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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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## Montana Conference Session

O. T. Garner, president of the Montana Conference, opened the 37th session of the Montana Conference Thursday evening, July 1, with a stirring message calling our believers in Montana to a deeper consecration to God and the finishing of the work. Following his message, the business of the conference was entered into, delegates seated and the large committee to nominate standing committees for the conference chosen. Friday was given over to conference business.

Elder O. T. Garner was reelected unanimously to serve as conference president. Brother Andrew Roedel and the present corps of departmental secretaries were reelected for the ensuing term. Very little change was made in the conference committee.

The reports submitted to the council by Elder Garner, Brother Roedel, and the departmental secretaries indicated that a strong program is being carried forward in the field. During the past two years \$195,949.90 in tithe was paid into the treasury by our faithful people of Montana. This was a gain of nearly \$23,000 over the preceding biennial term. During this same period, \$86,811.81 was contributed to missions, a gain of approximately \$14,000; 173 were added to the church by baptism and profession of faith, bringing the total membership at the close of 1947 to 1,550. Mount Ellis Academy shows evidence of improvement and development during the past two years.

Friday evening the camp meeting proper began. Many on the grounds following the services on Sabbath and Sunday expressed themselves as appreciating the wonderful spirit pre-

vailing. Many stated that it seemed like the old-fashioned camp meeting which they attended in their days of youth. The brethren from the General Conference, the Union, and the local field all contributed toward making the camp meeting a success. In the



Elder O. T. Garner

mission offerings and other offerings taken during the meeting a spirit of liberality was manifested on the part of those in attendance. We have a courageous and faithful people in the great state of Montana.

C. A. SCRIVEN.

laid under God of a really aggressive program for a speedy finishing of the work.

Early this year I spent several months in China and the Far East associating with the brethren in a study of the problems of the work and their programs of missions advance. I was able, too, to make fairly extensive field contacts, and to see for myself what is being done and the prospects for the future. The harvest truly is great even though the laborers be few. And the future is as bright as the promises of God. There is a definite disposition on the part of our people to lay hold of those promises in a practical way for the finishing of the work.

The Adventist program of foreign missions continues to advance and make progress the world around. Reports reaching us from different parts of the field indicate unprecedented opportunities in many places. Even in some countries in which hitherto the way has seemed difficult and progress slow there are indications of better things to come. These reports bring a very real challenge to us as a people. We have no reason whatever to think that general world conditions will improve to any great extent or that the circumstances of our work will become easier. Rather, events taking place indicate that "time is running out on us," and that we do not have much longer in which to finish the work.

The leaders of our world divisions realize this. The urgency of the task was the keynote of the recent general meeting held in Shanghai, China. In the face of China's extremely serious economic upset and of the threatening Communistic menace, plans were made for an aggressive evangelism in the large cities and centers of population in that great country. These plans have since materialized, with most encouraging results. What is probably the greatest campaign of evangelism in the history of our work in China is now in progress. God is blessing in this concerted effort.

The same might be said of the Far Eastern Division, for there again the brethren have planned and are putting into operation a strong program of evangelism. Furthermore, they are pressing into hitherto unentered territory in a strong way in an endeavor to do their full part in taking the

## Challenge of the World Field

As from time to time calls for the support of our world program of missions come to us it is well that we pause and, as Isaiah expressed it, "Look unto the hole of the pit whence" we "are digged." What has the advent message meant to us? Where would we be now without it? What hope for the future is there apart from it? Not the least of its blessings is the privilege and responsibility of sharing our wonderful message.

Some of us are privileged to make occasional visits to the outlying parts

of the world field and to see for ourselves something of what our activities are accomplishing. We are impressed with the loyalty, devotion, and faithfulness of so many of our people under unfavorable and trying circumstances. We take courage from the plans being

### Camp Meetings

Washington Conference, Auburn,  
Washington, July 7-18.  
Oregon Conference, Gladstone  
Park, Oregon, July 14-25.

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message of Revelation 14 to "every nation, and kindred, and tongue, and people."

As, after many years of absence from the Orient, I visited a number of the centers of our work I was impressed, not only with the magnitude of the task, but with the great opportunities confronting us as a people. This is so in China, as in Siam, Malaya, Indonesia, the Philippines, Japan, and Korea. In every place, in the face of limited and oftentimes inadequate facilities, our workers are planning for and undertaking advancement. Our national leadership is entering into the task as never before and God is blessing their endeavors.

In Korea we are cut off entirely from our churches north of the thirty-eighth parallel, although the greatest development of our work had been in that region. But word filters through that our believers are holding together, carrying on as strongly as they can on a self-supporting basis, and with good results. Under considerable handicap our work is being established south of that line. It was an inspiration to meet with our workers and believers in that distraught country.

Nowhere did the opportunities of the present and immediate future impress me more than in Japan. The work in that land has proved difficult indeed and progress has been slow, but today opportunity is beckoning us with an urgent finger. There seems to be a willingness to listen and to learn which we have never seen before. How long this will last we do not know and it is for us to grasp the present possibilities before we lose

them forever, as far as Japan is concerned.

The General Conference is making it possible in a special way to enter into the opportunities of the present time in Japan and it is hoped that at least four additional families not otherwise provided for may soon join our group of Japanese and overseas workers there for a strengthening of our program of evangelism in the Land of the Rising Sun.

