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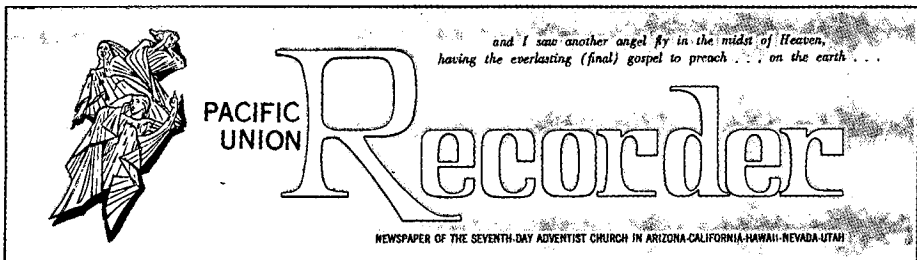
By ROBERT H. PIERSON, President
General Conference

Our Lord's coming is near. Do we realize it? Or has Satan numbed our senses and blinded our eyes, so that we are unable to feel and see the physical and spiritual needs everywhere around us. God, open our eyes and help us to see and understand!

Human vice and wickedness are becoming bolder. Murder and theft are multiplying at giant pace. Disasters on the sea, on the land, and in the air happen one after the other, as foretold. How often

storms, fires, and earthquakes cause great suffering and loss. Do these things concern God's children? They should.

As we see such tragedies intensifying all around us, men and women should be aroused to sense their condition and heed before it is too late. One day soon God will wipe wickedness from the earth. Yet these present troublous conditions still seem to cry out for man's quick awakening to duty and responsibility. God would yet give man his final opportunity. But one day



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VOP Board Votes to Lessen Duties of Present Speaker

At the Voice of Prophecy Board meeting in January of this year, it was voted to begin planning to lighten the load of Elder H. M. S. Richards so that he might work at a more leisurely pace; also that it not be mandatory for him to carry the many organizational responsibilities with which he has been burdened for so many years.

At the same board meeting, it was unanimously voted that H. M. S. Richards, Jr. carry the responsibility of speaker on the broadcast, and become program director and successor to his father, July 1.

Even though the official date for transfer was voted, it was recognized by the board that a dual-speaker responsibility, in a father-son relationship, would give additional strength to the program.

Elder Richards, Sr. will continue with the Voice of Prophecy as speaker emeritus, and will also be available for public appearances.

Only the records of heaven could reveal the many millions whose hearts have been stirred by Elder Richards' Bible messages

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MISLEADING BROCHURE IS CONFUSING; NOT OFFICIAL

A brochure has just reached me in the mail from Global International Tours, Inc., of 6355 Topanga Canyon Boulevard, Woodland Hills, California. I must assume that this brochure has also reached many Seventh-day Adventists for evidently this organization has access to some of our mailing lists.

The brochure in question is printed along the same format as the brochure that was prepared by the Pacific Union Conference to inform you of an official denominational tour that will involve attendance at the World Youth Congress in Zurich. The picture on the front was prepared by John Hancock of the General Conference Missionary Volunteer Department. It is unfortunate that this organization, known as Global International Tours, used this picture without our permission or knowledge. The brochure would intimate that the World Youth Congress is part of the tour they are promoting.

Global International Tours cannot assure any individual that they can attend the Congress, because seating is limited to

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Elder H. M. S. Richards, who has broadcast the gospel message for 40 years, plans future dual-speaker responsibilities of the Voice of Prophecy with his son, Harold Richards, Jr.



Pacific Union College students participate in march.

not too far hence man's delay of grace will be over.

Are we, the children of God, responding to the opportunities and needs which these conditions indicate? The love which God placed in the heart of man has almost been extinguished. The church must rekindle this love and co-operate with God in vanquishing lust, greed, and selfishness from the human heart. It must do all it can to relieve suffering and want. It must lift the struggling and the fallen. It must nourish hope and stimulate faith. It must turn man's eyes to Heaven, from whence the Saviour of mankind will come.

A magnificent opportunity to show our compassion for those who are cast down and who are groping for hope will be given to us on May 10 through the Disaster and Famine Relief Offering. Let us joyfully do that which our hearts tell us we should do.

"Message" Magazine Drive Begins; Meetings Are Held

According to the recent report, 6,479 homes, most of them in the Pacific Union, were lifted a bit nearer to heaven during the last few months. This was not done by floods and high water, so recently effective in this area, but by the continual arrival of *Message* magazine in the homes.

Recently two promotional meetings for *Message* magazine were conducted to lay the groundwork for the campaign for 1969.

The first meeting, for the workers of the southern area of our union, began with a luncheon gathering at the Ontra Cafeteria on Crenshaw Boulevard, Los Angeles, and then moved to the Berean Adventist church nearby on Adams Boulevard and continued through the afternoon.

The meeting for the northern area was conducted at the Elmhurst church on Thermal Street, Oakland. After a vigorous morning session of promotion and planning which began at 9:30, workers joined in a noon luncheon period at the Kaiser Center near Lake Merritt.

These meetings were conducted at a lively pace, spiked by humorous, pertinent approaches, characteristic of Elder R. J. Christian, Periodical Department manager of Southern Publishing Association.

Other welcome visitors at the promotional meetings included Elder H. S. Walters, president of the West Indies Union, who happened to be in the southern area

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Favorable Publicity Given to March of PUC Students

The name of Angwin is hardly a household word—yet. But, considering the international attention attracted by the anti-tobacco "protest march" against cigarette advertising by Pacific Union College students and faculty April 10, it may not be long in coming!

Nearly 1,000 strong, the "demonstrators" walked, complete with placards and banners, behind SA President Leland Yalulis and project director Herb Powell nine miles downhill from their Angwin campus atop Howell Mountain to hold a rally in St. Helena city park.

There to address them was Emerson Foote, New York advertising executive, flown out to the west coast by the American Cancer Society for the express purpose of addressing this gathering.

Mr. Foote, co-founder of one major advertising firm (Foote, Cone & Belding) and board chairman and president of the world's second-largest ad agency (McCann-Erickson), had popularized, during World War II, the famous LS/MFT slogan which sold millions of Lucky Strike cigarettes.

Resigned Position

He resigned the latter position in 1964, after becoming convinced that cigarette-smoking was a major health-hazard and feeling that it was somehow wrong to promote for profit a product known to be killing millions of people.

He was immediately named chairman of the National Interagency Council on Smoking and Health; shortly thereafter he was appointed to membership on the President's Commission on Heart Disease, Cancer and Stroke by Lyndon B. Johnson.

Currently Mr. Foote is a director or trustee of eight nonprofit foundations including Menninger Foundation, American Cancer Society, and American Heart Association.

PUC students had a two-fold purpose in staging their protest march: (1) they wanted to draw attention in the community to the annual fund-raising drive of the American Cancer Society, which began in Napa County that week; and (2) they also wanted to make prominent the increasing dangers to public health from cigarette smoking, largest single cause of lung cancer.

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SUNSET TABLE

Friday, April 25

Angwin	6:55	Riverside	6:28
Chico	6:55	San Diego	6:25
Eureka	7:06	San Jose	6:51
Fresno	6:42	Phoenix	7:06
Lodi	6:50	Reno	6:47
Loma Linda	6:28	Salt Lake City	7:17
Los Angeles	6:32	Hilo	6:41
Oakland	6:53	Honolulu	6:54

Friday, May 2

(Daylight Saving Time—California, Nevada, Utah.)

