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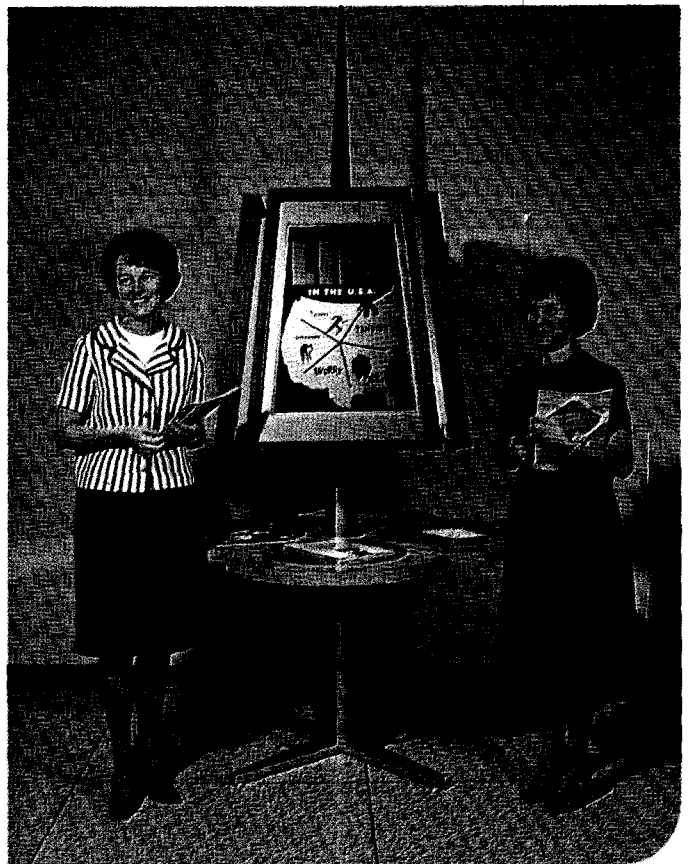
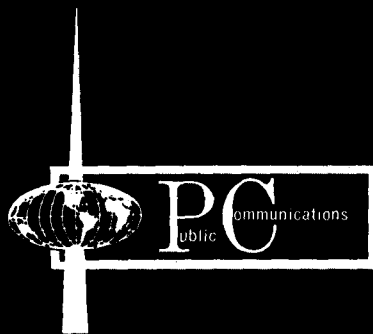
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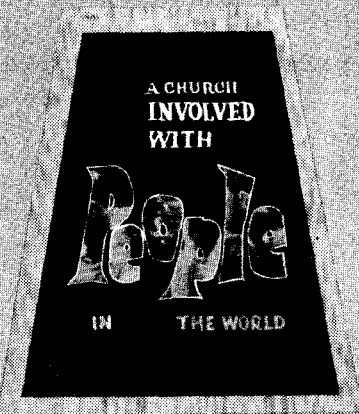
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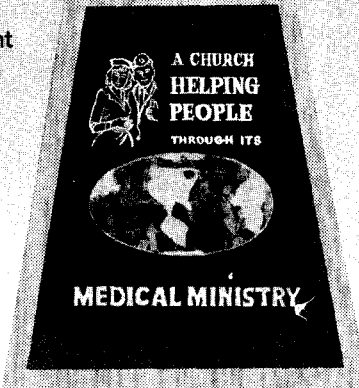
1 Seventh-day Adventists have established a world-wide corporate image by Christian service.

Plate No. 1 graphically portrays this thought with an appropriate and colorful illustration.



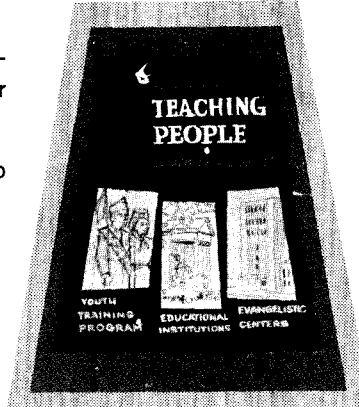
2 The church extends its "right arm" with a massive network of medical services.

Plate No. 2 vividly brings this fact into focus.



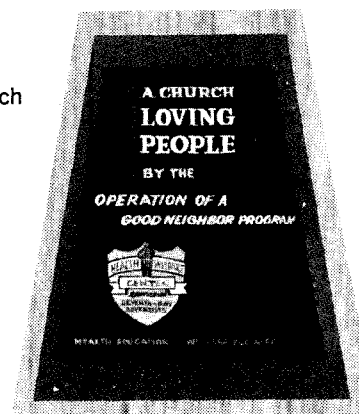
3 Seventh-day Adventists possess a great compassion for teaching truth.

Plate No. 3 calls attention to the significance of the various educational programs of the church.



4 The welfare services of the Seventh-day Adventist Church are a demonstration of love in action.

Plate No. 4 depicts the good neighbor program of the church.



Illustrated here is a set of graphics which portrays outstanding phases of the Seventh-day Adventist Church.

These plates are professionally developed and reproduced with precision for the purpose of displaying the work of the church in public places. This is typical of the graphics which are being developed to serve the various departments of the church.

Developed by the Public Relations Department of the

SOUTHERN UNION CONFERENCE

A New Display for Public Places

Seventh-day Adventists have a marvelous message that needs to be communicated to a world in need. We live in a world of speed—a world that is growing faster than the human mind can comprehend. Somehow in the hustle and bustle of everyday business and living, we must catch the eye of searching minds; we must make connection with the honest in heart. Attention-devices compete keenly with each other in today's business world. The mind of man is geared to production, research, scientific study, entertainment, travel and matters that become so involved that little time is set aside for thinking about the real source of our daily bread.

Evolving from repeated requests for methods of transmitting to the public different phases of the message of Seventh-day Adventists is a new and unique display unit just developed through the Southern Union Public Relations Department and now available through the Southern Publishing Association to conferences, Book and Bible Houses, hospitals and other institutions for use in public places. It is known as the Public Communications Display Unit and has been designed especially for use at fairs, conventions, in lobbyways, airports and any place where it will catch the eye of the passing public. The top revolves and displays four beautifully-colored graphics containing a complete message with only enough wording to call attention to the literature available on the table unit below. Each set of graphics is designed to center around one specific topic. Different subjects are available so that the unit can be frequently changed.

The constituency of the Southern Union Conference will be happy to learn that several of the conferences have purchased these units and will make them available to the local churches for their fairs during the summer months. It will be necessary to contact the local conference officers to arrange for the availability date. The unit was shown at many of the camp meetings this year and a few sets of graphics were displayed.

This PC Display Unit has been professionally designed and crafted by expert manufacturers. The graphics, likewise, are professionally produced by a very reputable company who understands Adventist work.

It is the hope of the Public Relations Department that this attractive, attention-catching unit will serve a real role in communicating the message to various publics.

OUR COVER shows the Public Communications Display Unit which has just been developed for use in public places to arrest the attention of passersby.

Through this medium of communication, it will be possible to enroll thousands in the Bible correspondence course, tell the temperance message, inform millions about our radio and television progress, arouse concern over religious liberty in America, tell the story of our welfare program, advertise truth-filled books and portray a message on any topic of general interest.

Each subject requires one set of four plates produced from photographic film. These plates set into beautiful walnut frames and are easily changed from one subject to another. The unit revolves every 60 seconds.

Plastic racks containing literature on the subject of the graphics being displayed stand on the clover-leaf table unit.

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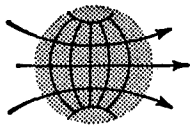
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DATELINE DATA

MADRID, SPAIN

Protestant Chapels Being Opened by Government

Nine of the seventeen chapels reopened by the Spanish Government are operated by Seventh-day Adventists. An order to reopen the churches was signed by Spain's Interior Minister, General Alosa Vega. The act was viewed as another sign of a relaxed official attitude toward the Protestant minority in Spain.

BERRIEN SPRINGS, MICHIGAN

New Acting Dean of Seminary

Dr. Earle Hilgert, professor of New Testament literature, has been appointed to serve as acting dean of the Theological Seminary at Andrews University during Dr. W. G. C. Murdoch's leave of absence.

WASHINGTON, D. C.

