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

## It Shouldn't Have Happened!

"This is the anniversary that should never have happened!" exclaimed J. Harold Shultz, superintendent of the Voice of Prophecy printing department, when asked for his comment in connection with the staff pledge of over \$2,500 to be given on Voice of Prophecy Offering Day, October 9, in honor of H. M. S. Richards' 35th year of continuous radio broadcasting.

Elder Shultz continued, "I am sure that if the rest of us had been as faithful as Elder H. M. S. Richards, we should all have been in the Kingdom of Heaven ere this. As I see it, the best way to make certain that the gospel will be taken 'to every nation, and kindred, and tongue, and people,' in the shortest possible time, is to devote our lives, as well as our financial resources, to an all-out effort at this critical time in earth's history. We are taking too much time and spending too much money on sending probes to the moon and photographing Mars. Instead of messages and pictures from outer space, let's *send out* God's message of salvation and finish up the work here in this crime-and-disease-ridden planet; then we can hear the message from the Chief Architect of all the worlds, 'Well done . . .'"

The staff pledge was presented to Elder Richards upon his return from a six-week, sixteen-state camp-meeting tour. Each staff member has promised to give a multiple of thirty-five on October 9: 35 dimes, 35 quarters, 35 half-dollars, dollars, or larger amounts, in this one-hundred-per-cent participation project.

H. M. S. Richards began his radio evangelism 35 years ago when radio was still in its infancy, and is now heard every Sunday over approximately 650 stations across the United States and Canada, and daily on 65 outlets. The minds of millions have been turned to Christ through Elder Richards' radio ministry.

When the "35 Times" program was suggested to the Voice of Prophecy staff, everyone wanted to have a part because they felt that the radio ministry is one of the best ways to bring the gospel of Jesus Christ to the people. Here are some personal comments:

Louise Francis, who helps in preparation of the continuities for the broadcasts, said: "It is a special thrill to have a part in remembering this milestone in H. M. S. Richards' radio ministry. In giving something for each *year* of his continuous broadcasting, it drives home how long he has been a blessing to people in radio land."

Said T. Rose Curtis, copy editor and librarian: "I worked for thirty-seven years as secretary, librarian, or editor in the General Conference offices; but I've never felt closer to the *heart* of the soul-winning program than during the seven years I've now been with The Voice of Prophecy. I feel privileged to give my bit in celebration of Elder Richards' 35 years on the air."

Renee Iles, switchboard operator, said, "It's a wonderful work and it makes me feel good to be able to help in some way. It is good to know that I've had some little part in helping to give the gospel to others."

Addressograph superintendent Lloyd Maguire thinks that "if we get behind the program and show an interest ourselves, it will do a lot to help the over-all giving of the people on Voice of Prophecy Offering Day, October 9."

"On the occasion of H. M. S. Richards' 35th anniversary of radio preaching, it is a great joy for me to make this special offering," Elder Wayne Hooper, director of music programming said. "Through the 20 years it has been my honor to work side-by-side with him, I have seen no slowing down of his zeal to find new ways to reach more people with Bible truth."

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### S-O-S From India

An air mail letter from India asks for urgent help in placing the *Signs* in all of the colleges and universities of the troubled country.

Thousands of young Indians could be influenced for the truth at this crucial hour.

Your order can be placed with your church missionary secretary. Please mark your order "Signs World Ministry."

A. R. MAZAT  
Circulation Manager

True, this 35th anniversary of proclaiming the message *should never have happened!*

Every "35 Times" gift on Sabbath, October 9, can help lessen the number of anniversaries. And isn't this exactly what we are all working and praying for?

### A Letter to the Readers of the Outlook

Dear Brethren:

We have been reminded that this is the time when normally we renew our subscriptions to the *Review* and *Herald*.

The publishing house in Washington has just sent a bulletin giving the number of *Reviews* that are mailed into the homes in the Northern Union. This figure is surprisingly low. In fact, we are only reading the *Review* in less than half of the homes in our Union Conference territory.

You have heard the phrase that "the family that prays together stays together." It is also true that the family that reads together stays together, and, I will add, stays in the church. You have also heard that the attractions of TV and radio are reducing the number of hours we spend reading, so, brethren, I appeal to you to have good reading available. Include the *Review* with your good reading. Remember it week by week and receive the benefit of the reports from the mission fields, the news of our church and the excellent spiritual messages

that this journal contains.

