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Action views of work bees conducted by Georgia-Cumberland ministers and laymen at the new academy site. See p. 2 for captions.

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Ministers and laymen here gathered to receive a description of the location of the academy buildings, their cost and approximate sizes. These men participated in the work bee February 12, and were from Dalton, Georgia, and the north part of Georgia-Cumberland Conference.

The pictures here and on the cover depict the work done on two different occasions in February.

On the cover:

1. Seeing that Elders Gery Friesen and Ted Graves have the log in hand, Dr. Brooke Summerour, Dalton, Georgia, walks off to help remove bows trimmed from fallen trees.
2. Setting the pace for more than 80 pastors and laymen was Elder A. C. McKee, conference president, at work-days conducted at the Georgia-Cumberland Conference academy site entrance February 12 and 19.
3. Power saws were needed to cut down trees and trim off branches. Some logs will be sold as pulp wood.

These ministers and laymen from south of Dalton in Georgia waited out the rain and began working about noon, February 19. They were able to work about four hours in spite of a constant drizzle.



Carolina

Bottles For Building

Carolina Adventists will begin a two-month empty pop-bottle gathering campaign on April 1 to help pay for a new girls' dormitory at Mt. Pisgah Academy. Many enthusiasts believe that the funds required from the churches can be raised in two months in this way.

Pathfinders, MV societies and adults will unite in an all-out drive to collect enough cold drink bottles, and turn them in for cash, to reach \$70,000 by the end of May.

How many bottles will it take? Three million! Can that many empty cold drink bottles be found in the Carolinas in the next two months? Adventist youth and adults have been challenged with the idea and are ready to find out. Why this enthusiasm? Listen to what 3,000,000 empty cold drink bottles can do.

At 2¢ each, the price paid for bottle returns, in many areas, would bring in \$60,000. Some places 3¢ is paid per bottle. An average of 2½¢ would bring in \$75,000, more than enough, with the funds the conference will supply, to build a new girls' dormitory at the academy to be ready for occupancy for the 1961-62 school term.

How many are 3,000,000 bottles? About 680 bottles per member for the two-month period, or 340 per month, about 82 per week or 12 per day. Who is it that couldn't pick up 12 empty bottles a day?

Elder A. D. Livengood, pastor of the Orangeburg, S. C., district, brought the idea to a planning conference recently held in Charlotte. "The Orangeburg church," he told the other ministers, "has really taken hold of the idea and I raised \$10 in bottles myself last month." He continued by stating that one of his members had raised \$30 by picking up empty bottles. His church at Aiken, S. C., has also taken to the idea and members there are also gathering cold drink bottles, taking them to their grocer for 3¢ each, he said.

Bulletins have gone out to all churches explaining the plan and Carolina Adventists are ready to begin a two-month clean-up across the two Carolinas beginning April 1. A bottle clean-up that could build a girls' dormitory at Mount Pisgah Academy.

L. H. PITTON, *Director*
Public Relations Department



BOTTLES WILL BUILD. And these Charlotte Junior Academy students, with their teacher, Mr. C. D. Hughes (extreme right), intend to do their share in building a girls' dormitory at Mt. Pisgah Academy. In 30 minutes of soliciting house to house in the neighborhood around their school during the noon hour, they collected 128 empty pop bottles to sell for the academy building fund. One lady gave six cartons of empty bottles. A man who had no bottles wanted to know what they would get for a carton and when told 15¢ he gave them that amount. This was their first try. Listen for the final report at camp meeting.

News Notes

Baptisms. Ministers in the Carolina Conference report 51 baptisms for the first two months of 1961. This is an

increase of 29 over the same period for 1960.

100 Visitors. A planned "Visitors' Day" program payed off in the Spar-



Two happy Christian brothers stand in front of the baptismal font in the Asheville, N. C., church where E. B. Miller, left, was just baptized, becoming a member of the Waynesville, N. C., Seventh-day Adventist church. Dave Wiggins, church elder, gave Bible studies to Mr. Miller, bringing him to this decision. Mr. Miller moved to Waynesville from Miami, Fla., five years ago. Mr. H. J. Driggers of Fort Lauderdale, Fla., kept encouraging him to attend church and put Mr. Wiggins in touch with him. Mr. Miller said, "We just couldn't get along without Dave Wiggins."

tanburg, S. C., church recently. Elder H. D. Colburn, pastor, reported 100 non-Adventist visitors attending service on this special occasion. Elder H. V. Reed, conference president, was the guest speaker. One school teacher visiting the church admitted that it was the first time she had ever attended a Seventh-day Adventist service and remarked, "It was wonderful. I want to come back and worship with you people some more."

Training Courses. Eleven pastors in as many churches have organized "Training Light Bearers" courses to teach the laymen of the church how to win souls and help them in their soul saving program during 1961. Laymen are reported as being enthusiastic about the program and classes are well attended. Four Laymen's Rallies have been held this year already, Elder W. O. Coe, conference laymen's leader, reports, and "an enthusiastic laymen's program is spreading across the two states. Many other churches are expected to start training courses soon."

"It Is Written." The "It Is Written" telecast began on WLOS-TV in Asheville, N. C., on Sunday, March 26, at 12 noon, with the possibility, at this writing, of a time change to 2 P.M. The interest will be followed up carefully by all churches in the area and a large harvest of souls is expected as a result. The program is scheduled to be carried for the remainder of 1961. Elder W. O. Reynolds, Washington, D. C., met with the church representatives from all churches in the area on Saturday night, February 25, to give instruction in regard to the program. Ministers met with Elder Reynolds after the meeting for a planning session.

New Eat-To-Live Series

New aid for Doctors, Nurses, Home Economics Teachers, Evangelists, Cooking Schools. There are ten lessons on film, tapes and script or printed lesson outlines covering such subjects as Vegetable Cookery, Special Breads, Desserts, Proteins and Meal Planning and six other subjects. Many new members are being baptized each month, so why not start a cooking school in your church and teach them how to prepare meals that are wholesome without the use of meat. The price is only \$89.50 for a combination set of films and tapes or \$49.50 each if you desire to purchase them separately.

Carolina Book & Bible House

Florida

Miami Temple Series

Three hundred people were present for the first Sunday Evening Bible Lecture in the Miami Temple Church



Harold E. Fagal

when Pastor William A. Fagal, director of Faith for Today, spoke on the subject, "I Saw Bible Prophecy Vindicated." His sermon was illustrated with colored pictures he took on a recent trip to old Babylon, Tyre, and Sidon.

The meeting was the first in a weekly series to be conducted by the pastor of the church, Pastor Harold E. Fagal. More than half of those present were visitors. The meetings have been planned as a part of the program of Blueprint Evangelism the Temple church is following and will culminate in a series of reaping meetings to be conducted in May.

One hundred members of the church are receiving training in the giving of Bible studies in a Training Light Bearers class the pastor conducts each week. An intensive visitation program is being launched March 4. Every department of the church is being organized for soul-winning work, and every member is being enlisted in the program. Carl Rafey, missionary leader of the church, is giving strong support to the program, along with the mem-

bers of the church missionary committee.

The attention of the people living in the Greater Miami area is being focused on evangelism since Billy Graham began his Miami crusade March 5 in Miami Beach. Prayer groups are being organized all over the area, and hundreds are being trained as counselors. Seventh-day Adventists are alert to the need for greater emphasis on evangelism at this time, and we are doing our part to proclaim the full message of God for this time among the nearly one million inhabitants of Dade county.

HAROLD FAGAL, *Pastor*
Miami Temple Church

Evangelism

Florida workers, laymen and youth have swung into widespread evangelism.

The Detamore evangelistic meetings have had a regular attendance ranging from 400 to 500, well filling the American Legion Hall in West Palm Beach.

Elders Otis Graves of North Miami and A. C. McClure of Fort Lauderdale have joined forces in holding public meetings in Hollywood.

A tent has been pitched in Wauhatchula, where Elder S. A. Reile will hold evangelistic meetings until camp meeting time.

Sunday night meetings are being held in the Miami Temple and St. Petersburg and Jacksonville churches by their respective pastors, H. E. Fagal, W. B. Johnson and O. M. Berg.

A laymen's effort has been held in Winter Garden by Lester L. Marx,



The Miami Temple Church

assisted by Henry Fowler and Miss Celeste Kaplan. The same group will soon begin a series of meetings in Sanford.

Melbourne Revival

A week-long series of youth revival meetings were held February 25 to March 4 at the Melbourne Seventh-day Adventist church. Elder G. Ray James, Florida Conference MV secretary, built his sermons around a general theme "A Guide to a Life Worth Living," pointing to the fact that God demands dedication, devotion and decision. Each morning he spoke to the students of Grace Bush Memorial School of Melbourne where Miss Bush and Miss Judy Burke are the teachers. Meetings were also held each day in the Cocoa Junior Academy where Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Tripp are the teachers.

Elder Bert Benson, the district pastor, invited all the young people to attend the evening meetings and on two occasions the school bus from Cocoa made the trip to Melbourne, a distance of about 20 miles.

Pastor Michael Blaine of Melbourne-Canaveral churches gave direction in the meetings. Many of the youth of the area gave their hearts to the Lord, some for the first time. Two youth were baptized on Sabbath afternoon, March 4, one joining the Melbourne church and one the Cocoa church.

Pathfinder Show

The first annual Pathfinder amateur show, under the direction of Mrs. Jenola Bradwell, was held at the Orlando Recreation Center early this year. There were approximately 150 in the audience. The net proceeds of this show went towards the youth camp Nature Museum at High Springs.

The show was sponsored by the Central Orlando Pathfinder Club, but was wholeheartedly supported by the Sanitarium club. Pathfinders from both clubs participated, and the Winter Park Pathfinder Club helped with the advertising.

Clair Frey won the grand prize of three silver dollars for an accordion solo, and Jan Harvey won two for a vocal solo. One silver dollar was awarded to each of the following: Stanva Dombrosky, vocal solo; Lynn Tucker, cornet solo; Linn Allen, vocal solo; JoAnne Sorenson, saxophone solo; and Sandra Miles, piano solo.

The performance was judged by Forrest Sykes, principal of the Orlando Church School, Mrs. Mike Kabool, church school choir director, and Mrs. Walter Schwab.

MRS. JENOLA BRADWELL



Forrest Sykes makes first award of three silver dollars to Clair Frey, accordionist who was baptized the same day as the amateur program.



Silver dollar winners, (from left) Lynn Tucker, Linn Allen, JoAnne Sorenson, Stanva Dombrosky, Clair Frey, Jan Harvey.

Georgia-Cumberland

Atlanta Gets F for T

We are happy to announce that our international telecast Faith for Today will replace It Is Written on WAGA-TV Channel 5 on Sunday from 9:30 to 10 A.M. starting April 2.

