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

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Northern Union Temperance Oratorical Contest

The Northern Union Temperance Oratorical Contest was held at Plainview Academy, Redfield, South Dakota, February 20. Since all of the orations presented this year by the young people from the four academies of the Northern Union were of an unusually high quality the judges had difficulty in selecting a winner. After their deliberation, they chose Walter Shultz as the one to bring back honors to his academy as the winner. The other three contestants were all judged to be second.

At the close of the evening program each of the participants received twenty silver dollars as an award for their interest in temperance and for participating in the Oratorical Contest.

The four contestants were:

Walter Shultz - Maplewood Academy Warren Thomas - Oak Park Academy Curtis Poore - Plainview Academy Alice Underwood -

Sheyenne River Academy

Previous to the union contest local contests were held in each of the academies to select the one to represent each school.



B. E. Olson congratulating the winner of the Northern Union Conference Temperance Oratorical Contest, Walter Schultz, Maplewood Academy. The other contestants from left to right, are Warren Thomas, Oak Park Academy, Alice Underwood, Sheyenne River Academy, and Curtis Poore, Plainview Academy.

Walter Shultz was presented a plaque with his name and the name of his school. He in turn has presented this to Maplewood Academy to be held at the school until next year's contest. Oak Park Academy has held this plaque for the past year. We trust that parents and adults will be as interested in this phase of the third angel's message as are young people in our academies.

> BOYD E. OLSON, Northern Union Conference Temperance Secretary

Youth Congress Is Coming!

A thrill that is difficult to surpass is the thrill of witnessing the unfolding of an event that catches fire and envelopes the whole world. Such was the thrill experienced by thousands of youth who attended the first North American Youth Congress in 1947. It was there in San Francisco that Share Your Faith was born and subsequently spread to the entire world. What a tremendous impetus those three short words proved to be in harnessing the youth of the church for the task of carrying "the Advent message to all the world in this generation." It was a congress never to be forgotten!

Six years later, in 1953, youth of

North, South, and Inter America thrilled anew over the practical and dynamic applications of Share Your Faith, introduced at the great Pan-American Youth Congress. This congress marked a new era for youth as they accepted the challenge to go out into the highways and byways, towns and villages in a mighty crusade of Outpost Evangelism.

Now we look to June 21 - 25 and Atlantic City, for another and even greater thrill. What will this great Festival of the Holy Scriptures bring to the youth of this continent and the world? You won't want to miss witnessing this vital page of what may well be the last stage in the drama of a world awaiting the return of Christ.

Youth everywhere are looking forward to the joys of Christian fellowship, soul-stirring messages, inspiring music, group discussions, sightseeing and tours of historic spots significant to Seventh-day Adventists.

A cordial welcome awaits you who travel through the Lake Union on your way to Atlantic City. A tour of the historic spots within the Lake Union will be of real inspiration and value to you. Battle Creek, Michigan, especially would be a good point to put down on your itinerary. It was in Battle Creek that the General Conference was organized in 1863. Battle Creek remained the headquarters of the church until 1903. It was here that the church had its first official Seventh-day Adventist school (1872), first college (1874), first sanitarium (1866), and first Seventh-day Adventist church built and owned by Adventists (1855).

Places of interest that can be seen today include: the resting places of Ellen G. White, James White, M. E. Cornell, early evangelist; David Hewitt, "the most honest man in town;" John Byington, first General Conference president; Uriah Smith, author of *Thoughts on Daniel and the Revelation;* and others.

Buildings and sites of interest include: the Battle Creek Sanitarium, First and Second Seventh-day Adventist churches, Battle Creek College site, Uriah Smith home, home of Deacon White (father of James White); home of Elder and Mrs. James White, and others.

A pictorial brochure and map outlining a tour of the historic sites in Battle Creek is available by writing to: Battle Creek Tabernacle, 19 North Washington Street, Battle Creek, Michigan, FRED M. BEAVON

Lake Union MV Secretary

A \$2,000,000 Enterprise

It was a dramatic moment in the Periodical Department of the Pacific Press when the records closed for the year 1959. At long last the distribution of thirty-nine items includ-



NORTHERN UNION OUTLOOK

ed in the category of our smaller literature winging their flight across

the world registered retail sales

reaching just beyond the two million

signed to visualize this enviable achievement on the occasion of our

Publishing convention in Mountain

View. Picturing a few of the major

items included in the program in

rocket formation across the sky, it

was designed by our art department

to present the story with the moon

as an objective. In the top center of

the picture the Signs rocket spear-

heads the attainment of this happy

12,500,000 copies of magazines and

periodicals moved across the thres-

hold of the Pacific Press to dispel the

darkness of a distraught world. This

represented almost 57,000,000 pages.

which, suspended in space less than

four feet apart would have negotiat-

ed a happy landing on the moon.