Funds Dedicated for Disaster Preparedness

Last year the S.D.A. Welfare Services, Inc., sent over two million dollars worth of supplies overseas. In addition, the 2,762 welfare centers and units contributed over \$200,000 for medicines and other needs to 36 countries, including Vietnam, Brazil, Transvaal, Mindanao, Pakistan, as well as in the United States.

Right-to-work Ban Carries Religious Implications

Proposed legislation to void right-to-work laws would legalize the union shop throughout the United States. Under a union shop, all employees must either join the union or lose their jobs. About 45 churches with a combined membership of four million members have religious scruples against joining unions. The right-to-work ban would force such church members to choose between the union and their job. As Adventists, we believe that members should not be required to join a union and that such steps by the government is an infringement upon religious rights.

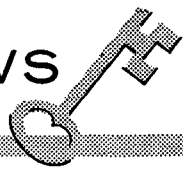
ATLANTA, GEORGIA

Faith for Today Offering

Twenty-four schools in the Southern Union participated in the 1965 Faith for Today children's offering which made possible the purchase of time on WIBS in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. This area has the fourth highest television market in North America, and the program will be featured at an excellent early Sunday afternoon spot.

MV Target Goal

The first conference in the world field to attain their 1965 MV Target goal is Carolina with 70 baptisms. Likewise, the first union in the world field to surpass its goal is the Southern Union with 448 baptisms.



ALABAMA MISSISSIPPI

EDITOR—W. D. WAMPLER

Panama City, Florida, "Homecoming Sabbath"

The Panama City, Florida, church observed "Homecoming Sabbath" on May 8. Former members of the congregation came from great distances to attend these special services.

Several former pastors were present for the occasion. These included Elders W. M. Abbott, Jr., H. V. Leggett, and W. D. Wampler. Mrs. Marye Burdick, who had served in this area as a Bible instructor, also attended.

The special services began on Friday evening with a message by the conference president, W. O. Coe. LeRoy J. Leiske, president of the Southern Union, spoke at the Sabbath morning worship hour. H. V. Leggett, pastor of the church at the time the new sanctuary was erected, was the special speaker for an afternoon service. Ford Cavanaugh, dean of boys at Forest Lake Academy in Florida, returned to Panama City, his home area, for this event and lead out in the Sabbath School lesson discussion for the entire adult Sabbath School.

A. V. Voorheis, present pastor of the church, along with his wife and the church officers had planned and worked hard to make this day the success that it was. Mrs. R. A. Simmons served as chairman of the special arrangements.

The work of the church continues to go forward in this lovely area of the Alabama-Mississippi Conference, and brighter days are ahead as the congregation continues to plan for greater evangelism.



H. V. Leggett, who served the Panama City, Florida, church at the time of the erection of their sanctuary, pauses on "Homecoming Sabbath" to talk with A. R. Patterson, a member of the congregation, who did all the masonry work on the church.

Bass Students Receive Music Awards

Fourteen piano students from Bass Memorial Academy who performed in the National Piano Playing Auditions at the University of Southern Mississippi on Friday, May 7, received ratings of 90% or better.

The students had registered as candidates for membership in the National Fraternity of Student Musicians, sponsored by the National Guild of Piano Teachers, of which their teacher, Mrs. Robert Conway, is a member. Playing before a noted examiner from out-of-state, the pianists were judged according to the number of standard classic, romantic and modern pieces chosen from the masters of piano literature each could perform creditably on his level of progress.

Pat Sampson, Edith Stone and two grade school students, Vicki Avery and Vicki Greenleaf, each memorized ten pieces as their requirement for the auditions. Other students had learned three or more pieces. All participants were required to play scales and chords or to transpose.

In addition to the grade awarded for meeting their requirements, the students received constructive criticism by the examiner on various phases of their piano study.

Over 60,000 piano pupils across the country have participated in this annual piano-playing event held in 600 music centers. Those who meet the requirements are given a gold or bronze embossed pin and a year's membership in the NFSM and Piano Hobbyists of the World.

In a chapel program on May 10, the fourteen students were presented in a recital after which they were awarded their pins and certificates by Professor Jaqua and Mrs. Conway.

Pine Forest Academy Graduation

"When the rich young ruler went away from Jesus sorrowfully, Jesus did not run after him and compel him to return, for the service of love must be voluntary and not forced." These were the words of Elder W. D. Frazee as he addressed the graduates of Pine Forest Academy at their recent consecration service. Elder Frazee is president of the Medical Missionary Institute of Wildwood, Georgia.

The baccalaureate sermon was given on Sabbath morning, May 15, by R. B. Thurmon, pastor of the Collegedale, Tennessee, church. The commencement address was delivered by W. O. Coe, president of the Alabama-Mississippi Conference. Diplomas were presented by C. A. Johnson, principal of Pine Forest Academy.

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Evangelism — Hickory, North Carolina

A Pastoral Report . . .

A baptismal service during the eleven o'clock hour on Sabbath, April 17, climaxed a three-week evangelistic campaign held by Elder James Wyckoff, and as a result, ten new members were added to the church in Hickory, North Carolina. Four baptisms have been held on successive weeks between April 17 and May 8. This included the baptism of a young lady at a riverside ceremony who joined the Lenoir church. The last baptism, held as the climax to a Mother's Day program, included a young man who united with the Hickory church and a young lady who joined the church at Statesville.

All of these newly-baptized members have had rich spiritual experiences, and some have overcome great obstacles. In some instances, families were united. A mother and daughter-in-law stepped out by faith and hope that their husbands will soon follow. Another mother and her seventeen-year-old daughter joined their sister and aunt who is already a member. Another family was united when the wife was joined by her husband and son.

One young man was baptized who first learned of the Hickory church as a result of the Adventist display at the County Fair last summer. While living in another town, he drifted away from the Adventist Church, but when he saw the miniature church display at the fair booth, he spoke to one of the lady attendants concerning his desire to come back. His sisters immediately began to attend church, and when the meetings started, he attended regularly. His employer ridiculed his desire to observe the true Sabbath and warned that he would lose his job, but the young man solicited our prayers and determined not to work another Sabbath day. As a result, he has been able to keep the Sabbath and also his job. Thus, we can see that the fair booth display in Hickory has had a part in soul-winning.

Many people are studying who have not made their decision but have been startled by the message to the extent that they are now studying their Bibles and praying more than they ever did before in their lives.

The evangelistic meetings were held in our own church building, and much of the time we had a capacity audience. My wife and I greatly enjoyed working with Elder and Mrs. Wyckoff, and we feel the church members were greatly strengthened.

Thanks to all of you, the Carolina constituency, for your evangelism offerings so that our evangelists can continue this good program. It is my belief that every church needs to have an evangelistic campaign to spiritually revive and strengthen our own members, if for no other reason.

EDWARD W. GRAVES
District Pastor

A Layman's View . . .

An evangelistic effort is one way we have to teach God's message to those who do not know it. At the same time, it strengthens our own members by teaching them more about the foundation of our faith.

Our meetings in Hickory were excellent. All of the members cooperated, and Elder James Wyckoff presented the message in a plain and forceful manner each night. It was one of the finest series of meetings I have ever attended.

I believe that personal contact is not only the cheapest but also the most effective kind of advertising. My wife and I were responsible for bringing five non-Adventists to the meetings on several nights; other members brought even more. While it is true not all of them took their stand to join the church, yet I am sure they all received spiritual value from the meetings.

Most of my friends are not Adventists, but they are sincere in what they believe. They do not see much value in the prophecies because their church doesn't teach these, but when they hear our message they treat us with more respect.

I prayerfully dedicate my efforts, with the rest of church members, to help maintain what we have gained for the Lord during these meetings and pray that God will continue to give us new souls.

RICHARD L. ABERNATHY
Layman, Hickory Church

Kindness Revives Faith for Today Interest

Station WSPA-TV has asked for an audition kinescope of Faith for Today in color as a result of a bouquet of flowers which the Spartanburg, South Carolina, Seventh-day Adventist Church presented to the manager on the occasion of the ninth anniversary of their station.

The flowers were presented to Mr. C. R. Sanders, station manager, by Mrs. Harold Moody and Elder Harold Colburn, radio-TV secretary and church pastor, respectively. Mr. Sanders had one of their station photographers take a picture of the presentation, and this was used during the evening news broadcast over their TV station. The Adventists were the only ones to remember their anniversary, and the station manager showed deep appreciation for this remembrance.

