

# Relief Packages to Europe

By JAMES F. CUMMINS

For nearly a year now, the General Conference has been carrying on an active program of famine relief to help our brethren in Europe. Among the activities which we have fostered is the sending of food packages through the CARE organization. The General Conference has sent several thousands of these packages with payment being made from the famine relief fund, and has also been instrumental in the sending of additional thousands which individuals here in the United States have ordered sent to friends and relatives in Europe.

Originally the packages sent by the CARE organization were purchased from the United States government and we had no choice whatever as to the contents. However, the original purchase is now exhausted and they are preparing for shipment a new package which is much more to our liking. It contains, among other things: two pounds of vegetable shortening; two pounds of sugar; one pound dried prunes; one pound dried apricots; seven pounds of enriched flour; two pounds chocolate; one-half pound dried egg powder; and other miscellaneous items. The cost of this package remains the same — that is, \$10 each, including postage, insurance, and guaranteed delivery to the addressee in Europe.

After having worked with the CARE organization for several

months, they invited the General Conference to become one of their many agencies. The General Conference Committee has voted to accept this invitation and we are now accepted as a full member agency in the CARE organization.

Orders for shipment of CARE packages to Europe will still be accepted by the General Conference but it is also perfectly proper to send orders direct to the CARE organization, which makes it possible for the packages to go forward earlier than when passed through our office. The guaranteed delivery remains the same. Those who wish to send orders direct to the CARE organization should send complete name and ad-

dress of the sender, complete name and address of the addressee and a check or money order for \$10 for each package to CARE, 50 Broad Street, New York 4, New York. They will acknowledge each order and send a receipt for the amount deposited with them and provide other blanks for subsequent orders.

In case it is desired, they will also prepare a package containing two wool blankets, a pair of half soles and heels for men's shoes, the same for ladies' shoes, some safety pins, needles and thread, which can be shipped to several countries in Europe at a cost of \$10 with delivery guaranteed.

Countries to which the packages may be sent are as follows: Austria, Belgium, Czechoslovakia, Finland, France, Greece, Italy, The Netherlands, Norway, Poland, and Germany for the American, French and British Zones and all Sectors of Berlin (Berliners residing in Russian Sector must take delivery in American Sector). Up to the present time it is still not possible to them to the Russian occupied zone of Germany, nor to Rumania or Hungary although it is hoped that these three sections may be opened within the next few months.

Additional information may be obtained by writing either to the CARE organization or to the General Conference.

## A Prayer

Lord, speak to me, that I may speak  
 In living echoes of Thy tone;  
 As Thou hast sought, so let me seek  
 Thy erring children, lost and lone.  
 O lead me, Lord, that I may lead  
 The wandering and the wavering feet;  
 O feed me, Lord, that I may feed  
 Thy hungry ones with manna sweet.

O strengthen me, that while I stand  
 Firm on the rock and strong in Thee,  
 I may stretch out a loving hand  
 To wrestlers with the troubled sea.  
 O fill me with Thy fullness, Lord,  
 Until my very heart o'erflow  
 In kindling thought and glowing word,  
 Thy love to tell, Thy praise to show.

—Frances Ridley Havergal.

### New Periodical Prices

Some periodical prices must go up without further delay. Inflated costs are so well understood it is scarcely necessary to give details. In the last few years the cost of paper has doubled and the cost of labor is up about sixty per cent. For some months the financial situation has been helped by a cut in the number of pages made necessary because of the scarcity of paper.

Now paper for our periodicals is in better supply, and beginning with the April issue of the *Review* will have its full quota of twenty-four pages for each regular issue and thirty-two pages for the last issue of each month, and the *Instructor* will have twenty-four pages in every issue. The growing interests of our denominational work require full-size journals and higher prices are inevitable.

The new prices are: *Review*, \$3.75; Big Four, \$4.95; Family Group, \$8.80. *The Youth's Instructor* is \$3.50. Beginning with the third quarter supplies, junior and youth's Sabbath school quarterlies will be ten cents each, thirty-five cents a year.