Angwin	8:02	Riverside	7:34
Chico	8:02	San Diego	7:31
Eureka	8:13	San Jose	7:57
Fresno	7:48	Phoenix	7:11
Lodi	7:56	Reno	7:53
Loma Linda	7:33	Salt Lake City	8:24
Los Angeles	7:37	Hilo	6:44
Oakland	8:00	Honolulu	6:57

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at the time; and at the Oakland meeting were Elder C. E. Moseley, itinerating from the General Conference; Elder S. R. Jayne, secretary of the Northern California Conference; and Elder E. W. Amundson, secretary of the Central California Conference.

The workers left the meetings filled with enthusiasm in a determined effort to reach high goals and, if possible, double their outreach. At least two subscriptions per member in all the churches is the minimum goal this year.

A number of the Caucasian churches are using *Message Magazine* to reach minority people, and we hope they will increase their use of *Message* subscriptions this year during the campaign, April 1 to May 30.

See your local church lay activities secretary and order through your local Book and Bible House. Give *Message* a boost—it wins souls.

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

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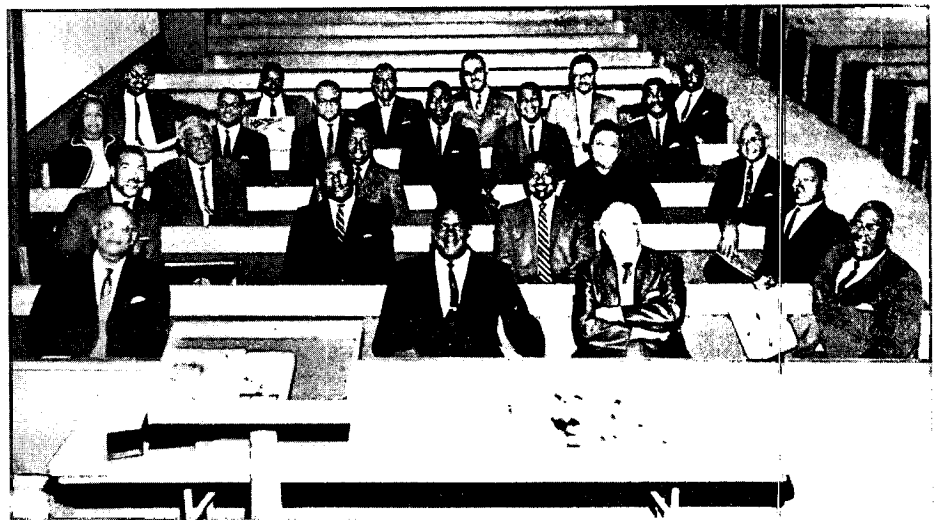
over the past four decades. But the records of the church tell of thousands whose names have been added because of his ministry of love through radio.

Elder H. M. S. Richards, Jr. has served as associate speaker on the broadcast through most of the sixties, and has done much to promote and establish the Voice of Prophecy Daily Broadcast with its fruitful follow-up crusade plan. He has also promoted a broadcast to reach the youth of North America. His enthusiasm for The Voice of Prophecy will assure an ever-expanding program of soul winning through the radio ministry.

Large plans are being laid by the Voice of Prophecy for 1970. That year will complete Elder Richards' unbroken 40-year record of broadcasting the great gospel truths. Unprecedented plans are being prepared for proclaiming the message to the entire world within a short space of time.

Please pray for the blessing of God upon all that the Voice of Prophecy is doing and is planning to do to make Christ known to the millions everywhere.

R. R. BIETZ, Chairman,
 Voice of Prophecy General Board.



Southern area Pacific Union Conference regional workers meet with Elder R. J. Christian in "Message" magazine promotion, February 17.

A CANADIAN LAYMAN USES "SIGNS" IN BIG SUPERMARKET

Should you walk into a large supermarket in the city of Edmonton, Canada, and find yourself in front of the magazine racks, you would see displayed the *Signs of the Times*.

Philip Brod, an enthusiastic layman of the Edmonton Church, receives a club of 25 *Signs* monthly which he places in two large supermarkets. He says, "They go like hot cakes." Stamped on each magazine is "Free, you may take it with you."

One day while placing the *Signs* in the magazine racks, an Indian gentleman picked up one of the magazines and looked through it. He turned to Philip Brod and said, "Thank goodness there is still some good reading material left in this world." Mr. Brod told him the magazine was free and that he was welcome to take it home and read it. He expressed his thanks for leaving such a fine magazine in a supermarket so that people could read good material.

A doctor recently sent his name to the Edmonton Church requesting the gift Bible and lesson study guides. Philip Brod called on the doctor and delivered the Bible and lessons. During the interview, Philip introduced the doctor to the *Signs of the Times*. The visit was highly successful, for now the *Signs* is displayed in the doctor's office and one *Signs* subscription goes to the doctor's home. God will perform wondrous things through the printed page.

HERB LARSEN, Lay Activities Secy.
 Alberta Conference.



Philip Brod talking "Signs" with John O'Donnell, supermarket manager, Edmonton, Canada.

CHURCH CALENDAR

Following is a listing of the special days and offerings of the church for the next month.

THE EDITOR

- April 5-27
 Evangelism, missionary magazine
- May 3
 Health and Welfare Evangelism
- May 10
 Disaster and Famine Relief Offering

Food Service Supervisors to Learn in Training Program

Another full program of classes and laboratories for food service supervisors at Andrews University is planned for this summer. Food preparation principles, service, purchasing, use of equipment will be taught by Clinton Wall and Mrs. Fonda Chaffee. Laboratory experience will be given in the university cafeteria. Mrs. Alice Marsh and Mrs. Dorothy Christensen will give instruction in nutrition, diets for special conditions, and menu planning.

Enrollment must be limited to the number who can be accommodated in the laboratory. Applications will be accepted in the order in which they are received.

Men and women between the ages of 21 and 55, preferably with a high school education and experience in food service, are eligible for this training. However, anyone with a real interest in food service will be considered even though he may not fill all specifications.

Write for further information to: Co-ordinator, Food Service Training Program, Home Economics Department, Andrews University, Berrien Springs, Michigan 49104.

PR DEPARTMENT,
 Andrews University.

Youth Congress Notice

Deadline for "Hotel Information" is April 30!

This is the most vital information we have asked of you. If you are late with this information it will be impossible to reserve accommodations for you for the World Youth Congress tour.

HARRY GARLICK, Tour Director,
 Pacific Union Conference.

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PUC Student March

Television and newspaper publicity of the protest march and rally in St. Helena city park was unprecedented.

Upon arriving at San Francisco International Airport, Mr. Foote was interviewed by KRON-TV (NBC) and tape recorder-toting reporters from three Bay Area radio stations. Several hours later the news director of KQED and two of his newsmen interviewed the adman in the downtown studios of that educational television station.

Covering the march itself in Angwin and St. Helena were field film units from KTVU (Oakland, independent), KCRA (Sacramento, NBC), KPIX (San Francisco, Westinghouse), and KXTV (Sacramento, CBS), as well as correspondents from regional daily newspapers.

Broad Coverage

The Associated Press, United Press International, and the world-wide British Reuter news agency all filed stories for member newspapers and broadcasting stations. A long Reuter dispatch was published the next day in the Washington (D.C.) *Post*, among others. The Sacramento *Union* carried seven paragraphs of the UPI release.

Radio Station KFVB in Hollywood phoned the PUC College Relations office directly for more information; and CBS in San Francisco called several times for more details, hinting something "big" was about to break.