Faith for Today has been aired on WSPA-TV previously but has been off the air for some time. However, the station has contracted for the installation of color broadcasting equipment, and this will be completed by this fall. As they inaugurate color broadcasts, Mr. Sanders is interested in using Faith for Today for one of the new color programs.

Left to right: C. R. Sanders, Elder Harold Colburn, Mrs. Harold Moody, Elder Wayne Martin.



An Unusual Ground Breaking

The Professional and Business Men's Church Development Foundation of the Kentucky-Tennessee Conference has launched into a program that will add strength and dignity to the cause of God.

The first project has been to help the group of believers in Franklin, Kentucky, erect a suitable house of worship. These folk have carried on for years, meeting first in one location and then another. Week following week they were never sure of an assembly place.

Last year they used a basement room in the public library. At present, meetings are being held in the garage attached to the home of a loyal Adventist family.

At 10:30 A.M. Tuesday, May 11, the Franklin congregation, aided by the Professional and Business Men's Foundation, conducted a ground-breaking ceremony as the initial phase in building



Taking part in the Franklin church ground breaking is (left to right) Dr. H. F. Evans, Sam Martz, Mayor Charles Chisholm of Franklin, State Senator Thomas Brisendine, Elder E. L. Marley, Elder Oscar L. Heinrich, Pastor Doyle Phillips and Dr. J. T. Ladd.

a Seventh-day Adventist Church in Franklin, Kentucky. The property is located on Morgantown Road, a little less than one mile from the center of Franklin's business life.

The ceremony, sponsored by the Kentucky-Tennessee Conference, was impressive. Highland Academy's fifty-piece band gave a proper air of importance. Representatives of the city and county governments came to take part on the program.

State Senator Thomas Brisendine of Franklin, Mayor pro-tem Charles E. Chisholm, the city and county judges, and the county sheriff were present. Elder Oscar Heinrich, representing the Southern Union Conference, made appropriate remarks.

E. L. Marley, president of the conference, climaxed the hour with a survey of Adventist work over the Kentucky-Tennessee field. Representatives from the Professional and Business Men's Church Development Foundation were: Dr. H. F. Evans, president; Dr. J. T. Ladd, vice-president; Robert G. Strickland, executive secretary; Mr. and Mrs. Flowers; and Sam Martz.

Other members and prospective members of the Foundation were present from various churches of the conference to witness the forward move made possible by the P. B. M. C. D. Foundation. It is hoped that this act in Franklin, Kentucky, may be repeated in numerous parts of the conference. It can and will be done as all interested believers join forces to finish God's work in this field.

Personal Witnessing Pays Off

Eight baptisms were the result of a recent revival at the Powderly, Kentucky, church conducted by conference Evangelist Rainey Hooper with Pastor Fred Williams assisting.

Among those baptized was Mrs. Elizabeth Welch, the director of nurses at the Hartford, Kentucky, hospital. Mrs. Welch came to one of the meetings in response to an invitation from a very close friend, Mrs. J. O. Burge. She enjoyed the first meeting so much that she missed only one night of the whole series. At the close of the meetings, Mrs. Welch; her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Oral Clyde Oliphant; and her daughter, Brenda Ann, were baptized.

Also baptized was Rose Wethington, a Methodist minister's daughter. Rose is planning to attend Southern Missionary College this fall.

Mrs. Patricia Payne, a sister of Mr. J. O. Burge, also took her stand and was baptized.

Such experiences should lead to more effort on behalf of friends and loved ones.

Two Active Congregations Increase

D. C. Phillips, district pastor, has just completed revivals in the Cross Plains and Ridgetop churches resulting in the baptism of eight converts. Others made their decision and are now in a class preparing for baptism.

A wonderful spirit of cooperation and dedication prevails in both of these churches, and plans are being laid for a joint layman's effort to be conducted this summer. With several doctors and prominent businessmen participating in this venture for Christ, and with the prayers and attendance of the supporting congregation, this effort should be highly successful.

News Notes

▶ Starting June 1, Station KWAM in Memphis will carry at 12:00 noon a daily Voice of Prophecy broadcast. The Voice of Prophecy has been heard regularly over this station on Sunday at 12:00 noon. Now, it will be heard at the same time seven days a week. Those living in the Memphis area are encouraged to listen to the daily program and do all they can to build up a large listening audience.

▶ Another excellent increase of \$5,000 in tithe was noted for the month of April in the Kentucky-Tennessee Conference. This brings the increase for the first four months of this year over a similar period of last year to \$23,000.

THE NEW

MADISON ACADEMY

Madison Academy, located in the suburbs of Nashville, Tennessee, will open its doors to young people next fall as another of the Southern Union's boarding academies. Currently, it is operating as a day academy while the campus is being landscaped and beautified and the dormitories are being extensively re-worked.

The pictures and text on the following pages give a portrayal of plans for Madison Academy for the 1965-'66 school year. When the dust has cleared, literally speaking, and when improvements are completed, this school will proudly join with the other fine academies in the Southern Union to train head and heart and hand for the Master's service.

The wonderful record and contribution of Madison College, which occupied these halls of learning for sixty years, must not be forgotten. Many of the same objectives—a work-study program, industrial education, and other laudable goals—will seek to be fulfilled through Madison Academy.



**TRAINING
FOR
LEADERSHIP**

The girls' dormitory has just been completely rebuilt inside at a cost of more than \$40,000. It is as nice now as a new dormitory and will be completely refurnished with new furniture so that students will have a nice home away from home. During the summer, the boys' dormitory will receive similar treatment with extensive improvements throughout.



A group of girls enjoy the beautiful lounge in the remodeled dormitory.

We are happy for the bright future of Madison Academy. The very fine science building, with its two lecture rooms and three large laboratories for biology, chemistry, and physics, will provide opportunity for developing a very strong science program which is urgently needed for students who are planning a career in science areas such as nursing, medicine, scientific research, etc. Consequently, students will be given opportunity to elect a four-year science program if they so desire.

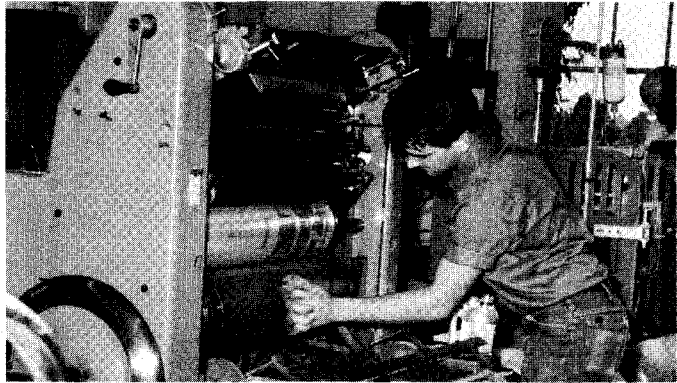


Outstanding equipment is provided in the physics, biology and chemistry laboratories.



This group of students conducted the Spring Week of Prayer with outstanding success.

Future church leaders are being trained on Madison's campus. With enthusiasm, these young people become involved. As they speak in churches, conduct Voice of Youth meetings, direct temperance activities, lead discussions and guide campus activities, we see the future of the church in good hands.

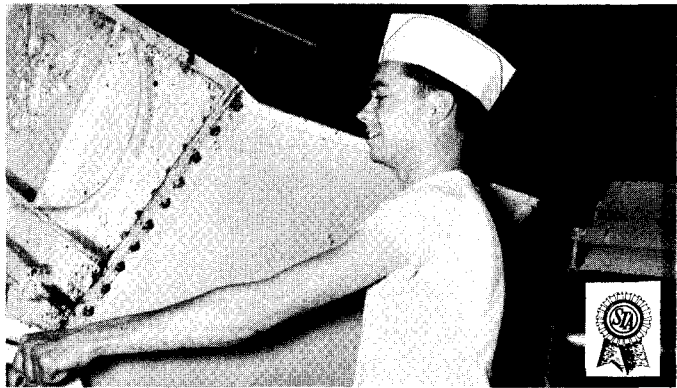


STUDENTS EARN AS THEY LEARN

Madison's strong industry program of the past is still being carried on as students earn a portion of their school expenses. This opportunity to work promotes and develops in the student

**RESPONSIBILITY — DEPENDABILITY
— SELF APPROVAL —**

It prepares the student for life's responsibilities and challenges, and is an integral part of God's plan of Christian education.