And so we might go on the world around. In our Sabbath schools we have been hearing much recently of outstanding opportunities in the islands of the South Pacific. In Southern Asia our leaders are seeking to capitalize the new situation in India, Pakistan, and Burma. Southern Africa, Inter and South America are calling.

This work the world around is, under God, our work. Its privileges, its opportunities fall upon our shoulders, and its regards will bring stars to our crowns as we stand back of our workers in the front lines. The Mid-Summer Offering on July 17 will bring us one more opportunity of demonstrating our confidence in the ultimate triumph of the work of God in all the earth. May God bless us with liberal hearts that we might do our full part.

E. J. JOHANSON.

### Testimony of a Veteran Colporteur

The longer I am connected with our literature ministry, the more possibilities I see for placing the truth before the public wrapped up in colporteur evangelism. Our hearts are thrilled as men of many years' experience in our denominational work speak of the time when they were engaged as colporteur evangelists. Elder C. S. Longacre, one of the associate secretaries of the Religious Liberty Department of the General Conference, speaks of his experience in colporteur evangelism as follows:

"I am an old-time colporteur. After I accepted the truth 53 years ago, I put one year in the colporteur work in Pennsylvania and one year in Illinois. Those were the most precious and blessed years in all my ministry for the Lord. They prepared me for city evangelism to which I gave the next ten years. One year in the colporteur work is worth two years in college for a preparation for the gospel ministry. The great need today is to get our message-filled books and magazines into the homes of the people. There is no greater or more important work."

Elder Longacre's testimonial is typical of many others that might be cited. God needs more workers in the col-

porteur field today. At the Autumn Council held here in Grand Rapids, Michigan, last November, a strong plea was made to double our accessions to the faith in 1948, and as one means of accomplishing that end, it was recommended by the Autumn Council in session that every effort be put forth by all classes of workers operating in the field to double "our present number of colporteur evangelists in 1948." That is the very thing we hope to accomplish before the year closes. We need in the North Pacific Union Conference territory not less than 125 full-time colporteurs. Time is short. The work of giving the last message to the world in this last hour of probation requires a larger and stronger corps of workers. Our colporteur evangelists will occupy a very prominent position in closing the work of God upon the earth. Will you not respond to the call of the hour and say, "Here am I, send me."

M. V. TUCKER.

### Equipment Needed for Academy

In a recent letter to Brother Clyde Rosser of Gaston, Oregon, Brother J. O. Bautista, director of the Northeast Luzon Mission, Santiago, Isabela, Philippines, speaks of the opening of the Northeast Luzon Academy and makes the following request:

"The principal of the academy told me that we need books on science and history and if you can get hold of some or ask somebody else who can help us on this matter, we will be more than glad to receive their donations.

"I do not know if it is asking too much if I tell you one more of our needs. Somehow I have been hesitant in presenting it to our brethren. We have been wanting to use projectors in connection with our tent efforts. We ordered a few but most of our workers can ill afford to order their own machines. If you know of some of our workers over there who can donate their old projectors with slides and films about the message, we will be happy to have them. These will help a good deal in the preaching of the message in this field."

Brother Rosser and members of the Laurelwood church are sending what supplies they can, but there may be others who would also be able to help.

### Religious News Reporting

Our General Conference Press Bureau is gradually building up a library of helps in writing and general press instructions—for ministers, and church press secretaries, and other workers.

In "Seventh-day Adventists in the News" we recently announced:

1. "Religion Goes to Press"—a new reporter's manual.

2. "Evangelism and Publicity."

3. "The A B C's of Press Relations."

We want to supply these helps to each and everyone who may have use for them—they are available and are free, but to save waste we are sending them only to those who mail requests rather than making a general distribution. Address: General Conference Press Relations Bureau, Takoma Park, Washington, D. C.

J. R. FERREN.

### Press Notes

Robert H. Frank, editor of the Kirkland, Washington, *East Side Journal*, urged readers to give generously to the Seventh-day Adventist missions work. "You can be sure your money is going for a good cause," he said in an editorial which featured the Ingathering campaign a few weeks ago. "We are not a member of this church, but we do respect their sincerity and their good works." We hope church leaders in Kirkland have expressed appreciation for this wonderful help. His paper goes into 2700 suburban homes of Seattle.

The Milton, Oregon, *Eagle*, carried a fine story of the organization of a new church at State Line; newspapers near Falls City, Oregon, gave good write-ups of the dedication of a beautiful new church at Falls City; and the *Portland Journal* recently pictured and gave a story on a medical missionary group going out from the Portland Sanitarium to Africa. Three staff members mentioned are Dr. William Wagner, Dr. Clarence J. McCleary, and Miss Wilma Leazer.

J. R. FERREN.

### The Draft and Ministerial Students

Bona-fide ministerial students are exempt from training and service but not from registration, under the provisions of The Selective Training and Service Act of 1948.

The exemption is made in these terms: "Students for the ministry under the direction of recognized churches or religious organizations,

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who are satisfactorily pursuing full-time courses of instruction in recognized theological or divinity schools, or who are satisfactorily pursuing full-time courses of instruction leading to entrance into recognized theological or divinity schools in which they are pre-enrolled, shall be exempt from training and service under this Act.

The school attended must be "under the direction" of a recognized church. This includes the Theological Seminary and all our liberal arts colleges.

The school attended must be "recognized" by The Selective Service System as a "theological or divinity school." This includes our Theological Seminary and our liberal arts colleges.

The student must be "satisfactorily pursuing" his studies. This means his grades must be average or above average, and must continue to remain so.