Your pastor, your Bible House manager, and your conference president will all be reminding you of this in the next few weeks. Please respond. Let us see that the *Review* is in every home in our Union. You will receive a spiritual benefit from your subscription.

L. H. NETTEBURG

### Speaking of Books

It is our firm belief that whoever you are, whatever you may be doing, SOMEWHERE there is a book for you. In support of this theory, we submit the following suggestions:

*A Book for Children:* WHEN WE PRAY is a beautifully simple interpretation of the Lord's Prayer by Bonnie MacMillan. Practically every child in the church today knows the Lord's Prayer and can repeat it letter perfect any day in the week. But how many of them really comprehend the true perfection of this ideal prayer? This charming little book, colorfully illustrated, will make it clear, even to the tiniest tots. Price, \$2.00

*A Book for Parents:* Well-known storyteller Josephine Cunningham Edwards has again demonstrated her versatility with IN YOUR STEPS, a modern book of manners for children. Her story illustrations of the many facets of parent-child relationships are precise and objective. Price, \$2.75

*A Book for Intellectuals:* If you are looking for something you can really sink your mental teeth into, you will find 1,300 pages of it in the CONDITIONALIST FAITH OF OUR FATHERS, Volume II, by LeRoy Edwin Froom. The problem of man's ultimate destiny has been a subject contemporary to every era. With the present magnified power of spiritualism it is of particular importance today. Before you start the book itself, however, read the accompanying booklet, "Finding the Lost Conditionalist Witnesses." This is the fascinating how and why story of the totally comprehensive Conditionalist work. The author's own account of the intricacies of research, the perseverance, the faith, the courage

that have been poured into this monumental two-volume set make for thrilling reading. And the book itself becomes ever more meaningful when the background has been fully appreciated. Price, \$12.95

*A Book for Everyone:* If you cannot classify yourself as either a parent, a child, or an intellectual, then you will probably enjoy the new Destiny book, SOME RAIN MUST FALL, by Elizabeth Spalding McFadden. This is the dramatic story of a woman doctor's search for meaningful sacrifice. From a mining town in the mountains of Colorado to the mission stations of India and Pakistan, Karen Anderson experiences the tragedy of lost love, the frustration of inadequate understanding, and the true joy of Christian service. You won't be able to put this one down. Price, \$1.50.

See what we mean? There's something for everyone!

### Colporteur Training School

A new group of literature evangelists has been inducted into the ranks of the great colporteur army. The group pictured here spent three days in the Northern Union office in intensive training to equip them for the important task that lies before them in the literature ministry.

Each morning began with spiritual inspiration in the devotionals with C. M. Willis, of the *Review* and *Herald*; L. H. Netteburg, Treas-

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urer of the Northern Union Conference; and W. Paul Turpel, Manager of the Central Branch of the Pacific Press. We extend a hearty welcome to these new workers for the cause of God. C. M. BARNES

### Draft and Military Service Information for Seventh-day Adventists

#### RELATIONSHIP TO DRAFT BOARD

On the 18th anniversary of his birth, or within five days thereafter, every young man living in the United States or its territories must appear before a registrar at a draft board to register for the Selective Service processes. The only exceptions are children of diplomatic representatives of other countries, bona fide representatives of foreign press agencies, or students who receive their entire support from outside the economy of the United States. Even U. S. citizens living overseas must register with a U. S. consul. A young man who enters the U. S. (not one of the exceptions noted above) between the ages of 18 and 26 must register for Selective Service within six months.

A young man may go to any Selective Service board to register. The home address that he gives will de-

termine which draft board he will actually be under. After that he will not normally be able to change his draft board.

