. V. pavilions. Those who go there will hear all that is said, but, of course, they will not see the speakers. Yes, the delegates are fortunate, indeed, to have the best

seats in the auditorium reserved for them."

"I wish I had been selected as a delegate!"

Yes, the delegates to the Northwest Youth's Congress will be given special attention, including that mentioned above. Your church or M. V. Society should select your delegates *now*, so that the individuals selected can plan their summer programs intelligently.

How many delegates will there be?

Every Senior Missionary Volunteer Society is entitled to two delegates. Every church which has no Senior Missionary Society is entitled to one delegate.

How are the delegates selected?

The M. V. Society Executive committee should select two of its most representative young people. The names of those selected should be passed on to the church board for its consideration, after which they may be voted on by the M. V. Society and the church.

Where there is no Senior M. V. Society, the church should select a senior young person to represent their group.

Missionary Volunteer officers who are past the M. V. age may be selected, if the society or the church thinks best. Those who are selected as delegates should be of unquestioned character, and of sufficient talent and faithfulness to record and bring back to the society or church a report of Congress activities.

Names of those selected as delegates should be forwarded to the conference Missionary Volunteer Secretary.

Select your Youth's Congress delegate now!

G. W. CHAMBERS.

Youth's Congress Items

A Master Comrade investiture service will be conducted in connection with the Youth's Congress at Gladstone Park, Oregon, July 28 to 31. If you are working on the Master Comrade requirements and can finish these before this date, will you please get in touch with your conference Missionary Volunteer secretary and check with him so that everything will be in order for you to be invested. Please do this without delay for time is limited.

For our work-shops at the Congress we are very anxious to have the benefit of the experience of young people who have been actively engaged in giving Bible readings, conducting cottage meetings, or public evangelistic efforts. If you have been engaged in any one of these endeavors, or in systematic distribution of literature from house-

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to-house, will you please inform your conference Missionary Volunteer secretary, giving him the details of your experience. If you have been instrumental in leading some one to take his stand for God's truth through any of these types of service will you also make this known to your secretary. We thank you heartily for your help in these items.

C. LESTER BOND.

Idaho Conference

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Idaho Conference Session

Notice is hereby given that the twenty-eighth session of the Idaho Conference will convene on the Gem State Academy school grounds located at Caldwell, Idaho, June 16-26, 1948. The purpose of the meeting is to elect officers for the ensuing term, and to transact such other business as may come before the session. The first meeting will be called to order at 8:00 p.m., June 16. The constitutional provision for delegates is as follows: One delegate for each church and one additional delegate for each ten members or major fraction thereof.

Clarence C. Kott, President
M. E. Hagen, Secretary

Southern Idaho Conference Association

The constituency meeting of the Southern Idaho Conference Association of Seventh-day Adventists will be held in connection with the Idaho Conference camp meeting on the Gem State Academy school grounds located at Caldwell, Idaho, June 16-26, 1948. The purpose of the meeting is to elect a board of trustees for the ensuing term, to make Constitutional Revisions, and such other business as may come before the session. The by-laws of the Association provide that the delegates to the Conference constituency meeting are also delegates of the Association session. The first meeting will be called at 11:00 a.m., Friday, June 18, 1948.

Clarence C. Kott, President
M. E. Hagen, Secretary

M.V. and Educational Gleanings

The M. V. and Educational Department is pleased to welcome Miss Marjorie Carpenter as office secretary to Elder M. J. Perry. She comes to us from the Montana Conference where she served in the same capacity.

According to Camp Director Perry, the camp applications are coming in rapidly. Be sure to rush your application cards now to be able to enjoy

the thrilling adventures of Camp Idaho. Boys, July 11 - 18, Girls, July 18 - 25. Large plans are in the making to offer the boys and girls many new and thrilling pleasures that they will enjoy and appreciate. Remember, Camp Idaho for 1948 is going to be the greatest camp ever attempted in the history of the Idaho Conference. Rush your applications to the office today, and receive your free lapel "registered camper" pennant to wear proudly before your friends. If you are interested in being baptized at camp, make arrangements with your local pastors, who will contact us.

The Voice of Adventist Youth is gaining greater momentum with every passing moment. Many encouraging letters are coming in to the radio stations expressing their appreciation for these youth broadcasts. Keep writing to M. J. Perry or the Voice of Adventist Youth in care of your station and keep telling us how you enjoy these programs. This will encourage these stations to continue these broadcasts.

Remember the dates for the Voice of Adventist Youth broadcasts: June 13, June 27—and every two weeks thereafter at 9:30 a.m. over "The Gem State Network," KGEM—Boise, KBIO—Burley, and KEIO—Pocatello.

The educational superintendent is pleased to report that the schools have made good progress in the completion of the work for the school year, and have dismissed May 28. Many graduation exercises and investiture services were held, and a large number of boys and girls was baptized, as a result of the baptismal classes which were conducted by the teachers and pastors. He is pleased to note also that many teachers are staying by to continue giving strength to our school program next fall.

