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The Plight of the Navahos

(The article given below is published in response to many requests which have come to the General Conference Home Missionary department, wanting to know what is being done for the Navaho Indians. This article was written by Elder Orno Follett, our missionary to the American Indians.—G. C. Home Missionary department.)

We have received inquiries from coast to coast, and from border to border regarding the much advertised situation among the Navahos. Every experienced missionary among that tribe knows that the Navahos have always traveled a hard road, according to their own stories, much harder in the olden times than since the coming of the white man. But never before has their need appealed to the American public as in the past few months. Caravans of trucks loaded with food and clothing, one such caravan being a mile long, have carried supplies to the tribe. Now the superintendent for the tribe has requested that no more supplies or donations be sent, as the needs have been provided for.

The Navahos are not asking for charity. Their greatest need, according to their own leaders, is education for their children, and a long range program which will make them self supporting. Government officials have for a long time been planning such a program which is believed will make the tribe self sustaining in ten years. This program will involve the expenditure of \$90,000,000 and the moving of about 10,000 Navahos to the rich irrigated lands of the Colorado River Reservation in western Arizona, and the development of a large irrigation project on the Navaho reservation, in addition to the further development of the natural resources on their reservation, which experts say will supply

all material needs of the tribe for all time.

Friends of the Navahos will rejoice that at last, the tribe has brighter prospects for the future, in material things. Dr. Salisbury, veteran missionary to the Navahos, says that "The No. 1 problem of the Navahos is liquor." And that, of course, is true of many other tribes. But we believe the greatest need of the Navahos, and of all other tribes, and the white people too, is the gospel of Christ. That would help settle all other problems. We are sure that all Christian members of all the tribes will agree that this is true.

The Draft and You—4

When the draft law goes into effect all men within certain age groups will be required to register. This will be the first procedure which will affect you. You will be required to go to the designated place and there register. Registration is largely for the purpose of identification (your name, residence, age, occupation, height, weight, color of hair, eyes and skin, employer's name, nationality, citizenship, etc.).

All registrants will then be provided with a questionnaire. This is to be filled out within the time allotted (usually ten days) and returned to the Selective Service Board.

It is of supreme importance that this questionnaire be properly filled out. A mistake here results in all manner of difficulties later. It is as a result of what you write in this questionnaire that you receive or fail to receive your noncombatant status, your proper classification, your exemption or deferment, if any, and your later assignment to service.

Any representations you may make later regarding classification, exemption, deferment or assignment, will be largely determined by what you write

in this questionnaire. That is, by the information you furnish or fail to furnish your board. It is likely to be your own fault if you are wrongly classified, if you are denied a noncombatant status, if you are wrongly assigned, if you get into trouble about bearing arms, if you are required to serve when you are eligible for exemption or deferment.

So take plenty of time on that questionnaire. Don't take it lightly. Get plenty of counsel. Go over it again and again. Make sure the answers you give are exactly and precisely true. Any claim you possess for exemption is to be explained in detail. Any claim you have for deferment is here to be made plain. Any claim you have for a noncombatant assignment and status is to be described here. If these things are not taken care of in the questionnaire it becomes extremely difficult, if not wholly impossible, to take care of them later.

So don't trifle with that questionnaire. Master its every detail. Know what it says and what it means. Your future well-being depends upon it.

Very nearly all the difficulties in classification and assignment our men experienced in military service during World War II—and there were thousands of them—resulted from questionnaires filled out inaccurately, inadequately, and carelessly.

I emphasize this for your sake primarily, but for our own sakes as well. The War Service Commission will have much less to do to get you out of trouble if you will take greater pains not to get into trouble. And the surest way to get into trouble is to treat that questionnaire indifferently, or carelessly.

To fill it out properly is one of the most important things ahead of you.

You may be assured that detailed instruction will be given in this paper

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Sunset Table

Friday, June 25

Angwin	8:39	Oakland	8:35
Arlington	8:08	San Diego	8:01
Chico	8:39	San Jose	8:33
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as to how properly to fill it out. Look for this. It cannot be given yet for no one knows now all that it will cover. When this is known the War Service Commission will make comprehensive and detailed explanations regarding it. If we can get our men to fill out these questionnaires the way they should, our mutual problems are going to be greatly minimized.

And the plans of God for you and your activities and welfare will be greatly helped if you do your part as you should.

For He has plans for you. "He is planning for thee in love; for it matters to Him about you."

CARLYLE B. HAYNES.

Central California Colporteur Symposium

I have had the pleasure of attending many colporteur symposiums through the years, as I have traveled from place to place in many local conferences, but I can unhesitatingly say that I never attended a colporteur symposium anywhere that more fully exhibited the power of the Spirit of God and the elements of genuine evangelism than the one held Sabbath, June 5, in Central California on the Fresno campground.