For nearly 18 months It Is Written has occupied the time slot above mentioned. During these past months It Is Written has steadily increased its television audience until now it has the distinction in Atlanta of being the most widely viewed religious program on any local channel. Since no more films are available and because

some of the films have been viewed for the third time, the Georgia-Cumberland Conference invited Faith for Today to take over the important time now occupied by It Is Written. On Sunday morning March 26, It Is Written was viewed for the last time on WAGA-TV.

Invite your friends, neighbors and business associates to view Faith for Today regularly. By this means souls can be reached with our message who could not be contacted in any other way. Pray for the success of this program. Work to interest others to tune in to view this wonderful telecast.

M. DONOVAN OSWALD
Radio-Television Secretary
Georgia-Cumberland Conference

Youth Rally Report

By ELWYN PLATNER

Nearly 1,000 youth and parents from north Georgia and east Tennessee attended a one-day youth rally conducted at Dalton, Georgia, February 25.

Featured speaker for the event was Elder Desmond Cummings, Southern Union Missionary Volunteer secretary, who compared the problems and temptations of Moses and Aaron to those which today's youth must meet. He

challenged the youth to stand through the "acid test" of today's temptations and like Moses be prepared to meet God.

Elder Ted Graves, Georgia-Cumberland Missionary Volunteer secretary, was director of the rally and coordinated a panel discussion of youth problems including such subjects as appropriate dating ages, education on

love, sex and marriage, the need for advanced education, proper Christian dress standards, and affection in the home.

Instrumental in planning the event were Dr. Bill James and Dr. Earl McGhee as well as Pastor E. L. Pingnot, all of Dalton.

A special musical program preceded the afternoon panel discussion and featured musical talent from Southern Missionary College, a string quartet and youth from other cities in the area. A vespers program concluded the event and was conducted by Elder Pingnot.

Elder Gery Friesen, Chattanooga, conducted a choir composed of voices from several choirs from cities in the area.

Only one Pathfinder club present was from Graysville with its leader, Mrs. Lillian Littell and deputy leader, Mr. Avolt B. Just.



Left. Discussing several youth problems during the Dalton youth rally was this panel which included, from left, Dorothy Ackerman and Dr. Clyde Bushnell, SMC instructors; Vernon Wagner, SMC student; Elder Ted Graves, coordinator, Georgia-Cumberland MV secretary; Elder Desmond Cummings, Southern Union MV secretary; Mrs. B. H. Steele, Fairmount, Georgia; and Pastor Gery Friesen, Chattanooga, Tennessee. Right. Participants in the morning church service at the Dalton Missionary Volunteer rally, from left, were Elders Ted Graves, Atlanta; E. L. Pingnot, Dalton; Desmond Cummings, Atlanta; A. C. McKee, Atlanta; L. E. Aldrich, Atlanta; and Dr. Earl T. McGhee, Dalton. Another participant not pictured was Elder H. S. Hanson, Southern Union educational secretary.



Left. Dalton Missionary Volunteer youth rally choir was composed of choir members primarily from Atlanta and Chattanooga. Right. Among the wide variety of musical ensembles participating in the Singspiration at the youth rally conducted at Dalton, Georgia, February 25, was this string quartet. From left they are Dr. Clifford Ludington, Dunlap, Tennessee; Donald West, assistant business manager at Southern Missionary College; Dr. Brooke Summerour, and Dr. Calvin Edwards, Dalton, Georgia.

Cascade Road Report

God's blessings have been seen in a marked manner since the Cascade Road church was organized a little over five years ago with a membership of 83 charter members. Eighteen months ago ground was broken for a new church on beautiful rolling land of 13 acres in the rapidly growing southwest section of Atlanta.

For the past six months it has been an inspiration to worship in our own church home after waiting so faithfully.

The \$130,000 church home (actual expenditure) has been paid for except the last \$28,000. Elder H. R. Beckner, Georgia-Cumberland Conference institutional development secretary, has conducted the church canvass. The canvass goal is \$48,000 which incorporates liquidation of the church debt over the next three years, funds to make additional improvements and \$9,600 for the conference boarding academy, Reeves, Georgia.

Dr. H. Haugen is serving as the general chairman of the current canvass drive. Other officers on the canvass committee are: F. Satterfield, initial gifts chairman; Dr. R. McDowell, teams chairman; and R. McDonald, G. Malone, O. Mills, and C. Bennett, team captains.

A very lovely program and excellent dinner was enjoyed by all at the family center. Mrs. Baker Hale, the arrangements committee chairman, with a good corps of workers, prepared an outstanding formal catered dinner. Mrs. W. J. Blitchington was hostess chairman.

Even though the members have sacrificed these past four years an amount greater than the tithe for the same period, they are continuing their walk of faith as a new program is underway.

The sanctuary seats 300 with room for an additional 100 in overflow rooms. During the past year God has not only blessed the congregation with a fine, modern church edifice, but He has seen the congregation grow from a membership of 142 to 200. Twenty-nine were added to the church this past year through baptism and profession of faith.

The growth potential is promising for this coming year with a large baptismal class being conducted. Pray that God will lead fully in the future spiritual and physical growth of the Cascade Road church.

JOHN STEVENS, Pastor
Cascade Road Church



Mapping plans for the Cascade Road church every-member canvass following the fellowship dinner at the Atlanta Family Center March 2, from left, are Raymond McDonald, F. M. Satterfield, Elder H. R. Beckner, Elder L. E. Aldrich, Glenn Malone, Dr. Harry Haugen, Elder John Stevens, and Othel Mills.

News Briefs

★ Graysville Junior Academy celebrated St. Valentines Day not by exchanging Valentines, but collected \$80 from church members for the Faith for Today telecast.

★ A First Aid class was organized at Graysville, February 13. Mrs. Thomas Hanon and Mrs. Avolt Just are instructors. There are 12 juniors and 18 adults in the class.

★ A Woodsman of the World representative presented the Graysville Pathfinder Club a new 50 star flag as a special feature during one club meeting in February. The club assisted in the March of Dimes campaign by collecting \$42.67 in the Graysville and Dayton areas.

★ The Dunlap church school children presented songs and short talks during the Temperance Day program February 18 at Dunlap and Crossville. Included in the program was a temper-

ance message by Elder A. E. Hughes, district pastor.

★ "The It Is Written telecast is being well received in Augusta," reports Pastor F. W. Harvey, "and 160 definite responses have been made and are taking the accompanying Bible study, Take His Word."

Already 50 copies of *Planet in Rebellion* have been distributed and another 450 will be mailed soon.

Town Hall of the Air, a program originating in Minneapolis under the leadership of Seventh-day Adventists, immediately follows It Is Written which is broadcast at 9 A.M. This makes a full hour of Seventh-day Adventist programming every Sunday morning in Augusta.

★ Extensive remodeling is being done to the Augusta church, reports Pastor F. W. Harvey. The minister's study has been refinished and new rugs laid. Ceilings have been lowered and the church auditorium is being enlarged.

Savannah Canvass

During late January and early February a successful "every-member-canvass" was conducted in Savannah by Elder H. R. Beckner, director of institutional development, and canvass committee members.

The response of the church was good and the believers are thankful to God for the success of reaching their goal. Funds are to be divided between the local church building program and the proposed conference academy at Reeves, Georgia.

Our believers in the Portal church have rallied to the academy development and have pledged nearly \$3,000 toward the academy building program. This represents complete participation



As a gift of appreciation for their spiritual leadership in the Cascade Road church, Mrs. Mary Blitchington presents a bouquet to Elder and Mrs. John Stevens at the fellowship banquet March 2.

by all families. The entire amount is to be dedicated to the academy.

Savannah Church Grows. Prior to World War I, a small company met at a hall at Bull and 31st Streets in Savannah. After the war the company grew strong enough to be organized as a church. A meeting place and parsonage at 37th and Jefferson was purchased, but the financial load was evidently too heavy, for this property was sold.

The only known living charter members are Mr. and Mrs. Guy Flynt, and Mr. Walter M. Thomas. The present church site at Whitaker and 35th was purchased early in the 1920's. About 1930 the present building was erected. Conditions within the building and changes in the neighborhood now make it necessary to plan for a new housing.

New Church Considered. During 1960 careful study was given to this problem. It was decided that since the present structure must serve a little longer, it must be put in good condition.

Promotion of new building plans was suspended while the present building was reconditioned inside and out. Central air conditioning was added and new fixtures secured. The entire congregation shouldered the financial load. Some friends who attend church also participated. New church furniture valued at \$3,600 was contributed by Mr. and Mrs. Denson Foss in memory of their mother, Mrs. Frances Foss, who had long been active in the church.

Without doubt the work of God is taking a forward stride at this moment in Georgia's oldest and second largest city—Savannah.

TRACY S. HILL, *Pastor
Savannah Church*

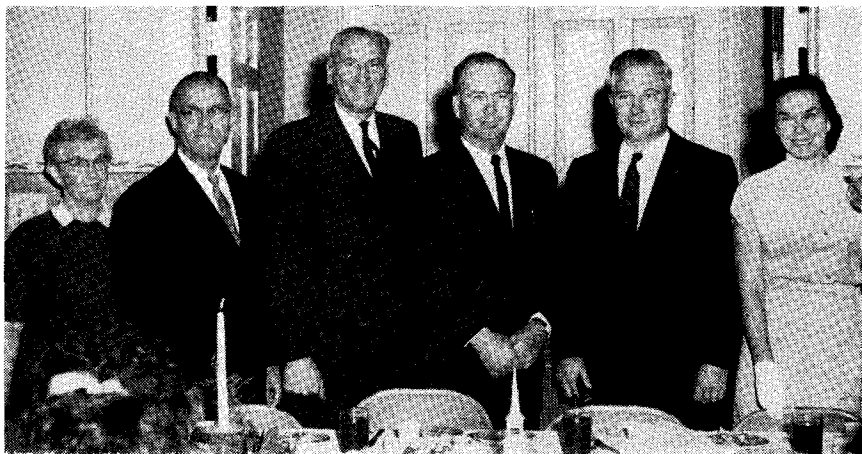
Doctors to Aid Students

At a Dixie chapter alumni meeting February 26, in Cleveland, Tennessee, Dr. Charles Graves, the president from Dunlap, Tennessee, submitted a plan to provide loans to College of Medical Evangelists students interested in locating in the chapter's area.

The plan approved by the doctors present provides that one worthy student in either medicine or dentistry will be selected recipient of a \$500 loan each year. The fund will be composed of donations by each physician and dentist in the chapter.



New church furniture for the Savannah church has been contributed by Mr. and Mrs. Denson Foss in memory of their mother, Mrs. Frances Foss. In addition to new pews are the communion table and pulpit. Behind the pulpit are, from left, Dr. John Wilson, H. I. Purcell, Pastor Tracy S. Hill, B. T. Byrd, Sr., and B. T. Byrd, Jr.