Salmon District

Elders Clarence C. Kott and R. E. Adams spent four days, May 5 to 8, with the people of the Salmon church. We here in Salmon always enjoy the inspiration that comes to us by having the men from the office visit us.

Elder Adams in company with the writer spent most of his time filming the missionary activities of the church. For several months the members of the Salmon church have been working faithfully in their soul-winning endeavors. Sixteen members both adult and young people are receiving the Laymen's Bible Training Course Certificates. For the most part, all have been out giving Bible studies or helping in the laymen's efforts that are being conducted.

God has abundantly blessed our efforts and as a result of the work done six have taken their stand for this truth. The work is still going forward and we feel confident the Lord will bless us with more souls.

Elder Kott spoke at the eleven o'clock hour Sabbath morning directing his remarks to the six candidates for baptism, showing the necessity of not only being baptized by water but also to be baptized with the Holy Spirit. Following a short examination of the candidates we went up to the Salmon Hot Springs where Mrs. Geneva Call, Mrs. Thelma Rose, Mrs. Lois Hurst, Mrs. Jessie Holbrook and Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Ford were buried with their Lord in baptism. Elder Adams officiated. This was truly a thrilling experience for us all.

FRANK RUSCHE.

IDAHO INGATHERING VICTORY

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into a field day and set a new record in their accomplishments as did the various church schools. Top honors go to the Burns and John Day churches both in Elder Mershon's district. Their per capitas are \$25.31 and \$23.21 respectively. More is still coming in and we urge all to keep striving until our \$20,000 super objective is reached. We rejoice at this another successful accomplishment in Idaho and give all the praise, honor and glory to God from whom all blessings flow.

CLARENCE C. KOTT.

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Upper Columbia Conference of SDA

Notice is hereby given that the regular business session of the Upper Columbia Conference of Seventh-day Adventists will be held in connection with the annual camp meeting at College Place, Washington, June 9 to 19, 1948. The purpose of this meeting is to elect officers for the ensuing term and to transact such other business as may properly come before the delegates. The first meeting will be held on Wednesday, June 9, 1948, at 8:00 P.M.

F. A. Mote, President.
H. J. Perkins, Secretary

Upper Columbia Mission Society of SDA

Notice is hereby given that the regular business session of the Upper Columbia Mission Society of Seventh-day Adventists will be held in connection

with the business session of the Upper Columbia Conference of Seventh-day Adventists on the camp grounds at College Place, Washington. The first meeting will convene June 10, 1948, at 10:45 A.M. The purpose of this meeting is to elect officers for the ensuing term and to transact such other business as may properly come before the delegates.

Delegates to the Upper Columbia Conference session are delegates to the Mission Society meeting.

F. A. Mote, President.

H. J. Perkins, Secretary.

Upper Columbia Medical Missionary and Benevolent Association

Notice is hereby given that the regular business session of the Upper Columbia Medical Missionary and Benevolent Association of Seventh-day Adventists will be held in connection with the business session of the Upper Columbia Conference of Seventh-day Adventists on the camp grounds at College Place, Washington. The first meeting will convene June 10, 1948 at 2:45 p.m. The purpose of this meeting is to elect officers for the ensuing term and to transact such other business as may properly come before the delegates. Delegates to the Upper Columbia Conference session are recognized delegates to the Medical Missionary and Benevolent Association meeting.

F. A. Mote, President.

W. E. Guthrie, Secretary.

Congratulations, Young People!

The youth of Upper Columbia Conference are to be commended for their accomplishments in the devotional and educational features of their Missionary Volunteer Society endeavor during the first five months of the year. They have been awarded 145 Bible Year certificates, 1122 Reading Course certificates, and 1566 Honor Tokens; 390 boys and girls have been invested in the Preparatory classes, as Busy Bees, Sunbeams, Builders, and Helping Hands. In the Junior classes there have been invested 191 Friends, 64 Companions, and 10 Comrades. And during the five months' period 59 Master Comrades have been invested.

Among the Investiture services conducted were the two largest ever held in the Upper Columbia Conference. On the evening of May 13 more than 150 juniors of the Walla Walla College Campus School received their insignia. The next evening, 49 candidates for the Master Comrade class were presented by their instructor, Mrs. Cecelia Bankhead, and after having been certified were invested as members of this important leadership class. Among those invested as Master Comrades at

the college were six members of the faculty.

We deeply appreciate the strong support given to the Missionary Volunteer work by the faculties of the college and the academies, as well as by the church school teachers and Missionary Volunteer Society officers throughout the conference, and sincerely thank all these friends of youth for the assistance and encouragement they have given.

We congratulate all the boys and girls and senior youth who have already completed class requirements since the first of the year, and sincerely trust that others who have begun, will continue their pursuit of this worthwhile endeavor, and be ready to be invested before the close of the year.