He must be pursuing a "full-time" course. This does not mean a twelve-month course, or summer studies, but the regular course given by the school.

The "pre-enrollment" referred to is not enrollment in one of our colleges while the student is still in the academy; but enrollment in the Theological Seminary while he may still be in college.

Only bona-fide ministerial students in college grades, the 13th, 14th, 15th and 16th, and in the Seminary are eligible for exemption. And then only as they maintain average grades.

If you are between 18 and 26 years of age, and have been called to the ministry, and are not yet registered in college as a theological student, register now.

But do not allow the exemption provided by law for ministerial students to be the determining factor in deciding to become a ministerial student. There should be a higher motive for ministerial training than a desire to escape military service. Draft-dodgers are not qualified to make good ministers. You may fool Selective Service. You cannot fool God.

If you are a bona-fide ministerial student, be sure to make this plain on your questionnaire.

CARLYLE B. HAYNES.

## WEDDINGS

At the Yelm church on the evening of June 24, Henry Herman Gordon and June Eleanor Reeves joined hands in the holy bond of wedlock. Elder J. E. Young officiated as these young people exchanged their vows. They will make their home at Yelm, Washington.

On Sunday, June 13, 1948, Mr. David Davidson and Miss Ivadelle Davis, both of Caldwell, Idaho, were united in marriage by Elder M. J. Perry in the Caldwell church. May God's richest blessing attend their new home which they are planning to establish in California.

Wallace Clark and Ruth Elaine Daugherty took their marriage vows June 6 in a beautiful outdoor wedding at the home of Sarah Enevoldson of Vale, Oregon. The Clarks are living at Vale and we hope their home will be a shining light in that community. Elder Merle W. Smith officiated.

The wedding of Fred Schnibbe and Verona Montanye took place June 20 in the church at College Place. The service was read by Elder L. B. Losey. The couple will make their home in College Place while continuing their education in preparation for service in the Lord's work.

On Sunday evening, June 27, in the little church in Cle Elum, Washington, William Palmer of Caldwell, Idaho, and Marjorie West of Cle Elum, exchanged marriage vows. At the close of summer vacation in Cle Elum, both will return to Walla Walla College to continue their preparation for the work of God. The service was conducted by the groom's father, Elder S. W. Palmer.

Marriage vows were exchanged by Charlyne Fern Jensen and Donald Pershing Wertz in an attractive setting at Laurelwood Academy, Sunday evening, June 27. Many friends of the happy couple attended the ceremony, which was performed by Elder G. W. Chambers in the academy chapel.

On Thursday evening, April 8, Rosemary Sample and Philip White were united in marriage at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Samuel Werner of Merlin, Oregon. Elder Wayne Scriven, pastor of the Grants Pass Seventh-day Adventist church performed the ceremony. The couple are at home in Grants Pass.

Monday evening, June 7, Herbert Denton and Donna Marie Steward, both of Grants Pass, were united in marriage. Elder Wayne Scriven officiated. They are making their home in Grants Pass. May God's richest blessing rest upon this new home.

On Sunday evening, June 13, Donald Van Tassel and Marion Walker were united in holy wedlock in the Seventh-

day Adventist church at Redmond, Oregon. Elder Wayne Scriven officiated at the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Van Tassel plan to spend the summer colportouring and will return to Walla Walla College. May the Lord's richest blessing rest upon their home.

In a beautiful candle-light ceremony in the Grants Pass S. D. A. church, Richard Tucker and Mary Joan Egan were united in marriage on June 27. Elder Wayne Scriven officiated at the ceremony. The couple are making their home in Grants Pass until this Fall when Mr. Tucker plans to attend Walla Walla College.

Miss Anieta Koehler, daughter of Elder and Mrs. J. S. Koehler, and William E. Rippey, son of Dr. and Mrs. E. E. Rippey, were married in Portland on June 10. The informal wedding was in the home of Dr. and Mrs. W. B. Holden, grandparents of the groom. Elder Wesley I. Unterseher of Seattle, cousin of the bride, was the officiating minister. After a short wedding trip, the William Rippeys are making their home in Portland this summer. In the fall they will continue their studies at Walla Walla College.

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### July 24 Educational Rally

We wish to remind all district leaders and church elders that July 24 is Educational Rally day for all churches in the conference. Program material has been sent which you will find helpful.

We all realize that what is to be done for the children and youth must be done quickly. "If ever we are to work in earnest, it is now. The enemy is pressing in on all sides like a flood. Only the power of God can save our children from being swept away, by the tide of evil. The responsibility resting upon parents, teachers, and church members to do their part in cooperation is greater than words can express."—*Counsels to Teachers*, p. 166.

H. S. HANSON.

### Bride Meets Death

Nadine Hanson Rasmussen was born December 2, 1927 at King Hill, Idaho. At the age of 12 Nadine was baptized into the Seventh-day Adventist church and received practically all of her education in our denominational schools. She attended Walla Walla College during the past school year.

On Sunday evening, June 27, in the

First Seventh-day Adventist church in Spokane she was united in marriage with Norman Rasmussen of Spokane. Monday, June 28, this happy young couple left for Lake Louise, Canada, for their honeymoon. Nadine met her death in a tragic automobile accident near Canal Flats, British Columbia, in the late afternoon of June 28.

