### WHAT IS YOUR TEMPERATURE?

(or "The Case of the Frigid Churches")

By DEL DELKER

We are living in a cold, stormy world. In business, the motto too often is "Every man for himself." A man or woman thinks nothing of conniving and scheming to cheat an innocent victim if it will mean more greenbacks with which to line his or her pocket. Of course some would not stoop to shady business deals, but may be just too wrapped up in their own affairs, their own families, and their own pleasures to notice the loneliness, sadness, and heartache around them.

People do not always expect much from the business world, from clubs, societies, and other secular organizations; but they do expect a great deal from the church, and it is right that they should. They have a right to expect warmth, friendship, help, and understanding from the church.

When new converts come into our churches from an indifferent world, what do they find? A temperature as frigid as that from which they just came? or the warmth of God's love demonstrated to them by church members who are on fire for God?

Here at The Voice of Prophecy we hear about both kinds of churches—the warm and the frigid. We are so happy and proud when we get letters like this one received recently, from a lady whose family has gone and is going through many severe trials, many heartbreaking experiences. They are destitute. Her husband is totally disabled. She writes:

"I just want to tell you how very much the church is meaning in our lives since all our trouble. The wonderful friends of the Seventh-day Adventist Church have not let us want for food or clothing. More important by far, however, is the wonderful truth we are learning! We are not Adventists—yet—but we certainly are learning! I do not have a cent to send you, but as soon as I do, I will surely send what I can for your work."

Here is another letter showing what can be done by a church with a warm interest in soul-winning. This is from an elderly lady in a Home:

Volunteer group there hold services once a month in the chapel at the Home here. I have not been baptized as I feel somewhat fearful, for I have a bad heart. Nevertheless, I am wholeheartedly an Adventist. I am so thankful for the interest that has been shown in me by this friendly church and by The Voice of Prophecy."

Unfortunately, some letters we get tell a different story; and we have received enough of this type to give us a real concern. One worker reports:

"This man was keeping the Sabbath and was planning on joining the church. He attended church for three months, and no one gave him any at-

## What Should My Thirteenth Sabbath Offering Be?

Approximately 38,000 Sabbath school members in the North Pacific Union Conference will be asking themselves this very important question before this offering is received in each of the 316 Sabbath schools, Sabbath, June 27.

The tremendous need and urgency for a large offering for advancing the work of the gospel in the Middle East has been presented to us each Sabbath during the quarter. Our hearts have been touched by these appeals. The Spirit of God has been speaking to us, impressing us with the need. Then too, we crave that rich spiritual blessing we always receive whenever we make a real sacrificial gift. We are determined our Thirteenth Sabbath offering will be a substantial amount.

As the time of this sacrificial offering draws near, and just before we are to write out the check or take that sizable amount of money from our billfold to place in the Thirteenth Sabbath mission offering, another spirit goes into action—that horrible spirit of selfishness prompted by the evil one himself. That voice whispers, "You can't afford to give that much. Think of all those needs you have! Think what you could do with that \$25; that \$50; that \$100; or that \$10 or that \$5 you had purposed to give to the Lord for mission work out in the Middle East! Give half, a third or a quarter of that much and keep the rest for yourself! Think how much money you will have if you don't give so much now!" Satan hates missions work and is determined to cut the flow of funds at the source. He knows the child of God will receive a rich spiritual blessing through unselfish, sacrificial giving and he is determined to rob the Sabbath school member of that spiritual blessing.

Which voice will you heed as you ask yourself, "What should my Thirteenth Sabbath Mission Offering be?"

If by chance you read this after the Thirteenth Sabbath and you did not have opportunity to give to this special offering or you wish to increase your gift, place your offering in a tithe envelope marking it "Thirteenth Sabbath Offering" and put it in the church offering the following Sabbath.

B. M. Preston

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Well, we hope so, too!

Here is a letter from a young lady who is thrilled with the truths she is learning through the Voice of Prophecy broadcast and Bible Course, but sadly disillusioned by the Seventh-day Adventist Church to which she was directed:

"I am learning a lot, but I am sorry about the church up here. I just do not feel I am wanted. I hope some day I will find a church that is not so cold. Somehow I get a let-down whenever I go, instead of a build-up. The church we used to attend (and she names a well-known protestant church) was so friendly we could hardly wait for the next service, but it does not have the truth you people do. I hope I can see my way through, but right now I feel like the lost sheep."

I have more letters here on my desk, just as pathetic. They bring tears to my eyes, and make me wonder how many times I have been guilty of neglect and indifference.

Now I ask you, dear fellow believer—you to whom God has entrusted the privilege and responsibility of a knowledge of His truth for this time, how is it in your church? A church is no warmer than its members, you know. What is your temperature?

