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"The Spirit of the Lord is upon Me: because He hath anointed Me to preach good tidings . . . Isaiah 61:1.

54,000 DOLLAR VICTORY

By ORDELL R. REES

Ingathering Victory was declared at a workers' meeting held on February 8 at the Oak Park Academy. The conference goal of \$54,000 has been reached and we believe that this will bring thrilling satisfaction to the entire constituency of the Iowa Conference. As the workers gave their district reports, W. J. Blacker was busy adding up the figures, and when the grand total of \$54,000 was announced, it was a time of joy for the workers. A prayer of thanksgiving was offered and a song of victory was also sung. However, there are still four districts that are a little short of their goals, which mean a substantial overflow for the Cause of God and missions as these districts sweep on to a completed program.



D. C. BUTHERUS

It was on November 25, 1955 that D. C. Butherus, conference president, and E. T. Gackenheimer, home missionary secretary, gave the official word for the beginning of the 1956 Ingathering campaign. Christmas carols were sung in many of the cities and villages of the state, and during that time many of the church members and workers were going from place to place telling the story of the work of God and soliciting the cooperation of business men in the work that we have set out to do. By December 17 two districts were "over the top," one of which was a Minute Man district. Norman Sharp had led his members on to the Minute Man victory, and Adam Rudy also reached his goal on the same date. Sixteen days later on December 31, six more districts had completed their work making a total of eight districts over the goal by the end of the year.



E. T.

GACKENHEIMER period the previous year. At that particular time the conference leaders in counsel with many of the workers in the field, set February 8 as Victory Day and everywhere throughout the conference a new wave of enthusiasm could be seen.

A check for the total amount of \$54,000 was given to the Northern Union Conference treasurer to be sent on to the General Conference.

I am confident that every reader of the OUTLOOK will rejoice with the Iowa Conference in the complete

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W. J. BLACKER



A Privilege and a Responsibility

By W. R. BEACH, Secretary
General Conference of Seventh-day
Adventists

These two words take me back to 1946 and to days of great distress in Europe.

I was standing with two church leaders—one a layman and the other a leader in our disaster and famine relief work—at a frontier post on the border of Switzerland. Mass deportations and mass bombings had thrown Europe into a state of distress and bewilderment. Millions of men and women and children were wandering across the face of the continent in quest of a roof and food and clothing sufficient to keep body and soul together. Many thousands of these refugees were knocking at the doors of friendly, generous Switzerland. At this one frontier point we could see this procession of the homeless and starving stretch out like a great black serpent of suffering to the horizon and beyond.

Our church program of relief was well organized. It had at its disposal the large sums of money that

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tion of their task. The leadership of the conference is to be strongly commended for the fine work that has been done and for the very careful planning that has gone into the program. In the discussions of the day they looked ahead toward another year. The workers and officers unanimously voted to accept a ten per cent raise in the conference goal for the 1957 campaign. There is a wonderful spirit of cooperation and unity existing among the workers of the Iowa Conference. This in itself should make for greater successes in the days to come.

Considerable time was spent in the discussion of evangelistic plans for this present year. Each worker has pledged himself to all-out evangelism for the spring, summer, and fall months. We trust that the membership of the conference will also catch the vision and while the ordained ministry will be holding efforts and directing the activities of the churches, that many lay efforts, cottage meetings, and Bible studies will also be conducted. The crucial days in which we live demand our very best in the soul-winning program of the church.

A crusade of prayer is also needed at this time. It is the "praying church" that becomes a "living church," and a "living church" MARCHES ON TO VICTORY. May the God of love add His blessing to the plans that were laid, and we shall look forward to a great harvest of souls as the churches of the Iowa Conference unite their efforts in the campaigns, programs, and evangelistic advances during 1956.

A PRIVILEGE AND A RESPONSIBILITY

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had been contributed through the Disaster and Famine Relief offerings. We were ready and able to undertake much for these unfortunate travelers of the modern Jericho road. "What a responsibility is ours," I said to my brethren as we contemplated the scene and started to make arrangements to do our part. "It is a responsibility,

—the Lord has placed it upon us," joined the laymen, a church elder. "But it is a privilege, too, a real privilege," he added.