Besides her husband, she leaves to mourn her parents, Elder and Mrs. H. S. Hanson; her brother Jack; two sisters, Mrs. Violet Olsen, Chico, California, and Mrs. Juanita Maynard, Idaho City, Idaho, and a host of young friends to which Nadine was affectionately known. She was laid to rest in the beautiful Riverside Cemetery in Spokane to await the Life-giver. Elders Leon Robbins and C. Lester Bond conducted the funeral services.

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### Radio Group to Visit

It is a real pleasure for The Voice of Prophecy radio group to anticipate a visit to the Oregon camp meeting at Gladstone, Oregon, on July 23 to 25, and also to the Youth's Congress on July 28.

Already this summer the broadcasting group has received great inspiration at camp meetings and youth's congresses in other parts of North America.

The messages of The Voice of Prophecy speaker, Elder H. M. S. Richards, and the songs of the King's Herald, heard so often over the air by the members in the Oregon Conference and now to be heard in person at these two meetings, always tie God's remnant people closer together in the one common desire to finish His work.

We trust that everyone possible will be in attendance at these meetings and become better acquainted with The Voice of Prophecy radio group.

D. V. POND, *Publicity Director,*  
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### Idaho Conference

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### Camp Meeting

The annual camp meeting is now in the past and we are glad to bring just a brief report of the mission offerings received and other interesting financial items. The Sabbath school offerings for the two Sabbaths totaled \$1360.74,

and the mission offering amounted to \$1,375.19.

The evening offerings were given emphasis and as a result \$1129.85 was received for camp meeting expense and the work in the Idaho Conference.

The Book and Bible House was well patronized and when the charges too were totaled the figure exceeded that of last year with cash sales amounting to \$2,493.19 and charges of \$475.06, bringing the total sales to \$2,968.25 for the ten-day session.

There were many precious blessings received during this gathering and may the Lord help us to seek earnestly the things of eternal value.

M. E. HAGEN.

### Dedication of Cove Church

"Our holy and our beautiful house" of worship at Cove, Oregon was dedicated on a recent Sabbath, when brethren from the various churches of the district, La Grande, Union, Elgin, Enterprise, other places, and neighbors and friends met with us to praise the Lord. The building had been in use for several months, but the beautiful new oak pews had only recently arrived. There was a profusion of lovely flowers nicely arranged to add to the beauty of the occasion.

The morning service was led in prayer by the district superintendent, Elder W. S. Boynton. The sermon was given by the conference president, Elder Clarence C. Kott, who presented the importance of our hearts being dedicated to the Lord.

A baptism at the Borkgren pool was conducted by Elder W. S. Boynton, when seven new members received this rite.

A pleasant noon hour was spent at the church recreation hall with a bountiful potluck dinner for all. The Dorcas ladies of the local church were in charge of this part of the program and cared for the needs of a large crowd.

The dedicatory service at 3 o'clock was opened by Musical Melodies, rendered by several musicians. After the opening hymn the Scripture reading and prayer were given by Elder Calvin D. Smith, pastor-evangelist of Union. A brief history of the church organization, and building of the house was given by Roy M. Bell, church elder. The dedication sermon was given by Elder Lloyd E. Biggs, president of the Oregon Conference. The Act of Dedication service was conducted by Elder Clarence C. Kott, and the dedicatory prayer was made by Elder W. S. Boynton. Special music was furnished by Miss Leona Peach, of La Grande, who sang "Bless This

House" and Dr. T. R. Thompson, of Enterprise, "This Is My Task."

"To the glory of God, our Father, by whose favor we have built this house" the beautiful service was closed by singing the Doxology, and the benediction by Elder Kott.

ANNA MAY BELL.

### Organization of the Gooding, Idaho, Church

May 22, Elder Clarence C. Kott presided at the official organization of the Seventh-day Adventist church at Gooding. A charter membership of 31 was drawn up and officers for the remainder of the year selected.

Gooding is a town of approximately 4,000 population just 106 miles east of Boise. Scattered conference members provided a nucleus for the work that was begun here in recent months by Brother Willis Coffeen and the writer.

In October of last year a lot was purchased and building operations begun. The church, a cinder-block structure, will seat 125 and has a baptistry and two classrooms. Brother C. A. Jones who at the time was located at Hagerman drove to Gooding to do the wiring. He contributed materials, fixtures and his valuable time. His help here was greatly appreciated. Others also contributed time and funds and with the financial assistance of the conference, the church was completed in March free of debt.

March 21, the writer, assisted by Brother and Sister Coffeen began an evangelistic campaign in the new building. Attendance and offerings were good. The series was closed June 11 because of camp meeting. A second series is planned for this fall because of the shortness of the spring campaign. During the time of the meetings 22 were baptized and two taken in on profession of faith. Ten of

these were young people from the Jerome church and school. At present the membership of the Gooding church stands at 37.

ARNOLD KURTZ.

### District 1A

Over 100 members of the Baker and Richland churches gathered on the spacious lawn of the John Rizor ranch near Richland for out-of-door services on Sabbath, July 3.

All the comfortable pews provided by the Richland church were filled, with the children seated on blankets, as Mrs. Opal Wallace, Richland superintendent, opened the 11 o'clock Sabbath school with silent prayer.

The pot-luck dinner spread on long tables under the trees provided abundant nourishment as well as an opportunity for profitable Christian fellowship.

Before the afternoon church service, Mrs. J. E. Hudson, Baker, reported on the miraculous healing of Mr. Roy Slaybaugh as related by him and his wife at the Upper Columbia camp meeting.

Elder Paul Bartholomew, pastor of both churches, spoke on the "Sins that enslave," during the church hour.

