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## Hope Magazine Sparks Lay Work At College Church

Twelve regular weekly Bible studies or cottage meetings are being conducted by members of the College Park Church and students of Middle East College as a result of following the *Hope Magazine* evangelism plan during 1962. The church subscribed last February to 600 missionary subscriptions of the magazine.

The Bible studies grew out of the second phase of the evangelism plan, the visiting of the subscribers to see whether or not they had received their magazines and to note their response.

The visiting program began shortly after the opening of school at Middle East College and was carried on mostly by students of the college, led by Elder Wayne Olson. They carried with them the first lessons of the Voice of Prophecy which they gave to the subscribers explaining how to study the lessons. Many enrolled in the course.

Where special interest was found, the plan for a teacher to come to their home and conduct a Bible study for them and their neighbors was explained. The church was able to care for

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## Tanta Bans Alcohol

The president of the United Arab Republic, Gamal Abd an-Nasser, has forbidden the issuing of licenses in Tanta, Egypt, for the operation of wine shops, bars, and public houses, following a speech given by Elder William Gayed Khálil in Tanta, June 16, at a general assembly there to discuss the issuing of the new constitutional law.

The speech was reported in the Cairo daily newspaper, *El Gumburia*, the

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## QUADRENNIAL SESSION ELECTS OFFICERS, VOTES PLANS



*Elders R. R. Figuhr, and W. L. Pascoe*

### Special Budgets Voted

The Middle East Division meeting in its quadrennial session in November voted to distribute more than 450,000 Lebanese pounds for special projects in 1963. These projects include new churches, school construction, medical work, welfare and other activities.

The largest appropriations were for medical development. Among the projects planned are the expansion of the hospital in Benghazi, Libya, and the establishment of dental offices in Aden. Additional equipment is to be provided the welfare clinic in Cairo, and the physiotherapy clinics in Teheran, and Beirut. A little more than a third of the appropriations were made to medical work.

New churches also received emphasis. Funds amounting to almost a third of the appropriations were granted for construction of new church buildings and the purchase of land. New buildings are to be provided the Armenian church in Beirut, and an Armenian church in Iran. Land is to be purchas-

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Members of the Middle East Division committee and representatives of the various sections and institutions of the division including two laymen met with Elders R. R. Figuhr, president of the General Conference, and W. L. Pascoe, assistant treasurer, for the Middle East Division quadrennial council, November 28 to December 5, at the division headquarters in Beirut to elect new officers for the sections and to lay plans for the next four years.

The section officers were elected as follows: Iran: president, K. Harding; secretary-treasurer, V. Marcarian. Iraq: president, B. Arshat; secretary-treasurer, F. Nowfel. Jordan: president, H. Robinson; secretary-treasurer, B. Ghazal. Lebanon: president, G. Khoury; secretary-treasurer, S. Hasbani. Syria: president and secretary-treasurer, M. Catreeb. Turkey: president and secretary-treasurer, L. Miller. The office of president for the Cyprus section was referred to the division committee. In Egypt Elder Hilal Dose is president and Brother Habib Ghali, secretary-treasurer. Elder Manouk Nazarian was appointed acting president of the Lebanon Section until Brother Khoury arrives from the United States this summer.

Equal in importance to the conduct of the business of the session was the devotional activity. Elders Figuhr, Pascoe, Wilcox, and others contributed inspiring talks. The theme of the session was "United in This Hope," and the members and representatives attending felt the spirit of Christian fellowship which marked the gathering. In a resolution of gratitude to God for His love and blessing, those present at the

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## SESSION VOTES

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session also resolved to dedicate themselves anew to the work of God depending upon Him for strength and seeking His righteousness.

Four young men were recommended for ordination to the gospel ministry at the time of the report of the committee on credentials and licenses. They are Brethern Angely Gayed and Siman Fungary of the Eygpt Section, Brother Melcom Gasparian of the Iran Section and Brother George Khoury of the Lebanon Section.

Welfare work was put high on the list of activities and plans for the church. One resolution recommended that each local section establish a health and welfare center where clothing, blankets, first aid supplies, food, and other provisions might be stocked to meet emergency and other relief needs. Requests were voted to the General Conference for more than 300 bales of clothing, 70 barrels of dried milk powder, 50 barrels of eggs, two tons of cheese, ten tons of flour, and two tons of cottonseed oil. Further request was made for 2000 units of CARE food to be sent to Turkey.

Evangelistic plans laid a stronger emphasis on the work of the laity. Among the most interesting was the decision to launch a program of lay-evangelism called the "120 Crusade for Christ," named after the 120 disciples and apostles who gathered in the upper room following the ascension of Christ. The project aims to commission 120 laymen in the Middle East for a lifetime of Christian service. An important part of the plan is the commissioning service for laymen to correspond to the ordination service for pastors and evangelists. In order to qualify for commissioning, laymen must take a special training course, take an active part in definite soul-winning projects and be instrumental in leading someone to Christ.

