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Leaders Appointed for Union Departments

At a meeting on Thursday, October 6, the Pacific Union Conference Executive Committee elected Elder David L. Olsen, pastor of the Oxnard Seventh-day Adventist Church, as home missionary secretary of the Pacific Union.

Elder Olsen will fill the position vacated recently by Elder D. E. Dirksen when he accepted the presidency of the Nevada-Utah Conference.

Pastor of the Oxnard (California) Church since 1964, Elder Olsen is well known to members of the church through his two terms of service as an associate speaker of the Voice of Prophecy radio broadcast.



D. L. Olsen

Following studies at Union College in 1935, Elder Olsen first served as a teacher and minister in the Kansas Conference until 1942. In 1943 he became pastor of a Portland, Oregon, church, serving there until called to Seattle, Washington, in 1944 to be pastor of the Seattle Central Church.

Elder Olsen became home missionary secretary of the Washington Conference in 1945, then came to southern California in 1950. He was pastor of the Long Beach and the Florence-Downey churches until named as home missionary secretary of the Southern California Conference in 1953. From 1954 until 1958 he was home missionary secretary of the Pacific Union Conference. He then served at the Pacific Press Publishing Association before re-

turning to southern California in 1965 as pastor of the Oxnard Church.

With him to his new work Elder Olsen will bring his wife, Marguerite. The Olsens have two children, Don, who is public relations director of the Glendale Adventist Hospital, and Carolyn, who is a junior student at La Sierra College.

Joining with Elder Olsen in new union-wide responsibilities is Elder Miller Brockett, who has been giving faithful service to the Pacific Union as Young People's Missionary Volunteer secretary.

Elder Brockett has been asked by the Pacific Union Conference Executive Committee to direct the important work of the temperance department in addition to his youth activities post. No stranger to temperance work, Elder Brockett held this position, in addition to his other duties in the Pacific Union, from 1958 until 1964. Elder Brockett's cheerful willingness to accept this additional responsibility, at a considerable saving of funds to the church, is greatly appreciated.



Miller Brockett

Members of the Advent faith in the Pacific Union should remember these two men in prayer as they begin their new duties. Much will be asked of them as they carry an ever-increasing load of responsibility in the challenging days ahead.

R. R. BIETZ, *President,*
Pacific Union Conference.

Record Number of Stations Now Carry Faith for Today

The Faith for Today station count now stands at an all-time high—two hundred and seventy. A log listing will be helpful to you in inviting your friends and neighbors to view Faith for Today. Plan to watch every Sunday, but more important, let others know about the telecast. Tell them of the exact time that the program is featured and also the station over which it is televised.

Follow-up contacts, in which you get a reaction to the program, also will be helpful.

GORDON F. DALRYMPLE, *Editor,*
Publications, Faith for Today.

ARIZONA				
Phoenix	5	KPHO	Sun.	9:30 a.m.
CALIFORNIA				
Bakersfield	23	KERO	Sun.	11:30 p.m.
Hollywood	9	KHJ	Tues.	12:00 m.
Los Angeles	13	KCOP	Sun.	12:30 p.m.
Redding	7	KRCR	Sun.	9:30 a.m.
San Diego	10	KOGO	Sun.	9:00 a.m.
San Jose	11	KNTV	Sun.	5:00 p.m.
Stockton	13	KOVR	Sun.	7:00 a.m.
HAWAII				
Hilo	13	KHVO	Sun.	7:30 a.m.
Honolulu	4	KHVH	Sun.	7:30 a.m.
Lihue	*	K74BC	Sun.	7:30 a.m.
Wailuku	12	KMVI	Sun.	7:30 a.m.
NEVADA				
Las Vegas	2	KORK	Sun.	9:00 a.m.
Las Vegas	13	KSHO	Sun.	7:30 a.m.
Reno	8	KOLO	Sun.	9:00 a.m.
UTAH				
Salt Lake City	4	KCPX	Sun.	10:00 a.m.

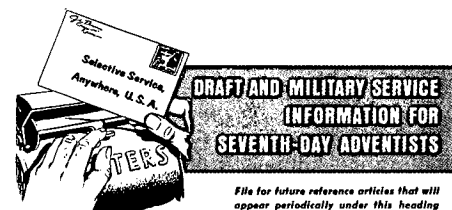
Human Relations Workshops Conducted in California

As a result of the work of the General Conference Human Relations Committee, several important actions were adopted regarding race relations at the 1965 Autumn Council. Among the actions was a call for more Human Relations meetings on the union and local conference levels.

In line with the actions, the conference presidents have been cooperating with the Regional department of the union in planning Human Relations workshops at their regular workers meetings during 1966.

These meetings have been well planned, frank, and open-hearted discussions on the part of both workers and administrators. All groups were represented, including all minorities of our composite union membership. The real goal is to bring about a better understanding in working together in our over-all church program of soul saving; to bring about a more united church in real Christian brotherhood in practice; to move forward in the program of integration here in the Pacific Union.

Such Human Relations workshops have been held in the Southern California Conference, Northern California Conference, Central California Conference, and the most recent one at the workers meeting in the Southeastern California Conference.



File for future reference articles that will appear periodically under this heading
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Parents With Sons . . . Please Read

One of the most publicized items of information today is concerned with National Selective Service regulations. It is on television, radio, and in all newspapers and news magazines.

Also, from time to time we as a church publish articles to keep our members informed. We even hold summer Medical Cadet Corps camps, and organize academy Medical Cadet Corps for instructional purposes.

There are also printed leaflets on this subject issued free through the conference National Service Organization. And in addition to this, if you still need Selective Service information you are as near to assistance as you are to your telephone! Just call your local conference National Service Organization office and they will be only too happy to give you assistance.

Yet, even with all of this help at hand, many of our young men still find themselves in difficulties through ignorance. True, the National Service Organization does not have any magic wand that it can wave to solve all problems, but it can in many cases prevent these from ever occurring by giving just a few words of counsel.

The National Service Organization, however, is not set up as a force to prevent the drafting of our young men. On the contrary, it has been organized to ensure that our young men, if drafted, will be given religious privileges. If you, as parents, wish to be informed on this subject so that you can guide your son to better fulfillment of his military obligations, contact your local conference National Service Organization department or write to: NSO, Box 146, Glendale, California 91209 and ask for NSO leaflet No. 1-A, "Questions and Answers for Those Facing the Draft."

HARRY GARLICK, *Assoc. Director,*
National Service Organization,
Pacific Union Conference.

The Desire of Ages Day

October 29 has been designated by the Pacific Union Conference Committee as *The Desire of Ages* Day, an occasion on which one of the most beloved of Ellen G. White's volumes is recognized in a special way.

The Desire of Ages is unparalleled in its beautiful revelation of the life of Jesus. Its pages speak both inspiration and conviction through writing which remains through the decades unsurpassed by scores of other writers.

During the days immediately ahead *The Desire of Ages* is available in a special holiday gift package with accompanying gift card for \$1.25 if two or more copies of the book are purchased. Few gifts could be more appreciated than this book with its timeless message of love and hope.

Think of your many friends who have not yet seen *The Desire of Ages*. Friends that you choose to remember during the coming holiday period, or friends contacted in the growing "Go Tell" evangelism activity, would treasure this volume which is so closely related to the Christmas season with its outstanding telling of the story of the Christ Child.

Plan today to give your friends a treasured gift—*The Desire of Ages*.

R. R. BIETZ, *President,*
Pacific Union Conference.

During the four-day workers meeting, Elder John Osborn of the Southeastern California Conference and his workers assigned Thursday forenoon, September 22, as the period for Human Relations discussions. Elder Osborn served as chairman. A representative panel was selected from the workers. The session began with a basic Human Relations article presented by the Regional secretary of the Pacific Union.