While the scientific world is exer-

cising its genius in breaking through

the barriers of space, there is glow-

ing satisfaction in discovering that

our literature distribution is gather-

ing volume and momentum in sim-

Advancing into the unfolding scene of 1960, we naturally anticipate continuing evidence of the guiding hand of a loving Providence. Surely heaven has smiled approvingly on the work of our hands, and we know that we are following the

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leadership of one who has decreed ultimate and certain victory. Multiplied evidence of rapidly fulfilling prophecy prompts a growing conviction among our people that the sixties will be "a decade of destiny."

Thus there is presented to us a tremendous challenge to larger endeavor in making our literature available to the multitudes preparatory to the time of harvest that is hastening on apace. In this connection we are reminded of the heartwarming appeal presented by the Saviour in the long ago: "Lift up your eyes, and look on the fields; for they are white already to harvest." John 4:35. This is the inspiring motif around which our 1960 Signs crusade revolves, as we set our sights on the attainment of a minimum 300,000 objective.

> H. K. CHRISTMAN, Circulation Manager

March Special

Your Book and Bible Houses have joined together in a union-wide plan to bring you some of the very finest in reading material at an outstanding bargain price. Every corner has been trimmed to offer you two books normally selling for \$6.00 at this special price of only \$3.95 during March.

Knowing that the books we read determine to a large degree our success in life, we have carefully selected for the adult level *Valiant in Fight* by Taylor G. Bunch. The biographical sketches of the men and women of the Bible about whom Elder Bunch writes give us the benefit of their



knowledge and experiences. When we read the life story of another individual, it gives us an opportunity to build upon his good ideas or to avoid the mistakes he made. Hence, "we are what we are plus the books we read." You and I can benefit from a study of the lives of such individuals as John, Saul, Mary, whose influence has been felt through the ages.

For the younger person in your family, there is a brand new publication entitled, *Whose Tail Is It*, by Ruth Jaeger Buntain. Well illustrated, in quiz form, it tells interesting facts about the animals it describes. The young reader soon learns more about the creatures which God has made.

Your Book and Bible House will mail you these two volumes in a special combination offer during the month of March for ouly \$3.95. Each regularly sells for \$3.00. Place your order with your church missionary secretary or write directly to your Book and Bible House.



SOUTH DAKOTA Conference of Seventh-day Adventists 302 North Broadway, Watertown, S. Dak. O. T. Garner, President M. L. Hale, Secretary Make wills and legacies to South Dakota Conference Association of Seventh-day Adventists

News Notes

Correction - The Spearfish-Sabbath school last year raised \$596.12 for Investment. We are very sorry for the error in the figure that was given in the OUTLOOK recently.

H. F. Anderson is conducting evangelistic services on Sunday afternoon at Huron and Sunday evening at Watertown. The attendance has been good. One Sunday afternoon the Huron Church was full of interested listeners. We are happy for this interest and I know you are praying for conversions to the truth.

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Signs

I am sure that you have seen the little sign that reads,



If there ever was a time to plan ahead it is now! Very soon the *Signs* campaign will be launched and the success of the soul-winning program depends upon how well we plan ahead for it. How can we plan now?

First of all we need to know to whom we are going to send the *Signs*. That means a list of names will be in order. Names can be found

FROM 1. Last year's Signs' list

- 2. Ingathering contacts made this last year
- 3. Relatives and friends
- 4. Business associates and friends
- 5. Those helped by the Dorcas Work
- 6. Ministers of other faiths

7. Your pastor's prospect list These are just a few suggestions for finding names for this year's *Signs* list.

Now that we have the names, the next thing is to plan to lay aside funds to sponsor at least two *Signs* for each baptized member in the family. If we start now to set aside the needed amount to meet our individual goals, then when the campaign is launched in your church we will not be caught off guard, but will be able to do our part right away.

The goal is two Signs for every church member in the conference. When we realize the work this missionary paper is doing, in sowing the seed of truth, surely we will do our utmost to reach and even exceed this goal. Remember, "More Signs mean more souls." J. W. FISK

Home Missionary Secretary



The personnel of the Mobridge Evangelistic Crusade, from left to right, front row: Albert Eisenman, Dalbert Snow, R. A. Kurth, R. M. Whitsett, M. A. Singhurst and Edwin Rivinius, second row: Opal Snow, Lititia Eisenman, Diona Nick, Mrs. Robert Whitsett, Ruth Rivinius, Mrs. Milton Hagele, Mrs. Elmer Hagele, and Anna Eisenman, third row: Gayle Holweger, Henry Aman, Eddy Nick, Julius Vogele, Otto Kluckman, Fred Holweger, Milton Hagele, and Walter Reiner.

Evangelism at Mobridge

The Mobridge Evangelistic Crusade, originally scheduled for four weeks, then extended to six, has now been continued indefinitely because of the excellent interest that has been created as a result of these meetings.

More than eight hundred people have been registered by the receptionists, of which some five hundred and fifty are people not of our faith. Of this group about two hundred have been in attendance more than three times, and some of them eight and ten times. This involves a tremendous amount of visitation and follow-up work filling up every available moment of day and night.

An excellent group of ministerial and lay workers make up the evangelistic staff. The accompanying photograph shows the entire personnel and all of them have rendered faithful service. Dalbert L. Snow of Des Moines, is endearing himself to all who attend by his tenor solos which precede and follow the evening message. He also directs the music and frequently thrills the crowd by playing his trumpet with the congregational singing.