It was!

The next day Walter Cronkite's prestigious "CBS Evening News," watched by millions across the nation, carried film footage and commentary direct from St. Helena; and NBC's network "Today" show featured the events on the Hugh Downs-Frank Blair news portion of the program.

Mentioned prominently in most of the television coverage was the fact that the youthful marchers were not themselves users of tobacco, alcohol, tea, coffee, or flesh foods. One station also mentioned that the college's mercantile and post office were closed Saturdays because the campus observed that day as its Sabbath!

Three airplanes were made available for television cameramen and newspaper photographers by Frakes Aviation, Inc., at Angwin airport, which is on campus.

Local newspaper coverage was lavish and on page one. The *Napa Register* ran front-page pictures two consecutive days; the *Santa Rosa Press-Democrat* prominently displayed two large photos on page one the day after the march; and the *Vallejo Times-Herald* also considered it front page news.

Marchers Escorted

Some 20 members of the Napa County Sheriff's Mounted Posse escorted the marchers on their nine-mile trek. The parade was preceded by a sheriff's patrol car and followed by both an ambulance (for precautionary measures) and another patrol car.

County Sheriff Earl Randol called out all reserve officers to duty that day, including the Aero Squadron and Jeep Posse. In addition to sheriff's deputies, the California Highway Patrol and St. Helena city police assisted in traffic control. All told, some 70 law enforcement officers were involved; and those interviewed invariably commented on their happiness—and relief—to be covering *this* kind of student demonstration.

What did newsmen covering the rally think of it all?

KXTV's CBS reporter from Sacramento concluded his film commentary by declaring:

"Demonstrations in this country have become synonymous with youth; but they have also become synonymous with violence, four-letter words, and often confrontations with the law. None of these elements were present here today. And these students hope they may have kicked off a new wave of demonstrations across the country. When you're trying to save 250,000 lives a year, you need all the recruits you can get!"

And KTVU newswoman from Oakland, Andrea Boggs, echoed:

"As far as college demonstrations go, today's anti-tobacco march by Pacific Union College was not typical. The students here were so clean-cut they're almost square. Their signs had no obscenity, there were no fistfights or booze. All in all, you know, it was a very refreshing change of pace."

The unprecedented scope of newspaper, radio, and television coverage of PUC's unique protest march isn't, however, the most important thing about all this publicity. Of paramount significance is the fact that multiplied millions of people across the land, hearing about Seventh-day Adventist young people and their unusual ideas about religion and health, probably for the first time, could not help but note the contrast between these youth and their mannerly, orderly "protest" and the violent and bloody exertions of students at Harvard and Stanford universities that same day, which immediately preceded scenes of the PUC march and rally.

This first impression of Seventh-day Adventism could not but have been favorable; and that, after all, is what denominational public relations is all about!

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World Youth Congress

official representatives, and these representatives are selected by the Pacific Union Conference Youth Department.

Please do not be confused by this brochure from Global International Tours, for it has nothing whatsoever to do with the tour being planned and directed by the Pacific Union Conference.

HARRY GARLICK, *Tour Director.*

The Camp Doss Program Gives Training for Military Needs

Just what the future holds for young men facing military service remains a question. There are many ideas being circulated. We hear of an all-volunteer army, a random-type or "lottery" selection of draftees, 19-year-olds being taken before 25- and 26-year-olds, draft deferments for college education and employment being greatly restricted, and other possible changes. This is a time of uncertainty.

One thing is sure, however. Our young men need preparation for whatever is ahead. Draft quotas are still being met. The pressure is still on for our youth as they reach military age. We must care for our men *now*, before they are inducted.

This is where the Medical Cadet Corps is needed. Camp Desmond T. Doss will be held again this year at Grand Ledge, Michigan. The dates are June 3-15. This annual National Medical Cadet Corps Training Camp, with its military setting and fast-moving program of classroom work and outdoor activities, is a real opportunity for all young men 16 years old and above.

Every Adventist youth should know the Church's position regarding Sabbath observance and noncombatancy. Even more

Ministerial Interns Named to Serve in Southeastern

Four ministerial interns have been called from the 1969 class of theology students at the La Sierra Campus of Loma Linda University to serve in the Southeastern California Conference upon successful completion of their senior year.

They are Daniel Fernandez, David Neff, John Robertson, Jr., and William Smith.

Born in Havana, Cuba, Daniel Fernandez came to America after completing a course in Commercial Art at San Alejandro Art Institute in Havana in 1956 and took further study in silk screen and



Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Fernandez

graphic arts at the Los Angeles Trade Technical College. Between 1959 and 1966 he worked in commercial art in Hollywood and served two years in the Army.

In 1966 he was married to Pauline Martinez, a Bible instructor for the Southeastern California Conference, and decided to take theology at La Sierra College. During the past year he has been in charge of a group of believers in Fullerton. From this group 15 souls have been baptized, and he has another 16 persons studying Adventist doctrines.

Southeastern California

David Neff was born in Sheboygan, Wisconsin, and was graduated from Amphitheater High School as salutatorian in Tucson, Arizona in 1965. While at La Sierra he has served as Student Association vice-president and has presided over the Student Senate. Last summer he was a

important, he needs to do some real serious thinking to be sure he has a clear understanding and a personal conviction concerning these vital issues. He needs to know how to approach an officer and make his conscientious requests known. He can profit by learning basic principles of drill, first aid, and other related subjects. These things and much more are included in the Camp Doss program.

We would urge all eligible young men to take advantage of this training and to remember the date—June 3-15. Camp Doss folders are being supplied to all pastors and MV secretaries. This folder contains complete details of the camp and an application form.

C. D. MARTIN, *General Conference, National Service Organization.*



Mr. and Mrs. David Neff

member of the Andrews University Evangelism Field School directed by Elder Bruce Johnston in San Bernardino.

Mrs. Neff, the former LaVonne Pease, was graduated from Loma Linda University in 1968 and teaches French and history at Loma Linda Academy.

John Robertson is the son of Elder John Robertson, a minister and teacher for the past 25 years. The younger Robertson is president of the senior class and in the following college organizations: University Student-Faculty Council, co-ordinator of the Program Team, Sabbath School superintendent and Ministerial Fellowship Club officer. He has been an announcer for the college radio station,



John Robertson, Jr.

KSDA, and has participated in various speech and drama productions.

Bill Smith spent five years with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Eden Smith, as a missionary family in India and Burma. He has served several years at Pine Springs Ranch during summers, reflecting his interest in working with Adventist youth.

His wife, Sue Ann, will receive a Bachelor of Science degree in health and physical education this year and will teach



Mr. and Mrs. Bill Smith

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Southeastern California

physical education at Andrews University next year.

We wish these new workers God's blessing as they complete their education in preparation for His service.

JOHN W. OSBORN, *President.*

Large Attendance Expected at Pathfinder Fair May 4

Pathfinder Fair will be held May 4 at the San Diego County Fair Grounds beginning at 10:30 a.m. Elder John W. Osborn will be grand marshal for the annual parade.

There will be several drill-team demonstrations, a drill down, floats, decorated bicycles, and personal and club display exhibits. Clubs will also sponsor a variety of food booths.

Plan to see the three major bicycle events: bicycle assembly, bicycle Indian drag race and bicycle pole bending.

Nearly 3,000 people including the Pathfinders are expected to attend this annual event at Del Mar.

DES CUMMINGS, *Assoc. Director,*
MV Department.