This was followed by an orderly open-floor discussion with guidance from the chairman and panel members. Many workers expressed their views and convictions. The final phase was summing up our guiding principles based on the Bible and Spirit of Prophecy by the chairman.

Such typical and successful Human Relations meetings have added strength, we believe, to our work in these disturbing times.

G. N. BANKS, *Secretary,*
Regional Department,
Pacific Union Conference.

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SUNSET TABLE

Friday, October 28
(Daylight Saving Time in California and Nevada.)

Angwin	6:16	Riverside	6:02
Chico	6:11	San Diego	6:02
Eureka	6:19	San Jose	6:15
Fresno	6:08	Phoenix	5:41
Lodi	6:12	Reno	6:04
Loma Linda	6:01	Salt Lake City	5:30
Los Angeles	6:05	Hilo	5:49
Oakland	6:16	Honolulu	5:59

Friday, November 4
(Return to Standard Time.)

Angwin	5:07	Riverside	4:55
Chico	5:03	San Diego	4:56
Eureka	5:10	San Jose	5:07
Fresno	5:00	Phoenix	5:34
Lodi	5:03	Reno	4:55
Loma Linda	4:54	Salt Lake City	5:21
Los Angeles	4:58	Hilo	5:45
Oakland	5:08	Honolulu	5:54

Recent Television Rally at Lynwood Is Well Attended

Almost 4,000 were in attendance at the It Is Written television rally held at Lynwood Auditorium on Sabbath, September 24.

Elder G. E. Vandeman, speaker on the telecast, gave the sermon and also told of some of the new developments in presenting our message on television.

Other speakers on the program included Elder J. J. Aitken of the General Confer-



Elder G. E. Vandeman, speaker for the It Is Written television program, speaks at the rally.

ence radio-television department; Elder R. R. Bietz, president of the Pacific Union Conference; and Elder H. C. Retzer, local conference president.

Special music was given by the King's Heralds Quartet of the Voice of Prophecy, and the Ministers Chorus of the Southern California Conference.

Those in attendance responded by giving an offering and pledges amounting to \$22,500 for the support of the telecast.

The It Is Written program is presented on Sunday evenings at 8:30 over Channel 13 in the Los Angeles area.

S. A. YAKUSH, Secy.,
Radio-TV Department.

New Time for Russian Voice of Prophecy Release

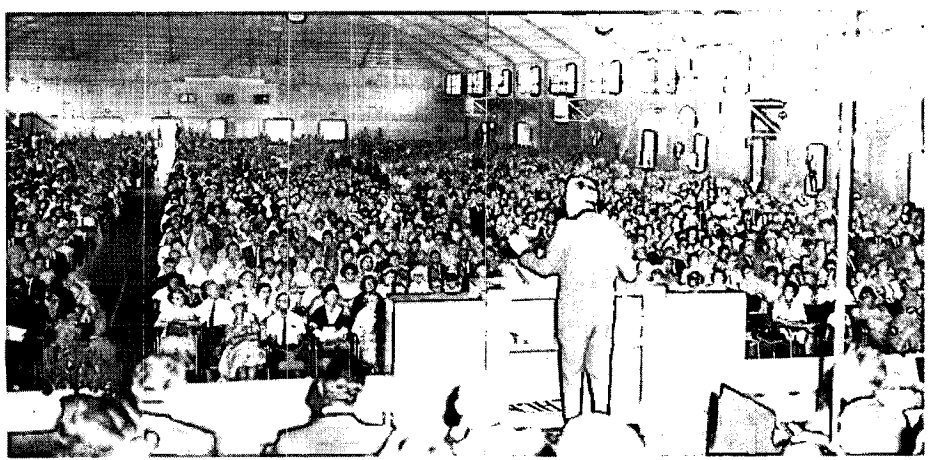
A new time has been announced for the Russian Voice of Prophecy program. Starting on November 5, it will be heard at 5 p.m. on Sunday, over stations KTYM at 1460 kilocycles; and KTYM-FM at 103.9 megacycles. Formerly it was broadcast at 2:30 p.m.

S. A. YAKUSH, Secretary,
Radio-Television Dept.

Correction

Pastor and Mrs. Lawrence G. Downing will be serving the Hollywood Church and not the Alhambra Church as incorrectly stated in a previous issue.

S. A. YAKUSH.



Elder R. R. Bietz, president of the Pacific Union Conference, addresses those attending the It Is Written Rally held in Lynwood September 24.

Investiture at Alhambra

A Pathfinder Open House and Investiture was held Saturday night, October 1, at the Alhambra Church at which time the youth pastor and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Zackrison, and Mrs. Michael Moreno, Pathfinder counselor, were invested as Master Guides by Elder Emmett Watts, associate MV secretary.

Also being invested were Kathy Baruch, Elizabeth Moreno, and Mark Mo-



On October 1 the Alhambra Pathfinder Club announced their selection of the boy and the girl Pathfinders-of-the-Year. Left to right are Mrs. Mary Baruch, Michael Robbins, Kathee Dunn, and Mrs. James Lepine, as the presentations are made.

reno as Guides. In addition to these were two in each class receiving bars for Trail Friend and Frontier Companion. Over 75 honors were presented to Pathfinders. The highlight of the evening came when trophies were awarded Michael Robbins and Kathee Dunn, the boy and girl chosen as Pathfinders-of-the-Year.

Because of illness the able director of the club, James Lepine, could not be present so his wife acted as master of ceremonies.

MRS. MARY BARUCH.

Southern California

Lost and Found Articles

Lost and found articles from either Cottonwood Lane or Camp Cedar Falls may be obtained from the conference office at 1535 East Chevy Chase, Glendale, California.

EMMETT WATTS,
Associate Youth Director.

Fall Fun Festival—San Fernando Valley Academy

October 30 will be a day of fun for everyone at San Fernando Valley Academy. This is the date for the annual Home and School-sponsored Fair, with activities for all.

Among the fair's features will be entertainment provided by each grade, hobby and craft displays, and food booths. Various contests will be held, such as a greased pole contest, sack race, and pumpkin carving. The grand finale will be provided by a group of American Indians in full costume, performing authentic ceremonial dances.

Tickets can be purchased at the gate the day of the fair or may be obtained in advance from any student of San Fernando Valley Academy at a saving. Come and bring a friend! The gate opens at 11 a.m.

BEVERLY RICHARDS, PR Secy.,
Northridge Church.

Halloween Festival Planned for Santa Monica School

On Sunday, October 30, from noon until 7 p.m., the Santa Monica Junior Academy Home and School Association is sponsoring a Halloween Festival on the school grounds at 1515 Franklin Avenue, Santa Monica.

Starting at twelve o'clock there will be a wide variety of food served from Oriental to Mexican style. You will be able to purchase gifts, toys, "white elephants," etc., at the different booths.

There will be games and prizes of all descriptions. Bake your favorite pie or cake and enter it in the "Pie and Cake Bake Contest." Come for lunch, play games, etc., see the moving pictures and stay for supper. All money raised will be used for much needed school supplies.

MRS. JANET CHING, President,
Home and School Association,
Santa Monica Junior Academy.



Miss Mary Walsh of the Pacific Union staff conducted a ten-day Bible doctrines class at the East Valley Church School, which terminated with the baptism of this fine group on October 1, by their individual pastors, on the right, Elders Glenn Goffar, William Harbour, T. A. Nickum, and Alexander Snyman. On the left are David deWaal, principal; Miss Mary Walsh; and Mrs. Oralee Teske and Elder Wentzel Cowper, teachers. The pastors will continue the class each week during the school year.—S. A. Yakush, Secretary, Public Relations.