The United Evangelism Program of 1962, having proved to have been highly effective, was voted again for 1963. The plan is organized by the local church missionary council which selects a section of the city for special missionary endeavor. Copies of the March *Hope* magazine are then distributed in this section and the people invited to request subscriptions to the magazine. The subscriptions are provided by the church through its *Hope* Campaign at the beginning of the year. After a few



*The meeting of the 1962 Quadrennial Session*

months those who have been receiving the magazine are visited and invited to begin studying the Voice of Prophecy lessons, or to accept Bible studies in their home. Those who become Voice of Prophecy students are visited again and encouraged to continue their spiritual interests. This group becomes the nucleus of the minister's or evangelist's interests for public meetings to be held in the area.

Among the most exciting projects which were voted was the plan to conduct a youth leaders' training camp, August 6-19, perhaps at the Lebanon Section's new permanent camp site. Elder L. A. Skinner, a General Conference young people's leader, is to be present at the camp and all the sections have been invited to send delegates. Something new in summer camps in 1963 will be a joint camp by the Iraq and Iran sections.

The voting of new literature projects was an important part of the session, but of these, two especially caught the fancy of the workers present. One was a slide card which makes possible the visualization on a moment's notice of the important texts connected with any particular Bible study. As soon as this card was introduced to the session, plans were made to translate it into Arabic, Armenian, Farsee, and Greek and the leaders of the sections prepared their orders at once. These orders totaled 10,000 cards. The puzzle introduced by the temperance department

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ed in Basra, Iraq, for construction of a church there.

The young people of the division were planned for in projects that will provide youth camps, camp equipment, orphanage construction, and increased educational facilities.

Schools to benefit from the special appropriations are the Iran Training School, the Amman Boys' School, and the Middle East College, all of which received funds for new construction and expansion. Grants were also made to these schools, as well as to the Amman Girls' school and the Teheran Elementary School, for additional equipment.

The grant to the Iran Training School provides new equipment for the cafeteria, the laundry, and the dormitory. The Amman Girls' School will receive equipment for the Home Economics department. Several departments in the Middle East College are to benefit including the Secretarial Training Department, the Science Department, the Library, and the Home Economics Department.

The Mercy Home, in el-Matariah, near Cairo, Egypt, was voted funds to help construct a new building for housing and training orphan children in that country.

The Lebanon Section youth camp project received additional funds to en-

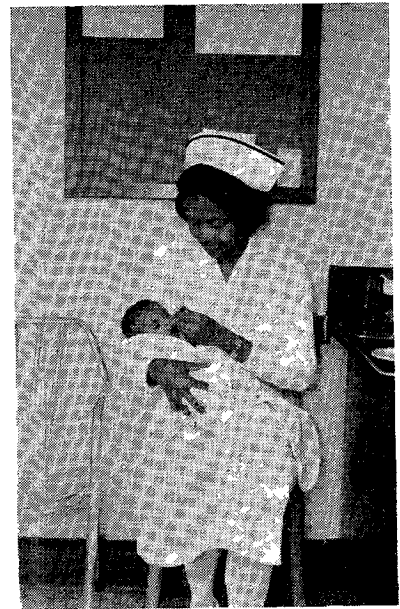
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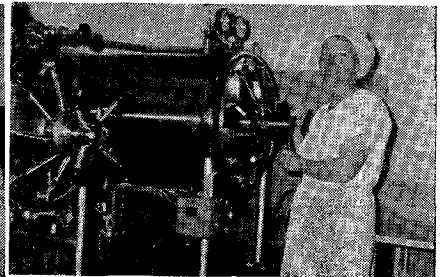
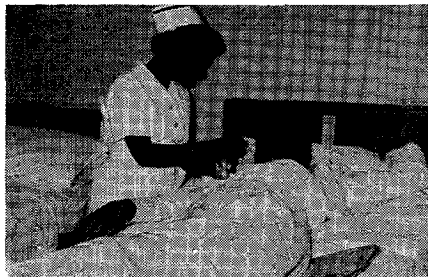
1. Main entrance
2. Rafic Issa, E. L. Hulse in Business Office
3. Doctor Reiner and Nurse Badia Issa
4. Nurse Gucilatar, missionary from the Philippines
5. Miss Voth charts duties
6. Mounir Masloub and new X-ray
7. Nurse Fawzia Aziz takes a temperature
8. Miss Tobiassen sterilizes for surgery



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## Evangelism Adds Fifty In Iran

Nearly fifty persons have been added to the church by baptism during 1962, it is reported by Elder Kenneth Harding, president of the Iran Mission. He attributes the large number of baptisms to the evangelistic meetings which have been conducted in every one of the six churches in Iran during the year to-

gether with the weeks of prayer at the Iran Training School and the emphasis upon evangelism at campmeeting.