Leading out in the every-member canvass at the Savannah church in February were, from left, Pastor and Mrs. T. S. Hill; Elder H. R. Beckner, director of institutional development; H. V. Swinson, Jr., teams captain chairman; B. T. Byrd, Jr., general chairman; and Mrs. B. T. Byrd, Jr.

Hosts and hostesses for the event were Dr. and Mrs. Chalmer Chastain, Dr. and Mrs. Robert Bossert, Dr. and Mrs. Allen Perepelitza, and Dr. and Mrs. Irvin Weir, all of Cleveland.

Auxiliary president, Mrs. Charles Graves, Dunlap, Tennessee, submitted a report of the executive committee actions since the group met last fall. In December the group sent a box of personal items and money orders for \$200 for hospital supplies to a CME alumnus and his family at the Jengre Mission Hospital in North Nigeria, West Africa.

The auxiliary each year provides assistance to a different doctor and his family in a foreign mission. The project this year is for Dr. and Mrs. Arthur Melbourne Owen in North Nigeria.

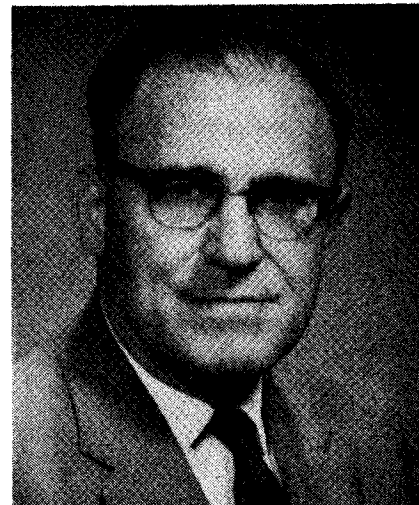
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page 21.)



Dr. and Mrs. Chalmer Chastain, center, were hosts to a College of Medical Evangelists alumni and auxiliary meeting at their home February 26. Pictured with them are Mrs. Charles Graves, seated left, auxiliary president, and Mrs. Clifford Ludington, auxiliary vice-president; and Dr. Charles Graves, standing left, Dixie alumni chapter president, and Dr. Calvin Edwards, secretary treasurer.

Soul Winning at Southern Missionary College

By CLIFFORD A. REEVES
Associate Professor of Applied Theology



Clifford A. Reeves

It is a privilege to be associated with such fine young people as we have in training at Southern Missionary College this year. Many of these youth are the agents God is going to use in the closing phases of His work in the world. There is among them a noteworthy spirit of dedication to the purposes of God which is in keeping with the solemnity of the times in which we are now living. In this quiet valley at Collegedale the startling nature of recent world events has not gone unnoticed. In the midst of busy academic activity one can sense a new seriousness among the students in their attitude to the urgency of the times.

This attitude is reflected in a deepening interest in soul-winning work. We believe our members in the Southern Union will be interested to learn about the missionary activities currently being conducted on and around the campus.

For the past weeks an evangelistic atmosphere has enveloped the school whilst a series of meetings has been in progress at Ringgold, a little town 12 miles from Collegedale, located in a dark county. The writer has led out in this endeavor, but advertising, ushering, visiting and other responsibilities have been cared for by enthusiastic student participants. Insight into the workings of an effort has thus been gained by the ministerial students who have given such faithful cooperation. The college musical department contributed the help of Elder Don Crook in addition to other musical talent. We are happy to report that the Lord has given us fruitage and the first group was baptized on February 11 at Collegedale. Meetings at Ringgold continue each Sabbath afternoon.

Recently we completed a course in personal evangelism. The enrollment for this class, which carries college

credit, was the largest in recent years. Some of these students, anxious to put into practice the techniques learned, have already begun studies with non-members each Friday evening and have had the joy of getting decisions for the Lord and His truth.

By arrangement with our Chattanooga friends the Red Bank district of that city has been placed at the disposal of the Collegedale students and members for missionary purposes. More than 20 of our young people are passing out literature, loaning *Planet in Rebellion* and making other contacts for Bible studies each Sabbath. It is planned to hold an effort in this neighborhood later in the year. Some fine reports are coming in from the work there.

Mention should also be made of



Students who have helped in the Ringgold effort. Standing (left to right) John Fowler, Al Stevens, Harold Walker, Dwight Hilderbrandt, Don Clark, Elder C. A. Reeves, Don Crook, Herman Washington, Richard Brunk, Tom Mostert, Cliff Davis. Sitting: Bill Berry, Joan Berry, Joyce Calloway, Damaris Crittenden, Margaret Burkhalter, Gertrude Henson, Bill Henson, Ronald Bottsford.



An audience attending the Ringgold meetings in the American Legion Hall.

the much-appreciated work of our student preachers who are occupying the pulpits of 15 churches. Each of the churches has a student in charge of the service every other Sabbath. Ranging in membership from ten to 100, these churches are located in the three states of Georgia, Tennessee and Alabama. Some are over 100 miles from Collegedale. An average of 30 students go out each Sabbath morning with these seminar bands. They too are learning the joy of pointing souls heavenward.

Here on the campus both dedicated faculty members and consecrated fellow students are patiently laboring for the non-Adventists in our midst. Our aim is: every student in the fold of the church before the close of the school year.

The spirit of evangelism is something that must be "caught" as well as being "taught." By precept and example our students must be shown that "The goal of goals is the winning of souls."

"The work above all work,—the business above all others which should draw and engage the energies of the soul,—is the work of saving souls for whom Christ has died. Make this the main, the important work of your life. Make it your special life work."—*Messages to Young People*, p. 227.

Pray for us as instructors that we might keep constantly before our youth this shining vision of greater and still

greater achievements in soul-winning. In these final days of destiny may they have a balanced sense of values remembering that

"Earth's richest gems are gaudy trash

And honor's glittering stars are dim
And fame's rewards are valueless
Besides the jewels which will flash
Forever in the crown of him
Who wins a soul to righteousness."

What About Flying Saucers?

In the last few years there has been much discussion about so-called flying saucers. There has even been excitement on the part of some, including some good Seventh-day Adventists. The editor of the *Review and Herald* has been receiving letters from subscribers earnestly asking him to look into the matter and to make a statement in the *Review*. He has done this, interviewing different persons, including a man who said that he had taken a ride on a space ship. He has also examined the government records regarding so-called flying saucers that are found at the Intelligence Center of the United States Air Force.

He has written six articles on the subject. This is not a brief, casual treatment of the matter, but a rather extended one, that has attempted to deal with certain specific cases, and

with the various arguments pro and con. He has also touched on the claims of Spiritists in connection with flying saucers. The series of articles will begin in the *Review* with the issue of March 23.

This is just one more illustration of how our church paper seeks to provide our people constantly with authoritative information on matters of current interest and concern to us as a people. If you are not now a subscriber, why not order the *Review* immediately from your church missionary secretary, and ask to have your subscription begin not later than the March 23 issue? During 1961 there will be many articles of prime interest to our people.

R. G. CAMPBELL
Periodical Department Manager
Review and Herald Pub. Assn.

Shotgun Evangelism

IN frontier days of old, and sometimes even today, outlaws have used sawed-off shotguns to scatter their shot. It was used as a defense device to put fear and trembling into a group, and strange as it may seem, even in the Seventh-day Adventist Church much of our evangelistic effort could be classified as "shotgun" evangelism. We scatter our shot everywhere without careful, concerted aim, without a regular follow-up program, and without the encouraging results that we ought to receive.

It was with this thought in mind that the editors and the circulation department personnel of the Southern Publishing Association met together and conceived the idea of placing in *These Times* and *Message Magazine*, our two great evangelistic journals, the new type of evangelistic approach to be found beginning January 1, 1961. This is the direct antithesis of "shotgun" evangelism, for in each issue of the journals there appears a center spread of four pages dealing with just one of our cardinal doctrines each month. This program will carry over two years and then be repeated. Each article, covering one of the great truths of our church, is being freshly written, freshly edited and freshly illustrated.

So with great courage, we can say "shotgun" evangelism is dead, for *These Times* and *Message Magazine* are now concentrating with deer-rifle accuracy at human hearts and lives.

This adds new emphasis to your missionary subscriptions, and it puts new force and purpose behind our endeavors to win the lost to Christ. While "shotgun" evangelism may be all right with some for certain purposes, we serve notice that our journals will be more highly evangelistic and more closely aimed to the finishing of the work. We are not satisfied with just good articles in good journals. Carefully arranged in proper sequence, these articles will be aimed toward definite objectives in this crucial hour.

This gives us great courage to come to our people and urge a tremendously increased subscription list for both of these journals. My brethren and sisters, if you have loved ones, if you have friends, if you have business associates, Ingathering donors, neighbors that you seek to win to the truth, may we urge a larger committal of your funds to missionary subscriptions for these journals?

We also strongly urge our white churches to sponsor *Message* subscriptions for their colored friends and leaders in education, business and professional fields. It is part of your mission field.

These Times, \$2 a year; *Message Magazine*, \$1.50 a year. Order through your Book and Bible House or your church missionary secretary.

R. J. CHRISTIAN
Circulation Manager
Message and These Times

Of Special Interest to "Review and Herald" Readers

The first issue of April, the *Review and Herald* will begin a series of articles on the subject of "Righteousness by Faith." This is a series that is well balanced and should have a strong appeal to every reader of our church paper. Since the Sabbath school lessons for the second quarter are on the subject of "Righteousness by Faith," we thought our people would be glad to know that these six special articles will appear during that quarter to give strong emphasis to the subject.

We hope that our workers throughout the conferences will call special attention to these articles and emphasize to our members the value not only of reading the *Review and Herald* but of subscribing to it.

