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Closeup

Are You Planning to Attend the General Conference Session?

General Conference time is almost here! It is a session that our people look forward to, and to those who cannot attend, you will be able to read of the daily activities in the *Review*. I would like to pass on to you some information I just received from the General Conference Communication Department.

Church leaders have recently expressed concern that the number of visitors reported to be planning to attend the General Conference session in Dallas, Texas, April 17-26, 1980, will for some services exceed the number of seats available.

Because the General Conference session is primarily for the conducting of the world business of the church, it was early determined that the Dallas Convention Center Arena would be adequate in size for the business sessions. Although there are approximately 4,000 seats in the Arena for non-delegates, these are fewer seats than there are Seventh-day Adventists in the immediate Dallas area. This causes special concern over the lack of seating that will be available the first weekend, April 18-19, and possibly for the evening services until Friday, April 25. Seating accommodations for the last weekend have been made for many thousands, who, loving their church and hoping to share in the inspiration of a world meeting, desire to attend. The meetings on Friday night, April 25, and all day Sabbath, April 26, will be held in the Convention Center Grand Hall, which seats 20,000.

It is anticipated that hundreds—perhaps thousands—of non-delegate visitors will be converging in Dallas from other countries and continents at the time of the session. Some of these will be coming from long distances and at considerable expense. It is believed that the great Seventh-day Adventist family of the North American Division will welcome these fellow church members from abroad, and apply the admonition of *Romans 12:10*, "Be kindly affectioned one to another, with brotherly love; in honor preferring one another."

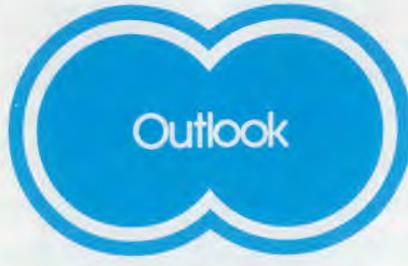
The primary purpose of articles pertaining to the General Conference session that have appeared in our church papers has been to acquaint church members with the broad plans and some interesting details of the session. The purpose of this notice is to inform church members of the probability of insufficient seating for the weekend of April 18-19, and the possibility of insufficient seating for the evening meetings through April 24. It is anticipated that the 20,000 seats in the Grand Hall will be sufficient for those attending on the closing Friday night and Sabbath, April 25-26.

E. L. Marley
President

ABOUT OUR COVER:

Posing for the cover picture are left to right: Bob Olson, Pastor Dan Simpson, Minnetonka, Donna Naustdal, and Letty Stotz, Minnesota Conference Bible Instructor. Photography arranged by Elder W. G. Larson, Northern Union Lay Activities and Sabbath School Director.

Photography by Shirley Engel, *OUTLOOK* Assistant Editor. The cover picture is given to depict the three visitors to a home with the door to door survey to secure interests.



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LAYMEN TRAINING - VISITATION 1980



"It is the privilege of every Christian not only to look for, but to hasten the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ." *COL* p. 69.

Seventh-day Adventists in Iowa will be out visiting more this year than ever before. Sabbath Schools who have gone through the "Performance in Sabbath School" training course have set goals for outreach by asking friends and members of the family to be partakers in the blessings of learning about and accepting Jesus. Territorial Assignment is being used in many of our churches with rewarding results, as our people get acquainted with others who want to know about Jesus.

Two programs in Bible study visitation are working well in Iowa. One program called, "Caleb's Group", and being introduced by Gerrie Adams of the Des Moines church, involves Bible marking, strong visitation, and a "Spiritual Gifts" program. The pilot program began in the Des Moines church, and is spreading to other churches in the area. The other program being presented is "No Limit", which is a visitation and Bible study program put out by the General Conference. As of this date, nine pastors have ordered this program for their districts.

In addition to all of the above, there is a strong Community Services follow-up being conducted throughout the Conference. Seventh-day Adventists in the Iowa Conference feel that 1980 will be a banner year for visitation and that many souls will be won to Christ through the contacts made by our members.

Richard Judson
Lay Activities Director, Iowa



Each Sabbath afternoon members of the Albertville-Greenfield Company visit from door to door. These 15 people believe that under the Lord's blessing they will be able to find receptive individuals to the advent movement. In the Maple Plain church a witnessing class taught by a layman is beginning, that will feature a visitation program. All over Minnesota our people are beginning to respond to Christ' "impartire" to preach the gospel to every creature.