C. LESTER BOND.

Toppenish Effort Closes

Sunday night, May 9, was the closing service of our evangelistic meetings which were held in our church in Toppenish. This was the eleventh Sunday night of the effort, and nearly three hundred were present for the closing service.

The following Sunday night, a second baptismal service was conducted, at which time thirteen were baptized. This brings the total number baptized to twenty-six. Through personal work and the Sabbath services, it is hoped that a third baptismal service may be conducted before our camp meeting.

The assistance and attendance of our church members in the vicinity of Toppenish was much appreciated. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Munsey were the only conference workers associated with the writer during the effort.

C. L. VORIES.

Baptism at College Place

At a beautiful baptismal service held Sabbath afternoon, May 22, in the College Place church, twenty-nine youth of the Campus school and Walla Walla College Academy were baptized, Elder I. M. Burke officiating. A medley of sacred songs was played by Mrs. Willard Jemson, organist, throughout the ceremony.

These youth had been thoroughly instructed in the doctrines of the church through the efforts of Mrs. Gordon Greene, Bible worker, and Miss Bernice Searle, principal of the Campus school. Before the baptism, Elder Burke carefully examined the candidates to make certain of their conversion and indoctrination.

The parents were gravely admonished to be faithful to the great responsibility placed upon them by God in directing the paths of these children. The pastor also reminded the deacons and deacon-

esses of their duty toward these new church members.

The following persons were baptized: Dalton Blackman, Donald Bohlman, Edward Bowhay, Donald Christian, Leon Derby, Darlene Farmer, Raymond Gilman, James Grindley, Peter Grindley, Thomas Grindley, Ralph Hanson, Edward Klein, Marlene Klein, Floyd Kooreny, Maylene McCartney, Verland McCartney, Cynthia McGee, Anita Morgan, Carol Morgan, Kenneth Ogden, Ralph Peisley, William Peisley, Duane Perkins, Bob Phelps, Donald Phelps, Marilyn Prusia, Merle Prusia, Loraine Sunderland, and Arnold Wright.

All Youth Invited

All senior and junior young people are urgently invited to attend the conference sessions and the annual camp meeting of the Upper Columbia Conference which will convene in College Place, June 9 to 19. With the exception of June 9 and 10 separate meetings specially designed for you will be held several times each day. It was felt by the conference committee that all of the conference workers should have the privilege of attending the business sessions of the conference on the 9th and 10th, and that the young people should also attend these important meetings, and therefore no separate meetings will be held on those days. Crafts for the juniors will be provided each day from June 14 to 17 inclusive, and recreation will be supervised each day throughout the camp meeting. Plan now to attend and enjoy the blessings with us.

C. LESTER BOND.

Alaska Mission

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Craig Church School

The 1947-48 school year of the Craig, Alaska, church school was a most successful one. Eleven native boys and girls were in attendance, ranging in grades from one to seven. Mrs. Stokes was the teacher, while the writer, pastor of the local church of native Indian believers, helped also in the school program. There had been considerable opposition on the part of the townspeople to our setting up a church school, but as the result of two years' work, the first year, Mr. Leslie Christensen, being the teacher, many folk have asked that their children be allowed to attend also.

The neat little green and white building, a structure of which any church school in the States would be proud,

serves also as church home for the congregation. The members take an active interest in the work, engaging in the activities of the mailing band, passing out literature, urging their neighbors to attend our meetings, and telling of the Message to their friends in the surrounding towns. As a result of their good work, it is planned to hold a series of meetings in a nearby native community. The folk there have been begging us to come over and teach them the truth—a Macedonian call in Alaska. Five new prospective members attend services regularly as a result of the winter's series of meetings here in Craig, and several others are showing an increased interest in the truth. God's work is forging ahead in this isolated sector of this great territory, and we earnestly solicit your prayers in its behalf.

F. W. STOKES.

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Attention Juniors!!

Junior camp is only one week away. Send your application today for the best vacation possible! Elder G. W. Chambers will be with us and also some excellent local help. Come and spend June 13 to 20 with us. We are looking for you and YOU and YOU!

E. G. Fresk.

Washington Conference

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June Twelfth Offering

If anyone ever had any doubts in their minds as to whether Christian education pays or not, all such doubts would have been dispelled upon witnessing the beautiful graduating exercises at Auburn Academy the week end of May 22. As we saw some eighty fine-looking young men and young women march in the large auditorium in their caps and gowns we were made to realize what a wonderful privilege is ours to have a haven of refuge for our young people in these troublous days.

Auburn Academy has long filled a great need in the Washington Conference. Each member of the conference, I am sure, takes a certain amount of pride in this fine institution, and we all appreciate the fine work that is being done by Professor A. J. Olson,

the principal, Brother R. L. Walin, the business manager, and their associates on the Auburn faculty. Eternity alone will reveal the number of souls that have been won through the efforts of the men and women who have received a goodly portion of their education at Auburn Academy. Many of these young men and women are out in various parts of the world-field, having a definite part in the closing up of the third angel's message.