Robert Kurth and Max Singhurst, South Dakota district leaders, are associated with the union evangelist in the Mobridge campaign. But the faithful and dedicated members of the Mobridge, Bowdle, Tolstoy, and McLaughlin churches deserve the real credit for the success of the evangelistic program. Albert Eisenman and Edwin Rivinius bear the title of co-managers of the crusade, and carry heavy responsibilities. They arrange the booking for the auditorium, supervise setting up the equipment, direct the activities of the ushers, and unite their voices in singing as a duet team and part of mixed quartet groups. Milton Hagele, Julius Vogele, Art Holweger, and Walter Reiner assist with the ushering. Mrs. Ruth Rivinius, Twila Hartman, Dione Nick, and Liticia Eisenman serve most efficiently as receptionists at the door. Gayle Holweger monitors the public address equipment. Eddie Nick and Mrs. Sigrid Whitsett officiate in the high booth as motion picture and still projection operators respectively. In that way Mrs. Whitsett can control the speed of delivery, and to a large extent, even the content of the evening sermon!

The evangelistic team enjoys almost 100 per cent cooperation of all the churches in the area. It is doubtful that any group of laymen anywhere in the Northern Union have ever served more diligently and faithfully than the dear believers who witness for the gospel in this section of South Dakota. What a pleasure it is to minister among them.

Although it has been difficult to secure the Mobridge City Auditorium more than one or two nights a week during March, we are continuing the meeting as facilities are available. The greatest need of the moment is for personal visitation in the homes of interested people seeking decisions for Christ, Christ's teachings, and His remnant church. We solicit the prayers of our people throughout the entire Northern Union territory for the power of the Holy Spirit in ripening and gathering the harvest. R. M. WHITSETT

Plainview Academy News

The 28-piece Plainview Academy band will give its first concert away from school at Bowdle on March 12 at 8:00 p. m. The public is invited. This is the first time for several years that the band has been able to go on tour. The Temperance Society has prepared a play, "The Prisoner at the Bar," that will be given in the Tolstoy church that same afternoon.

O. J. Ritz of Minneapolis will conduct the spring Week of Prayer at the academy, March 13 to 19. During this week the speaker will emphasize the need for Christian living in the world today. The meetings every evening at 7:30 will be for the church as well as the school family. On Sabbath morning, March 19, there will be a general consecration service. In the afternoon the topic of "Love, Courtship and Marriage" will be presented. An evening program featuring pictures of French Canada will bring to an end this week of devotional emphasis. Parents and others living at a distance are invited for any of these meetings and we are hopeful a number will be able to come in for the Sabbath services. Elder Ritz is a man of wide experience and well-acquainted with the problems of today's youth. We are most fortunate to be able to have him with us.

K. M. NELSON

Sioux Falls

The following letter was just received at our conference office and we appreciate it.

"I am sending the picture of part of our primary group. . . . There were 22, including four teachers, that helped to raise our \$100 goal. Every one in our division took part. We sold greeting cards, collected Loma Linda labels, and had a dime march, which is where we got our



The Primary group of the Sioux Falls church

original investment for cards. We tried the real Investment plan and it really worked. Our total at the end of the year was \$101 and there is still some money coming in from last year.

"Two weeks ago we went out with our singing band to the old folks homes here in Sioux Falls, and while at one we asked about conducting a worship service on Sunday. Last Sunday H. H. White and helpers conducted the first service.

"Our society is beginning to come back to life. There were 26 at the first meeting and on February 13 the attendance was 43.... To close the program a panel discussed questions from the audience. There was so much interest that the program lasted 2 hours. We were very pleased.

"Our society has purchased bed sheets and we are using them for stage curtains and this has greatly added to the interest of our programs. Instead of just reading the parts, we set a scene to go with them or make them into conversation." MRS. BERNARD OSBORN

SUNSET CALENDAR March 18

March 10	
Des Moines, Iowa	6:24
St. Paul, Minnesota	6:22
Bismarck, North Dakota	6:52
Huron, South Dakota	
Rapid City, South Dakota	
March 25	
Des Moines, Iowa	6:31
St. Paul, Minnesota	6:30
Bismarck, North Dakota	7:02
Huron, South Dakota	6:51
Rapid City, South Dakota	6:10

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New Books

GLIMPSES OF GOD Price \$2.50 By Arthur L. Bietz, Ph.D.

This is a trenchant treatise on the ten commandments. It begins with the provocative sentence, "The story of history is also the story of an endless battle between gods." The author presents a new angle on the purpose of the decalogue by showing how it combats the worship of false gods. He specifically warns against the gods of false freedom, of facts, of sensual passion, of materialism and gadgets, of formal education, of power, speed, and force. With convincing argument the second commandment is shown to call attention to the spiritual nature of God. In fact, the underlying spirituality of the whole moral law is made to shine with new luster.