Revised price lists giving the club rates and other information are available. Send orders and requests for further information to your Book and Bible House.

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### 582 Stations

Before December 31, 1947, we hope to be broadcasting the advent message over more than 600 radio stations. Our faith can foresee an even larger number of outlets. There is no limit to the possibilities of expansion if we all pray and work and give to make the Voice of Prophecy the biggest radio mission for God in the history of protestant churches.

The world-wide Bible correspondence class for adults is the world's largest with nearly one-half million enrolled. Our junior Bible correspondence school roster has the names of 125,000 children inscribed on its pages. Our radio schools are the biggest. Why is it we do not have the largest number of radio stations? (Several well-known gospel broadcasts are larger than ours.)

Twelve hundred dollars will purchase time on one small station for approximately one year's time. Radio listeners are contributing hundreds

of thousands of dollars to help us expand. But we will never be satisfied until our radio voice can be heard in all the world over at least 750 outlets. Even then with frequency modulation and television before us we will have new and unlimited opportunities for proclaiming the gospel.

At the present time 528 stations release our program. This total represents a gain of 132 outlets above our figure of 450 stations three years ago. Shall we continue to make progress?

We urge our dear friends in radio-land to come up to the help of the Lord by giving sacrificially, praying with living faith, and working with an untiring zeal to push the battles and the victories of The Voice of Prophecy to the very gates of heaven. Surely our working days are numbered, and we must labor to warn a dying world while the open avenue of radio evangelism is before us.

The Voice of Prophecy is no longer a child; it is a mature well developed "son" of the advent movement, trained for gospel warfare, and equipped to fight the battles of the Lord. Since January 4, 1942, our program has been heard coast-to-coast. Voice of Prophecy programs at this writing, over five years later, have been heard on every continent and are being transmitted from North and South America and the continent of Asia as well. In Australia and Africa the message is likewise sounded by Voice of Prophecy preachers, and soon we shall be on the air in Europe. Bible correspondence course lessons are reaching the inhabitants of seventy-two countries, and millions of tracts and books have been mailed to our friends around the globe. God's mighty voice can be heard through the voice of His earthly servants proclaiming the good news of the gospel and preparing a people for the coming of the Lord. We look to the future with confidence, and determine to press forward to new triumphs for Christ.

As the writer moves from The Voice of Prophecy headquarters to editorial responsibilities in Washington, D. C., it is sincerely hoped that the co-operation so generously given from the field during the past three years will be continued as Elder Elmer Walde, formerly pastor of our Keeaumoku Street church in Hono-

lulu, takes up the burden as announcer and publicity manager.

A million thanks, dear friends, for your loving support of our radio ministry. God bless you all. Keep looking up, and remember our motto Forward in Faith!

D. A. DELAFIELD.

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### Good News Concerning "Signs"

Contemplating the conduct of the greatest missionary crusade with *Signs* in its seventy-three years of history, we wish to share with the readers of the RECORD a four-point release of good news that will be of thrilling interest to all who are interested in our only weekly missionary periodical. With this good news we are also announcing the two Sabbaths set aside by the General Conference for the presentation of *Signs* among all our churches including February 22 and March 1.

All the essential paraphernalia for the proper conduct of the crusade has been dispatched to the churches, and our entire organization is keyed for the greatest *Signs* coverage in history. The current issue of the *Signs Crusader* presents eight pages of detailed information, and also a wealth of inspiring soul-winning experiences

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### A Correction

Further study has been given to the church officers' meetings which will be held in Baton Rouge, Louisiana and Fort Smith, Arkansas. After giving the matter serious study, we have come to the conclusion that the two meetings should be reversed. In other words, the meeting in Fort Smith will be held first, beginning Friday night, February 28, and continuing until Sunday noon, March 2. The second meeting is to be held in Baton Rouge, beginning Friday night, March 7, and continuing until Sunday noon, March 9.