If we truly appreciate our fine academy and wish to do something tangible to show our appreciation, Sabbath, June 12, is the day when we shall have this opportunity. On that day an offering will be taken in all the churches in the Washington Conference in behalf of the finishing of the girls' dormitory at our school. If we can raise \$30,000 on this date, we will be able to finish the lower floor of the dormitory and the splendid dining room and kitchen. This will enable us to use our present dining room and kitchen space for library and laboratory space, thus releasing additional space and quarters for much needed class rooms in the upper part of our administration building.

If there are those who read this article who have old accounts of long standing owed to Auburn Academy, we shall appreciate it very much if you will see your district leader or Professor Olson or Brother Walin at the academy and arrange to pay these old accounts. And we shall be glad to see that the money is turned in to the dormitory fund.

I truly believe that we have one of the finest academies in our entire denomination right here in Auburn, and this offering on June 12 will help very materially to make this school a better place for our boys and girls in securing a Christian education. May the Lord impress each one of us as to just what we should give in this most important offering.

DON H. SPILLMAN.

Change of Leadership in Bellingham

For the past five years A. J. Gordon has given strong leadership to the work in the Bellingham district. During his stay there the tithes and offerings of the district have risen until it is now one of the leading districts in our conference. A beautiful new school and auditorium have been built in Bellingham and a fine church school started in Ferndale. In addition to this scores of people have been baptized into the message by Elder Gordon, assisted by our faithful Bible worker, Sister Sine Hansen, and Brethren Oswald and Phillips, in their evangelistic effort a

year ago. During the time Elder Gordon has been in our conference he has turned down many calls to work in other fields. Among these calls were two opportunities to be conference president in other unions and to be pastor in some of the largest churches in our union. Some time ago a call came from the Oregon Conference for Elder Gordon and his family to locate in Salem, and after much prayer and study they have decided to accept the call. We are sure that Elder Gordon will be greatly missed in our field, not only in the Bellingham district, but on the conference committee and Auburn Academy board, and among the workers and laity among whom they have a host of friends. We wish them God-speed as they go to their new field of labor.

To take Elder Gordon's place in this important portion of the field, the committee unanimously voted to call R. J. Winders of Boise, Idaho, to be the new district leader for the Bellingham area. Elder Winders comes to us with a wealth of experience in both pastoral and evangelistic work. He served for many years in the Illinois Conference in the capacity of district leader and pastor evangelist. For the past three years Elder Winders has been pastor of the Boise, Idaho, church and has held a number of successful evangelistic efforts during his stay in that city. It is Elder Winders' desire to hold evangelistic meetings in Bellingham in addition to his pastoral work, and the conference committee recently voted that he and Brother Frank Phillips and Sister Sine Hansen conduct a strong effort in the new Bellingham auditorium this fall. Elder and Mrs. Winders and their son will be in Bellingham about the middle of June and I am sure our people there will give them a most cordial welcome.

DON H. SPILLMAN.

We Appreciate Our Church Schools

By the time you read this, another school year will have become history. In many ways this has been an unusual year; every full-time teacher has taught the whole year through, every school has made material progress in all lines. To the teachers who have labored so untiringly throughout the year to make their schools successful, we express our sincerest appreciation.

For Ingathering we have some last minute reports. Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Smith disclose a total of \$137.04 for Clear Lake—almost \$5 per pupil. Miss Memory Gillham states that her little school has brought in \$13.05. Bellingham's total now exceeds \$850, and

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REACHING THE PEOPLE

Where They Are



WE must reach the people where they are, and by example and precept lead them to see the beauties of the better way. The world is in sad need of instruction along these lines."

Find the people at home if you can, but for reaching with the third angel's message the hundreds of thousands who are on the go all day, our magazines offer the best possible approach.

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Here's What You Get

25 LIFE AND HEALTH	\$ 6.25
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Only
\$3.75



In OFFICE BUILDINGS

Some of the most influential people in any community—doctors, dentists, attorneys, and other professionals—can be found in their offices at regular hours every working day of the week. They are quick to appreciate the value of a good thing and are always financially able to buy. Call on them regularly every month.

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Most travelers want something to read to while away the hours when confined to the train or bus, and they usually have money to spend. Wherever you discover people with leisure time and extra money, you will find plenty of magazine customers. An S. D. A. magazine is good company on any trip.

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In the large crowds around shopping centers or theaters there are many people with money to spend who are looking for something interesting to take home and enjoy at their leisure. This always has been a fruitful field for magazine workers.

Now you can have a waterproof carrying case in dignified black, made especially to hold your magazines, order pads, and pencils. It is neatly sewed, tailored to fit, with square corners and a snap-button flap of generous size to give complete protection to your magazines.

The sale of the magazines will bring you more than enough to pay for the kit, and the carrying case is yours for long and helpful service.