Votes of appreciation were extended to Mrs. Stella Rizor for so kindly offering her home and yard for the services, and to Fred and Frank Gray of Baker for the sound system which so adequately amplified the messages of the day.

WREATHA HUDSON.

### M. V. and Educational Gleanings

The Missionary Volunteer Department announces that many young people are planning to attend the great North Pacific Youth's Congress to be held at Gladstone Park, Oregon, July 28-31. Unusual features will be

presented, and the young people of the great Northwest will be inspired to attempt the impossible things for God. Plan now to attend this youth convocation! Come and enjoy the fellowship and inspiration of Christian youth, and receive the help that you want in these closing days.

Camp Idaho is in full swing now. The boys' camp began July 11, and will close, July 18, at which time, the girls' camp will begin. If there are any girls who want a thrilling time in adventure, Christian fellowship, hiking, swimming, crafts, and other activities, by all means come July 18. See your pastor or church elder for bus schedules, or come by car direct to the magnificent mile-high Payette Lakes wonderland.

Are you planning to send your boy or girl to a Christian school this fall? If not, perhaps you should think this over. If you are not located at present where there is a school, perhaps you should either re-locate, or urge your church leaders to give study to open one. Our children must be saved. Let us give them every advantage possible in this sin-filled world. Let us provide security for our own, as well as others who need salvation.

### Washington Conference

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### Baptisms

Additional unreported baptisms for the second quarter include two by Elder E. N. Sargeant on Wednesday night, June 23, and two by Elder J. W. Osborn. As near as we can tell from the reports that have come into our office, this makes a total of 232 that have been taken in by baptism and on profession of faith for the second quarter, which began April 1 and ended June 30.

We are glad to report that the good work is still going on in our field. In the first baptism of our third quarter, July 3, Elder J. E. Young baptized 10, Elder F. H. Parrish baptized 8, Elder F. A. Wyman, five, Elder R. S. Michel, four. We are glad for these splendid reports and covet the prayers of our people everywhere that the work may continue on its onward progress in the Washington Conference.

DON H. SPILLMAN.

"Do the duty which lies nearest thee; thy second duty will have already become clearer."—Thomas Carlyle.

"Keep your fears to yourself, but share your courage with others."—Stevenson.



Gooding, Idaho, S. D. A. Church Building

## FINISHING THE WORK

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seeth. Consecration and the grace of God make man succeed, where otherwise they would fail.

## Teaching

A number of the students are preparing for teachers. The foundation of all our educational work is the church school. The largest outlet for workers in the cause of God is in church school teaching. Young people, both young men and young women, should think seriously on this. While it is a desirable aim that our church school teachers should be college graduates, still many will be called into the work before they have finished their course, the need is so urgent. The elementary education course is so arranged that two years of the training will give one sufficient background and experience for success in teaching. But for secondary teachers a full college course is a requisite. The college is offering work in a goodly number of lines of study to suit the interest and capacity of individual students. The student should consult the administrative officers and teachers for guidance in choosing the pattern of major and minor subjects so that the student at graduation may fit into the openings in our academies.

## Healing

Our Master spent a large portion of His time in healing. Many students are attracted to this type of work. Strong work is offered in pre-medical and pre-dental lines as well as in nursing, predietetics, and pre-laboratory technician's work. The pre-medical course is now a four-year course. The pre-dental is a two-year course. The nursing course is a four-year course. The predietetics' course is two years and the preparatory laboratory technician's course is two years in length.

## Building and Engineering

The Industrial Arts course interests many young men of a practical turn of mind. The course makes one acquainted with the various phases of building and working with the materials of building. Such men are needed in our institutions as maintenance men. These men can also make their own employment and be consecrated laymen. The Engineering course has been set up for the training of these very necessary men who thoroughly understand machinery, electrical work, drafting, and the materials of construction. They fill a need in our institutions which has never been met before. Many will also be self-supporting as laymen.

## Home Economics

The great majority of our young women ultimately find their work to be homemaking. The Home Economics Department offers a wealth of courses which are most valuable to the homemaker.

In each year of college work, the student studies the Bible. With the various lines mentioned above and the Bible, the youth are fitted to proclaim the Gospel of the Kingdom and finish the work. Our schools are the backbone of the work of God on earth.

## Sunset Table

Friday, July 16, 1948

Coos Bay	7:53	Boise	8:25
Medford	7:44	Pocatello	8:07
Portland	7:58	Billings	8:01
Seattle	8:04	Havre	8:18
Spokane	7:45	Helena	8:19
Walla Walla	7:40	Miles City	7:50
Wenatchee	7:54	Missoula	8:26
Ketchikan, July 23	9:08	Juneau, July 23	9:40

## Obituaries

**Gessele**—Elizabeth Gessele was born in South Russia on Oct. 3, 1882, and passed to her rest on May 18, 1948. In 1909 she was baptized into the Seventh-day Adventist church under the labors of Elder Sibel. She leaves her beloved husband, six sons, six daughters, four brothers, one sister, twenty-six grandchildren, and one great-grandchild. She rests in the cemetery near Monroe, Wash., awaiting the call of the Life-giver.

**Paddock**—John Munroe Paddock was born in Baraboo, Wisc., June 5, 1859. He became a member of the Baraboo Seventh-day Adventist church in 1909 and was always interested in telling others of the truth until the time of his death. In November, 1941, he accompanied his son's family to Nordland, Wash. where he passed away, May 17, 1948. He is survived by one brother, a son, a daughter and one grandson.