#### Recent Meetings in Alaska

Elder George Liscombe, home missionary secretary of the North Pacific Union Conference, and the writer were invited to hold a series of meetings in Alaska the last of May and early June. Alaska is such a vast territory with distances so great between churches, it has not seemed practical to attempt camp meetings in that field; however, nearly every year, provision has been made for the holding of what is known as the spring meetings. This year, these were scheduled later than usual.

Our itinerary took us to Ketchikan, Sitka, Juneau, Anchorage and Fairbanks. Week-end meetings starting Friday night and closing Sunday night were held in Ketchikan the first week end and in Anchorage the second week end, with two evening meetings in each of the other three churches.

Every place we visited, we found the work growing and our people of good courage in the Lord. At Ketchikan, we were thrilled to see their beautiful new church, which we were told is the most beautiful church in all Alaska, including all denominations. We have about 100 membership there. Elder Harold Dawson, the pastor, is doing a splendid work and God is greatly blessing his ministry. We found they have had a two-teacher church school in operation under the principalship of Brother Robert Lowe. The meetings in Ketchikan were well attended and the working of God's Spirit upon the hearts was in evidence

At Sitka, we found a developing work, with a fine group of believers. The church was nearly full at all of the meetings. This is a new and encouraging day for Sitka. With hundreds of new families moving into this fast-growing town, prospects for evangelism are bright. Pastor William Jensen is leading out in both Sitka and Juneau. At Juneau, we were happy to meet our faithful members. Juneau is planning to open a church school this fall. Studies are being held with several new families prepatory to baptism.

When the writer visited Alaska seven years ago, there were about 35 church members in Anchorage then. On this visit, we were thrilled to see the growth of that church. At all the Sabbath services including the Saturday evening service, it was estimated there were about 200 believers present and the church was literally packed full. It reminded one of a small camp meeting. While most of the people were from Anchorage, there were visiting members from Ketchikan, Dillingham, Aleknagik, Palmer, Selawik and Fairbanks. God is blessing Elder M. A. Dopp, the pastor, in his ministry in Anchorage. We are happy to know that the growth of our church in Anchorage is keeping pace with the rapid growth of the population in that

Pastor Leroy Moore has been doing excellent work in Fairbanks where we were greeted with a church full of people at each of the two meetings held. Our believers there have been working and praying for a new church building. They have a splendid start on their building fund and plans are on foot for a new church in Fairbanks within the next year or more. We were happy to meet several new members recently baptized. The work in this far north city of Alaska is really looking up.

Everywhere we went in Alaska, we found our people of good courage in the Lord and the hope of His soon-coming burning in their hearts. God is blessing Elder A. L. Zumwalt, president of the Alaska Mission, and his splendid corps of consecrated workers. It was a real blessing and privilege to have Elder Zumwalt accompany us on our entire trip in Alaska.

Our membership in Alaska is not large and the churches are far apart but the hearts of the believers are knit together in a great common objective, to finish the work in Alaska quickly.

May we remind you that Alaska will have seven Vacation Bible Schools this summer, which is outstanding. Alaska heads the list of fifty-five conferences in North America in its Sabbath school mission offering per capita giving. It led North America in 1958 in Sabbath School Investment offering per capita, which reflects the spirit of consecration in the hearts of our members. We solicit your prayers in behalf of the work in Alaska, for that new state offers marvelous opportunities for development in God's work.

B. M. PRESTON

### Used Bibles Are Wanted

Used Bibles in good condition are desperately needed by Faith for Today.

Many requests come to our office asking for Bibles so someone can take one of our correspondence courses. These are generally shut-ins, inmates of penal institutions, or those on pensions or with very limited incomes.

In the past we have received many Bibles from GLEANER readers which have been put to this good use. Our supplies at present are almost exhausted and we urge you to look for that extra Bible that you are now not using. We want to give all the Word, not just parts of it.

Join with us in this enterprise and perhaps you will receive a star in your crown because you made available the Word of God to one less fortunate than yourself. Mail your Bibles to Faith for Today, 108-43 71st Avenue, Forest Hills 75, New York.

ERNEST N. WENDTH

Public Relations

#### Two in One

The new missionary book for 1959 is a happy combination of two Spirit of Prophecy masterpieces, Steps to Christ, and Thoughts from the Mount of Blessing. Steps is the best soulwinning book published by the denomination. Thoughts, added to Steps, makes the most formidable missionary weapon that we possess, not just one mighty sword with which to slay the enemy of souls, but two in one. In these books we have placed in our hands a powerful sword to use in the battle against the Philistines of sin!