Only a brief canvass is needed to sell LIFE AND HEALTH. This one, of several available, has been used with success:

"Good morning. I am ————. I want to show you what I'm leaving with the people today. It is the ———— issue of our national health journal—LIFE AND HEALTH. This article ———— is intensely interesting. It is only 25 cents. Thank you."

Your publishing department secretary will show you how LIFE AND HEALTH representatives make a good living, or earn extra money in their spare time. Make arrangements with him for territory. To secure your Magazine Soul-Winning Kit and other supplies

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FROM YOUR BOOK AND BIBLE HOUSE

WE APPRECIATE OUR CHURCH SCHOOLS

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three of its girls have brought in over \$100 each. Truly all have done well.

According to a recent check-up, the Washington Conference now has five Class A schools, seven Class B schools, nine Class C schools, and one Class D school. Parents and other patrons are truly to be commended on their sacrifice and loyal cooperation. They have built well, they are making provision for adequate supplies. Certainly they can be proud also of their boys and girls who are here getting a training which will help fit them to be workers in the cause of God.

The percentage of Adventist boys and girls in our church schools is relatively high. But nothing short of 100 per cent attendance should be our goal. Parents, if your boy or girl does not enjoy the privilege of a Christian education, be sure that you have done all in your power to make this possible. Heaven will cooperate with you as you plan for the eternal welfare of your children.

V. R. JEWETT.

Washington News

Elder H. A. Fish reports two people baptized on Sabbath, May 15. We are glad for this good report from our Peninsula district. Elder Young of Olympia states they will be having another baptism the 19th of June, and Elder Joseph Hansen of Mount Vernon, who was a recent visitor at the office, informs us they are planning another baptism in their district the 12th of June. Surely the prayers of our people are being answered as we hear of these good reports from all over the field.

Elder Spillman attended a union conference committee meeting at Portland, Monday, May 24.

A meeting of all the union conference Sabbath school secretaries was held in Seattle in the Edmond Meany Hotel on May 25 and 26. Among the out-of-town visitors were Elder L. L. Moffitt of General Conference, Elders C. S. Joyce and Charles Nagele of the North Pacific Union Conference, Elder D. L. Reiner of the Oregon Conference, Elder B. M. Preston of Upper Columbia Conference, Elder O. T. Garner from Montana Conference, Elder R. E. Adams from the Idaho Conference and Elders Don H. Spillman and D. L. Olsen of the Washington Conference.

We have been informed of the following help for our camp meeting session: Elders J. J. Nethery, Homer Teesdale, L. H. Christian and J. A. Buckwalter from the General Confer-

ence. In addition to these men, of course, we will have our union conference officers with us and some help from Walla Walla College. Wednesday night, Thursday, and possibly Friday morning, will be used to complete the business of the conference session. The camp meeting proper will begin about Friday noon. The regularly elected delegates to the conference session are especially urged to be on time at the opening meeting of the session, which begins Wednesday night, July 7, at 7:30 p.m.

Washington Junior Camp

Fellowship means so much to Juniors! They enjoy and benefit from being with other boys and girls with high ideals and standards. Many of our juniors attend church and school where they see only a few, if any, of their own age. Little opportunity is afforded them for junior group activity. Practically every growing boy and girl longs for, and needs this group activity.

Our junior camps held meet this need. Juniors, three hundred of them, came together last summer at Camp Waskowitz to enjoy the friendship of other youth. A daily schedule filled with spiritual gatherings, supervised recreation, excellent food, and hobby classes means real enjoyment for all those in attendance.

See that your child has the privilege of attending summer camp. If you are not a parent, plan to see that some worthy child gets assistance so he can be at camp in June. Boys' Camp: June 13 to 20. Girls' Camp: June 20 to 27. Place: Camp Waskowitz, which is located three miles east of North Bend on Highway No. 10.

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Junior Camp Application

Name

Address

City..... Tel. No.....

Boy Girl Age.....

\$1 application (\$10 to be paid on arrival at camp.)

\$11 payment in full.

Signature of Parent or Guardian releases conference and camp management from all liability in case of accident or illness.

(Send to M. V. Department, 3144 East-lake Ave., Seattle)

"A determined soul will do more with a rusty monkey wrench than a loafer will accomplish with all the tools in a machine shop."—Rupert Hughes.

Obituaries

Hubbard—Margaret Riley Hubbard was born Jan. 5, 1866, in Urbana, Ill., and passed away in March, 1948, in Phoenix, Ore. She was a faithful member of the Medford church. Surviving are one son, Austin of Klamath Falls, Ore.; a brother, Fred Riley, Chicago; one sister, Ann Miller, Los Angeles; and three grandchildren.

