

OUTLOOK

October 13, 1972

Where are They?

At recent meetings of our academy and college boards we received reports including the enrollments at our schools for the current semester. Our college shows a very slight increase, but two of our three academies show a decrease in enrollment and the question was asked, where are they?

One of our academies took a survey and found out that one-fourth of the young people in that state are enrolled in public schools. Why are they there? The reasons given were that some were not in attendance for financial reasons, some for divided interests in the home, and for a few others there were specific problems. One made the observation that when homes with divided Christian interests see the improvement in the Christian attitude of their children, the non-church member parent's attitude changes to strong support for our philosophy of Christian education.

However, dear reader, if you have a problem of non-attendance because of money, we have a solution for you. Our respective academy and college boards have made provision to meet this problem by establishing industries on our campuses in which students can earn part of their expenses. Some students can earn their entire way through school if they will stay and work during the summer. Our college and two of our academies have immediate openings for students to work in industries. One school has need for eleven students working in school-related industries adjacent to the campus.

Dear parent, if you know your child will need to work part of his way through school, you must plan now. If possible, send them to school now where they can earn money for credit against next semester's expense or next school year's expense. Don't insist that your child stay home when he could and should be earning money to meet school expenses. Harris Pine at Union College needs help.

Statistics indicate that 80 per cent of the students

who attend our schools stay in the message through life and only 20 per cent of those attending public school. Why take chances with your child's eternal future?

Do it now. Write your academy or our college and plan now for Christian education.

L. H. Netteburg

Ordination



Left to right: L. H. Netteburg, Mrs. Jones, W. E. Jones, G. W. Liscombe, Arthur Kiesz, H. G. Crowson.

The working force of the South Dakota Conference gathered for a fall workers' meeting in Pierre, South Dakota, September 28, 1972. Ingathering and evangelism were the main topics of discussion for the morning, and the afternoon was dedicated to the setting aside to the ministry of William E. Jones, secretary-treasurer of the conference, who has accepted a call to serve as treasurer of the Ghana Conference in West Africa.

Elder Jones has served as assistant treasurer in Iowa, and Book and Bible House manager in Iowa, Alabama, and Nebraska before coming to South Dakota in 1970.

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Dear *Outlook* reader: Today's mail contained a personal letter from Elder H. M. S. Richards to me requesting help in a strong appeal for the Voice of Prophecy offering to be taken October 14. In his letter he lists eight areas of need, many of which will be related to the readers of the *Outlook* while in attendance at church.

The vast majority of the readers of the *Outlook* have been strong supporters of the Voice of Prophecy. With inflation and the increased opportunities for reaching people through this wonderful radio ministry, may I encourage each of you to increase your giving for the Voice of Prophecy.

Thank you for your help.

L.H.N.



To reach Bible students, radio listeners and other friends of the Voice of Prophecy, high speed computers make an otherwise impossible task both efficient and economical. Through the names on the computer list people in a selected community can learn of a Bible crusade, a new Bible course or a new Voice of Prophecy broadcast release in their area.



The Spanish Bible School is the largest of the foreign language Bible correspondence schools in North America. This year the speaker, Elder Braulio F. Perez Marcio, members of the Spanish broadcast team, and friends of La Voz de la Esperanza celebrated the program's 30th anniversary. The program may now be heard in every Spanish language country.



Iowa

**Dinesen - Zabolotney
Wedding**

In a candlelight ceremony Annette Marie Dinesen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Dinesen of Harlan, Iowa, was united in marriage to Terry Zabolotney, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Zabolotney of Bismarck, North Dakota.

Annette is a graduate of Oak Park Academy, Nevada, Iowa, and attended Union College. Terry graduated from Sheyenne River Academy, Harvey, North Dakota, and also attended Union College.

They are making their home in Bismarck where Annette is combining homemaking and secretarial work, while Terry is attending college and working as a carpenter.

Friends and relatives extend their best wishes and prayers for this busy young couple in beginning a new Christian home.