Annual Pathfinder Camporee

October 28 to 30
On the beautiful

"GUEJITO TRAIL"

Special Guests:

Elder Harry Garlick
Alice Princess

Fun Events Music
Wilderness Living Games Fellowship

"Your Club Must Attend!"

Southeastern California

Festival de Talentos

La Federacion Latino Americana de la Conferencia del Sur-Este de California, se complace en invitarle a Ud. (s) a su Festival de Talentos.

Fecha: Noviembre 5, 1966

Hora: 7:00 p.m.

Lugar: Orangewood Auditorium
13732 Clinton Street
Garden Grove, California

Boletos de admision se podran comprar a la entrada.

JESSE J. UMIPEG,
Vici Presidente.

Southeastern Evangelism Report

As the Sabbath drew to a close on September 17, the first phase of an all-out evangelistic endeavor in Orange County was completed with a giant rally in the Canvas Cathedral in Anaheim. Elder George Vandeman was the speaker for the occasion. He challenged the people to support the It Is Written program by their efforts and means.

The response was heartwarming as our people moved into the second phase of the reaping program. As a result of the meetings held by Elder Fordyce Detamore and his evangelistic team, 170 individuals have been baptized to the present date. Many more are studying and preparing for baptism in the near future.

This is the largest number of individuals won recently in southern California in one single evangelistic thrust.

As the It Is Written television program is now being beamed to thousands of homes in Orange County, we expect a mighty reaping in the meetings to be held by George Vandeman beginning March 17 in the Melodyland Theatre in Anaheim. This theatre has been chosen because it is the cultural center of Orange County with the community concerts and other civic functions taking place there.

Thousands of interested people are studying the "Bible Speaks" lessons in their homes.

Elder Detamore in speaking of the interests he found in Orange County was duly concerned with the fact that there were so many more individuals who were not reached through the meetings than those who were. Many of these individuals are not prepared as yet to move into a church service or Adventist meetings. They will continue to study, and by the time

Institute for Sabbath School Teachers Held at Pine Springs

Southeastern's churches sent some 125 delegates to the Sabbath School Instructor's Institute at Pine Springs Ranch September 16 to 18, to learn through the ministry of teaching how Sabbath schools may become more effective agencies for soul winning. The first such institute of its kind in Southeastern, it was designed to help delegates to be able to return to their churches and conduct training programs for local Sabbath school teachers. Many have already announced plans for local courses.

Lecturers for the institute included Walter F. Specht, La Sierra College department of religion chairman; Willard Meier of the LSC education department; A. Graham Maxwell, Loma Linda University department of religion chairman; John Osborn, conference president; and Paul Heubach, Loma Linda University Church pastor.

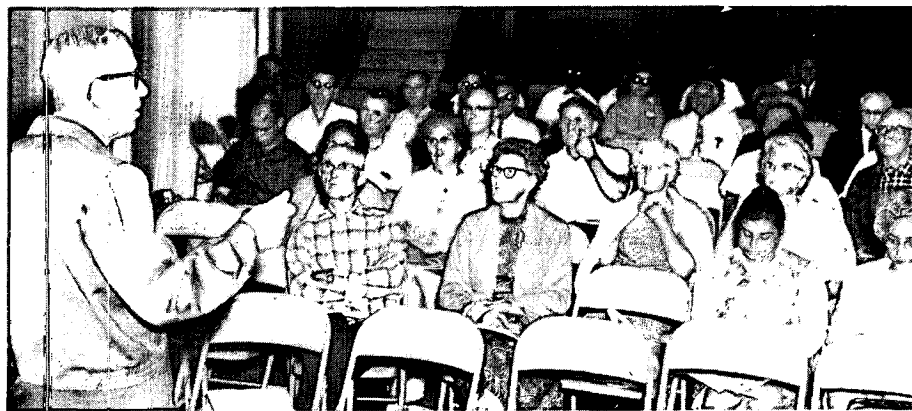
Doctor Specht discussed the aims and

objectives of teaching. Mr. Meier's subjects included how to teach and the use of effective illustrations and instructional aids. Doctor Maxwell told how to make questions and how to test one's teaching. Elder Osborn's subject was "Gathering Lesson Material—Organizing the Lesson." Elder Heubach discussed how to apply the Truth and techniques used by Christ.

Special emphasis was given to the Go Tell Thy Friends evangelism as well as missing member evangelism.

The opportunities of the Sabbath school teacher are unlimited since the potential membership in Southeastern's Sabbath schools is 29,587 and the average number not attending is 11,488. These figures are based on the second quarter of 1966 and include unbaptized children as potential members.

Many who attended this first institute expressed a desire that it be repeated next year.



Elder Paul Heubach speaks to Sabbath school teachers at the Instructors Institute at Pine Springs Ranch.

Northwest Orange County Has Three No-smoking Clinics

During the past summer three full-fledged, five-day no-smoking clinics have been conducted in the northwestern portion of Orange County. Two of these were held in La Habra and one in Fullerton.

Although we always wish the attendance could have been much greater, our efforts to liberate men and women from the tobacco habit have been richly rewarded. In addition, who can estimate the amount of good will that has been generated in the hearts of those who do not smoke?

After the initial experiment in Detroit which incorporated a simple program of weight reduction or control, we decided that we would conduct no more clinics without it. The presentation of weight control methods was enthusiastically received. In fact, some attended who have no smoking problems.

Some 75 percent of those attending gave up the smoking habit.

Our staff consisted of Miss Harri Hohensee, dietitian; Dr. I. Kraushaar, La Habra physician; and Elder R. Klingbeil, health educator. More clinics are being planned. In addition, the writer is organizing community discussion groups on preventive medicine.

In spite of our apparent high level of information and health knowledge, there exists a great need for exact and unexaggerated knowledge in the average group of citizens as well as among our church members. These informal discussion groups will not only enlighten our neighbors, but also help our own people to become better acquainted with the methods of disease prevention.

R. L. KLINGBEIL.



Elder Fordyce Detamore, speaker for the Worldwide Lecture Team, and Elder George Vandeman greet their audience following an It Is Written rally and the conclusion of the Detamore Crusade in Orange County.

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with

**GEORGE
VANDEMAN**

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Ontario Pathfinders Witness at Los Angeles County Fair

The Ontario Pathfinder Club had their Mosaic Art booth at the Los Angeles County Fair in Pomona September 16 through October 2. One Pathfinder boy and one Pathfinder girl were excused from school each day to work on mosaic art and answer questions asked by the many fair visitors.

Each morning at 9:30 the Ontario Pathfinder director took the two Pathfinders in full uniform from school to the fair grounds to work on mosaic art.



Ontario Pathfinder Director Lawrence Paulson observes Machel MacIntosh and Richard Stone working on mosaics.

Many boys and girls from schools, Girl Scouts, Boy Scouts, people from state institutions, Pathfinders from other clubs, and persons interested in crafts visited our booth and asked many questions.

The Ontario Pathfinders dressed in their clean, neatly-pressed uniforms, with colorful neckerchiefs around their necks and properly placed chevrons and award pins, made a very good impression on all who visited our booth.

During the 15-day Los Angeles County Fair, the Ontario Pathfinders had an opportunity to share their faith by their conduct and appearance to the 12,925 people who visited the booth.

LAWRENCE PAULSON, Director,
Ontario Pathfinder Club.