Colporteur Evangelism

M. V. Tucker, Publishing Department Sec.

Week Ending May 22, 1948

IDAHO

Colporteur	Hrs.	Orders	Deliv.
G. F. Wimer, Pub. Dept. Sec.			
Age, Willis	25	128.35	105.35
Beggs, Bethel	53	3.00	3.00
Hays, J. M.	40	220.70	220.70
Humphrey, B.	30	101.50	101.50
Matthews, Roy	42	105.75	105.75
Sossong, Dorothy	8	52.50	52.50
Sossong, Victor	30	125.75	125.75
Walsh, Aurelia	4		
Wilson, H. C.	7	15.30	15.30
Hardin, Helen	2		8.30
	241	752.85	738.15

MONTANA

Colporteur	Hrs.	Orders	Deliv.
Charles Allaway, Pub. Dept. Sec.			
Week Ending May 8			
Busby, A. P.	42	477.35	477.35
Collins, Argial	45	206.45	206.45
Ferguson, Anna	26	41.35	41.35
Hallgren, Jennie	6	30.00	30.00
	119	755.15	755.15

Week Ending May 15

Busby, A. P.	32	304.95	304.95
Collins, Argial	31	27.35	30.85
Edwards, Russell	16	28.50	28.50
Edwards, Mrs. R.	14	67.70	67.70
Ferguson, Anna	29	48.85	48.85
Harding, Florence	11	34.71	34.40
	133	512.06	515.25

Week Ending May 22

Busby, A. P.	42	528.45	528.45
Collins, Argial	40	13.75	13.75
Ferguson, Anna	37	100.20	100.20
	119	642.40	642.40

OREGON

Colporteur	Hrs.	Orders	Deliv.
G. E. Lindquist, Pub. Dept. Sec.			
Gustin, Rose	35	39.90	13.50
Johnson, Clyde	39	161.50	118.50
Kubik, H. J.	16	30.00	15.75
Starr, M. D.	35	117.45	47.00
Thornton, Zelda	8	19.25	14.75
Wischow, Goldie	13	47.25	19.75
Withers, D. B.	12	111.00	104.85
	158	526.35	334.10

WASHINGTON

Colporteur	Hrs.	Orders	Deliv.
E. F. Coy, Pub. Dept. Sec.			
E. H. Tucker, Assistant			
Ahrendsen, Mrs.	22	81.75	48.50
Austermuhl, Mrs.	26	85.00	18.00
Byram, Marie	10	34.25	10.75
Canaday, Ivan	40	79.75	79.75
Caywood, Bruce	9	14.75	12.75
Champaign, S. H.	38	144.25	79.50
Cooley, Lee	58	50.00	50.00

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Dolley, John S.	31	18.75
Gardner, William	39	275.00
Jones, Mrs. E. W.	9	48.50
Kinnet, John	12	11.10
Lawrence, J. W.	5	8.35
Margary, Regina	1	10.00
Metzker, J. M.	26	112.95
Scherer, Lloyd	36	63.00
Spiers, Lauretta	2	12.00
Thomsen, Herman	39	16.50
Willingham, Mrs. M.	32	66.85
	436	1189.83
UNION TOTALS	1206	4378.64
		3698.90

Advertisements

Please send all advertisements, accompanied by cash, to your local conference president or secretary-treasurer, after which the advertisement will be forwarded to the Gleaner office if approved. The rate is three cents a word including address, with a minimum charge of seventy-five cents. Make money order or check to North Pacific Union Gleaner. Real estate advertising acceptable only when referring to a specific property and only to one property.

FOR SALE IN COLLEGE PLACE by senior student, strictly modern two bedroom home, ideally located near College, fireplace, full basement, Box 67, College Place, Wash.

GOOD DISCOUNT ON APPLIANCES.—Washers, ironers, deep freezers, vacuum cleaners, radios, oil circulators, floor furnaces, etc. Write Jess Hayden Co., P. O. Box 1103, Eugene, Ore.

HONEY.—Made from alfalfa and clover. Good flavor 10 lb, postpaid to 3rd zone \$2.35. 60 lb., \$8.00 here or prepaid 3rd zone \$9.45. Write for larger quantities. G. E. Allen Rt. 1, Box 52, Freewater, Ore.

HOSE MENDING BY MAIL.—One week service. Nylon—silk—rayon. Professional work guaranteed and returned C.O.D. Please launder hose before sending. Estimate sent on request. Mrs. Helen Sulzle Holler, Box 76, College Place, Wash.

WATCH REPAIRING.—Prompt service, special attention given mail orders. The Watch Shop, Box 295, College Place, Wash.

FOR SALE.—2-bedroom house, hardwood floors, wired for range, 3-room basement apartment, lot 52x142, \$8,000. 147 E. Poplar, College Place, Wash., or write Willis Hilde, c/o General Delivery.

WANTED.—Furniture factory workers for all departments. Good wages, academy and church school privileges. Address Business Manager, Auburn Academy, Auburn, Wash.

FOR SALE.—10¼ acres, 4-room house, bath, 4½ acres prunes, alfalfa hay, cherries, family orchard, garden, good water right; ½ mile to church school, school bus to college; \$9,500. Glen Carr, Milton, Ore.