A privilege and a responsibility. These two words sum up the attitude of the church in times of disaster and distress. The Master made this forcibly clear in the parable of the Good Samaritan. Then, the testimony of the messenger of the Lord is in the same vein, "Let them do Christian-help work," she wrote, "feeding the hungry and clothing the naked. This will have a far stronger influence for good than the preaching of sermons.

Deeds, as well as words, of sympathy are needed. Christ prefaced the giving of His message by deeds of love and benevolence." *Testimonies*, vol. 7, pp. 227, 228.

Indeed, the followers of Christ will be good Samaritans in the last days. Their hand of sympathy and help will be outstretched at all times.

Our denomination accepts this responsibility and has organized itself to be worthy of the privilege involved in human solidarity. Year after year our organization has been perfected and ready supplies of food and clothing have been stored up for the day of disaster. Millions of pounds of food and clothing have been sent to the devastated areas of the earth since World War II. Just recently more has been done for the areas of flood and hurricane in several lands. I have found people who have been objects of your care; today they are wearing the clothes and eating the food that you have made available.

Now our funds are depleted. No disaster and famine relief offering has been taken up generally since 1949. Therefore the church has summoned us to a day of unprecedented giving for this worthy cause. We must be ready when disaster strikes. Immediate help is real help. The warehouses stand ready and the plan is to keep them full. The offering on March 10 should provide \$250,000. In this way our organization can keep doing not merely saying, showing forth our love for God by the love we show to His suffering children.

"Inasmuch as ye have done it unto one of the least of these, my brethren, ye have done it unto me." JESUS

Convincing Evidence Proves Tithe Paying a Blessing

Have you longed for convincing evidence to prove that tithe paying really is a blessing? Would you like to pass it on to your husband, wife, or neighbor? If so, be sure to read, "Why I Tithe My Income," by Leonard C. Lee in the March 13 issue of the *Signs of the Times*.

Elder Lee is the pastor of the Lakewood church in Ohio. "I can never cease to marvel at the way my life has been guided, protected, and enriched from the day I recognized God's ownership of all I have," writes Elder Lee.

He tells the amazing eyewitness story of how a tithe-paying farmer's crops were protected from locusts; then how he first paid tithe, and finally how it led him into the church.

Don't miss this thrilling account in the *Signs*.

DONALD A. WEBSTER



RESCUED! "Here is a dollar bill for the broadcast that went all through the laundry and even was overlooked when the clothes were hung up to dry. I think it was saved for something special."

Voice of Prophecy

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We've a Story to Tell

"We've a story to tell to the
 nations,
That shall turn their hearts to
 the right,
A story of truth and mercy,
A story of peace and light.
"For the darkness shall turn to
 dawning.
And the dawning to noonday
 bright;
And Christ's great kingdom shall
 come on earth,
The kingdom of love and light."

In these words of a beautiful song, written by Colin Stearne and H. Ernest Nichol, are expressed the motivating factors which impel those of us who work at Inter-American Publications of the Pacific Press Publishing Association in Brookfield, Illinois. Yes, "We've a Story to Tell to the Nations," . . . "a story of truth and mercy, a story of peace and light."

From the Arctic Circle to the steaming jungles of the Equatorial lands of Inter-America, your foreign language publishing house is endeavoring to tell "The Old, Old Story" to the many nationalities within the borders of Canada, the United States, and the Inter-American countries.

The United States of America opened with its hospitable arms to receive 1,035,039 immigrants between the years of 1941-1950. In each of the years, 1951 and 1952, an additional quota of 205,717 and 265,520 respectively were admitted. Three hundred and seventy thousand displaced persons were admitted outside of the regular quota during the unsettled years immediately following the last great war.

The immigration story is being repeated in Canada. Just a few months ago the one millionth immigrant had been admitted to Canada since the end of the second world war. This new and ever increasing wave of immigration from the old to the new world represents a challenge to Seventh-day Adventists. As a denomination, we have held uppermost in our minds the great commission which Christ Himself gave, "Go ye therefore, and teach all nations. . . ." Many of us have gone, and we are still going.