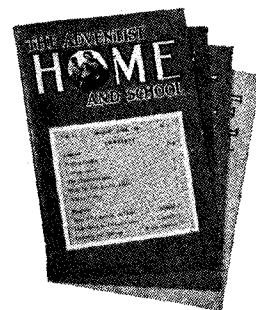
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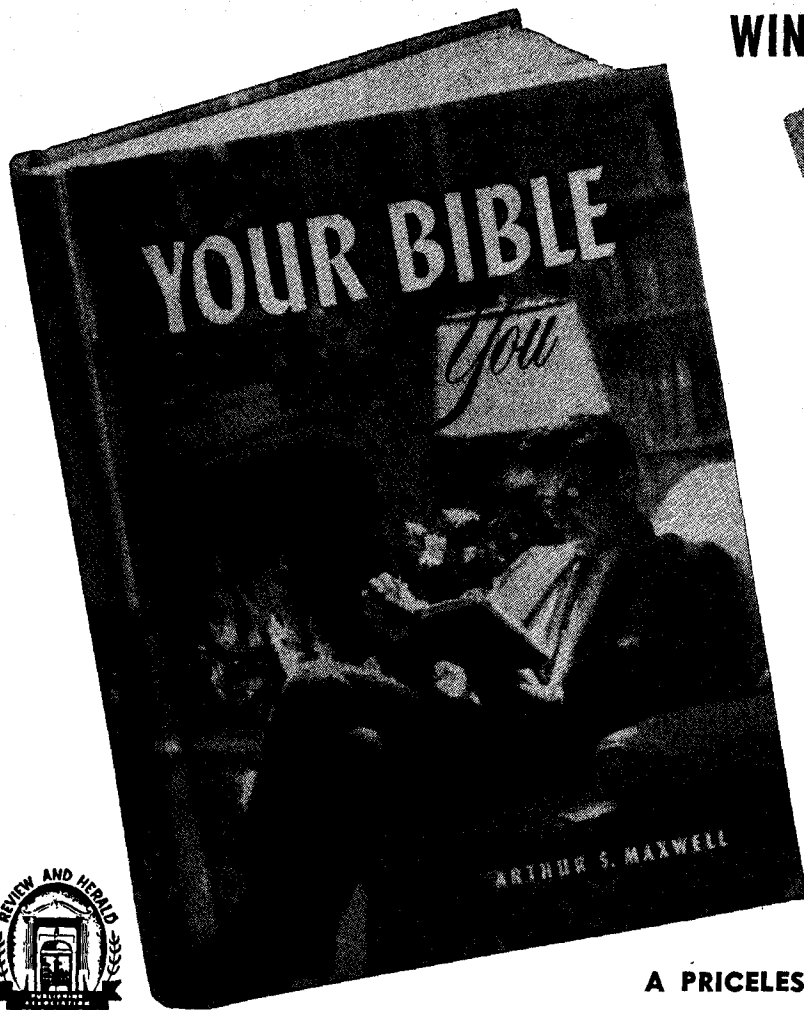
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Spring 1961

More Abundant Life for Sheu Sen Wu

SDA's Participate in Cancer Research

Cancer research continues at CME with the cooperation of SDA church members from states on both Atlantic and Pacific coasts.

Researchers hope to answer many questions about the dread disease with results of a study entitled "Lung Cancer and Laryngeal Cancer in Seventh-day Adventists."

The study seeks to determine if there is a relationship between health reform practices of Seventh-day Adventists and the rate at which cancer occurs among this people. Physicians and scientists inside and outside the church will welcome this evidence.

CME Graduates Willing to Serve

USA—One hundred thirty-four graduates of the School of Medicine at CME expressed their willingness to enter foreign mission service, according to a recent polling by the School of Medicine Alumni Association. This is only one less than the number of physician graduates currently serving overseas.

Of those who replied that they would not go at this time, many of the younger graduates gave as a reason for their hesitation the sizable debt they were paying which was incurred in their medical training.

Older graduates presented the problem of education of their children. And a further large group had health problems which prevented their overseas mission service.



Sheu Sen Wu from Formosa

CME Physician Wins Hearts in Ecuador

ECUADOR—Dr. Waldo W. Stiles, '34, went to Ecuador as a self-supporting medical missionary because he wanted to bring physical and spiritual help to the people.

He has done both and has won the deep regard and affection of the leaders in government as well as the people themselves.

Recently, the denomination officially appointed Dr. Stiles to serve as a missionary and will help support his work.

**CME OFFERING
APRIL 8, 1961**

LOS ANGELES—For 37 minutes little Sheu Sen Wu's heart was stopped as specialists performed the complicated procedures of open heart surgery.

Open heart surgery to repair a birth defect in the heart would be impossible without the most modern of facilities and the most specialized of training. Thus, such medical care cannot be given by most overseas missionary-physicians.

Recently CME's White Memorial Hospital received a request from Formosa concerning what could be done for a young Formosan lad who had been born with a defect in his heart which prevented his running and playing. He could not look forward to either a long or active life.

The boy, little Sheu Sen Wu, was flown to White Memorial Hospital for exhaustive diagnostic tests. Surgery was performed while Sheu Sen's heart was stopped, and his body functions of breathing and blood circulation were performed by the complicated and expensive heart-lung machine.

Physician's fees were cancelled as were hospital expenses. In the words of one Los Angeles newspaper this was "the finest type of foreign aid."

This is a modern application of the aims of the mission-minded program of the College of Medical Evangelists. Scores of similar stories could be told about the dedication and spirit of helpfulness of CME-trained personnel.

Sheu Sen has returned to Formosa and can now live a normal, active life. Following in the footsteps of the Great Physician, CME physicians have helped him to "have life, and have it more abundantly."

CME Students Serve the Church Well

Five thousand miles were traveled by faculty-student groups providing religious programs to outlying churches, \$400,000 worth of free medical and dental care was given to impoverished Mexican Indians, and over 300 Bible studies were given last year through the efforts of dedicated students and faculty.

No one knows how many studies and programs were given by students on an individual, unofficial basis, but incomplete figures of the medical evangelism committee indicate that the official total for the present year will far exceed last year's report.

Weekends regularly find several "program teams" traveling to provide Missionary Volunteer and Sabbath school programs and Sabbath morning worship services at remote Southern California churches. Teams are complete with speakers, musicians, and first-person mission stories. Aside from churches, groups also fill requests for programs and health lectures at schools, evangelistic meetings, and service clubs.

All benefits of the accelerated student evangelism program are not external. Indeed, many observers within the College have noted increased interest in missions programs and fresh zeal in evangelistic activity among the students themselves. Some even see the beginning of a new era of CME service to the church and the world.

"Those prophets of gloom foreseeing a future devoid of CME graduates aflame for God," a faculty member predicts with grim confidence, "will have their eyes opened after we send out this crop."

Persons better acquainted with student dedication need not even wait.

Physician in Charge

CONGO—Dr. Marlowe H. Schaffner, CME '46, and his family were among those recently evacuated from the troubled Congo area.

Formerly director of the Songa Mission, Dr. Schaffner has returned to the area so as to be of service as conditions permit.

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Dental Health Habits Taught to Children

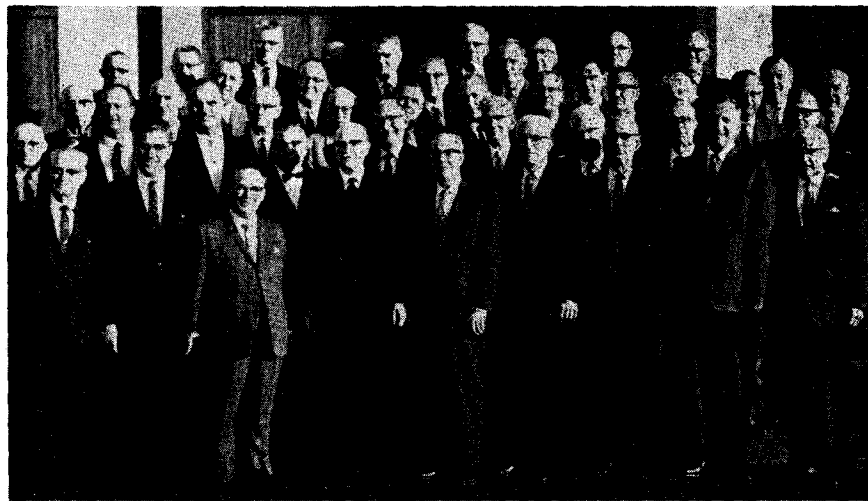
Elementary schools in the area of CME's Loma Linda campus may now take advantage of yet another free health service of the College.

Teams of dental hygiene students visit classrooms upon request, make a survey of the children's dental health, and give a short talk and demonstration of good dental health habits. The talks are carefully planned to suit the level of understanding for the children of each class.

"Dental health is an important part of general health," reason the program's directors. "And it is entirely within the spirit of the CME motto—'To Make Man Whole'—that children, too, should benefit by our endeavor."

Teachers' interest in the program is encouraged by annual Dental Health Education conventions to which all teachers from surrounding areas are invited.

CME works toward greater service to God and Church.



CHURCH LEADERS ON CME BOARD—Responsible for the progress of the College and its medical evangelistic program is the Board of Trustees. Members include General Conference representatives, union conference presidents, and other leaders.

Mission Fields Boast

135 CME Graduates

AROUND THE WORLD—One hundred thirty-five graduates of the School of Medicine at CME remain at their posts in the mission fields today, in spite of the fact that explosive conditions around the world have caused many of their number to be called home.

These men serve in the great traditions of the living and dead of CME's graduates who were there before them. Men such as Dr. Roy B. Parsons, who has been since 1931, a medical missionary to Bongo Mission Hospital, Lepi, Angola, Portuguese West Africa.

He is a dedicated missionary, giving himself quietly and unselfishly.

Knowing that he would never be allowed to leave again, he recently chose to return to his work in Africa, rather than to remain at home where he could have built a substantial practice for retirement.

Men such as Dr. George H. Rue, Sr., who has been a medical missionary to Korea since 1929 (except 1941-46). He founded the Seoul Hospital, the Seoul Orphanage, and the Pusan Hospital-Clinic.

He was awarded the Korean Medal of Honor and is called "the greatest living missionary" by the Koreans.



These were the scenes in Mexico as CME served persons in need.



"Operation Friendship" in Mexico

For three summers selected CME students and faculty have participated in "Operation Friendship," a mission to southern Mexico to bring medical and dental care to persons in need.

Serving as a training program for future missionaries, the Mexico trip this past year was an invigorating experience for everyone. Nearly 1000 dental patients were treated and over 1000 medical patients were seen. Totals were impressive—2247 extractions alone.

Notes one student, "We took advantage of the opportunity to teach the people a few of the simple but fundamental ways to better Christian living, such as the uses of pure, fresh water and where to obtain it, and the necessity of eating a variety of foods for better health . . ."

These students and faculty members are dedicated to the highest standards of service of the College. In their words, "Truly, the most important gift is a portion of thyself."

New Program in Health Education

Teachers, ministers, nurses, and a wide variety of other workers may be eligible for admission to a program of study leading to the Master of Science degree in health education being offered at CME for the first time in September. The degree is earned through the School of Graduate Studies upon completion of work under the direction of the Division of Public Health and Preventive Medicine.

Objectives of the course are development of a fundamental knowledge of health principles, acquisition of skills in the prevention of disease, and attainment of proficiency in the instruction of healthful living practices.

By no means restricted to persons planning service in foreign missions, the course will be of great value to laymen, teachers, and evangelists, according to its director, Harold N. Mozar, M.D.

"It is hoped that persons completing this training will have a basis for working with people of varying educational and social backgrounds, both at home and abroad," comments Dr. Mozar.

Information regarding prerequisites and other details of the new program are available upon request to the Chairman, Graduate Committee of Health Education, College of Medical Evangelists, Loma Linda, California.

Students Attending CME Come From Many Places

UNITED NATIONS—CME is a miniature United Nations. Students not only come from nearly every state in the United States, but from about 30 foreign countries.