But the weapon is Love—unlimited Love. This is the most powerful force in the world, "the greatest thing in the world," declared Henry Drummond. Here we have, in the words of God's inspired messenger, Ellen G. White, the story of the gospel of Jesus, our Lord, told in moving language. But the theme is expanded to include the simple steps that a person must take to make the plan of salvation a thing of personal experience. Added to this is the doctrine of Jesus, so beautifully taught in the sermon on the mount.

The truths taught by the Master Teacher in His inaugural address are still the best basis for proving the eternity of God's great law of love, the ten commandments. So in Love Unlimited we have a forceful composite of the law and the gospel that becomes, in the hand of the praying and inspired soulwinner, the most effective tool that he can use to win a precious heart to the kingdom of God.

The Pacific Press is the publisher of this colorful book. Harry Anderson, well-known artist, has painted the impressive cover picture. Have you seen it? Many have already secured a couple of copies of this book, one for themselves to add to their Spirit of Prophecy library and another for that relative or friend for whom they have been working and praying. Love Unlimited is ideally suited as a gift for priests and ministers of all denominations. Many will use the volume in hospitals and doctors' offices.

If every believer in North America purchased two copies at the low price of \$1.00 per copy, six hundred thousand copies would be sold. This mark is higher than the highest level reached in the sales of *Desire* of *Ages*, missionary book for the year 1956, when 560,000 copies were sold. But three books per member would equal over 900,000 copies.

Love Unlimited provides a two-in-one appeal. Some will want to order twice as many as the average and secure four books. And some will buy five or ten or even a hundred copies. Order through your loyal church missionary secretary or the Book and Bible House. No postage charges for orders of ten or more.

The Spirit of Prophecy Committee of the General Conference are praying that our church members will really circulate a million copies of Love Unlimited among their friends and relatives.

D. A. DELAFIELD

# Weddings

Miss Anna Maye Bullock and Max Owen Boicourt took their marriage vows in the Conard Hall Chapel at Walla Walla College Monday, June 8, with Elder P. C. Heubach, pastor of the College church, reading the service. The bride has attended WWC for three years and the bridegroom is a graduate of 1958. They will be at home in Tacoma.

Jo Anne Lange and Eldred Wells were joined in holy wedlock in a lovely candlelight ceremony on the night of June 7, in the Lents Seventh-day Adventist church. The couple will make their home in Portland, Oregon, Elder Richard Lange officiated in the service.

Avis Rose Bisseger became the bride of Richard Leon Christensen in Ashland's Lithia Park on Sunday afternoon, June 14. The inspiring setting could not help but remind one of the garden where God performed the first wedding ceremony. May the peace and happiness of Eden always be in this new home. The vows were read by Elder Floyd Bresee.

# Oregon

### SDA Centennial Booth

Many of our believers in the Conference will undoubtedly be attending the Centennial Exposition some time during the summer months. They will want to make a special point of visiting our own beautiful and inspiring booth. To reach this booth, enter the Exposition building by way of the main entrance. Proceed straight forward through the large General Motors exhibit, past the Telephone and Information Center and on through the center of the Pacific Power and Light section. Then turn slightly left. Our booth is located on the left-hand side of the Cavalcade of Health exhibit. We occupy booths 24 and 25 of Section 27.

The large General Conference revolving globe of the world and our illuminated "Seventh-day Adventists" sign will readily locate our booth.

The Centennial-Booth Committee selected the theme, "The Gospel to all the World in View of His Glorious Appearing." For this reason, the magnificent imposing painting of Christ's second coming by Elder John Hancock dominates the booth. Then there are other outstanding items of interest including an illuminated panel of pictures of our work in Oregon, a sound projector and Halliwells' trophies from the Amazon jungles.

Plan to bring your friends and be sure they secure a copy of the special Mount Hood Signs. This July number distributed at the Centennial, contains the Oregon Conference insert. Many have been inquiring about securing additional copies of this special Signs. These may be ordered through your church Missionary Secretary from the Bible House at 10 cents a copy, plus postage.

### Camp Meeting Schedule

|           | IDAHO          |
|-----------|----------------|
| Caldwell  | June 25-July 4 |
|           | MONTANA        |
| Bozeman . | July 1-5       |
|           | OREGON         |
| Gladstone | July 23-Aug. 1 |
|           | WASHINGTON     |
| Auburn    | July 15-25     |

Let us all unite in praying that God will bless the thousands who will visit the exhibit because they have come in contact with our booth and those serving it. Introduce Elder Armstrong, the Halliwells and our college girls to your friends when you accompany them to our booth.

C. J. RITCHIE
Chairman Centennial Committee

### Gladstone Camp Meeting

For some time the large auditorium has caused us some concern, and our engineers have finally advised that the building come down. It has stood there for about 70 years and perhaps has served its purpose. We have leased a large tent to take the place of the old auditorium. Nothing is more pleasant than a fine large tent, and we look forward to a good time together at Gladstone Park, July 23 - August 1.