Three Academy Orchestras to Play in Festival on April 24

Orangewood will host an orchestra festival featuring the orchestras of Newbury Park, San Diego and Orangewood academies Thursday, April 24.

Professor Alfred Walters of Loma Linda University will be guest conductor. The three orchestras will rehearse the massed numbers together under the direction of Professor Walters during the day and present a program in the Orangewood auditorium, 13732 Clinton Avenue, Garden Grove, at 7:30 p.m. Each orchestra will present some of its best numbers in addition to the massed numbers.

This is the first-Seventh-day Adventist Academy orchestra festival of this kind to be held in Southern California. The public is cordially invited to attend the evening program. Admission is free.

DERWIN L. LANDIS, *Chairman,*
Music Department,
Orangewood Academy.

Brahms' Works Presented by LLU Chorus, Orchestra Group

The Loma Linda University Community Chorus and Orchestra directed by Patrick Hicks, will present Brahms', "A German Requiem," on Saturday, April 26, at 8 p.m. in the Gentry Gymnasium. Soloists will be Maurita Phillips Thornburg, soprano, and Richard Williams, bass. The 54-piece orchestra, will also play Brahms' "Academic Festival Overture."

All are invited to come and hear this scripturally-oriented choral masterpiece. Tickets will be available either through advance ticket sales or may be purchased at the door the night of the concert.

This will be a memorial concert for General Eisenhower.

Sierra Singers Concerts

The Sierra Singers will present two concerts in Costa Mesa and Bellflower. They will present "Land of the Free" on Saturday evening, April 26, at 8 o'clock at Newport Harbor church, 271 Avocado Street, Costa Mesa. On Sunday evening, April 27, at 6 o'clock, they will sing at the Bellflower church school, 15548 Santa Ana Avenue, Bellflower.



San Pasqual Academy's Madrigal Singers

Two Concerts Announced by the SPA Madrigal Singers

Two musical events will be conducted by the Music Department of San Pasqual Academy during the final weeks of the school year.

A guest artist will perform with the band in concert April 26. A choral concert will be presented May 17.

The Madrigal Singers are: Sopranos—Mileen Grimaldi, Ramona; Dawn Gustafson, Pomona; Jan Guy, Calexico; Kathie Stanford, Riverside. Altos— Irene Benavides, Bucaramuanga, Colombia; Joyce Deal, Brawley; Phyllis Foster, San Diego; Lois Lopez, San Diego; Lolly Pantell, Chico; Marian Radke, La Sierra. Tenors—Gary McCary, Needles; Stan Ledington, Redlands; Terry Loeffler, Escondido; Bob Smith, Escondido. Basses—Charlie Barr, San Jose; Mike Kaiser, Brawley; Bill McClain, Lewistown, Montana; Douglas Matthews, Riverside; Wayne O'Bannon, Redlands; Scott Smith, Loma Linda.

The Madrigal Singers are directed by Mr. Harold Hampton, music teacher at San Pasqual Academy. Miss Luane Logan, organ and piano teacher at the academy, is the accompanist.

MRS. GARY ALLINGTON,
Press Secretary.

Adventist Boys' Choir Concerts

Two concerts have been scheduled by the Adventist Boys' Choir of Southern California for the weekend of April 26. They are as follows:

April 25, 7:30 p.m.—
Escondido church, 331 West Fourth
April 26, 8 p.m.—
San Diego Academy auditorium, 2700 East Fourth, National City

CONNIE SMITH, *Secretary.*

Fellowship Meeting Notice

Who: All former missionaries and students from the West African Union Mission.

What: Potluck supper for the whole family. Bring one dish for family plus four, and service for your family. Drink to be provided.

Where: Ace Drill Bushings' Hall, Pierce and Golden, La Sierra.

When: 5:30 p.m. Sunday, April 27.

R.S.V.P.: Virginia Goude, 714 688-9843 or Marilyn Boram, 4608 Amb's Drive, Riverside, California 82505, 714 687-4963.

Special feature: Report on recent tour in Biafra.

Come and enjoy the fellowship.

Executive Committee Appointment

Elder Robert L. Wheatley, pastor of the Anaheim Church, was appointed to the conference executive committee at the recent biennial constituency meeting in Loma Linda. His name was inadvertently left off the list previously published in the RECORDER.

Leaders Will Receive Help at Planned VBS Workshops

Last summer we had excellent Vacation Bible Schools throughout the conference. We are anticipating even more, larger and better Vacation Bible Schools in Nevada-Utah in 1969.

For VBS leaders to do effective work it is most necessary that they and their helpers attend the Vacation Bible School Workshop held in their respective areas.

The workshops will be conducted as follows:

Salt Lake City:

Sunday morning, May 4, at 10 o'clock in the Wasatch Hills church, 2139 Foothill Drive, Salt Lake City, Utah.

Las Vegas:

Wednesday evening, May 7, 7 o'clock in the church school, Jones and Oakley boulevards, Las Vegas, Nevada.

Bishop:

Thursday evening, May 8, 7 o'clock in the church, 730 North Home Street, Bishop, California.

Reno:

Monday evening, May 12, 7 o'clock in the conference office, 1095 East Taylor Street, Reno, Nevada.

E. F. FINCK, *Secretary,*
Sabbath School Dept.

Missing Persons

Anyone knowing the address of the following persons, please send that information to Mrs. Esther Heiser, Reno Church Clerk, P.O. Box 2489, Reno, Nevada 89505; William Gillaspay, Janice Hensley, Dennis Jarwin, Lloyd Jewell, James Johnson, Agripina Lopez.

Nevada-Utah

PUC Musicians to Perform in Folk Music Benefit Program

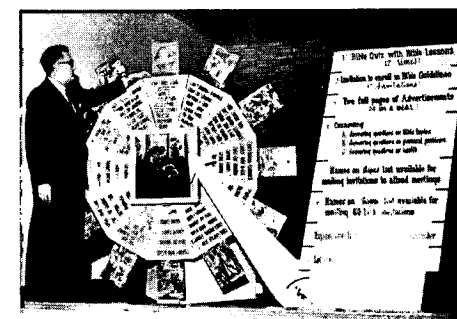
A special musical Home and School Association benefit program will be held at Reno Junior Academy on Saturday night, April 26, at 7:30.

Musicians from Pacific Union College with Mr. Kempster, soloist, will perform American and contemporary folk music with novelty numbers making up the program.

Nevada-Utah members and friends always support these programs very well since they do not often have the privilege of visitors from Pacific Union College.

All are invited to share this special treat! An admission charge will be made.

ROBERT E. HOLLAND, *Leader,*
Home and School Association,
Reno, Nevada, Church.



A. R. Mazat, circulation manager for the Pacific Press, visually demonstrates the value of sending "Signs" to Arizona church pastors at a recent workers' meeting. We were reminded again of the tremendous soul-winning potential of our "Signs" missionary journal. Sending "Signs" does mean winning more souls.

Many Helped by Attending a Five-Day Plan in Las Vegas

The Las Vegas, Nevada, Tenth Street Church reports a very successful Five-Day Plan which was held at the Paradise Spa with 175 persons participating in the program.

Dr. Harold Feikes, Fred Golles, Harold Eichman, and Dr. Robert Taylor led out in the clinic.

Following is a letter received from the Nevada Division of the American Cancer Society, Clark County Unit, sent to Conference President D. E. Dirksen:

"May I call to your attention the excellent program, Five-Day Plan to Stop Smoking, conducted by Dr. Harold Feikes.