Elder Ernest Edwards, associate secretary of the home missionary department of the General Conference, is planning to be with us at both of these meetings, and we trust you will note the change that has been made and will plan accordingly. Brother Edwards will also meet the following appointments during the week: March 4 at Little Rock, Arkansas; March 5 at Hot Springs, Arkansas; March 6 at Shreveport, Louisiana.

The Friday evening meetings will start at 7:30.

FRANK D. WELLS.

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### Signs of the Times

We are drawing close to the time, when our workers and churches should renew their subscriptions to the *Signs of the Times*. We must remember this is our outstanding missionary paper, and the slogan "More Signs More Souls" is just as true today as any time in the past.

The actual date of the campaign is February 22 to March 1. The suggestive goal for each church will be one and one-half subscriptions for each member of the church. Let's do our best to carry our share of this important load.

FRANK D. WELLS.

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### Hot Lunch Program

The Gentry elementary school has

definitely made a forward step in their program for 1947. Realizing that growing girls and boys sometimes have had their health impaired by not having three balanced warm meals a day, a new health reform program has recently been introduced. Each child in the elementary school is now served a nourishing hot lunch during the noon hour. This is done independently of any state or government aid.

Mrs. R. F. Marshall and the officers of the Home and School Association deserve credit for their progressive work. Not only will the children be benefited physically, but the older students are being taught the principles of foods and cooking.

The church is also behind this work. At a recent program more than sixty dollars were given for the necessary equipment to carry on this important work.

BOYD E. OLSEN.

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### Wedding Bells

Miss Louise Thomson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Thomson, Sr., of Zwolle, Louisiana, became the bride of Mr. Wallace J. Brooks, of Portland, Oregon, on December 15, 1946. The ceremony was performed in Oakland, California, by Elder H. M. Burwell, home missionary secretary of the Northern California Conference.

Preceding the ceremony, Mrs. Winona Casey-Crane, presiding at the organ, gave a fifteen-minute program of appropriate music and accompanied Mr. Wesley Crane as he sang "Because." The traditional wedding marches were played.

The hostess and ushers who lighted the candles were friends from the conference office. Mrs. Doris Lee Smith attended the bride and Walter Lee Faver served his friend as best man. Both men are veterans of the Pacific area.

After a trip, the newlyweds are at home at 5125 Bond Street, Oakland, California, where Mrs. Brooks is employed as secretary to Elder Burwell. She will be remembered as a graduate of Jefferson, Texas, high school and Southwestern Junior College.

Mr. Brooks attended schools in Oregon and Washington. He is employed by Alameda County as technician.

## TEXAS

2838 Hemphill St., Fort Worth 3, Texas

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Make all wills and legacies payable to the Texas Conference Association of Seventh-day Adventists.

### Texas Schools

The educational work of the Texas Conference is in good hands. Our teachers are doing commendable work.

During this school year I have visited all our schools and in company with Elder W. A. Howe or Elder K. D. Johnson, we have graded fifteen schools. There is always room for improvement, yet in spite of our needs we have four classrooms that will have grade "A" certificates, thirteen with grade "B", seven with grade "C" and but two with a grade of "D." This is encouraging but we look forward to the time when all our schools and classrooms will have a grade "A" certificate. This means better school buildings and more up to date equipment including libraries that meet the standards.

A number of the schools are taking

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Our teachers are of good courage. They appreciate the prayers of God's people. Their best, blessed with the presence of the Master Teacher, will indeed bring success.

H. W. JEWKES.

**Attention!**

Many have been wanting to know about the *Christian Home Calendar*. We still have a supply of these at the Texas Book and Bible House, 706 West Lowden St., Fort Worth 3, Texas. This is a beautiful calendar with fine paintings portraying Bible subjects—one painting for each month in addition to the large attractive cover picture. In the space allotted for each day is a Bible verse. Special days and campaigns are clearly indicated. Size 11 by 18 inches. Thirty-five cents each, postpaid. Order today!