Through witnessing classes and by example leadership more and more people will learn the joy of being co-laborers together with Christ. Our goal is to involve the majority of our people in Minnesota in some sort of outreach program. Under the blessings of the Lord we will accomplish that objective.

Stephen L. McPherson
Director of Lay Activities, Minnesota



Our laymen have asked for training in all areas of service for our Lord. There will be Sabbath School Seminars and Vacation Bible School Training Schools. Every person in North Dakota will be given an opportunity to hear and accept the love of God as it is presented in the Three Angels Messages.

We have talked about a finished work so long that it has become a cliche. We believe that if there ever was a time that portends the Second Advent, it is now. We need to accept the challenge. . . . "Seek first His Kingdom and His righteousness, and all these things will be given you as well." *Matthew 6:33 N.I.V.*

We need to get to know our Lord and Saviour so well that our every action in business, social, or spiritual, will say that we believe Jesus is coming! We should be willing to serve and witness to every person who will listen. We shall not be witnessing because someone has told us to do so. We shall be witnessing because we love Him. Malachi speaks of this last message going in the spirit and power of Elijah. "And he will go before the Lord . . . to turn the hearts of the fathers to their children and the disobedient to the wisdom of the righteous, to make ready a people prepared for the Lord." *Luke 1:17 N.I.V.* Will you not be a part of the people prepared for the Lord?

Ed Scheresky
Director of Lay Activities, North Dakota



Prophecy Lectures in Atwater

A series of 12 Bible prophecy lectures covering the books Daniel and Revelation were presented by Pastor Steve McPherson January 21 to February 14 in Atwater, Minnesota.

Pastor McPherson, Minnesota Conference Lay Activities Director, said the purpose of the meetings was to "inform interested parties of major Bible prophecies that show where we are today in the stream of prophecy."



Pastors Cottam and McPherson look over prophetic materials.

Color slides and a syllabus with full color charts were used as visual aids in making the presentations.

The lectures were given in facilities of Atwater High School. Gee Kitzler
Communication Secretary

Conference History Progress Report

In the August 27, 1979 issue of the *Outlook*, an announcement was made that an historical outline of the Minnesota Conference dating from 1863 to the present was to be compiled, and that the preliminary organization of a heritage center, to be situated at the conference headquarters, was about to be launched. At this point in time we are happy to announce that both projects bear evidence of substantial progress.

The writing of the historical outline has been greatly accelerated by the services of the General Conference Archives. Dr. Don Yost, Director of Archives and Statistics, and Mr. Bert Haloviak, Assistant Director, have been most helpful in providing us with *Seventh-day Adventist Yearbook* information on Minnesota and its institutions. When yearbooks were not published, such as was the case between 1895 and 1903, these brethren have provided us with available information from the *General Conference Bulletin* for those years. The possession of these source materials has made possible the expectation that this project will be completed by late February or early March. This will give the Minnesota Conference ready access to an extensive body of information which, up to this time, has not been recorded. A description of

this handbook will be published in a future issue of the *Outlook*.

The Heritage Center project is an activity involving every interested Seventh-day Adventist minister and layperson in the Minnesota Conference. Each church has been contacted and asked to appoint a Heritage Secretary who will seek out in the local congregation the historical background of that church, the persons involved through the years, pictures of churches, pictures of church members, human interest records, church school activities, and the like, from the year the church or company was organized to the present. The response to this request has been most gratifying. We have received a great amount of significant historical data, pictures, and histories of churches—a fascinating aggregate of past events so precious to the Advent movement. At the coming campmeeting we will feature prepared materials from these churches in our Heritage Room setting in the new Maplewood Academy administration building. We solicit the participation of all churches in this project. A continuing blessing is in store for those who keep the Blessed Hope ever before them—past, present, and future.

Adrian R. M. Lauritzen

1980 Investiture Schedule

Location	Date	Time
Cambridge	March 28	7:00 p.m.
Blackberry	April 5	6:00 p.m.
International Falls	April 6	7:00 p.m.
Northome	April 7	7:00 p.m.
Bemidji	April 8	7:00 p.m.
Brainerd	April 9	7:00 p.m.
Wadena	April 10	7:00 p.m.
Clitherall	April 11	7:00 p.m.
Detroit Lakes	April 12	11:00 a.m.
Karlstad	April 12	6:00 p.m.
Thief River Falls	April 13	7:00 p.m.
Pipestone	May 4	7:00 p.m.
St. Paul	May 5	7:00 p.m.
Minneapolis	May 6	7:00 p.m.
Faribault	May 8	7:00 p.m.
Albert Lea	May 9	7:00 p.m.
Rochester	May 10	6:30 p.m.
Maple Plain	May 12	7:00 p.m.
Hutchinson	May 13	7:00 p.m.



