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### THE PRESIDENT'S PAGE\_

Fellow Believers,

It's kind of nice to be a part of the biggest and the best, isn't it? We have this right here in our own Union. But, it didn't just happen accidentally. It came about as a result of dedication and hard work. I'm referring to the General Conference institution, the Christian Record Braille Foundation, Inc. of Lincoln, Nebraska. The Christian Record began with an idea back in 1897 and published its first ten-page monthly in 1900. From that small beginning of producing just seventy-five copies, the organization has grown to the position of enjoying the reputation of being the world's largest publisher of religious literature for the blind.

In addition to the 44-page Christian Record (first published in 1900 with 10 pages) that is circulated free to blind recipients, a talking magazine on cassette tape is available. Both the braille and tape versions contain articles, interviews and other materials that prove to be an encouragement to the blind subscribers. All age groups are included in this great humanitarian and caring outreach. As far back as 1926 the Foundation began to provide an adult Sabbath School quarterly in braille. The junior age blind children can enjoy their own publication, The Children's Friend, a 44-page book in braille. For those in the youth age group (16-30 years) two versions of Young And Alive are available, braille and large print. At the end of this past year, the Foundation began producing a magazine in large print for adult age people called Lifeglow.

The Christian Record Braille Foundation, Inc. has not overlooked the evangelistic outreach possibility. In addition to the camps operated by the Foundation (see page 3), subscribers are offered a choice of twelve Bible correspondence courses. According to information I have, some 1500 are actively enrolled in these courses each year. When a student shows an interest, the local pastor in the area is notified to follow up the interest.

Some twenty-five years ago the Foundation began producing the Full Vision books. These are designed for a blind parent to read the braille story on the lefthand page while the child's attention is held by the picture on the right-hand page. These story books include Bible stories, nature stories and children's poems.

The Foundation is very much involved in the glaucoma screening program. A fully equipped bus is used in visiting communities throughout the Nation for this very valuable project. Each year 3500 people avail themselves of this free service.

Nearly 200 are referred to physicians for treatment following examination.

We are most happy that the Foundation serving people in 83 countries around the world is headquartered right here in Lincoln. I, personally, appreciate the privilege that I have of serving as vice-chairman of the Board of Trustees and as chairman of the executive committee of the Foundation. We value the leadership given to our churches by the CRBF workers.

I would like to express my personal appreciation to Elder Howard Voss for the outstanding leadership he has given to CRBF for the years he has served as president. I'm sure you join with me in wishing him the very best of everything as he goes into retirement.

On June 6, the board invited Vernon L. Vernon L. Bretsch Bretsch of the Montana Conference, who has been serving as conference secretary, to serve as CRBF president. We welcome Elder Bretsch to the Lincoln area and pray God's rich blessings on his leadership in CRBF.

Yours in the Master's service,

foel O. Tompkins

Joel O. Tompkins, President Mid-America Union Conference

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# A Little Love Goes A Long Way

By John Treolo

The name's been changed but the story is as old as history!

Christian Record Braille Foundation began sponsoring a winter camp for the blind five years ago. Held annually in the Mid-America region, near the world-famous Winter Park ski resort in Granby, Colorado, campers come from throughout North America to participate in wintertime activities.

Timmy, eight years old and full of life (just ask his counselor) came to winter camp this year with a broken spirit.

A broken home, an uncertain

future and shattered dreams were more than any eightyear-old should have to face.

But that's how life was for Timmy!

Although a little young for winter camp—most campers are at least 14—Timmy's Christian Record representative, Sylvester Collins, could not turn away the plea in his eyes when he found out about downhill skiing, snowmobiling and other winter sports offered at camp.

Collins packed Timmy and five other sight-impaired Kansas youth in a donated van and headed for the Colorado Rockies to spend a week that Timmy had waited eight years for.

Aiding Collins in showing the

love that had been denied Timmy were the counseling staff awaiting the lad's arrival, particularly Union College students Bryan Schwarz and Linda Peters (pictured on the front cover with Timmy).

When Timmy first arrived at camp, he was like a wild tiger just released from his caged home.

Quickly earning the nickname "pistol," because he was swift at eluding his counselors, Timmy managed to get himself into activities not previously billed before camp started.

After participating in the sched-

other winter sports offered together during one of the campfire programs held during winter camp.

uled events, however, Timmy's hardness for life began to melt. He fit right into the program, much to everyone's amazement.

Brian and Linda took a special interest in Timmy. They showed the little boy that there was a Big Brother who really cared for him. Showering him with love and attention, Timmy began to realize for the first time that he was someone special.

Winter camp turned out to be little Timmy's Super Bowl in life.

"I liked everything about this camp," he explained, "but mainly I liked how everyone treated me like I was somebody. Somebody important. I like that!"

When the time came to leave camp, Timmy couldn't hold back the tears. Neither could Brian, Linda or the other staff members who became close to him.

Timmy spent a week at winter camp, but his memories will last him a lifetime.

You can assist other blind children by remembering Christian Record Braille Foundation with your prayers, commitment to the Personal Giving Plan or other offerings on July 13, designated Christian Record annual offering day.

Because of your support, many Timmys will be found in the New Jerusalem

because of receiving loving assistance from Christian Record Braille Foundation.

Please don't let the Timmys down!

John Treolo, Public Relations Director, Christian Record Braille Foundation.

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### Baptisms...

#### At Lander



Tim Struna, 15 years old and a computer wizard with one patent pending and a second applied for, is baptized by Pastor Ralph Watts in the Lander, Wyoming church. The baptism took place as the result of evangelistic meet-

ings conducted by conference evangelist Henry Barron, whose summer schedule includes Salida, Colorado, July 23 and Pueblo, Colorado, August 27.

#### At Leadville



Pastor Sylvester Case welcomes Stirling D. Berry into the membership of the Leadville, Colorado church. Berry was baptized as the result of a Bible marking seminar conducted by laymen. Three more individuals have

expressed an interest in baptism as the result of the evangelistic series.

#### At Riverton

By Barbara Thornburg



A Sabbath in mid-February, 1985 was thrilling for the Riverton, Wyoming church. Four individuals dedicated their lives to Jesus and were baptized into the membership of the church. Pastor Ralph Watts had conducted a Revelation Seminar and night after night these four individuals, along with many others from the community and the church family, attended these exciting meetings. It was a learning experience as each person caught a fresh glimpse of Jesus and His love.

On the Sabbath of the baptism Pastor Watts preached a sermon entitled "My Second Birth". He related personal

experiences that led to his baptism and the joy that he felt in serving Jesus. At the close of the sermon he gave an invitation for others to plan to become members of the church through the sacred rite of baptism. Two more people responded, and now the Riverton church is looking forward to another thrilling Sabbath.

Barbara Thornburg is the communication secretary for the Riverton church.

#### At Pueblo



Richard and Margaret Aragon attended Dale Brusett's Revelation Lectures in Pueblo in the fall of 1984. Richard is on the maintenance staff of the hall where most of Pueblo's evangelistic meetings are held. Having heard bits and pieces of four or five crusades, Richard and his wife Margaret decided to attend this one in its entirety. They did and were baptized. They immediately began to share their new-found faith with their family.

Mrs. Ida Jiron was appointed as their spiritual guardian and began to conduct follow-up Bible studies in their home. Margaret convinced first one then another, and still another of their family to come to these studies.

In May nine of Richard's and Margaret's family were baptized and four more are planning on baptism in the near future.

Along with the nine relatives of Richard and Margaret was Paul Maes, making ten in the baptismal group. Paul's wife Brenda was baptized only a few weeks previously. Paul's decision to follow Jesus's example in baptism unites the family in Christ.

#### At Canon City

A Sabbath in mid-May was a very happy and special day in Canon City, Colorado. Not only was it fellowship Sabbath, but at the close of the sermon a husband and wife were baptized in the creek on the church property.

David and Tamara McCumber, after having three series of studies given by different people, joined the church. Dave and Michele Sandoval started the first studies. Later Kurt and Marie Zerby studied through a series with the McCumbers. Kurt had a special interest in this couple, for Tamara is his sister. The McCumbers have been coming to church for almost three years, but David had a Sabbath work problem.

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Pastor Jeff Fisher studied with them, and encouraged them to test the Lord.