Those who are noncombatant in belief, i.e., those who have a religious belief that they cannot take human life but are willing to fulfill their obligated military service in uniform, need not make any statement regarding such beliefs at the time of registration. The time to make such beliefs known is when filling out the basic questionnaire for classification. This questionnaire, eight pages in length (bottom left of the front page shows the notation "SSS Form No. 100"), has one section titled "Conscientious Objection to War." By signing his name to the statement appearing in this section, the noncombatant will receive another questionnaire (SSS Form No. 150) titled "Special Form for Conscientious Objectors." Before filling out this questionnaire the Seventh-day Adventist should obtain from the servicemen's secretary in the local church, or from the conference MV secretary, the leaflets published by the Seventh-day Adventist National Service Organization titled "Filling Out the Special Form for Conscientious Objectors" (NSO-2) and "Seventh-day Advent-

### TELEVISION EVANGELISM PROGRAMS



SUNDAY OCTOBER 3

#### MINNESOTA

Twin Cities-WTCN-Ch. 11 12:30 p.m.  
Dead Men Do Tell Tales

#### SOUTH DAKOTA

Sioux Falls-KELO-Ch. 11 2:00 p.m.  
Florence-KDLO-Ch. 3 2:00 p.m.  
Reliance-KPLO-Ch. 6 2:00 p.m.  
When God Counted Seventy

ists and Civil Government" (NSO-3). The information in these leaflets will guide the noncombatant in obtaining his proper classification.

There are two important things that the Selective Service registrant should keep in mind: (1) he should carry his registration card with him at all times, and (2) he should keep his draft board informed of any change of address or change of any condition that would affect his classification.

The registration card will be sent to the home address within a few days of the time of registering, and will have on it the name and address of the draft board having charge of the registrant. The law charges the registrant with the responsibility of notifying his draft board within 10 days of any change of his permanent home address. The registrant must be able to promptly receive mail from the draft board. The registrant is also charged by law to notify the draft board in writing within 10 days of any change in his personal situation that might affect his draft status. Such chang-



es would include: entering or leaving school, marriage, dependents other than wife, entering or leaving employment connected with national interest, a major change in the state of health, becoming professionally qualified as a physician, dentist or veterinarian.

Every communication from the registrant to the draft board should be simply stated and in writing so that it can be placed in the registrant's file. The registrant may ask his draft board for information about his status at any time.

*National Service Organization  
General Conference of S. D. A.*

## MINNESOTA

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## A Farewell to Minnesota

"To everything there is a season and a time to every purpose under heaven." Eccl. 3:1.

After laboring for twelve years in the Minnesota Conference we feel the time has come for us to say goodbye to all our many friends and dear people for whom we have labored in the different churches. Some one has said "A man cannot preach the gospel, work for the people, baptizing them, dedicating their children to the Lord, encouraging the youth to get a Christian education, marrying their young people and preach the funeral sermon for their deceased, without loving them." So we shall remember Minnesota, with its cold winters, delightful summers, lovely lakes and fine Christian people for a very long time. Many fond recollections shall we take with us and our prayers shall include those for whom we have labored.

Going from here to Nebraska will bring many a challenge to us. We feel we shall have to face problems where the Lord's help will be needed. However we also anticipate the joy of seeing people born into the kingdom of God through our labors. We shall lay the task down here but raise it gloriously in our new field.

## FAITH FOR TODAY SEEN ON KSTP, CHANNEL 5

In the Twin Cities Area  
9:30 a.m., Sundays (in color)  
Pastors, please announce in  
your church bulletins.

We wish our dear people and fine group of ministers God's blessing as we now leave them.

PASTOR AND MRS. J. C. ZOLBRECHT

## Fall Book Sales

Faribault	October 2
Albert Lea	October 3
Anoka	October 9
Cambridge	October 10
Dodge Center	October 16
All meetings at 8:00 p.m.	

## Southwest District Meeting

July 29 the churches of the Southwest District of Minnesota — Pipestone, Lamberton, Heron Lake, and Morgan — met in the Morgan Church for an all-day meeting. For Robert Wiedemann it was to be the last district meeting under his leadership. Pastor Wiedemann and family were leaving the Southwest District to take up their new pastorate at Hinckley, Minnesota.

Although it was his last day with us, Pastor Wiedemann did not choose to preach a farewell sermon, but turned the time over to R. G. Mote, the conference treasurer. Elder Mote called his talk "Good News." At first we thought he was going to tell us who our new pastor would be, but the "Good News" was that the Bible is the answer to all the ills of this world. It is ours if we but reach

out and grasp it.

Roger Eno, Conference Publishing Secretary, spoke in the afternoon on literature evangelism. "Scatter the printed page as the leaves of autumn and many souls will be saved," he urged.