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St. Paul Trailblazer's on The Move



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The 26-member St. Paul Trailblazer's Pathfinder Club is busy all the time with varied activities. The accompanying pictures tell it best.

During the Fall of 1979, a Pathfinder Day program was presented in both the First and Eastside churches who support the club. Pathfinder of the Year trophies were presented to Janelle Carter (1) and Richard Craven (2). On Halloween night the Pathfinders participated in the can collecting project (3) and the items collected were added to ten food boxes which the squads distributed at Christmas time (4). An impressive service of induction was conducted in November for eight new members (5).

Classes currently being taught are Knots (6), Model Rocketry (7), Macrame (8) and Cake Decorating (9), taught by Dale Bartholomew, Larry Sievert, Karen Lanz, and Nancy Jones, respectively.

Leadership for the club is provided by Mr. and Mrs. Dale Bartholomew, Director and Deputy; Eugene Anderson, Treasurer; and Counselors Nancy Frank, Heather Huntsman, Dale Sabin and Russell Zummach.

The St. Paul Pathfinders look forward to get-togethers with fellow clubs during the coming Spring and Summer (10).

Louise Bartholomew
Club Director

Photo Credits: Don Compton



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The Angels Were There

It happened at the Austin Seventh-day Adventist church. The time was 10:00 a.m. on the Sabbath before Christmas. The event was the presentation of the Christmas Sabbath School program by the "entire" primary division of our Sabbath School. This group consists of two members, Tim and Carrie Chapman.

It seemed that angels were in attendance as the Christmas story was presented. Though small in number, this twosome was mighty in action. Tim spoke the opening prayer to God. The mission story had a two-part theme and was dramatized by Carrie and Tim. Several duets of Christmas music were much enjoyed.

These, the youth of today, will be the leaders of tomorrow! Truly, this was an hour of inspiration.

Cora Hanson, *Communication Secretary*

Litchfield to have 100th Anniversary

On May 26, 1880, the Litchfield church was organized with nine charter members. They met in their homes for several years. By 1883 they had seventeen members, and as years went by more members were added and some dropped.

On May 23rd and 24th, 1980, Friday evening and Sabbath, the Litchfield church members will be commemorating the 100th Anniversary of the organization of the church.

We wish to invite anyone who is interested, and especially any of those who were former members of the church, to spend the weekend with us. For further information, please contact Myrtle Petersen; 612-693-8597 or Pastor Larry Cottam; 612-354-2700.

Gee Gee Kitzler
Communication Secretary

Beyond Utterance



Jerene and Eric Nelson

Christmas in Thailand. Christmas in a refugee camp. Christmas in a world of tragedy. The Christmas Eric and Jerene Nelson spent had little in common with the all-American Yuletide.

When they deplaned from the military transport at Bangkok, they knew the Lord had sent them.

- The birth certificates necessary to obtain a passport were requested Friday and arrived Monday.
- In Chicago, knowing they lacked the required authorization, they applied for passports, and that same day received them with a minimum of waiting.
- United Airlines unexpectedly flew the Nelsons without charge from South Bend, Indiana to Los Angeles.



—Jerene was told she'd be fired from her hospital job if she took time off. She still holds her position.

Jerene is the daughter of Vernon and Carol Seibold, Buchanan, North Dakota, and an R.N. graduate of Walla Walla College. Eric is a theology student at Andrews University. Sponsored by SAWS they left December 2 from Travis Air



Force Base, California. January 1 they were back home. Home physically, home mentally, but with chained hearts—chained to a place where people need people beyond utterance.

Near the Thailand-Cambodia border, in three refugee camps, Jerene and Eric pitched in to do what they had come to do. The hospital, under the direction of the Red Cross, was a group of gravel floored, thatched roof huts, each containing ten beds, to a total of 500 beds. Tuberculosis, Malaria and malnutrition had been burying 100 a day. But when they arrived the intensive feeding program had reduced the daily toll to two or three.

With the aid of interpreters, some of whom were from the Seventh-day Adventist Language School in Phnom-Penh, Jerene was able to communicate with the people she calls "beautiful." In spite of their reduction to a homeless, helpless, humanity, they strive still to be clean, to show love, and to share happiness.