David tried for some time to get his work shift changed, and finally succeeded only to discover the new boss was going to work the entire company on three or four Sabbaths. David explained his convictions, and has decided to stand firm, even if it means his job. It just might mean that.

"Don't give up on those to whom you are giving Bible studies," states Pastor Fisher. "We must give the

Holy Spirit time to do His work."



Happiness is reflected in the faces of these fine members in Canon City, Colorado. In the middle are David and Tamara McCumber, recently baptized members, and Pastor Jeff Fisher. To the right are Dave and Michele Sandoval, and to the left, Kurt and Marie Zerby. It took three sets of Bible studies to prepare the McCumbers for baptism.

#### Service Awards Presented



Linda Tatum, director, and Mary McConaughey, chairman of the board, presented annual service awards to the more than 200 who attended the annual award banquet of the Denver

Community Service Center. The speaker for the occasion was Geri Lane, program coordinator of the Enablers, who expressed sincere appreciation for the assistance of Seventh-day Adventists in processing more than 13,000 pieces of winter clothing for needy individuals in the Denver area.

#### San Juan Mountain Symposium

By Gladys Phillips

Dave Fishell, a reporter for the Grand Junction Daily Sentinel and a well-known western Colorado historian, recently reached an agreement with the Museum of Western Colorado to lead a series of history tours of western Colorado and eastern Utah. Fishell, 34, is the youth leader and a deacon at the

Grand Junction Seventh-day Adventist Church.

The tours involve leading 75 to 100 people in either off-road vehicles or family cars to a variety of interesting and scenic areas. Places that will be visited include ghost towns of the San Juan Mountains, outlaw hideouts in the Canyonlands area of Utah, abandoned railroad routes of northwest Colorado, and little known gold mines along the Continental Divide in central Colorado. During the tours Fishell makes frequent stops and explains the interesting history of each area. The tours take place once a month, and fill up rapidly.

Fishell was also asked by officials at Grand Junction's Mesa College to teach the history of the San Juan Mountain region during a special summer class titled "The San Juan Symposium". The class features one week of classroom study in history, biology and geology of the San Juans, followed by one week of four-wheel drive trips and field study. The first of the annual symposiums will be held in July.

Fishell was also recently featured in a story by the Associated Press on how various Colorado towns were named. The story ran in 14 Colorado newspapers, including Denver's Rocky Mountain News. KOA, the largest radio station in Denver and in Colorado, also featured Fishell as a guest during one of the station's talk shows. Fishell answered questions on Colorado history phoned in to the station from across eastern Colorado.

Stories on Colorado history authored by Fishell frequently appear in national western history magazines. He recently finished a history book on Grand Junction, due to be released in October, and is a popular speaker on Colorado history at Mesa County schools and clubs.

Gladys Phillips is the communication secretary for the Grand Junction church.

#### **Appreciation Day**

By Geri Morris



Steve Snow, pastor of the Delta, Colorado Adventist church, was caught by surprise on a recent Sabbath when his church members planned a special "Pastor's Appreciation Day". Pastor Snow is pictured with his family as he receives a framed hand-stitched plaque.

Geri Morris is the communication secretary for the Delta church.

#### Stanley Church To Be Dedicated



The members of the Stanley Seventh-day Adventist Church in Stanley, North Dakota are glad to announce the upcoming dedication of their church. The special occasion will take place July 19 and 20, 1985. Many church leaders, pastors, and friends of the Stanley Church from throughout the Mid-America Union will be in attendance and you are warmly invited to be with us as we give thanks to God on this high day.

#### **Gold Award Recipient**

By Ronald Warner

Friends and relatives of Al Zeeb gathered together on the afternoon of March 17 when Al was presented the Gold Award for the month of March.

The award was created by the Norwest Bank and is given each month to the individual who makes significant contributions to the community and who would otherwise go unrecognized.

Pastor Lowell Rideout told of Al's work at the State Prison; Joe Hieb spoke about Al's contribution to the 5-day stop smoking clinic and Berneice Lunday told of Al's help with numerous church activities.

Mr. Warren DeKrey, president of the Bismarck Norwest Bank, stated that Al was the first recipient whose efforts have been so closely associated with church activities. DeKrey, was happy that such activities were recognized.



Al Zeeb, left, and Bill Wocken

Al was then presented the award by Mr. Bill Wocken, a Gold Awards Committee member.

Ronald Warner is the communication secretary for the Bismarck church.

#### 5-Day Plan Held In Max

By Bob Boyd

A 5-day plan to stop smoking was held recently in the Max Civic Center, Max, North Dakota. A woman from the community, upon hearing from her sister that the Adventists provided such a service, called Mrs. Gertrude Scheresky requesting the program for herself and some friends.

Dr. Stanley Reiswig, Dwight Duke and Joe VanInwagen of the Turtle Lake church conducted the clinic, and seven ladies attended faithfully. A vegetarian dinner was held for those attending and their families.

Bob Boyd is pastor of the Max church.

#### Cooking School A Success

Alice Pierson, an Adventist nutritionist from Redfield, South Dakota was the instructor at a cooking school in Mandan, North Dakota. Alice spoke about cooking with whole grains, getting a good breakfast, and how to combine foods other than meat to get a complete protein. She also talked about getting vitamins and minerals from natural sources.

She was assisted by Ruth Chase, Helen Gussner, Beatrice Schrenk, Corky Gordon and Hazel Pierson. Door prizes consisted of food or cookbooks.



At the end of each session, everyone enjoyed the food that had been prepared during the evening.

#### Ellendale Sends Literature To The Phillipines

By Emma Gulke

Packaging stacks and stacks of used religious literature and Bibles, was the scene at the Seventh-day Adventist church in Ellendale, North Dakota recently. Five huge canvas bags of literature, amounting to 2541 pounds were mailed to West Visayn Mission at Iloila City, Philippines. The Bibles were mailed to Trinidad, West Indies.

Used religious literature was accumulating and members had more to bring. Mrs. Vicki Fandrich, church school teacher, came across an address of the West Visayan Mission in the Philippines and wrote a letter asking them if they could use religious literature.



In a letter, Miss Rachail LaJo expressed her many thanks and replied that the suggestion was blessing to them because right now, in that part of the globe there is total involvement in evangelism and one of the much needed tools is literature to enlighten the message to those who are yet in the darkness of sin.

Miss LaJo quoted, "We have the so called, 'Victory Count down,' wherein our church members and laymen are encouraged to have crusades of their own and we are giving them help in harmony with the Target '85 that is soon to be finished."

"When it comes to Seventh-day Adventists in the Philippines," Miss LaJo said, "it is divided into three divisions. We belong to the Central Philippine Union Mission which has approximately 62,000 members. Others are the North and the South Philippines."

In describing life in the Philippines, Miss LaJo said, "In the Philippines there is a combination of several races—Maylan from Indonesia, Chinese, Japanese, Spanish, and some have American blood also." She added, "It is summertime now and very hot. Tropical fruits like mangoes, melons, and others are in abundance. Most of the populace depend on farming. Fishing and cotton industries are their livelihood and some are doing white collar jobs. We also have factories and big industries."

Emma Gulke is the communication secretary for the Ellendale church.

#### DAKOTA

#### Esther Widicker Honored

By Marvin Lowman



Esther Widicker, a member of the Bowdon Country Church, was honored for her devoted service to Community Services. Esther has served as Conference Federation President for the past seven years.

Marvin Lowman, Dakota Conference personal ministries director, presented the Community Services award plaque at the Workers' Meeting held last December. "Esther's leadership has meant much to our conference and has meant a personal sacrifice on her part," said Lowman. "Being a farm wife, her duties as Federation president took her away from home when her services were needed most—during spring planting and fall harvest.

Esther still plans to be very actively involved in the Community Services program of her local church.

Marvin Lowman, Communication Director, Dakota Conference.

#### **Recognition Banquet**

The Bismarck Seventh-day Adventist Church hosted a Community Service Award Recognition Banquet in honor of Roy Rockstad. Mr. Rockstad was presented a Community Recognition Award Plaque by Berneice Lunday, past communication secretary of the Bismarck Seventh-day Adventist Church, and Pastor Lowell Rideout.

A few of the activities in which Mr. Rockstad has been involved over the past years are: Boy Scouts, 4-H, president of United Way, president of Chamber of Commerce and chairman of National Retailers Association. He is also part owner of an orphanage in Mexico. Rockstad has donated generously to Seventh-day Adventist Ingathering and many other charitable organizations. All of the Rockstad children and their families were able to attend the banquet with the exception of one daughter who is in Spain.