Family tents are available but we would urge that orders be placed immediately in order that the friends in charge of the work program may know how many tents to provide. Mail orders to: Oregon Conference, S.D.A., 605 S.E. 39th Avenue, Portland 14, Oregon.

Tent, full floor, frame and shelf....\$ 8.00 Bed springs, double, iron,

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| with supports  | 1.25  |
| Spring cot, folding, single  | 1.00  |
| Supports for private springs   | .25   |
| Table  | .50   |
| Chair  | .25   |
| Electricity, (not for cooking or   |       |
| or ironing) lights only  | 2.50  |
| Furnished bed, single, per night   | 2.00  |
| Furnished bed, single  |       |
| (camp meeting period)  | 15.00 |
| Private tent location  | 2.00  |
| Trailer space without lights   | 2.50  |
| Trailer space with electricity   |       |
| (if available)   | 7.50  |

LLOYD E. BIGGS

# Idaho

#### Attention

Gem State Academy Alumni and

Former Students

There will be a potluck dinner in the Caldwell Memorial Park the first Sabbath of camp meeting, June 27.

Bring picnic dinner and your own service.

# **Upper Columbia**

### Camporee History

Indeed history was made at our first Union camporee June 4 to 7. One thousand eighteen was the total number in attendance, including the head-quarters staff. The days were lovely and the nights crisp and the ripple of Tieton River made music for the sleepers.

Eighteen clubs with a total of 440 members and staff made up the total from the Upper Columbia Conference. These clubs set a fine example in outdoor camping. They came with their tents and camping gear. Like an army they went about to set up their camp with outdoor furniture, neatly lashed together. Indeed we were very proud of our group. This was their first camporee but they excelled many who had had local camporee experience.

The program was rich with challenging Pathfinder skills. From reveille until taps there was bustling activity. The four pronged nature exploration hikes on Friday emptied camp. Unusual scenery was viewed by each group.

The camp pow-wow in the morning brought advanced camping techniques by Elder J. T. Porter and new horizons in Pathfindering by Elder L. A. Skinner. Then the evening story hour and consecration services by Elder Lawrence Maxwell saw a hillside of campers and staff stand in consecration before Him in whose great handiwork we were camped.

Our clubs did exceptionally well in the contest events. Of the four events, Upper Columbia Pathfinders took three first places. Coeur d'Alene took first in semaphore signalling and speed knots. College Place took first place in flint and steel firemaking. The shortest camper took the shortest time, 14 seconds to start his fire! College Place place placed second in semaphore signalling and third in the speed knot event while Coeur d'Alene placed third in fire building. Many were given honorable mention for entering the events.

A surprise came to the campers as a light plane appeared overhead during the contests. A parachute was dropped containing a secret semaphore message to be used in this event. It read, "Jesus is coming soon, prepare to meet Him." How fitting this message is. Then Dr. C. D. Platner of College Place made numerous passes over the area each time dropping a chute. These chutes contained candy bars, one for each person in camp, a gift of the College Place Pathfinders.

The story of Pathfindering at its best was revealed at the MV service Sabbath afternoon. "Share your Faith" stories revealed that our clubs and individual members are sharing their faith. Two baptisms were reported by the Heppner club under the direction of Mrs. Cliff Wagner. A trophy for Christ was presented by a Washington club member. Indeed, Pathfindering wins for Christ.

Lest we forget, this fine showing was made possible by consecrated, dedicated club officers. We wish to thank each officer for his or her part. Every Pathfinder club must be backed by a youth loving pastor. Thank you pastors for coming and helping the union and local MV secretary to put over this historic camporee.

We now turn our attention to new adventure this summer, looking forward to outings, summer camps at Camp MiVoden and to our conference-wide Pathfinder fair September 27.

A. J. REISIG

Pathfinder Director

# Dedication of New Church at Endicott, Washington

Sabbath, May 9, was a high day for the Endicott church, beginning with a capacity attendance for Sabbath school at 9:30 in the morning and running on through the dedication service in the afternoon.

At the close of the morning sermon by Elder H. L. Rudy, ten souls were



The original Gladstone chautauqua building.

baptized by Elders H. L. Rudy and E. R. Priebe.

Preceding the dedication service at 3:00 p.m. the forty-voice traveling choir from Upper Columbia Academy presented a short program of sacred

Visitors from the community and a number of other churches from a distance were in attendance, it being estimated that around 400 were present for the service in the afternoon.