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The lost sheep of the house of Israel are scattered abroad in every place and even now above the tumult, Jesus, the great shepherd, calls you to go into the highways and byways to bring into the fold of safety those for whom he has demonstrated such great love in that He

gave His life. What are you doing for Jesus as the days go by?

Papers and books are the Lord's means of keeping the message for this time continually before the people. (*Colporteur Evangelist*, page 8) I pray the Lord that you may understand this subject in its length and breadth and depth, and that you will feel your responsibility to represent the character of Christ by patience, by courage, and by steadfast integrity and "the peace of God, which passeth all understanding." I pray that your hearts and thoughts will be guarded in Christ Jesus.

Join the union now. The "heavenly union." Unite yourself with the Lord Jesus, in proclaiming the great advent message to the world by joining the "Texas Bookman Army." Address a card or letter now to Bruce M. Wickwire, 2838 Hemphill, Fort Worth, Texas.

BRUCE M. WICKWIRE.

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**Attention Texas Youth!**

It has been some time since you have heard from the Bible school, but this does not mean that the school is not functioning. Instead our enrollments have steadily increased. We now have approximately 1,200 students engaged in the study of the lessons. To date eight have been baptized, directly or indirectly, through the medium of the Bible course. Many more are interested. From Fort Worth one lady writes:

"This lesson explains the thing I have always wondered about—God's holy Sabbath. Thanks. I am sure about it now."

Another student writes: "This course has completely changed my life. It has brought me closer to God, to the door of the remnant church, and has brought the true word of God to me. I shall soon be baptized and born again. Thank God."

Fellow young people, would you like to experience the thrill of seeing souls brought to Christ as the result of your faithful efforts in enrolling other youth, not of our faith, in a thorough study of Bible truths?

Sometimes young people feel that there is very little they can do in giving this message to others. It is true, perhaps, that you cannot preach, yet in your heart you long to do some-

thing to help your friends find Christ. If you have this desire in your heart do not be discouraged for there is a way you may work for your young friends. This is through the Bible course.

Keep a few of the enrollment cards with you, and when the opportunity presents itself offer them to your friends who do not know Christ as their Saviour. Take a personal interest in them. Offer to help them with the lessons if they need help. This may open the way for Bible studies. If possible study with them yourself. They would rather have you study the Bible with them than to have some stranger step in who knows nothing of their life or temptations. In helping them your own soul will be drawn closer to God.

Every day the newspaper and radio brings new evidence in the calamities by air, land and sea, that we must be living in the time just before the close of probation. We can be thankful for the hope of a future which this blessed truth gives to us, but how hopeless the future looks to the young men and women in the world today who know nothing of this hope. Will you not join me in the determination to do more in '47 to give them this hope?

Write to Box 168, Fort Worth, Texas, for a supply of enrollment cards. Scatter them among your friends. Let us work quickly, fellow young people, for we have so much to do and so little time in which to do it.

RUBY CAVENDER.

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**Special Notice**

All Seventh-day Adventist and friends within the driving distance of Greenville, Texas, are urged to attend a series of meetings being held by Brethren John W. Boyd and Harry Gray. The Services are in the Municipal Building.

Your presence will add greatly to the success of the meetings, as there is no adventist church in Greenville.

By the help of God, a church can be raised up in this East-Texas city. We need and invite your prayers.

JOHN W. BOYD.

## Junior Activities at Waco

Again a second time He asked him, "Simon, son of John, do you love me?" "Yes, Lord," he said, "you know that you are dear to me." "Then be a shepherd to my sheep," He said. John 21:16 (Weymouth).

Juniors want to act and not always to listen. It is the pastor's responsibility to shepherd these young members of the flock and guide their activities into the proper channels.

The Junior Missionary-Volunteer Society should be organized with this in mind. Place the emphasis on an active program and plan to meet during the week when a variety of activities can be carried on.