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Southeastern California

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Youth Are On the Go for Christ in Orange County

MISSIONARY ACTIVITIES: This last summer 15 young people spent the summer working in our clinics, hospitals, and schools in Honduras, Nicaragua, Costa Rica, El Salvador, and Guatemala.

A great blessing has been received not only by those who went and those they ministered to while there, but to all those at home who made it possible for them to go. The enthusiasm of these 15 young people has infected the lives of many other young people, teachers, and parents. Already plans are being made for next year's mission adventure and many are anxious to be Orange County ambassadors.

HOME MISSIONS: On the home front Orange County youth are conducting a well-planned ASK program. This group meets every morning in the Bible room of Orangewood Academy to trade experiences and meet in prayer bands. Several branch Sabbath schools are being planned, cottage meetings organized, and the "Go Tell" groups are bringing the lessons of truth to their friends and neighbors.

Seven preaching teams of 21 young men are giving the Third Angel's Message a new dimension—youthful preaching. The young people are planning to lay the groundwork for three new churches: Tustin, Huntington Beach, and La Habra. All systems are GO on the home mission's front in Orange County.

RECREATION: Wholesome recreation is very important in the development of our spiritual, mental, and physical powers and youth of Orange County consider this

also an important phase of their activities. At the present, scuba diving and all the swimming classes are being taught. Corn and watermelon feeds at the beach are quite often on the program.

Consideration is now being given to offering a pilot's training program with ground school leading to a pilot's license.

THE COORDINATOR: Some are likely to ask, "How did such a strong program get going and keep going?" About two years ago the Orange County churches and the conference asked Elder W. E. Jamerson to come and coordinate all the youth activities. Elder "J," as he is affectionately called by the students, has not only built a strong, well-balanced program, he has become a close friend, companion, father, and pastor to the youth.

His office, which is an eight-by-eight-foot room at Orangewood Academy, is usually crowded with young, enthusiastic teenagers, working on their many missionary activities. He listens, counsels, prays, and sometimes rebukes in love.

While the church is actively engaged with the keeping of the "front door," Elder "J" is minding the "back door." With his arms around our youth, he points out the folly of investing their talents in the world and holds up a crown of life, a great dividend for a small investment of their time. The "back door" is a significant place in the church. It's the door the backsliders use, and Elder "J" guards this door very carefully that other youth do not join the prodigals that have gone before to invest their talents in sin for a season.

Oh, that all of our academies and colleges had an Elder "J" for their pastor. Our youth need the best, let's make sure they have it.

KATHY SCHOLES.

Youth Leaders Have Inspirational Meet on Guejito Trail

The weekend of October 1 was most pleasant and profitable as more than 200 assembled "in the wilderness" on the beautiful Guejito (pronounced "Wahita") Trail near Escondido.

It is evident that the children and youth of Southeastern are in capable and dedicated hands. Some youth leaders are recent additions and we welcome them to our Pathfinder team.

The Friday evening vesper talk given by Mike Bazy, publishing secretary, inspired each one to choose today to serve the Master as never before. Elder Bill Dopp, MV secretary, presented a serious challenge at the Sabbath worship hour. "God's Second Book" was his timely theme as he presented many of the wonders of

God's handiwork. Each leader rededicated himself to God.

Thanks to Moye Wicks, North San Diego County Pathfinder coordinator, the entire weekend was a genuine success. A dramatization of last-day events was featured by the Jack Atkinson family of Escondido. Sunday morning many agenda items were discussed, with the main topic being the Camporee to be held October 28 to 30. All leaders are looking forward to a return visit with 1,500 Pathfinders.

Daily we thank the Lord for evidence of His guiding hand in the youth program of Southeastern.

W. C. DeHAVEN, Assoc. Secy.,
Missionary Volunteer Dept.



Conference MV directors, W. E. Dopp and W. C. DeHaven, lead Pathfinder leaders in songs at the site of the fall youth leaders meet near Escondido.

Arizona

Forty-five Attend Five-day Plan in Mesa

"How many have not smoked a single cigarette in the past five days?" This question was asked on the closing night of a recent "Five-Day Plan" held at the Lutheran Hospital in Mesa, Arizona. Seventy-five percent of those in attendance raised their hands indicating their success and desire to continue with their decision, "I choose to stop smoking."

The first night we met in the hospital conference room, and the attendance grew until we pushed out into an adjoining room. Deep interest grew as Elder Ed Anderson demonstrated with "Smoking Sam," the twelve-year-old smoking manikin. Dr. James Bursey impressed upon all smokers present that smoking is a crippler and a killer.

The second night we needed more room and the hospital administration kindly made the hospital solarium available. The



A portion of the group which came out the first night wanting to lick the smoking habit.

pictures shown and lectures given helped the attentive audience each evening to make stronger and stronger decisions to refrain from smoking.

When we reached the closing evening, deep gratitude was expressed by those who had been in regular attendance. "When will there be another program?" "May we bring our friends the next time?" and "What is the address of your church?" were some of the questions asked.

We were privileged to have three physicians working on this program: Dr. James Bursey, Phoenix, Dr. Hal Price, Phoenix, and Dr. James Hinger of Mesa.

Most rewarding were the meetings, as a better, happier, and healthier way of life was shown and accepted by those in attendance.

As a result of this Five-Day Plan at the Mesa Lutheran Hospital much interest was generated. People were so enthusiastic about having another Five-Day Plan that calls began pouring into the public opinion program, "Hot Line," on KOY Radio asking if KOY had any information as to when and where another clinic would be starting. Elder E. J. Anderson learned of this and immediately contacted the radio station. He was able to witness for 20 minutes on the "Hot Line" program concerning our temperance work and encouraged the listeners to contact our office in regard to the forthcoming Five-Day Plan Clinic which will be held in Sunnyslope the latter part of October.

CHARLES F. COOK, Pastor,
Camelback Church.

Sunnyslope Search for Truth Evangelistic Crusade Begins

The Arizona Conference evangelistic team, just returned from a six-month assignment in the Nevada-Utah Conference, will conduct its first crusade program in the Sunnyslope Church located in North Phoenix from October 22 through November 26. There will be meetings every Friday, Saturday, Sunday, and Wednesday evening at seven o'clock.

In addition to the Pastor and Mrs. Paul Johnson of the Sunnyslope Church, the evangelistic staff will include Elder and Mrs. Robert M. Whitsett, speaker and crusade secretary; Elder and Mrs. Robert T. Hirst, director of music and organist; and Harry and Nora Dill, business manager and receptionist.

The church has been organized for leadership and every-member participation in order to insure faithful attendance, full cooperation, and effective follow-up of the evangelistic campaign. Dr. Donald Ross is the chairman of the Evangelistic Planning Committee, and Emil De Benedetto is the vice chairman. Jack Riedlinger is the chairman of the Ushering and Props Committee and will be assisted by Edward White and Leo Schreven. William Walker is the chairman of the Committee on Attendance, and Mrs. Alma Young is the secretary. The committee in charge of Flower Arrangements and Decorations includes Mrs. Kenneth Lamareaux as chairman, with Mrs. Donald Ross and Mrs. Paul Johnson as assistants. Mrs. Blannie Ellis will serve as chairman of the Nursery Committee.

Each evening format will include a film presentation from 7 to 7:20, a musical program from 7:20 to 7:40, and the evangelistic message from 7:50 to 8:30. The subjects for the first week will be:

Saturday, October 22—

"Three Perplexing Problems—Peace, People and Pollution"

Sunday, October 23—

"What Is Truth for Today?"

Wednesday, October 26—

"Fulfilled Prophecies Proclaim God Lives"

Friday, October 28—

"The New Morality"

Saturday, October 29—

"Are You Living for Time or Space?"