The rostrum was filled with experienced, godly, colporteur evangelists, and new Sabbath-keepers whom they had won to the truth through the books they had sold and through Bible studies given. It was indeed thrilling and inspiring to listen to the testimonies of both classes, and to watch the expressions on the faces of the literature evangelists as well as the reaction on the part of the converts to their new-found faith.

This important meeting was held at a most psychological time—2:30 Sabbath afternoon—when a sizable audience filled the large tent. I wish you could have seen the attention and interest of every one.

May I say that the president of the Central California Conference is to be commended for his long-sighted executive ability and desire to see the colporteur work developed to its proper relationship, as a soul-winning agency, to other lines of evangelism. The publishing secretary and his associates of Central California are also to be congratulated on their ability to arrange such an hour. Surely Christ and His angels must have been supremely happy to have witnessed what not a few of us leaders saw on the Fresno campground when the publishing department demonstrated that our books and periodicals are doing their heaven-appointed work as an evangelizing agency in the cause of Christ.

E. M. FISHELL.

Please Send Clothing

Gather clothing and take it to your Dorcas society for shipment to the San Francisco warehouse; that is the urgent request of our welfare leaders. Immediate action is requested.

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Letters from Radioland

"I am very thankful for your prayers. My husband does not keep the Sabbath, and I fear I am falling short by taking him to work on Saturday morning. I am asking the Lord to show me what to do. I do not have a way of going to church, but on Sabbath I study and help the children with the Bible course. I have never met representatives of your work, but would like very much to have them call."

"I would like to keep Saturday instead of Sunday, because I realize God wants me to do this. But I am faced with a very difficult problem. I am attending a parochial school, and it is the law that everyone attend mass on Sunday. It is considered a sin if one does not attend. I plan to change schools next year, because I realize that most of the teachings of this school are erroneous."

"In answer to your letter, I will say that I am resting on the Sabbath instead of Sunday. There is an Adventist family living near here, and I plan to get in touch with them and maybe they can help me arrange to be baptized. They usually have baptisms in the summer, and I hope to find out when they have one so I can take this step. Thank you so much for the lessons."

"I am a member of the Advent Christian Church. Since studying these lessons I realize that the seventh day is the true Sabbath. There is no one in this section who observes the true Sabbath, but I would like to keep it."

"I am glad to write you concerning my son's Bible lessons. It has been made very clear that Saturday is the true Sabbath and I can't see why more people can't understand it. I fear that some would not believe even if Christ

were here to tell them Himself. I ask your prayers for my family and especially for my husband who is not well."

"Your lessons have been very enlightening to my wife and me. We intend to unite with the nearest Sabbath church that you recommend. I am looking forward to receiving the Daniel and Revelation Course. Again I want to thank you for helping us as you have."

Address Wanted

The clerk of the Alameda church wishes the address of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. McDunnah. Address Dr. M. E. Herrmann, 2024 Alameda Ave., Alameda, Calif.

An Important New Book

Our thoughtful laymen, who wish to have a clear understanding of the majestic prophetic foundations of our faith, will welcome the new Volume II, in "The Prophetic Faith of Our Fathers" set, by LeRoy E. Froom. It is unique in all our denominational literature, and is already bringing our denomination to the favorable attention of religious leaders not of our faith. More than a score of book reviews by prominent teachers and editors have appeared on Volume III. These have been in leading religious journals. A growing respect for the soundness of our teachings on Bible prophecy is becoming apparent, based on the remarkable evidence of the centuries here brought out. This book is ideal for lending or giving to ministers, teachers, lawyers, doctors, newspaper editors, and Sunday school teachers in your community. It will help to lift Adventism to its rightful place in their esteem, and will break down prejudice and make friends for the faith.

It is doubtless the key volume of the set, and covers the Old World prophetic exposition from the Renaissance to the French Revolution. Replete with illustrations—historical scenes, facsimiles of title pages and extracts, reproductions of coins and medals, portraits of the prophetic spokesmen, and a progressive series of charts and tables—it covers a period filled with human interest portrayal of the leading characters in the drama of prophetic interpretation—all framed in a biographical setting. It will have a special appeal for the trained

mind, and crystalizes the research of thirteen years in the archives of Europe and America. Completely annotated and exactly verified, its 864 pages are fully indexed.

Lodi Academy

News Notes

Brother R. A. Luther, with a crew of workers, has completed the painting and redecorating of all the buildings upon the campus.