In planning meetings for a month in the Waco Missionary Volunteer Society, the first meeting is given to the progressive work. This evening is devoted to helping the juniors fulfill the requirements of the classes of a volunteer; the work must be organized and promoted if we expect the juniors to do it. Craft work is both educational and entertaining and one night a month is spent in this way. Knotting and braiding, leather craft, plastic craft, woodworking, sewing, to name a few, offer hours of enjoyment for a small financial investment. Juniors enjoy working with their hands.

Working for vocational honors opens a vast field of endeavor. In the Waco church are members who have hobbies or work contingent with many of the vocational honors. We plan one of our meetings where these men or women can come and talk about their interests to awaken new interests in the inquiring minds of the juniors. The last meeting of the month is a planned recreational program. Sundays are reserved for nature hikes and woodcraft study.

All of these meetings are opened with a short spiritual program. A junior hymn, prayer, the group repeat the M. V. pledge, a short practical spiritual lesson given by an adult member and then into our program.

Then the Sabbath afternoons are spent in doing real missionary work, not talking about it. Literature bands and sunshine bands prepare the juniors for greater Christian service. Place the emphasis on activity and your junior societies will grow.

J. C. POWERS.



## Present Truth for February

*No. 27—Great Image of Daniel II:* What of the future and the rise and fall of empires? This is a question of compelling interest. Many can be interested in a study of Bible prophecy with the result that they will find there is a better world coming.

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Enter names now for the new series of *Present Truth*. All subscriptions will be in with the first of the current series. One year, only fifty cents; in Canada, eighty-five cents; District of Columbia and foreign, seventy-five cents. Order from your Book and Bible House.

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## Good News Concerning "Signs"

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compiled from the records of the past year following the trail of its weekly flight around the world. You will want to secure your copy from your church missionary secretary. And now, the four-point "cheer bomb" concerning *Signs* for 1947.

1. *Signs Circulation During 1946.* We are happy to report that *Signs* now occupies the unique distinction of enjoying a larger circulation than any other protestant weekly publication in the United States. This achievement was registered during the

past year with an average weekly distribution of 327,600 copies.

2. *New Features During 1947.* With the installation of our new rotary press, with its various mechanical accessories, *Signs* promises several innovations that will bring cheer to the hearts of our people. These include, among other features, a restoration of the gluing process that has been interrupted during the past year, and also the introduction of a two-color feature that, we hope, will not be long delayed. The new rotary press is scheduled to begin operation not later than March 1.

3. *Dispatch in Delivery:* Following the tragic experience of the past two years, we are prepared to announce to our people a happy solution of the perplexing problem of delay in delivering *Signs* to subscribers. New equipment, a larger working personnel, and essential departmental reorganization, all combine to provide this guarantee. Our only request at this juncture is the opportunity to meet the challenge of such demands as the soul-winning enthusiasm of our people may make upon our facilities.

4. *Subscription Prices for the 1947 Crusade.* In spite of increasing production costs, both in materials and labor, *Signs* continues its unique missionary status by maintaining the same subscription price that has been in vogue for the past decade—only \$1.35 per year for single subscriptions. The cost for clubs of five or more subscriptions to one address is only \$1.10 each. Thus *Signs* maintains its traditional supremacy as the most economical soul-winning item in the entire field of our literature ministry.

Various missionary projects for *Signs* distribution have grown out of the experiences of recent years, and from week to week there will be brought to your attention. From every direction of the compass thrilling stories of soul-winning results present convincing evidence of the virtue of message presentation in its pages—stories that we shall share with our people as occasion offers. In the meantime let us pray earnestly for an enlargement of vision, and a greater burden for souls as we approach our *Signs* crusade for 1947.