**Heagy**—Martha Justine Heagy was born Feb. 11, 1865 in Havana, Ill. In April, 1888, she was married to Charles S. Heagy at La Salle, Ill. Five children survive. Mrs. Heagy passed away at her home in Great Falls, Mont., May 25, 1948, having been a member of the Seventh-day Adventist church five years.

**Smith**—Mary Edith Sapp Smith was born June 10, 1873 at Proctorville, Mo., and passed away June 12, 1948 in Yakima, Wash. At thirteen years of age she attended her first camp meeting at Milton, Ore., where she was baptized into the Seventh-day Adventist church. She attended the Milton Academy and began her career as a teacher at the age of seventeen and followed that profession for over thirty years. She was also a graduate of the St. Helena school of nursing. She is survived by her husband, George Smith of Yakima, 1 son, James of Wenatchee, Wash., 2 sisters, Mrs. E. G. Eden of Oroville, Wash., Dr. Henrietta Hoover of Woodinville, Wash., 2 brothers, Dr. O. T. Sapp of Spokane, Wash., and R. E. Proctor of Modesto, Calif.

**Iverson**—Mrs. Helen Amenda Iverson was born July 30, 1863, in Vexin, Sweden, and passed away May 26, 1948, in Myrtle Point, Ore. She was married to Olie Iverson, April 14, 1895, who preceded her in death a year ago. She leaves to mourn a son, Severt Iverson of Roseburg, Ore., a daughter, Mrs. Nettie Baker of Dora, Ore., a brother in Minnesota, six grandchildren and six great grandchildren.

**Warner**—Burton Warner was born in Coral, Mich., Aug. 2, 1869 and passed away in the Bonners Ferry hospital, May 3, 1948. Brother Warner was a faithful member of the Bonners Ferry Seventh-day Adventist church. He died in the hope of a soon-coming Saviour.

**Smith**—James Willis Smith was born at Spartanburg, Pa., May 10, 1857, and went to his rest May 9, 1948 in Sunnyside, Wash. At the age of nineteen he was baptized and joined the Seventh-day Adventist church of Battle Creek, Mich. He lived the life of a consistent Christian, built upon a firm faith in the word of God.

**Ware**—Mrs. Rhoda B. Ware was born at Bloomington, Ill., Oct. 10, 1860 and passed away May 26, 1948 in Parkland, Wash. She embraced the truth 25 years ago and was a faithful witness until her death. She is survived by 1 daughter and 4 sons. She is peacefully sleeping in Jesus.

**Haling**—Walter Haling was born Jan. 11, 1900 at Merrill, Wisc., and passed to his death April 11, 1948 at Kelso, Wash. where he lived for a short time. He is survived by his wife, Anna Haling, and one daughter, Mrs. Fern Smith. Brother Haling was a faithful member of the Yamhill S.D.A. church. He was laid to rest in St. Helens Lutheran Cemetery.

**Conner**—Neva Lucille Conner was born Dec. 3, 1926 and passed away June 14, 1948 at Salem, Ore. She is survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herb Conner of St. Helens, Ore., and a sister, Mrs. Warren Snyder. Miss Conner was a faithful member of the St. Helens Seventh-day Adventist church. She was laid to rest at the Bethany Memorial Cemetery of Warren, Ore.

**Gillis**—James Burton Gillis, M.D., was born in Saint Marys, Ontario, Canada, and passed away at Portland, Ore., on May 13, 1948 at the age of 73 years. When he was 9 years old his family moved to South Dakota where they heard and accepted the Seventh-day Adventist message. He and his brother Herbert attended Union College at Lincoln, Nebr., and later did colporteur work in South Dakota and Iowa. In 1895 they answered a call to Great Britain and spent 3 years selling our literature in England, Ireland and Scotland.

In 1898 Brother Gillis began work at the Battle Creek Sanitarium and there in 1900 met and married Alice Leone Kibby, a graduate nurse. Two years later they moved to Yakima, Wash. In 1904 he entered Walla Walla College to prepare for medicine, and in 1907 he entered the University of Oregon medical school and graduated in 1911. Dr. Gillis began his practice at Milton, Oregon.

Dr. Gillis is survived by his wife, one son, Harold Gillis, M.D. of Portland, Ore.; one sister, Mrs. Ida Peterson of Sioux City, Iowa; and three brothers, Herbert of Portland, Douglas of Vancouver, B.C., and Justice of Vancouver, Wash.

**Anderson**—Adeline Anderson was born in Beaverton, Ore., on March 4, 1874, and passed away Jan. 31, 1948. She was baptized in 1945 and became a member of the Bandon church.

Surviving relatives are two sisters, Mrs. Lotty Barkdoll of Sisters, Eve Anderson of Coquille; one brother, Ira Tucker; her children, Mrs. Mary Luttrell of Hillsboro, Mrs. Tillie Dye of Myrtle Point, Mrs. Amy Barkdoll of Powers, William I. Anderson of Reedsport; fifteen grandchildren, and thirty great-grandchildren.

**Smith**—Sadie Weymire was born Jan. 22, 1861 in Illinois and departed this life May 15, 1948 in Carlton, Ore. She became the wife of John Smith who preceded her in death by many years. One daughter, Mrs. Myrtle H. Graham of Carlton, Ore., is left to survive.