Elder H. L. Rudy, vice-president of the General Conference of Seventhday Adventists, who had been brought up in the community and was a member of the first Seventh-day Adventist church there, was the main speaker. Elder C. A. Scriven, president of the North Pacific Union Conference, gave the scripture reading. The dedicatory prayer was offered by Elder C. M. Bunker, president of the Upper Columbia Conference, Elder D. R. Schierman, a retired minister who was a member of the first Seventh-day Adventist church in Endicott, read the history of the church. Others having part in the program were: Elder E. R. Priebe, church pastor, led in the Act of Dedication; Elder C. A. Renschler, former pastor, offered the opening prayer, and L. W. Crooker, treasurer of the Upper Columbia Conference, gave the benediction.

Special music was provided by Brother Joe Hardy, the designer of the church, and Brother Brent Border, formerly one of the leaders in the district.

The mayor of Endicott, Conrad Moore, spoke words of welcome and goodwill in behalf of the community.

Notes of interest from the history included the following: In 1892 several men of the community, through study of the scriptures, became convinced of the Seventh-day Sabbath, also that they must follow the Bible mode of baptism. They were unaware at the time that there was a church which held these doctrines. In 1893 Elders G. F. Haffner and Oswald Cook came to Endicott to labor, conducting meetings in a number of homes which resulted in the organization of a church that same year. Among the charter members were the parents of Elders W. B. Ochs and H. L. Rudy. Besides these two there have been many others who have found places in the work of the denomination from among the families of this church through the years.

In addition to the work of these and other ministers, laymen have been active in giving the message in the surrounding territory, adding to the membership of the church a number of families from time to time.

Three years ago the members of this church caught a vision of evangelization through better church facilities, and in faith and courage went forward

at great personal sacrifice to establish the new church which is uniquely situated on a small hill, symbolizing the prayers and hopes of our members that this church be a light set on a hill to win men and women out of darkness into God's marvelous light of

This new church building has a seating capacity of about 200, a kitchen, a large Dorcas room, and two large rooms for Sabbath school divisions are in the basement.

E. R. PRIEBE

# Montana

# Montana Camp Meeting

The Montana camp meeting, July 2 to 5, will be of special interest to Mon-



F. R. Walde

tana senior youth. We are planning for two meetings each day of the session, especially for you, young people.

Sabbath, July 4, Elder E. R. Walde, from the General Conference, will be the speaker for the 11:00 o'clock worship service. Other

good things in store for you will be the Educational and MV hours on Sabbath.

Brother Larry Lewis will lead out

in the junior program this year. Juniors, you have met Brother Lewis and enjoyed his leadership. There will be singing, crafts, games and games and special speakers for you.

We will be looking for you, and, in the meantime, we



Larry Lewis

ask a special interest in your prayers as we prepare for camp meeting this year.

ERNEST SCHAAK

# Washington

#### Washington Conference Session

Notice is hereby given that the 39th session, the fourteenth biennial session, of the Washington Conference of Seventh-day Adventists, will convene at Auburn Academy, Auburn, Washington, on July 15 to 17, 1959, for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing term, and for transacting any other business that may properly come before the conference. The first meeting will be at 7:30 p.m., July 15. The constitution provides for representation from the several churches comprising the conference on the following basis: one delegate for each church organization and one additional delegate for each twenty members or major fraction thereof.

> N. R. Dower, President L. R. Alexander, Secretary

#### Western Washington Corporation

Notice is hereby given that the Western Washington Corporation of Seventh-day Adventists will hold its regular biennial session in connection with the biennial meeting of the Washington Conference at Auburn Academy, Auburn, Washington, July 15 to 17, 1959. The first meeting will be called at 3:00 p.m., July 16, 1959. This session is called for the purpose of electing officers and transacting any other business that may properly come before the corporation at this time. Delegates to the Conference are delegates to the corporation.

N. R. Dower, President L. R. Alexander, Secretary

### Everett MV's to Present "The Seat of the Gods and Its 80 Millions"

Would you like to see and hear of our mission work in Indonesia and Penang? Come to the Everett church on June 27 at 7:30 while the MV department features the above caption. You won't want to miss seeing and hearing the interesting stories told by Dr. Jess Holm. See you at 7:30.

MV Leader

JAMES F. PARKOS

#### United Advance News

We greatly appreciate the faithfulness of those who are regularly contributing to the UNITED AD-VANCE PROGRAM of our Conference. Faithfulness always brings its own reward and we are sure, therefore, that their joy in participating so faithfully has been compensation enough. However, they must take a real measure of credit for the success which is attending our soulwinning program as well as the other phases of the work in the conference. We once again appeal to others who are not participating in this program to give one per cent of their income regularly to the UNITED ADVANCE FUND, As you make out your tithe be sure to include one per cent for the work in our conference which is being so richly blessed of the Lord. Your support is needed and deeply appreciated.