H. K. CHRISTMAN, *Circulation Manager Pacific Press Publishing Association.*

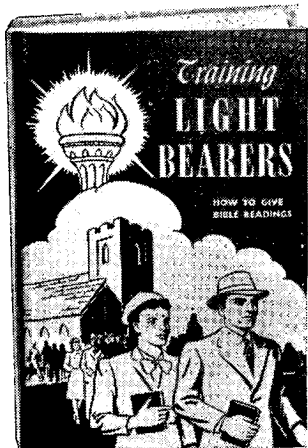
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**Press Secretaries—1947**

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In some cases we have been notified of the election of new press secretaries and have included them in this mailer, but we feel sure there are some whose names and addresses we have not yet received.

If you are a new press secretary or a member of a church which has just elected someone new to fill this position, will you please notify the Bureau of Press Relations, General Conference of Seventh-day Adventists, Takoma Park, Washington 12, D. C. We are anxious to have our list complete so that all press secretaries will receive not only this release, but future issues of "Seventh-day Adventists in the News" releases and instructional material.

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| H. W. Spiva        | BR    | 69  | 154.75              | 154.75         |
| Leon Spiva         | MMCBR | 17  | 59.75               | 83.25          |
| Plez Underdown     | CS    | 48  | 162.00              | 60.00          |
| Chas. Ferrier      | BR    | 33  | 18.00               | 58.95          |
| Mrs. Rosie Boozer  | HB2   | 59  | 112.25              | 91.80          |
| M. L. Tidwell      | MR2   | 62  | 301.90              | 140.25         |
| Vernese Swearingen | GH    | 65  | 190.85              | 64.30          |
| Marion Brown       | BR    | 35  | 43.70               | 41.85          |
| Mrs. M. L. Tidwell | MR2   | 48  | 223.45              | 142.05         |
| Anna Simon         | Mag.  |     | 37.80               | 37.80          |
| F. O. Ullrich      | MMCBR | 41  | 18.10               | 36.25          |
| Mrs. M. E. Gentry  | MMCDR | 59  | 79.80               | 40.90          |
| H. F. Corrie       | Misc. | 36  | 62.60               | 27.10          |
| G. M. Jorgenson    | Mag.  | 20  | 22.70               | 22.70          |
| Mrs. J. F. Nichols | Mag.  | 41  | 37.20               | 37.20          |
| Imer Lillard       | BR    | 17  | 37.50               | 14.00          |
| J. D. Spiva        | BRMMC | 73  | 253.50              | 60.70          |
| W. D. Leatherwood  | BR    | 63  | 110.75              | 37.00          |
| Mrs. Hershel Sims  | MMC   | 1   | 9.80                | 9.80           |
| Mrs. Lillie Warden | Mag.  | 12  | 22.01               | 22.01          |
| Rena Foshee        | Mag.  | 5   | 3.00                | 3.00           |
| Alva Cadenhead     | HS    | 64  | 209.60              | 86.85          |
| Ruben Ponce        | PB    | 79  | 192.55              |                |
| <b>Totals</b>      |       |     | <b>1372 4607.16</b> | <b>3343.76</b> |

For 2 Weeks Ending Feb. 8, 1947

**TEXICO—CLINTON WOODLAND, *Sec.***

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|--------------------|-----|-----|--------------------|----------------|
| Martin Martinez    | MB  | 206 | 402.75             | 269.50         |
| J. W. Walker       | MC  | 140 | 355.24             | 219.20         |
| Jose Espinosa      | MRD | 83  | 385.00             | 129.50         |
| Mrs. E. Chenard    | MR  | 131 | 227.20             | 171.70         |
| J. S. Groppi       | MB  | 76  | 253.85             | 99.30          |
| J. C. Martinez     | MHB | 60  | 181.25             | 3.00           |
| Octaviano Martinez | MD  | 54  | 217.85             | 18.00          |
| Pat Martinez       | MD  | 52  | 154.10             | 76.80          |
| A Colporteur       | MD  | 20  | 107.25             | 107.25         |
| Mrs. Sam Brown     | CB  | 4   | 8.00               | 6.00           |
| <b>Totals</b>      |     |     | <b>826 2292.49</b> | <b>1100.25</b> |

**Advertisements**

Please send all advertisements to your local conference office for approval. Rate: Fifty words or less, one insertion, \$1.00. Each additional insertion, if run consecutively, \$0.50. Payment must accompany copy.