Pastor Wiedemann and family gave a short program. Little Bobby Wiedemann sang "Face to Face." Pastor Wiedemann left us with this thought: "We need not fear the future except as we forget the way the Lord has led us in the past."

For three and one half years Pastor Wiedemann has been our district leader. During that time his family grew from three to four in number with the arrival of a son, Benjamin. The district family grew also with 19 new members. We shall miss the Wiedemanns, but wish them the Lord's richest blessing as they take up responsibilities in their new district. MRS. DOROTHY BURGHART

*PR Secretary, Morgan Church*

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## Archa O. Dart Coming

We are happy to have the services of A. O. Dart in North Dakota and have set up the following itinerary for him. Elder Dart serves as Secretary of the Department of Parent and Home Education of the General Conference.

Friday, October 8 Fargo  
Sabbath, October 9 Wahpeton -  
11:00 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.  
Sunday, October 10 Goodrich  
District - Denhoff school gym

## NORTH DAKOTA FALL DORCAS FEDERATION MEETINGS

Federation	Place	Date
Central Federation	Jamestown	October 19
Northern Lights Federation	Harvey	October 20
Western Slope	Dickinson	October 21

Each meeting will begin at 10 a.m. The guest speaker will be Miss Maybelle Vandermark, Assistant Secretary of the Home Missionary Department of the General Conference.





Francis Saunders introduces the evening program at the Fargo Fellowship Dinner. The Fargo church members have committed themselves to raise their share of the Conference Evangelism-Academy Expansion needs. The congregation also is raising over \$7000.00 toward the cost of purchasing property for an educational-recreational building they look forward to constructing some day. Laymen speakers directed the church to the Scriptural plan of systematic benevolence as the best way to raise large sums of money and at the same time strengthen the spiritual attitude of the church.

**A. J. Iseminger**  
Department of Stewardship

Monday, October 11	Minot
Tuesday, October 12	Williston
Wednesday, October 13	Beach
Thursday, October 14	Dickinson
Friday, October 15	Bismarck
Sabbath, October 16	Jamestown - 11:00 a.m., Cleveland - 3:00 p.m., Streeter - 7:30 p.m.
October 17-23	Sheyenne River Academy

All meetings, unless otherwise indicated, will begin at 7:30 p.m.

Elder Dart will speak on parent, home, and child relationship. With all the problems of delinquency in the world today on the part of both parents and young people, it is quite obvious that many homes do not provide the security, the guidance, and spiritual atmosphere that they should. Certainly



A. O. Dart

the Christian home still stands a mighty deterrent to delinquency. I urge our members to attend a meeting nearest your home. I'm sure you will find it worth while.

The following quotations are taken from a letter from Elder Dart: Success in other lines only mocks us when the home fails. As the home, so is the church, the community, the nation. The most powerful sermons are preached in the home, not in the church.

If one tenth as much time were spent in studying how to make our homes succeed as we spend in making our business, divorce courts would close and we would have a nation of happy successful homes.

Some people are so busy making a living they do not have time to live.

Some husbands and wives are more interested in winning the argument than in winning their companion.

The more the members of a family absent themselves from the home, the weaker it becomes.

Many a teen-ager today is starving for parental love and companionship.

The infant and small child deprived of his mother's care may

## Wahpeton Book Sale

There will be a book sale, October 9, 1965.

Place: Richards Elementary School  
1350 - 7th St. North  
Wahpeton, N. Dak.

Time: 6:30 P. M.

I hope that all those living in the Wahpeton area will take advantage of the special sale on books.

The book sale will precede the evening service by Elder A. O. Dart.

A. SCHIMKE, Manager  
N. Dakota Book & Bible House

be handicapped for life.

The child learns more from the home than from any other institution.

Seldom does a child disobey an affectionate parent.

It is a crime to allow a child to have nothing to do.

A pretty mother has better control over the children than an ugly one; a smile makes any woman attractive.

An extra special price will be given on the book, *The Adventist Home*, which will be on display during the lectures.

BEN TROUT, President

## Bismarck

### Vacation Bible School

Sixty children were in attendance during the one week of Vacation Bible School, with 15 non-Seventh-day Adventist children enrolled. A wonderful staff, excellent material and eager children all contributed to the success of the school. As a follow-up, plans are to invite the children to Sabbath School and Pathfinder Club.