The Cambodian kids got to Eric. At first he had to consult with himself just to touch them. But after a while he couldn't resist and he'd just "grab a kid and go make a kite." Necessity is the mother of invention at her finest in refugee camps. With bits of wire and scraps of wood they proved themselves inventive and adept at creating their own toys.

In a nameless mass of 80,000 it would seem few faces could surface to draw attention. But some did, especially the faces of children—the small girl who never met your gaze, never smiled, found abandoned for dead on a pile of bodies; the little boy, missing an eye, part of a hand, and partially deaf who was so loving; the ten year-old girl who had been forced to dig ditches 10 to 12 hours a day, and smiled constantly.

For now the situation is encouraging. But rehabilitation and regeneration of the land is



long-range. Eric says, "the refugees will probably be there for five years. What will happen when everybody's heart stops bleeding and attention is shifted somewhere else?"

Eric and Jerene want to go back, and why would they not, since part of themselves is still there?

That Jesus Kind of Love

Christmas of 1978, 85 people gathered at the Cleveland, North Dakota High School gymnasium. The occasion was a Christmas supper—a revealing party when the ladies of the Cleveland church would make themselves known to the community secret sister they had chosen a year previous and whom they had loved in a hundred and one thoughtful ways in the ensuing months. Among the 85 present was Lorraine Wolf whom Ida Schroeder had chosen.

In January of 1979 the Cleveland church ladies chose again, and choosing with them were three community ladies who had said, "We would like to join you, to become a Friendship Friend to someone else." Among these was Lorraine Wolf. Lorraine had written Ida, "My life has been changed because you have shown me what the love of God is all about."

Lorraine chose that January day. Eleven months later on the occasion of Thanksgiving, she wrote to the one she had chosen:

November 12, 1979

Dear Secret Pal,

Here it is November already!! Time goes by so fast! It's a beautiful day and I got to thinking about you and what I would get you for Thanksgiving. I thought about all the things I am thankful for, and in my mind I made a list. Then I got to thinking about something else I am very thankful for and I would like to share that with you.

A year ago, when I was quite new in my community, a lady from another church chose me to be her secret pal. Almost every month, or whenever I was sick or if I happened to carry a special burden, well, she was right there to cheer me up. I didn't know who she was, but somehow she managed to find out all about me. She enriched my life so many times and with such love, that I couldn't help



Ida Schroeder and Lorraine Wolf.

but know she must be a Christian. I tried to find out who she was, but she was too clever. Ha! She managed to keep it a secret till it was time to reveal herself to me.

This love I mentioned, well, I'd never known anyone to do this kind of thing before, and I had lived in many different



Ida Schroeder and her 1979 Secret Sister, Nettie Tahran.

communities. But I never did see such concern and love. She had burdens of her own, yet she took time out of her busy life to enrich mine. "This has got to come from God," I said. And so, it did. Yes, my friendship friend was indeed a Christian and she showed me the love of Jesus and how you can spread it around. It doesn't matter which church you go to, that kind of love knows no bounds!

Well, I want you to know,

that kind of love rubbed off on me. This year I chose a secret pal too, and, my dear friend, I hope I have spread a little of this kind of love to you, too. (You see, I don't belong to the same church that my friendship friend does, but it doesn't matter to me.) I'll always



Carol Seibold and Secret Sister, Rosie Haugen.

cherish the love she gave to me. She showed me what it means to share the love that Jesus has for each one of us.

It won't be long now and you will know who I am, and when you see me, don't be surprised if I give you a big hug—a hug of love—that Jesus kind of love.

Your Friendship Friend



Donna Hieb, Secret Sister to Sherri Moser.

Lila Erickson
Communication Secretary



The President of the General Conference, Elder Neal Wilson, stated that unity and commitment are the greatest need of the Iowa Conference membership as they face the challenge of education needs. He urged all delegates to go to the Great Fountainhead of instruction for their answers to the many perplexing problems facing the church today.

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Youth More Than



Elder Everett Marley, Northern Union Conference President, reviews the needs of the conference. Mentioning his desire to see Oak Park Academy continue to serve the Iowa Conference, he urged the constituents to carefully and prayerfully consider all aspects of the educational program.



John Amick, Iowa Conference Treasurer, answered the many questions asked by delegates. The free-flowing discussion between the constituents and those on the platform contributed toward understandings that led to the successful conclusion of the meeting.



Elder Wilson greets one of the nearly 300 delegates who attended the constituency meeting that was called February 10 to consider the future operation of Oak Park Academy.