WANTED: Adventist couple to share beautiful mountain home, Graysville, Tenn. Large modern home, spring water, eight acres under fence and cultivation; strawberries, grapes, fruit all produced on place above family needs, and \$50.00 a month given for board and care of elderly mother and invalid daughter up all day. Write Mary E. Baxter, Route 3, Box 125, Dayton, Tenn.

WANTED: Soon, dependable married man to care for 10 cows. Experience with farm machinery desirable, not necessary. Irrigation system available. Beautiful location in northern California. Profit sharing possible. A reasonable living under pleasant rural conditions may be expected. Owner teaching. E. L. Parrish, Blue Lake, Calif.

M. V.'s! Get honors in Radio Mechanics. Earn money. Have fun building our "Educational Radio Kits." We teach you every step. Simple easy to understand instructions. Parents! Give an educational gift. Free literature. Write immediately. Chapin Electronics Co., Inc., Dept. 7, Box 1297, Syracuse, N. Y.

FOR SALE: 5-room house with bath; half acre ground; oak trees and shrubbery. Located 4 blocks south of college; also one block south of church. Write Mrs. Pearl Plunkett, General Del., Keene, Texas.

FOR SALE: Hotpoint electric range with deep-well cooker; like new, \$65. Also violin, \$20, and Conn B-flat clarinet, \$35. A. L. Baker, No. 466, Jeanerette, La.

WANTED: S.D.A. lady, cheerful and neat, to live in my home and help care for convalescing elderly lady. No lifting or other hard work. Hospital bed. All conveniences and pleasant surroundings. Church privileges. Room, board, and salary. References exchanged. Write or call Mrs. Liggett, 401 College, Grand Prairie, Texas. Phone 180W.

AMERICAN BEAUTY macaroni, spaghetti and egg noodles are high in energy, low in cost. They are packed in cellophane so you can see each item. They can be purchased at your local grocer. Try a package today. For free, large recipe book (No. 99), write American Beauty Macaroni Co., Kansas City, Mo.

FREE: We are offering our Adventist people, free of charge, a copy of our new, colorful; 40-page recipe and menu book featuring healthful vegetarian meals. There is no obligation whatsoever. Just send your name and address, and we'll send you this handy booklet immediately. Worthington Foods, Inc., Worthington, Ohio.

FOR SALE: The Casey home in Keene, Texas. 9 rooms, 2 baths. Beautiful setting of lawn and trees. Write Roy Casey, Keene, Texas.

**SUNSET CALENDAR**

For Friday, February 28, 1947

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|-------------------------|------|
| Amarillo, Texas         | 6:25 |
| Brownsville, Texas      | 6:29 |
| Dallas, Texas           | 6:24 |
| El Paso, Texas          | 7:03 |
| Galveston, Texas        | 6:14 |
| Little Rock, Arkansas   | 6:07 |
| Muskogee, Oklahoma      | 6:16 |
| New Orleans, Louisiana  | 5:55 |
| Oklahoma City, Oklahoma | 6:25 |
| San Antonio, Texas      | 6:29 |
| Santa Fe, New Mexico    | 6:03 |
| Shreveport, Louisiana   | 6:12 |



## SOUTHWESTERN JR. COLLEGE

J. V. Peters, President

### English Department

"Seest thou a man that is hasty in his words? There is more hope of a fool than of him." Proverbs 29:20.

A Christian college has more to accomplish in the field of English than the mere presentation of grammatical constructions and forms of writing. Sister White said, as recorded in the book *Education*: "The chief requisite of language is that it be pure and kind and true,—the outward expression of an inward grace." Again in *Messages to Young People* her admonition is: "Before attempting to study the higher branches of literary knowledge, be sure that you thoroughly understand the simple rules of English grammar, and have learned to read and write and spell correctly . . ."

