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# OUTLOOK

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

## Iowa Constituency Meeting

BY R. H. NIGHTINGALE



D. C. Butherus, President

In spite of bad weather a large delegation was present at the 80th biennial session of the Iowa Conference which was held at Oak Park Academy April 6. D. C. Butherus, who has given good capable leadership and served the field as president for the past six years, was re-elected. A report of the many accomplishments of the past biennial period will appear soon in the OUTLOOK.

All who have been serving in some departmental capacity were returned to office: J. B. Bogle, secretary-treasurer; H. R. Trout, manager of the Book and Bible House; E. T. Gackenhimer, Home Missionary, Sabbath School, and Public Relations secretary; G. P. Stone, Educational and MV secretary; G. S. Culpepper, Publishing Department secretary; D. C. Butherus, Religious Liberty secretary; and J. B. Bogle, Temperance secretary.

As is often the case, some changes were made in the executive committee. Workers asked to serve, in addition to Elder Butherus and Elder Bogle, are H. R. Trout, L. E. Rogers, of Des Moines; Adam Rudy, Sioux

City; and E. F. Coy, Fort Dodge. The three laymen serving on the committee are Iver Johnson, Spirit Lake; B. D. Fickess, Nevada; and George M. Gibbs, M.D., Burlington.

Also, as is customary, the Oak Park Academy board was named at the time of the session. In addition to the conference committee this includes Boyd E. Olson, educational secretary of the Northern Union, George P. Stone, educational superintendent of the Iowa Conference, and A. H. Liebelt, pastor of the Davenport church.

Also present at this session, as at the two previous sessions in the Northern Union, was H. L. Rudy, vice-president of the General Conference, who gave the devotional message. We have greatly appreciated Elder Rudy's ministry at these three sessions.

The Iowa Conference is one of the oldest conferences in our work. Our people through the years have loyally supported the work and many outstanding workers have labored in Iowa and have gone forth to various parts of the world field.



### Them That Honor God He Will Honor

"God has made men His stewards. The property which He has placed in their hands is the means that he has provided for the spread of the gospel. To those who prove themselves faithful stewards he will commit greater trusts. Saith the Lord, 'Them that honor me, I will honor.'" *Patriarchs and Prophets*, p. 529.

### Meat to Eat

It was A.D. 1958 when the Saviour visited the planet upon which He gave His life for sinful men, nearly two thousand years before. His visit was in the interest of a harvest, a direct result of His death on Calvary.

"Son, go work today in my vineyard," He said to a member of the remnant church who was seemingly busy in his work. "At the present time," replied the member, "I am busy selling beef. Since it is one of the clean meats and since people have to eat, I feel that I am making an honest living."

The Master continued, "In this world there are multitudes who are not acquainted with me, whom to know is life eternal. Let these people minister to the physical needs of humanity, while you to whom so

much has been entrusted and given, minister to the spiritual needs of men.

"I want you to feed men and women with the message of salvation, for my words are meat indeed. As people taste of this meat and feed upon it, they will desire to bring it to others and so the circle of my disciples fulfilling my Great Commission, will be widened and strengthened. My coming will thus be hastened when I return to reap the harvest of the earth."

"But, Master," replied the seller of beef, "I am not a preacher and therefore I feel that I must continue in this work."

"Since you have sales ability," said Jesus, "I am asking you to sell Seventh-day Adventist literature filled with the meat of the living Word. As you faithfully continue in this work,

### Coming the Union College Annual Alumni Homecoming

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Guest Speakers

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All Unionites and friends of the college are cordially invited.

you will in the ultimate win more souls than many preachers, and you will be a most effective messenger for me. Son, will you not thus go out and work in my vineyard during this eleventh hour?"

"Thou must give me some time to think this over," climaxed the church-member as he continued selling beef. The Saviour also thought, and departed.

Are you, my Friend, out in the market place of this world, using your God-given sales ability selling things that those who are ignorant of this message could sell? Has the Lord of the harvest impressed you at some time that you ought to sell our publications, concerning which the Lord through His messenger has said, "This is the very work the Lord would have His people do at this time?"

C. A. EDWARDS

### Northern Union Senior Youth Camp

IOWA — MINNESOTA — NORTH DAKOTA — SOUTH DAKOTA

Time: July 2 - 6. Registration begins 3:00 p.m. Wednesday, July 2. The first meal served is supper. The camp closes Sunday afternoon. The last meal served is dinner Sunday noon.