Because of the high cost of all that goes into operating a boarding academy today, it is very difficult for a student to earn all his way; but it should be possible for many students to earn from 20% to 75% of their expenses, depending on age, ability, and industry.



1. A patient is being taken to her room by a special escort worker.
2. The academy press will offer work opportunities to a number of students.
3. A number of boys help prepare the famous Madison Food.
4. The academy industry does work for the student family and for commercial concerns.
5. Fine products are produced in the bakery.

VOCATIONAL TRAINING

In addition to the regular college-preparatory program, the academy will be giving strong emphasis to vocational training. In this day and age when a premium is placed on skill, Madison students will have opportunity to learn a trade. This will give graduates excellent work possibilities if they continue with college, or a head start in today's labor market when they seek a job.

INCLUDED IN THE TEACHING PROGRAM THIS YEAR WILL BE:

PRINTING — teaching the various aspects of the printing trade with practical experience offered.

BUILDING TRADES — where students will actually construct modern homes on the school campus.

TYPING and SHORTHAND — with extensive laboratory experience.

WOODWORKING — with modern, up-to-date tools and equipment.

GARDENING — with 100 acres of rich farmland.

MECHANICAL DRAWING — with equipment used to teach former college classes.



The well-equipped print shop will provide training in the trade.



Construction work is just starting on a new apartment building. Students will be working in many of the building projects.

**WITH A GLORIOUS PAST AND A BRIGHT, NEW FUTURE,
MADISON ACADEMY
IS PREPARED TO SERVE THE NEEDS OF THE EARNEST
STUDENT SEEKING A CHRISTIAN EDUCATION IN THE
KENTUCKY-TENNESSEE CONFERENCE**

Ground-breaking Ceremonies



The Honorable Robert Bennowitz (right), mayor of Duluth, spoke to the crowd assembled for the ground breaking while Doug Cash and Sherry Zacharias (above) did the digging for the new Duluth Seventh-day Adventist Church.

Duluth, Georgia

No doubt you've heard the story about the little girl who came home from church one Sunday and her mother asked, "Dear, what happened at Sunday School today?" Whereupon, the child replied, "We dug for a new church building, but we *never* found it."

Sunday, May 16, Duluth dug for a new church building. They know they'll find it standing soon as a witness to that community of God's goodness and love for His children.

On hand for the occasion were the Hayward twins, John and James, now located in the Texas Conference. They were directly responsible for the Duluth organization when they held evangelistic meetings there while pastoring the Kirkwood and Beverly Road churches in Atlanta after Mrs. Desmond Cummings and a group from the Kirkwood Church had organized a branch Sabbath School in that area.

Prior to the ground-breaking ceremonies, a covered-dish dinner was served in the old Methodist Church where the Duluth folk are now meeting.

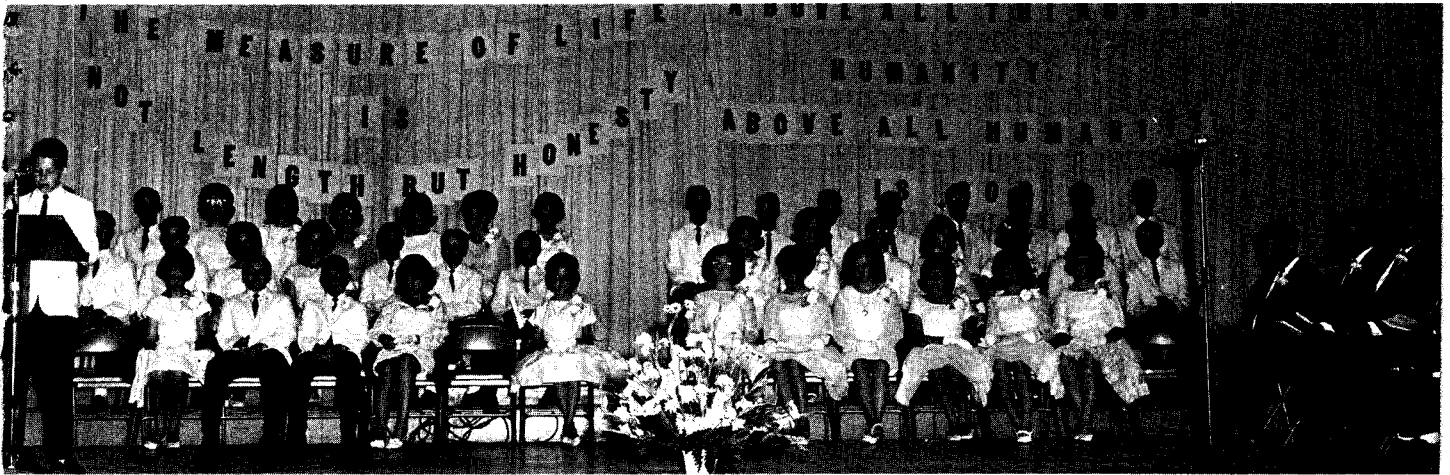
Elder Everett Cumbo, the present pastor, lead out in the ground-breaking ceremonies. He introduced the Honorable Robert Bennowitz, mayor of Duluth, who, along with two city councilmen, wished the congregation well. Also present were Mrs. Cumbo's parents, Elder and Mrs. Charles Paboy from Canada.

It was a great day of reunion and rejoicing for Duluth church members, their friends, and members of the other Atlanta churches who were present. Duluth has long looked forward to having a church home of its own.

For Sister Daisy Maxwell, once the only Adventist in that community, it was a special thrill. Many times she has remarked, "Wouldn't it be wonderful to have a church in Duluth." Her dream, along with the vision of the 106 members, is well on the way to becoming reality in another lighted-up dark county for the Georgia-Cumberland Conference.



Graduation at Atlanta Union Academy



Eighth and tenth grade graduates received diplomas the evening of May 22 in the Atlanta Family Center. On the platform Charles Land, class pastor, reads the scripture reading. Speakers row, left to right, are: Everett Cumbo, pastor, Beverly Road church; M. E. Erickson, educational superintendent, Georgia-Cumberland Conference; Albert Schaefer, principal, Atlanta Union Academy; and Roy Frith, seventh and eighth grade teacher, A.U.A.

Nurses' Aid Class Graduates — Dunlap, Tennessee



Dunlap District Has "Round-Up" Days

Missionary Volunteers and Pathfinders of the Dunlap, Laurelbrook and Walden's Ridge, Tennessee churches have recently had special "Round-Up" Sabbaths. On these days over 100 "strays" have been "roped into the corral."

On Sabbath afternoon, the young folks went out and enrolled the "strays" in Bible courses, then returned in the evening bearing their filled out cards as "admission tickets" (shown left) to a real western-style social.



Seventeen residents of the Dunlap, Tennessee, area have completed requirements for an intensive Nurses' Aid Course. Not only do these graduates help staff the local hospital, but the course is taught as a civic community project.

R.N. instructors for the fifteen-week training period were: Mrs. Charles Graves, Jr. (right, first row) and Mrs. Leroy Ramsey (left, first row).

Speaker for the graduation exercise was the local pastor, Paul D. Gates (middle, back row).

Certificates were awarded to the students by Charles G. Graves, Jr. M.D. (right, second row).

Dr. L. D. Ekvall (left, second row) is pictured with the graduates and their instructors.

A New Staff for a New School

Program Change for G. C. A.

Four and one-half years of continuous promotion was climaxed on Sabbath, May 22, with an "Open Door" offering of \$128,238.71 for the Georgia Cumberland Academy.

Promotion activities for this project began in 1960 when Elder H. R. Beckner was asked to become director of institutional development. Under his leadership, many of the churches set up a program of planned giving for local church improvement as well as for academy development. Under this plan, approximately \$200,000 was given to the academy, and many local churches and elementary schools were built.

At the close of the three-year period, which the original program covered, it was decided to launch a campaign to finish and open the school during the 18-month period which began in February, 1964, and which will end when school opens in the fall of 1965.

During these months, four major campaigns have been held. They were as follows:

The 2,000,000-penny campaign which brought in \$34,000.

The "Sacrifice Day" offering with a goal of \$100,000, which brought in \$109,000.

The "Christmas Thank" offering with a goal of \$60,000, which brought in \$86,000.

The "Open Door" offering with a goal of \$100,000, which brought in \$128,238.71.