Christians should be examples to the world of pure language as they present the truths of the gospel. It is with this in mind that the English department at Southwestern Junior College endeavors to develop in each student the skill of proper language usage and an appreciation of what is beautiful, esthetic and useful in the fields of literature.

Two hundred and eighty-nine students are enrolled in English classes at the college this year; 161 in academy classes and 128 in classes on the college level.

The one hundred students enrolled in freshman composition are at the present time writing articles which will be entered in the "Talent Search" contest sponsored by the *Signs of the Times*. A number of collegiate features have been added to the course this year, among which has been a series of lectures given by individuals who are authorities on subjects pertinent to the interests of the class. At a recent class period, Elder W. A. Howe lectured to the students concerning the practical applications of their learning in the fields of English, to the situations in which the students will find themselves upon leaving school.

There are plans being made for the teaching of additional classes in the fields of speech and journalism beginning next school year. We hope that through the strengthening of the

### Notice!

To all former students and graduates of Southwestern Junior College!

Please send the following information to Dorothy Heffington, Southwestern Union Conference of S. D. A., 2829 West Cantey Street, Fort Worth 4, Texas: Name, present address, present position, years in attendance at Southwestern Junior College, and other news that might be of interest to those who know you.

English department of our school that our students will be better fitted to take their places as workers in the cause of God and will be able to carry forward their duties with an exactness of written and oral presentation which will be an asset to each worker.

MARY MCCONAUGHEY.

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### News Notes

We are happy to have Elder N. R. Dower on the campus for the week of prayer. We are enjoying a fine spiritual fellowship, students and faculty alike, drinking in the spiritual blessings which Elder Dower brings us from the wellspring of life. Assisting Elder Dower are Elders K. D. Johnson, I. G. Barker, and H. W. Jewkes, who are doing personal counseling with the students.

On Saturday night, we were very happy to have Dr. R. W. Woods, president of Union College, with us. Dr. Woods gave the lyceum lecture on astronomy.

Mr. Whitlock has just returned from a meeting of the American Association of Junior Colleges in St. Louis. He reports that many of the problems confronting our school are shared by junior colleges throughout America and that much beneficial counsel was received which may be helpful in meeting our particular problems from time to time.

The college is very pleased with the recent purchase of a new electric mimeograph machine. The new model 92 machine is electrically operated and will reproduce approximately 150 copies per minute.

We were happy to have several of the workers visit our campus on their return from the union session. We

welcome our fellow workers and members to visit the campus at any opportune time.

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### Press Secretaries—1947

(Continued from page 7)

Our pastors and press secretaries have made a splendid record during the past year in securing increasingly fine coverage of their church activities in the local papers. We welcome newly elected secretaries to join us in a still better year for press work in 1947.

J. R. FERREN

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### Getting Away from the Cities

By CARLYLE B. HAYNES

A considerable number of Seventh-day Adventists living in cities, in response to the instruction contained in the pamphlet *Country Living*, have sought and satisfactorily found opportunities and homes and jobs in rural locations. It is most encouraging as various city churches are visited to find many others still seeking such opportunities.

Information is coming in to the commission on rural living constantly regarding homes, jobs, business opportunities, farms, in the country. These are listed alphabetically by states and are sent out without cost to any of our members who request this service and who are interested in getting away from the cities.

We are now preparing our fourth list of such opportunities. If you are among those who would like to have it sent to you without charge please apply for it by writing to: Carlyle B. Haynes, 6840 Eastern Avenue, Washington 12, D. C.

And if you are already in the country and know of an opportunity, or farm, or job, or home in your vicinity that you think it would be helpful to place in these listings, it will be appreciated if you will write to the same address and give us all the information about it.

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"The perils of the last days are upon us, and a trial is before the young which many have not anticipated. They will be brought into distressing perplexity, and the genuineness of their faith will be proved. They profess to be looking for the Son of man; yet some of them have been a miserable example to unbelievers." *Messages to Young People*, p. 375.