TREASURED THEMES FROM FAMILIAR HYMNS Price \$1.75 By H. M. Tippett

This volume is unique in taking the text for each homily from phrases in our common hymns that we have often sung from childhood. Phrases like, "He's the Lily of the Valley," "Saved To Make His Goodness Known," "Lo' He Comes With Clouds Descending," with an appropriate Bible Text to suit each theme, are the basis for these meditations. An excellent little devotional book for two-or-three-minute worship theme to begin their sessions. Thousands of people clipped these from the *Review* and Herald in times past. Here they are now in compact and permanent form.

SABBATH SONGS FOR TINY TOTS,

No. 3 Price \$1.00

This new collection of Sabbath songs for little folk is now ready. It is similar to the first two volumes in this series though not quite as large.

Include 15 cents postage for the first book, plus 5 cents for each additional book.

Order from the Iowa Book AND BIBLE HOUSE, Box 1475, Des Moines, Iowa.

Safety First

Safety first is the watchword at JMV camp, and, as a result, there are very few accidents or illnesses at our camps. The safety and comfort of a hundred boys and girls is the result of careful planning by the administration. Mature safety conscious counsellors are on hand at all times supervising all activities. Mrs. Stone, who is a registered nurse, is on hand to oversee the health and safety of the campers. There is also a doctor near by, and, should it be necessary to take one of the campers to him, the fee is defrayed by insurance.

Morning inspection is conducted by Mrs. Stone, for without a reminder what ten-year-old boy is going to remember to wash his neck. One of her pet peeves is fingernail biting, and, thanks to her encouragement, more than one young camper has been able to proudly display neat well-groomed fingernails at the next camp.

There is a staff of capable cooks to prepare healthful meals. An efficient, well-supervised dish washing program and a rest period are other health measures aimed at preventing and apprehending illness before it starts. At JMV camp we have proved that indeed an ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure.

A CAMPER JMV Camp Dates: Girls—Ages 9-14 July 10-17 Boys—Ages 9-14 July 17-24 Wilderness Trip following GEORGE P. STONE MV Secretary

MINNESOTA

Conference of Seventh-day Adventists 1854 Roblyn Avenue, St. Paul 4, Minn. C. H. Lauda, President T. I. Rush, Secretary Make wills and legacies to Minnesota Conference Association of Seventh-day Adventists

Introducing H. W. Eastep

We are pleased to introduce to the members of our Minnesota Conference H. W. Eastep and his family. Mr. Eastep has been elected secretary of our publishing department, filling the vacancy caused by A. R. Klein accepting a call to district pastorship at Fort Dodge, Iowa.

Mr. Eastep has been a literature evangelist since accepting the message in 1951. In three and a half years of colporteur service he delivered \$75,000 worth of truth-filled books, selling \$3,190 worth in one week. Surely the Lord has blessed his literature ministry. He served as assistant publishing secretary four years in the Kentucky-Tennessee and the Georgia-Cumberland Conferences.

This field of Minnesota is not new to Mr. Eastep for he took a briefer course in 1942 at the university in "stationary engineering." With his faithful and fruitful literature ministry not only in the field, but also in his leadership as assistant publishing secretary, we feel he will be a strong, courageous leader here in Minnesota. We are sure our literature evangelists, as well as our ministers and members, will give to H. W. Eastep, his wife, Marie, his three boys, Jerry, Wayne, and Ricky, and his two girls, Patty and Vicky, a friendly welcome to Minnesota.

We are sure too that all of you join us in wishing God's blessings on A. R. Klein and his family as they enter their new field of service in Iowa. We have appreciated their fruitful ministry here in our conference in the educational and literature evangelist fields, and in church pastorship. C. H. LAUDA

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A Personal Experience

"The pastors and church leaders are burdened today with the pressing demands from their congregations and denominational activities, and, therefore, the Congressmen and Senators, in their perplexities need to learn to find God's will in prayer.

"As we come from one secret briefing to another, our hearts are burdened and distressed. These ex-



H. W. Eastep, with Mrs. Eastep and their children. Mr. Eastep is the new publishing department secretary of the Minnesota Conference.



periences have driven some of us to search for God's will upon our knees. A group in Congress is now meeting once a week to read the Scriptures and seek for the will of God in prayer. We have been greatly strengthened through these experiences." Thus testified a high public official at the President's Prayer Breaktast in the Ball Room of the Mayflower Hotel, Thursday morning, February 18.

I do wish it would have been possible for all of our people to sit where I sat and hear the earnest desire of these high national officials to find and understand the will of God. The experience brought a burning desire for God to give us, as a people with the light and knowledge of the will of God, greater wisdom in reaching our national leaders and the masses of the nation with the truth.

The messenger of God, in speaking of the rulers in the last days, said, "I saw that God has His agents, even among the rulers. And some of them will yet be converted to the truth. They are now acting the part that God would have them."

Then again of the assurance that God will open ways so we may rub shoulders with the great men of the nation to bring the truth to their attention, she said, in the *Review* and Herald of January 1, 1889, "God will open ways that the message of light may come to great men, to authors, and lawmakers. They will have opportunities of which you do not dream, and some of them will boldly advocate the claims of God s down-trodden law."