C. E. Felton

We are privileged to present

The Heritage Singers



Sunday, October 15, 7:30 p.m.
Des Moines S.D.A. Church

Monday, October 16, 7:30 p.m.
Nevada S.D.A. Church

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Iowa Conference Evangelist

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Friends to:

Elder I. E. Schultz
4707 Wyoming
Davenport, Iowa 52806

PLACE: LEND-A-HAND AUDITORIUM
Corner of River Dr. and Main St.
Davenport, Iowa

DATE: Nov. 11 - Dec. 9, 1972

TIME: 7:30 p.m., NIGHTLY, expect
Wednesday



From the World of Many Perplexing Problems . . .
At a Time of Unusual Turmoil and Unrest . . .
Comes an Invitation to Hear a Message . . .
That will calm your heart . . .
And give you peace of mind . . .



Minnesota

North Star Friendship Camp

Donna Ras, Union College student, with two of her unit girls. The children learn to love their counsellors.



Mary Rosenthal, teacher from Minneapolis Junior Academy and director of girls, assisting girls with their crafts.



C. M. Willison counselling with two of the boys.



Ninety-five boys and girls from around the state spent the week of July 30 to August 1 in camping activities and spiritual instruction at North Star Camp. This annual camp, made possible by the contributions of our churches in the conference, is provided to give spiritual guidance and recreation to underprivileged boys and girls.

Norman Haas, youth leader for the conference and director of the camp, states: "This was one of the finest Friendship Camps we have had. The boys and girls were well behaved and appreciative of what was being done for them."

C. M. Willison, Missionary Volunteer Secretary for the Northern Union, was camp pastor. He was responsible for the spiritual activities which included the

morning watch devotional services, daily camp counsels, and prayer bands. He also spent much time visiting the children on an individual basis giving spiritual guidance. Many of the children did not belong to any church or seldom attend church services.

For the most part the camp activities were conducted much the same as are the camps for the Adventist youth. There were regular times for nature study, swimming, boating, water skiing, canoeing, horseback riding, and games.

The staff, consisting of dedicated ministers, teachers, and young people, made every effort possible to encourage the children to live good, clean lives and have an understanding of what the Saviour can do for them.

Lay Activities Department

Cooking School

A cooking school is being conducted each Tuesday evening, October 3-31, at 7:00-9:00 p.m. A most educational narration on the four basic nutrients, and demonstrations were given at the first class. It is not too late to register. The fee for the remaining classes will be \$4.00.

A recipe book plus door prizes and food samples are given to each one in attendance.

Mrs. Melva Hicks, Dietitian, is lecturing on nutrition as the foods are being demonstrated. Mrs. Darlene Nakamura is our coordinator.

Meals are being prepared without the use of meat, milk, or eggs. "To care for the body by providing for it food which is relishable and strengthening, is one of the first duties of the householder." *Counsels on Diet and Food*, p. 93.

For registering or any further information call--473-6515 or 377-5944.

Shirlee Lacy
Publicity Secretary

RA Expeditions

The award winning film, "The RA Expeditions," is a documentary film which records the voyage of the internationally famous anthropologist-explorer, Thor Heyerdahl, from Morocco to the Americas in sail boats of ancient Egyptian design made only of papyrus reeds and rope.

Dr. Heyerdahl felt that ancient man could have sailed from northern Africa to the new world centuries before Columbus. After building "RA," he and seven men from seven nations set sail from Morocco in May of 1969. Their first boat had to be abandoned before reaching the West Indies, but exactly one year later he and the same crew in RA II safely reached Barbados after a trip of 57 days.



Canoeing, one of the most fascinating water activities.

"The RA Expeditions' will be shown at the Maplewood Academy Auditorium on October 21, 1972, at 8:00 p.m. Admission charge.

Beverly Lang
PR Secretary

Bruce Aalborg Begins Ministry



Pastor & Mrs. Bruce Aalborg

Bruce Aalborg began his ministerial internship September 1, assisting G. A. Haas, pastor of the Minneapolis Southview church, with pastoral and evangelistic duties.