"When we approached Dr. Feikes on his matter, he was most encouraging and, needless to say, we never expected such a fine attendance with such good results.

"Many of your congregation assisted with this program. For the American Cancer Society, Clark County Unit, may we ask you to convey our most sincere thanks to all who made this program so very successful.

"Your church is certainly to be commended for such zealous helpers of mankind."

(Signed)

J. E. SMITH, *Executive Director,*
Clark County Unit.

Mervyn Hardinge Speaks at Nevada-Utah Camp Meeting

Dr. Mervyn G. Hardinge, dean of the School of Public Health at Loma Linda University, will be one of the featured speakers at the Nevada-Utah camp meeting to be held June 30 through July 5 at Springville, Utah.



Mervyn G. Hardinge

Make plans now to attend. Write: Camp Meeting Committee, Nevada-Utah Conference, Box 1470, Reno, Nevada for details.

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Advisory Group Has Meeting; Valuable Counsel Contributed

The Hawaiian Mission Advisory Council, comprised of one representative elected by each local church, met for an all-day session on Sunday, April 13, in Honolulu, to discuss the general program of the work as it pertains to each local church.

We were happy to have every neighbor island church represented so that we could cover the broad array of approaches that are being used to reach people with the message in our multi-racial society. Due to the fact that the Hawaiian Mission is divided into six land areas, and we have churches throughout the Islands which are separated by the great Pacific Ocean, we do have some challenges which are a little different.

One of these is the grouping of churches for pastoral assignments. This matter was studied carefully at the advisory council, as well as the general approaches to the work as a whole. Serving on this council are the following: Shigeru Kobashigawa, Maximo Gandeza, Harry Haginaka, Mrs. Eloise Farr, Mrs. Annie Bell, Mrs. Margaret Sakaino, Benjamin Tavares, Keith

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Hawaiian Mission

Rhodes, Thomas Young, Lawrence Fernandez, Fernando Fontanilla, Joaquin DeMello, Henry Keiper, Mrs. Yukiko Tamana, Charles Cruz, George Clarke, Perry Sumida, Gerardo Cabanilla, W. G. Cramer.

This group meets from time to time to hear reports of the progress of the work and how it would affect every church and school in the field; and at the same time to receive a much better acquaintance with the working policies of the denomination. Many of the financial policies are reviewed, and each representative usually gives a report of his or her local church.

While this council does not record many actions, this group nevertheless serves as a wonderful means of discussion, planning, and communicating the mission program to the field. In the planning of this council, each representative serves for a maximum of two years at one time, with the understanding that this gives opportunity for more laymen to be better acquainted with the general working policies and program of the denomination.

Of those present on Sunday, April 13, the thought was expressed that this gives a new insight into the over-all program of the denomination and a much greater appreciation for the way the Seventh-day Adventist denomination has set up far-reaching, long-sighted policies and goals.

The expression was voiced as a result of this day: "I know how to be a better Adventist and how to serve my church more fully." This, of course, is the total objective for every council and committee in the Seventh-day Adventist program.

A. G. STREIFLING.

Hawaiian Mission

HMA Junior Is Winner in a Temperance Speech Contest

On March 28 at 9:30 a.m. the Hawaiian Mission held its Fourth Annual Temperance Speech Contest at the Hawaiian Mission Academy auditorium. It is most heart-warming to hear our youth speak out on the danger that is sweeping across our nation, particularly among the youth of America. Of course we mean the use of tobacco, alcohol, and narcotics. Thousands of the "cream of our crop" throughout the world are being swept into utter chaos because of the confusion that exists in choosing the proper values in a mixed-up society. Our six young people who participated in this program do know the proper values and have chosen these values as their way of life.

Joy Nitta, a junior at Hawaiian Mission Academy, at the present time, was chosen to represent Hawaiian Mission at the Union Temperance program in Salt Lake City. Joy's topic, entitled "A, B, C, D, = E" was appreciated by students and faculty alike. "A—alcohol, b—beer, c—cigarettes, d—drugs equals the most important letter of all E—escape. Escape is such an ugly, self-degrading word. It loses its own war before it even begins to fight. Yet it is the common cry of modern society. [It is] the basic objectives in our lives. Granted, modern society places many strains and pressures upon the individual. So man in all his brilliance devised several means of



Joy Nitta, temperance speech contest winner holds trophy award.

escape; thus the A, B, C, D, and E have taken over the societies of the world."

Joy's presentation will appeal to many walks of life, particularly young people and young adults. We certainly know that Joy's presentations in Salt Lake City to the high-school students and to church groups will bring decisive action to those who are in attendance and hear what she has to say in these areas.

We are so thankful that we have youth, not only here in Hawaii, but throughout the world, who have the courage and the intelligence to stand up and speak out with clarity on the issues facing America today. Our youth are interested in temperance in a wonderful way and we are hoping since many of our members did not participate in the recent temperance subscription drive for *Listen* magazine that now is the time to make that decision. We are thankful for those who have helped in this particular program, but of those who have not helped, we appeal to our members in Hawaii to turn in your subscription lists to your home missionary secretary without delay.

MARVIN SEIBEL, *Secretary*,
Temperance Department.

Spanish Membership Grows; Larger Facilities Are Needed

Due to the increase in membership, the Central Spanish Church is moving to larger quarters. Since April 5 the Spanish congregation has been using the facilities of the Los Angeles Central church at 650 West 21st Street, just off the Harbor Freeway.

In order to accomplish this the Spanish Sabbath School is held in the Fellowship Hall at 11 a.m. on Sabbath, and the missionary service at 12:10 p.m. At 12:30 p.m. the worship service is held in the main sanctuary following the Central Church's worship service.

The MV meeting is held at 6 p.m. on Saturday and the prayer meeting at 7:30 on Wednesday evening.

The Central Spanish Church was organized in 1961 with a membership of 70. God has blessed and prospered this church for, at present, it has a youthful membership of 152.

During the past few years the congregation has met in a Presbyterian church, the facilities of which are now inadequate to house the Spanish congregation.

Plans are being made and funds being solicited for a new church home. At present there is a great need for a piano to augment their worship.

GONZALO E. ALVA, *Pastor*.

Medical Center Completes Another Phase of Building

On April 3 the White Memorial Medical Center, Los Angeles celebrated with an Open House, the completion of Phase II of a \$4.5 million construction and remodeling program.

Completed for the Open House was the former surgery suites remodeled to accommodate a completely new intensive care unit and post-anesthesia area. Also included in the program are lounges for doctors and nurses, dressing and locker rooms for personnel, and a large classroom area.

The completion of this phase of the building program makes complete the total surgical facilities of the Medical Center. The former intensive care unit will be remodeled into a coronary care unit, and the former post-anesthesia area will be converted to patient beds.

The next phase to be completed will be the clinical laboratory which will be located on the second floor of the new Diagnostic and Treatment Center and the expansion of X-ray and nuclear medicine to the uncompleted area of the ground floor of the building.

It is the purpose and determination of the Board of Trustees and the administration to make the White Memorial Medical Center, under the guidance of God, an outstanding memorial to Him.

WALLACE J. LIGHTHALL, *Director*,
Development and Public Relations.

Southern California

Missing Persons

Anyone knowing the whereabouts of Mrs. Jessie Lopez, Mrs. Josie Luttrell and Garnette Luttrell, please notify Mrs. Pearl Nicholson, Azusa Church Clerk, 2604 Evergreen Avenue, West Covina, California 91790.