The following teachers are pursuing courses in various institutions to attain the M.A. degree: Evelyn Rittenhouse, Dorothea Fitzgerald, and Geneva Ackerman.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Watts will take charge of the boys' dormitory this coming year. Dean Watts is a graduate of Walla Walla College, and has just completed a term of deanship at Mount Ellis Academy.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Farley will arrive on the campus August 1, at which time Mr. Farley, who has had specific training in agriculture, dairying and poultry raising at E.M.C. and other institutions, will become farm superintendent. Mr. and Mrs. Farley will take up their residence in one of the teacher cottages on the campus.

Principal E. F. Heim, William Wilkinson, and Standish Hoskins spent some time at the Fresno camp meeting in the interest of students for the coming year.

An educational tent with a picture display of various school activities has been located centrally upon the campground. Many students have made room reservations and laid plans to attend the academy during the coming year. Dormitory reservations are being taken up very rapidly. Those who wish to live in the dormitories should mail in their ten-dollar room reservations and application forms immediately.

A farewell party at the Lodi Lake was given to the teachers who are leaving Lodi Academy—Misses Nina Vee Wilcox, Maybelle Banks, and Joan

Kewley, and Mr. and Mrs. Orville Baldwin. In behalf of the school, appropriate gifts were presented by Principal E. F. Heim.

Students are requested to have filled out by their family physician their personal School Health Record. Students who do not possess a blank should write for one at once.

The annual audit of the school books will take place the latter part of June.

Nevada-Utah

R. A. SMITHWICK, Pres. L. H. NETTEBURG, Sec.
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Reno Regional Meeting

The annual meeting of our people on the west side of the Nevada-Utah Conference will be held in Reno, Nevada, July 23 to 25, at the Federated Church, corner of Fifth and Virginia Streets. This will take the place of our annual camp meeting. Word has come that Elder M. L. Andreasen, of the General Conference, will attend. The first meeting will convene Friday night, July 23. Meetings will continue through Sabbath and Sunday, July 24 and 25. Elder Andreasen is to speak Sabbath morning and again that same evening. Also he will be one of the main speakers for the services throughout Sunday.

Other speakers attending this regional meeting will be Elders F. G. Ashbaugh, Adlai A. Esteb, and E. Toral Seat, of the Pacific Union Conference. All of the workers of the Nevada-Utah Conference will be present at this meeting. We regret that Elders C. L. Bauer and C. L. Torrey, because of other engagements, will not be present.

Our people should begin to pray now that this will be the greatest spiritual gathering we have ever attended. Plan your affairs so as to be with us these two days. Come in time for the first service on Friday night.

Elder and Sister F. H. Rahm, whose address is Box 507, Fallon, Nevada, are to be in charge of room accommodations. Perhaps quite a number would like to write in to make reservations. You can write to Elder Rahm and let him know your needs and he will be glad to arrange with you as best he can so that no one will be disappointed and everyone will be served

as he should during that week end. Reno in the summertime, especially with tourists coming east and west, is a busy place and it is necessary to arrange in advance in order to get proper accommodations; so my suggestion would be, if you are planning to be there for the Friday night service, to make arrangements ahead, or to come early enough on Friday so that you will be able to get hotel or motel accommodations.

R. ALLEN SMITHWICK.

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Correction

We regret to announce that there will be no Nevada-Utah Conference camp meeting at Lake Tahoe this year. In posting the dates for the coming camp meetings of the Pacific Union Conference a mistake was made in listing the camp meeting for the Nevada-Utah Conference. No grounds large enough or suitable for our camp meeting was available this year at or near Lake Tahoe.

We are glad to announce, however, that plans are under way for a camp meeting next year at Lake Tahoe. We are praying for that end and hope that it will all work out satisfactorily.

We felt this announcement should be made, for some of our people have been writing in from different parts of the union, wishing to make reservations for this anticipated camp meeting this year.

R. ALLEN SMITHWICK.

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One Hundred Needed

Our publishing department held a profitable meeting May 29 and 30. Our churches within a radius of 100 miles from Reno were favored with guest speakers on Sabbath, May 29: E. M. Fishell, union publishing secretary, spoke in the Fallon, Nevada, church; A. G. Sutton, associate union publishing secretary, in the Susanville, California, church; R. A. Smithwick, president of our conference, in the Reno church; L. H. Netteburg, our conference secretary-treasurer, in the Greenville, California, church; and L. G. Hemmrich, in the Yerington, Nevada, church.

The constituency of these churches were given a cordial invitation to attend the training school which was held in Reno, Nevada, May 30. We were glad for the fine response. However, we feel

our response would have been greater if this had been held on some day other than Memorial Day. We thank each pastor for the fine cooperation and for giving us the opportunity to occupy the desk in his church. We also thank the loyal members who attended our meeting in Reno.