Left to right: Berneice Lunday, Roy Rockstad and Pastor Lowell Rideout.

#### **Bowdon Volunteers**

By Esther Widicker

Dennis Kaiser was chairman of a recognition banquet for the Bowdon Volunteer Fire Department, the Rescue Squad, the EMT's and area nurses, held at the Bowdon Seventh-day Adventist Church.

Approximately 100 guests and church members attended, enjoying a meal, entertainment and a talk by Rich Carlson, from Union College, Lincoln, Nebraska.

As a former member of a volunteer rescue squad in Minnesota, Rich recalled having said, "Why am I doing this? This is crazy!" He recalled the answer to his question, "I want to give. I want to help."

Volunteers really don't enjoy the work they do, but do it without complaining or expecting anything in return. "We care. We want to help," is their total commitment.

Rich Carlson was a part of a touring group from Union who provided blue grass and gospel musical entertainment for the evening.

Plaques were presented to representatives of the rescue squad and the firemen.

Jeanne Unterseher, EMT, Geraldine Eichele, EMT, Candice Kreiter, RN, Pam Suckut, RN, Darcy Liebelt, volunteer fireman and Stanley Teller were among those honored.

Esther Widicker is the communication secretary for the Bowdon church.

## MINNESOTA

#### **Students Enjoy Field Trip**

By Marilyne Sayler

The students of the Thief River Falls Seventh-day Adventist elementary school enjoyed a field trip to the Grand Forks Air Force base this past spring. Arrangements for the field trip were made by Pastor David Girardin who serves two days per month at the Air Force base as a chaplain in the Navy reserve.



Students from the Thief River Falls elementary school stand beside a B-52 bomber at Grand Forks Air Force base.

While at the base, the students saw the museum, a military work dog demonstration, B-52 bombers and the KC-135. The children and adult chaperones were also given opportunity to sit at the controls of a helicopter.

The following day the children were further delighted when the helicopter crew, true to their promise, saluted the students by including in their flight plans two passes over the church school building.

Marilyne Sayler is the communication secretary for the Thief River Falls church.

#### Harris Pine Mill Presents Four Scholarships

Four students at Maplewood Academy received scholarships from Harris Pine Mills, Hutchinson branch, at commencement exercises on Sunday, May 19.

Harris has designed a program whereby students can receive a scholarship to a Seventh-day Adventist school in addition to the wages they earned in the work experience program between the school and the factory.

Timothy Kaldahl of Aurora, Minnesota, received \$500.00, Daniel Erickson of Duluth, \$250.00, Lynell LaMountain of Big Stone Gap, Virginia, and Jodi McKellip of Hutchinson, each \$125.00. Kaldahl, Erickson and LaMountain were all seniors at Maplewood and McKellip a junior. Tim has worked at Harris Pine for three years and the others each two years.

The scholarships are based on faithful attendance, work grade and citizenship both at work and at school.

All of these young people have worked very faithfully, sometimes working through vacations and during the summer.

Harris is proud of all students who desire Christian education enough to work for it.

Tim Kaldahl and Lynell LaMountain will both be entering college in the fall to prepare for the ministry. Daniel Erickson will be going to Union College and Jodi McKellip will return to Maplewood.

#### Cooking School Held In Dodge Center

The Dodge Center Seventh-day Adventist Church recently held a cooking school in the church basement. The public was invited and several from the community attended. As a result, an invitation was received from the local Catholic church to give a presentation on vegetarian cooking at the annual mother-daughter tea at St. John's De La Salle Catholic Church in Dodge Center.

The director for both the cooking school and the presentation at the Catholic church was Donna McNeilus, assisted by several of the

local church ladies.

#### **Revelation Seminar And Baptisms**

By Marilyne Sayler

A Revelation Seminar was held in the Thief River Falls church school auditorium this spring. The seminar, conducted by Pastor David Girardin, attracted up to 14 non-Adventists in the 30-member class.

A Sabbath evening vesper service at the church provided the setting for the baptism of three who attended the seminar. Others are continuing to study the Bible.

The three who were baptized are Donald, Evangeline and Rise Hills, who had been independently searching the scriptures for some time and found God's remnant church through the Revelation Seminar.

Baptized at the same time was Jodi, daughter of Duane and Marion Madden, teachers at the church school in Thief River Falls. She committed her life to the Lord as a result of the positive influences of a Christian home and educational system.

The Thief River Falls Church rejoices and welcomes these new members into the family of God.



From left to right: David Girardin, Jodi Madden, Rise Hills, Evangeline Hills, Donald Hills.

#### **Event Coming To Mankato**

"The Time of the End" Prophecy Forum will be held at the Mankato State University in Mankato, Minnesota, from August 16-18, 1985. Speakers will be Dr. Ralph Neall ("Why the Delay" and "How Near is His Coming") and Dr. Beatrice Neall ("Our Unique Message to the World") from the Union College religion department; Dr. Melvin Beltz, MD, ("Health in the End Time"); and Dr. Robert Hauser ("Revelation").

Rooms and vegetarian meals will be available at the college and a state park is about three miles away for camping.

For more detailed information please send a self-addressed, stamped envelope to Gary Pehrson, Maranatha Forums, P.O. Box 39, Clitherall, MN 56524.

#### **Baptisms Held At Clitherall**

By Christine Petersen



Sabbath, May 11, was a high day at the Clitherall church. Following a potluck dinner, a baptism was held for five precious children from the Clitherall church school. The baptismal service was conducted by Pastor Donald Thompson.

The candidates were graduates of the baptismal class held by Pastor Thompson at the Clitherall church school. Each child has been taught the truths of God's word and knows the true meaning of Sabbath-keeping. The children were, left to right, Shane Pritchard, Becky Zillmer, Keith Pritchard, Margaret Thompson, Kristen Weimer. All except Miss Thompson have been accepted into membership at the Clitherall church. Margaret will be a member of the Fergus Falls church where her father, Pastor Thompson, (shown in the background) is also pastor.

Christine Petersen is the communication secretary for the Clitherall

#### **Memorization Stressed In Hutchinson**

By Clara Hansen

Child abuse is brought to our attention daily by means of milk cartons, newspapers, radio and television. It is upsetting to see what is happening in our neighborhoods, cities and country. Satan is working every avenue to minimize the importance of homes, togetherness and family love.

Betty Lou Graves, a superintendent of the Hutchinson Sabbath School, has encouraged mothers, fathers, and grandparents to spend time teaching their children Bible texts and yes, even to commit whole chapters of the Bible to memory. She shared a quotation from Ellen White concerning Isaiah 53: "The entire chapter should be committed to memory. Its influence will subdue and humble the soul defiled by sin and uplifted by self-exaltation." Youth's Instructor, 12-12-1900. Then a challenge was given to the adults to memorize Isaiah 53 in the following two months. Lillian Husted, Rosalea Lang and Betty Lou Graves completed the task in the time set. Others still are working on the memorization.

On a recent Sabbath, Betty Lou's Sabbath School program was to honor the young people in their accomplishments. The elementary school instrumental ensemble played several numbers for song service as well as two numbers, "Sweet Hour of Prayer" and "Jesus, Lover of My Soul" as special music. Charlene Reid is the ensemble director.

Ścrípture recitation was as follows: Johanna Reeve, beatitudes; Allistar MacGowan, the 23rd Psalm; Tammy Haugen, books of the Old Testament; Shannon and Ricky Kaufman, memory verses of the quarter; Nicole and Maureen Reid, the Lord's prayer; John Strickland, books of the Old Testament; and Cheryl Anderson, the 91st Psalm.

The primary department children have been challenged by memory work charts with a prize of \$5 gift certificates from the Adventist Book Center for chart number one. The more difficult memory chart, number two, award is \$10 paid toward expenses at junior camp.

"The Lord calls upon all His people to improve the ability He has given them. The mental powers should be developed to the utmost; they should be strengthened and ennobled by dwelling upon spiritual truths." Testimonies, volume 5, Page 272.

Clara Hansen is the communication secretary for the Hutchinson church.