Age: For senior youth—16-30 years of age. We especially invite young married couples.

Cost: The complete cost is only \$12.00 for the four days. This includes good meals, bed, boating and other activities, and accident insurance. It does not include transportation.

Place: North Star MV Camp, Brainerd, Minnesota.

Send in your dollar at once with this application to

Missionary Volunteer Department  
Northern Union Conference of SDA  
501 Forest Avenue  
Minneapolis 3, Minnesota

I wish to make application to attend the Northern Union Senior Youth camp. Enclosed please find \$1.00. The balance (\$11.00) will be paid at the time of registration. I agree to enter into the spirit of the camp.

Name .....

Address ..... Phone .....

I am ☐ am not ☐ a member of the Seventh-day Adventist Church.

My church home is at .....

Unmarried ☐ Married ☐

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### News Notes

✧ On April 16 Carl Sundin, associate secretary for medical extension for the General Conference Medical Department, addressed a joint meeting of the Union College premedical and ministerial students on the relation between Adventist medical and ministerial endeavor.

✧ Mrs. Evelina Aitken, class of '40, was recently named winner of a second national award in the "Bold Journey Teacher Awards Program" at the NEA Travel Fair in New York City. She was one of the 31 teachers in the nation chosen from 1,500 finalists because of her ability to "open a window on the world" for her pupils and her interest in the values of educational travel. Her award is a five-week tour of Europe this summer.

✧ Additional senior placements include Dale Chaffee, Kansas Conference, and Eliseo Liwag, North Philippine Union.

✧ The Union College concert band, under the direction of H. Lloyd Leno, presented a home concert Saturday evening, April 12. Narrated by Elder Arthur Hauck, the program featured a clarinet soloist, Laurell Peterson of Hutchinson, Minnesota, and a cornet soloist, Mary Wenzel of Lincoln, Nebraska.

### SOUTH DAKOTA

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### Let's Go Youth

South Dakota youth in the eastern part of the state have the opportunity of joining with the young people of four neighboring conferences in two rallies to be conducted in the near future.

The annual Red River Valley M. V. Rally for western Minnesota, south-east North Dakota, and northeast South Dakota will be conducted this

year at Wahpeton, North Dakota, the week end of April 26.

The Sioux Valley M. V. Rally for southwest Minnesota, northwest Iowa, northeast Nebraska and southeast South Dakota will meet at Sioux City the week end of May 10.

Young people are always looking for action and for some place to go. Here is the chance of the year. Let's show the young people of these other conferences that South Dakota youth are alive, too. In the two years these annual events have been functioning a wonderful inspiration has been received, and those of us who have attended previously are looking forward with eagerness to the coming meetings. Watch for the announcement of the specific time and place elsewhere in the OUTLOOK.

M. L. SAMPLE

Missionary Volunteer Secretary

### News Notes

✧ Two were baptized at Lemmon the second Sabbath in April for Roger Heinrich, the district leader, by O. T. Garner. Three churches, the Bison, McLaughlin, and Lemmon churches, all came together for the service on that occasion and the church was filled. Pastor Heinrich is doing good work up in the northwest corner of our state. He is conducting many Bible studies each week and has some definite interests. Pray that the Lord may bless with a rich harvest of souls.

✧ J. N. Noble preached at Bowdle on Sabbath, April 12.

✧ E. M. Hagele met with the Huron church the second Sabbath of the month and M. L. Sample spoke at Watertown.

✧ H. F. Anderson was the guest speaker at Plainview Academy the same week-end.

✧ Have you sent in your subscription for the *Signs of the Times*? Remember, the special offer does not last long. Be sure to get all your subscriptions in to the Book and Bible House soon.

### Our Academy

The accompanying picture of the Plainview Academy family was taken some time ago. Through the years past our school has trained many who later became workers in the cause of God throughout the world field. Some are missionaries beyond the sea, many are serving in the various conferences in the homeland, some are in other phases of the Lord's work and a large number are leaders in our churches and supporters in the cause of God.

We all believe in Plainview Academy and I know everyone in South Dakota is praying that God will bless our school that it may prosper spiritually and in every other way.

It is always an encouragement to go on the campus and meet the young people. They greet you with a smile and you know that some day these who are now attending classes at P.V.A. will be leaders in God's work.