Jennings, Ernon	28	164.50	56.50
McCool, Virginia	48	151.05	54.55
Shafer, Ruth	41	267.25	201.00
	305	1293.55	806.00

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**JOURNEYMAN PLUMBER**.—First class mechanic needed for permanent job. Orval Harden, 2201 Main, Boise, Idaho.

**WANT TO BUY OR RENT** farm near Caldwell, Idaho. Must be within 20 miles of the academy. Otto Mitchell, Terrebonne, Ore.

**FOR SALE OR WILL RENT TO ADVENTISTS**.—14 acres, strawberries, young filbert and fruit trees. House, barn, chicken house, some timber. C. G. Poole, Castle Rock, Wash.

**FOR SALE**.—About 1½ acres, modern 9-room house, one 3-room apartment, one 4-room cottage, 3-car garage, chicken buildings. 110 young orange trees, four bearing; 10 large English walnut trees, other fruit and berries. Choice location. One mile to La Sierra College. Troy Jewell, 5250 Rindge Road, Arlington, Calif.

**WANTED**.—House to house bakery route. Truck furnished by bakery. Available about August 18. Edgar Tarbelle, P.O. Box 363, Colville, Wash.

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**BUSINESS FOR SALE**.—Well established garage, service station and parts department business, stock and equipment. Good location in Carlton, Oregon. Living quarters available. Open Sundays. Cox Motor Clinic, Box 617, Carlton, Ore.

**WANTED**.—First class plasterer. Steady employment if you can qualify. Spokane and vicinity. C. V. Jones, P.O. Box 468, Millwood, Wash. Tel. Walnut 2504.

**WANTED**.—Two log cutters and one man to hook on power jammer. None but Adventist men that will work need apply. Going wages paid. W. O. Dammer, Grangemont, Idaho.

**WANTED**.—Ride to Loma Linda or vicinity, July 23 or 24, by congenial Christian woman. Contact F. C. Wyman, Box 284, East Stanwood, Wash. Phone, West Coast 934.

**WORK WANTED**.—Adventist family man, dairy and farming experience, desires full operation on percentage basis. Near Portland preferable. Clarence L. Miller, 1521 N. Mamer Opportunity, Wash.

**75 ACRES**, 4 cleared, good soil, family orchard, small creek, pulpwood, well built buildings, water system, view of Columbia River valley and mountain peaks, 25 miles from Portland, 3 miles to 10-grade church school; \$3,850, terms. A. B. Corth, Warren, Ore.

**FOR SALE**.—Jovita land tract, two miles southwest of Auburn, lies seven blocks east of Five Mile Lake. Reasonable offer considered. Mrs. Grace Fairburn, East 2208 Wabash, Spokane 14, Wash.

**WANTED**.—Foreman for large commercial farm, must be worker, systematic, good organizer, exacting, experienced with power machinery and general farming, and a good business head. Sabbath privileges. O. Ogden, Aurora, 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.

**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**.—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**.—"Refrig-o-bag", handiest all purpose portable refrigerator. Keeps frozen foods and liquids cold 48 hours. Designed for hot summer days while you are traveling, motoring, camping, picnicking. Don't wait another day; mail us a card at once for illustrated folder. No obligation. Unique Products Company, Box 363, Colville, Wash.

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**FOR SALE**.—House and lot, 150x190, ten rooms, bath, water heater, 2 porches, cooler, lawn flowers, ½ acre garden, 12 cherry trees, other fruit and berries, wash-house, garage, chicken house. Desire Adventist family. Could be used for sanitarium, children's nursery. Cash \$4,000. Inquire 324 Rierside, Box 141, Emmett, Idaho. A. F. Bellinger.

**Colporteur Evangelism**

M. V. Tucker, Publishing Department Sec.

Week Ending July 3, 1948

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G. F. Wimer, Pub. Dept. Sec.

Colporteur	Hrs.	Orders	Deliv.
Hays, J. M.	42	263.90	263.90
Humphrey, B.	21	74.00	74.00
Walsh, Aurelis	8	1.00	1.00
Sossong, Victor	40	113.25	104.50
Wilson, H. C.	24	55.40	39.80
	135	507.55	483.20

**MONTANA**

Charles Allaway, Pub. Dept. Sec.

Ferguson, A.	5	15.75	15.75
<b>Students</b>			
*Gildroy, Jean	66	100.05	28.25
Goyne, Lynn	21	78.30	96.65
Kuester, Dorothy	39	88.05	16.50
Lund, Donald	27	89.30	26.00
Roberts, Harold	40	490.65	490.65
Troutman, Marvin	36		23.85
Wagner, Dale	25	99.18	35.88
Walter, Eldon	18	68.50	46.75
Weir, John	40	118.05	136.40
	317	1147.83	916.68

**OREGON**

G. E. Lindquist, Pub. Dept. Sec.

Johnson, Clyde	21	27.25	94.75
Kubik, H. J.	9	49.50	12.75
Lauzon, John	21	39.00	
Pettibone, L. A.	33	162.00	
Starr, M. D.	22	64.50	
Thornton, Zelda	8	13.25	13.25
Withers, D. B.	5	24.00	80.25
<b>Students</b>			
Clifton, Phyllis	21	25.50	
de Leon, Joe	36	124.00	29.30
Dietrich, Erika	25	23.20	
Hoover, Kenneth	109	1178.75	295.75
May, Marie	5		88.50
Reiner, Don	40	155.25	34.75
Sackett, Verna	31	168.55	
Smith, Anita	21	79.00	
Unterscher, Elmer	24	103.25	4.00
	431	2237.00	653.30