The President's Prayer Breakfast was sponsored by the members of the House and Senate who are members of a laymen's movement known as International Christian Leadership, of which Senator Frank Carlson of Kansas is president. The

NORTHERN UNION OUTLOOK



C. H. Lauda President Minnesota Conference Music Committee chairman



T. I. Rush, Secretary-Treasurer Minnesota Conference

"What wonderful fellowship and inspiration awaits us in the Minchin meetings. Plan now to attend every service with us."



E. L. Minchin, Associate Secretary General Conference MV Department YOUTH CRUSADE SPEAKER



Boyd Olson Northern Union MV Secretary Program Chairman



Wayne Griffith Minnesota Conference MV Secretary Youth Crusade Director

"Young people from London, Mexico City, Washington D.C., Los Angeles, and many cities of Europe have become friends of our speaker of this week. This is our opportunity to let a real leader of youth bring us a richer, happier life." B. E. OLSON

"Come to the first three meetings, and you will earnestly seek the blessings of all the remainder of the week. Pray earnestly for others, and for the success of this crusade."

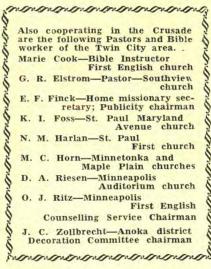
WAYNE GRIFFITH

Plan Now to Attend and Bring a Friend to the

TWIN CITY YOUTH CRUSADE

"Christ is the Answer"

March 25 – April 2 7:30 P.M. Nightly



MINNEAPOLIS JUNIOR ACADEMY AUDITORIUM

2201 Colfax Avenue South Minneapolis

PLEASE NOTICE THE CHANGE IN PLACE OF MEETING Three Special Meetings— Sabbath, March 26—3 p.m. Sabbath, March 26—7:30 p.m. Sabbath, April 2—7:30 p.m. Simpson Methodist Church 2740—First Avenue South Minneapolis

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Scripture readings were led by associate Justice Charles E. Whittaker and the Honorable Fred Seaton. The prayer was offered by Judge Boyd Leedom. The Scripture was well read, and the prayer came directly from the heart of the judge. It was a thrilling experience to see these great men in government so humble and so earnestly pleading with God for light and understanding in these dark days.

President Eisenhower was moved by the earnestness of the hour and by the spiritual influence of these government leaders.

There never was an hour in history when a message of a church was more pointed than ours today. Let us continue to pray for the Hand of Providence to guide us individually at our post so we may act the part that He has planned for us.

> A. A. LEISKE *****

Barron Brothers Open Campaign in Rochester

Approximately 225 people were in attendance at the opening meeting of the Barron Brothers evangelistic meetings in Rochester.

The meetings are being held at the Empress Theater.

Dick Barron preached a powerful sermon and both Dick and Henry participated in the ministry of music.

Continue to pray for those attending the meetings.

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# **"Preserving Human Values** in an Age of Tension"

'More startling than a newspaper headline is the fact that more than one half of the nation's hospital beds are today occupied by patients with mental disturbances. This is an alltime high and an amazing fact in a land with few physical wants." This was the comment of O. J. Ritz in connection with his series of Wednesday evening lectures entitled, "Preserving Human Values in an Age of Tension.'

This series began February 10 and will continue through March 23 every Wednesday evening at the First English church in Minneapolis at 7:45 p.m. in the Youth Chapel. The attendance has been excellent for this mid-week series, with a capacity crowd almost every week. The lectures follow a short testimony and prayer meeting.

The topics covered thus far by Elder Ritz are: "Areas of Conflict and Tension in Today's Living," "Your Overloaded Mind May Cost You Your Life," "Quarreling, an Emotional Imbalance, It's Dangers,' "Emotionally Induced Illness." The topics yet to be covered in the remainder of the series are: "The Amazing World of Adolescence," on which Elder Ritz has been requested to write a short article for the Review and Herald this spring, and the last lecture which will be entitled. "Balanced Thinking in an Age of Transition and Instability."

This series has proved a real blessing and help to the church in living the true Christian life in our world of tensions.

MARY GROVES, Press Secretary First English Church, Minneapolis

### **NORTH DAKOTA**

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# Last Call to the **Conference Session**

March 22 will be a big day in North Dakota for that is Conference Session Day.

Official delegates from the church es along with other members who may wish to attend are invited to be at the Jamestown Memorial Hall promptly at 9:45 a.m. for the opening meeting of the session.

I am pleased to announce that W. P. Bradley, associate secretary of the General Conference, will speak at 9:45 a.m.

Try to attend. Bring a noon lunch.

Shevenne River Academy Presents its ANNUAL AMATEUR HOUR March 26, 1960-8:00 p.m. An applause meter will be used to help determine winners. Admission - 50 cents adults 25 cents students and children Pray that our heavenly Father will make the session a blessing to North Dakota and to the world field.