Pastor Aalborg was born at Clovis, New Mexico, and spent his early childhood in Colorado and Wyoming. He attended Campion Academy, graduating in 1968. He graduated from Union College this past spring. His wife, Linda, is a native of Colorado and attended Campion Academy and Union College. She loves to work in the Sabbath School, especially in the children's divisions.

Pastor Aalborg says, "As a beginning pastor, you can be sure I am interested in every aspect of the church program."

We welcome this fine couple to our ministerial staff of the Minnesota Conference.

PR Department

"Foods for the Future"

"Foods for the Future" was the theme of the fair booth located in the Foods Building at the Minnesota State Fair. The booth was rented and staffed by the Minneapolis Northbrook Church. Foods served were happy-burgers, corny dogs, tacos, papaya and apple juice, and carob malts.

Russ and Kathy Olson were in charge of the booth, many days putting in 14 to 16 hours. This was a new experience for the young couple who took the responsibility when Elder and Mrs. Schneider moved to Jamestown, North Dakota.

Hundreds of people were served and encouraged to try the all-vegetarian foods. Some of the fair-goers made a repeat appearance at the booth.

A small monetary profit was realized but more encouraging were the many people contacted.

PR Secretary
Northbrook Church

Adventist Book Center

Have you ever wished you could afford to buy the records, *The Bible in Living Sound*, for your children? Now you can!

For a limited time the 20 records on the Life of Christ can be purchased for less than a third of their regular price. Along with this set of records you will receive the workbook, *Exploring God's Book II*. The regular price is \$66.60, but for a limited time you may have them for \$20.00 plus \$1.00 shipping and handling and 80 cents for state tax. If you send cash with the order, we will pay the shipping. Or you may wish to have us put your name on a set and deliver it to you at one of the holiday book sales. For your convenience use this handy order form.

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(20 records)	\$20.00 per set	\$
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News Items

Youth leaders from the Twin Cities met with the pastors of the area and teachers from Minneapolis Junior Academy and Capitol City Junior Academy, at Minneapolis First Church Friday evening, September 29, to lay plans for a united youth program. As a result of the meeting it is planned to unite the youth talents of our churches for better programing and intensified youth evangelistic activities.

The annual Week of Prayer will be held November 4 through Sabbath, November 11. Readings have been prepared by leaders of the denomination in a special issue of the *Review and Herald*. These should be studied and read throughout the week. Extra copies of this issue will be made available to the members of the conference if they will write requesting them.

Minnesota Conference has 12 church schools this year with 38 teachers and an enrollment of 510. Two

new schools were added this year--Rochester and Cambridge.

The Conference Committee voted several objectives for MISSION '73.

1. To conduct training classes and commitment meetings for inspiring members to greater involvement in evangelistic activities.
2. Pastors' training classes to be had in each Sabbath School for those interested in our message through the Gift Bible, New Testament Witnessing, and other such programs. These classes are to meet during the regular lesson period.
3. That every minister plan to conduct, or assist in a series of evangelistic meetings during the year.
4. That every church plan for public meetings before the end of 1973.
5. That laymen share their soul-winning experiences during the worship hour, thus creating interest in personal evangelism.

Pierce - Ewers Wedding

Claudia Eva Mary Pierce was united in marriage to Blaine Kevin Ewers on Sunday, July 16, at 4:00 o'clock in the afternoon at the Southview Seventh-day Adventist church in Minneapolis. The reception was held in the church fellowship hall.

Arthur Dahl performed the wedding ceremony. The Ewers are making their home in the city of Minneapolis.

Arthur Dahl

Cambridge Church School

"The Conference Educational Committee has granted your request to have a church school at Cambridge this year." These words, spoken by Norman Haas, conference Educational Secretary, were further evidence to the members of the church that the Lord wanted a church school at Cambridge in 1972.

Early this year the subject of having a school was again brought up. We had considered sending our children to Minneapolis Junior Academy by bus. But the more we discussed the problems, the more we felt we should have our own school.

One of our members who had taught previously, Mrs. Eileen Diede, told the church she would be willing to teach if we decided to have a school. Now we had a teacher! The problem of land and a building still loomed ahead. For a church of sixty members, it looked like a long road ahead financially.