**UPPER COLUMBIA**

C. H. Lowe, Pub. Dept. Sec.

*Bruce, George	120	412.00	346.20
Davidson, D. L.	22	91.75	28.25
Knutson, Mrs. C.	6		30.00
<b>Students</b>			
Boicourt, Galvin	40	207.00	89.50



# Northwest Youth's Congress

**GLADSTONE PARK  
JULY 28-31, 1948**

## Plan to Attend

I am sure hundreds of our young people in the Pacific Northwest are making plans now to attend our big Youth's Congress which will be held in Gladstone Park, July 28 to 31. After the wonderful response that was given to the Youth's Congress in San Francisco, we know that not one of our young people will want to miss this fine meeting in our own territory. Sermons preached and music rendered will be an inspiration to one and all and will be an excellent chance for young people from each of our conferences to get better acquainted with those of other fields. So remember the date July 28 to 31, and plan to be there without fail.

DON H. SPILLMAN.

## Congress Flashes!

*Come early!* H. M. S. Richards and King's Heralds will be featured Wednesday night and Thursday morning. Don't miss the Voice of Prophecy!

*Live radio broadcast!* A live radio program, "The Voice of Adventist Youth", will be broadcast by the young people of the Congress on Friday night from 7:30-8:00 over the 10,000 watt station KWJJ. If you can't be present, turn to 1080 on your radio dial; but, best of all, be present!

*Featured speakers!* Gifted workers for youth, including Elders L. A. Skinner, Frank Yost, J. E. Weaver, and J. A. Buckwalter, of the General Conference, J. R. Nelson of the Pacific Union, and C. A. Scriven, of our own North Pacific Union, will bring stirring messages to the Congress.

*Plan your budget!* Plan your expense budget in advance: \$3.50 for registration and housing, about \$2 per day for the cafeteria, money for sponsored tours to the ocean or Mt. Hood, Sabbath school and other offerings. Allow for miscellaneous extras.

*Load your car!* Fill your car with young people. For the sake of all concerned, be sure you are properly chaperoned. Make sure the insurance on the car protects you in case of accident. Load up, and start for Portland for three or four days of inspiration and enjoyment.

*Register now!* If you haven't already done so, mail that registration card now! This will help you in securing a place to stay, and it will help us in organizing the camp. We will accept registrations up to the last minute on July 28, but we hope you won't wait that long. It would be difficult for us and for you, too. We would like to have all registrations in by July 26, if possible. Mail your registration card and the one dollar registration fee now!

G. W. CHAMBERS.

## Northwest Youth's Congress

Less than a month remains between you and the greatest program ever put on for the youth of the great Northwest. What camp meeting is to a conference constituency so will this Congress be to that special group—our youth.

There will be plenty of lively action, spiritual earnestness, heart stirring experiences—of the youth—by the youth—for the youth. Regardless of the size of society you, my youth friend, belong to—regardless of the distance you will need to go to reach this great meeting, you should be there.

Mothers, fathers, workers, church officers, you will cooperate with and aid the youth in planning and financing their way to this Northwest Youth's Congress.

The table of activities and interests will be loaded with bounties and dainties. Do come and get it for yourself, July 28 to 31.

CLARENCE C. KOTT.

## Youth's Congress Sponsored Tours

Visitors and delegates to the North Pacific Youth's Congress at Gladstone Park will have many wonderful things to look forward to. After the Congress, which all of us are praying will be the most blessed days of our lives, come the sponsored tours of the "City of Roses" and vicinity.

Three tours are being planned. One is to Mt. Hood, Timberline Lodge, Bonneville dam, and the Columbia gorge. The second is to the beautiful ocean beaches of the Pacific—Sea-

side. The third will be to famed Depoe Bay, also on the Pacific ocean. They will be all-day trips ranging from 182 to 210 miles and will be composed of Congress visitors. The cost will be \$2.50 a tour.

In order for us to reserve busses, we kindly request that all parties planning on one of these tours kindly write A. J. Reisig, 414 S. E. 39th Ave., Portland 15, Oregon. Kindly state the number going and give the tour you wish to go on. Designate them by these titles: Loop Tour, Seaside Tour, or Depoe Bay Tour.

You will long remember the Congress and these scenic tours. Take one!

A. J. REISIG.

## Walla Walla College

College Place, Washington

G. W. Bowers . . . . . President  
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## Finishing the Work

"And this gospel of the kingdom shall be preached in all the world for a witness unto all nations and then shall the end come." Matt. 24:14. Our College was established in the providence of God to be a strong factor in the preaching of the Gospel of the Kingdom. Would that all members in the North Pacific Union Conference could see the College facilities, and better still, see the teachers and students in their daily round of studies and activities.

Early in our history as a denomination, the servant of the Lord, Mrs. E. G. White, was instructed that we should establish schools. A college was established, church schools were established, and academies were established. Then the question was raised, Who are to be educated in our schools? The answer was given under instruction from the Lord, All our youth are to be educated. Can we, with our finite minds and human judgment, tell which of a number of children will develop into strong workers for God? The Lord is using and will use consecrated laymen in addition to the organized workers to His glory and in the finishing of His work.

## Preaching

During the past school year, more than twelve hundred young people were enrolled in the college grades. A goodly number were preparing to be preachers. The text says, "This gospel of the kingdom shall be preached." In our human judgment, it appears that some of these men will be more successful than others. But God looks on the heart and doesn't see as man

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