We are carrying on the greatest foreign mission program of any denomination, large or small. Thank the Lord for this great missionary zeal with which His people are imbued. As we pause to look about us in the rapidly moving stream of time and events, we suddenly find that we are living a sort of crazy, mixed-up environment. It seems that the great masses of population are seething about seeking escape from the fear and the emotional stress and strain of a world adrift. Thus we see the masses of the orient and the occident looking toward the new world for hope and peace. What do we have to offer them? Here is the answer, "We've a story to tell to the nations."

Yes, in this mixed up world in which we live, everything seems to be moving in reverse. We have been sending our messengers of love to the nations of earth, but now as the human tides have turned, peoples of all nationalities are pouring in upon us. Now is the opportunity for every Seventh-day Adventist to thrill to that experience which only those of us who have spent years abroad have known. Now you too, who are reading these lines, can work for those strangers to whom we have opened our arms. What a privilege!

The month of February has been set aside by the General Conference Committee and the North American Division as *Signs of the Times* Campaign month. We trust that you, our good Seventh-day Adventist laymen, may join ranks with the publishers of the *Signs of the Times* to make the month of February a veritable Crusade for Christ month. But say, did you know the Inter-American Publications Division of the Pacific Press is now prepared to help you to a new and thrilling experience? You too can be a foreign missionary by sending the *Signs of the Times* to

any one or all of the seven languages in which it is printed.

Perhaps you have a new neighbor who feels a bit strange in his new environment. It may be that you find it difficult to converse with him over the back fence. But how easy it is to smile and pass from your hand to his your silent interpreter which will speak to his heart in clear and convincing words which will be fully understood. Soon, yes very soon, you will be fast friends. Won't you step forward now to underwrite the sending of many copies of our German, Swedish, Italian, Ukrainian, Spanish, French, and Jewish magazines to a friend or acquaintance or to some one with whom you would like to become acquainted? Special campaign prices and a brief description of the various foreign language publications will appear on an attractive insert in the *Signs of the Times* *Crusader* which will be handed you in your churches during the campaign. Do not fail to send in your names for foreign publications.

The messenger of the Lord has often spoken of this task which must be considered our responsibility. In volume eight of the *Testimonies* we read these words: " . . . Not all the means that can be gathered up is to be sent from America to distant lands, while in the home field there exist such providential opportunities to present the truth to millions who have never heard it. Among these millions are the representatives of many nations, many of whom are prepared to receive the message. Much remains to be done within the shadow of our doors—in the cities of California, New York, and many other states."

We are counting on you—the Lord is counting on you. We know you will not fail us.

FRANK L. BAIER, *Manager*
Inter-American Publications

Special

The Student Association will present a benefit film for the women's dormitory campaign on February 18 at 8:15 p. m. in the college auditorium. This features the life of Chopin, "A Song to Remember," in technicolor. No one will want to miss this outstanding \$2,000,000 historical musical production.

SOUTH DAKOTA

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PLANS

Sometime ago, when I received a letter asking if I could write an article outlining our evangelistic plans for spring,



I got in touch with the conference workers and find them all eager to continue their good program of soul winning. The South Dakota workers are a hard working, consecrated group. They are anxious to spend all their time and strength gathering in the fruit for the Lord's harvest, so soon to be reaped.

Beginning at conference headquarters, M. C. Horn, a very capable evangelist, is expecting to hold a large effort in Watertown this spring. We are happy for this.

A little further north we find that A. T. Bidwell, a man who pushes forward in his program constantly, is arranging for meetings in Aberdeen. This will be very worthwhile.

Going to the Bowdle district, C. H. Turner, a very constant, successful worker, will put forth a supreme effort to add to the Java church group by preaching the message in that little city. This is a needed program.

In northwest corner of the state our older and very consecrated worker, C. A. Lindquist, is always out after souls. We can depend upon the northwest to do their part in the evangelistic program this spring.

Ed McGhee is in charge of the Indian work in South Dakota. He has been holding a successful effort at LaPlant to resurrect a church there and this work will continue. Brother McGhee has really been

going at top speed.

We can always depend upon L. J. Meidinger, the tireless servant of the Lord, putting over a good program in the Black Hills. Elder Meidinger never fails when it comes to evangelism.

H. H. White, in our capitol city, Pierre, has arranged for a very strong effort in the months ahead in Pierre, itself. We believe Elder White will have a strong preaching program.