I. C. Pound, Jr., posts final figures at the "Open Door" offering report meeting.

The total amount raised from these four major campaigns is approximately \$357,000.

In addition to this, the Health and Welfare Societies throughout the conference furnished tables and chairs for the cafeteria dining room and have ordered pews for the dormitory worship rooms. The total cost of these two projects is about \$8,000, bringing the total given for academy completion to \$365,000 during 1964 and the first six months of 1965.

During these months, construction, under the direction of Brother George R. Pearman, has been proceeding at a rapid rate. Five of the seven major academy buildings are completed and the last two, the chapel and the girls' dormitory, are nearing completion. In addition to this, a two-room elementary school has been built.

Faculty housing is being provided under a contract with Brother Bill Clark, an Adventist contractor who is constructing many buildings for Adventist organizations in the Southern Union.

While funds have been coming in and construction has been proceeding, plans for the scholastic phase of the school have also been developing and will soon take the major role on the campus.

In June of 1964, Mr. Edward Reifsnnyder became the first principal and has spent the full year planning the school program, helping with the completion of the campus, securing a faculty, contacting prospective students, and assisting in fund-raising activities.

Brother Reifsnnyder now has his complete faculty (shown below), and 133 of the 160 student-body capacity have been accepted. School will open on schedule.

The beautiful campus, which up to this time has been buzzing with sounds of construction, will become a great center of youth activity. The sound of the hammer will give way to the rhythm of music from practice rooms, the hum of floor polishers in hallways, the hiss of steam cookers in the kitchen, the drone of machinery in the laundry, the laughter of pranksters in the dormitories, the noise of excitement on the playground, and the silence of meditation in Vespers. This will be the great program change to which all who have given so faithfully have been looking forward.

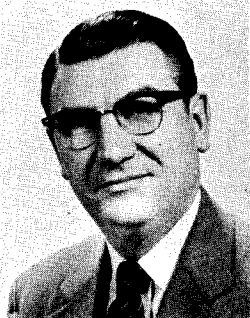
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3. Mrs. Rolland McKibben, M.A., Commercial
4. Celia Youmans, B.A., Registrar
5. Dorothea Taylor, Dean of Girls
6. Kenneth Peck, M.A., Math and Physics

7. Mrs. Kenneth Peck, B.S., Piano and Organ
8. James Gardner, B.A., Spanish and Phys. Ed.
9. Mrs. James Gardner, Cafeteria Assist.
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11. Elder H. R. Burrow, M.A., Bible
12. Elder J. D. Westfall, B.A., Dean of Boys

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Don't Miss the Blessings of the First Sabbath, June 19

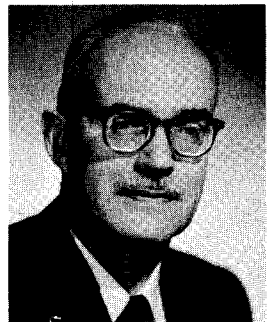


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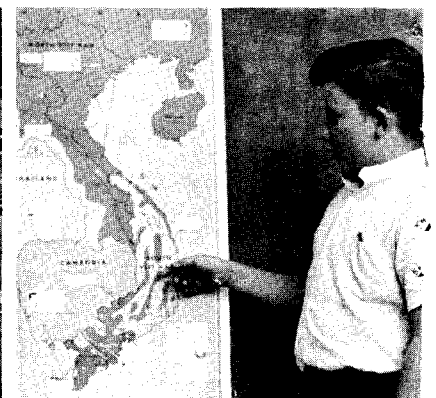
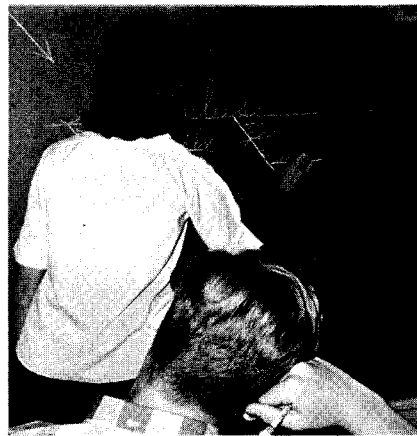
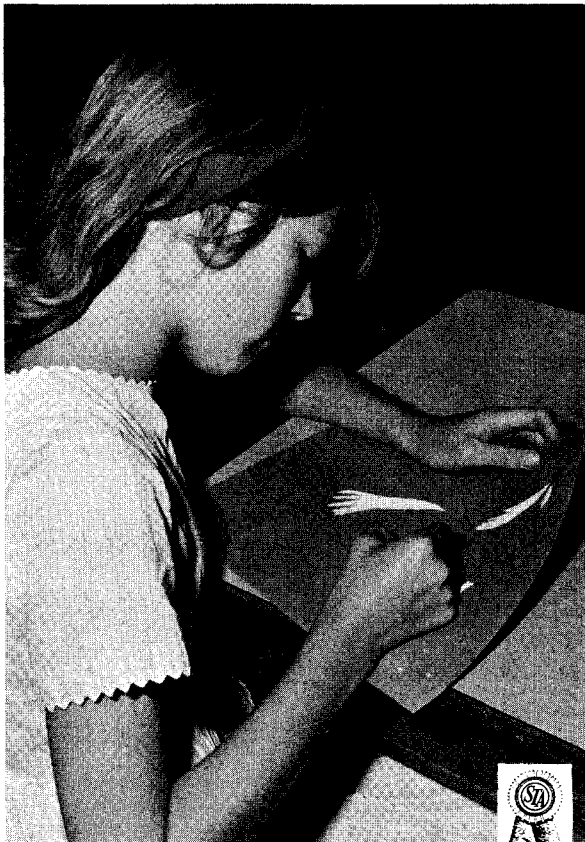
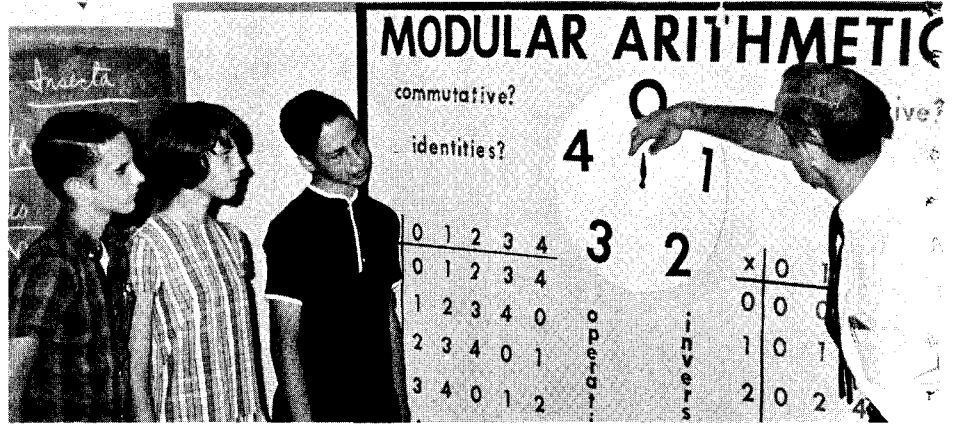
Departmentalized Elementary Education Proves Success

During the 1964-65 school term, the Orlando church school launched into a modified departmentalized program of teaching. The program was organized and directed by the school principal, J. E. Mayhew. The new system involved the teachers and students of grades five through eight. A staff of five instructors taught the subjects in which they were best qualified to these grades and found that student results were even greater than anticipated.

Without a doubt, superior teaching was realized as the various teachers specialized in their areas. The school program was more interesting and less tiring for both the teacher and student. Tests verify that the achievement level was greater for the same period of time as compared to the usual one-teacher classroom. It was noted with interest that the discipline problems were minimized and much more school spirit prevailed.

One complete year of operation has proven this new departmentalized program a successful venture.

Pictures on this page show the new and modern methods of teaching, interests in art, current events and extra curricular activities which have held the attention of students in the Orlando church school this year. Teachers and students anticipate another good school year with the same type of teaching procedure, thus giving pupils far more opportunity to develop their individual talents.



Treasure Finder Talks to Doctors

Frank Allen, a junior high school history teacher who has found and recovered much of the gold and silver treasure of a sunken Spanish galleon, was guest speaker at the annual banquet of the Florida Conference for the professional men of the healing arts on May 23.