Sunday, October 30—

"How to Observe the Christian Lord's Day"

New Schedule of Services for Safford and Globe Churches

To arrange for a stronger program of services, the churches at Safford and Globe have accepted the following new schedule of services which began on the Sabbath of October 15:

Globe Church

425 N. Deveraux St., Globe, Arizona

Morning Worship Service, Sabbath, 8:30 a.m.
Sabbath School, Sabbath, 9:45 a.m.
Prayer Meeting, Tuesday, 7:30 p.m.

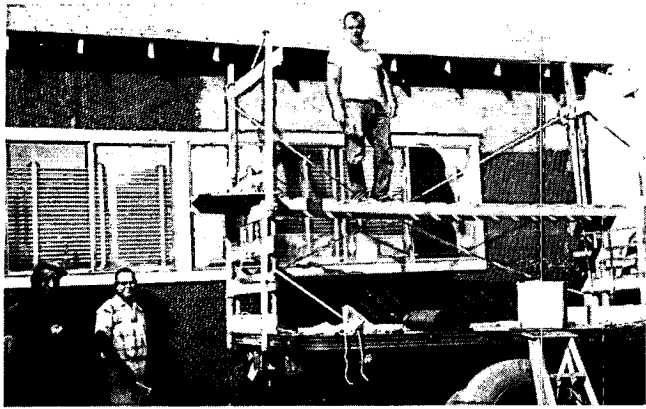
Safford Church

607 Valley Ave., Safford, Arizona

Sabbath School, Sabbath, 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship Service, Sabbath, 11:30 a.m.
Prayer Meeting, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

It is planned that the same general program starting with this date will be held in each of the above churches each Sabbath, with the pastor present for the morning worship service in each church. It is the sincere desire of all concerned that this new program will bring a real blessing to our members and friends in these areas.

J. B. CURRIER, Pastor.



Wilbur Meier, Herman Johnson, and Dr. Marvin Beams at work on the Yerington Church School.

Yerington Church School Gets a Face-lift

Everyone has been busy remodeling, painting, and varnishing the desks and walls of the church school building. The outside of the structure is being stuccoed and the school grounds are being landscaped.

All the members have been active and have evidenced talents, even unknown to themselves. Sundays have been the big work days, but many have also worked during the evenings. The pastor, Earl Simmons, has given leadership by example. Busy Dr. Marvin Beams has been the inspiration of the church by mounting the scaffold and doing the stuccoing, a skill acquired in his youth from his father.

Mrs. Pansy Johnson is teaching 16 children this year, an increase of seven over last year's enrollment.

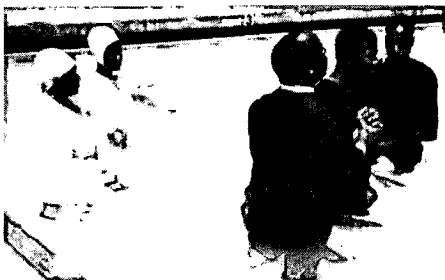
MRS. CAROLYN EATON, PR Secy.,
Yerington Church.

Las Vegas Canvas Auditorium Baptism

Mrs. Ida M. Howard and Jesse and Milton Howard are three of 15 baptized by Elder I. D. Evans as the result of meetings held June 12 to September 11 in the Canvas Auditorium located at Highland Drive and Jefferson Street in Las Vegas.

Assisting Elder Evans were Mrs. Lottie McMullen, Bible instructor; Orlando Rudley, superintendent of the tent and song director; and Raymond White, pianist and organist. Another baptism will be held soon for many others have made their decisions for Christ.

MRS. VIOLET EVANS, PR Secy.,
Las Vegas Church.



Mrs. Ida M. Howard and two of her children being baptized by Elder I. D. Evans in the Doolittle Pool of Las Vegas.

Fish Lake Valley vacation Bible school youngsters with their leaders and teachers.



Nevada-Utah

Vacation Bible Schools Really Do Pay

Another vacation Bible school in Fish Lake Valley, Nevada—that far away mountain-desert area over mountain passes 80 miles from the nearest supermarket—was a success as usual. The enrollment was 25, ranging in age from 4 to 17.

Sister Genevieve Hanson of Fish Lake lined up the crafts this year with the help of Brother and Sister Palm and our fine Catholic friend, Mrs. Lillian Webber, also of Fish Lake.

In this lonely valley some 50 miles by 10 miles with scattered ranches from one end to the other, the youngsters were picked up in private cars then delivered back home again. There is very little social life for the youngsters, so often in the afternoons following Bible school and lunch hour all the youngsters who could go were again picked up and taken to the only "swimming hole" around, a delightful little pond which is fed by natural springs in the foothills.

In the picture are students who have attended Thunderbird Academy: Dorothy Wilcox, David Koskey, Rick Mason, Sally Frederick, and Gene Webber. These young people added to the success of the Bible school.

The wonderful results of vacation Bible school each summer and Sabbath school held each week have been two baptisms. Brother and Sister Herschell Hanson conduct the Sabbath school each week with the Wilcoxes from Bishop and the Palms of Fish Lake helping out. Other baptisms are anticipated.

This summer Sally Frederick and Gene Webber took championship prizes and blue ribbons on their livestock in the county fair. With this money and earnings they labored for during the holidays they were able to enter Thunderbird Academy this fall. It is hoped that someone will come to their aid financially so that they may continue their Christian education.

MRS. NADINE WILCOX, Supt.,
Fish Lake Sabbath School.

Hawaiian Mission

State-wide Camp Meeting Held in Honolulu Recently

Elder W. J. Hackett, president of the North Pacific Union Conference of Seventh-day Adventists, brought the opening sermon at the state-wide camp meeting held in Honolulu September 30 through October 1.

This camp meeting was held in the McKinley High School Auditorium, which afforded ample seating space for our membership of the Island of Oahu as well as for those coming to this meeting from the neighboring islands. The attendance was excellent from the opening meeting through the conclusion on Saturday night.

On Sabbath morning, Elder R. R. Bietz, president of the Pacific Union Conference, brought the sermon, at which time he exhorted our membership to continue in the program of faithfulness, dedication, and active zeal for God. The Sabbath school lesson for the entire adult division was taught in one class by Elder C. C. Kott, Sabbath school secretary of the Pacific Union Conference. Saturday night's meeting featured Elder A. R. Mazat, periodical circulation manager of the Pacific Press Publishing Association.

In the afternoon the personnel from the Hawaiian Mission office presented the program "Tell All Hawaii." This program is designed and geared to make the message of truth known far and wide throughout the Island field. Pastors and laymen alike can unite in carrying this good news to their friends and neighbors, thus sharing with them the joy that Seventh-day Adventism has brought to each one of us.

The membership of the State of Hawaii greatly appreciated this privilege of joining together for instruction, spiritual growth, fellowship, and inspiration, and all returned to their home churches with a greater determination to do the work in their own communities.

Due to its geographical location, Hawaii's membership is on six different islands, and the only way for us to get together is to fly to one central point. This means that our state-wide gatherings are not too frequent, making the ones that are held all the more important.

This camp meeting demonstrated that our membership in Hawaii is indeed a united, happy fellowship of believers, each one eager to do all in his power to cooperate with God in the giving of His last message. As the camp meeting closed, the appeal resounded in our ears to go and Tell All Hawaii.

A. G. STREIFLING.

Annual Week of Prayer Coming November 5 to 12

November 5 to 12 has been set aside as the Week of Prayer for our churches everywhere. Since the early days of our work, this special week of spiritual emphasis has been productive of much good for our people. In today's confused world there is greater need than ever before for a proper evaluation of life's true values. The Week of Prayer can serve as a time of spiritual inventory where each one of us personally examines himself to see if he is in the faith.