May Festival Notice

"Paris in the Spring" at Glendale Academy, Sunday, May 4. Time: 11 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Come, bring the family and funds!

Support your Home and School Association at this May Festival time.

MRS. BETH WHITAKER, *PR*.

Individuals Named to Posts in Departments, Committees

At the Conference Constituency Meeting on March 23, three men were asked to join the departmental staff of the Southern California Conference. As of this date Elder J. W. Allison, pastor of the University Church, has accepted the leadership of the Health Department and Inner City Program; Elder N. C. Sorensen, principal of San Pasquel Academy, will be our educational superintendent; and Elder Lorenzo Paytee, associate pastor of the University Church, will become an associate in the MV and Temperance departments.

The other departmental leaders were all re-elected with the associate publishing department leaders all being appointed at the April Conference Committee meeting. These associate leaders are George Gregoroff, J. W. Hutchinson, Arthur Kaspereen, and Fred Wedel.

The newly elected executive committee is as follows: Helmuth C. Retzer, Harold Calkins, A. W. Hamra, S. A. Yakush, Ronald Sackett, Robert Whitsett, Dr. Victor Boyle, Floyd Hilliard, Dennis T. Black, Dr. Jerry Wiley, Lawrence Downing, John Robinson, Dr. Albert F. Brown, W. J. Conklin, Dr. S. J. Fritz, Victor Gipson, Dr. Frank Chung, Edmund Jones, John Rhodes.

S. A. YAKUSH, *Director*,
PR Department.

MANY YOUTH ARE BAPTIZED IN TWO SERVICES IN EAGLE ROCK

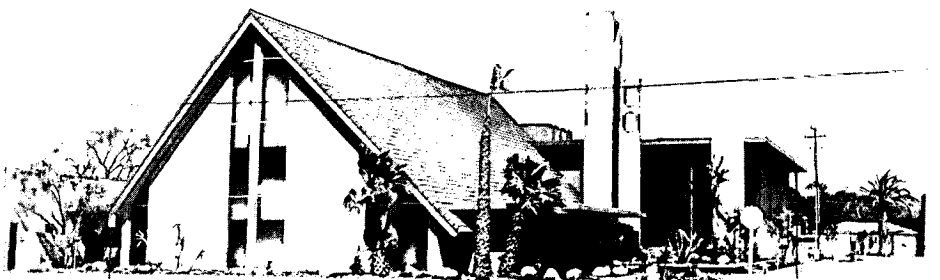
There was a good reason to be singing at the Eagle Rock Church on Sabbath, March 22.

At that time, 15 young people were baptized, making the same public stand that 11 of their friends had made two weeks before. Officiating at the baptism was Elder Keith Mulligan, assistant pastor. Assisting Elder Mulligan was Elder Bob Edwards, who baptized his two children, Connie and Chuck, and Elder Emmet Watts, who baptized his son, Steven.

The others baptized were: Terry and Kay Stadler, Lori and Larry Luddington, Nancy and Jim Harris, Harold Hartman, Isaac Bain, Jeanine Arden, Oswald Muller, Debbie Domansky and Gloria Sauza.

This came just before Elder Mulligan leaves the Eagle Rock Church for a call he accepted to the Monument Valley Mission as pastor there. Elder Mulligan and his wife, Joyce, with their three children, David, Darla, Darrell, left their duties in Eagle Rock on March 31.

CHARLES REARRICK, *PR Secy.*,
Eagle Rock Church.



Exterior of the new Norwalk Church which has been occupied for just a few months. Elder Ralph Sneed invites visitors to the new church located at 12191 Firestone Boulevard in Norwalk.

**Plan Now to Attend the 1969
Camp Meeting of Your Choice**

The following dates have been set for the 1969 camp meetings for Northern:
 Sacramento June 18-21
 Philo June 18-21
 Paradise June 25-28
 Lodi June 27-28
 Fortuna July 29-Aug. 2

**Northern Junior Academies
to Play in Band Festival**

The Northern California Conference Junior Academy Band Festival will again be held at Lodi Academy. On Sunday, April 27, under the baton of Roger Paden of Modesto, 150 selected band members from five junior academies will present a concert at 6:30 p.m. Those within driving distance of Lodi will want to be sure to hear this outstanding program.

Those schools included in this year's festival are: Santa Rosa, Pleasant Hill, Napa, Lodi Elementary and Sacramento Elementary. The students have been selected on their ability to meet the required standards set forth by the junior academy band directors.

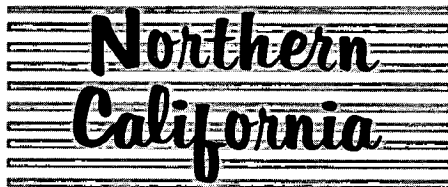
This event is the culmination of this year's study by the various bands involved. The program will offer a variety of music from Handel, Beethoven, and various contemporary folk sources. You'll be surprised by the high quality of musicianship displayed by these young bandmen of grades 7 through 10.

MARVIN WILSON, *Music Director*,
Redwood Empire Junior Academy.

**Preliminary Work Results
in Fairfield Church Growth**

The Fairfield Church is probably the fastest growing church in the conference. In less than six months the membership has increased from 30 to 76.

It started in October when a program of church-co-ordinated evangelism was begun in Fairfield and lay training classes were conducted for the members. Students from Pacific Union College came down on a weekly basis and a huge lending program of books was begun. The program was co-ordinated by Pastor Reuben A. Hubbard and students from Professor Leo Van Dolson's evangelism class.



In January, Pastor Harold M. Keehnel joined Pastor Hubbard for meetings which began January 18. The approach employed was an entirely new concept in evangelism.

A store building was rented and opened as the "Community Education Center" with a lending library, and with correspondence courses and taped slide lectures available. Then students and members enrolled 256 persons in the health education-Bible classes.

Lessons were carried to the homes of those who did not attend. The lessons used were those written by Pastor Hubbard, incorporating his lectures each evening. Each lesson contains a test sheet to be

filled out both in the Bible classes and in the health classes. Mrs. Rhoda Keehnel, a registered nurse and wife of Pastor Keehnel, was the instructor for the health classes.

Twenty-nine were added to the church at the close of the meetings and another six or eight are attending services and will be added to church membership in the near future.

The spirit in Fairfield is good and the members are still studying with two dozen interested people. Please pray that the Fairfield Church will continue to grow in grace and membership.

MRS. RAMONA HUBBARD *PR Secy.*,
Fairfield Church.

**Atlantic Union College
Alumni Meeting**

Correction:
 Sunday, April 27, 1969, 3 p.m.
 at
 Pacific Union College
 Cypress Room
 Light refreshments will be served.

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OBITUARIES

STEPHENS—Henry W. Stephens was born July 26, 1911; died Oct. 28, 1968, in Long Beach, Calif. He is survived by his wife, Thelma; a son, Darrell; a daughter, Kaye; 3 brothers, Gresham, Barney and Roland; and 2 sisters, Alice Stinson and Mamie Mattison.

ALSBERGE—Dr. Edward W. Alsberge was born Nov. 15, 1876 in Chicago, Ill.; died Feb. 6, 1969, in Glendale, Calif. He was one of the developers of Glendale Academy. He is survived by his wife, Florence; 2 sons, Drs. E. Waller and Marden A.; 3 grandchildren; and 4 great-grandchildren.

UFKEN—Mrs. Minna Ufken was born in Germany on Oct. 9, 1878, died Dec. 25, 1968, in Hawthorne, Calif. She is survived by a daughter, Lillie Sagona; 2 granddaughters; and 2 great-granddaughters.