#### KANSAS-NEBRASKA

# It's Still The Right Arm

By Larry Pitcher

Health Fair Favorite. I don't know who was more surprised, Barbara Whitaker and the church members who put together the fair booth, or the officials from Ransom Memorial Hospital in Ottawa, Kansas who sponsored the Health Fair. The Seventh-day Adventist booth, featuring Smoking Sam and a computerized lung test provided by Shawnee Mission Medical Center, was the overwhelming favorite of Health Fair Participants. At one point more than 30 people had lined up at Celebration Hall to participate in the test. Nearly 400 people eagerly took the Pulmonary Function Test to determine their lung condition. One example of the positive effect of this booth is illustrated by the lady who called later to express her thanks for the test. She was so concerned about her results that she went to her doctor and discovered that she had pneumonia.

Health Emphasis Week. The Health Fair was the highlight of a week-long health emphasis by the American Cancer Society in cooperation with the Ottawa Seventh-day Adventist Church. During the health emphasis week Barbara Whitaker, personal ministries leader, with help from other members, took Smoking Sam on a visit to the local elementary schools to teach the children the evils of smoking and how such a habit can be injurious to their health. Barbara told the children, "The thing about smoking is that you can't see the damage it's doing to your lungs and probably won't feel the damage for a long, long time—possibly after it's too late to help." After seeing Smoking Sam and hearing Barbara's presentation, many of the children showed deep concern about their moms and dads and loved ones who smoke.

After the health fair, the Ottawa church members were excited about the positive effect the Seventh-day

Adventist health message had on the citizens of Ottawa, a town of about 11,000. The impact of the health message doubled when the local newspapers carried positive reports of the activities of Smoking Sam in the school and the Pulmonary Test at the Fair.

The church members are planning another health emphasis booth at the Franklin County Fair later this summer.

Smoking Sam, center, a life-sized visual aid, puffs on one of his inumberable cigarettes as Barbara Whitaker, left, discusses the perils of smoking to pupils at Garfield Elementary School. Principal Bill Ratliff adjusts the tubes in Sam's back to channel the smoke to one of his fruit jar "lungs". (Photo by Carol Murphy,



One of nearly 400 people who participated in the Pulmonary Function Test at the Health Fair, blew long and hard into a computerized machine which measured several lung functions. This booth was one of the busiest at the fair. (Photo by Wes Wilson, Ottawa Herald)



Larry Pitcher is the pastor of Ottawa Herald) the Ottawa church.

#### Goodbye Mrs. Williams

By Billie Jean Peckham

Mrs. Lois Williams, primary teacher at Valley View Adventist School in Scottsbluff, has just completed 34 years of teaching, the last 19 of which were in



Adventist schools in Nebraska. Her previous teaching was in Indiana, Michigan, and Colorado. Here in Nebraska she has taught in Heming ford.

Mrs. Lois Williams

North Platte, Omaha, and twice in Scottsbluff. As she and her husband prepare to move to Colorado this summer, she leaves many pleasant memories in the hearts of pupils and parents alike.

"We shall cherish the memory of our experience here in Nebraska, including especially our pupils. You may know, that as we leave 'The Good Life' of Nebraska, part of our heart will be there with all of you wonderful people," said Mrs. Williams, and added, "May we soon be in that better land where there will be no parting."

To Mrs. Williams we say, "Hats off to you as you turn the key in the lock of your last Nebraska church school. You have locked in a place in our memory which can never be erased".

Billie Jean Peckham, Associate Superintendent, Department of Education, Kansas-Nebraska Conference.

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#### "I Have Leukemia!"

By Edna Mae Hamit

"I have Leukemia! I also have Jesus! If my testimony can help you be a better Christian, I will be very happy.

"My praying mother led me to Christ when I was six years old. She and I attended tent meetings in 1924 in Gordon, Nebraska, where I accepted Jesus as my Savior.

"When I was eighteen I married a man eleven years older than I. We lived on a cattle and hog ranch in the middle of the Nebraska Sandhills. It was here I attended Seventh-day Adventist meetings with my mother and



Edna Mae Hamit

learned many things in the Bible
I had never known before. I
continued my studies with a
Bible correspondence course
by mail. These lessons opened
my eyes, giving me wisdom for
each trial.

"In my Bible, Leviticus 11:7, I learned pork was unclean to eat. As my children ate it one night, I prayed I would find a way not to have to feed it to them. They were sick all night. No more pork for them or me. Even my skin was cleared of all the itchy water blisters.

"My husband did not like

me to go to church and told me to get the Bible out of his sight. A few days later he threw my Bible into the stove! God gave me courage, strength and wisdom to make my problems stepping stones, not stumbling blocks.

"My next step was to be baptized into the Seventh-day Adventist Church and to keep the fourth commandment. On the day I was to be baptized, I planned to take the pick-up to church, but my husband refused. As I looked out the window, I saw him and the three children getting in the pick-up. Although I was not fully dressed I ran outside and jumped in the rear as he was driving away. When he lurched to a halt at the gate I was thrown out on my head. I climbed back in, but he took the key and left. As I sat there the minister and his wife drove up. I rode to their house with them, where she gave me a dress to wear. After my baptism at the church, they drove me home.

"In 1983 the Lord spared my life. I spent six weeks in the hospital and had two transfusions. My spleen was removed and complications set in. After six more weeks the doctor said he had done all he could. My son took me to a rest home where I was in a wheel chair and on oxygen. With my determination and God's help I walked out of the rest home.

"Now I can say, as did Isaiah, 'Here I am, God! Use me! This world is not my home. I am just passing through'. Yes, the Lord Jesus Christ will provide the way for you too, if you only ask."

This is the story of Edna Mae Hamit as told to Pastor H. E. Curl.

### CENTRAL STATES

#### Steps To Christ Crusade

Mid-America Union Conference evangelist, W. G. Zima, conducted his Steps to Christ Crusade at the Sharon Seventh-day Adventist Church, Omaha, Nebraska.

Spiritual emphasis throughout the crusade was on salvation by faith alone. Elder Zima's ministry is based on love—the love of God through faith in Jesus Christ—not fear. Many souls, thirsting for a fuller knowledge of Christ were well watered by his simple, but insightful messages.

Elder W. S. Lee, pastor, believes that the church is a training school. Under this guiding philosophy, a group of church members was already involved in evangelistic training with the John E. Collins program. Several of these members alternated with Elder Lee in assisting Elder Zima in the visitation evangelism, which is a vital facet of the Steps to Christ Crusade.

Visitation evangelism involves door-to-door soul winning. Its primary focus is directed to former Adventists and family members of Adventists. Individuals in this group have heard the Three Angels' Message, but for some reason have not fully committed themselves to it. Elder Zima's success with this form of evangelism lies in his deep abiding faith in, and love for, Jesus Christ.

"Searching for jewels for the Lord's kingdom," as Elder Zima refers to visitation evangelism, was an answer to prayer for Sister Robbie Bass, church Bible worker. Enthusiastic for the opportunity to work with Elder Zima, she witnessed first-hand his effective techniques for getting a commitment from an interest. Her only disappointment was in being called to jury duty which, for several days, took her from the first love of her life—working in the Lord's vineyard. Elder Zima expressed deep appreciation for Sister Bass' faithful assistance.

The crusade culminated in the baptism or re-baptism of 32 souls. Among those baptized was Brother Edward Smith. You may wonder what is so unique about a man named "Ed" Smith. Well, Brother Smith has the distinction of being a keen minded centenarian plus three. At 103 years of age, Brother Smith has the further distinction of being the oldest person baptized by Elder Zima. A special relationship developed between Elder Zima and brother Smith, as with the other new believers, during their almost daily studies together.

Although the crusade has ended, it is still bearing fruit. Elder Zima came back and did follow up work with Robbie Bass, and on May 18, ten more were baptized. Other souls that were brought into the light of Christ's saving love have made a commitment for future baptism or

further study leading to baptism.

All who witnessed this crusade can testify of the results of lifting up Christ. Jesus said, "And I, if I be lifted up from the earth, will draw all men unto me." John 12:32.

Left to right: W. G. Zima, Edward T. Smith and John Mosley, church elder.



#### First Annual Music Festival

By Gwendolyn Walker

Friday evening, April 19, was the beginning of the Central States Conference Annual Music Festival, hosted by the Denver Park Hill church. Elder Fred Hatch, president of the Rocky Mountain Adventist Youth Federation, organized an outstanding program for that weekend. Elder N. Miller, director, stressed that the purpose of the music festival was "not to see who would take home the trophies, but to bring the attention to music and to address the music problem in our churches".