As this Week of Prayer comes to us, we hope that our entire constituency will enter into this yearly season in the spirit of brotherly love, unity, and Christian fellowship to seek a greater infilling of God's spirit in order that we might go forth to do the work that Heaven would have us do at this very time.

Special readings have been prepared which will serve to keep our churches around the world unified, optimistic, and informed. Plan now to attend all the meetings in connection with the Week of Prayer, and to enter into the spiritual service fully, thus making this the finest Week of Prayer to this point in your individual experience.

A. G. STREIFLING.



Kimo Smith, a freshman at Hawaiian Mission Academy who is an accomplished organist and a member of the Kaneohe Church, served as organist for the recent camp meeting.



Elder W. J. Hackett, president of the North Pacific Union Conference, speaks at the opening session of the camp meeting, September 30.

Holiday Book Sales

Your Book and Bible House will be displaying books throughout the conference, and a partial schedule of the displays where you may have the opportunity of seeing our books, Bibles, and records is as follows:

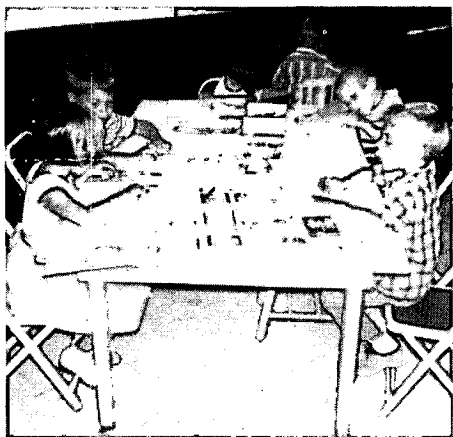
Sunday, Oct. 30Soquel Campground
 Saturday night, Nov. 5.....Oakdale School
 Sunday, Nov. 6...Chowchilla Pathfinder Fair
 Saturday night, Nov. 12
 Modesto Union Academy
 Sunday, Nov. 13, 10 a.m.-4 p.m.
 Modesto Union Academy
 Sunday night, Nov. 13.....Merced Church
 Tuesday, Nov. 15Oakhurst Church
 Wednesday, Nov. 16.....Mariposa Church
 Saturday night, Nov. 19.....Dinuba Church
 Sunday, Nov. 20Fresno Church
 Monday, Nov. 21Exeter Church
 Tuesday, Nov. 22Armona Union Academy

Plan now to see the fine displays that will be available for your consideration and to help you make gift selections.

T. E. BABER, *Manager*,
 Book and Bible House.

Vacation Bible School at Delano Is Well Attended

For the two weeks following July 18 the Delano Church conducted a very successful vacation Bible school in their community. The attendance was approximately 65, and 80 percent of these were not of our faith.



The Primary craft table at the Delano vacation Bible school.

The closing program on August 3 was well attended by parents and friends.

Mrs. Maria Noel was coordinator for the school and was aided by Mrs. Ted Eberlein, Mrs. Elghus James, Mrs. Zelda Chappell, and Mrs. Domingo DeLeon.

Central California

Seminar for Better Living Held at Soquel Campgrounds

"Two hundred persons can't be wrong!" was the statement made at the September 23 to 25 Seminar for Better Living which attracted most of the conference temperance secretaries, academy temperance leaders, and many pastors to the Soquel campground for a unique gathering, the first of its kind held anywhere in our ranks.

We all received a new concept of Medical and Temperance ministry under the inspired guidance of E. J. Folkenberg, our world temperance secretary. The role of our church in medical missionary work was opened up as never before. It was made clear that we as a people are directed by Heaven to be leaders in this tremendous program of better living. The methods and plans given during this weekend were not trial-and-error ideas, but products of research and application in the lives of people.

How thrilled we were to hear of the impact being made on world leaders as they discover and use our latest "tools" of health and temperance. The methods of Christ were thoroughly studied as we are told to "work as He worked."

Among the new materials demonstrated were the "single concept" films on "How to Stop Smoking" and "Weighing What You Want to Weigh." These unique films are used with a new, low-priced projector which brings the aids within the realm of most people's means. A number of complete sets were ordered at once.

To bring the mass media into the picture a new four-and-one-half-minute daily radio broadcast on "Better Living" was introduced, and 26 sets were ordered for use on local radio stations. We hope many more will join in this newest venture.

The response of the 200 attending was thrilling. Financial means were pledged on the spot so that immediate needs of equipment could be met. We believe that the results of this bold, new step will be seen throughout our conference.

Everyone returned home with new concepts of how to finish the work of God in our day. You will, too, when you see this fine new program of the "entering wedge" in operation in your community.

L. E. FLETCHER, *Secretary*,
 Temperance Department.



HERE'S A FINE WAY TO OBSERVE HALLOWEEN!—On October 27 last year a news release was given the local paper like this: "Adventist Youth to Collect Cans on Halloween." "Pacifica Adventist Youth will be out with the witches and goblins Halloween night—but instead of 'treats' they will collect canned food for the needy. They will be identified with large blue ribbons. The food is for local Thanksgiving baskets." Then on November 17 this story came out: "Adventist Youth Fill Food Baskets." "Sixteen youth of the Pacifica Adventist Church, chaperoned by six adults, took part in a rewarding Halloween event to benefit the local Thanksgiving day baskets by collecting 332 articles of food in 250 homes, along with \$8.50 in cash." How about your church group doing likewise this year?—Jean Brunger, PR Secretary, Pacifica Company.

The Monterey Bay Academy Laundry Story

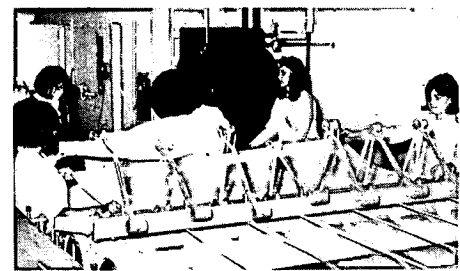
A few months ago Monterey Bay Academy embarked on a totally new venture in its extensive student work program, the creation of a commercial laundry. We were fortunate in getting the services of an excellent laundry manager, Mr. Gerald Skidmore, formerly with Walla Walla College Commercial Laundry which had become a very successful venture.

Then problems arose which threatened to change the entire picture.

It seemed that the carefully laid plans for us to do commercial laundry would be totally undone. Even though thorough preparations were made, including a market survey, purchase of proper equipment, securing a competent manager, and arranging for permits, the other laundries in the area appeared anxious that MBA not enter their field of business. They persuaded the Zoning Board to deny us a Use Permit. This denial was immediately appealed to the County Board of Supervisors.

Because local news media and newspapers from as far away as San Francisco reported the events (though not always quite accurately), the public became well informed not only about the plans for the laundry, but of distinctive Adventist be-

liefs. The main editorial in a prominent local newspaper pictures Adventists as "model citizens" and urged approval of the academy's request. There were no objections from the community and many local residents were quoted as favoring the laundry. A petition signed by 450 community residents was officially recorded.



A view of Monterey Bay Academy Laundry, latest addition to the school's extensive work program, specializing in motel and hotel work on the Monterey Peninsula besides caring for the school's needs.

Prior to making his decision each of the county supervisors accepted an invitation to the campus, had lunch and made a tour of the major areas of interest. One supervisor, quoted in the newspapers as opposing the laundry, became openly and enthusiastically in favor of it. He admitted also that his enthusiasm was influenced by the book *Education*, that had been placed in his hands two days earlier. Another, who had planned to read only the suggested chapter on work programs in our schools, actually read the entire book before going to sleep, confessed that he didn't know that a school with such noble ideals existed so close to his home.