WANTED AT ONCE.—Experienced machine milker. Dick's Jersey Dairy, Box 852, Great Falls, Mont. Phone 8605. Write for particulars.

A FEW STOKOLS LEFT.—Hopper models, home size \$168, f.o.b. Tacoma, Wash. Bin to furnace models, home size \$200. Some commercial sizes for large buildings or greenhouses. Order soon if you want one. Albert E. Green, Box 1232, Tacoma, Wash.

BELL AND HOWELL FILMSOUND PROJECTORS

Bell and Howell Projectors available for immediate delivery to our Churches, Hospitals, Schools, Missionary Societies, and lay workers. Applications may be made to this office for subsidy assistance in the purchase of this equipment for regular church enterprises. Write for details. All orders must be placed through this office.

Department of Purchase and Supply
General Conference of S.D.A.
6840 Eastern Avenue
Takoma Park, Washington 12, D.C.

TWO MEN WANTED to operate good big house-to-house bakery routes, trucks furnished. Marvel Baking Co., 128 N. E. 7th Ave., Portland, Ore.

FOR SALE—8 acres with modern 5-room home and small 4-room house, 3 acres under cultivation, family orchard, few nuts, excellent spring; ¼ mile to Laurelwood Academy. Price \$4,500 cash. Vernon Springer, Rt. 2, Box 45, Gaston, Ore.

GIRL, just out of academy, experienced in housework, desires place near College Place; work room, board and some wages during summer months. Write Wilma Hansen, Rt. 2, Box 35-B, Gaston, Ore.

WANTED.—Cat driver with arch experience, hooker, donkey puncher, head loader, and two chain saw men for electric chain saw. Church and church school privilege. Write or contact M. K. Emerson, Rt. 2, Toledo, Ore.

FOR SALE.—New, modern, 7-room, plastered house in Meadow Glade; approximately three blocks from Columbia Academy. Contact either I. A. Jackson, owner, or Prof. B. M. Kurtz, both of Columbia Academy, Battle Ground, Wash.

WANTED.—Graduate nurse with some secretarial experience to work in doctor's office; 40 hours per week, salary to start at \$55 per week. D. M. Cosiar, M. D., Pasco, Wash.

FOR SALE.—New 2-bedroom house, south College Place, hardwood floors, full basement, 60 x 120 foot lot. \$8,950; \$2,000 cash, balance terms. Box 515, College Place, Wash. Phone 7703-R-5.

FOR SALE.—9-room house, 5 rooms first floor, 4 rooms upstairs, bathroom on both floors, could be used for one or two families, wired for electric range, full basement, furnace heat, large lot, fruit trees. Belko, 458 College Ave., College Place, Wash.

FOR SALE.—15 acres, about 10 cleared, 5-room house at Laurelwood, 20 minute walk to Academy, school and church; 52 prune trees, family orchard, 5 rows grapes, 5 rows of cane berries 100 feet long, and about one acre of strawberries. And a Model A Ford tractor. R. H. Frazier, Rt. 2, Box 66, Gaston, Ore.

WANTED.—Ride to Lexington, Kentucky, for 2 girls between June 1 and 15. Contact Blanche Meador, W. Whitman Drive, or write Box 478, College Place, Wash.

FOR SALE.—Beautiful 7-room home with apartment in basement, well located, stoker heat, electric water heater, beautiful grounds and shrubs. W. G. Phelps, College Place, Wash.

FOR SALE.—16mm. Victor sound film projector. Original price \$450, will sell for \$195. Also 35mm. Leitz slide projector. Original price \$425, will sell for \$175. F. G. Roper, 3205 Pacific, Tacoma, Wash.

FOR SALE.—88 acre dairy farm, 50 acres cleared, \$3000 worth of old growth fir, 18 head of stock, new machinery, 7-room house, \$14,500. Write for particulars. G. C. Anderson, Skamokawa, Wash.

FOR SALE.—Portland, Ore., convalescent home completely and nicely furnished and equipped. A fully licensed and going concern, clearing \$750 per month which could be increased. Price for everything, \$17,000. Reasonable down payment and monthly installments. See or write Van Santen, 2181 N. W. Glisan, Portland.

"REST HAVEN" opening soon after June 1. If you are interested in placing an aged loved one in a Christian rest home where they will receive good care and understanding, then write for information to "Rest Haven," 829 Gertrude St., Chehalis, Wash. Mrs. Carl Montgomery and Lila M. Davis.

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For those interested in photography we have for immediate delivery a limited supply of General Electric Exposure Meters, Type DW-58, with case. These are available to you for \$19.25 postpaid. Please send your check or money order to—

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Takoma Park, Washington 12, D. C.

Ingathering Echoes

Another good report, although we did not reach our hoped-for \$200,000. This will be our last report, but we know every conference will want to reach its super goal before bringing the Ingathering work to a close. We have appreciated your faithfulness in reporting your totals each week.