In taking a look at the southeastern corner of South Dakota, one of our best sections, we note that D. A. Copsey, an enthusiastic evangelist, will do his part. Brother Copsey holds good meetings.

And last but not least, in the metropolis of our great state, Harley Schander will be at the top of the list in evangelistic endeavor. Elder Schander is a good preacher and will not come behind in any good work.

You can depend on the workers of South Dakota doing their part in up-holding the high ideals of true heavenly inspired evangelism this spring.

O. T. GARNER

Union College Project

A letter just came to my desk from President Harvey C. Hartman of Union College asking if I could write an article endorsing the student campaign to raise funds for the new women's dormitory. Without doubt everyone will be interested in doing what they can to help provide a better home for the girls at Union.

You will doubtless be receiving a letter from some student. I believe the over-all goal for the student drive covering the three unions, Northern, Central, and Southwestern and wherever the letters might go, is \$20,000.00. They will surely be happy if they can make their goal.

O. T. GARNER

1955 IS GONE BUT NOT FORGOTTEN

Someone once said that the Adventist people are the "givin' st people in the world" and as I check the financial report for 1955 I can truly

say that our people in South Dakota belong in that group. The Lord has been wonderfully good to all of us during 1955, not only in a spiritual way but in a physical and material way as well. It is indeed heart-warming to see the appreciation for these blessings reflected in the faithfulness of his people by their tithes and offerings.

Our tithe for 1955 amounted to \$161,835.22. This, I believe, is the largest tithe for one year in the history of our conference. We here at the office wish to express our sincere gratitude to each one of you for your faithfulness which made this record possible. However, this is only part of the picture. Our Ingathering totaled \$25,645.32 which is also one of the largest, if not the largest, for many years. The Sabbath school offerings amounted to a little over \$27,000.00 and the total mission offerings were \$56,440.56. In addition to all of this, many contributed most liberally towards the needs of Plainview Academy and for this too we are most grateful to you and pray that God will bless you abundantly for it.

I would now like to call your attention to the disbursements of various funds. It might seem, after reading these large figures, that the South Dakota Conference is rather a wealthy organization. That, however, is far from the truth. As you already know, the Ingathering and Sabbath school funds are all sent to the General Conference and of tithe, the local conference retains only a little over half of the total tithe received in our office. We have sent on to the union conference office over \$16,000.00, to the general conference over \$45,000.00, and to other organizations such as the Voice of Prophecy, Faith for Today, Union College, College of Medical Evangelists, and the OUTLOOK a total of nearly \$6,000.00. You will notice by this break-down that your tithe dollar helps to support God's work, not only in the local conference but throughout the entire world. Each one of us has a very definite part in this great world organization and when the redeemed are gathered in, God will reward us for the part we have had in helping save

some soul through our tithe and offerings.

E. M. HAGELE,
Secretary-Treasurer

News Notes

* February 2 was a very important day in South Dakota. We had our annual conference committee and school board meeting at Plainview. We were very happy to have with us our union president, R. H. Nightingale, also L. H. Netteburg, union secretary-treasurer, and K. D. Johnson of the educational and M. V. departments of the Northern Union. We had a very profitable day. The Academy plans that were considered at the time of the elders meeting and referred to the academy board received consideration. No decision was reached except that the board voted to bring the matter to the constituency meeting at the time of the conference session for the final decision. We hope that everyone who is interested will be present at that time and voice their opinion for or against the plans so that whatever is decided will be right.

* C. A. Edwards and H. E. Preston visited our churches at Chamberlain, Yankton, Sioux Falls, and Hurley last week, meeting with the Sioux Falls church Sabbath morning and the Hurley church Sabbath afternoon. Elder Edwards spoke at each of these places in the interest of the literature ministry. Several persons who were visited on this trip plan to engage in this ministry of the printed page as soon as they are able to arrange their affairs to get started.

* J. N. Noble met with the Moberg and Java churches on the 4th of February. Brother Noble is very busy promoting the interests of the Sabbath school department as well as the Book and Bible House.

* M. L. Sample preached in Watertown on February 4.

* C. H. Turner has just sent word that the Bowdle district has reached its Ingathering goal. They are rejoicing in their victory.

* The Hills district is very near to the goal. The Lemmon district has gone over with a great victory.

* On the first Sabbath of February O. T. Garner spoke at Pierre.