Many earnest prayers were answered when the Board reversed the decision and approved the Use Permit.

In addition to informing the community about Seventh-day Adventist beliefs, the newspaper publicity has had the effect of announcing that this laundry was now ready to do business, resulting in several inquiries by prospective customers. It is indeed remarkable how the Lord can take seemingly forbidding circumstances and use them to advance His cause.

C. W. JORGENSEN, *Principal*.



CENTRAL SCORES A "FIRST" IN TEMPERANCE EVANGELISM.—"The first of its kind in our denomination" was the comment of E. J. Folkenberg, head of the General Conference temperance department, as he addressed over 200 temperance secretaries, pastors, and conference officers at the Seminar for Better Living held at Soquel September 23 to 25. Leaders who initiated the seminar were Eugene Fletcher, local temperance secretary, Edward John, M.D., health department secretary, and E. R. Walde, president.

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Northern California

Feather River Sanitarium and Hospital Breaks Ground

Ground-breaking ceremonies were held at the site of the new Feather River Hospital in Paradise at 4:30 p.m. September 13. Members of the Governing Board of the hospital, with representatives from county government and the local Chamber of Commerce, participated in the program.

Elder James E. Chase, chairman of the Board of the Feather River Hospital, indicated that the ground breaking initiates the beginning of the development of a new medical complex on the Feather River Sanitarium and Hospital grounds. A new 50-bed acute general hospital, expandable to 100 or 150 beds, will be constructed immediately to meet the rapidly-growing demands for hospital care in the Paradise area. This will replace the present facility serving as Feather River Hospital building on the same grounds.

It is estimated that construction costs for the acute hospital will be somewhat over three quarters of a million dollars with the additional new equipment necessitated bringing the total investment to over one million dollars in this one project.

The Lassen Foundation, a local non-profit organization dedicated to the development of medical facilities and related research projects, is the fiscal agent in the construction of the new facility. Members of the Lassen Foundation were the founders of the original Feather River Sanitarium and Hospital some 16 years ago.



Left to right are P. V. Harrigan, president of Lassen Foundation; Dr. D. Hoiland, chief of staff; Dr. M. C. Horning; James E. Chase, president, Northern California Conference, in the ground-breaking ceremony of the Feather River Hospital September 13.

New Antioch Church Officially Opened on September 3

On September 3 the ribbon-cutting ceremony for the new sanctuary of the Antioch Church was conducted, and the building was officially opened for use.

The Antioch Church has had an interesting history. It began in 1924 when the first Adventist sister moved into the community, and it was given a big boost in 1935 when the first colporteur worked the territory. In 1938, following the second series of meetings which were held in a temporary tabernacle complete with sawdust floor, etc., the church was legally organized. Of the 21 charter members, four were present at the opening service.

At the September 3 ceremony Elder James Chase, president of the Northern California Conference, and Sister Rose Way, the only one of the charter members who has held continuous membership, shared the joy of cutting the ribbons and officially opening the new sanctuary. Others taking part in the ceremony were Elder E. A. Schmidt, secretary-treasurer of the conference; Elder S. R. Jayne, assistant to the president; Dr. Raymond Barker, chairman of the building committee; Mr. Leo Fancy, manager of the City of Antioch; Pastor Carl Hart, representing the Antioch Ministerial Fellowship; and C. H. Seitz, pastor of the Antioch Seventh-day Adventist Church.

The new building is constructed of block with exposed laminated beams. It contains, besides the main sanctuary, a large foyer, spacious mothers' room and adjoining rest room, balcony and sound room, choir room, pastor's study, baptismal font, and two dressing rooms. An unusual feature of the sanctuary is the chandeliers. These are black wrought-iron with colored fiberglass panes, and were constructed by volunteer labor of the members.

On Sabbath, September 17, the first baptismal service was held in the new church with ten candidates being baptized. This brings the church membership to an all-time high of 158.

Won't you join us in praying that this new edifice will truly be a "light upon a hill," and a powerful witness for the three angels' messages? We cordially invite you to visit the church any time you are in our area.

C. H. SEITZ, *Pastor,*
Antioch Church.



View of the interior of the new Antioch church during the dedicatory service September 3.



Sister Rose May, charter member of the Antioch church, and Elder James E. Chase, president of the Northern California Conference, in ribbon-cutting ceremony.

Joy in Service

"It was Christ's joy to help those in need of help, to seek the lost, to rescue the perishing, to lift up the bowed down, to heal the sick, to speak words of sympathy and consolation to the sorrowing and the distressed. The more fully we are imbued with His Spirit, the more earnestly we shall work for those around us; and the more we do for others, the greater will be our love for the work, and the greater our delight in following the Master."—*Colporteur Ministry*, page 46.

Our colporteurs know the joy that comes to those who follow the Master in service. They go from home to home with literature containing God's message for these tremendous times. They also minister to the people's need by praying with them and enrolling them in a free Bible course. This daily joy they experience reaches a climax when their personalized service results in a baptism.

Paul Golden, one of our successful colporteurs, his wife, Ann, and their children, Judy and Jonathan, live in Fremont. As of October 1, Paul had completed eight years of service as a literature evangelist. During this time he sold more than \$125,000 worth of literature and had the thrill of having several families join the church.

About four years ago, he called on the Keener family and sold them "The Bible Story" and "Treasures of Life" sets of books. He nurtured their interest in the message of the books by occasional visits. The result? Paul and his family had the thrill of seeing the Keeners buried with their Lord in baptism. Today Brother Keener is the home missionary leader of the Fremont Church and is also devoting some time to the colporteur work.

The new "Go Tell Thy Friends" soul-winning program is one in which every member in the conference will want to participate. Our colporteurs are enthusiastic about this plan for it will add to their soul-winning potential as they make it a part of their program.

Dear Reader, may you share in Christ's joy as you earnestly work for the salvation of your neighbors and friends the "Go Tell" way.

C. L. WILLIAMS, *Secy.,*
Publishing Department.

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The Keener family are pictured at the left, and the Golden family on the right.



LA SIERRA COLLEGE

Faculty to Entertain College Board of Trustees on November 1

The annual Faculty-Board buffet dinner will be held in the San Geronio room of The Commons on Tuesday evening, November 1, according to the chairman of the faculty social committee planning the event. Board of Trustee members and their wives will be entertained by a variety program following the buffet dinner.

Music will be provided by the LSC Chamber Singers, directed by Prof. Moses Chalmers, in two groups of part songs; and by the LSC String Ensemble under the direction of Prof. Alfred Walters.

Dr. Wilfred J. Airey, professor of history, will give a short talk on his recent trip through South America, and there will also be brief speeches of welcome by President David J. Bieber and Elder R. R. Bietz, Board chairman.

Autumn Week of Religious Emphasis in Progress

The annual fall Week of Religious Emphasis is being conducted October 21 to 28 by Dr. Joseph Barnes of the division of religion, Walla Walla College. Doctor Barnes has selected as his topical theme: "Adventures in Faith." Chapel services are being held in the church every day in addition to the evening worship services. The week will end with a communion service on Friday evening, October 28.

Education Department Offers Six Public Seminars

A series of six public seminars will be offered by the education department from October through April as a public service. The project is being coordinated by Dr. Vernon Koenig of the department of education and will feature six outstanding authorities in various phases of education, communications, institutional design, television education, and pedagogy. The speakers, dates, and topics are listed below:

October 11—Leo E. Persselin in "The Learner Centered Concept in Education." Mr. Persselin is director of instructional systems development for the Videosec Systems Division of Hughes Aircraft Company, Fullerton, California.