K. D. JOHNSON, President 180999999999999999

# Wahpeton Rehabilitation Center

January 1 was the first anniversary of the opening of the new Wahpeton Rehabilitation Center. This fi ty-bed, \$250,000 brick building was designed and is managed by Seventh-day Adventists-Mr. and Mrs. Donald G. Nash. A long waiting list of people presently desirous of entering the Center speaks well of the success of their program during the past year.

The Rehabilitation Center is not just an ordinary nursing home. There is only one other such institution in North Dakota. People are admitted here who seem to give promise of at least a limited recovery, such as polio victims, those who have suffered strokes, heart attacks, etc. The age span is quite revealing also in that people are here from the ages of 16 through 99. The motto that the Nash's have adopted is: "We encourage the patient to do as much as he can, as well as he can, as fast as he can." With this in mind the patients are treated as guests, but never pampered to the extent that some one else does for them what they could and should do for themselves.

Mr. Nash is a medical technician and does all of the laboratory and X-ray work right in the Center's lab as well as carrying on his first duty of being the administrator of the Center. Mrs. Nash is a registered nurse, and therefore heads up the nursing staff for the Center. There are 35 on the staff.



Dining room of the Wahpeton Rehabili-tation Center



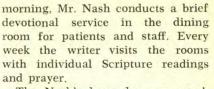
Patients working at Coppercraft at the Wahpeton Rehabilitation Center

Also included on the staff is a registered physical therapist who leads out in a very important section of the program here as the name "rehabilitate" really suggests. To aid the personnel in this department, there is a whirlpool bath, diathermy machine, paraffin bath for arthritics, walking steps, a gymnasium with mats, parallel bars, arm and shoulder wheel restorators. The patients have their therapy in the mornings.

Twice a week in the afternoons there are activities planned that include ceramics, leathercraft, coppercraft, woodcraft, and basketry. Once a week one of the more able patients leads out in a program of table games. On each of the two patients' wings there are 32 by 16 foot recreation rooms with long tables on which the crafts are done.

The patients' rooms are of various types, such as single and double rooms, as well as wards for men and women. Each room has a tiled bathroom and a call service system with a loud speaker by each bed. The building proper is in the shape of a "T," with two wings as patients wings and one for the service wing. The service wing includes the heating plant, the stand-by electrical plant, laundry and kitchen facilities. Next to the kitchen is the dining room which measures 52 feet by 25 feet. About 80 per cent of the patients come to the dining room for their meals. The dining room is also used as a program room and a visitor's lounge.

On Sabbath afternoon our local church's Sunshine Band provides a religious program including music and the spoken Word. Because thera are people in the Center with a variety in their religious background, every Sunday one of the local churches also leads out in giving the patients a religious program. Immediately following breakfast every



The Nash's have done an excellent work in fostering a Christian atmosphere of love and kindness which is so essential to recovery and general happiness of the patients. The Rehabilitation Center is thus truly home for every patient, and it is also a place where they may learn the way to the heavenly home.

> JAMES M. MERSHON, Pastor, Wahpeton District

## Second Quarter Sabbath School Lessons

This quarter is nearly over and the lessons have surely been a joy and blessing to study. Now it is time to get our Sabbath school supplies for the next quarter.

The topic of study for the senior Sabbath school lessons for the second quarter is "From the Times of Ezra and Nehemiah." To really gain a blessing from the study of these lessons, each of us will want to be sure to follow the study helps as listed in the quarterly and found in the wonderful book, Prophets and Kings, by Mrs. E. G. White, As you know, this is one of the volumes in the Conflict of the Ages series. If you don't already have this book, you will want to order it at once so you will have it by the start of the new quarter. The price is \$5.00, plus tax, and 15 cents for mailing and insurance.

> NORTH DAKOTA BOOK AND BIBLE HOUSE BOX 1491, Jamestown, North Dakota G. E. VOLSCH, Manager

### **A Fine Testimonial**

One of our IT IS WRITTEN enthusiasts wrote the following letter to WDAY-TV in Fargo:

"I want to thank you from the bottom of my heart for the wonderful church programs you have on Sunday. I just finished watching IT IS WRITTEN and I guess we all had tears—it is so inspiring, so simple, yet so beautiful—and it just seems to be the answer to one's heart longing in these days when there is so



The Wahpeton Rehabilitation Center

### **Lisbon Vacation Bible School**



The above picture shows the group of children who attended the Vacation Bible School at Lisbon last summer. We appreciate so much the efforts which are being put forth by our churches in behalf of child evangelism. We trust that more churches will begin to plan now for a Vacation Bible School this summer. SABBATH SCHOOL DEPARTMENT

much unrest in the world. It is such a soul building. Thanks again and may God bless you."

The sales manager of WDAY-TV was so pleased with the letter that he sent it on to us along with the following note:

"Enclosed is a letter from one of our listeners, which, I think is one of the finest testimonials we have ever received for any television program. I know you will be happy to receive this kind of an endorsement and I want you and your organization to know that WDAY-TV is proud to carry IT IS WRITTEN."

The loyal support of our members means so much as we carry forward this program which is so greatly appreciated. I am convinced that we could do much good by getting our members to write to the radio and television stations which carry our programs.