DON'T MISS THIS

NORTHERN UNION CONFERENCE TEMPERANCE ORATORICAL MEET to be held at Plainview Academy at Redfield on February 25.

W. A. Scharffenberg from the American Temperance Society will be the speaker at the Sabbath morning service at the church and in the evening, after the Sabbath, orations will be given by the students of our four academies of the Northern Union Conference who were winning speakers in their local academy temperance contests.

One of the four speakers will be awarded a trip to the national temperance convention in Kansas City March 21-24 and will deliver the winning oration at that meeting.

If you live within driving distance of the Academy, you will not wish to miss either one of these special events to come February 25 at Plainview Academy.

H. E. PRESTON
Temperance Secretary
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NO TIME TO LOSE

"And they went forth, and preached everywhere, the Lord working with them, and confirming the



A. E. MILLNER

they are, preaching the word.

Adventist preachers are well aware of the fact that evangelism is the call of the hour. There are areas in North Dakota where the message

word with signs follow in g."

Mark 16:20. A truly remarkable observation, "they went forth," indicating that today ministers should go to the people just where

has not been preached. This picture should be changed without delay. Doubtless, there are many homes waiting for something better than what they now have. This truth is well able to match the needs of every human heart no matter where they live.

Then, too, responsible lay-members are in position to accomplish a great deal. Often people will listen to them, when they will not go to an evangelistic service. It is well to remember what Luther said about consecrated lay-workers back in his day. "Every Christian man is a priest, and every Christian woman is a priestess, whether they be young or old."

May God's Spirit so energize and activate both minister and member, that we may experience the best year in soul-winning. Never forget that with Christ's coming so near at hand, we are racing against time. This is our hour!

A. E. MILLNER

NORTH DAKOTA EVANGELISM

E. F. Irish	Drayton
A. M. Matar	Lisbon, Nome
R. E. Cash	Gackle
J. D. Neufeld	Napoleon
N. Johnson, A. V. Dick	
W. Beaman	Tuttle
G. Sherbondy	Bismarck
G. Hochstetter	Beach
C. A. Braun	Williston
T. Fischer	Minot area
G. Melashenko	Garrison, Plaza
P. G. Wick	Manfred

A Great Need

Union College has a glorious history in educating our youth from North Dakota, and in training workers for home and overseas service. Thank God for such an excellent school.

A new service is now in the making. In fact it is beyond the planning stage. Teachers and students are greatly enthused because it means a new dormitory for the young women. Needless to say this unit is badly needed now.

Our members will be approached to make contributions toward the project. It is to be hoped that their

support of the enterprise will be both liberal and timely. Let us see to it that the building can soon be built and in operation as required.

A. E. MILLNER

Grateful Recognition

The officers of the North Dakota Conference have much to be grateful for. We are truly thankful for God's guiding hand of blessing in things material and spiritual. Time and time again the leadings of the Lord are fruitfully evident, even when the way appears to be dark.

There is one thing one should never overlook, because it is vitally important to the success of the work, and that is the loyalty of our members scattered throughout the field. They are a praying and a trusting people, due, perhaps in a large measure, to the fact that they toil with the soil and provide bread for the masses at home and abroad.

But they also help provide spiritual bread to those in great need. This was very noticeable at the time of our conference committee meeting in Jamestown, January 31, when financial reports were submitted for 1955. Not only did the conference again operate with a slight gain, but tithe and mission offerings in general were increased. While baptisms were down as compared with 1954, we believe that the present year will be better in this respect. A complete report of last year's activities and finances will be made at the time of our constituency meeting in June.

To every member and minister the conference extends sincere thanks for their true-hearted support of the work. It is deeply appreciated. By God's grace let us determine to make 1956 the most productive year in our history.

A. E. MILLNER

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Spring Evangelistic Meetings

The winning of souls is the paramount work of the church. Every activity should be directed in this channel. Nothing should be permitted to obscure our vision of this great objective. Various evangelistic campaigns are therefore being planned throughout the conference this spring.



E. R. OSMUNSON
ference this spring.

The largest campaign will be conducted in Minneapolis by J. L. Shuler, well-known evangelist from the Southern Union Conference. The meetings will begin Sunday night, May 13, and will continue for three weeks. The pastors of the churches in Minneapolis as well as three or four others from nearby districts will assist Elder Shuler in these meetings.