The speaker for the evening was Pastor Rodney Draggon of the Palace of Peace church in Colorado Springs. His message was "Don't Let Anyone Silence the Testimony". Pastor Draggon brought a highly spiritual message to the saints from Great Plains, Central, Eastern and Rocky Mountain AY Federations.

That evening, Elder Miller introduced the new conference president, Elder J. Paul Monk, who expressed warm greetings. On Sabbath, his message entitled "It Could Happen to Us", brought a powerful objective on how to prepare now for the soon coming of Christ and to use our intelligence to win souls to Christ. He also emphasized the famines in other countries and how America certainly is not immune with all its sin and world problems.

The day was followed by the Music Fest at the George Washington High School auditorium. The concert was divided into two age categories, ages 9-15 and ages 16-35. There were solos, duets, trios, quartets, small groups and choirs. From Denver, Robin Gellineau, soloist; Echos of Sunshine choir; and Karen and Karmen Taylor and Robin Gellineau, trio, received the trophy in age category 9-15. The Park Hill Youth Choir received the trophy in age category 16-35.

The program was followed by a sports tournament in the gymnasium where the saints had the opportunity to fellowship and enjoy refreshments. The weekend was a blessing and we all look forward to next year's musical.

Gwendolyn Walker is the communication secretary for the Park Hill church.

### **JOWA-MISSOURL**

#### Nine Baptized At Poplar Bluff

By Ralph Tibbs



Pastor Mike Pethel of Poplar Bluff, Missouri baptized nine people during the Dave Weigley Prophecy Countdown which ended April 6. Two others also rededicated their lives to God.

Ralph Tibbs is the communication secretary for the Poplar Bluff church.

#### **Three Baptized At Indianola**



Left to right: Debbie Kubli, Jo Cole, Kevin Kennard, Donita Davison, Elder George King.

The congregation of the Indianola church gathered at Lake Ahquabi the afternoon of May 25 for a fellowship dinner and a baptismal service. Three precious souls were baptized and one received into church membership by profession of faith.

#### **Investiture At Sedalia**

By Naomi Madden



On the beautiful evening of April 9 the Sedalia Church had its first Investiture service. After a brief program by the students, Fordyce Koenke made some challenging remarks and gave the charge to the various classes.

Our hearts were made glad as we saw the response of our youth from Sedalia's first church school.

Naomi Madden is the communication secretary for the Sedalia church.

#### **Arbor Day**



Third and fourth graders at Cedarvale Junior Academy planted trees on the school grounds for Arbor Day. Jane Reding is the teacher.

#### **Students Visit Jefferson City**

By Naomi Madden



Back row, left to right: Mark Jenkins, Mrs. Hazel Brown (teacher), Kathy Rose, Senator Jim Matthewson, Cami Oetman. Front row, left to right: Brent Page, Oscar Willis, Kimberly Juhl, and Brad Oetman.

Kent Juhl of the Sedalia church school arranged a field trip for the teacher and students to Jefferson City. A business associate of Juhl's, Senate Majority Leader Jim Matthewson, scheduled tours for the group at the Missouri Conservation Commission, where the students fed the fish; the Governor's Mansion; and Lohman's Landing, where they saw a film on the history of Jefferson City. They also toured the Capitol where they observed the House of Representatives in session, and received a standing ovation from the Senate. Two of the older students, Cami Oetman and Mark Jenkins, were made honorary pages for the day, and spent some time working with the Senate.



#### Baby Is Dedicated

Pastor Neil F. Dye dedicated 3-monthold Megan Hansen on April 5 in the Spencer, Iowa church. Shown with Pastor Dye and Megan are Tammy and Bruce Hansen of Webb.

# **Scenes From Camp Meeting**



















#### CAPTIONS:

- Elder D. A. Delafield welcoming Elder and Mrs. Keith Hanson into the gospel ministry at his ordination.
- 2. ABC Sidewalk Sale.
- 3. Gordon Jenson, missionary from India.
- Morris Venden, one of the featured speakers.
- Truck driver, Gary Dunlap, telling stories of his witnessing.
- 6.7.8. Time for relaxation, fellowship and music
- Children participate in one of the divisions.

# Maternity Services Designed To Fit Parent's Need

Parents today want childbirth to be a unique and special experience. Shawnee Mission Medical Center offers one of the most complete lines of pre- and postnatal classes in the area. For example, a mother and father can choose a program that is exactly what they want. While a complete program is available, many options also exist.

A popular class is the Early Pregnancy Series, which helps parents develop more realistic attitudes toward pregnancy, childbirth and parenting.

Many mothers join the hospital's prenatal aerobics class offering fun, fitness and friendships. And there are one-night courses on breast-feeding and infant care.

No matter how many people register for classes, the medical center will not turn anyone away. First-time parents learn the Lamaze Method of childbirth preparation, breathing and relaxation techniques, physical conditioning exercises and coaching skills. There is a refresher course for repeat parents and a class for couples preparing for Caesarean birth.

Siblings must also face many adjustments. Shawnee Mission Medical Center has a special program for these children covering common newborn behavior. The program attempts to curb sibling rivalry. The children are told what changes to expect and they see a slide show, "Our Family is Changing in a Special Way" and the film, "Sometimes I'm Jealous of That Baby".

Couples who have problems reaching one another during the day can obtain a free beeper from the medical center. By using this system, the wife can reach her husband up to 35 miles away when she needs to go to the hospital. The

medical center's maternity unit has its own entrance that assures quick access to the labor and delivery rooms.



Patty Fowler, right, explains Shawnee Mission Medical Center's beeper program to Terry and Jerry Busch of Overland Park.

The mother can have the birthing process any way she likes. While most births involve only the father and mother, the hospital has no restriction on who participates in the delivery.

The private rooms now include couches, table lamps, wallpaper and other "bedroom decor". Extremely flexible visiting hours enable the family to visit with mother and baby at virtually any time.

Shawnee Mission Medical Center has an infant car seat loan program. For only \$1 a month, parents can rent a car seat for their child.

An infant stimulation class shows parents how to provide pleasing play that will help their baby develop physically, emotionally and mentally.

If mothers want to, they can participate in the Mother's Milk Bank, a program sponsored by Shawnee Mission Medical Center and Zarda Dairy to provide quality milk for babies who need mother's milk.

For more information about the maternity program or for a tour of the maternity unit, call Patty Fowler at 676-2300.

#### **Health Awareness Day**

Good health is something you just can't take for granted. That's why Channel 9, Brighton Civitan Club and Platte Valley Medical Center recently sponsored a special Health Awareness Day at the Platte Valley Medical Center.

Approximately 500 had their height, weight, blood pressure and vision checked, and a personal history taken. Professional counseling on how to live longer and healthier was also a part of the day's programming. Screenings also available were: blood chemistry analysis, oral exams, podiatry checks, hearing tests, respiratory evaluation, and coronary risk profiles.



A young lady has her blood pressure checked during PVMC's Health Awareness Day.

According to those in attendance the Health Fair was very much of a success. Plans are now being made for another Health Awareness Day sceduled for April, 1986. For further information contact: Daryl Meyers, (303) 659-1531.

# The Down Side of Uppers

"It's difficult for an individual to tell if he's becoming dependent on amphetamines," says Child Psychologist Dr. Dorynne Czechowicz. "When people continue to use stimulants, the drug actually interferes with their thinking processes. People who have gone on binges of amphetamine use have even become psychotic."

Although amphetamines have long been regarded as "soft" drugs, they are nonetheless dangerous, says Dr. Czechowicz, who is an assistant director in the prevention and communication division of the National Institute on Drug Abuse (NIDA).

According to the most recent NIDA survey, 35 percent of high-school seniors report having used amphetamines or similar stimulants at some time in their lives. Most of these students will not become dependent on stimulants, but many will suffer some of the short-term effects associated with stimulant use. Depression, loss of appetite, irritability, and sleeplessness are common among people who continue to use stimulants. The long-term effects of stimulant use are not entirely known, although paranoia and hallucinations do occur.