Idaho Ingathering Victory

Nothing brings a greater thrill than successfully doing a task well, particularly when this task is for the furtherance and finishing of the work of God.

This thrill came to our Idaho workers at our V-I (Victory-Ingathering) report meeting. The workers agreed to stress the Ingathering campaign in a

quick three-week activity. Week by week the good reports came in as workers, officers, members and children with a mind to work gathered and gathered and gathered for the great "feast of Ingathering." Week by week Elder Adams' enthusiasm and zeal was relayed to the field spurring all on to larger and better accomplishments.

This united combination brought successful victory in the allotted time and it cheered us to see the Northwest union bulletin declare "Idaho Wins Again." We captured the per capita lead also and as additional funds have come in we have joyfully maintained this leadership until as our last report indicates our conference average stands at \$8.26 per capita.

Gem State Academy was organized
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One Minute—\$18.00

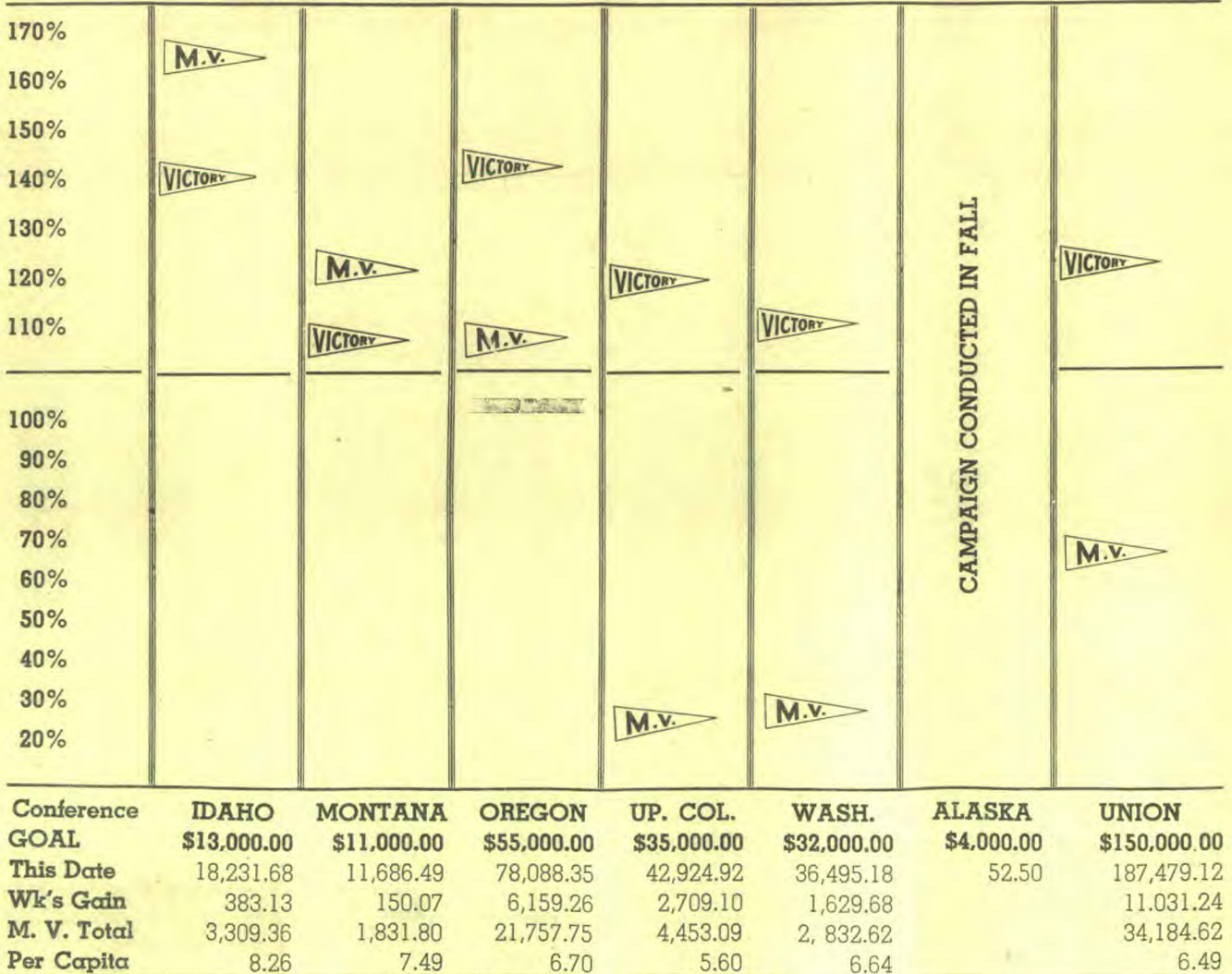
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Ten Minutes—\$180.00

Thirty Minutes—\$540.00

Sixty Minutes—\$1,080.00

--- \$230,000.00 FOR MISSIONS ---



FOR WEEK ENDING MAY 22