Some of the children from the Cambridge church school.



Mrs. Diede, teacher, with 1st and 2nd graders.



Mrs. Diede with 5th and 6th graders.

Property, our major concern for the moment, would be the big initial expense. The property we thought ideal turned out to be unsuitable, and our faith somewhat wavered. But the Lord had greater plans for us.

Without our property or building, the school board decided to have school in the basement of the church for the first year. Approval was given by the conference Educational Committee with the stipulation that we have a building next year. Still we looked for property.

In July, about the time we seriously discussed having a school, the Robert Chinnows and their three children started attending church. They showed great interest in our plans for a school and mentioned to some of the school board members after worship one Sabbath that they had some land which they thought would be suitable for a school. It sounded as if our prayers were being answered.

The board members met at the Chinnow's property shortly thereafter and agreed that it would be ideal. Then we asked Mr. Chinnow what he wanted for the six acres. Imagine our surprise when he said, "Well, I suppose a dollar, just to make it legal." We have read mission stories of how God miraculously provided for His people in distant lands, and we sometimes forget that He can do the same for us here.

School began and we have eleven children in grades one through six. All the church members' children

from grades one to six are attending our school. Presently we are making plans to erect a building on the newly-acquired property.

We invite anyone who may be thinking of moving to a small growing church with a school to consider Cambridge.

Pastor Gary Waterhouse
Cambridge District

Book Center for almost six years. Brother Griffin has been in denominational employ for eight years, having served also in Pennsylvania.

Both Brother Griffin and his wife, Nell, are from Iowa. The family also includes nine-year-old Mark and seven-year-old Paul.

The special "Get Acquainted Open House" sale was scheduled to give opportunity to the members of North Dakota to come in and meet the Griffins while taking advantage of some special discounts on both books and food items.

An extensive tour of the state with the "Rolling Branch" bookmobile has been scheduled with plans to visit over thirty different churches during the next few months.

Carlton Dyer

SEE

HEAR

**H. M. S. Richards, Sr.
AND
KINGS HERALDS QUARTET**

November 10-11

Minneapolis Junior Academy Auditorium
3500 Williston Road
Minnetonka, Minnesota 55343

PLAN TO ATTEND

BRING A FRIEND

**Change in
Faith for Today Programming**

Station KCMT-Channel 7, Alexandria, Minnesota, has been dropped. This also includes a satellite station drop in Walker, Minnesota, Station KNMT-Channel 12. These drops are effective immediately.

Fall Book Sale Schedule

Your Book & Bible House is coming to you this fall. Keep a close watch on the calendar for the time and date the bookmobile will be at your church.

DATE	PLACE	TIME
Oct. 11	Carrington	4:00 to 8:00 p.m.
Oct. 15	Kenmare	9:00 to 11:00 a.m.
Oct. 15	Minot	1:00 to 3:00 p.m.
Oct. 15	SRA	6:00 to 9:00 p.m.
Oct. 18	Valley City	4:00 to 8:00 p.m.
Oct. 21	Streeter	After sundown
Oct. 22	Napoleon	10:00 to 12 noon
Oct. 22	Linton	2:00 to 4:00 p.m.
Oct. 22	Lehr	6:00 to 8:00 p.m.
Oct. 25	Kulm	4:00 to 8:00 p.m.
Oct. 28	Williston	After sundown
Oct. 29	Keene	9:00 to 11:00 a.m.
Oct. 29	Grassy Butte	1:00 to 3:00 p.m.
Oct. 29	Killdeer	6:00 to 9:00 p.m.
Nov. 1	Cleveland	4:00 to 8:00 p.m.
Nov. 4	Devils Lake	After sundown
Nov. 5	Bowdon	9:00 to 11:00 a.m.
Nov. 5	Goodrich	12:00 noon to 3:00 p.m.
Nov. 5	McClusky	5:00 to 8:30 p.m.
Nov. 8	New Home	4:00 to 8:00 p.m.
Nov. 11	Turtle Lake	After sundown
Nov. 12	Max	9:00 to 11:00 a.m.
Nov. 12	Beulah	1:00 to 4:00 p.m.
Nov. 12	Hebron	6:00 to 9:00 p.m.
Nov. 15	Grand Forks	4:00 to 8:00 p.m.
Nov. 18	Beach	After sundown
Nov. 19	Bowman	10:00 to 12:00 noon
Nov. 19	Dickinson	3:00 to 7:00 p.m.
Nov. 26	SRA	3:00 to 7:00 p.m.
Nov. 29	Deisem	4:00 to 7:30 p.m.
Dec. 2	Ellendale	After sundown
Dec. 3	Lisbon	10:00 to 12:30 p.m.
Dec. 3	Wahpeton	3:00 to 7:00 p.m.
Dec. 9	Jamestown	After sundown
Dec. 16	Bismarck	After sundown
Dec. 17	Bismarck	All day