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"We must move forward in faith
to finish the work in Iowa and
around the world," states Elder
Don Holland, Iowa Conference
President. Pointing out the
important role that Iowa has
played in the development of the
church, he challenged the
constituents assembled to
assure the youth of the
conference of a continuing
educational program on all
levels.



The recommendations of the con-
stituent churches were read to the
assembly by Tom Lytle, layman
from Ames, Iowa. This was a
compilation of most of the sugges-
tions that came in from the
churches of the conference outlining
what they felt were needs that
should be met if the Academy is to
continue a strong operation.



Oak Park Academy Principal, Carl
Moekel, explained many aspects of
the Academy program that
concerned the gathered church
members. His assurance of personal
concern for the students by
Administration and staff contributed
to the confidence of the constitu-
ency who voted overwhelmingly to
continue to support the school.



The Nevada church group caucus with their pastor, Elder Bob Bretsch. Individual churches met to discuss the issues and returned to the auditorium for answers to additional questions before the final victorious vote. A feeling of unity and goodwill was experienced by those assembled as a nearly-unanimous vote was given in support of the Academy and Christian education in Iowa.

South Dakota

History of the Pierre Church

Adventist influences began to stir Pierre soon after it became the capitol city. A conference Bible worker, Harriet Shoals, arrived in 1918 and studied with anyone who would listen, using the book *Bible Readings For The Home*. One of her students, Birdella Simcox, still lives in Pierre and is a joyful Christian at 87. Harriet Shoals' students met as they could in rented locations or in homes.

Another group of believers began meeting for Sabbath School in Ft. Pierre, west of Pierre, early in 1921 at the home of Lotte Root. This included local families as well as people traveling through. They were completely unaware of the existence of other Adventists just a few miles across the river.

In 1932 Miss Beatrice Root, while courting in Pierre, met Miss Grace Heron and discovered that there was also a group meeting on the east side of the river. The two groups decided to combine and since Miss Heron had a piano, her home became the regular meeting place.

This new company was formally organized into a church in April, 1933 with a membership of 11. Today the only surviving charter member is Mrs. Simcox. The new church still had no regular meeting place so services were often held in the home of Richard Gould, a Seventh-day Baptist.

Finally, during 1939, a pastor was assigned to central South Dakota and Elder J. A. Estey made it his first business to secure a place of meeting in Pierre. He found that the English Lutheran Church would soon be selling its building when their new sanctuary was completed and the price of \$1500 was at least within the reach of his faith. The conference office in Watertown gave its reluctant approval and in August, 1940 the contract was signed.

The little white church at the corner of Washington and Capitol was then already 51 years old. Swedish Lutherans had built it as a mission project in 1889 hoping that a new church building in Pierre would influence those who were selecting a site for the state capitol. Now, for the second time, the little church was an object of faith as the 19 Adventist members waited every month to see what miracles would pay the \$14 monthly



The present edifice on the corner of Robinson and Monroe, on "church" hill near the Church of Christ, the Baptist church, the Episcopal church and the Mormon meeting place.

installment. For two and a half years the treasurer, Brother Bodtke, never failed to find what was needed in his mailbox before the note was due. In the meantime the church did double duty, serving the Adventist believers on Sabbath and the Lutherans on Sunday, an arrangement that ended in October, 1942 when the sale contract was completed.

There followed years of steady growth under the ministries of these men: Chester A. Lindquist, Richard D. Necker, Melvin L. Sample, John W. Fisk, H. Hampton White, Alfred Bernhardt, Kenneth Allen, George Sherbony and James B. Gray. When Allen T. Bidwell arrived he found a church of 110 members spilling into the aisles and was convinced that it



The first Seventh-day Adventist church in Pierre on the corner of Washington and Capitol, across from the present governor's mansion.

was time to move forward again. Plans were laid, a contract let and in October, 1965 the first services were held in the Robinson Street Sanctuary. The new church was built on a city block of land donated by J. E. Cheek in 1956 and stood beside a church school building which had been completed in 1958. The church was dedicated on April 19, 1969 during the ministry of Paul W. Kemper.

Growth continued. Pastors Milton E. Erhart, Jimmie D. King, Larry B. Stephens and Lynn Schlisner came and went, helping to build the church to a

strength of 132 members. During 1979 an often discussed dream to construct a multi-purpose building with additional space for an expanded Community Services program, became a reality in November, 1979, with the construction of a 4250 square feet steel building, which will be opened to the public within a few weeks.