We hope that the flame that was kindled will continue to burn and that soon many of our good people will take up the task and help finish the work. Remember, "God is calling you." He needs you, and you need the blessing of colporteur evangelism.

We hope that we can conduct a similar meeting in Salt Lake City to give our good people on the Utah side an opportunity to respond. We are wondering which side will have the largest number of recruits for the literature ministry, Nevada or Utah?

We wish we had 100 workers for our needy field. There is room for all. Let us ask ourselves this question: "Lord, what wilt Thou have me to do?" May God direct in our plans for the future. Time is short. Reader, is the Holy Spirit speaking to your heart and asking you to "Go"? May God bless you in your decision.

We are working the new easy payment plan and any interested in full particulars, should address your letter to Louis G. Hemmrich, Publishing Secretary, 103 Washington Street, Reno, Nevada; or Box 139, Sugarhouse Station, Salt Lake City 6, Utah.

LOUIS G. HEMMRICH.

Arizona

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In the Mirror of Others' Eyes

It was the Scottish poet, Bobby Burns, with his mind distracted from the sublime of the church service to the ridiculous as his attention was drawn to the telltale louse meandering in the well-set feminine hair of the ostentatiously dressed fellow worshiper in the pew ahead, who penned the lines so often quoted;

"O wad some power the giftie gie us
To see oursel as ithers see us!"

At times the passing remarks of others that view us provide the magic mirror

giving us, for the passing moment, the power longed for by Bobby Burns. Such an opportunity is afforded us in the following sentences gleaned by our 20th Century Bible Course instructor from the correspondence coming to her desk. The quotation is from a letter written by a Methodist lady who recently enrolled in the 20th Century Correspondence course, having been solicited by one of our young ladies.

"I am enjoying this Bible Course very much. I have so little time to devote to things besides by two sons and husband, and this is very interesting.

"I was so impressed by the girl who offered the Bible course. She was so pretty, without any makeup and dressed so simply and unlike so many, she didn't press her religion on me. In fact, I didn't know she was from the Seventh-day Adventist religion until I asked her. There are no Methodist churches here and I have always belonged to that church until we came here."

How strikingly those words stand out: "She was so pretty, without any makeup and dressed so simply." What an opportunity our Christian young women have for letting their light shine and their influence be felt in a world dominated by Hollywood and the cities of fashion. When the darkness is deepest, the rays of the lighthouse shine brightest.

"Arise, shine; for thy light is come, and the glory of the Lord is risen upon thee. For, behold, the darkness shall cover the earth, and gross darkness the people: but the Lord shall arise upon thee, and His glory shall be seen upon thee." Isaiah 60:1, 2.

C. E. ANDROSS.

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Another Reminder of our Camp Meeting

This is just to remind you that if you have not already sent in your reservation for camp meeting, it should be sent at once. There are still a few tents available. The price is \$8.50. We are expecting a large attendance and have promise of excellent help. All who possibly can, should attend. The date is July 16-24. The place is Church Convention Grounds, Prescott, Arizona.

J. O. HANSON.

Southern California

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Native African To Speak

The thrilling story of her conversion from heathenism to Christianity will be told by Rose Patricia Benson at a special Missions' Vesper Service to be held Sabbath afternoon, June 26, at 6:00 o'clock, at the St. Paul Baptist church, corner of 21st Street and Naomi Avenue (one block east of Central Ave.), in Los Angeles.

Elder and Mrs. G. Nathaniel Banks, on furlough from Liberia, West Africa, brought Miss Benson to this country to attend Oakwood College so that she could return to work for the women of Africa.

Miss Benson, who is a native school teacher and speaks English, will be interviewed on radio station KXLA (1110 kcys.), between 6:30 and 7:00 p.m., when the Sweet Chariot Hour will be broadcast from the St. Paul Baptist church this same evening. Following the broadcast, she will relate her experiences to the auditorium audience. Mrs. G. N. Banks will tell of the work that is being done for the women of Africa. Elder Banks, and the other two speakers, will be dressed in native African costumes.

An invitation is extended you to attend this Vesper service which is being sponsored by the Wadsworth, Berean, Ephesus, Compton Avenue, Sharon and Sunset Avenue churches. The services will conclude at the close of the Sabbath.

OWEN A. TROY.

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Hurry, Juniors!

A Junior wants to be away from the noisy busy city, out in the green cool woods where interesting places await exploration . . . where days are chock full of things that boys and girls like best—hiking, handicraft, nature study, etc. . . . out where God speaks through the song of birds, the whisper of the breeze, and the still beauty of sunset and sunrise. You'll get all of this at Cedar Falls.