The present faculty is working hard to make the program a success. Let us pray for our school, for the teachers, and for the students. Remember them every day before the Throne of Grace that God, our heavenly Father, may be the One who is directing the work.

O. T. GARNER, President



Present Plainview Academy faculty and students.



## IOWA

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## Evangelism for Glenwood

During the first week of May, the senior theological students from Union College will sponsor evangelistic meetings in the Glenwood church. These will be conducted by the students themselves, and they will also handle all the extra work in connection with a campaign.

With several actively interested people and a faithful band of loyal church members who have long waited for such evangelistic meetings, we look ahead to some more good fellowship with the ministerial group from Union College. The students will receive counsel and help from their instructor and some field

## Tri-State Regional Convention

Sabbath, May 3, 1958  
First Methodist Church  
Sixth and Washington Streets  
Canton, Missouri

### Speakers:

THEODORE CARCICH, *President*, Central Union Conference

H. C. KLEMENT, *President* Missouri Conference  
Ministers from Missouri, Iowa, and Illinois Conferences

### Special Music by:

The "Philomel Trio"  
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Sunnydale Academy Singers  
Sabbath school begins at 9:30 a.m.

Come and enjoy this spiritual feast.

Everyone bring his own lunch.  
For further information write to:

HENRY HERMAN FRITZ,  
*President*  
Tri-State Regional  
Convention  
200 North 30th Street,  
Quincy, Illinois

## OAK PARK ACADEMY

Annual

## AMATEUR HOUR

Sunday

8 P.M. APRIL 27, 1958

Academy Gymnasium

Admission 50 cents

8th grade

Academy Day visitors—Free

training and experience with the local pastor.

Those who have friends, relatives, or others who should be contacted and invited to this evangelistic series, please give the names, address, and pertinent information to the local pastor, A. H. Gerst, whose address is: 337 Elmwood Drive, Council Bluffs, Iowa.

The prayers of all the OUTLOOK readers are requested for this effort that not only will the students receive valuable experience, but that there will be a good harvest of souls for the eternal world.

Several of the students will be filling Sabbath morning sermon appointments in the Council Bluffs and Glenwood churches.

A. H. GERST  
*District Pastor*

## Mark May 10

It's the date of the BIG FOUR-STATE YOUTH RALLY at the city auditorium in Sioux City, Iowa.

\*Hear D. J. Bieber, president of Union College, at the worship hour.

\*Listen to Theodore Carcich, president of the Central Union Conference, present the thrilling story of his life, as he tells how God led him from Catholicism into the Advent Message.

\*Music from Union College and the Academies. The time, May 10 at 9:45 a.m., Iowa time. City Auditorium, Sioux City, Iowa.

GEORGE P. STONE

## MINNESOTA

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## Biennial Report to the Constituency

*Continued from last week*

At the end of 1957 we had 27 ordained ministers, six licensed ministers, two credentialed missionaries, five licensed missionaries, 25 church school teachers, 4 full-time literature evangelists making a total of 69 workers in the conference plus our Maplewood Academy staff.

Here is a good aim, "Every Minnesota Sabbath school a soul-winning Sabbath school in 1958" with the objective, "Every class winning at least one soul each year." Do make this aim and objective a reality in your church—to do so you will need to increase your Sabbath school attendance. Our Sabbath schools should have at least ten per cent greater membership than our churches. Invite children, youth, and adults to enjoy your Sabbath school. Make every department of the Sabbath school a soul-winning Department.

Your Home Missionary Department is your church at work. During this biennial period over 35,000 persons have been helped by Minnesota S. D. A. welfare and 83,000 missionary contacts have been made with over 9,000 Bible studies. The estimated cash value of the aid to persons helped is over \$254,000.00.

Our 5,766 *Signs of the Times* subscriptions, our enrollments to the Voice of Prophecy Bible courses, and our fervent laymen with their Bibles and audio-visual units are reaching out to the multitudes.

One of the outstanding projects of the Missionary Volunteer Department, during the past biennial

## The Divine Blueprint

SECRET OF PAUL'S SUCCESS—"This careful training of new converts was an important factor in the remarkable success that attended Paul and Barnabas as they preached the gospel in heathen lands. *Acts of the Apostles*, p. 187.



period, has been the development of our own 150-acre campsite near Brainerd, Minnesota. Used for the first time in 1957 when three camps were held there, the total attendance was over 200. Of the 176 children attending our two junior youth camps in 1957, 114 of them made decisions for Christ. Three young people were baptized at our own youth camp in 1957. Five camps are being planned for the summer of 1958.