Dr. Czechowicz stresses the need for young people to avoid experimenting with drugs. "Kids have the idea that they can try something and then give it up, because they're trying so many new things in life. But you just can't do that with drugs and expect that it won't develop into something

#### UNION COLLEGE

#### **Union College Graduates**



On the morning of May 12 the 1985 graduating class marched down the center aisle of the College View Church to receive their long-sought-after diplomas. It was a festive occasion as Dr. John Wagner, former Academic Dean of Union College, addressed the graduated, their families and friends in the overflowing sanctuary. With the faculty and staff behind him in their multi-colored academic regalia, Dr. Wagner spoke to the class on the subject of "Practical Principles for Living". In all, 163 graduates received diplomas.

During the other weekend activities, Dr. H. Ward Hill spoke for the Baccalaureate service on Sabbath morning and Dr. Lilya Wagner presented the

address during the Friday evening Consecration service.

The following students received degrees from Union College:

#### **BACHELOR DEGREES**

Business Administration: Jodie Allen, Lincoln, NE; Michael Carlson, Lincoln, NE; Bruce Edwards, Loveland, CO; Denise Edwards, Loveland, CO; Brian Flynn, Silver Springs, MD; Dawn Koza, Pine City, MN; Sukarna Kusno, Indonesia; Richard Lang, Plymouth, MN; Gary McPherson, Lincoln, NE; Victor Nallick, Minneapolis, MN; Fred Rees, Lincoln, NE; Nancy Rees, Delta, CO; Arlyn Robertson, Lincoln, NE; Steve Trana, Wadena, MN; Tom Saget, Lincoln, NE; Perry Anderson, Columbus, WI; Gary Berthelsen, Lincoln, NE; Arlana Niswonger, Belfield, ND.

Nursing: Dale Assam, Sioux Falls, SD; Karen Carlson, Lincoln, NE; Lindelda Clutter, Canada; Camillyn Dale, Eureka, KS; Janelle Eck, Montrose, MN; Sandra Fraley, Lincoln, NE; Carrie Goetz, Othello, WA; Kathleen Goff, Grand Rapids, MN; Carmen Hayden, Washington, D.C.; Rhonda Humenny, Canada: Rebecca Johnson, Brunswick, ME; Rhonda McDaniel, Jamestown, ND; Teri Morse, Lincoln, NE; Sherilynn Peterson, Lincoln, NE: Esther Snow, Coffeyville, KS; Jessica Stendel, Singapore; Helena Tang, Singapore; Vilma Villagomez, Kampala, Uganda; Debbie Wooten, DeSoto, KS; Brenda Morris, Grand Junction, CO; Sandra Schaeffer, Lincoln, NE; Susan Bascom, Panora, IA; Michael Burton, Desoto, KS; Patricia Edwards, Lincoln, NE; Karen Leonard, St. Louis, MO.

Theology: Kevin Brown, Lincoln, NE; Clayton Peck, Central Africa; David Pierce, Eugene, OR; Barry Taylor, Ontario, Canada; Gregory Welch, Lincoln, NE; Roger Moyer, Rochester, WA; David Crockett, Lincoln, NE; Loren King, Pratt, KS; John Moran, Lincoln, NE; David Wojcik, Salina, KS.

Biology: Joyce Beck, Woodworth, ND; Bradley Drury, Susanville, CA; Curtis Eldenburg, Sedalia, MO; Ronald Hart, Whittier, CA; Brigit Hausted, Muscatine, IA; David Wareham, Shingleton, CA; Guadalupe Campos, Nicaragua.

Natural Science: Jay Neil, Jr., North Conway, NH.

Chemistry: DuWayne Carlson, Loma Linda, CA; Laronna Colbert, Des Moines, IA; Misao Georga Kawamura, Ontario, Canada; Terri Schlegel, Hamburg, PA; Joycelyn Villagomez, East Africa.

Physics: Leigh Ann Nicholl, Lafax, IL.

Computer Science: Ronald Clutter, St. Paul, MN; Martin Roe, Colorado Springs, CO; Donald Weber, Sturgeon, MO; Elvin Gaben, East Malaysia.

Music Performance: Kristin Heslop, Topeka, KS; John Hilbert, Lansing, MI; Raymond Nikyuluw, Ontario, Canada; Ralph Sanchez, Amarillo, TX; Kent Stearman, Round Rock, TX; Lisa Wick, Minneapolis, MN.

Elementary Education: Wilma Bing, Manhattan, KS; Cheryl Fox, Lincoln, NE; Rosa Hankins, Lincoln, NE; Sandra Johnson, Hutchinson, MN; Sharon Lindner, Lincoln, NE; Andrea Marinos, Wilson, WI, Connie Reece, Casper, WY; Renee Russell, Koshkonong, MO; Scott South, Corning, IA; Darla Washburn, Lincoln, NE; Kristine Peterson, Lincoln, NE; Michelle Downey, Montrose, CO; Debra Jo Werner, Eaton, CO.

Art Education: Jennifer Gooch, Choctaw, OK; Lynn Davis, Van Meter, IA.

History: Peter Hammermueller, Ontario, Canada.

English: Louis Arokiasamy, West Malaysia; Heidi Bittner, Frostburg, MD; Evert McDowell, Silver Springs, MD. Youth Ministry: Craig Heinrich, Redding, CA; Stephanie Johnson, Albuquerque, NM.

Religion: Thomas Seibold, Cleveland, ND; Cornell Gallagher, Coffeyville, KS.

Social Science: Gerald Adams, Redding, CA.

Office Administration: Katherine Peterson, Adelphia, MD.

Commercial Art: Ted Itoh, Japan.

Social Work: Carolee Thorp, Hennessey, OK; Gladys Woods, Topeka, KS.

Music Education: Curtis Anderson, Hutchinson, MN; Judy Duncan, Harare, Zimbabwe.

Mathematics: Fukukazu Nakama, Japan; Sim Wan Hong, East Malaysia; Randall Wolfe, Wichita, KS; Cameron Chue Kin Shum, Hong Kong.

Physical Education: Laura Fenton, Lincoln, NE; Arnold Peterson, Gentry, AR; Jerry Groeneweg, Lincoln, NE.

**Behavioral Science:** Debbie Capazo, West Point, NE; James Potter, Loveland, CO; Bryan Schwarz, Colorado Springs, CO; Robin Winders, Montrose, CO.

Human Interaction: Tamara Lingle, Crete, NE.

Dental Science: Randall Asher, Englewood, CO.

Medical Technology: Luenda Charles, Hinsdale, IL.

Middle Grades Education: Ron Reese, Delano, MN.

Home Economics Education: Maria Trana, Wadena, MN.

Clerical Skills: Norma Tucker, Lincoln, NE.

Language Arts Education: Lynne Gordon, Lincoln, NE.

#### **Associate Degrees**

Health Science: Cheryl Daarud, Boulder, CO; Ron DeFluiter, Harrisonville, MO; Scott Fandrich, Lincoln, NE; Ann-Louise Fraser, St. Croix, V.I.; Juli Hamm, Fitzwilliam, NH; Angela Huston, Omaha, NE; Steven Newton, Denver, CO; Sharon Roach, Bahamas; Dwight Salkey, New York, NY; Karen Sorensen, Overland Park, KS; Kevin Ellis, Lincoln, NE.

Early Childhood Education: Joan Freeman, Lincoln, NE; Christiane Hausted, Muscatine, IA; Patricia Hicks, St. Louis, MO; Beverly McMillen, Denver, CO; Harla Shields, Sidney, NE; Renae Wine, Englewood, CO.

Hospitality Management: Patricia Houghtelling, Salmon, ID.

Office Administration: Patricia Parmele, Lincoln, NE.

Secretarial Science: Julianne Epple, Lone Jack, MO; Yukiko Michimoto, Japan; Nicoli Pointer, Shelton, NE; Heidi Jo Rogers, Scottsbluff, NE; Jodi Spotts, Hackettstown, NJ; Katrina Howell, Ft. Riley, KS; Mary McMillen, Denver, CO; Connie Baugh, Centralia, MO.

Computer Science: Harry Hammermueller, Canada; Kurt Barton, Brighton, CO.

**Business Administration:** Sharon Hein, Altoona, IA; Della Johns, Cleveland, ND; Tim Thomas, Hawkins, TX.

#### HIGHLIGHTS

#### Halle Crowson Retires

By Joel D. Tompkins

With this issue of the Mid-America Adventist Outlook, we announce the retirement of Halle G. Crowson who has been the editor of this publication and

Communication Director since the Central and Northern Union Conference in 1980. He also served in the areas of Public Affairs and Religious Liberty; Adventist-laymen's Services and Industries (ASI); and as founder/director of the Northern School of Bible Prophecy.