North Dakota

**New Manager
for Adventist
Book Center**



The Griffins: Marvin, Nell, Paul, and Mark.

Marvin Griffin, new Adventist Book Center manager, held a special "Get Acquainted Open House" on Sunday, October 1, at the Jamestown headquarters.

The Griffins recently moved to North Dakota from Topeka, Kansas, where he was manager of the Kansas

SRA Field Day Tops \$2,200



High car for the day came back with over \$200.00.

Ninety-eight SRA students raised over \$2,200 on their annual Ingathering field day. The students were joined in this missionary outreach by the SRA faculty, sixteen district pastors and the conference office staff.

The SRA students, divided into groups of from 3 to 5, covered the north central area of North Dakota, visiting homes in the rural areas as well as the towns. The business establishments in most of the towns are also contacted on this yearly field day. The all-day event netted \$2230.55.



V. O. Schneider, Lay Activities Secretary, points to grand total of \$2230.55.



Students load up for full field day.

V. O. Schneider, Lay Activities Secretary, was driver and director of the group that returned with the highest amount, \$212.00, for the day's activities. Some of the groups were out until 10:00 p.m., putting in a full day.

During the report and rally that was held the following morning, Ray Hoffman, SRA principal, congratulated the students, faculty, and ministers stating that "for many of our friends in North Dakota this is the only contact they have with Seventh-day Adventists all year long."

Carlton Dyer
PR Secretary

Beach Church Interior Improved

Several projects have recently been undertaken by members of the Beach Church to enhance their church building as a more presentable place of worship. Already completed is the installation of a sound amplifier system, new carpet for the sanctuary, and remodeling the interior front. The interior remodeling of the church's front called for an extensive change in

appearance by paneling the walls, adding flower boxes, "stone," new lighting, and steps all around the rostrum.

Projects now in progress include a new organ, drapes, and a drinking fountain. Further changes that have been voted will turn an office into a mother's room and install a projection system for "Mission Spotlight" and other film viewing.

The Beach members have rallied to earnestly support these needed changes. A new confidence runs through the congregation, reports Pastor Councell. A new respect for the sanctuary from both church members and community neighbors is felt.

Sometime next spring a rededication service is planned. You are cordially invited to stop in and visit with us whenever you are in the area of the Badlands.

Gary R. Councell, Pastor
Beach District

Bismarck Pathfinder News Notes

A group of 14 Bismarck Pathfinders in full uniform with western hat marched in the Bismarck Centennial Parade in July. The crowd of spectators reached from one end of the mile-long parade route to the other. Little 3-year-old DeAnn Champion in a tiny uniform Mrs. Meier sewed appeared to be the Pathfinders' mascot marching along with them the entire mile.

The City of Bismarck planted a living "Bismarck" sign composed of 394 North Dakota-grown ponderosa pine. Various organizations purchased trees to be planted in the forest sign. Pathfinder Director DeLane Meier was instrumental in having the Bismarck Path-



Bismarck Pathfinder Director DeLane Meier standing by Bismarck Centennial Forest Sign.

finders purchase a tree for this forest. The Pathfinders' tree is in the "C" of the Bismarck sign located east of Bismarck. A plaque was erected on exit 37 of Interstate 94 listing all tree sponsors.