We have 11 Pathfinder Clubs and held our first Pathfinder Camporee in 1957.

We are most grateful too for our 25 faithful church school teachers, representing 15 church schools with 330 pupils and for our Maplewood Academy faculty and 144 students.

Our Book and Bible House sales have reached nearly \$168,000 this two-year period. Four full-time and twelve part-time literature evangelists have been carrying on this great work. Would to God we had at least 100, even though that number would be small for our nearly 4,000,000 population. We should be delivering at least \$100,000 worth of truth-filled literature yearly. We urge you as delegates to give serious, prayerful study in encouraging many to respond to the call of God to become a literature evangelist.

Fellow delegates, the wave of false revivals, counterfeit religions, Sunday Law issues, and the fast fulfilling signs indicating that the coming of the Lord is near, yes, even at the door, challenge our every energy and resource to make known the message here and to send it quickly to all the world. Let us then be strong and of good courage, moving forward in faith, fully dedicated to our task.

Brethren and sisters of the Minnesota Conference, as we place the seal to the records of 1956 and 1957 we want again to thank God for His protecting care and guidance over all of us.

The greatest day of the remnant church is just before us. God grant that we may have a new realization of the lateness of the hour. "A revival of true godliness among us is the most urgent of all of our needs. To seek this should be our first work." May a great awakening grip ministers and laymen alike, may a zeal unlike anything yet known arouse all of us, and may we

as individuals triumph with His victorious people.

"When we bring our hearts into unity with Christ, and our lives into harmony with His work, the Spirit that fell on the disciples on the day of Pentecost will fall on us." EVANGELISM, p. 697, 698.

The Christian watchwords - "Watch, Pray, Work."

### Southwest District News

The Morgan congregation has purchased the former Methodist church in the town of Morgan. This church was newly decorated and the pews were included in the sale. The price was unbelievable — three thousand dollars. Sabbath services are now being held there. The accompanying picture shows the interior of this newly-purchased church.

Plans are in the making for holding a series of evening meetings at the church beginning in April and through the month of May. Two meetings a week will be held.

The former Seventh-day Adventist church which was located two and a half miles south of Morgan has been turned into a welfare center for the Southwestern Dorcas Federation and has been equipped with shelves and other commodities to take care of the storing of clothing and other material that will be helpful in emergency.

Six individuals were baptized last year in the district and there are quite a few who are in the balances and we are sure they will come over to the Lord's side fully as soon as we can arrange for a place for baptism. We are planning on building a baptistry in the Morgan church.

We are also very happy that the



O'd Morgan church now being used as a Welfare Center for the Southwest District

district went "over the top" in the Ingathering in spite of a temporary disablement of the district leader. The members just went to work and raised the Ingathering goal. It was not so very easy to do this as the southwestern part of Minnesota was declared a disaster area because of the floods here last summer and the weather was very contrary at the time of the harvest. The members had to use every opportunity that was favorable to bring in their crop, so it was quite difficult for some of them to find time to go Ingathering. But the Lord blessed the faithful efforts of the members.

There have been improvements in all of the churches in the district. Heron Lake decorated the church, put a new roof on the building and also had a furnace installed. The church looks very inviting. The Lambertson church also installed a furnace and is laying plans for decorating the church and making it attractive to the public. The Pipestone members purchased a lot next to the church property to prevent any undesirable business locating too close to the church. It may also serve as parking space.

We are thankful to God for the loyal, faithful membership of the Southwestern Minnesota district and wish them the Lord's richest blessings during this year of 1958 as they take hold of the Lord's work to bring it to a finish.

J. A. NORDSTROM

### Austin Dorcas Welfare Work Effective

Austin Dorcas welfare workers were first on the scene to help the



Interior of recently purchased church at Morgan



Johnson family after the burn-out. One of our members had them at their home for a day.

The Johnson family was interviewed by the radio and television men and that night in the news report they announced that Seventh-day Adventist Dorcas workers were first on the scene and told how they had helped.

Mrs. Johnson told us we had done more than anyone else. Another organization had given a few things, but most of them were worn and dirty. (It pays well for Dorcas ladies to make certain that only good, clean materials are given.)

One day a lady came into the Rosenthal Store (Adventist owned) saying: "I had been solicited at Christmas but had no money at the time. Since then I have read so much in the paper about your work that I would like to give one dollar for your local work."