Halle G. Crowson

Elder Crowson strongly emphasized communication and public relations as an involvement of the entire church congregation—from the groundskeeper and janitor to the first elder, church board and the pastor. He stressed that the appearance of the church, inside and outside, the orderliness of the services, and all outreach programs from Vacation Bible schools to stop smoking clinics to evangelistic efforts, all bear an influence on the community.

As director of Public Affairs and Religious Liberty, Elder Crowson saw a marked increase in recent years of employment problems for Seventh-day Adventists, and an increase in proposed legislative bills that could undermine church/state separation. He visited senators and congressmen, and corresponded with them on behalf of the Seventh-day Adventist denomination and its voters.

The Mid-America Chapter of ASI has grown and become more active through Elder Crowson's leader-ship. Business and professional people are discovering more ways of witnessing and reaching out to their communities through their business establishments.

The Northern School of Bible Prophecy, founded by Elder Crowson in 1979, has grown beyond expectation with enrollments now totalling more than 250,000. He gives much of the credit to the volunteer workers and to the many who support the school in a financial way. The school will continue to operate under the direction of James Cress in the Ministerial Department.

Prior to Elder Crowson's work in the departments we have mentioned, he was a strong evangelist, conducting about 200 series in rural and metropolitan areas, and baptizing many new members. The Adventist church as a whole has been richly blessed by his many years of faithful service.

Now, as Elder Crowson retires from his official duties, he has already made plans to be involved in personal witnessing and lay evangelism. The officers and staff of the Mid-America Union and the local conferences join in saying, "Thank you, Elder Crowson, for a job well done, and may your retirement years be long and happy and productive! God bless you!"

Joel O Tompkins, President

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Dr. Norman Moll, Associate Scientist, Dow Chemical Company, Midland, Michigan. Dr. Moll is a graduate of Andrews University and Case Institute of Technology. He joined Dow Chemical in 1968.

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#### **ASI National Convention**

Adventist-Laymen's Services and Industries (ASI) invites professional and business persons to our National Convention. The Convention will be at Big Sky, Montana, September 4-7. It is located eighteen miles north of Yellowstone National Park and fifty miles west of Bozeman, Montana.

The Convention program consists of professional seminars as well as spiritual guidance for making our businesses an opportunity for outreach. This year there will be four hours of instruction on How To Conduct Revelation Seminars, and four hours of instruction on Christian Financial Concepts. There will also be two hours of seminars for nurses. The young people will have illustrated talks about mountain lions and mountain men, along with horseback riding and swimming which will be available. The highlight of the meeting will be the sharing time by our members on Thursday and Friday evenings. You are invited to be with ASI for the Convention!

For more information phone (402) 483-4451, or write ASI, P.O. Box 6127, Lincoln, NE 68506. Or you may write ASI, 6840 Eastern Avenue NW, Washington, DC 20012. Phone (202) 722-6392.

#### This Month In SIGNS

"How well are you preparing for life's second half?" asks Lois Pecce in Signs's cover article for July. In North America, the median age is growing older. What life will be like for you 20, 30, or even 40 years from

now may well depend on the physical, emotional, financial, and spiritual preparation you make today. This article is full of down-to-earth advice. Look for the handy checklist for men and women on page 21 to determine how well you're doing.

Also in the July Signs, Richard Rice asks, "Why Join A Church?" Isn't salvation and Christian experience essentially an individual matter? Does a Christian really need a church? Read why the author believes the church is so important. And check the nine 'Points to Ponder When Choosing a Church". They are on page 15.

Robert Nixon evaluates the performance of the Supreme Court on church/state

"The Gift of Peace" shows you how to have this greatest of Jesus' legacies—"My peace I leave with you", He promised.

Don't miss "The Potato Project", a fascinating story of how two men with a dream have fed thousands of people free!

And you'll find much more in the awardwinning Signs of the Times for July. Be looking for it.

#### Church Hymnal Represents Largest Printing At Review

When the new SDA Hymnal went to press on schedule on April 24, it represented the largest single printing of a case-bound book in the 136-year history of the Review and Herald. The 848-page hymnbook is comprised of 26 individual 32-page signatures, each requiring a separate run on the web presses. Pressmen worked a double shift to meet the deadlines for the new hymnal, which will be introduced officially at the 1985 General Conference session in New Orleans. The initial printing required two boxcar loads, or 240,000 pounds, of web press paper. Company president, Harold Otis, Jr., presented the first copy to Elder Neal C. Wilson in May.



Charles L. Brooks, chairman of the hymnal committee, smiles with approval at the sight of the first signatures of the new church hymnal coming off the press.





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#### **New Resource Catalog**



The North American Division, in cooperation with the Review and Herald Publishing Association, has produced a resource catalog that will help church leaders on every level be able to utilize products that are available on various subjects of church growth. This catalog lists products such as books, magazines, cassettes, videos, filmstrips, et cetera, to aid our churches in carrying out the Caring Church strategy in our local communities. The description of each product will help our leaders know if the material is what they are looking for.

One of the first copies of the NAD Resource Catalog was presented to Mid-America Union president, Joel Tompkins, (above), at the Spring Meeting in Washington, DC.

#### OBITUARIES

BARTHELL, Shirley N., passed to her rest Apr. 24, 1985 at the age of 85. She was born on October 8, 1899, and was married to Merle Barthell May 28, 1925. Shirley is survived by 3 children: Winifred (Mrs. George Ferring) of Lansing, Luella (Mrs. Irvin Hart) of Cedar Rapids, and James Barthell of Bellingham, WA; 14 grandchildren and 16 great-grandchildren.

COMPTON, Georgiana, was born Sept. 11, 1923 at St. Louis, MO and passed away on May 7, 1985, She is survived by her husband, Robert W; a son, Robert, Jr. of San Diego; a daughter, Kathi (Mrs. Duane Prusta) of Overland Park, KS; 2 brothers, Dr. William Spanos of Redlands, CA, and Ted Spanos, Jr. of St. Louis. Georgiana was a graduate of Oak Park Academy and Union College, class of 1944. She married Robert Compton in 1948 in St. Louis, MO. She taught for one year at Lodi, CA, and 37 years in the Lincoln Public School System at Pound Junior High.

FRICK, Viola Ida (nee Hartman), was born Sept. 3. 1902. La Crosse, KS. In 1926 she married Jake Frick who had worked in the Kansas Conference. They answered a call to serve in Alsace-Lorrain, France as Adventist Youth Director, and lived and worked in Strasburg, France. While serving there Viola took dietetic courses in Hartsburg, Germany and in Zurich, Switzerland, Returning to America, Jake attended the Adventist Seminary at Washington, D.C. After only two months they answered a call to join Dr. Harry Miller in China. Their work was suddenly interrupted by the outbreak of World War II and they found themselves Japanese prisoners of war for nearly 3 years in Chuking-Ho Ming Proving, China. Eventually the American women were released and Viola was returned to the United States. Jake remained in the interior of China in charge of Adventist denominational property. He was eventually able to return to the United States and they pastored a number of churches; Sheridan, Casper and Cheyenne in Wyoming, and in Longmont and Rifle in Colorado. Viola taught for 10 years in Boulder Junior Academy. Her husband preceded her in death.

KELLY, Alta Mason, passed to her rest on Apr. 9, 1985 at the age of 100 in Waterloo, IA. She is survived by her son, Robert D. Mason and 4 grandchildren.

LARSON, Mildred F., 89, died in Burlington Medical Center on Apr. 20, 1985. She is survived by a son, Harlow L. E., Burlington; 2 daughters, Orla M. Anderson, Salem, OR, and Ilien D. Brunken, Burlington, IA; 5 sisters, Olga J. Johnsen, Nina E. Anderson, Cora Nettum, Julia A. Durham and Bertha J. Bjone; 2 brothers, Earl A. Johnson, and Irving W. Johnson; 16 grand-children, 26 great-grandchildren, 1 great-great grandson.