SHEEK—Ora A. Aheek Sheek was born in Indiana on July 23, 1879; died in Long Beach, Calif. Feb. 10, 1969. He is survived by his wife, Lulu; and 2 daughters, Mrs. Evelyn Parrish and Mrs. Vera Butler.

RICHARDSON—David Matthew Richardson was born Feb. 21, 1890, in Oregon City, Ore.; died in Granada Hills, Calif. Feb. 10, 1969. He is survived by his wife; 2 sons, Estel D. C. and Wesley; 2 daughters, Columbine Brown and Nancy Johnson; 12 grandchildren; and 2 great-grandchildren.

SMITH—Alice B. Smith was born in Kansas in 1882; died March 15, 1969 in Hanford, Calif. She is survived by 2 daughters; Mrs. Lucille Beck, and Mrs. Mildred Wilkie, and a son, Charles W. Smith. 4 sisters: Mrs. Florence Prizer, Mrs. Myrtle Hill, Mrs. Flossie Ritz, and Mrs. Alma McIntire.

DOWNING—Elsie M. Downing was born June 19, 1885; died Feb. 21, 1969, in Watsonville, Calif. Survivors are 1 son, Harry Pinkney; 1 daughter, Mrs. Clarissa Roxy; and 1 sister, Mrs. Lottie Reid.

POHL—Nilelillian "Lillian" Elizabeth Pohl was born Nov. 4, 1891 in Boston, Mass.; died March 12, 1969 at Arlington, Calif. Survivors: a sister, Dorothea Thompson.

CHASE—Abner Bryant Chase was born Dec. 13, 1891 in Farmington, N.M.; died March 29, 1969 in Loma Linda, Calif. Survivors: his wife, Christena; 3 daughters, Mrs. Ardith Schneider, Mrs. Wilda Wilson, and Mrs. Lenna Lee Davidson; and 1 son, Dr. Alden.

LAFRANCE—Dr. Charles Thomas LaFrance was born Aug. 26, 1895 in Illinois; died in a plane crash in Taiwan, Formosa Feb. 24, 1969. Survivors are his wife, Beatrice; a daughter, Mrs. Pearl M. Duerksen; a son, Robert C., and 5 grandchildren.



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WANTED—Reliable Christian man interested in existing electrical wholesale. Should have electrical background. For information, contact me as soon as possible. Located 15 miles east of Loma Linda. This is not a sale but just joint venture. Erwin Rueb, 12973 Leith Way, Yucaipa, Calif. 92372.

Missionary Tells of Work for Natives in South Seas

You may have an opportunity to see and hear a real missionary soon. What a thrill to see colored pictures of foreign mission activity! J. R. Mittleider, layman-turned-missionary, will be speaking in Central California for five days only, beginning Friday, April 25. He has returned from his work in the South Seas for a few weeks only, and will be flying back to Fiji very soon.

Having spent three years in New Guinea helping to establish schools for the natives, he is now leading out in building an agricultural school in Fiji. Under the direction of the Central Pacific Union Mission and operated by our Fulton Missionary College in Fiji, this is a pioneer venture in a new concept of mission work.

Brother Mittleider has demonstrated that our native youth can, with proper training, do much toward making our schools self-supporting.

Please note the dates, hours, and places of these meetings:

- Friday, April 25, 7:30 p.m.—
San Jose Central Church
- Sabbath, April 26, 6 p.m.—
Sunnyvale Church
- Sunday, April 27, 7:30 p.m.—
Fresno Central Church
- Monday, April 28, 7:30 p.m.—
Modesto Church
- Wednesday, April 30, 7:30 p.m.—
Bakersfield Hillcrest Church

Plan to attend the meeting nearest you. You'll be glad you did.

B. W. MATTISON, Secy.,
Radio-TV Department.

Program Changes

Attention!

La Voz de la Esperanza—Santa Maria—is now being released on KSEE, 1480 kc, 9:30 a.m. on Sundays.

Please note also that Faith for Today has been dropped from station KSBW in Salinas, and station KSBY in San Luis Obispo.

B. W. MATTISON, Secretary,
Radio-TV Department.



Coming Five-Day Plans

- Merced: April 28-May 1—
Elder R. C. McPherson
- Oakhurst: May 5-9—
Elder S. S. Rutan

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Dedication Services Noted for the Porterville Church

Dedication services for the Porterville Church have been appointed for April 25 and 26. The church is located on Linda Vista Avenue at Highway 65, about one mile from downtown Porterville.

The program of meetings is as follows:

Friday evening at 7:30 the Camaradas, a musical group from Pacific Union College under the direction of Ivylyn Traver, will present a 40-minute program which will be followed by a consecration message by Elder Marcus Payne from Portland, Oregon.

On Sabbath morning the lesson study will be under the direction of Elder Andrew Dahl of Lancaster. Elder M. C. Torkelsen, president of the Central California Conference, will be the speaker at the 11 o'clock hour.

The dedication ceremony is planned for Sabbath afternoon, April 26, at 3:30. Elder W. J. Blacker, president of the Pacific Union Conference, will be the speaker.

The Porterville Church welcomes and invites all former members and members of neighboring churches to be present at any or all of the services.

MARGARET THIELE, PR Secy.

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PACIFIC UNION COLLEGE

PUC's Aviation Program Is Described in Long Article

Pacific Union College's aviation program received international attention with the publication of an article, "Aviation on a Scholarly Hill," in the March edition of *The AOPA Pilot*, a leading general aviation monthly with a world-wide circulation of 162,000, published by the Aircraft Owners and Pilots Association, Washington, D.C.

Written by Los Angeles free-lance writer Don Downie, a non-Adventist, the 1,300-word article describes the mission-flying orientation of the flight and ground school training program operated for the college by J. Fred Frakes, and even goes into detail on the strict standards of conduct and dress required of the student body.

Four full-color photographs, taken by the author and showing the spectacular scenic grandeur of this Howell Mountain campus, were published in the three full pages devoted to this presentation.

Freshmen Are Largest Class; Organize and Elect Officers

The Freshman Class of Pacific Union College was recently organized with 220 men and 222 women, making it the largest class on campus, faculty sponsor Carlyle Manous reported.

The following officers were elected: President Tim Landis, Chico premed major; Vice-president Linda Wright, Stockton nursing major; Secretary Barbara Truitt, Turlock nursing major; Treasurer Alvin Woolcott, Gilroy theology major; Sergeant at Arms Janine Rosenquist, Redlands art major; Pastor Bob Jones, Fresno theology major; and Public Relations Secretary Ross Leonard, Glendale social studies major.

Religion Professor Has Book Published; Useful for Study

Hidden No Longer, a new book on inductive methods of Bible study written by religion professor Leo Van Dolson, has been the subject of the prayer meeting services during April in the sanctuary on campus.

Elder Van Dolson's book is published by the Pacific Press Publishing Association in the paperback "Dimension" series and is available at local Book and Bible Houses at \$1.95.

Freshman Student Wins First Prize in Temperance Contest

Steve Wallace, Angwin freshman, won the \$50 first prize in the temperance oratorical contest in Pacific Auditorium April 10 sponsored jointly by the American Temperance Society and the Woman's Christian Temperance Union.

Other winners included: Keith Knoche, Sunnyvale junior theology major, second prize of \$25; Reuben Platas, Eugene, Oregon, sophomore law major, third prize of \$25; and Randy Brehms, Saratoga freshman theology major, fourth prize of \$25.