About 90 people were in attendance. Physicians, dentists, chiropractors, optometrists, and podiatrists, with their wives, attended from various parts of the conference.

Allen showed a series of colored slides to illustrate his talk and had some of the coins and relics on display. The ship was one of a fleet of 12 carrying gold and silver from various parts of the New World back to Spain. Most of the treasure was in the form of coins minted in the Spanish colonies being taken to Spain for the government treasury. Ten of the 12 ships were caught in a killer hurricane in 1715 off the coast of Florida and sunk.

Before becoming involved in the treasure recovery, Allen had pursued the hobby of coin collecting. An archeologist friend, who had gone to the beach for a change from digging in old Indian mounds, came to Allen with some coin-like objects he had found. They were nothing like Allen had seen or known of, and his curiosity was aroused. Using metal detectors, they both made a thorough search of many miles of beach, finding quite a number of coins, mostly silver, but some gold.

Concluding that they must have washed up from a sunken treasure ship, they began a very thorough program of research into every historic and scientific field that would help them in locating the treasure. This brought them into contact with other persons already bent on a similar project.

A corporation was formed. Assistance was received from the Smithsonian Institute, the governments of Spain and several Latin American countries. The sunken wreck was located, and a state charter for salvage operations was obtained. Machinery had to be invented and made especially suited to do all of the necessary work. Although a fabulous treasure has been recovered, much remains to be done before the project will be completed.

Allen explained much of what they have learned about the minting customs of the Spanish at that time showing pictures of different types of coins. He told of the procedures necessary for the State of Florida to receive its legal share of the treasure, and of the complicated problems involved in evaluating and disposing of the different types of objects found.

Elder H. F. Roll, Florida Conference treasurer, was master of ceremonies for the occasion. J. Glen Linebarger, D.D.S. and Floyd L. Pichler, M.D., both of Jacksonville, dental and medical secretaries respectively, of the Florida Conference, spoke on various items related to the development of the medical work in Florida and the recruitment of professional men to establish themselves in the state. Donald W. Welch, administrator of the Florida Sanitarium and Hospital and medical secretary of the Southern Union Conference, spoke of the prospects for improvement and growth in the hospital and its program. Elder H. H. Schmidt, president of the Florida Conference, welcomed all who were present and expressed appreciation to them for their part in the medical work in the field and in the local church program wherever they are located.

Educational Telecast Motivates Pupils

Mrs. Richard Brunk, teacher of grades 1-4 at the St. Petersburg Junior Academy, recently received enthusiastic motivation for her third and fourth grade pupils in their social study work by asking them to view some of the social study programs on the educational television station WEDU. The programs aroused the children's interest in the customs, languages, and occupations of people in foreign lands.

Motivation being supplied, she made assignments, permitting each pupil to choose the country of his or her own choice, asking them to prepare a written report on the customs, language, and occupations of the country chosen, and to make or buy some object representative of that country. The children used all available reference material at the school and in their homes, as well as at the public library.

The children's enthusiasm was caught by some of the parents, and they helped them make such things as Chinese junks, market boats, Alaskan totem poles, and oriental gowns.

The church press secretary wrote to station WEDU and told them of the activity project which was motivated by their educational programming. The station was appreciative of the knowledge and will reserve the information for possible publicity.



(Above) Doctors and their wives in attendance at the annual banquet sponsored by the Florida Conference.

(At right) Frank Allen (right) shows old Spanish coins and relics recovered from a sunken Spanish galleon. The coin in his hand is valued at \$25,000. Looking on are Dr. and Mrs. D. C. Hartwell of Avon Park.



Laymen in Action

The fourth and final BEME layman's rally was held in Orlando, Florida, on Sabbath, May 15, in the beautiful auditorium of the Jones High School. Well over 1,000 persons from the entire state of Florida attended the meeting.

LeRoy J. Leiske, president of the Southern Union Conference, delivered a message that will long be remembered. It concerned the faith of David as he tackled the Herculean task that seemed impossible in conquering Goliath. He compared this great accomplishment to the work that laymen are doing as they finish the work of God.

This was the final of four outstanding meetings that were held in the months of April and May. The first meeting was held in the city of Greensboro, North Carolina. This meeting was held in the beautiful, new Greensboro church where 1,000 persons assembled from all over the state of North Carolina. It was thrilling to hear the stories of God working miracles through dedicated laymen bringing scores of people to Christ. O. U. Holness, the new pastor of the district, did a marvelous job in preparation for this layman's rally.

The second meeting was held in Columbia, South Carolina. H. L. Cleveland, pastor of the Atlanta Berean Church, gave the morning message. This was a spirit-

filled, moving message pointing the people of South Carolina to the great unfinished task. It was thrilling to see Brother Jack J. Hanna of Florence, South Carolina, present his trophies of five newly-baptized members of the seven that he and his wife had won to Christ. Scores of others presented their trophies and pledged under God to go out and do a mighty work in 1965. Pastor W. Lewis and members of the Columbia Church were gracious hosts to over 300 who attended this meeting from throughout the state of South Carolina.

The third meeting was held in Macon, Georgia, on Sabbath, May 8. This was another well-attended layman's rally. W. S. Banfield, conference president, gave a challenging worship message pointing out some of the key reasons why many fail in their witness for Christ.

In this meeting, the laymen also presented a number of trophies and accepted the challenge to win five in '65.

We are grateful to Elder Samuel Thomas who developed the Blueprint-Every-Member Evangelism program which harnesses laymen for the great task of spreading the gospel.

Laymen join hands with the ministers and unite efforts toward an unfinished task.

Building Rally Day Macon, Georgia

On May 8 the annual Layman's Rally Day for laymen throughout the state of Georgia was held in Macon. On this Sabbath, Pastor Monk announced that he expected to receive an offering of \$5,000 for the new church building project.

The church has a membership of 100. A church membership roll was called at the time of the offering, and when the tally was taken, \$5,000 was received. Pastor Monk led the congregation by giving \$360; other members followed with larger and smaller amounts. One family gave \$100 per family member.

This was an every-member-canvass program; but, instead of paying pledges over a period of time, many paid the entire amount at this time.

Recently, the Macon Church was fortunate to sell the old Spring Street Tabernacle for \$16,000 cash. This was located in an unsuitable area in a business section set for re-development by the government. The church was able to purchase a beautiful lot in one of the best locations of the city. The new lot is 100 by 200 feet. This will give space for a new church, church school, and adequate parking—purchased for only \$6,000.

Just now, the church is working through the Southern Union Church Development Service, and a new building will be started in the very near future that will properly house the congregation in Macon.

W. S. Banfield, president of the South Atlantic Conference, introduced the worship hour speaker, Elder LeRoy J. Leiske, president of the Southern Union Conference, at the layman's rally held in Orlando.

Pastor J. Paul Monk and the Macon church treasurer, Mrs. Elizabeth B. McKissick, discuss \$5,000 check which represents cash turned in Sabbath, May 8, for the Macon building program.



Book Display At State Teachers' Convention

"And thou shalt bring in the table and set in order the things that are to be set in order upon it; . . ." Exodus 40:4. "Produce your cause, saith the Lord; bring forth your strong reasons, said the King of Jacob." Isaiah 41:21.

Applying these texts to the literature evangelist, the Lord could have well said, "Advertise, advertise, advertise! Forever keep our books before the people!" This is just what Ruby Pleasant (shown below) of Jackson, Mississippi, was endeavoring to do at the annual State Teachers' Con-



vention in Jackson last month. When she learned of this convention, she quickly seized the opportunity to inquire from the proper source as to how she could display some of our books. Working in close cooperation with Brother Bond, associate secretary in her district, she was able to secure all the books and necessary equipment for her attractive display. We appreciate what Miss Pleasant did in this respect. It caused us to be well represented at the convention. Many sales were made and orders taken as a result. In the kingdom of God, souls will be there because someone was willing to use their time and talent to advertise our truth before the people in our generation.

O. W. MACKAY
Publishing Secretary
South Central Conference

Red Cross Class Conducted in Louisville



The Health and Welfare Society of Louisville, Kentucky, had sixteen persons finish the Red Cross First Aid Class. James Fischer (front right) conducted the class.

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These tests will be given on our campus on a *National* basis as follows: NATIONAL TEACHER EXAMINATION on July 19 (deadline for application June 18). GRADUATE RECORD EXAMINATION on July 12 (deadline for application June 20).