N. R. Dower, President

### L. R. Alexander Retires

It is with a great deal of regret that we announce the resignation of our



beloved treasurer, Brother L. R. Alexander. For the past eleven and one half years Brother "Alex," as he is affectionately called, has served our conference in a most efficient way and has helped to guide our field in some of its most successful

L. R. Alexander undertakings. He has watched the conference grow stronger both in membership and in total income, until today the Washington Conference is considered one of the very strong conferences in the North American Division.

Prior to coming to Washington, Brother Alexander served as secretarytreasurer of the Nebraska Conference, and before that as treasurer of some of the conferences in the Southwestern Union. He has now completed thirtyfive years of heavy, but joyful service to the cause of God.

Our Conference Committee, in accepting his resignation, did so with an expression of deep appreciation for his faithful service through the years. He has been asked to continue on in parttime service as auditor of our conference. He will thus be visiting the churches periodically auditing the church books. We are happy that he has accepted this new responsibility and feel confident that this will be welcome news to our members throughout the field.

We wish Brother and Sister Alexander much happiness and good health as they continue to serve the cause of God in the days to come.

N. R. DOWER

### A New Secretary-Treasurer Is Chosen

We are happy to announce that Brother E. C. Christie has accepted the invitation of the Conference Committee to become secretary-treasurer of the Washington Conference. He will be arriving shortly to take up his duties. A fuller story regarding his experience and background will appear in a later issue of the GLEANER.

N. R. DOWER

"My Savings Up There"
"Smilin' Doc" had a big practice. He did not have fine clothes, buy big new cars, or take half days off. And he made night calls. Before he died, many said,

"I'd like to have old Doc's bank account."

Five hundred people attended his funeral.

"Incredible!" these folks exclaimed when his estate was too small to warrant administration. His bank book showed a balance of \$273. His list of patients was amazingly small and astonishingly low fees were recorded.

In a drawer under his much-used Bible they found another record book on which he had written, "My Savings Up There." This book contained many more names than the first. After each he had scrawled a brief note. On one he had written,

"Bill's kids need clothes more than I need \$50."

After another,

"I couldn't save Sally. I can't charge, and I won't let her go to the potter's field."

Still another read,

"They haven't any money and it's Christmas."

After an item of \$200 he had written, "Paid in full by the smiles and thanks of five little children."

There is no doubt when the doctor's spiritual estate is administered in the court of heaven many people, yes, many Christians, will be saying,

"I'd like to have old Doc's bank account-up there!"

"Every opportunity to help a brother in need, or to aid the cause of God in the spread of the truth, is a pearl that you can send beforehand and deposit in the bank of heaven for safekeeping. God is proving you. He has been giving His blessings to you with a lavish hand and is now watching to see what use you are making of them, to see if you will help those who need help, and if you will feel the worth of souls, and do what you can with the means that He has entrusted to you. Every such opportunity improved adds to your heavenly treasure."-TESTIMO-NIES, Vol. 3, p. 249. (Italics supplied.)

Sabbath, June 27, every faithful and loyal Sabbath school member will have another opportunity to "lay up . . . treasures in heaven" by giving a liberal Thirteenth Sabbath Offering. This is an all-important offering for the Middle East Division. Many are asking, "Will our Thirteenth Sabath offering reach Baghdad in time?" This could very well be our last opportunity to help this needy field with a Thirteenth Sabbath Offering.

A. R. LODAHL

### Camp Meeting

We still have a limited number of tents available for camp meeting. Those desiring to come should get their orders in at the earliest possible moment. We are anticipating our largest attendance. The auditorium has been treated acoustically and there is no question at all as to the ease with which those attending will be able to

### Voice of Prophecy

We are happy to report that there are hundreds of active students in the Voice of Prophecy Correspondence School. The Voice of Prophecy now has lessons for the juniors, the youth and for the adults.

In the accompanying picture, Mrs. Abbie Gipson is holding a diploma she



Mrs. Abbie Gipson

just recently received from the Voice of Prophecy. She is 90 years old and is a member of the Spruce Street Seventh-day Adventist church.

Even though you are a member of the Church, it will not hurt to review and re-study the faith and doctrines of our church. But we are very anxious to secure more enlistments for the Voice of Prophecy. If you need enrollment cards, write the Home Missionary Department of the Washington Conference.