At the Pathfinder campout August 24-26, the group visited the Indian Museum at New Town and the Paul Broste Rock Museum at Parshall. "When one sees the aesthetic beauty of rocks at this museum, one

catches a small vision of the beauty of the rocks that are mentioned to be in the Holy City," remarked one visitor. Here the youth looked into a crystal ball about 8-10 inches in diameter. Rocks in the entire museum are worth over one-half million dollars. The fossil rocks especially spoke out as to the factuality of Noah's flood. A huge mammoth tusk about 5 feet long found near Watford City, N. D., was exhibited there.

District Game Warden Gerald Meier spoke to the Pathfinder group at their camp by the water's edge about fishing, the process of planting fish in the lakes, hunting and laws involved.

At the annual State Pathfinder Camporee held at Beaver Creek this year, Bismarck Pathfinders were named the honor club.

Pathfinder Director DeLane Meier, vocational engineer at the State Highway Department, stated he has a vision for accomplishing still greater things in the future with the Pathfinders. He has a staff of seven people helping him in Pathfinders, which include Orville and Ruby Wetzel, Ruth Chase, Myra Meier, Esther Vietz, Harold Well, and Jim Lunday.

Mrs. James Lunday
Bismarck PR Secretary

North Dakota News Notes

Seven delegates, headed by V. O. Schneider, Lay Activities Secretary, attended the Federation Officers' Council for Health and Welfare Community Services officers.

Fifteen SRA students and three faculty members attended the four-day Union-wide Bible Camp held at North Star Camp in Brainerd, Minnesota.

Property has been purchased for the new North Dakota Academy eleven miles east of Bismarck on Interstate 94.

Dr. R. M. Hillier from Union College conducted the Week of Prayer at SRA September 24 - 30.

Literature evangelists will have "Big Week" October 2-9. Literature deliveries in North Dakota total \$20,001.57 thus far for 1972.

* South Dakota

Coming Soon

Health and Welfare Federation Fall Meet

Regional Federation	Place	Date	Hour
Western	Spearfish	Oct. 24	10 a.m.
North Central	Aberdeen	Oct. 25	10 a.m.
Southeastern	Madison	Oct. 26	10 a.m.

Invited - all members of Dorcas societies, pastors and those interested in welfare work.

Present - W. G. Larson and J. G. Nikkels, Lay Activities secretaries, respectively of the Northern Union and South Dakota Conference.

Guest speaker: Art R. Mazat, manager, Periodical Department of Pacific Press, who for 13 years has been Director of Welfare Activities both in the U.S. and abroad.

Potluck served at noon as customary and according to suggestions of regional presidents.

Plainview Academy Annual Reunion

Camp Wawona - Yosemite, California
November 3-5, 1972

Nathan Eder, President Rose Reuer, Secretary
Robert Schmunk, Vice-President Lola Levison, Treasurer

Dear Plainviewites,

It is time to begin planning for a big weekend at Wawona. We expect this to be the largest and best meeting so far.

A special invitation is extended to the alumni of more recent years, as we want all to be included. Recognition will be given to the class that has the largest attendance per capita.

Make reservations early to assure lodging and meal planning.

Call or write: Rose A. Reuer, Secretary
Box 115
Deer Park, Ca. 94576
Telephone: (707) 963-4398

Evangelism that Builds

"It is better to build boys than to mend men." This veridical maxim states the reason why the Sabbath School Department promotes child evangelism as one of the most effective tools to build up God's church.

"Children", said evangelist Moody, "have all their lives to spend for Christ. Adults have spent

"Never feel at liberty to go into the desk until you have by faith grasped the arm of your strength." T5, page 159.

theirs already!" So it makes sense to conduct Vacation Bible Schools for children. It is just plain logic to win them when they are the easiest to win.

Of course, there are always skeptics who say: "Too many denominations carry on similar programs. With so much competition it is not worth the effort!" Others protest: "Only *our* children are coming; so what's the use!"