One city block occupied by the church building, a church school, a multiple-purpose construction and a parsonage now forms the evangelistic center for central South Dakota and the capitol city. Pierre (pronounced "peer") is located in the exact center of the state, along the Missouri River, approximately 35 miles north of Interstate 90.

Due to the proximity of the continent's largest earth-rolled dam—the Oahe—the area is a center for all kinds of watersports from skiing to fishing. Fishermen claim that the fish in this 200 mile-long lake learn to bite before they swim.

The city itself has a population of over 13,000 inhabitants, many of whom are employed by Federal and State



Pierre church members during Spring 1934 were from left to right: L. L. McKinley, Bertha Gross, Mrs. Peterson, Anna Mason, Grace Heron, Mrs. Jack Horn, Mrs. Lotte Root, Mrs. Birdella Simcox, Mrs. Velma Baysen, Mrs. Nelson, Alice Jorgenson Babcock, unidentified, Russel Babcock, Maude Sofie (kneeling), Nelson children, Henry Adams, Nellie Root, Harriet Adams, Mrs. Mollie Adams (kneeling).



Site preparation for the proposed multiple-purpose building behind the church school playground.

governments which makes for a very mobile population and calls for a continuing program of evangelism.

Upon looking for the right angle from which to photograph the "old church", the present pastor noticed that the building was in sad repair, doors sagging in the jambs, with a



Front view of the nearly finished multiple-purpose construction with the Pierre church school edifice to the right.

black, plastic bandage roughly nailed over a broken window. The Jaycees, without an insult to memory intended, had used the building for a paid admission haunted house during Halloween. "There was a lesson here," said Dan Bettle, "Only the truth is sacred . . . it came before we did and will outlive both us and our buildings."



Map of Central South Dakota.

Article #19 in the series on the history of South Dakota's churches was researched and written by Elder Dan Bettle, present pastor of the Pierre church, with the aid of Birdella Simcox, Genevieve Brown, Della Brenneise and Bea Root Warrick, who submitted the group picture and aided us in the identification of those posing for the photographer. Other pictures courtesy of Dan Bettle.

J. G. Nikkels
Department of Communication

ANNOUNCEMENT

Spring Federation Meetings

The Spring Federation meetings will be held from April 8 to 10 at the following places:

WESTERN FEDERATION -
Spearfish - at Reimke Hall -
APRIL 8 - 10:00 a.m.

NORTH-CENTRAL FEDERATION -
Lemmon - 13 6th St. West -
APRIL 9 - 10:30 a.m.

SOUTH-EASTERN FEDERATION -
Mitchell - place to be announced later
APRIL 10 - 1:30 p.m.

Please note the time of commencement for the place you attend as they are different in Lemmon and Mitchell due to the distances some of the members as well as the conference director have to drive. Also members of the North-Central Federation please note that the time is listed in Mountain time. You will gain an hour in the morning, but lose it in the afternoon upon your return to your home east of the river. Come prepared with your new manual, dues, offerings. Special instructions and demonstrations will be part of the program.



Boys Quartet: (l to r) Jeff Coleman, Josh Marcoe, Jimmy Coleman and Thad Marcoe.



Humorous skit on the "INFANTRY".
Randy and Robby Dickhaut, Shannon Ribbon and Clinton Rittenberger.

President MC's Church Social

South Dakota Conference President, Elder George Liscumbe, was master of ceremonies at the year end social for Rapid City church members. The program which included several musical selections and a number of humorous skits was conducted at the YMCA.



Humorous skit by Bicki Chasson and Jan Kelly (behind scene).



"Short People" by Anita Dyer and Tammy Brodie.

L. Bissenden
Communication Secretary

General News

President's Son Visits Spearfish

The Black Hills were never more beautiful than they were on Sabbath, February 23, when my wife and I visited the Spearfish, South Dakota church. When we arrived at the church some of the members told us that Simeon Okongo, a Seventh-day Adventist from Kenya, Africa would be in church that day. Simeon is here for four years attending Black Hills State College. When Simeon arrived he had another student with him. Both students are friends of one of our Literature Evangelists, Steve Azevedo of Spearfish.

Following the church service the church members and guests



The son of the President of Kenya, Africa, Raymond Moi, (right) explains an insignia from his homeland to Simeon Okongo (left), also from Kenya, and Steve Azevedo of Spearfish.

enjoyed a lovely fellowship lunch at the Reimche Hall. During the lunch Steve mentioned that Simeon's friend, Raymond Moi, is the president's son. The president's son? Yes, Raymond's father is the President of Kenya. When asked how he chose to attend school in South Dakota, Raymond said that he had known a mission

teacher from South Dakota and decided to go to school in South Dakota.