D. A. NEUFELD

Radio-Television Secretary

# **Obituaries**

Weiss-Miss Mollie Weiss passed away Oct. 27, 1958, in Seatle, Wash, as a result of injuries caused by a car five months previous. born in Missouri, Oct. 30, 1875. She started teaching at the age of 18 and until retirement she taught the 1st and 2nd grades the full time. She wrote several textbooks for beginners. Elder H. F. Hannah officiated. She leaves two brothers, William of Portland and Daniel of Tacoma. Her whole life was devoted to serving her Lord in many church activities and offices,

Ford—Betty Ann Ford was born on Oct. 31, 1928, in Bellville, Ill., and fell asleep in death on May 11, 1959, in Moscow, Idaho. She was baptized into the remnant church at St. Louis, Mo., at the age of 12 and the blessed hope was a great comfort to her in her extended illness. She is survived by her parents Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Ford; her sisters, Mrs. Ruby Schmidt, Coeur d'Alene, Idaho; Mrs. Patricia Gibh, Moscow, Idaho; Carolyn Ford at Washington Missionary College, Washington, D. C.; and Roberta Ford at Upper Columbia Academy, Spangle, Wash.; and her brothers Robert, Richard and Michael at Moscow, Idaho. Memorial service was conducted by Wayne E. Moore and Betty rests in the Moscow Cemetery awaiting the coming of Jesus.

Bailey—Benjamin H. Bailey was born March 1, 1892, in New Auburn, Minn., and passed to his rest in Portland, Ore., May 5, 1959. His boyhood was spent in Salem, Ore. In 1913 he was baptized and joined the Seventh-day Adventist church. During his 46 years of membership he served in various offices in the church for a number of years as a teacher in the Sabbath school and as head elder in the Stone Tower SDA church in Portland, Ore.

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April 18, 1915 he was united in marriage with Edith King. In 1919 he joined the sheriff's department in Portland as a uniformed officer and later was promoted to detective where he

served until retirement in 1957.

Mr. Bailey passed away with confidence in the promises of the glorious resurrection, leaving among those who survive, his wife Edith, a daughter, Elsie Fitzgerald, and two grandchildren, Janice and Ronald Fitzgerald. The funeral services were conducted by Pastor Jerry Lien assisted by V. T. Armstrong.

Briggs—Frank S. Briggs was born in Eric County, Pa., and died May 21, 1959, at Kalispell, Mont. In 1924 he was married to Margret Gaffney who preceded him in death. Grandad Briggs, as he was known, was missionary minded and lived to see some of the fruit of his endeavors. His faithfulness was an inspiration to many. He is survived by four step-sons; Russel Gaffney of Baker, Ore.; Lloyd Gaffney of Spokane, Wash., William Gaffney, Camden, Wash., and Dean Gaffney, Thompson Falls, Mont. The hope of the soon coming of Christ was bright in his heart.

Remboldt—Mrs. Julie Fromm-Remboldt was born in Southern Russia on Aug. 18, 1877. She came to America with her parents at the age of 11 and lived near Eureka, S. Dak. In 1896 she married Adam A. Remboldt and they moved to the vicinity of Bowdon, N. Dak. Here, they accepted the message and became members of the Bowden Seventh-day Adventist church. In the fall of 1923 they moved to Washington and lived near Walla Walla for 2 years, then moved to College Place, where, in 1944, her husband passed away. Sister Remboldt was laid to rest May 20, 1959, by Elder Melvin Lukens of College Place.

She is survived by four sons: Walter F. of Leavenworth, Wash., Adam of Milton-Freewater, Ore., George and Al of Walla Walla; three daughters: Mrs. Jake Rutt of College Place; Mrs. Dallas Johnson of Spokane, Wash.; and Mrs. Ed Johnson of Silverton, Ore.; one brother, Henry Fromm of Cascade, Va.; 22 grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren.

Latham—Mrs. Lana Latham was born in Austin, Texas, Jan. 23, 1880. She passed to her rest awaiting the resurection morning on May 23, 1959 at Walla Walla, Wash. She leaves to mourn two daughters, Mrs. Henry Swarat, Walla Walla, Wash., Mrs. George Kretschmar, Arlington, Calif.; a sister, Mrs. Florence Thurston, Seattle, Wash.; two step-brothers, J. O. Salton, Spokane, Wash., H. A. Salton, Gilroy, Calif.; a step-sister, Mrs. Ida Palmer, Caldwell, Idaho; 3 grandchildren, and 2 greatgrandchildren. Sister Latham was a faithful member of the College Place Seventh-day Adventist church until the time of her death, and she passed away to her rest firmly believing in the Lord Jesus as a personal Saviour.

Johnson-Lillian Grace Johnson was born in Hutchinson, Kans., Jan. 13, 1895, and passed away Jan. 29, 1959. She was baptized by Elder Everson in Portland in 1925 and was a member of the Tabernacle church in Portland. Elder Manson Metcalf conducted the funeral service. Survivors include her husband, V. H. Johnson of Boring, Ore.; 4 sons, 4 daughters, and 2 sisters.