S. E. WHITE, Treasurer



for time and channel

# Attention! Junior Youth!

It is not too early to make your plans to attend the Northern Lights summer camp. This year we are dividing the groups that attend differently than in previous years. Instead of boys and girls, it will be juniors and teen-agers.

The dates are July 17 - 24 - Teen Camp - Boys and Girls - Ages 12 - 16 July 24 - 31 - Junior Camp - Boys and Girls - Ages 9 - 12

We are in the process of planning the summer camping program and we believe that it will be one which every boy and girl will enjoy. Start now to plan and work, and I am sure that each one who has a desire may attend.

> G. D. BRAS, Education and MV Secretary

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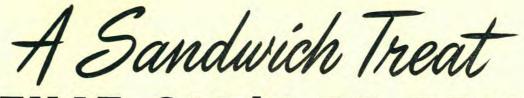
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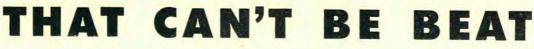


# Voice of Prophecy Radio Log

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| Burlington    | KBUR       | 1490  | 10:00 | AM |
| Cedar Rapids  | KCRG       | 1600  | 7:30  | AM |
| Davenport     | KSTT       | 1170  | 9:30  | AM |
| Des Moines    | KIOA       | 940   | 9:30  | AM |
| Mason City    | KSMN       | 1010  | 9:00  | AM |
| Shenandoah    | KFNF       | 920   | 9:30  | AM |
|               | MINNESOT   | A     |       |    |
| Duluth        | WQMN       |       | 9:30  | AM |
| Hibbing       | WMFG       |       | 9:30  | AM |
| International | Falls CFOB |       | 9:00  | PM |
| Mankato       | KYSM       | 1230  | 9:30  | AM |
| Mankato       | KYSM-FM    | 103.5 | 9:30  | AM |
| Minneapolis   | WTCN       | 1280  | 10:00 | AM |
| Port Huron    | WTTH       | 1380  | 9:30  | AM |
| Rochester     | KROC       | 1340  | 9:30  | AM |
| St. Cloud     | KFAM       | 1450  | 9:30  | AM |
| St. Cloud     | KFAM-FM    | 104.7 | 9:30  | AM |
| St. Peter     | KRBL       |       | 10:00 | AM |
| Virginia      | WHLB       | 1400  | 9:30  | AM |
| Wadena        | KWAD       | 920   | 9:30  | AM |
| Willmar       | KWLM       | 1340  | 10:00 | AM |
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| Fargo         | WDAY       | 970   | 9:30  | AM |
| Jamestown     | KSJB       | 600   | 9:30  | PM |
| Minot         | KLPM       | 1390  | 9:30  | AM |
| Williston     | KGCX       | 1480  | 9:00  | PM |
| SC            | DUTH DAKC  | TA    |       |    |
| Mitchell      | KORN       | 1490  | 9:30  | AM |
| Rapid City    | KRSD       | 1340  | 4:00  | PM |
| Yankton       | WNAX       | 570   | 10:30 |    |
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### **BLUEPRINT EVANGELISM**

We are presenting a report on spring plans on BLUEPRINT EVANGE-LISM for the Iowa Conference and the South Dakota Conference.

O. T. Garner, president of the South Dakota Conference, writes as follows:

"The brethren have been very enthusiastic over presenting the program to the churches, and I am sure you can list about every church in South Dakota as receiving the commitment service. Brother Kurth and Brother Singhurst will be tied up with the follow-up on the Whitsett program. Brother Preston will plan to have his meetings in Aberdeen and Hecla. Brother Gray is planning for Rapid City and Hot Springs. Brother Melashenko is holding meetings outside of Redfield to bind off the work there. I expect to have Sales and Allen assist Brother Whitsett in Sicux Falls shortly, so they will be tied up in evangelism. I think Brother Lindquist expects to hold some meetings in the Rose Bud Indian reservation. Brother Anderson is planning meetings at Huron and Watertown, Brother Fisk at Madison."

M. D. Howard, president of the Iowa Conference, sends us the following report:

"Herewith is a report on the revival and evangelistic meetings in our field for this first part of the year. Every pastor has been heard from, and altogether the total reports for commitment services is 57. BLUE-PRINT EVANGELISM has been well received in our field. Church officers, as well as pastors, seem to be enthusiastic about the plan. We are hopeful that the program will produce a good harvest of souls. In one of our churches of about seventy-five members, this past Sabbath, where we spoke in the morning, about twenty came out in the afternoon for visitation and literature distribution. The missionary leader had a well organized plan, and band leaders seemed to know their territory."