Camp to you will mean new thrills and exciting adventure. It will mean you will eat with the appetite of a bear . . . sit at jolly campfires . . . and

listen to inspiring talks. It means you'll sleep between blankets in comfortable cabins—and we mean *sleep*. You'll wake up in the morning feeling like a million.

Hurry, Juniors, sign up early. Applications will be numbered in the order they arrive. The first 150 will be accepted. For camp folders or application blanks, see your M.V. leader or write the conference M.V. department, 3131 Pasadena Avenue, Los Angeles 31. Phone, CApitol 6136.

Colporteur Rally
SUNDAY, JUNE 20
9:30 — 3:30
CONFERENCE OFFICE
3131 Pasadena Avenue,
Los Angeles.

If you are a Seventh-day Adventist in good and regular standing and are not satisfied with your soul-winning program, we invite you to attend this meeting. There you will learn how you can win souls for Christ.

HAVE YOU EVER WON A SOUL FOR CHRIST?
C. L. FINNEY.

Huntington Park

During the past year the Huntington Park church has spent in excess of \$10,000 for equipment and building. A seven-stop, two-manual organ was purchased and installed at a cost of over \$4,000. This has added charm and inspiration to our Sabbath worship.

There was great need for more Sabbath school space. An addition of 1,475 square feet was built and divided into three spacious rooms for the children. We now have a place for every department from the Cradle Roll to the Youth's division. The Seniors meet in the church auditorium. We believe this was a profitable undertaking and it makes possible the functioning of the Sabbath school at maximum efficiency.

The new addition was built at a cost of \$4,351.64, or a little less than \$3 per square foot. A considerable amount of labor was contributed. The floor consists of a cement slab with an asphalt tile covering which makes an excellent floor for public use. A new

Williams Radiator heater and a piano were installed in each room. Another item was the purchase of a new gas range and equipment for a kitchenette. This is in connection with our social hall. The enlargement of a room for our Dorcas societies at the church was greatly appreciated by the ladies.

We are concluding a successful In-gathering campaign at Huntington Park and are exceeding the amount done last year. Our desire is to make Huntington Park a place of fellowship and worship and where the gospel of Christ is proclaimed.

WALTER H. SCHACT.

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**Instrumentalists and Singers,
Please Note**

It will soon be time when thousands of God's professed Christians will gather together for another great convocation at Lynwood Auditorium. This meeting is better known as camp meeting, July 9-18.

Camp meeting would not be complete without music; music that will praise God for loving kindness and mercy that endureth forever; music that will touch the hearts of men and women and bring them closer to their Lord and Redeemer. This is what the people of God can do if only they will come to camp meeting with a prayer in their hearts and a song on their lips.

Again, we are asking all those who can play instruments well enough, to join the orchestra. Contact Mr. Rowe, band director of Lynwood Academy.

Sabbath afternoon July 3, at 3 o'clock, we plan another singspiration at the Big Lynwood auditorium. This meeting is for everybody who loves to sing and we especially urge those who are willing to help us in the choir during camp meeting to be present. Brother Lon Metcalfe has promised to assist in the directing of the choir this year. So, choir singers, be present for a good rehearsal.

Let us pray that God will richly bless us all again, as we gather for this spiritual feast.

Looking forward to seeing you in the service of the King.

HAROLD R. TURNER.

Elder Schick, the pastor of the Lynwood church announces the baptizing of twelve people recently.

Central California

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435 North Third St., San Jose, Calif.
Telephone Columbia 5166

Wawona Camp Orchestra

Bring your instruments! The Wawona Camp Orchestra promises to be a splendid one this year.

David Cotton from P.U.C., formerly from Massachusetts, is to be our director. Mr. Cotton led the orchestra for the summer camps in Florida last year, and he is bringing his talents to Wawona for this season.

So, if you play an instrument bring it along, and join our junior or senior camp orchestra.

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For Boys and Girls

We'll see you at "Our camp in the fair Sierras, 'Neath the Old Wawona Dome."

All boys and girls will be glad to know that we have the finest helpers that can possibly be arranged for at our summer camps in Wawona. In addition to some new teachers we have a new Camp Director, Camp Cook (this is Mr. Carl Schultz, a man you will all love), nurse, and orchestra leader.

If you have never been to Wawona before, let me tell you of some of the things we like to do up there.

We are planning some new hikes for this year. Every year we like to go on at least one overnight hike to the high Sierra or else to the floor of the valley and watch the firefall. You'll love the campfire and story hour beside some high Sierra lake.

We are planning classes in birds, insects, trees, flowers, stars, first aid, campfire, photography, swimming, life-saving, and, oh, so many other useful crafts and nature subjects. Our swimming instructor, Mr. Duane Montgomery, from P.U.C., has been a life-guard for several years, and this year he is coming to Wawona to teach you how better to swim and dive.