MRS. ARTHUR E. HOUSTON,  
*Austin Press Secretary*

## NORTH DAKOTA

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## Biennial Report to the Constituency

Greetings:

It is good for us to come together every two years to review the progress of the work of God. As we do this for the biennium of 1956 and 1957 we will be conscious again of the fact that God has placed His special blessings on the work in North Dakota. Let us join in heartfelt gratitude to God for His many blessings.

The membership of the North Dakota Conference on January 1, 1956 was 2,576 and on December 31, 1957 it was 2,624, a gain of 48. This membership is one more than at any other time in the history of the conference. During 1956 ninety-four and during 1957 one hundred forty-four joined the church by baptism and profession of faith. A gain of 50 in 1957 over 1956. Eighty-one more letters of transfer were granted than we received.

The amount spent for public evangelism during the two-year period was \$13,716.51. It was especially

heartening to note the liberality demonstrated by our people last camp meeting when the call for evangelistic funds was made and \$4,797.25 was given in response to the call. Two large evangelistic efforts were conducted, one in Fargo and one in Bismarck, by R. M. Whitsett, Northern Union evangelist, besides the meetings held by our district pastors.

During the biennium our people mailed Lesson No. 1 of the Voice of Prophecy Bible Course to 100,462 homes in North Dakota. Over 500 families are now studying the truth systematically and definite interests are already being followed up. We have 12,382 homes yet to cover with the mailing plan.

Our people paid for 4,580 subscriptions to the *Signs of the Times* in 1957, a gain of 2,328 over 1956.

Our present church membership is 2,624 and our present Sabbath school membership is 2,681. Our Sabbath school membership has been larger than the church membership for the past two quarters and that is the way it should be. As we presented the needs of the mission fields each Sabbath through the mission report, the North Dakota Sabbath schools contributed \$75,646.40 during 1954-55, and during 1956-57 they gave \$79,921.58. Note a gain of \$4,275.18 in Sabbath school mission offerings. We are also pleased to report that 14 successful Vacation Bible Schools have been conducted

in various churches the past two years.

The following church buildings have been improved in major ways during the biennium: Manfred, Kulm, Devils Lake, Beach, Bismarck, Jamestown, Max, Bowdon Country, Carrington, New Home, Harvey, and Robinson. Also, at Minot they have purchased a two-acre church site at a cost of \$10,000.00.

During 1956 and 1957, six additional parsonages were purchased or built, making a total of 14 at the close of the biennium under consideration.

Tithe receipts for the biennium totaled \$436,271.12, a gain of \$54,754.59 over the previous period. During the month of December 1956, we received \$45,362.43 in tithes. This amount is \$8,278.14 more than for any other single month in our history.

The General Conference requirement is that a conference have an amount of cash on hand after all bills are paid, of 20 per cent of their annual expenses. In our case, this would amount to \$51,121.81, or a surplus of \$3,452.48 over their requirement. The conference is in a healthy condition financially.

Tithe and missions offerings for the past two years totaled \$590,557.96, with the mission funds accounting for \$154,286.84 of the amount. The previous two years totaled \$530,297.17. Note a gain of



Pictured on the platform left to right are: Willard Beaman, K. D. Johnson, G. D. Bras, B. L. Hassenpflug and George Sherbondy. Standing by the platform is most of the group that joined the church by baptism and profession of faith during the Goodrich meetings. Seated at the organ is Myron Miller.



\$60,260.79. The Ingathering receipts show a total of \$61,994.77 for a fine gain of \$2,000.44 over the previous period.

We must also remember that during the biennium city water was brought to the camp meeting - academy grounds and the camp meeting auditorium was built. A total of \$35,795.04 was raised by our people in the field for the two projects.

We are glad to report that during the last two years our faithful colporteurs delivered \$60,636.60 as compared with \$36,942.00 for the previous two years. Book and Bible House sales during the past two years amounted to \$76,552.59 as compared with \$76,424.93 for the previous two years. More than 3,531,000 pages of reading material was delivered in the state during 1957.

*To be continued next week.*



B. L. Hassenpflug speaking at one of the meetings at Goodrich

the church either by baptism or profession of faith. We praise God for these precious souls.