Other scheduled meetings are as follows:

Fertile and Roseau, March and April, J. C. Zollbrecht.

Northome and Bemidji, February to April, Paul Cales.

Detroit Lakes and Wadena, March to May, J. M. Mershon.

Brainerd, February or March, E. D. Clifford.

Hinckley, March or April, Paul Scofield.

Willmar, March or April, L. L. Murphy.

Duluth, March to May, Nevins Harlan.

Winona, March or April, Percy Lamb.

The pastors not listed are carrying on aggressive personal evangelistic programs—Bible studies, cottage meetings, house-to-house visitation. The training course for lay-evange-

lists is also being conducted in many churches by the district leaders.

We request our members throughout the conference to earnestly pray that the spirit of God will be present at these meetings and that as a result many souls will be led to accept Jesus as their Saviour and be prepared to meet Him when He returns the second time.

E. R. OSMUNSON

Advance Notice of Camp Meeting

Camp meeting this year will be held from June 8 to 16 at Mission Farms on Medicine Lake about 12 miles northwest of Minneapolis. The first meeting will begin Friday evening, June 8, at 8:00 o'clock.

Particulars regarding reservations, type of accommodation available, cost, directions, etc. will be published later. A descriptive pamphlet will also be sent to the churches for distribution to members a month or so before camp meeting convenes.

E. R. OSMUNSON

How Solemn? How Sacred?

"When the truth for these last days came to the world in the proclamation of the first, second, and third angles' messages, we were shown that in the education of our children a different order of things must be brought in; but it has taken much time to understand what changes should be made. . . We are under solemn, sacred covenant to God to bring up our children for Him and not for the world." *Testimonies*, vol. 6, p. 126, 127.

Make Your Plans Now

It is not too early to begin making definite plans for our children's enrollment in our church school educational program for the 1956-57 school year.

We can be thankful to the Lord for the system of Christian education which is given to us. It begins at the first grade and carries a child through college and even to a professional school.

If a child is to be in the elemen-

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tary grades, the parents have a responsibility to study carefully how the child may be in church schools. If there is no school in your church, plan with your educational superintendent and pastor on how one might be established.

If your teen-ager is to be in grades nine to twelve, make definite plans with B. G. Butherus, principal of Maplewood Academy, Hutchinson, Minnesota, to send him to that outstanding academy.

If your youth is of college age, help him plan to attend Union College. One is pained to see some of our Adventist youth who are missing out on the most interesting days of their life on earth by not attending a Christian college.

Statistics show that 80 percent of all of our Seventh-day Adventist youth who are sent only to Christian schools and who finish college remain true to the church. Figures also show that our Seventh-day Adventist youth who are not sent to our schools leave the church in large numbers. Approximately two-thirds of Adventist children who do not attend our church school system leave the church when they are adults.

The greatest safeguard in holding our youth in the church is to send them to our schools which are in the truest term Christian.

BOYD E. OLSON,
Educational Superintendent

I Wish

that each reader of the OUTLOOK could travel part way around the world to an isolated mission station over in British East Africa. I wish that you could see the more than 18,000 patients who have been treated at the back door of the mission home. You would see some walking, some being carried, and others with messages from sick persons who are appealing for help.

I wish that you could see them as they come with swollen, pus-filled eyes, with burns, axe and knife wounds, with the chills and fevers of malaria, the pains and discomforts of dysentery, and the mysterious swellings so common to the African of that section. I wish you could see them come with the horrible-smelling tropical ul-

cers. So bad are these that even close relatives desert them while in this condition. These are the patients who require so much medicine and bandages. Day after day these evil-smelling sores must be cleansed and freshly bandaged. Where do the bandages come from? Indeed the medical budget is so very limited that it does not even cover the cost of the medicines. But only once in five years have bandages been bought. Otherwise all have arrived from Dorcas Societies in the United States.