MRS. E. R. GIENGER, Director

## Gruszie-Biloff Wedding

On Monday evening, June 28, Miss Patricia Gruszie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Adam Gruszie of Cleveland, North Dakota, became the bride of Dennis Biloff of Carrington, North Dakota. The ceremony was





The above is a picture of the Vacation Bible School held at the Bowdon Country Church. The average attendance was 25 and there were eight non-Adventists in attendance.

The teachers were Mrs. Douglas Geier, Mrs. Chaney Gillham, Mrs. Larry Tebelius, Mrs. Dennis Unterseher, Mrs. John Weigard, Mrs. Herman Widicker. The Vacation Bible School director was Mrs. Alden Unterseher.

**R. L. Kretz, Secretary  
Sabbath School Department**

performed in the Evangelical United Brethren Church in Jamestown, North Dakota.

Attending the bride was Jackie Lange as maid of honor, and Wilma Combs, Bonnie Weisz, and Mrs. Alroy Gruszie as bridesmaids. The flower girls were Corrine Flemmer and Cynthia Haas. Candle lighters were Ardyce Bechthold, Patsy Jones, Lana Biloff, and Joan Miller. Nadine Gruszie and Joline Hieb opened the gate for the bride.

DeVerne Biloff, brother of the groom, served as best man, and Bryon Darcy, Neil Biloff, and Alroy Gruszie were the groomsmen. The Bible boys were Wade Biloff and Wayne Miller.

Mrs. DeVerne Biloff, organist, accompanied the soloists, DeVerne Biloff, Mrs. Alroy Gruszie, and Mrs. M. F. Kabool. Jay Miller and Bernard Hieb served as ushers. The of-

ficiating minister was R. Lee Kretz.

Following the ceremony a reception was held for the more than 400 guests at the Memorial Hall in Jamestown.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Biloff had been students at Union College and are now making their home in Carrington, North Dakota, where Mr. Biloff is engaged in farming.



**DAN SCHIFFBAUER**

PREACHER OF  
PROPHECY

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**DAILY RADIO BROADCAST**

OVER KCCR — 5 P.M.

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POINTING LOST HUMANITY TO

CHRIST & THE HOLY SCRIPTURES

*As Gods way of Life and Hope  
In This Crisis Hour*



**ALLEN T. BIDWELL  
ANNOUNCER**

May this be a home where angels love to dwell and where Jesus is the unseen Guest. It is our desire that the God of heaven bestow His richest blessings on this new Christian home.  
**R. LEE KRETZ**

## **SOUTH DAKOTA**

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## **New It Is Written Daily Radio Broadcast**

A new daily radio broadcast, "It Is Written," was launched in Pierre Sunday afternoon at five o'clock over station KCCR - 1240 on the dial by Dan Schiffbauer and Allen T. Bidwell. The fifteen-minute broadcast will be heard every day for thirteen weeks. The purpose of this broadcast is to point lost humanity to Christ and the Holy Scriptures as God's way of life and hope in this crisis hour. It is advertised as a program sponsored by the Seventh-day Adventist Church and is designed to break down prejudice and encourage listeners in the Pierre area to attend the "It Is Written" evangelistic crusade.

We invite all our people within listening distance of the Pierre station to tune in and encourage their

## **SUNSET CALENDAR**

### **October 1**

Des Moines, Iowa	5:56
St. Paul, Minnesota	5:53
Bismarck, North Dakota	6:23
Huron, South Dakota	6:14
Rapid City, South Dakota	5:34

### **October 8**

Des Moines, Iowa	5:44
St. Paul, Minnesota	5:40
Bismarck, North Dakota	6:10
Huron, South Dakota	6:02
Rapid City, South Dakota	5:21



friends to tune in also. Please pray for God's richest blessing on this new venture in faith and for the "It Is Written" crusade that begins Sunday night, October 10, in the new Pierre Church.

D. W. SCHIFFBAUER  
Evangelist

## IOWA

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## Of Interest In New Iowa

### Muscatine

Branch Sabbath Schools are still functioning. Two people have been baptized; another is almost ready. Ingathering will start October 9. Evangelistic meetings began in Morning Sun September 11.