It was a real pleasure to be associated with Theo. Fischer, George Sherbondy, Willard Beaman, Gerald Bras, and David Pillor in this intensive program. I am happy to see the work moving forward in North Dakota and in the Northern Union. The faithful and aggressive leadership of K. D. Johnson, the North Dakota Conference president, is evident on every hand. Thanks again, Elders Nightingale and Johnson, for the privilege of being in your field. We shall appreciate your prayers as we begin our next campaign on April 20 in the Southern Union.

B. L. HASSENPLUG,  
Southern Union Evangelist

### WE WERE THERE!

*(Continued from page 8)*

"This past week the Lord blessed me abundantly. I canvassed a lady whom I knew to be the wife of a lawyer. When I went in I had planned to canvass with *Bedtime Stories*. She asked me to be seated while she attended to some chore. This gave me an opportunity to pray silently about which set I should show her. When she came back in I was impressed to present the *Bible Stories*. She is a Sabbath school teacher in one of the reformed churches and when she talked about Sabbath school, that was right in my line. I told her every one ought to attend Sabbath school and how the Lord had blessed her as a teacher and He would continue to bless her as she studied, also that the *Bible Stories* were just what she

needed. She said that she would get as much good from the stories as the children. I tell this because my Lord helped me make a \$71 sale when I had planned for only a \$30 sale. There are many experiences such as this each week."

RICHARD DUNKIN,  
Iowa Conference

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### SUNSET CALENDAR

#### April 25

Des Moines, Iowa	7:06
St. Paul, Minnesota	7:10
Bismarck, North Dakota	7:45
Huron, South Dakota	7:29
Rapid City, South Dakota	6:43

#### May 2

Des Moines, Iowa	7:13
St. Paul, Minnesota	7:18
Bismarck, North Dakota	7:54
Huron, South Dakota	7:37
Rapid City, South Dakota	6:56

## Evangelistic Meetings at Lehr and Goodrich

We must pause to praise our heavenly Father for His many mercies bestowed upon us while we worked in the North Dakota Conference of the Northern Union. From March 1 to April 5 we were engaged in two intensive evangelistic campaigns, holding meetings every night. The meetings at Lehr and Goodrich were very well attended. Our people were most faithful, some driving 75 miles each way night after night. God rewarded the prayers and faithfulness of our ministers and laymen in giving a good harvest.

Sixty-nine persons came forward expressing a definite desire to follow Christ. Of these, 42 persons joined

### PLAN NOW TO ATTEND Tri-State Youth Rally

April 26, 1958

Wahpeton, N.D. High School  
(212 - 3rd Avenue North)  
Sabbath School 9:30 a.m.  
Church Service 11:00 a.m.

K. D. JOHNSON, *Speaker*  
Maplewood Academy Program  
2:00 p.m.

Sheyenne River Academy  
Program 3:30 p.m.  
Band Concert - Saturday Night  
8:00 p.m. Sheyenne River  
Academy Band





# HARVEST NEWS

of the Northern Union Conference Publishing Department

C. A. EDWARDS, SECRETARY



"... for they are white already to harvest."—Jesus Christ.

## WE WERE THERE!

"When Elder Anderson was with me we took an order from the superintendent of a Methodist Sunday School for *Bible Story*, *Golden Treasury*, and *Triumphs of God's Love*. (This amounted to a \$91 cash order.) She recommended *Bedtime Stories* and *Children's Hour* very highly, saying that the lessons were so good in them, and that children who read them are better children.

"It was nice, too, to place a *Triumphs of God's Love* with a Catholic lady who had a huge picture of the Pope in her home, and to know that Brother Anderson took an order for *Bible Story* from the depot agent in —, who is a Catholic. God is very good to us and we appreciate it so much. It is a joy to work for Him who did so much for us. We can feel His presence with us as we go out in His service. Surely there is not much time in which to work."

BEATRICE KOMOLL  
South Dakota Conference

"After I had given the canvass on the *Bible Story*, the lady went to her purse to see how much money she had for a down payment. She started to get it out, then turned around and came back across the room saying, 'I just couldn't spend that much money without seeing my husband.'

"We talked awhile longer and she said, 'The trouble with some men is that they don't understand the value of something like this.' At this she walked across the room and got out the down payment."

A MINNESOTA LITERATURE  
EVANGELIST

"I called at a home where the folks didn't have any money. I offered prayer in the home and when I was ready to leave they asked what church I belonged to. I told them about the Seventh-day Adventist Church and the lady was very interested because she had had Bible studies from a doctor in North Dakota, but had moved away before she could take her stand. It is my hope

that they will come to the series of meetings this January and be baptized. They don't go to any church whatsoever and there are five members in this family who are very interested in our truth."