The prize money, which was awarded by Elder Leo Van Dolson, sponsor of the campus temperance club BLAST ("Better

Living for All Students and Teachers"), was provided by the Pacific Union Conference Temperance Department.

Judges included Professor Elmore McMurphy, chairman; Dr. W. E. Belleau, Sr. of the Angwin ATS Chapter; Mrs. Carrie Myers, representing the local WCTU Chapter; Darren George, student president of BLAST; and Elder Paul Bork, Religion Department professor.

The Wallace oration dealt with alcohol. Knoche spoke against tobacco, while Platas considered the dangers of drugs, and Brehms considered the problem of alcohol.

A Visiting Academic Dean Is Honors Convocation Speaker

Dr. Frank A. Knittel, academic dean of Southern Missionary College, near Chattanooga, Tennessee, delivered the second annual Honors Convocation address in Pacific Auditorium on April 8.

His subject was "Honor and the Hour," a hard-hitting challenge for the students to live up to their opportunities and potentialities.

Music for the occasion was provided by the Brass Ensemble, directed by Carlyle Manous, assistant professor of music, and director of the Wind Sinfonietta on campus.

The names of 486 students with a cumulative grade-point-average of 3.0 or higher (B-average or better) were listed in the program for the day. Chairman was Dr. Robert K. Boyd, chairman of the Business Administration Department.

Many Students Attend Recent Inspiring Bible Conference

Some 170 Pacific Union College students attended the Spring Quarter Bible Conference held the weekend of April 11-13 at the YMCA camp in the redwoods eight miles east of Mendocino, according to John Collins, religious vice-president of the Student Association, which sponsored the traditional event.

Bill Cochran, Sacramento junior theology major, was student co-ordinator for the retreat which featured Elder H. M. S. Richards, Sr., principal speaker on the international Voice of Prophecy radio broadcast, as guest minister. Elder Richards spoke four times during the conclave.

Other PUC faculty and administrators who participated were Elder Isao Hironouchi, Dean of Students R. Dale McCune, Dr. Paul Quimby, and Elder Carl Coffman.

Student discussion group leaders were Mark Williams, Bishop junior history-theology major; Ken Gryte, Carmichael junior theology major; Tom Adams, Paradise junior theology major; and John Collins, Lemoore junior theology major.

Gymnastic Procedures Focus Attention on PUC in Meeting

Three freshman physical education students presented a five-minute demonstration of tumbling and gymnastic procedures on a program featuring students from five other colleges in Petaluma on April 12.

Following a dinner in the Veterans Memorial Auditorium sponsored by the Greater Petaluma Chamber of Commerce,

a program on higher education was presented in which the president of each of the six colleges was briefly introduced, four slides of campus scenes were flashed on the screen, and then a five-minute act was presented by students of the school.

Other participating institutions were: Napa College; Sonoma State College, College of Marin, Dominican College, and Santa Rosa Junior College.

PUC students, whose act was last and rather different from the others which included a ballet performance, instrumental ensembles, and soloists, were Dave Nieman of Angwin and Evan Dye and Tom Buller of Napa. Physical Education instructor Al Munson accompanied the students.

PACIFIC UNION COLLEGE...PACIFIC UNION COLLEGE...PACIFIC UNION

PRESIDENT HOLDS MEETINGS IN PHOENIX; SIX BAPTIZED

Elder John V. Stevens, Arizona Conference president, held a three-week series of meetings in the Sunnyslope church of North Phoenix. These meetings were well attended by It Is Written interests, Voice of Prophecy students, and *Signs of the Times* readers. No other advertising was done. Twenty-four decisions were made and a baptism of six followed. Another baptism is planned in May.

The simplicity of the service was most inspiring. The messages were given with unusual clarity. The Spirit of God touched the hearts of the people with gratitude to the Saviour and gladness for the way that God was leading them.

PAUL JOHNSON, *Pastor*.

Wickenburgs Now Organized Church; Meetings to Follow

The Wickenburg company was organized as a church April 5 with 14 charter members. Elder John Stevens, Arizona Conference president, led out in the devotion, and O. O. Butler, conference treasurer, in transferring the conference members to the Wickenburg Church.

Following the church organization, Dr. Andrew Nelson of Loma Linda University and Jacob Mittleider, agriculturalist, presented a talk illustrating with colored slides what has been done in teaching controlled farming to South Sea island natives.

April 19, Elder G. H. Friedrich, conference lay activities secretary, began holding a two-week series of meetings in Wickenburg. Anyone having friends in the area, write Elder Friedrich at the Arizona Conference office.

The members are now meeting in a rented building, but plans are being made to build a new house of worship.

PAUL JOHNSON, *Pastor*.

Summer Work Offered Youth; Class Information Available

The new bulletins of information for the school year 1969-70 are ready to be mailed. We invite you to write for your copy if interested in attending Thunderbird Academy this coming year.

We need a number of young people to work in the wood products this summer who can thus earn a reasonable amount to help them in their school expenses for the next school year. Applicants for work must be 16 years of age or older. We can use several who are 18 years old to operate the machines. Now is the time to make your plans for the next school year.

Thunderbird Academy will also offer some evening classes for nine weeks dur-

ing the summer as a bonus to the summer workers.

Send your request to Thunderbird Academy, 13401 North Scottsdale Road, Scottsdale, Arizona 85251.

R. O. STONE, *Principal*.

Needed Welfare Center Can Be Built with Large Gift

On Friday, April 4, at 3 p.m., Pastor J. B. Currier received a gift amounting to \$30,600 in shares of IBM stock. The gift was from Mrs. Ada Antevs, long-time resident of Globe, for constructing a Welfare Center and educational facilities in the Globe area.

Mrs. Antevs is the wife of Dr. Ernst Antevs, one of the nation's foremost glacial geologists, and, feeling a burden for the needs of the local community, she made this gift along with other gifts to various organizations in the area.

The total gift was made in the form of 380 shares of International Business Machines stock, and was presented by Cullen Little, attorney for the couple, in a short ceremony to officials of the various organizations.

In addition to the gift of \$30,600 to the Seventh-day Adventist Church Welfare Society for constructing educational facilities and providing for a Welfare Center



and program, \$30,600 was also given to Gila County Hospital for the purchase of equipment in the intensive care ward of the planned new hospital, and the same amount went to the University of Arizona for research in the University of Arizona Department of geochronology.

The couple has shunned publicity and was not present at the ceremony.

"They have lived in this community for 33 years," said Mr. Little, "and made these gifts because they are very much interested in the community and, especially, the health, welfare, education and recreation of the people in the area."

Dr. Antevs, 80, was born in Sweden and graduated from Stockholm University with a Doctor of Science degree in 1917. He won early fame as a geologist when he developed a method for dating glaciers of northern Europe.

Now retired, he was long associated as a research associate with the American Geographical Society, the Carnegie Institute in Washington, and the Geological Survey of Canada during the 1920's through the 1940's.

The couple moved to Globe, Arizona in 1936, at which time Dr. Antevs joined with the Gila Pueblo Archaeological Center in the study of prepottery and modern Cochise culture in an area north of Douglas.

J. B. CURRIER, *Pastor*.

Josephine Edwards Speaks

Josephine Cunningham Edwards, author and story teller, will speak at the 11 o'clock service at the Glendale church, May 3. Sabbath afternoon at 3:30, Mrs. Edwards will speak at the Phoenix Central church.

All are invited.

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