The largest group of students is from the Far East, although countries represented range from Australia to Vietnam alphabetically. China, Thailand, Hong Kong, Indonesia, India, Java, Japan, Korea, Malaya, Singapore, and Taiwan are among the Far Eastern resident addresses listed.

In recent years more and more students have come to CME from overseas. This is a good trend, because as troubled conditions prevail in the newly nationalistic countries only native medical personnel are able to accomplish their mission.

Explosive situations in many countries have forced missionaries from the United States home. Students from these areas, trained at CME, will be able to carry on the work.



Test tubes make fine whistles as demonstrated by CME faculty member to these young Chiapas natives.

SDA Physician on "HOPE"

DJKARTA, INDONESIA—One of the 63 physician specialists aboard the hospital ship HOPE is Dr. Theodore Bergman, a urologist from the School of Medicine at CME.

Dr. Bergman is the first Seventh-day Adventist physician to serve on the U.S.S. HOPE. He comes from a missionary family, as his brother, the late Dr. George Bergman, founded the medical work in Ethiopia.

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Students Spend Summer in Laos

MUONG SING, LAOS—Two CME students from the School of Medicine spent six weeks of their summer vacation in a mission hospital that has had all of America talking at times.

Don Webster and Ted Olson spent those weeks working in the MEDICO station established by the late Dr. Tom Dooley in Laos. Why did these students go to Laos? Because of the renown of Dr. Dooley? Perhaps the fact he has been in the news made the details of his program more readily available, but the underlying reasons are in the highest tradition of CME.

As Don put it, "We wanted to go to Laos to see how a self-supporting mission program operates. You see, we would like to set up such a program of our own after we have finished our formal medical studies."

Neither of these young men is a stranger to mission work—both were born overseas, Ted in Japan, and Don in Africa. They believe they could set up a mission program on a self-supporting basis, and perhaps three physicians could rotate at manning it.

The young men sum up their experiences by saying, "You see those poor folks and realize that before medical help was available there, they just died. We—that is, the hospital—were saving lives every day. It was a good feeling, knowing that you were doing something no one else was around to do."



These youngsters are typical of those aided by CME graduates everywhere.

GC Sets CME Offering for Sabbath, April 8

On Sabbath, April 8, the annual CME offering will be collected in the churches of North America.

Needless to say, this offering is vital to the growth and progress of the College of Medical Evangelists—the institution providing health education workers for the world field.

CME Enrollment Exceeds 975 Students

Current CME enrollment at CME totals 982 students.

Following is a breakdown of fields of study: Dentistry, 227; Medicine, 378; Nursing, 174; Graduate studies (including Dietetics, Nursing, Basic Science, Dentistry and Medicine), 85; Occupational Therapy, 6; Physical Therapy, 65; Medical Technology, 15; Dental Hygiene, 23; and X-ray Technology, 9.

Graduate Serves in High U.S. Post

WASHINGTON—The Executive Director of Dependents Medical Care of the Office of the Surgeon General is Brigadier General Floyd L. Wergeland.

General Wergeland is a 1932 graduate of the School of Medicine at the College of Medical Evangelists. He has rendered distinguished service to the government and the denomination, particularly during wartime.

He has been decorated by his own government and the governments of Sweden, Korea, and Nationalist China.

Nicaraguan President Opens New Hospital

LA TRINIDAD—President don Luis Somoza, of Nicaragua, recently assisted in the dedication of the new \$125,000 hospital in La Trinidad.

Dr. Fred B. Moor, Jr., CME '53 currently on leave to take further medical studies, is the founder and administrator of the institution. In his absence, Dr. William Shea, CME '58, is acting administrator.

In addition to the President of Nicaragua the ambassador of the United States, the Honorable Thomas Whelan, attended the ceremonies.

The 22-bed hospital has facilities for X-ray, physical therapy, emergency service, and laboratories. It also has its own power plant, housing, shop, laundry, and is on 16 acres of land. The 8,000 square-foot structure would have cost much more in the U.S.

Dr. Moor and his family attended the ceremonies and will return at the conclusion of his residency program.



Dr. Fred B. Moor, Jr., watches as the President of Nicaragua unveils the front of the hospital building in La Trinidad.

Mrs. Sutherland Is 90

M. Bessie DeGraw Sutherland, one of the co-founders of Madison College, spent her ninetieth birthday at her home on the campus where she has lived for the past 56 years.

Born in Binghamton, New York, January 13, 1871, she has spent most of her adult life in educational work, teaching four years each at Walla Walla and Battle Creek colleges, three years at Emmanuel Missionary College, and many years at Madison College. At one time she was educational secretary in the Lake Union Conference.

Mary Bessie DeGraw's mother died when she was eight years old. As her father tried to find a boarding home for his daughter, he was directed to the only Adventist in Trenton, Missouri, Mrs. Marion Stowell Truesdale. She said she would not take the child unless she could adopt her, but when she heard that Mr. DeGraw then put his daughter in a Catholic convent, Mrs. Truesdale took her into her home without adoption.

Mrs. Sutherland was a pioneer in the church school movement in the denomination and was the first woman teacher among Seventh-day Adventists to have specialized training in the field of teaching.



Mrs. Sutherland

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She was also a writer. Before she began teaching, she was associated with Elder S. N. Haskell in the writing of his book on *Daniel and Revelation*. She also worked with Dr. Sutherland in the writing of his books.

In 1904 she came to Madison as one of the co-founders and is now the only remaining one of the original group. She was secretary-treasurer of the Madison institution until 1947, and for many years, head of the department of education.

After spending more than 60 years teaching in Seventh-day Adventist schools, she is still an inspiration to those who are privileged to visit her in her home and listen as she recalls experiences of former days and advises and counsels. Her mind and intellect are still undimmed as she enters her tenth decade of life.

The January-April, 1961, *Home and School* magazine carries the program, "Spirit of Prophecy in the Home," by D. A. Delafield. This material is of help to all homes.

"The Adventist Church possesses no greater instrument to consolidate family life in love and truth than these Spirit of prophecy books." The very titles of these books indicate the valuable help they are in building a good home—*The Adventist Home*, *Child Guidance*, *Counsels to Parents*, *Education*, *Ministry of Healing*, etc.

"The presence of Christ in the family makes the difference between success and failure in good family relations and in strong and abiding influences. . . . We must have Jesus in the home if we would have happy homes. . . . The Spirit of prophecy in the home is Jesus testifying in the home, and happy are those families who obey God's commands and adhere to the 'testimony of Jesus.'"

It helps us to study the kind of homes we want. The instruction is given in a kind, understandable, practical positive manner that brings courage to all who are striving to build a good Christian home.

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Invest for Security

By R. H. ADAIR

In these perplexing days we are often reminded of the many statements of Scripture which are being fulfilled so accurately in the events that are taking place around us. Surely these are days, for instance, when "men's hearts are failing them for fear."

As human beings we tend to allow our minds to dwell upon the untoward conditions that exist and rightly refer to them as events that are fulfilling Bible prophecy. God through His word has been good to those who believe, and truly we do not need to "walk in darkness."

There is, however, a wider vista that the Lord would have us enter. The days ahead are to be the greatest days for God's people—days that are to lead into eternity and the fulfillment of many of the great and precious promises relating to the deliverance of God's people and the future life in His kingdom.

One of the most definite prophecies which is being fulfilled in this our day is that found in Matthew 24:14: "This gospel of the kingdom shall be preached in all the world for a witness unto all nations; and then shall the end come." The gospel is being preached in all the world, but so much more needs to be done before the work can be considered finished.

Today is our day of opportunity for as Jesus said, "The night cometh when no man can work." We have witnessed the closing of some lands for the proclamation of the message, and in these days the "King's business requireth haste."

We have opportunities in our Sabbath schools, and in other ways to give financial support to the promulgation of the message in other lands. To supplement these resources and to provide that "little extra" which is so much needed in the mission fields of the world, our members have for many years participated in what we all know as the Sabbath School Investment Plan.

The Sabbath School Department is planning to make 1961 a big year for Investment. The goal is to encourage the participation of the Sabbath school

membership in the Investment Plan, suggesting that the school financial goal be based on an average of \$3 to \$5 per member.

We should like to bring before our members at this time the great need in the mission fields and of the great privilege of "investing" through the Sabbath School Investment Plan during this year 1961.

Worth of an Idea

What wouldn't the world give for an idea that would lead to the conquest of cancer? or one that would lessen world tension? or another that would correct economic uncertainties and assure everybody peace of mind as well as a full dinnerpail?

But as fantastic as it may seem, an idea will be the main ingredient in the solution of every one of these big problems. Wise the man who steps forward with the long-sought idea. Of course, it will have to be good, but some day that man may appear.

He may not ask for pay. The world may not even be grateful, but in time his name will be honored. Men will recognize the value of his idea and wonder why they had not thought of it before.

That's the way men fight crop and human disease, or produce an article that gets to a lucrative market first, or see value in an invention that changes industry and makes them immensely wealthy.

Ideas have consequences. Think of great gospel ideas such as: "The just shall live by faith;" "If we confess our sins, He is . . . just to forgive us;" "This gospel . . . shall be preached . . . and then shall the end come;" "I can do all things through Christ."

And ideas help men to mount obstacles. They produce conviction, driving power, and sustaining strength. Ideas dissolve barriers, shorten the way to worthy goals, and avoid the expensive trial-and-error method.

Ideas enrich the mind. They often cost little more than the effort to find and assimilate them. The experience, skill, and thought of the masters are the possession of those who read the right books and learn how to select the best ideas. Character itself is a combination of approved ideas put into practice.

One good idea can in time transform a life. It can make an ordinary man extraordinary. He will succeed where uncertainty and inexperience earlier neutralized his best efforts. With

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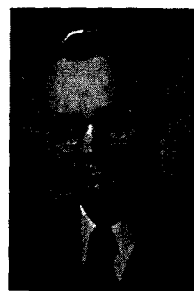
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The Sabbath School Department

By S. S. WILL, *Sabbath School Secretary*
Southern Union Conference

THE Sabbath School Department of your denomination has a very interesting history. Parents and adults who had embraced the doctrines were very thoroughly convinced of their logic and believed it to be the truth, but little was being done for the children and youth. These youth were really a heart burden to the pioneer workers.



S. S. Will

James White had prepared some Sabbath School lessons for the children. These first lessons were written by him while en route from Rochester, New York, to Bangor, Maine. After eating lunch and while "Old Charlie," his faithful old horse, rested Elder White used the bottom of his lunch basket for a table. The lessons were printed in the new publication, *The Youth's Instructor*. In 1852 he was urging the parents to establish Sabbath Schools, even if there were only two or three attending in a place.