JACK ROBINETTE,  
Minnesota Conference

"Recently while making a delivery to one of my customers, the mother said her little girl, who is unable to read the *Bible Story* books, had two older Catholic neighbor girls meet with her in their garage. The older girls have read the first two of the *Bible Story* books and were thrilled with them. I have visited one Catholic mother several times. She would not have her children read any books other than their own, and they had none. Their only book, a large Catholic Bible, was under lock and key as she said it was too expensive to let the children use. Another lady asked me for our beginners' books which we teach our children from in our church. She began Bible studies and feels that our way is right."

DOROTHY KNOWLING,  
Iowa Conference

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For Month Ending March 29, 1958

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#### MINNESOTA

A. R. Klein, Secretary

	Bk.	Hr.	Ord.	Del.
Lee, K. L.	RH	147	\$1387.65	\$736.95
Jones, R. J.	RH	162	607.50	593.00
Robinette, J.	RH	138	482.44	417.92
Cornforth, W.	RH	41	218.00	267.60
Lehman, George	RH	59	257.71	244.96
Auxiliary Workers				
Potwall, Mrs.	RH	2	104.75	104.75
A Literature Evangelist				
	RH	88	95.25	95.25
Aiken, W.	RH	28	103.84	91.09
Weisner, R. J.	RH	30	118.50	83.50
Worthley, Mrs. T.	RH	5	80.20	80.20
	RH	34	123.39	57.33
March, Mrs. V.	RH	37	126.29	48.24
Lehman, Gilbert	RH	15	53.75	47.75
Walker, Mrs. I. Mag.	9	23.10	23.10	

Reed, Mrs. E.	R	13	21.00	21.00
Peterson, Don	RH	5	15.25	15.25
Munson, Mrs. M.				
	Mag.	5	1.40	14.90
Barnhart, A.	RH	11	5.00	5.00
Total			829	\$3825.02 \$2947.79

#### NORTH DAKOTA

A. F. Layman, Secretary

Fischer, L. L.	RH	128	568.23	568.23
Johnson, Mrs. I. O.				
	RH	120	557.76	557.76
Miller, G. N.	RH	148	796.95	796.95
Pt. Tm. Workers	RH	8	126.20	126.20
Perekrestenko, Mrs. G.				
	RH	20	88.00	88.00
Layman, LeRoy	RH	2	2.50	2.50
Layman, Paul	RH	6	5.50	5.50
Perekrestenko, LeRoy				
	RH	1	3.50	3.50
Total			433	\$2148.64 \$2148.64

#### IOWA

G. S. Culppeper, Secretary

Ballew, Christine	RH	30	153.47	183.47
Brady, Clarence	RH	129	207.33	207.33
Brown, Julia	RH	21	50.15	50.15
Goldsberry, Mary	RH	29	56.60	56.60
Hammond, Lee H.				
	RH	11	9.70	9.70
Hyzer, Dave	RH	125	451.20	451.20
Schleif, Arthur	RH	134	483.50	483.50
Bahr, Elsie	Mag.		85.00	85.00
Bolejack, Douglas				
	Mag.		5.25	5.25
Lewis, Alice	Mag.	15	12.05	12.05
Myers, Adella	Mag.		5.95	5.95
Price, Karen	Mag.		5.25	5.25
Total			494	\$1555.45 \$1555.45

#### SOUTH DAKOTA

H. F. Anderson, Secretary

Adams, Gwen	RH			20.25
Anderson, Wayne	RH	2	23.75	36.50
Auxiliary Workers				
	RH	9	30.00	30.00
Hensel, Donald	RH			47.25
Hoffman, Raymond				
	RH	7	70.50	39.25
Kamben, Harry	RH	22	62.50	50.75
Komoll, Miss B.	RH	165	626.95	295.20
Lieske, Herman	RH			32.25
Magazine Workers				
	Mag.	31	63.00	63.00
Stewart, Mrs. Grace				
	RH			25.00
Whitsett, Bob	RH			70.25
Total			236	\$876.70 \$705.70

Total for Union 1992 \$8405.81 \$7357.58



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### Sermon Subjects

April 27—Tips or Tithe

May 4—Christians Anonymous