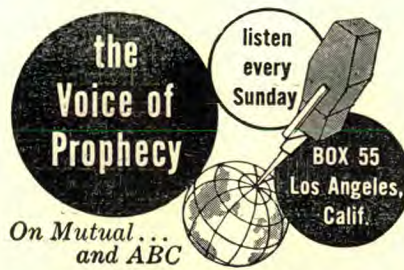
And my last wish—to properly thank two Dorcas Societies in the Northern Union who have faithfully supplied soft bandages so that

isolated mission station in British East Africa. As an African boy put it, "We give very many thanks to God who gave such good hearts to those people," the Ash Grove Dorcas Society of South Dakota and the St. Paul Dorcas Society of Minnesota.

MRS. G. A. OTTER

Radio Program

"Your Story Hour" is now heard over radio station KLOH, 1050 kilocycles, in Pipestone, Minnesota, at 11:30—12:00 a. m. on Sunday. This program is conducted by J. Neil Hadley, the leader of the Lamberton District.



Sermon Subjects

February 19—The Two Kingdoms

Songs:

Rejoice Ye Pure in Heart (Quartet)

Nearer, Still Nearer (Multiple, trio)

Amazing Grace (Quartet)

O That Will Be Glory (Quartet)

February 26—Are You a Fifth Monarchy Man?

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Wanted—Young S.D.A. couple to work on stock and grain farm. Steady year-round employment. Write to Elvin Horob, Bainville, Montana.

Many openings in our SDA sanitariums, hospitals, self-supporting institutions, physicians' offices, for the following: registered nurses, Secretaries, laboratory, & X-ray technicians, physical therapists. Send name, address, telephone, location desired, when available to CME Alumni Association Placement Service, 316 N. Bailey Street, Los Angeles 33, California.

FOR RENT—Could rent rooms to one or more either including board or room only. Write to: Mrs. Nina Dykstra, 304 5th Street, West Des Moines, Iowa. 2-14

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ence and, dear friend, it is a privilege! The year 1956 holds great possibilities for the work of God as we consecrate and dedicate our lives and talents for the advancement of His work!!

Each conference worker in Iowa has dedicated himself to finish the work and we wish to invite every layman to join the ranks of faith-

ful witnesses to advance His cause and hasten the coming of Jesus. Reports from the field indicate that every worker is planning one to three efforts during this year. Below are listed the efforts that have been planned so far and others will be added to the list from time to time:

D. C. BUTHERUS

"Ye are My Witnesses"

"The disciples were to go forth as Christ's witnesses, to declare to the world what they had seen and heard of Him. Their office was the most important to which human beings had ever been called, second only to that of Christ Himself. They were to be workers together with God for the saving of men."

Acts of the Apostles, p. 19.

The greatest honor that can be bestowed upon the disciples of Christ is to become co-workers with Him and to be His witnesses. This honor has been bestowed upon every believer of the Iowa Confer-

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January 4—July
March 1—July
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March—May
June 24—July 25

April 1—May 13
June—July
September—October

March—May

March 10—March 17
April 22—April 29
June 10—June 17
September 9—September 30

February 5—May 13
February 7—June 24

January 29—
September 16—November

March 18—June 10
Midsummer or Fall

January—March

May—June
May—June
September—

SUNSET CALENDAR

February 17

Des Moines, Iowa 5:49
St. Paul, Minnesota 5:43
Bismarck, North Dakota 6:10
Huron, South Dakota 6:05
Rapid City, South Dakota 5:24

February 24

Des Moines, Iowa 5:58
St. Paul, Minnesota 5:52
Bismarck, North Dakota 6:21
Huron, South Dakota 6:15
Rapid City, South Dakota 5:34

Ingathering to February 4, 1956

Conf.	TOTAL TO DATE	PER CAPITA	PERCENT OF GOAL										GOAL
			10	20	30	40	50	60	70	80	90	100	
Iowa	\$54,000	\$14.60	<div></div>										\$54,000
Minn.	20,689	4.67	<div></div>										56,000
N. Dak.	23,765	9.38	<div></div>										31,000
S. Dak.	19,103	10.92	<div></div>										25,000
Union	\$117,557	9.48	<div></div>										\$166,000

Individual Minute Man Goal \$22.35

"God's people have a mighty work before them, a work that must continually rise to greater prominence. Our efforts in missionary lines must become far more extensive. A more decided work than has

been done must be done prior to the second appearing of our Lord Jesus Christ." *Testimonies*, vol. 6, pp. 23 and 24.