### Waterloo

Pathfinder emphasis week found young people of the Waterloo-Marshalltown district in a campout north of Traer for the week end, September 17-19. Faith for Today will soon be telecast every Sunday in Waterloo.

### Marshalltown

A new sidewalk adds to the attractive appearance of the church.

### Des Moines

Construction is under way on the

new church school and gym. The juniors held an outdoor pancake breakfast Sunday morning, September 12, for Investment.

### Charles City

The church members recently painted the outside of the church.

### Atlantic

P. F. Pedersen, Director of Laymen's Activities for the Northern Union, spoke at the church on September 11.

### St. Charles

The Winterset church, under the direction of their new pastor, Richard Pollard, conducted a short series of meetings in a small county church called Blair Chapel. F. J. Kinsey was the speaker.

### Toledo

Claude Cashatt is personally mailing literature to every box holder in Tama County. To date he has mailed 1,500 letters. Other church members help with postage.

### Ute

An enrollment card device placed in a bus station has had sixteen cards taken from it. Ute has purchased 32 *Great Controversy* for distribution on October 2.

### Boone

With the theme, "Into all the World," the Boone church won first place in the church section of the Boone County Fair parade. A picture of the float appeared on the front page of the Boone newspaper.

## Oak Park Academy Alumni

For your convenience, the Iowa Book and Bible House will have books and health foods available in the camp meeting Bible House at OPA Saturday night of the alumni week end. Take advantage of this opportunity to pick up foods and books for others in your area. Look for these specials—Two volumes of *Selected Messages*, \$4.95 list \$7.50; Loma Linda Linketts, \$.09 off regular price. WILLIAM E. JONES  
Manager

## Sioux City

The Home Missionary Council selected 20 church members to visit *Signs* interests. The members are enrolling them in the Bible courses, and finding interested people for Bible studies.

## Oak Park Academy Alumni Week End, October 1-3

Burton Cox, president of the Oak Park Academy Alumni Association, has written me reminding me of the annual Oak Park Alumni meeting which is to be held at Oak Park October 1, 2, 3.

Graduates and former students, do your best to be present. If you can't be present for all the week end activities, perhaps you can be present for part of them. Brother Cox states in his letter that all academy board members are cordially invited to the alumni banquet Sunday noon, the 3rd. Board members and former Oak Park Academy students will have an opportunity to fellowship together at dinner. They will also have an opportunity to help develop an even better Oak Park. I join Brother Cox in inviting you to be present at Oak Park for a very fine week end. Come to enjoy good preaching, good music, and good fellowship. Come to learn of Oak Park triumphs and Oak Park needs. K. D. JOHNSON, President  
Iowa Conference of S.D.A.

## Voice of Prophecy

THINK OF IT! For 35 years God has blessed Elder Richards with health and an excellent radio voice

## IT IS WRITTEN BIBLE CRUSADE

Boone, Iowa

GRAND OPENING  
October 3, 7:30 p.m.

SUBJECT: The end of the World!

Continuing every Sunday,  
Tuesday, Thursday & Friday

American Legion Cabin  
19th and Boone

(Across from Memorial Ball Park)



Don F. Houghton  
Crusade Speaker



A. H. Gerst  
Program Director

Please send names and address of interested friends and relatives to A. H. Gerst, 1311 Grand Ave., Ames, Iowa.



## WITH ALL YOUR HEART— DO YOU WANT CHRIST TO COME?

Then support radio with all your might by honoring Elder H. M. S. Richards' 35 years on the air.

On Sabbath, October 9, give 35 times one dollar, five dollars, ten dollars, or any certain

amount, large or small, which you feel God would have you give to keep the

# 35



Voice of Prophecy broadcasting for Christ!

Radio is packed with power to tell all the message

to all the people in all the world



and has provided the way for this voice to be heard by millions of people.

THINK OF IT! For 35 years God has given many thousands of Adventists health and financial ability to help keep the Voice of Prophecy on the air.

THINK OF IT! October 9 is the day for another offering. God will bless abundantly all who give. Remember, we increase our capacity for receiving by giving. Many who gave one dollar last year are thinking of giving \$35.00 this year. Why don't *you* think about multiplying last year's offering by 35.