South Dakotans are pretty conservative, yet once they change their minds and believe in a program they work it for all it is worth. Again this past summer some churches stepped out in faith and were well rewarded. Exciting letters from the various VBS leaders show that the Lord blessed the builders of youth.

Observed a teenager of the Church of God, who voluntarily offered her services to the VBS director in Lemmon: "This has been the best VBS I have ever been to!" This must have been true because all VBS reported a record attendance of non-Adventist children. At present several follow-up programs are consolidating the results of these Bible Schools. Several children are now attending church in the towns where a VBS was held.

If your church did not step out this summer why not start planning NOW for next year? Remember--to build is more satisfying than to mend and the results are more enduring.

J. G. Nikkels
SS Secretary

More "Coffee and Pepper"



L. J. Pumford, Temperance secretary, presenting Five-day Plan in Sioux Falls.

Twenty persons registered for the Five-day Plan conducted at the YMCA in Sioux Falls September 17-21. Paul Kemper, pastor of our church in that city, Gilbert Jorgensen from the local church, and L. J. Pumford, Temperance Secretary of the conference, led out in the program each evening. Most of those who registered returned from night to night, and reported varied and interesting experiences in their effort to stop the tobacco habit. One man, who had quit smoking 2 days before coming to the Five-day Plan, said he was having a real struggle. After quitting he figured he ought to have something to take the place of

tobacco so drank more and more coffee and used the pepper shaker excessively.

After attending the first night he said he could understand why he was having such a problem and would have to "reverse" things considerably. After seven days he claimed the victory over tobacco along with about 50% of those who started the Plan. Others had cut down considerably, even the man who had been smoking five packs a day. He was down to two or three cigarettes a day.

Those attending were very happy for their progress from day to day. They look forward to "better living" and are indeed grateful for the community service of the Sioux Falls Seventh-day Adventist church.

L. J. Pumford

Fall District Meetings and Book Sales

October 28	Bowdle
November 11	Sioux Falls
November 18	Watertown
December 2	Rapid City

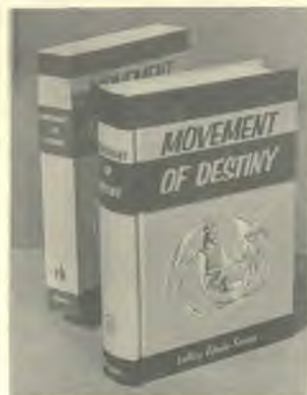
Arthur Kiesz, president of the Northern Union Conference, will be the guest speaker in Bowdle, Sioux Falls and Rapid City. L. H. Netteburg will be our guest speaker at Watertown.

The afternoon program will be different and interesting, with every-member participation in group discussion.

The regular Christmas Book and Bible House sale will occupy the early evening hours.

Come early. Enjoy the fellowship of members from other churches. Sample the wonderful pot-luck food. Join in the afternoon program. Buy books. Go home tired but happy.

General News



A Good Book

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My personal testimony for you, dear reader, is to provide this book for your library. You will not be sorry.

L. H. Netteburg

Welcome



Brother and Sister Kinsey, Sharon and Robert.

For many months consideration has been given to the fact that customers who buy our books from our literature evangelists are very seldom ever contacted after the purchase has been made. It has been felt that these people should be visited by someone to determine whether any interest has been created by the reading of the literature sold to them. This visitation program has been tried in one or two other conferences with excellent success.

The union conference has joined with the local conferences in securing a worker to follow up these

sales. We are pleased to inform you that Robert Kinsey, from Oregon, has accepted the Union Committee's invitation to join our forces in working for the purchasers of our literature.

Brother Kinsey is well qualified for this endeavor inasmuch as he has been a literature evangelist, a Bible instructor, and an associate publishing secretary. He loves the Lord and enjoys visiting people in their homes. We feel he will do well in this new assignment.

His first area of labor will be in the Twin Cities and we invite your prayers in this new venture.

We extend a warm welcome to Brother and Sister Kinsey and wish them much success in their outreach for souls.