Application blanks, certifying letters, and fees must be sent in directly by the applicant. For particulars and booklets write Dr. J. M. Ackerman, Drawer 1, Collegedale, Tennessee 37315.

Field School Holds Effort In Birmingham

Southern Missionary College's Field School of Evangelism will open its several crusades for the summer with an area meeting in Birmingham. The meeting will be held at the 500 block, 8th Avenue South, Green Springs Highway.



Douglas Bennett

Elder Douglas Bennett, associate professor of religion at SMC, will be the speaker and director of the crusade. He will be assisted by

Elder J. Don Crook, assistant professor of music at SMC, who will be music director and will sing in the quartet that will provide much of the music for a three-week effort.

Students who will be getting evangelistic experience and academic credit will be Tony Torres, Ken Garner, Roger Gardner, Ellis Adams, David Taylor, Daryl Meyers and Tom Whitsett.

Quartet members for the evangelistic series are as follows: Walton Williams, first tenor; Phil Wilson, second tenor; Elder J. Don Crook, baritone; and Robert Bolton, bass.

All church members in the Birmingham area are cordially invited to attend and bring their friends.



books for browsing

Miss Paula Becker is editorial assistant at the Southern Publishing Association. Her column appears regularly in the Tidings and serves to inform readers of some of the many fine books available for good reading pleasure.

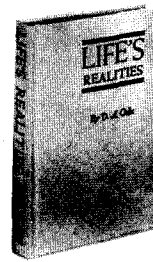


Have you ever had the urge to read someone's diary? Have you always wondered what *really* went on in a typical mission field? Then you will be thrilled with *Indonesian Adventure for Christ*, by Clyde C. Cleveland. This lively narrative is filled with many of the fascinating details that are often left out of average mission stories. The author has combined his invaluable insight into the administrative aspects of mission service with an intimate picture of home life in a foreign land. Most thrilling of all is the very obvious thread of God's miraculous leading throughout the entire story. Published by Review and Herald.

If you have ever felt that your life was becoming a merry-go-round of everyday cares, then *Look Toward Heaven*, by W. B. Ochs, may be your answer. This little volume has a positive approach to living. You will find yourself moving toward a new plateau of religious experience as you become involved in its message. Also a Review and Herald release.

Recently a book came to our attention that we feel is worthy of commendation. It is *Markings*, by the late Secretary-General of the United Nations, Dag Hammarskjold. Not only has this little volume rated high on national bestseller lists for many months: it is also a current selection on the Christian Herald Family Bookshelf. Hammarskjold's contributions to the world peace effort are well known. Perhaps his Christian philosophy is not so widely known or appreciated. But this book constitutes "a record that reveals the

extent of his commitment to the Way of the Cross." Published by Alfred A. Knopf.



Just off the press at Southern Publishing Association is *Life's Realities*, an excellent devotional book by D. A. Ochs. Many people today have a once-a-week type of religion. Just going to church on Sabbath is enough for them. *Life's Realities* makes true religion an everyday experience. From

"Life's Greatest Tragedy," to "Life's Greatest Hope," its pages are full of the kind of religion that is needed in today's world.

The June issue of *These Times* contains an excellent evaluation of the current ecumenical situation in an article entitled "The Unity We Fear," by Harry W. Lowe. In a religious era when many major church bodies are moving toward tearing down all partitions that make contemporary churches separate and distinct, it is refreshing to find a few who still feel that total ecclesiastical integration is not such a good idea.

See you next issue. Until then, keep reading.

Have you thanked your station



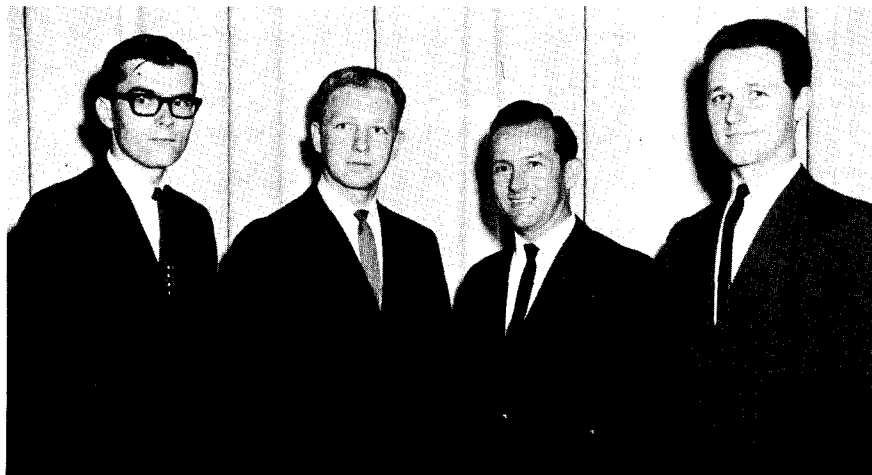
people in transition

Florida

Terry Cagle is a new assistant secretary of the Publishing Department of the Florida Conference. He is locating in the central Florida district, from which E. J. McMurry is moving to the northern district. Hoyet Taylor is working in the southern district.

Howard Kennedy has been appointed principal of the Greater Miami Academy for the 1965-66 school year. Kenneth Stewart, the former principal has been invited to serve in the Insurance Service of the General Conference in Takoma Park, D. C.

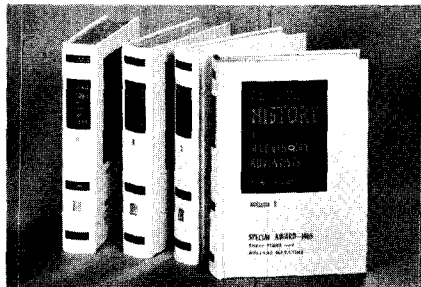
The new principal for the Jacksonville Junior Academy will be Harry Mayden, who for several years has been a teacher at Greater Miami Academy.



Share Your Faith Through Missionary Journals

From all sections of the field the reports indicate a marvelous willingness to share this faith through our missionary journals *These Times* and *Message Magazine*.

Your publishing house, in an effort to show its appreciation and to provide our churches with splendid background material, is this year presenting to each church for its church library a beautiful, deluxe, four-volume set of *The Origin and*



History of Seventh-day Adventists upon the reaching of the two-per-member objective in our missionary crusade.

Our pastors have lists of names to whom these missionary journals should be sent should you need additional names.

Sister White said, "We have nothing to fear for the future, except as we shall forget the way the Lord has led us." This set by Elder A. W. Spalding is undoubtedly our finest presentation of denominational history. It is written in an easy-to-read style, beautifully bound in white, and imprinted with black and gold. These volumes will bring enrichment of spiritual growth and inspiration to everyone who reads them.

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R. J. CHRISTIAN, *Manager*
Periodical Department
Southern Publishing Association

Temperance "Man" of the Year

The 1964 Temperance "Man" of the Year isn't a man—she's a woman!

Miss Elvera Eckerman, teacher of grades five to eight at the Niles, Michigan, school, was selected by the American Temperance Society as its Temperance "Man" of the Year after its panel of judges carefully screened nominations from every part of the country.



Elvera Eckerman

World traveler, overseas worker, versatile teacher, Miss Eckerman has directed her students in a broad program of temperance activities, including full-scale rallies in both Seventh-day Adventist Churches and those of other faiths. Her students participated in nineteen oratorical contests during the year, six taking honors, some on a state level.

When President Johnson visited South Bend, Indiana, she organized her students to cover the large crowd at the airport with *Smoke Signals*.

Miss Eckerman directed the preparation and entering of a temperance float in the Blossomtime Parade in Benton Harbor, the Pathfinder Fair at Lansing, and the Memorial Day Parade in Niles.

In addition, her students were active in giving temperance talks in other churches, especially winners of oratorical and poster contests, showing films in public schools, displaying temperance posters in business establishments, stocking literature racks, conducting temperance classes in Vacation Bible Schools, sponsoring Temperance Education Week, and securing pledges on Temperance Commitment Day.

Miss Eckerman received her degree at Emmanuel Missionary College in 1947 and her master's degree from Andrews University in 1961.

With hobbies of gardening, canoeing, stamps, coins, and scrapbooks, she says her greatest hobby is children—one scrapbook of hers is "101 Famous Children," some of her students through the years with whom she has kept in constant touch.