We play lots of games. There are many things for you to choose from when you play. You can either play badminton, volleyball, softball, pitch horseshoes, or some of the other active games that are planned.

Most of the boys and girls that have been to Wawona before tell me that

they especially like the campfire. At the campfire we tell stories and sing lots of the songs we like best. Look forward to this part of summer camp.

At Wawona camp God speaks through the song of the bird, the whisper of the breeze, and the still beauty of sunset or sunrise. The dim aisles of the woods are His temples. Golden days filled with good clean fun and surprises from rising time until the campfire embers have burned low, the campers have gone to rest, and we hear taps.

Yes, we'll see you at Wawona camp!
HENRY T. BERGH.

Northern California

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Martinez District

Contra Costa, one of the nine San Francisco Bay counties, is officially credited with being the fastest growing county in the West. Beginning with 1946, each year has seen more housing developments opened here than in any other. Its chief port city is the second largest in California. Its rich agricultural and grazing land, of valleys and hills, produces famous nuts, fruits, vegetables, and dairy products. Transportation facilities enable many thousand families to enjoy rural living in a better climate while working or studying in San Francisco, Oakland, or Berkeley.

Our denominational program is developing encouragingly in Contra Costa County. There are two churches in Richmond, one connected with Berkeley in district relationship, the other with the Oakland Market Street (colored) church. The rest of the county and churches constitute a district at present named after the county seat—Martinez. Our church at Brentwood serves the eastern end of the county, the one at Antioch serves the northern end. There is a zealous church at Martinez, and after camp meeting we hope to organize a strong church to serve the growing population around Walnut Creek.

Reports for the first five months of this year show much activity and progress in every church of the Martinez district. All denominational campaign

goals have been readily attained. The church homes have been or are being redecorated, the grounds landscaped, and directional signs set up. The church schools at Antioch and Martinez are being consolidated into a strong union elementary school with busses to serve the Antioch, Pittsburg, Concord, and Walnut Creek-Lafayette areas. Academy students are being well served by Golden Gate Academy. Study is being given to establishing a recreational center in Martinez to serve the youth of the district.

During the period under review, first aid and nutrition classes were conducted in both Antioch and Martinez, a branch Sabbath school is operated by Antioch at Pittsburg, and an enterprising Master Comrade club centers in Martinez. The Martinez church sponsored a "seeds for Europe" campaign to which over \$800 was contributed by sister churches, resulting in the raising of over 10,000 tons of food this year by and for needy S.D.A. families in Europe.

Direct soul-winning activities received major attention in the district. Elder A. F. Wellman led in a tent series at Walnut Creek, Elder A. Z. Walker is conducting a Sunday night series in Brentwood, while Clyde Bradley and the writer held a three-night-a-week church series at Martinez. The Lord has blessed these efforts with the reclaiming of backsliders, and baptism of new believers, with more keeping the Sabbath and getting ready for baptism.

In this soul-winning work, in addition to the ministers named, the Spirit also used church school teachers, Wm. Gibson and Thernutis Padilla; colporters, A. and M. Russell; a hard-working corps of church officers and a host of grand church members. Pray for the work in this area.

W. A. WESTERHOUT.

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PHYSIOTHERAPISTS AND DOCTORS NOTE.—Very reasonable: 2 factory-built electric cabinets—good shape; 2 handmade electric cabinets, one needing slight repair. All reclining type. Contact B. J. Larmer, Battle Creek Health Clinic, 8th West and 2nd South, Salt Lake City, Utah.

FOR SALE.—20-acre dairy and chicken farm; 8 acres Ladina clover. Balance hay and pasture. Table grapes, figs and berries. Barn and chicken house 20 x 90 ft. 6-room house, bath and half bath. Service porch. All modern conveniences. 4 miles from Auburn on paved road. Church and 10-grade church school. A. M. Davis, Rt. 2 Box 118, Auburn, Calif.

FOR SALE.—Two-bedroom home, 7 years old, 1,050 sq. ft. Good condition. Ten-minute walk from Lynwood Academy. Large lot, 8,900 sq. ft. Good wire fence, some berries, one peach tree. George W. McLean, 11041 Hulme Ave., Lynwood, Calif.

BEFORE buying that gift for Father, contact Clifford Eaton and get it at a discount. Save up to 35% on men's suits and sport coats, also on wrist watches. Pick out a new lounge chair or some other piece of furniture that you may all enjoy. Many other items available. I. C. Eaton, 124 East 7th St., Los Angeles. Phone Tucker 6945.