F. J. KINSEY



### Lake City Does It Again

On Monday, September 20, Art Bascom, the treasurer of the Lake City Church, phoned the office and stated that Lake City has reached its Ingathering goal. Congratulations, Lake City!!

Perhaps other churches are already over but it hasn't been reported to me. Lake City has shown all of us that it can be done. Lake City won't stop working. The members there will push on until all the territory has been worked and there's an outstanding overflow. I deeply appreciate the faithfulness of our people.

K. D. JOHNSON, President  
Iowa Conference of S. D. A.



### Ottumwa Vacation Bible School

Pictured with some of the teachers are children who attended the Ottumwa Vacation Bible School August 2-13. Over 80 children were

registered for the two-week Vacation Bible School. Of this number 68 were from non-Adventist homes! The average daily attendance for the two weeks was almost 50 young people. The largest attendance was over 60 and the lowest was 40. There were 13 children with a perfect attendance.

Helen Hendricks was director of the program and spent many hours in preparing for the session. She was assisted by the following teachers: Pauline Glover, Marian Morlan, Rose Etta French, Lonita Ray, Lucille Kruse, Elaine Shepard, Cindy Ray. Some of the teachers worked mainly with crafts. Part-time teachers were Patty Fisk, LaVohn Matt, Mary Corder and Elfia Skinner.

Mildred Baker was in charge of refreshments with many of the church members furnishing the needed supplies.

Ralph Emerson, Roy and Larry Headley, Dorothy McGee, and Clem Bertroche, along with most of the teachers, and the pastor, furnished the transportation for the children.

The reward for all the work was seen in the program on the last

Friday night of the two weeks, when the children sang from memory the songs they had learned, and repeated scores of Bible verses they had put to memory during the Vacation Bible School period.

As a follow-up to the interest aroused in the Vacation Bible School, Helen Hendricks has been conducting a story hour each Sabbath afternoon at the Ottumwa Church. All the children who attended the Vacation Bible School have been invited to the Story Hour which includes a Bible lesson.

We praise the Lord for all the fine church help and the results of such cooperation. Our prayers are that these children who attended this Vacation Bible School may be led to Christ and through them their parents may learn of this precious message - Jesus is coming soon. May there be many who stand ready with us when He appears.

A. R. KLEIN

Ottumwa District Pastor



### Mason City Pathfinders

With the coming of fall, Pathfinder clubs become more active. Vacations are over. Everyone can concentrate on the "job" at hand. For Pathfinders, the "job" on hand may be that last week end of the year for camping out. Many clubs in Iowa will be doing just that in the next six weeks. Others will be raising funds for club activities. This can be done in various ways. One good way is to put on a pancake breakfast and invite the church members and your friends. Even though appetites are sharpened in the fall, the Mason City Pathfinders had plenty of supplies on hand to feed all that came.



Ottumwa Vacation Bible School



Ted Estey, Pathfinder Director, is the elementary teacher in our Mason City church school. He is always working for and with the young people of the church.

E. C. HAAS  
MV & Educational Secretary

## Davenport School

As school bells ring again in all parts of the land, we are grateful here in Davenport that we are able to continue our church school program. Since we sold our church building and have not yet built the new one, we were not sure where we would be able to have our church school this year, but the Lord has marvelously provided a very good place to have our school. This year we have a public school building in which we can have our church services and school.

We have 22 pupils enrolled in the school and we have some in all eight grades. We feel very fortunate to have secured the services of Lonnie Leui of Lincoln, Nebraska, to teach the third through the eighth grades and Mrs. Shobe is teaching the first two grades.

There is a much larger play area than we had before and the rooms are larger and well lighted, all of which makes for very pleasant quarters for our school. There are indications at present that we may have over 30 students for the school next year and we hope to be in our own new school building at that time. This building, according to present plans, will be located on an eight-acre tract of ground along federal route six, one of the main access routes between Interstate 80 and Davenport. Present plans call for the school to have three classrooms, rest rooms, heating plant and kitchen on one level and an assembly room for the church on the upper floor. After completion of the church, the assembly room will become the recreation facility of the church and school.