The earliest, regularly-organized Sabbath School of which we have any record was held in Rochester, New York, in 1853. There was no quarterly for the adults, so they studied such books as *The History of the Sabbath* and *Thoughts on Daniel*. By 1877 state Sabbath School associations were being organized, and the next year a general Sabbath School association was formed. The name was changed later to "International Sabbath School Association." In 1901 the General Conference Sabbath School Department, as it is known today, was organized.

At that time consideration was given to offerings, and a resolution was passed asking that both teachers and pupils contribute one penny or more each Sabbath. The first gift to missions through the Sabbath School was made in 1885. All Sabbath Schools were

urged to make larger gifts in 1887, and a total of \$10,615 was given that year toward opening our first mission station in Africa. The next 73 years brought about tremendous growth in our Sabbath Schools. Millions of dollars have been sent for overseas mission work in addition to that which has been used in America. Over \$5,000,000 have been given to missions through the Sabbath Schools in North America annually. Some 22,015 Sabbath Schools were being conducted weekly around the world last year, and the membership at the end of 1959 was 1,585,879.

The objectives of the Sabbath School Department are summed up in six phrases:

1. Every believer a member of the Sabbath School.
2. Daily study of the Sabbath School lesson.
3. Every member present and on time every Sabbath.
4. Personal work for every pupil.
5. Soul winning in the Sabbath School and reaching out into new areas through branch Sabbath Schools and Sunday Schools.
6. Liberal gifts to missions.

In our Southern Union territory we have 478 organized Sabbath Schools with a membership of 41,836. Through these Sabbath Schools an average of over \$12,000 is given each Sabbath for missions. In 1960 we had a total of 187 branch Sabbath Schools, the largest number of any union in North America; and we conducted 103 Vacation Bible Schools. A number of new churches were organized last year



resulting from this branch Sabbath School work. Along with this, many others were baptized who are now a part of the regular Sabbath School membership.

Our special objectives for 1961 are:

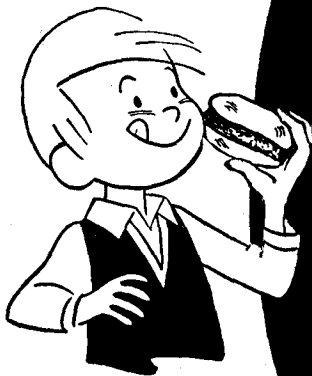
1. Total membership. Every church member a Sabbath School member.
2. Increase the attendance at Sabbath School. A special attendance check sheet has been prepared, and as Sabbath School councils give study to this, they will give special attention to those who are habitually absent.
3. Conduct teacher-training classes in every Sabbath School in the union.
4. Establish teams in each conference composed of laymen who have specialized in the various divisions to give instruction to the leaders and associates of these divisions within the conference.
5. Conduct at least one branch Sabbath School for each parent Sabbath School and work toward one for each senior class.
6. Foster the pastor's Bible class plan for evangelism using the new *Pastor's Sabbath School Quarterly* and urging the laity to bring relatives and neighbors to these classes.
7. To enlarge and increase our Sabbath School offerings.

The Sabbath School superintendent is the chief officer of the Sabbath School, but the Sabbath School is actually sponsored by the Sabbath School council, and this Sabbath School council ought to meet at least once each month to lay plans for the ensuing programs and, also, to adopt and give consideration to the projects as mentioned above. The new Sabbath School manual is a "must" for every efficient school. All teachers and all officers should be supplied with the *Sabbath School Worker*, and the periodicals for the children's divisions should be made available to the children.

The Sabbath School of your church is destined to be a soul-winning agency, and the officers of the school should continue to inspire and challenge the laity to participate in this form of evangelism by inviting people to come to their pastor's Bible class, by bringing children to the various divisions of the Sabbath School department, and then by following through whenever feasible and possible with Vacation Bible Schools and Branch Sabbath Schools. We are hopeful that your Sabbath School will be instrumental in increasing your church membership this year.



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A Chain Reaction

Several years ago a faithful colporteur called at the home of Mrs. James Renfro and sold her a copy of *The Drama of the Ages*. Some years later, Mr. Renfro began to read the book and his interest in the message was awakened. After prayerfully studying the Sabbath question, he became convinced of its truth and in order to keep it, gave up a lucrative position in a large dental laboratory in Louisville. He went into business for himself, refraining from Sabbath work and continuing to study.

Finally the family found its way to the Elizabethtown, Kentucky, church where they were warmly welcomed. Bible studies in the home were soon arranged and shortly thereafter, Mr. and Mrs. Renfro and their daughter were baptized.

The young couple became missionary workers even before baptism. Shortly after they had begun to receive the Bible studies, Brother Renfro bought a SAVE machine and began to give studies to other members in the family. A few months later, his sister, Mrs. Walter Corum, and her two older daughters were also baptized. There are others in the family for whom they are still working and praying.

The Corum and Renfro families have been a source of inspiration to the Elizabethtown church. They drive over 70 miles every Sabbath in order to attend Sabbath school and church and come frequently to midweek prayer meeting. During the Vacation Bible School, they came daily, bringing a station wagon load of children. They were faithful in the Ingathering campaign, all the adults and children being Vanguard members. In one afternoon, 5-year old Jimmy Renfro solicited \$25.60 and 4-year old Pamela Corum received \$18.75.

Let us continue to arise and work for the fields are white for the harvest.

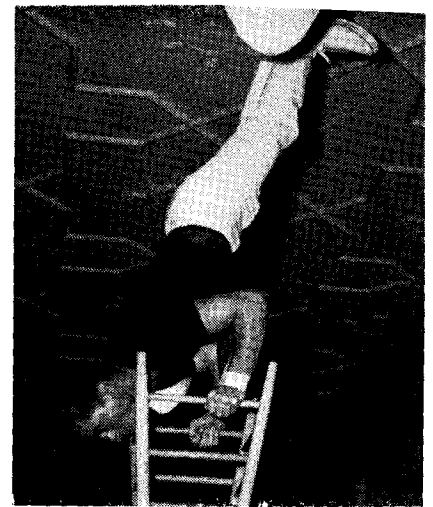
Highland Rallies

Highland Academy wants the people of Kentucky-Tennessee to become acquainted with its school: the scholastic, spiritual and recreational programs. This is why a group of students and faculty members have been touring the conference, visiting the central areas and holding youth-education

rallies. Capacity crowds have enjoyed these rallies at Louisville, Nashville, Covington and Memphis, with plans in progress for spring rallies at Leach and Lexington.

These programs include youth symposiums and panel discussions, special music—both a secular and a sacred concert by the boys' and girls' tumbling teams. School officials accompanying the group are Principal H. D. Lawson; Elder Preston Wallace, music director; Elder R. M. Hillier, academy Bible instructor; and John Durichek, team coach.

W. E. DOPP
Youth Leader



Charles Pillsbury, Sarasota, Florida, does his breath-taking high-balance act at Covington Rally.



Highland Academy Choir sings "This Is My Country," while the Medical Cadet Color Guard stand at attention, during the Youth-Education Rally at Covington, Kentucky.



Standing, left to right, back row: Kenny, Danny, Darlene (front) and Janice Corum; Mrs. Walter Corum; James Renfro; Mrs. Renfro; Darlene Renfro. In front: Pamela Corum and Jimmy Renfro.

New Colporteur Leader

Recently the Conference Committee extended a call to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ruba and family of Sacramento, California, to join us in the expansion of the literature ministry here in Kentucky-Tennessee.

Brother Ruba has been a very successful literature evangelist for the past two years, delivering over \$50,000 worth of our truth-filled literature during 1959 and 60. We are happy that they have accepted this call and will be locating in the Memphis area.

Great things are happening in Kentucky-Tennessee, and we are hoping that many more church members will join us in working for souls the colporteur way. If you are interested, please contact your publishing department secretary.

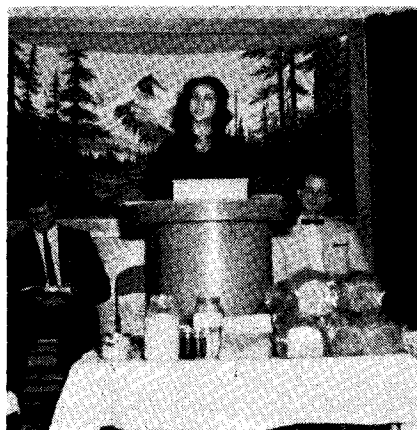
L. G. WHITTEN



Walter Ruba and Family

Unusual Evangelism

A rather different type of evangelistic series was recently completed in Du-



Miss Pat Batchelor, elementary education student from Florida, speaks on "What Christ Has Done for Me" at Dupontonia meeting.

pontonia, Tennessee, when students from Madison College teamed with doctors from Madison Hospital in a highly successful effort. An overflow audience heard Drs. R. R. Bowes, G. H. Johnson, P. H. Webber, Jean Slate, J. C. Gant and J. C. Trivett speak on such subjects as cancer, care of the teeth, child training and nutrition.

After the medical program each night, a student spoke, bringing inspiring messages on such subjects as "What Christ Has Done for Me"; "Signs of Christ's Soon Coming"; "Heaven"; etc.

Indian Creek Camp

We are already busy formulating plans for the finest season yet at Indian Creek Camp. We have sched-

uled seven official camps, and requests for reservations are pouring in from many smaller groups. Among the new camps this year will be a camp for senior youth, one for under-privileged children, and another for handicapped children. In addition to these are the regular junior youth camps and the retreat for our doctors and ministers.

We feel that our camp is filling a vital place in the development of our youth in these critical days. Any sacrifice that we can make for our boys and girls will have rich and eternal rewards. Construction is forging ahead on the buildings at the camp grounds. Our greatest need is a dining room which we expect to build for about \$10,000, and we must depend upon *you* for these funds.

"One warm Sabbath day in mid-summer, Leonora, a four-year old Mexican girl, attended Sabbath School with her mother. As they had driven a long way in the hot sun, she soon

fell asleep. She slept during all of Sabbath School and through the whole church service, and awoke with a start as the closing hymn ended. Looking around and realizing that she had missed Sabbath School and church, she began to cry. Her mother tried to console her in Spanish, but to no avail. Sobbingly, Leonora said, 'O Mother, it's all over and time to go home and I've still got my offering!' She held up her little brown hand and showed three nickels."

One day it *will* all be over and it will be time to "go home." What a tragedy if we still have our offering—something that we might have given for the salvation of our youth! Below is a pledge card which may be used for your convenience in making possible the building of Indian Creek Camp. Remember that now is the time for us to do what we hope to do for our young people.

W. E. DOPP, Youth Leader

KENTUCKY-TENNESSEE CONFERENCE

Indian Creek Youth Camp

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South Atlantic

Rally, Celebration

The regional Seventh-day Adventist churches of the Lakeland, Florida, district—Winter Haven, Bartow, Plant City and Lakeland—met together in the Lakeland church, 1051 North Missouri Avenue, for a big Temperance Day rally and also to celebrate their district Ingathering victory for 1961.