November 8—Ralph Arnold: "Total Institutional Design for Maximum Learning Opportunity." Mr. Arnold is currently project architect for one of the largest architectural firms in the world.

January 11—Robert Kreiman: "Dimensions of Individual Learner-Centered Instruction: Individual Learning Aids." Mr. Kreiman is vice president and general manager of the Commercial and Educational Division of Technicolor Corporation.

February 7—Dr. Peter Dean: "Dimensions of Learner-Centered Instruction: Group Classroom Communications Systems." Doctor Dean is director of development of Edex Corporation, a subsidiary of Raytheon Company.

March 14—Dr. Gene Duncan: "Information Classification, Storage, Retrieval, and Transfer." Doctor Duncan is senior research consultant for research in Information Technology and for planning long-range mathematical computer applications for Lockheed Corporation.

April 4—Emanuel Berlant: "The Single

Teacher Concept in TV Programming." Emanuel Berlant is educational consultant for Packard Bell.

All programs begin at 6:30 p.m. in the Chaparral Room of The Commons on the La Sierra College campus on Pierce Street in La Sierra, Riverside, California.

Testing Service Schedule for Academy and High School Seniors

High School Students Planning to Attend La Sierra College may wish to take advantage of one of the following testing centers this fall:

October 24, Glendale Academy, 8:45 a.m., Library. La Sierra College personnel will administer SCAT (School and College Ability Test).

November 2, Lynwood Academy, 8:00 a.m., Cafeteria. LSC personnel will administer SCAT.

November 9, La Sierra Academy, 8:00 a.m., Chapel. LSC personnel will administer SCAT.

December 4, La Sierra College, 8:30 a.m., Chaparral Room, Commons. SAT (Scholastic Aptitude Test) will be administered especially for those wishing to apply for California State scholarships. Prior registration necessary.

December 7, San Gabriel Academy. LSC will administer SCAT.

December 11, La Sierra College, 8:30 a.m., Room 100, Hole Memorial, ACT (American College Test) administered for those who need it for other colleges. Prior registration necessary.

Other Testing Dates Established:

October 23, La Sierra College, 8:30 a.m., Chaparral Room, Commons. Medical College Admissions Test.

November 7, La Sierra College, 8:30 a.m., Room 103, Hole Memorial. Admission Test for Graduate Study in Business. Prior registration required.

November 20, 21, 22, La Sierra College, 8:15 a.m., Chaparral Room, Commons. Graduate Record Examinations for enrolled students only.

November 18, La Sierra College, 8:30 a.m., College Hall. College Qualification Test for the Selective Service. Prior registration necessary through local draft board.

Application blanks for all of the above tests except the Selective Service Test are available through the Office of Testing, La Sierra College, Riverside, California 92505.

Invite Your Friends and Neighbors to View Faith for Today

Mrs. Nellie V. Wood of San Fernando, California, has set a record by inviting 1,790 friends to view Faith for Today during last year. Her telephoning, done primarily on Sundays, has added many viewers to the telecast.

Mrs. Wood is no youngster, either—she is eighty-five years old.

Comments Mrs. Wood: "Pray that God will water the seed we have sown. I thank the Lord there is still something I can do for Him."

How many of us are letting an entire year go by without making one phone call to invite others to view Faith for Today! Pick up that telephone now.

Check local listings for time and station and then call friends and neighbors, inviting them to view the denomination's telecast this week.

GORDON F. DALRYMPLE, Editor, Publications, Faith for Today.

School of Nursing Alumni Meet at St. Helena Sanitarium

One hundred and twenty-three alumni gathered at St. Helena Sanitarium and Hospital the weekend of August 19 to 21 for the Seventy-fifth Homecoming for the School of Nursing. All living members of the classes of 1916 and 1926 were present. Traveling the farthest to get to the Homecoming was Mrs. Illa Keller Casey, class of '22, who came from Wildwood, Georgia.

Since the training school went into operation in 1891, approximately seven hundred and sixty-five nurses have graduated



All living members of the St. Helena Sanitarium and Hospital School of Nursing Class of 1916 were present for the school's Seventy-fifth Homecoming the weekend of August 19-21. Left to right are: Mrs. Eva Woesner, Oscar Woesner, Mrs. Elma Spencer, Mrs. Eva Johnson, Mrs. Marie Cooper, Franklin Herman, Mrs. Vera Schaefer, Mrs. Hazel Grant, and John Blackwelder.

to serve here and abroad. At least twelve are currently serving in foreign mission lands. The first to go as a missionary nurse was Mrs. Alice Estes Roth, class of '96, who went with her husband to Tahiti in 1900. Her son, Alden Roth, is employed at the Sanitarium and Hospital.

The Homecoming activities began with a Friday evening service in the Sanitarium Church with Elder S. R. Jayne of Oakland as speaker. At the eleven o'clock Sabbath service, Elder W. B. Ochs stressed the components of "Living Service"—consecration, love, humility, courage, loyalty, and sacrifice. Following the special vesper program Sabbath evening, films were shown of the early years at the medical institution.

Sunday morning tours were conducted through the Sanitarium and Hospital; and at noon two hundred and thirty-five alumni and special guests met for a banquet in the Community Hall.

E. E. CHRISTIAN, PR Director, St. Helena Sanitarium and Hospital.



Mrs. Nellie V. Wood of San Fernando, California, inviting friends and neighbors to view the Faith for Today telecast. Eighty-five years of age, Mrs. Wood invited nearly 1,800 people last year to watch the program.



H. M. S. Richards Recommends Thrilling Story of His Friend

Listen to this:

"The long hours in a fifth-floor prison cell were punctuated almost daily by the screams from the Milice torture room. Often a prisoner, more dead than alive, was dragged past their cell. . . . One morning an officer came to the cell. 'I am sorry,' he said, 'but Darnand has refused to release you, Mr. Weidner. Vichy has also informed the German Gestapo of your presence here. Tomorrow they are coming to take you.'

"Preparations for your execution are already made at their headquarters. If you have any letters to write to your family or other papers you care to make out, you should do that today. Here is some paper and a pencil. I'm sorry not to have better news for you."

Who was this Mr. Weidner, who with his friend in the prison cell heard the terrible news that he was to be executed the next day? He was Captain John Henry Weidner, of the Dutch army, a leader of the Dutch-Paris underground during the second World War, and a very dear personal friend of mine.

For a long time I had hoped that he would tell his amazing story to the world. Now he has done just that—told the story to Herbert Ford, who has made it into a book with the unusual title, *Flee the Captor*.

And that day in the cell with the firing squad ready to take his life the next morning, he was like the Apostle Peter in the old Jerusalem prison behind strong iron bars, with no possibility of flight from certain death. And then—listen to this paragraph:

"About an hour after a nearby church clock tolled ten that night, Weidner and Rens began working at the door of their cell with the tools — provided. They had the door open in about an hour. Weidner stepped out quietly to check the corridor. Near the door on the right side of the cell was a guard—sleeping on the floor. Cradled between his legs was a machine gun. . . ."

Did he wake up? Did they escape? What about the other two guards? Well, read it for yourself. But don't start at night if you want time for sleeping. Read it for a gripping story of bravery and daring in a troubled time, but most of all for a story of faith and trust in God for modern times—our times.

Read the story of my friend John Weidner in *Flee the Captor*. It's a book you will never forget. It is available right now at your Book and Bible House for \$4.95.

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