# Sunset Table

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# Walla Walla College

College Place, Washington

Speech Teacher Named

Mrs. Donald W. Rigby will join the staff of the department of speech in a part time capacity for the coming year. says Dr. P. W. Christian, president.

A graduate of La Sierra College with a major in speech, Mrs. Rigby taught speech for two years at Southwestern Junior College and did substitute teaching in the same field at Tucson, Arizona. For the past year she has taught English at Walla Walla College Academy.

Article Published

An article by Dr. John O. Waller, associate professor of English, appeared in a recent issue of Notes and Queries

Entitled "The Arnolds and Particular Truth," the article was printed in the May issue of the London publication of the Oxford University Press.

Fellowship Granted

Lenhart Cochran, who took his B.S. degree with a major in mathematics on June 7 at WWC, will be attending Stanford University this fall as a graduate engineering student in mechanical engineering under the Atomic Energy Commission Fellowship, according to Dr. R. H. Brown, dean of administration.

One of two WWC students among only 100 college youth in the U.S. to be offered Hughes Fellowships, Mr. Cochran has chosen the Stanford fellowship instead and will enter as a graduate engineering student under the AEC plan, taking a nuclear option.

Scholarship Awards Announced

Two WWC students will receive Pacific Press scholarship awards for next year according to Wesley J. Siegenthaler, manager of the Northwest branch of the Pacific Press. Awards are made in four categories: editorial, publishing department, business administration, and journalism.

Ted Parks, senior theology major next year and a graduate of Upper Columbia Academy, will be the recipient of the scholarship in the publishing department area. With four successful summers' canvassing to his credit, the student has a special interest in the publishing work as a future vocation. He will spend a month canvassing following the summer school which he is now attending.

Glen Aufdehar, a junior theology major next year, has been named as the winner of the journalism scholarship. He, too, is a successful canvasser who is assisting in the Oregon Conference this summer. On campus where he is the spiritual vicepresident-elect, he has been president

of the Colporteur Club, missionary leader for the College church, and a member of the Collegian staff.

President P. W. Christian says concerning the awards:

"It is indeed gratifying to learn that two Walla Walla College students have been awarded Pacific Press scholarship awards. We feel definitely that they are worthy of these awards, and we look forward to the leadership which they will give in the cause of

"The Pacific Press is certainly to be congratulated on its forward-looking policy, which has made these awards possible."

Librarian Leaving WWC

Miss Anna L. Blackney, librarian at WWC for 12 years, has accepted a position as librarian at the Review and Herald Publishing Co. in Washington, D. C., and will be leaving soon for the new assignment, according to President P. W. Christian.

A graduate of Emmanuel Missionary College, Miss Blackney took her B.S. in library science at the Western Reserve University and her master of arts degre e at the University of Chicago. Before coming to WWC she had been librarian at Pacific Union College and Emmanuel Missionary College. During the summer of 1954 she toured Europe visiting important libraries.

President Christian has announced that Mrs. Robert Silver, assistant librarian, will be the acting head of the library staff until the board fills the vacancy created by Miss Blackney's leaving. The board will meet early in August.

Advanced Degrees Received

Three faculty members received advanced degrees from universities on June 8.

Richard L. Litke, assistant professor of Biblical languages, received his Ph.D. degree in absentia from Yale University.

A graduate of WWC, Dr. Litke took further work at the University of California after having taught from 1948-51 at his alma mater. Summer study at the University of Michigan and the University of Chicago preceded three years on research fellowships at Yale.

In Assyriology, Dr. Litke investigated the god-lists, the religious encyclopedias used by Chaldean priests at the time of Daniel, formerly not translated. They are now used as standard reference works according to word from Yale.

Beginning his seventh year at WWC. he will teach Greek and Hebrew and some theology. He has been sponsor for the Missionary Volunteer progressive classes and headed the faculty vesper committee, also serving as an elder in the College church. He is a member of the summer session and is working as a contributor to the new Bible dictionary.

Carl T. Jones, assistant professor of chemistry, received his doctor's degree at Oregon State College.

A graduate of Washington Missionary College, Dr. Jones took his master's degree from the Catholic University of America in Washington, D. C. He later taught in Washington and at the Philippine Union College in Manila.

This summer he is teaching biochemistry at the Biological Station of WWC at Rosario Beach.

Miss Lois Teel received her master of education degree in absentia from the University of Oregon.

A specialist in primary methods, Miss Teel has taught the first grade at the Clara E. Rogers Elementary School 12 years. This summer she is on the staff of the department of education for the WWC summer session, teaching elementary education.

The College Place teacher took her bachelor's degree at Emmanuel Missionary College, Berrien Springs, Michigan.

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