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At Rest

HALL-Mrs. Elsie L. Hall was born on August 10, 1883, in Filmore County, Nebraska, and passed away August 30, 1972, at the age of 89. She was a member of the Minneapolis Southview Church for many years. She is survived by two daughters: Mrs. Emma Hughley, and Mrs. Edith Peltier of St. Paul; and two sons, Arthur Porter of Willernie, Minnesota, and Alfred Porter of St. Paul; 18 grandchildren 47 great-grandchildren, and 2 great-great grandchildren. Services were conducted on Friday, September 1, and burial was in the Sunset Memorial Park in St. Paul.

G. A. Hass, Pastor

REIMAN-John Reiman was born August 19, 1888 in Wirch, North Dakota and passed to his rest on August 17. On December 18, 1910 he married Mary Smith who preceded him in death in December of 1969. He

leaves to mourn his passing one daughter, Mrs. John Frank; three brothers; four sisters; two grandchildren; and six great grandchildren. Brother Reiman loved the Lord and is now with his wife in the Ellendale Cemetery where they await the call of the Life-giver.
Dale R. Kongorski

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Sunset Calendar

October 13

Des Moines, Iowa	5:36
St. Paul, Minn.	5:31
Bismarck, N. D.	6:00
Huron, S. D.	5:53
Rapid City, S. D.	5:12

October 20

Des Moines, Iowa	5:25
St. Paul, Minn.	5:19
Bismarck, N. D.	5:47
Huron, S. D.	5:42
Rapid City, S. D.	5:01

All time given is CST

The Temperance Torch Must Be Lit



Jesus said, "Ye are the light of the world." Matt. 5:14. In this age of darkness concerning God's love and God's way the world needs a penetrating light to bring release from the darkness of evil. On every hand we can see the subtilty of Satan at work breaking down man's willpower and thought processes.

Intemperance is one of his strongest weapons. The following facts help us to realize in a small way what is taking place. Per capita, Americans are drinking more today than ever before. The highest rates of alcohol-related problems seem to be with men in the under-25-age group. Almost one in five persons has someone close to him (most often a member of the family) who drinks to excess.

It is estimated that in 1972 the bill to local, state, and national governments will amount to 32 billion dollars to pay the jail, court, welfare, traffic, and other costs resulting from alcohol usage.

During the 1971-72 school year the expenditure for

operating the public schools of the United States was 48.9 billion dollars.

The newest research declares, 28% of babies born dead were caused by mothers smoking during their last five months of pregnancy. Yet one third of all expectant mothers smoke. Thirty-five per cent of the nation's adult women smoke. Teen-age smoking increases continually. Smokers between the ages of 12 and 18 have reached 4 million--an increase of 1 million between January of 1968 and January, 1970.

According to *Newsweek* more than 8 million Americans are smoking marijuana, and most of them are driving automobiles. Tests made in West Germany show that a person under the effects of drugs has no more business driving than someone under the influence of alcohol. Many are the facts which point up the critical condition of our society. In this period God's truth should shine forth like the starry heavens on a dark night. Only as God's people reveal the beauty of God's love and saving grace will the world know what truth really is.

Many years ago the church was admonished: "We need to work in the interest of temperance reform and to make this question one of living interest. This is one way in which we may become fishers of men," said the Servant of the Lord. *Temperance*, p. 252.

In addition to our personal work we must support more intensive and active temperance programs directed by our conference and church organizations.

October 28 is World Temperance Day. It would be well for each one who is free from the vices of tobacco, alcohol, and drugs to give a thank offering because he is free. In addition to this we should give a liberal offering to help support the organization in its warfare against these soul-destroying vices.

C. M. Willison,
Temperance Secretary
Northern Union Conference

Ordination

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Arthur Kiesz gave the sermon, Halle G. Crowson gave the dedication prayer, and L. H. Netteburg gave the charge to Elder Jones. G. W. Liscombe welcomed the Joneses to the ministry.

The best wishes and prayers of the entire working force go with Elder and Mrs. Jones as they leave South Dakota for Africa.

L. H. Netteburg