FRANCIS A. SOPER
Associate Secretary
American Temperance Society

Youth Can Do It . . . and They Are



In his book "Hidden Persuaders" Vance Packard tells in the chapter "The Psycho-Seduction of Children" how the modern advertisers hire teams of psychologists to probe and pre-fix the impressionable minds of children and youth. The analytical adult is very much aware of this constant struggle for the minds, motives, and money of our youth. In it we can often see the marks of Satanic appeal.

But today when so many are making decisions for eternity, we are most grateful that other influences, and good ones indeed, are being brought to bear upon Adventist youth everywhere. Young people by the thousands are tasting the joys of bringing souls to Christ. The Missionary Volunteer Department reports that some 75,000 young men and women brought thousands to Christ last year.

Young people who are willing and who possess even a minimum of talent are participating in this thrilling adventure in evangelism. If you can express yourself in public or private you can be used in this great program. Discourses are already prepared in handy, useful format. The organizational material necessary in holding MV Voice of Youth services is available. Your pastor, your MV Society leader, and your conference MV secretary will be more than glad to work with you in realizing your part in the great goal of 30,000 baptisms for Missionary Volunteers in 1965. The prize to be won in this program is the exceeding joy found in winning sincere and inquiring souls to the Lord Jesus and, moreover, the soul you win may be your own.

E. W. DUNBAR
Associate Secretary
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"For many are called, but few chosen."

This text in Matthew might apply to the story we are about to tell of Eugene A. Anderson.

He was chosen by the Governor of Georgia, Carl Sanders, to represent the state on a tour of Latin American countries in the interest of exporting Georgia products. This is a trade mission sponsored by the State of Georgia Department of Industry and Trade under the auspices of the U. S. Department of Commerce.

The group became ambassadors of good will in developing sales of Georgia products and finding outlets for import in Latin-American countries.

May 31 was the departure date for Washington, D. C. where they spent two days in briefing. During this time the Department of State gave a reception in their honor.

Their itinerary read something like a travel ad. Their first stop after departing from Miami was Panama where they were met by the Chief of Latin-American affairs. From there they departed for Guayaquil, Ecuador; Lima, Peru; Caracas, Venezuela; San Juan, Puerto Rico; and are due back to Miami on June 23. When they return, Mr. Anderson will go directly to New Orleans to attend the Optimists International Convention.

"How does it feel to be chosen, selected, picked out of the crowd for such a high calling?" I asked Mr. Anderson shortly before his departure.

"Quite a responsibility," he replied.

"But, isn't it exciting?" I said.

"Yes," and I could almost see the twinkle in his eyes over the phone as his voice took on a new note of expectancy.

Gene Anderson and his wife, Florence, have long been members of the Adventist Church in Atlanta. When I first came to this city in 1936, Florence was my first Sabbath School teacher. Her lesson studies were so interesting that I took notes which I made into a book of poetry. Thusly inspired, I gained new insights into the lesson's meaning. Later, I became better acquainted with these fine folk when I went to work in their saw manufacturing plant, The Southern Saw Service, Incorporated. Working in the advertising end of the business, I worked closely with Brother Anderson. I found him keenly interested in people. He had an unusual awareness of people's needs. Time after time, I remember, he would go out of his way to help a needy employee, or to just listen to their problem. I have often seen him work in an employee's place so that the worker could be off with a sick wife or baby. This is the man he is—kind, considerate—with a jolly good nature that pours over onto those with whom he associates. He enjoys life and a good big laugh now and then, but is ever conscious of the golden rule, "of doing unto others," sharing whatever good fortune comes his way.

For more than 35 years, Mr. Anderson has managed the saw service business. It started in one small building with about 40 employees. Now, the plant occupies 60,000 square feet of space with a staff

of 115 people. E. G. Anderson, "Dad" as he was known to all, started the saw business in Washington, D. C. to enable students to work their way through school. Later, it was moved to Atlanta. It was "Dad" Anderson who, while colporteur, sold a book to Elder R. E. Crawford's family. That book was a determining factor in their becoming Seventh-day Adventists. "Dad" died in 1937.

For years Mr. Anderson has been connected with the Optimists Club of Atlanta. He is the in-coming president. For the past year he has been the vice-president and chairman of the boy's work. Recently, he was the recipient of the WS Beaver Award for outstanding service to his community. He has worked with boys and youth since 1928. Optimists believe in promoting "better government, better participation in civic affairs" and are a friend to the boy. Many boys in business today owe their start in life to an Optimist friend. A boy, who otherwise might become delinquent and a figure on a statistical report, because of men like Gene Anderson who can see beyond the unkempt figure and dirty face to the soul beneath, has a chance at success.

The Anderson's have two married children: Mrs. Travis Kelley of Takoma Park, Maryland; a son, Eugene F. Anderson; and two grandchildren.

"For it is better to build boys than to mend men," is being proved in the life of Eugene A. Anderson as hundreds of boys can testify.

ATLANTA, Ga.—E. A. Anderson, president of Southern Saw Service, Inc., is one of the members of the 1965 Georgia Trade Mission to Latin America. The group discussed their itinerary shortly before departure from the Atlanta airport on May 31 on a 22-day goodwill tour of businesses and industries in Panama, Ecuador, Peru, Venezuela and Puerto Rico.

As representatives from the state, the members of the Trade Mission will promote Georgia as an international trade-oriented state. During their exchange program, they will discuss cooperation in technological developments, expansion of international markets and tourism in Georgia. This group includes (seated, left to right) Carroll L. Wagner, vice president, J. M. Tull Metals Co.; Mrs. Virginia M. Allgood, Georgia Department of Industry and Trade; E. A. Anderson, president, Southern Saw Service, Inc., and (standing, left to right) W. Loyd Florence, secretary, Fowler Products Co., Athens; C. P. Stephenson, president, Stephenson Chemical Co., Inc., College Park. The tour is sponsored by the Georgia Department of Industry and Trade.



VACATION BIBLE SCHOOLS

Recently a minister of another denomination asked one of our laymen to come to his church and speak to his members about the youth program of our church. After the presentation the minister said, "The Seventh-day Adventists have a real youth program. We need to be doing something like this for our youth. If we do not, we are going to lose them."

I am pleased with all of the activities and programs for our children and youth. Our laymen who work in the Sabbath School divisions do much in giving direction to them. The weekly Missionary Volunteer programs, Pathfinder activities and summer camping helps to hold our youth.

Another activity that I am deeply interested in is evangelism for the youth and by the youth. They are helping to proclaim the message through Voice of Youth meetings, Fireside Evangelism and Branch Sabbath Schools. Not only has an interest developed, but the youth themselves are greatly encouraged as they work for others.

Vacation Bible Schools are another means of evangelism for children and youth. The VBS program reaches out beyond our church membership and enables us, in a special way, to work for youth in the community surrounding the church. I have noticed that youth enjoy the crafts and all the other phases of Vacation Bible School. On the closing night the parents come to see what their child has done, and invariably they are delighted. Some of the youth and parents then begin to attend Sabbath School and church, and this is good, for we should follow through on the good impressions made. Other churches have started Story Hours and Branch Sabbath Schools, and still others have gone to the homes of those who have become interested and conducted a series of Bible studies. Today, we have new members in the church as a result of the interest developed during Vacation Bible Schools. I would urge our churches to engage in this evangelistic outreach this summer.

LEROY J. LEISKE, *President
Southern Union Conference*

Last summer the Key West, Florida, Sabbath School held a Vacation Bible School. Although there was only a handful of children in their own Sabbath School, there was an attendance at the Vacation Bible School of over 60!

As the designated time of the school drew to a close, the pastor began to wonder what could be done to continue the interest of this large number of children. At the closing service, it was announced that a Pathfinder Club would be organized. The children were also invited to attend Sabbath School every week.

The Pathfinder Club was a new activity for the Key West Church. Many of the boys and girls who attended the Vacation

Bible School joined the club and participated in its activities. Children's Sabbath School facilities were expanded to accommodate the increased attendance. A children's choir was organized, and they often sang for the church services.

By these activities, many of the children from the community, who were first interested through the Vacation Bible School, were led to continue their contact with the church for several months. In its ministry to the children, the church may be of notable service to the community. The Vacation Bible School is an excellent means of initiating this wider ministry.



Mrs. Darlene Sloan, director of the children's choir, with some of the members in their special white robes.

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