Elder C. C. Cunningham, secretary of the Temperance Department of the South Atlantic Conference, was guest speaker for the occasion. The Lord delivered a powerful message through him at the eleven o'clock hour. He used as a basis of his message I Corinthians 9:25-27 calling specific attention to the 25th verse: "And every man that striveth for the mastery is temperate in all things. . . ." He used as his subject "Temperance in Preparing to Meet the Lord" from which he admonished his audience to abstain from the use of all alcoholic beverages—whisky, wine, beer—and all cola drinks, commercial tea and coffee, also narcotics. Elder Cunningham also pointed out the physical and spiritual harm done to the body by the use of tobacco in all forms—especially in smoking.

"If we are going to be ready to meet Jesus when He comes, we must now lay aside every sinful habit that we might have a clear understanding of what Jesus is calling us to do and do the same with a fully surrendered life to Him."

The afternoon session convened at 4 P.M. with Elder B. H. Ewing as master of ceremonies. At this time, certain representatives present from the churches of the district gave helpful temperance renditions in the form of readings, speeches and an oration from their respective churches.

After Elder Cunningham had given instructions about the duties of a chapter and on promoting temperance in the local churches, he made an earnest and solemn appeal for those who were willing to practice temperance. Every member present signed the pledge, thus vowing to never use the body-destroying agencies about which they had been warned in the messages of the day.

Ingathering Victory. In the ten-minute missionary meeting that morning, special attention was called to the fact that the Lakeland district churches were concluding their Ingathering



Representatives from the Lakeland, Florida, district churches as they gathered in Lakeland for a Temperance Rally and an Ingathering Victory celebration.

work that week end with all the churches victory churches.

All of the minute members of the district present came to the rostrum and received their conference minuteman buttons. Brother E. J. Lewis, local elder of the Lakeland church, received two buttons because he raised \$205, the largest amount among the members of the district. Sister Squire, Lakeland church treasurer, and Sister Gary, missionary secretary, raised about \$51 each. Sisters Hankinson, Cannoty and others went over the Minuteman goal.

The events of the day were concluded with an enjoyable social at the public auditorium for the whole district where all in attendance relaxed and had a good time together. The youth and children especially had their wholesome fun in the form of marches and games.

Sister W. B. Thompson and her social committee served a delicious repast, which was appreciated by all. The Lakeland church alone was hostess of the whole day and served the visiting churches.

MRS. DOROTHY JOHNSON-HODGE
Church Press Secretary
Lakeland, Florida

Mt. Sinai Report

As per usual following the fine ministers that have passed this way in the last decade, Elder I. J. Johnson, our present pastor, has taken up the gauntlet so marvelously advanced by Elder H. M. Barker, Elder C. B. Rock and Elder J. M. Phipps.

During the more than 12 months that Elder Johnson has been in charge of this district, we have been blessed with the presence and services of several pulpiter. Among them were Elders H. M. Mouzon, associate publishing secretary; C. C. Cunningham, educational secretary; Samuel Thomas,

Sabbath school and Home Missionary secretary; and our own Elder Sandy Robinson, associate Publishing Secretary—all of the South Atlantic Conference.

We are looking forward to the finishing of our church edifice, the dedication of the church this year, the filling to overflowing of our church with consecrated souls, and the visitation of Elders J. H. Wagner, E. E. Cleveland and C. E. Moseley along with others that can come our way.

The heads of the various departments of Mount Sinai for 1961 are receiving cooperation from practically all the members. The board of elders is headed by Doctor J. Mark Cox, chairman of the medical committee at Dr. P. Phillips Memorial Hospital, where he is doing a marvelous job in surgery and spiritual uplifting of each patient. The deacon board is headed by Mr. C. Curits, Mrs. R. H. Johnson is chairman of the deaconesses; Sabbath School superintendent, Mrs. Marie Johnson; Missionary Volunteer leader, Mr. C. Anderson; Home Missionary leader, Mr. L. Keaton; Dorcas Society leader, Mrs. L. Keaton; Home and School leader, Mrs. R. McAllister; Junior Missionary leader, Mr. Ellison; clerk, Mrs. Thelma Anderson; treasurer, Mr. M. Wilson; Home Missionary secretary, Mrs. Doris Brown; Sabbath School secretary, Mrs. S. Hall; Health and Temperance leader, Nurse Agnes Harris; Men's Usher Board chairman, Mr. J. McCarthy; Women's Usher Board chairman, Mrs. M. Price.

We solicit the prayers of the saints that God will continue to bless us in accomplishing our desired goals as we patiently look forward to His soon return.

R. H. JOHNSON, Secretary
Public Relations

College Meet Set

South Lancaster, Mass.—The Eleventh Annual Intercollegiate Student Association Workshop will be held on the campus of Atlantic Union College, April 19 to 22, with delegates from eight Seventh-day Adventist colleges expected to attend. Special emphasis will be placed on "Personal Dynamics of Christian Leadership."

The first workshop was held in December, 1950, at Southern Missionary College, following the suggestion of the administrative council of the SMC Student Association and its subsequent approval by SMC officials and the Fall Council of the General Conference. Since then the workshops have rotated to each participating college and since 1958 have been held in the late spring.



Mrs. Evert E. Kuester, Kingsport, purchases a candy egg from her daughters to demonstrate how the church youth will sell the eggs from door to door. Elder A. C. Becker, district pastor, reports that the same program was conducted last year in Valdosta, Georgia, and the church received a \$400 profit.

WORTH OF AN IDEA

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confidence he is the master of circumstances.

Where can a man find such ideas? That depends on the object of his search and his own diligence. A man sees what he seeks. Men of wisdom and special talent have enriched the world of ideas with their books. To share their mind treasure is to become rich indeed.

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Capitalize your spare moments by study according to a plan.

W. HOMER TEESDALE, *President*
Home Study Institute



Dr. J. P. Dietrich, a McMinnville Adventist physician, receives a scrapbook which tells his life story and contains messages from friends and co-workers through the years. It was presented during an MV program at the local church by Mrs. Homer Dever, program director. With them are Mrs. Dietrich and Pastor Ray Russell.

Collegedale News

Colporteur Institute

The annual Colporteur Institute on the campus of SMC was conducted February 21-23 under the direction of Elders D. A. McAdams of the General Conference, Eric Ristau from the Southern Union, and the field secretaries of the local conferences. Student interest in the summer canvassing program is keen, and the college has high hopes for the scholarship potential and soul-winning endeavors of its students in the Southern Union this summer.

Courtesy Week

Guest speaker for the annual Courtesy Week was former dean, Rachel Christman. The activities were culminated with a Valentine Day banquet with the crowning of Ollie Mae Metts and Ronnie Watson as Courtesy Queen and King of the campus. Miss Christman was formerly dean of Southern Junior College and for a number of years of Emmanuel Missionary College.

Amateur Program

The annual Amateur Program of the Student Association was presented February 25 in the College auditorium with the theme "Land of Dreams." The prizes were given by the College Industries, King's Bakery, and Sanborn Spring Company. Many out-of-town guests came up from Dalton at the conclusion of the youth rally which had been held there during the Sabbath of February 25.

Fine Arts Series

The cultural emphasis of the Fine Arts Series on this campus has made a genuine contribution this year. Dr. Morris Taylor, chairman of the Fine Arts Division, has obtained an excellent variety of musical programs for the series, and in connection with each has arranged for an exhibit of art work by a prominent local artist. Miss Nellie Jo Patterson, instructor in art at SMC, has collaborated in this latter project.

History of SMC

The College Board has approved the printing of 500 copies of the first issue of the History of SMC currently being written by Mrs. Elva B. Gardner, former registrar of the college. It is expected that the first issue will be available for the Alumni Homecoming, October 14, 1961.

Senior Placements

John Lonberg to be 7th grade teacher in the Greater Miami Academy for the school year 1961-62.

Sylvia O'Brien to be organ and piano teacher at Highland Academy beginning in September, 1961.

Ward Oliver as a graduate student at the University of Florida with an assistantship in the department of chemistry.

CME Acceptances

Seven young men from Southern Missionary College have been accepted by Loma Linda for the fall term in medicine. This group includes five seniors from the class of '61: Orville Swarner, Tommy Hines, Julius Garner, Dick Toler, and Vernon Wagner. Two former graduates: John Bottsford, Jr. (class of '57) and La Don Homer (class of '57) have also been accepted. Bottsford, who formerly majored in Religion, will graduate this May with a major in Biology.

Faculty Promotions

The annual Board of Southern Missionary College promoted six members of the faculty to higher academic rank. Mrs. Dorothy Christensen in now associate professor of Home Economics; Miss Thelma Hemme, assistant professor of Home Economics; Gordon M. Hyde, associate professor of Communications; H. H. Kuhlman, professor of Biology; Wayne VandeVere, associate professor of Business Administration; and Dr. Morris Taylor now professor of Music.

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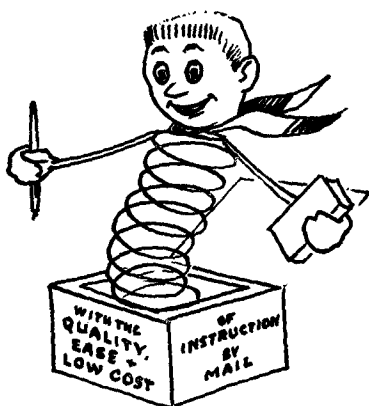
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	Mar. 31	Apr. 7	Apr. 14	Apr. 21
Atlanta, Georgia	6:58	7:03	7:08	7:14
Birmingham, Alabama	6:07	6:12	6:17	6:23
Charlotte, North Carolina	6:43	6:49	6:54	7:00
Collegedale, Tennessee	7:01	7:07	7:12	7:18
Huntsville, Alabama	6:06	6:12	6:17	6:23
Louisville, Kentucky	6:05	6:11	6:18	6:24
Memphis, Tennessee	6:20	6:26	6:31	6:37
Meridian, Mississippi	6:14	6:19	6:23	6:28--
Nashville, Tennessee	6:08	6:14	6:19	6:25
Orlando, Florida	6:42	6:46	6:50	6:54
Wilmington, North Carolina	6:32	6:37	6:42	6:48

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GRIST MILL: Our training school in Puerto Rico is in need of a grist mill for grinding wheat and other grains. Anyone having a mill in good condition, who would be willing to donate it to the mission program, please contact the Inter-American Division, Box 760, Miami 34, Florida. (6-8)

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NORTHERN NEW ENGLANDERS: We need your help to finish the work in the East. Parkview Memorial Hospital, a new 35-bed hospital, (opened July, 1959) is in need of SDA registered nurses for supervisory duty. Hospital full most of the time. Active church and school. One hundred acres acquired for regional grade school. Fund raising program under way. Applications for other work also invited for future openings. For additional information write to Harry E. Clough, administrator, Parkview Memorial Hospital, Brunswick, Maine. (7)