Will you join the members of the Davenport church in praying for the guidance of the Lord as we plan these important steps in this populous area? C. P. SHOBE, Pastor  
Davenport District

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Received 6-30-65 V. W. Emmerson  
PARKER.—Charles Edwin Parker was born May 19, 1884, in Minneapolis, Minnesota, and passed to his rest at his home in Lambert on Monday, July 5,

1965. June 10, 1903, Charles married Gertrude Small in Revere. In 1944 E. L. Sorensen held a tent effort in Lambert on at which time Charles and his wife were baptized into the Seventh-day Adventist faith. Since that time he has served as teacher, deacon and elder of the Lambert Church. Due to ill health, the family moved from the farm to the town of Lambert in 1951. His last illness was due to a slight stroke. To mourn his rest in Jesus are his wife, Gertrude, 7 children, 31 grandchildren, and 28 great-grandchildren, besides many nieces and nephews, as well as the church members and friends. Brother Parker rests in Jesus with the blessed hope of the soon coming of his Saviour. He was loyal and true to the end; his last request was to have his wife read the Bible and have worship with him.

Received 7-15-65

R. W. Wiedemann

LOUNSBERRY.—Mrs. Helen Lounsberry born in West Chester, Iowa, January 16, 1893, passed away June 4, 1965, while visiting her daughter, Virginia. For more than 28 years Mrs. Lounsberry had been a faithful member of the First Seventh-day Adventist Church of Des Moines. She leaves to mourn, her husband Harold, her son, Robert and her daughter, Pat (Mrs. Noel Shanko). She was laid to rest in the Masonic Cemetery where she awaits the coming of the Lord.

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# NORTHERN UNION *High* LIGHTS!

## From Solusi to Cape Town

*(Eleventh in a series of articles by J. L. Dittberner who is itinerating in Africa.)*

Solusi is a familiar name to Seventh-day Adventists. It holds a certain amount of fascination for us because it was our first mission station in Africa and was established in 1894. Brave men and women came to this spot, located near Bulawayo in Southern Rhodesia, by ox-drawn wagons.

Shortly after opening the mission there was a tribal uprising and the missionaries had to flee to the then tiny settlement of Bulawayo. Here their food supplies were soon depleted and they had to creep back to the mission under cover of darkness to bring food to their families. The twenty-seven-mile trip out to the mission was made during the night, the next day was spent in hiding and the following night the return trip was made.

In the early years of this station our workers experienced hardships. Mute evidence of their sacrifices are seen in the little cemetery. Here I saw the tombstones marking the graves of brave missionaries and their children. Father and son lie side by side awaiting the resurrection. The dread disease of malaria took its toll here as well as at other stations.

Solusi is located on an eight-thousand acre tract of land given to the church by Cecil Rhodes. It is a level area but not good for agriculture as the climate is arid. However, they do raise some cattle and there is a lot of wild game in the area.

At the present time Solusi is serving the denomination as a college and seminary for our African workers. Full college work is offered in the ministerial field. There is also a shorter ministerial course for those who are unable to follow through the full curriculum. Still another feature of the training program is a special two-year leadership course for experienced workers. This is

a program to train workers of ability to eventually occupy positions of larger responsibility. In addition to the college, this school also conducts an academy and elementary school. The total enrollment exceeds five hundred. Most of these are boarding students and are predominantly young men.

There is a staff of thirty-five, including seventeen African and eighteen Europeans. It was good to meet Elder Blanco, a recent Union College graduate, who had just joined the staff in the department of religion.

The physical facilities of this school are very good and the principal, Elder Staples, and his staff are doing a very good work in training our African workers.

At the present moment I am in Cape Town. There is a good work here in South Africa. During my two-day stay here I have visited Helderberg College, Good Hope College and Academy, Sentinel Publishing House, the day academy in Cape Town, and will speak at three special services.

Helderberg is the division college for our European young people. It was established in 1928 and is located part way up the mountain overlooking the bay. The scene from the college as you look over the landscape and bay is most beautiful. Good Hope is the training school for our colored young people. The Sentinel is one of three publishing houses in the division and prints in twenty different languages.

At this place I am at the southernmost point of my trip. Tonight I will be on the plane flying north for a two-day appointment in Johannesburg and then to Rome, Europe and HOME and the good Northern Union.

J. L. DITTBERNER