LAWLER, Anne, was born June 26, 1905 in Emmons County, ND, and passed away Apr. 28, 1985 at Bismarck, ND. She was a member of the Linton SDA church. Survivors are her 3 daughters, Mrs. Kenneth (Dolly) Triggs of Mandan, ND, Mrs. Paul (Faith) Hall of Cresco, IA, and Mrs. Leo (Sally) Grenz of Braddock, ND; a son, Teddie J. Lawler of Linton, ND; 1 brother, James Postle; 12 grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren.

MERKEL, Louis F., was born Sept. 9, 1899 near Glenham, SD, and passed away May 5, 1985 at Mobridge, SD. He was a member of the Mobridge SDA church. Survivors are his wife, Martha; 2 daughters, Mrs. T. Raymond (Evis R.) Byre of Selby, SD, and Mrs. John (Idona D.) Wetch, Fargo, ND; a son, E. Robert Merkel of Glenham, SD; 2 sisters, Mrs. Dorothy Siewert and Mrs. Harold

(Rose) Baird; 2 half-brothers, Reinholt and Ruben; 14 grandchildren and 15 great-grandchildren.

PETERS, Melvin, born Mar. 2, 1908, at Goodland, KS, and died Apr. 24, 1985, Lincoln, NE. Survivors include his wife, Georgianna; daughter, Joyce Stampler of Crystal Lake, IL; son. Clyde of Lincoln, NE (who was the first pilot on the Fernando Stahl mission aircraft in Peru); 4 sisters, Helen Tallman and Gladys Peterson, both of Denver, CO, Evelyn Norris of Sacramento, CA, and Wilma Stade of Richland, WA; 3 brothers, Raymond Peters and Don E. Peterson, both of Edson, KS, and Maurice Peters of Goodland, KS.

PHERSON, Raymond Leslie, was born in Colorado Springs, CO, and died May 14, 1985 at the age of 67. For many years he and his family lived in Boulder, CO where he operated a transportation business. He is survived by his wife Patricia, and 2 daughters, Sherry Beth Logan and Patricia Ann Pherson.

SANDERS, Marie (Peggy), was born Apr. 1, 1921 at Watertown, SD, and passed away Apr. 14, 1985 in CA. She was a member of the Rapid City, SD, SDA church. Survivors include her husband, Joe Sanders of CA; 5 daughters, Sharon Moore, Rapid City, SD; Janice McCurdy, Patricia Neuman, Sheila Sanders, and Alva Sanders all of CA; 6 sisters, Naomi Laurence, Rosalie Schultz, Regina Anderson, Beverly Machard, Sandra Makovsky and Mary Lynn Myers; 3 brothers, Franklin (Bud), Chuck and Gary Myers; 7 grandchildren and 1 great-grandchild.

STOVER, Raymond Milton, was born Sept. 22, 1902, Calhan, CO, and died Apr. 27, 1985, Loveland, CO. He is survived by his wife, Elmyra; son, James D. Stover, Joshua, TX; daughter, Mary Anne Stenberg, Hayward, CA; step-son, Robert Confer; step-daughters Eileen Seeley, Lillian Dickerson and Sarah Cushing; brother, Leonard Stover and sister, Vera Humes; 4 grandchildren, 5 great-grandchildren; 12 step-grandchildren and 16 step-great-grandchildren.

TESKE, Robert R., was born May 3, 1912 at Kulm, ND, and passed away Apr. 25, 1985 at Aberdeen, SD. He was a member of the Ellendale, ND, SDA church. Survivors are his wife, Ella; a daughter, Louise Docktor of Tuttle, ND; 3 sons, Melvin of Berlin, ND, Dean of Stratford, CT, Curtis of Lamoure, ND; a sister, Mrs. Lloyd (Sarah) Smith; 2 brothers, Emmanuel and Dan both of Ellendale, and 8 grandchildren.

#### WEDDINGS

Gregory - Rose

Florence Ann Gregory and Daniel M. Rose were married May 19, 1985 at Heyburn, Idaho. They are making their home at Burley, Idaho.



#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

WALLA WALLA COLLEGE ALUMNI RE-UNION AT GENERAL CONFERENCE. Alumni will have a breakfast reunion at the Ramada Hotel, 1732 Canal Street, New Orleans, on Friday, July 5, at 8 a.m. The speaker will be the new college president, Jack Bergman.

EAU CLAIRE, WI, CHURCH SCHOOL REUNION, Sabbarh, July 20, 1985, 919 10th Street, Altoona, WI. If you can't attend please send a letter stating the years you attended, teacher's name, and your school days experience. Picture of you and your family will be appreciated. Send by July 1. Ida Mae Best, Silvermine Drive, Box 291, Route 5, Eau Claire, WI 54703. (715) 832-7150.

ATTENTION: NEW ENGLAND SANITARIUM AND HOSPITAL SCHOOL OF NURSING alumni home coming, New England Memorial Hospital, Stoneham, MA, Sept. 27, 28, 29, 1985. Professional seminar, \$5.00; banquet, \$8.00. Address inquiries and reservations to Alumni Secretary, N.E.M.H., 5 Woodland Rd., Stoneham, MA 02180. (617) 665-1740, ext. 350.

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ATTENTION: HTS AND MAPLEWOOD ACADEMY alumni weekend will be October 3-6, 1985. Activities begin Thursday evening. Tours, agape feast, and vespers are scheduled Friday. Kermit Netteburg will be the Sabbath morning speaker. A potfuck dinner is planned as well as a variety program for Saturday evening. Sunday morning brunch will be served. Rooms are available, but bring your own linen.

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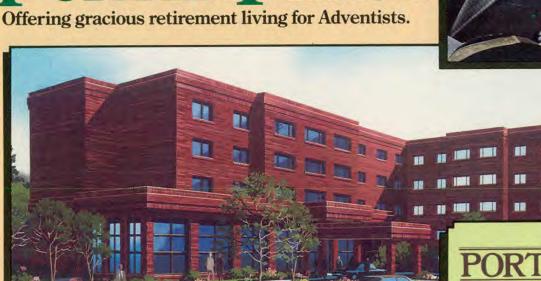
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	July 5	July 12	July 19	July 26	Aug. 2
Denver, CO	8:31	8:29	8:25	8:19	8:12
Grand June., CO	8:43	8:41	8:37	8:32	8:25
Pueblo, CO	8:25	8:23	8:19	8:14	8:07
Cedar Rapids, IA	8:45	8:42	8:38	8:32	8:24
Davenport, IA	8:39	8:36	8:32	8:26	8:18
Des Moines, IA	8:52	8:49	8:44	8:39	8:31
Sioux City, IA	9:05	9:03	8:58	8:52	8:44
Dodge City, KS	9:05	9:03	8:59	8:54	8:48
Goodland, KS	8:17	8:14	8:10	8:05	7:58
Topeka, KS	8:52	8:49	8:45	8:40	8:33
Wichita, KS	8:55	8:52	8:49	8:44	8:37
Duluth, MN	9:05	9:02	8:56	8:49	8:40
Interni. Falls, MN	9:18	9:14	9:08	9:00	8:50
Minneapolis, MN	9:02	8:59	8:54	8:47	8:39
Rochester, MN	8:55	8:52	8:47	8:41	8:33
Columbia, MO	8:38	8:36	8:32	8:27	8:20
Kansas City, MO	8:48	8:45	8:41	8:36	8:29
Springfield, MO	8:37	8:35	8:31	8:27	8:20
St. Louis, MO	8:29	8:26	8:22	8:17	8:11
Grand Island, NE	9:08	9:06	9:01	8:56	8:49
Lincoln, NE	9:01	8:59	8:55	8:49	8:42
North Platte, NE	9:18	9:16	9:11	9:06	8:58
Omaha, NE	9:00	8:57	8:53	8:47	8:40
Scottsbluff, NE	8:32	8:30	8:25	8:19	8:12
Bismarck, ND	9:39	9:36	9:30	9:23	9:14
Fargo, ND	9:24	9:20	9:15	9:07	8:58
Williston, ND	9:57	9:53	9:47	9:39	9:30
Pierre, SD	9:28	9:25	9:20	9:13	9:05
Rapid City, SD	8:38	8:35	8:30	8:23	8:15
Sioux Falls, SD	9:11	9:08	9:03	8:57	8:49
Casper, WY	8:48	8:45	8:40	8:34	8:26
Cheyenne, WY	8:35	8:32	8:28	8:22	8:15
Sheridan, WY	8:56	8:53	8:48	8:41	8:33

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