HEAD X-RAY TECHNICIAN. Attractive opportunity in a busy well-equipped X-ray department for a well-qualified X-ray technician with supervisory capabilities. Excellent denominational educational facilities are available. Cultural and historic center at the nation's capital. Send complete resume of experience with recent photo to George Innocent, M. D., Radiologist, Washington Sanitarium and Hospital, Takoma Park 12, D. C. (6-9)

WE ARE JUST 7 MINUTES from Forest Lake Academy. Hundreds of men's suits \$29.95 or less. Values to \$60.00. Sizes 35-54. Regulars, shorts, longs, stouts, etc. Hundreds of ladies', children's clothing and men's wear, all at below retail prices. Open Sunday through Thursday 9 to 7, Friday 9 to 5. Closed Friday night and Saturday. Hutchins Clothing Center, Corner 17-92 and Rt. 436, Fern Park, Fla. (14n)

FOR SALE: MOTEL—Four unit, furnished. On new 4-lane highway. Plus living quarters, garden space. Mile from large shopping center. Two miles from Adventist church and hospital. Ideal for retired couple. Recently re-financed. \$11,000 cash and assume mortgage \$126 monthly payments. Dewey Kirkham, 2533 Perry Highway, Tallahassee, Florida. (4-7)

EXTRA CASH IN MINUTES: Make 50% profit and more, selling cuff link tie bar sets which sell themselves. Cost \$.40 each retail \$.89, profit \$.49 on each set. Sets can be sold for a dollar or more. Send one dollar for two samples. \$4.80 per dozen. John Collins, Oakwood College, Huntsville, Alabama. (7)

FOR SALE: Residential building lots in view of Bass Memorial Academy. Varied size lots and building locations in beautiful Pine Crest Acres subdivision. Improvements include public roads, natural gas, R.E.A., and phones, with moderate building restrictions. Church school in operation within walking distance. Mack Avery, Route 2, Purvis, Mississippi. Phone: SW 4-2307. (7-12)

FOR SALE: Two adjoining lots of approx. 1/2 acre each. Will sell one or both. These lots are located within walking distance of Southern Missionary College on Apison Pike, and are very desirable building sites. Call or write, H. E. Rideout, Collegedale, Tenn. Phone EX 6-3071. (7)

BOOKS WANTED: SDA Books, all kinds. E. G. White, any condition. Church history, medical (live topics), astronomy, good poetry, current religious issues. Fair prices for salable books. What have you, please write. Helen's Choice Books, Box 218, Forest Grove, Oregon. (7)

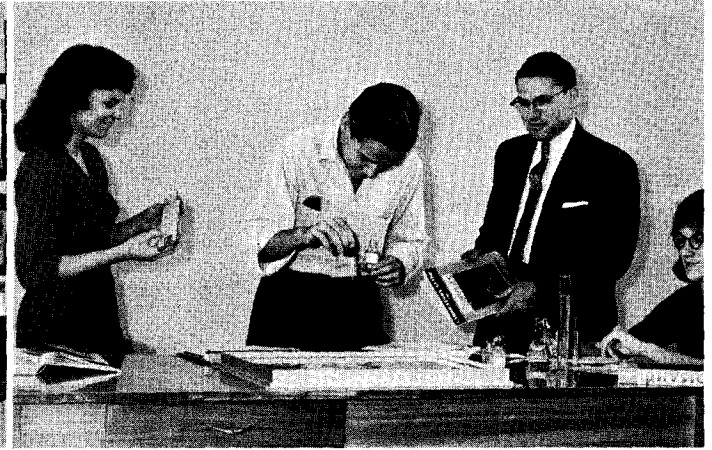
FOR SALE: Three bedroom house with hardwood floors, glass-jaled breezeway, garage, tile patio. Near Florida Sanitarium. One block from church school. M. L. Walker, 35 E. Hazel Avenue, Orlando, Florida—Telephone GA 5-9904. (6-8)

Greater Miami Academy

In the latter half of its first year of operation as a twelve-grade day academy, the Greater Miami Academy is alive with activity, some of which is portrayed in the accompanying pictures.



Professor Lester Stannard, principal



Left, the library, action center of the students' study program. Right, in the laboratory, study sometimes is almost play. Prof. Everette Erskine directs an experiment for measuring molecular thickness by the oil drop method in a ripple tank. (The same equipment is used in studying wave motion.)



Left, measuring the focal length of a lens by projection of the image of a battery operated light. Right, radio class. Students learn Morse code, prepare to qualify for the amateur radio operator's license, learn the simple theories of tube circuits and build various detector circuits.

Home economics laboratory, under Mrs. Don Koester. They have made bread, pies and have prepared full practice meals. They also study grooming, proper principles of dress and care of the hair. They have participated in the feeding of large groups.

The G. M. A. Band. Mr. Charles Knight began the development of this band about three years ago. It has participated in the Florida Conference church school music festivals, and has performed in various public functions. The band now has about 50 members.



Your Call to Mission Service

By L. H. PITTON

HAVE you been impressed that God is calling you to service in this last hour of earth's history? If you have, you are not alone. Men and women in all walks of life are being urged by the Spirit of God to take up His cross and "follow me." The hour is late and there is much to do. Is His Spirit speaking to you?

A young physician and his wife were impressed with the great need for laborers in the Lord's vineyard and felt that they were not doing all they could or should. While I was visiting recently in their home, the wife asked me, "Do you know of a physician who would like to establish a good practice in a small town?" As I am always looking for good openings for our CME physicians and dentists I immediately wanted to know where the location was. Instead of giving me a direct answer she asked: "Do you suppose someone would like to come here?"

"Is your husband looking for a partner?" I asked, becoming more and more curious as the conversation progressed.

"No," she replied. "It's true, he's too busy, but we have been thinking about going to the mission field."

"I think you have been doing a wonderful job right here in the Carolina mission field," I countered, "and we surely need your help. Why are you thinking of overseas missions?"

"Well," she confided, "we have been doing quite a little talking and praying about it, and we wonder if the Lord couldn't use us to greater advantage in an overseas mission than He can here. It doesn't seem that we have been able to do very much during the past five years we have been here. And the needs of the foreign fields seem so great."

During the past five years, this physician and his wife, with another lay couple, have been largely responsible for organizing a church and a church school, and building a church and school building that is free from debt. And this in a county that was a "dark county" until they moved in. I pointed this out as being quite an accomplishment in so short a time.

"Yes, I know," she said, "but we don't seem to be able to win many converts from the local area. Time is so short that we wonder if the Lord can't use us to greater advantage in foreign mission work."

She then cited the experience of a doctor friend of theirs who recently gave up a huge practice, his lovely home and a sizable

bank savings, placing it in the Lord's work and going to the mission field. This had made a real impression on her and her husband.

"We feel the Lord has something that we need to do for Him in the little time that is left and thought that someone else, who would not go to the mission field, could carry on what we are doing here, and we perhaps should go where some are unwilling to go."

I commended this young doctor's wife and her husband for such a willing spirit to be used of God. I know that there are many others throughout the Carolinas and the Southern Union that are equally as dedicated, and we thank God for them. I assured this young mother that the Carolina Conference was happy to have been able to supply the foreign mission field with some of the best of our workers, both ministers and physicians. One physician is under appointment at the present time.

"We here in the Carolina Conference want you and your husband to do just whatever you feel the Lord is calling you to do," I told her. "I do want you to realize, however, that there is a tremendous work that we must do right here in the mission field at home before the Lord can come. We need missionaries in the Southland, else the work will be finished overseas before it is finished here in America!"

Sister White clearly points out the great need of workers here in the South. In a vision she had in regard to this she says, "Then he who has authority arose, and called upon all to give heed to the instruction that the Lord has given in regard to the work in the South. He said: 'Much more evangelistic work should be done in the South. *There should be a hundred workers where now there is but one.*'" (*Testimonies*, Vol. 7, p. 224.)

The Southland is a great mission field with teeming thousands who have never heard the three angels' messages, nor have they ever met a Seventh-day Adventist. They too must be warned, and given the invitation to follow the Lord Jesus Christ and keep His commandments. And God is calling upon physicians and dentists, as well as other laymen, to enter into a soul-saving program that Jesus might come.

In the Carolina Conference alone there are 92 dark counties where there is no church nor an established work. Throughout the Southern Union there are many more. City after city and village after

village has not heard of the Advent message. What a challenge to every layman and every minister.

"My brethren, will you not strive with earnest effort to establish memorials for God throughout the Southern states? Churches should be built; small schools and sanitariums should be established; and the publishing interest should be strengthened." (*Testimonies*, Vol. 7, p. 235)

Here is a work that calls for the combined efforts of ministers, doctors, colporteurs and other church laymen. It is a work that is needed and called for right here in our lovely Southland.

It is a balanced mission program that Sister White calls for, and that she urges upon our members everywhere. The foreign fields are not to be promoted to the neglect of our own work here in the South, or visa versa.

"The work in foreign fields is to be carried forward earnestly and intelligently. And the work in the home field is in no wise to be neglected. Let not the fields lying in the shadow of our doors, such as the great cities in our land, be lightly passed over and neglected. *These fields are fully as important as any foreign field.*" (*Testimonies*, Vol. 8, p. 31)

"The work in the home field is a vital problem just now. The present time is the most favorable opportunity that we shall have to work these fields. In a little while the situation will be much more difficult." (*Testimonies*, Vol. 8, p. 32)

We appreciate the dedication of this physician and his wife, as well as all of our people who are willing to go wherever God needs them to help in finishing the work. But in our thinking and planning for Him, we must not overlook our first task, which perhaps is the greatest mission field we have, for—"Much remains to be done within the shadow of our doors." (*Testimonies*, Vol. 8, p. 35.) We should not neglect to take into consideration the divinely inspired instruction: "There are thousands in America perishing in ignorance and sin, and looking afar off to some distant field, those who know the truth are indifferently passing by the needy fields close to them." (*Testimonies*, Vol. 8, pp. 35, 36)

Our churches throughout the Southern Union heartily support the foreign mission program in their offerings and by sending their sons, but let us not forget that God is calling many of our people to mission service here at home.

"Wake up, wake up, my brethren and sisters, and enter the fields in America that have never been worked. After you have given something for foreign fields, do not think your duty done. There is a work to be done in foreign fields, but there is a work to be done in America that is just as important." (*Testimonies*, Vol. 8, p. 36)

May God guide our dedicated lay workers and ministers in the South, our physicians and dentists, to use their talents for His cause in the mission field that "lies within the shadow of our doors." It is here that a great work for God must be finished before Jesus can come. God needs you and will use you if you will but let Him. Your call to mission service could well be right here in the South, perhaps where you now are!