We were certainly honored to have the president's son attend our church. We just hope that he was as happy to be with us as we were happy to have him visit with us.

Halle G. Crowson
Editor

Special General Conference Album

Chapel/Bridge Records is preparing a commemorative album of the highlights of the music for the 1980 General Conference Session in Dallas, Texas. This album will feature the songs the various artists will present at the convention. Twenty artists from around the world, ranging from soloists to choral groups, will be included in a double record or cassette package. The following artists will be represented: The Belko Brass, Earl Meyers, Union Springs Academy Choir, Merle Morgan, Robert Folkenberg, Wintley Phipps, El Sumaraga, Meryl Wilson, the King's Heralds, Del Delker, Walter Arties, Brenda Spraggins, Montemorelos Choir, Charles L. Brooks, the Oceanaires (Monterey Bay Academy), Mike and Sharon Hansen, the Antillion Union Choir, Breath of Life Quartet, the Polish Choir, and the Chuck Fulmore Trio. If you are not attending the General Conference and would like to receive a record or cassette, please note the ad in another part of this paper.

Amateur Radio at General Conference Session

The General Conference has authorized the Adventist Amateur Radio Network members to operate a station at the General Conference Session in Dallas, April 17-26. A meeting of all AARN Members present is scheduled for April 20, 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. in Room E-410, the room assigned to the AARN for the station.

Mel Northrup KAØCBZ, of Lincoln, Nebraska, will coordinate all network activity. The following daily schedules have been tentatively planned:

0100 GMT — 21.405 — operator KAØCBZ to South America and S. Asia
0300 GMT — 14.305 — operator K3LJP to North & Central America
1600 GMT — 21.405 — operator KAØCBZ to Pacific & Far East
1900 GMT — 14.305 — operator 4STRE to Eur., M.E., Africa
2300 GMT — 21.405 — operator WD6BDZ to Pacific, F.E., Asia
The Call letters for the station will be

K3LJP. A special QSL card is being prepared by Harold Richards of THE VOICE OF PROPHECY. It will be distinctive of the General Conference Session.

Adventist Amateur radio operators around the world will be keeping in touch with Dallas daily between April 20-27.

Ed Peterson K3LJP

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1 tablespoon margarine

2 tablespoons water
1 cup thinly sliced onion
1 cup cross-cut sliced celery
1/2 cup sliced water chestnuts
1 teaspoon diced pimiento
1/2 cup water
1 teaspoon cornstarch
2 tablespoons marinade

Combine all marinade ingredients in a bowl. Cut each piece FRICHIK into 4 strips. Place FRICHIK strips in marinade. Allow FRICHIK to soak for 15 minutes. Remove from marinade and drain. Reserve 2 tablespoons marinade for use later.

Melt margarine in a large skillet. Add 2 tablespoons water, onion and celery. Cover and cook at medium heat until vegetables are tender-crisp. Add water chestnuts, pimiento and drained FRICHIK. Heat thoroughly. Combine 1/2 cup water, cornstarch and 2 tablespoons reserved marinade. Add to FRICHIK mixture. Cook and stir as mixture boils for 1 minute and becomes clear and thickened. Excellent served with rice. Serves 3.

SESAME STYLE FRICHIK™

1 egg, slightly beaten
2 tablespoons milk
1 can FRICHIK™ (13 ounce), drained
2 tablespoons flour

2 tablespoons sesame seeds
1/4 teaspoon summer savory
1/4 teaspoon dried leaf oregano
1/4 teaspoon leaf marjoram
1/2 cup margarine

Combine egg and milk. Coat FRICHIK pieces with the egg, milk combination. Combine flour, sesame seeds, savory, oregano and marjoram. Then coat FRICHIK with this mixture. Heat margarine at medium heat in a skillet. Fry coated pieces in margarine approximately 5 minutes per side or until golden brown. Serve immediately. Yields 5 pieces. Serves 2 to 3.