WANTED.—A nurse to work for a medical group. To do part-time electrocardiogram and laboratory work. Salary open. Permanent position if satisfactory. Doctors Stump and Haun, Crescent City, Calif.

FOR SALE.—4-bedroom house on fourth-acre adjoining Kern Academy. Location ideal. Fruit and shade trees; berries, lawn, garden space. House freshly redecorated. Completely furnished, including Westinghouse refrigerator, gas range and cooler, \$5750. Unfurnished, \$4750. Priced to sell immediately. K. W. Wilson, Rt. 1 Box 277-C, Shafter, Calif.

BELL AND HOWELL FILMSOUND PROJECTORS available for immediate delivery. Applications may be made to this office for subsidy assistance in purchase of this equipment for regular church enterprises. Write for details. All orders must be placed through this office. Department of Purchase and Supply, General Conference S.D.A., 6840 Eastern Ave., Takoma Park, Washington 12, D.C.

FOR SALE.—Small mountain ranch of a few acres. 2-bedroom house, double garage, large chicken house. Over 100 young fruit trees, good highway to place; plenty of water. Buildings are all nearly new. J. W. Johnston, Box 541, Fort Jones, Calif.

MOUNTAIN RANCH.—6 acres in grapes, 30 apple trees, plums, pears, prunes, all bearing, 7 different kinds of grapes, spring water. Almost completed 2-bedroom home, concrete foundation. Electricity. House planned for 2 additional rooms upstairs. Barn. 2 miles from church and church school. \$3,100 cash, \$3,500 terms. Ray Walker, Brownsville, Calif.

FOR SALE.—Large seven-room house near town, in two acres of woods. Ideal for business or rest home. Best water in state. Now holding services in basement. Price is right. G. A. Shain, Rt. 4, Monticello, Arkansas.

NURSE would like work for an elderly person or an invalid, and care for home and cooking. Would like to live in the home. Reasonable wages. Have had years of nursing experience and can give references. Mrs. Irene Sawday, 6012 Rita St., Huntington Park, Calif.

FOR SALE.—Five-room modern house, recently redecorated, 3 acres fine river bottom soil. Berries and large garden, large lawn and flowers. Close in. Fine church and church school. Situated in heart of Willamette Valley lumber industries. Price \$7,500. O. J. Rigby, Sweet Home, Ore.

FOR SALE.—Laundry and Dry Cleaning route. I am physically unable to keep up the pace required to service over 40 commercial accounts and about 175 laundry and dry cleaning customers. Sell with or without truck. Company equipment now used on route. Reasonable price. T. L. Younggreen, Sanitarium, Calif. Phone St. Helena 1-J-5 before 7 a.m.

MODERN 6-room home, 2 bedrooms and den, fireplace, sprinkling system, double garage with half bath and laundry trays. Two and a half blocks from Lynwood Academy. 10972 Pine Ave., Lynwood, Calif. Phone Nevada 6-1585.

CHIROPRACTIC physician desires practice as associate with an established doctor. Good adjustor, experienced in hydrotherapy and physiotherapy. Write Dr. G. B. Henson, 536 21st St., Merced, Calif. Phone 1130.

BOY WANTED for immediate work. One who will go to school this fall wanted to help with chores on small diversified ranch near college. Room, board, and salary. Farm boy over 16 who is a good worker preferred. Box 298, Angwin, Calif.

WANTED.—Lady helper for small rest home. Mrs. Charles Parrott, 302 McCulloch Ave., Temple City, Calif. Phone Budlong 8-5648.

Colporteur Evangelists

E. M. FISHELL, Publishing Dept. Sec.
Reports Received Week Ending June 5

	Hours	Orders	Deliveries
NORTHERN CALIFORNIA			
L. L. DINWIDDIE, Pub. Sec.			
Ruth Miller	39	\$110.25	\$110.25
LaVerne Cleveland	39	23.75	23.75
W. T. Mauk	38	41.00	41.00
A. & M. Russell	68	159.95	159.95
C. O. Sanders	32	140.00	140.00
Mrs. M. Kromann	41	78.70	78.70
V. R. Brenner	25	59.75	59.75
Mrs. F. Hutchinson	24	37.50	37.50
L. Thompson	22	81.32	81.32
R. L. Vipond	20	64.50	64.50
Mrs. M. Johnson	16	41.00	41.00

	Hours	Orders	Deliveries
W. J. Gully	16	86.50	86.50
Mrs. E. Johnson	14	58.60	58.60
G. E. Novak	9	21.50	21.50
J. Worthington	8	8.25	8.25
Mrs. Lucille Jackson	6	12.25	12.25
W. T. Price	6	26.40	26.40