R. H. NIGHTINGALE

## Iowa Conference Report on Spring Meetings

| Place               | Dates                    | Speaker                   |  |  |  |
|---------------------|--------------------------|---------------------------|--|--|--|
| Waterloo            | March 6 - 13             | R. W. Leiske              |  |  |  |
| Albia               | April 24 - May 1         | L. L. Dinwiddie           |  |  |  |
| Dubuque             | March 18 - April 2       | L. M. Heifner             |  |  |  |
| Ainsworth           | April 3 - May 12         | H. A. Schaefer            |  |  |  |
| (Muscatine District | )                        |                           |  |  |  |
| Nevada              | March 20 - April 17      | Voice of Youth            |  |  |  |
|                     |                          | (Directed by O. P. Jones) |  |  |  |
| Des Moines          | March 11 - 19            | E. L. Minchin             |  |  |  |
| Mt. Ayr             | January 17 - February 11 | Max Thames                |  |  |  |
| Osceola             | May 1 - 31               | Max Thames                |  |  |  |
| Hawarden            | February 21 - 26         | R. C. Peuschel            |  |  |  |
| Harlan              | February 20 - 27         | C. L. Beason              |  |  |  |
| Spencer             | Date not set             | C. E. Larsen              |  |  |  |
| Creston             | April                    | W. D. Beaman              |  |  |  |
| Ute                 | April                    | R. C. Peuschel            |  |  |  |
| Davenport           | April 24 - May 15        | A. H. Liebelt             |  |  |  |
| Mason City          | May                      | Barron Brothers           |  |  |  |
| Hawkeye             | April 15 - 24            | Wellman                   |  |  |  |
| Missouri Valley     | April 15 - 17            | Gerst                     |  |  |  |
|                     |                          | (Following Lay Meetings)  |  |  |  |
| Hamburg             | May 1 - 8                | Union College Students    |  |  |  |
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### OBITUARIES

PEPPLE.—Mrs. Marie Pepp'e, aged 95, died December 13, 1959 at her home at Selah, Washington. She was born, Marie Doermann, in Roumania where she married before she and her husband moved to the Carrington area of North Dakota. She was baptized into the Seventh-day Adventist Church about five years after moving to this country. Her husband preceded her in death in 1926. Mrs. Pepple is survived by five daughters—Mrs. Matilda Huff of Carrington, North Dakota; Mrs. Emma Hewitt of Fargo, North Dakota; Mrs. Marie Bower of Wapato, Washington; Mrs. Martha Martin of Alberta, Canada; and Lillian Pepple of Selah, Washington; thirty-four grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren. W. B. Riffel conducted the funeral services at the Garden Chapel of the Longevin Funeral Home in Selah, Washington, on Thursday, December 17, 1959. Interment is at the Terrace Heights Memorial Park at Selah where she awaits the call of her Life-giver.

### D. H. Pillor

EXLINE.—George W. Exline was born April 8, 1880, and he passed away January 7, 1960 at the age of 79 years. His parents were Milton and Zuriah Exline. He was united in marriage with Daisy Sirake who survives. Also surviving are six children: Eunice Geddling of Des Moines; Marie Trimble of Madison, Wisconsin; Ly e Exline and Pauline Pike or Exline; George Jr. of Pocatello, Idaho; and Jack Exline of Centerville; ten grandchildren, three great-grandch.ldren, three sisters, and one brother. He was preceded in death by two children. Funeral services were conducted at the Miller Funeral Home by the writer. Chester Simmons assisted in the service by singing, "The Nearer the Sweeter," and "When I Look in His Face." Interment was in the Exline cemetery. L. L. Dinwiddie

LACHENMEIER.—Mrs. August Lachenmeier, Sr. was born September 19, 1872 in South Russia and passed to her rest January 9, 1960 at Napoleon, North Dakota. She was the daughter of Jacob and Christina Knell and was married to August Lachenmeier while still in Sout. Russia. They came to America locating first at Tyndall, South Dakota. In 1903 they moved to Streeter, North Dakota, where they homesteaded. In 1919 they moved five miles northeast of Napoleon where they lived in Napoleon's first house. Mr. and Mrs. Lachenmeier joined the Streeter Seventi-day Adventist church in 1914 and transferred to the Napoleon church in 1920. Mrs. Lachenmeier was a devoted church member and her Lord was very precious to her. She leaves to mourn her husband, 9 children, 63 grandchildren, and 99 greatgrandchildren, a total of 171 descendants. The surviving children are: August, of Napoleon, North Dakota; John, of Miles City, Montana; Jacob, of Hardin, Montana; Ired, of Bilings, Montana; Mrs. Gust Lachenmeier, of Portland, Oregon; Mrs. Henry A. Becker, of Streeter, North Dakota; Mrs. George Finkbiner, ot Glendive, Montana; Mrs. E. E. Harr, of Napoleon, North Dakota; and Mrs. Ed Moos, of Miles City, Montana. Funeral services were conducted by Adrian Zytkoskee of Bismarck and R. D. Steinke of Jamestown. Interment was in the Napoleon cemetery at Napoleon. Six grandsons served as pallbearers.

### Adrian Zytkoskee

MILLER,—Cora Miller was born October 25, 1867, in Potter, Pennsylvania and died January 19, 1960, in Austin, Minnesota. Left to mourn are a brother, one niece, and four grand-nephews. Mrs. Miller's husband preceded her in death in 1906. A long-time member of the Seventh-day Adventist church, she taught school for many years. She died in the blessed hope and awaits the call of the Lifegiver. Interment was made in the Dexter, Minnesota, cemetery.