FRICHIK™ WITH VEGETABLES

1/3 cup water	1 clove garlic, minced or pressed
3/4 cup sliced carrots	1 cup sliced fresh mushrooms
3/4 cup sliced celery	1/4 teaspoon salt
2 tablespoons margarine	1/8 teaspoon thyme
1 cup thinly sliced onion	1 can FRICHIK™ (13 ounce), drained

Place water, carrots and celery in a small saucepan. Cover and cook until carrots are tender-crisp. Melt margarine in a medium skillet. Add onion and garlic. Cook covered at medium heat until onion is tender but not browned. Add mushrooms, salt and thyme. Sauté at medium heat until mushrooms are cooked. Add cooked carrots and celery. Mix to blend. While preparing above, place FRICHIK pieces in a shallow casserole dish or baking pan about 8 inches in diameter. Bake uncovered at 350°F. for 10 minutes. Arrange hot cooked vegetable mixture around FRICHIK pieces. Cover and bake 10 minutes longer at 350°F. Serves 3.

FRICHIK™ MOZZARELLA

1 can FRICHIK™ (13 ounce), drained	1 cup shredded Mozzarella cheese (4 ounces)
1/2 package frozen WHAM™ (4 ounces)	1 tablespoon Parmesan cheese
	1 tablespoon minced parsley

Cut each FRICHIK piece in half. Arrange FRICHIK pieces in a single layer in a buttered shallow casserole or baking dish. Bake uncovered at 350°F. for 10 minutes. Dice sliced WHAM into 1/2 inch square pieces. Sprinkle diced WHAM* over heated FRICHIK pieces. Top with Mozzarella cheese. Sprinkle with Parmesan cheese. Bake uncovered at 350°F. for 10 minutes or until cheese is melted and begins to brown. Sprinkle with parsley and serve. Serves 4.

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Voice of Prophecy Golden Jubilee



For the past 20 years, H.M.S. Richards, Jr. has been working side-by-side with his father in the Voice of Prophecy ministry. Today, they are heard on more than 700 radio stations in North America. Father and son will be together with the broadcast musicians when the Voice of Prophecy Golden Jubilee meeting is held on Sunday, March 23, at the Auditorium Arena, 3rd Avenue and 15th Street, Minneapolis. The celebration, which begins at 4 p.m., will honor Dr. H.M.S. Richards for his 50th year of religious broadcasting. The King's Heralds, Del Delker, and Jim Teel will present a feast of music.

Dallas Ministers' Council Features Evangelism for the Eighties

The General Conference Ministerial Council, at Dallas, will be a bit different from every prior ministerial council. This one will not precede the session, but will be an integral part of the General Conference Session, occupying the entire first weekend, from Friday, April 18 at 2:30 p.m. until Sunday noon. The General Conference Session will be opened Thursday evening, April 17 at 6:00 p.m., and then on Friday afternoon the attention of all delegates, visiting pastors, evangelists, church officers and members will be turned to the crucial business of our calling and the finishing of God's great work on earth. Featured speakers during the ministerial council will include Gottfried Oosterveld, R.L. Staples, H.M.S. Richards, Sr., C.E. Bradford, Walter B.T. Douglas, R.E. Turner, and our world president, Elder Neal C. Wilson.



KUCV Boosts Power



Eric Graham, Manager-KUCV; Doug Morgan, Program Director.

Nebraska Governor, Charles Thone, expressed words of appreciation for the valuable new service provided by Union College's radio station KUCV, "Without the aid of tax dollars," Union's Fine Arts radio station has just increased its effective radiated power to 18,200 watts. This boost in power will allow people within a fifty mile radius of Lincoln to clearly receive the programming. KUCV has extended its broadcast hours to an 18-hour day. One will find the "Fine Arts Station" now located at 90.9 on the FM dial, rather than at the previous frequency of 91.3, a very slight change.

Attention: Stringed-Instrument Musicians

Stringed-instrument musicians with college or professional orchestral experience are invited to participate in the General Conference Symphony Orchestra which will perform during the musical program on the weekend of April 25-26 at Convention Center in Dallas, Texas. Rehearsals will be on Thursday night, April 24, and on Friday afternoon, April 25. If you are interested in this musical fellowship and inspiration, please write or call Dr. Virginia-Gene Rittenhouse, Thayer Conservatory, Atlantic Union College, South Lancaster, Mass. 01561. Phone 617-422-6337.

John H. Hancock, Chairman
General Conference Session
Music Committee

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Duluth, MN	6:22	6:32	
International Falls, MN	6:27	6:38	
Minneapolis, MN	6:27	6:35	
Rochester, MN	6:23	6:32	
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Bismarck, ND	6:57	7:06	
Devils Lake, ND	6:49	6:59	
Fargo, ND	6:41	6:51	
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