18 Colporteurs 423 \$1,051.22 \$1,051.22

HAWAIIAN MISSION

E. F. WOODY, Pub. Sec.			
P. Akana	28	\$ 11.00	\$481.19
R. Cachola	4	41.00	41.00
A. Caton	27	155.50	55.50
I. Phelps		5.75	53.75

4 Colporteurs 59 \$213.25 \$631.44

ARIZONA

L. M. HARDING, Pub. Sec.			
J. & E. Bertsche	37	\$101.25	\$ 57.00
H. F. Barbaret	114	208.40	124.19
Mr. & Mrs. Dennis	11	81.75	1.00
Calvin Dodge	6	5.25	5.25
Mrs. L. M. Gordan		77.00	39.75
Lindsay Thomas	5	55.25	55.25
Mrs. O. M. Williams	2	10.50	

9 Colporteurs 176 \$539.40 \$282.44

SOUTHEASTERN CALIFORNIA

GEO. H. CARTER, Pub. Sec.			
Roger Evans	46	\$188.75	\$188.75
John Burke	34	59.00	59.00
Mrs. M. Koos	10	53.00	53.00
Harold Santini	17	53.10	47.00
H. A. Rossin	58	81.50	52.75
Mrs. I. Kablanow	23	36.55	36.55
Mrs. L. Olney	7		35.25
Mrs. E. Pia	22	21.50	21.50
Mrs. A. Howard	22	23.75	23.75
Lucile Hopping	5	17.50	17.50
Frank Johnson	6	16.50	16.50
Mrs. L. Woolfolk	9	13.25	13.25
R. L. Underwood	25	8.46	8.46
William Brown	3	6.25	6.25

14 Colporteurs 331 \$579.11 \$579.51

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

C. L. FINNEY, Pub. Sec.			
T. C. Carter	45	\$122.25	\$122.25
Florence Corte	72	64.05	64.05
D. D. Dirksen	35	112.50	112.50
Evelyn McAlear	28	21.50	21.50
Lida Hunt	28	58.00	58.00
Doyle Dyer	27	53.50	53.50
Jean Nolan	26	59.50	59.50
T. F. Blanchard	26	108.50	108.50
Bertha Siebert	21	156.75	156.75
Ida Davidson	15	51.25	51.25
Thelma Beaty	13	21.50	21.50
Iris Montgomery	11	36.50	36.50
A. H. Beckloff	20	159.00	159.00
K. Kibler	6	10.50	10.50
U. Douglas	15	21.00	21.00
C. R. Swan	19	85.15	85.15
F. E. Temple	67	286.00	286.00
P. Luria	11	18.55	2.00
C. L. Finney	10	95.00	95.00
Wadsworth Aux.	40	165.00	165.00
Watts Aux.	25	55.00	55.00
David Thomas	35	32.84	32.84

22 Colporteurs 595 \$1,793.84 \$1,772.29

67 Colporteurs 1,584 \$4,176.82 \$4,311.90

The Ingathering Torch Of Truth

For Jesus

This is a great day for the cause of God. Great things are being done by God's people. Great Ingathering victories are being gained. And what an unspeakable joy it is to do something great for Jesus. And how willing God is to bless even the smallest efforts to advance His cause. Handing out an Ingathering paper, saying a kind word, breathing a fervent prayer, smiling a pleasant smile, giving an earnest appeal for missions—these may seem like little things, but these are the things that God is blessing in the salvation of souls. And the precious thought, *doing it for Jesus*, sweetens

all toil and lightens all our labor of love.

This week Hawaii launches its 1948 Ingathering campaign. They are planning the greatest achievements in the history of our work in that field—a *double* Minuteman goal.

Elder Walter Lind, home missionary secretary of the Northern California Conference, has just sent this electrifying news over the wire in reporting two one-thousand-dollar Ingathering contributions: "We are marching on to \$100,000. We have no other plans. We are of good courage." Last year Northern brought in \$88,000, so they expect a \$12,000 gain.

Every field in the Pacific Union Conference is pushing on to the great-

Conference	Minuteman Goal	Reported June 9
*Arizona	\$ 28,800	\$ 15,720
*Central	154,476	70,805
*Nevada-Utah	14,940	11,568
Northern	192,744	68,682
*Southeastern	157,806	70,136
*Southern	229,814	129,270
Hawaii	26,388	
(Campaign Beginning)		
Pacific Union	\$806,968	\$366,183
* Over basic goal.		

est achievements in the history of this field. And every worker, every layman is inspired to do His greatest work when He does it all FOR JESUS.

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Per Cent Reported

170
160
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Field Goal Arizona \$12,800 Central \$68,656 Nevada-Utah \$6,640 Northern \$85,664 Southeastern \$70,136 Southern \$102,584 Union \$400,000