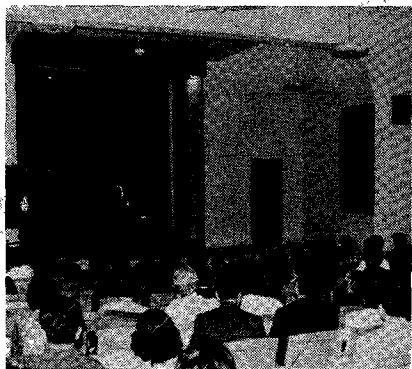
Among those added to the church during the year were Brother Marcarian, the father of Vigain Marcarian, secretary-treasurer of the Iran Mission, and Sister Sarrafian, the mother of Brother Hovik Sarrafian, a pastor-evangelist in Iran. Both were baptized following evangelistic meetings conducted by Elder Harding and Brother Sarrafian in September and October at the church in Isfahan. The meetings were held five nights a week for nearly five weeks. Brother Sarrafian continued weekly meetings through the middle of December.

## Elder Robinson Holds Arabic Series

The annual fall effort in the Beirut Evangelistic Center closed November 4 with seventeen persons requesting baptism. These have joined a baptismal class meeting three times a week. Regular Sunday night evangelistic meetings continue.

The meetings were conducted by Elder H. E. Robinson and began October 14. Associated with him were Miss Ruby Williams, Bible instructor, and Samir Shahin and Salaam Abu Jawdi, licensed ministers. There were 22 meetings covering the major doctrines of the church.

Elder Robinson, an American missionary, preached the sermons in Arabic. He first began studying Arabic in the United States under the tutelage of Wilson Bishai during a six-month waiting period for circumstances to permit his proceeding to the Middle East. In Beirut he continued studies under Towfic Shartouni, now of the Arabic department at Middle East College. After less than two years of study, Elder Robinson undertook to preach



this series of sermons to an Arabic audience in their native tongue.

Elder Robinson is the first American Adventist missionary who is known to have preached a series of evangelistic meetings addressed to the general public in Arabic.



*Elder Wilcox welcomes the Chappell family at the port*

An unusual feature of the evangelistic meetings in the Teheran Farsi Church, directed by Elder Lyndon DeWitt, the church pastor, and David Melikian, of the Voice of Prophecy office, was the use of the Light of World Bible lessons as the basis of the meetings. A Bible-marking plan was also followed. A graduation exercise was held, November 22, in connection with the meetings, at which time the first graduates from the Light of the World Voice of Prophecy course in Persian received their diplomas.

A similar emphasis upon evangelism is planned in the Iran mission for 1963.

### PERSIAN HARVEST

Palm trees, gently swaying  
Lacy, etched against the sky  
With their fruit all golden laden  
Waiting for the harvest nigh  
Line Karoon's brown lapping waters;  
Sharks glide slowly by.

Fantasy in gold dust—  
Purple clinging to the day—  
Sifts across the desert  
In a careless sort of way  
Gilding Persian gardens  
Where the Moslem kneels to pray

Melody of Love's sweet whisper  
Wafted neath the tree  
Overtures from heaven, pleading  
"Take my Son, He'll set you free."  
"From the sharks of sin, O reaper,  
Pluck them tenderly."

—Gladys Skinner

## Chappells Arrive

The first day of 1963 was the first full day for the Derwood Chappell family in the Middle East. Arriving on the "Steel Fabricator" from New York the afternoon of December 31, they were greeted at the dock by workers from the Beirut area. Elder Chappell has been appointed publishing secretary for the Middle East Division.

The Chappells have lost no time getting settled. Before the end of the week they had secured an apartment near the division office (in the same building with the Grins and Wilmots), enrolled their son Milton, age 11, in the English church school, bought a 1963 Volkswagon, and begun Arabic language lessons.

## Yusif Fargo Weds

Brother Yusif A. Fargo, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Aziz Fargo of Baghdad, Iraq, and formerly a departmental secretary in the East Mediterranean Union, was married last summer to Alice Evelyn Hottel, of Brookeville, Maryland. The wedding took place in the Washington Sanitarium Chapel at Takoma Park. Elder Grover Winslow officiated at the service.

Middle Easterners taking part in the wedding were the groom's brother, Farid Fargo, as best man, Elder Behnam Arshat, president of the Iraq section, as head usher, and Elder Maurice Catreeb, president of the Syria section, one of the ushers.

Brother Yusif and his wife are making their home in Takoma Park.

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only twelve studies, but many more subscribers would have welcomed them.

After the church set its subscription goal last February, students and other members went from door to door with free copies of the magazine. An offer was made with the sample to send the magazine to the home for a year. The College Park Church literature band received the magazines from the publishing house and then wrapped, addressed, and stamped them for mailing.

The interest of the people in Bible studies has required more lay-teachers than the church has available. To meet the need, the church plans to begin in February 1963 a special training course. This is coordinated with the "120 plan" for commissioning lay workers.

## Session Votes

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consisting of sections of card upon which were printed temperance slogans also received swift approval. After voting to publish this in four languages, orders were given for more than 13,000.

Other new publishing projects of importance were voted including the publication of *Desire of Ages* in Arabic during 1963 and naming it the book of the year. Plans were made also for the publication of *Messages to Young People* in Arabic, and the revision and publication of the Truth Series Tracts. Requests were made for the study of publishing a new temperance magazine in Arabic and health journals in Turkish and Farsee.

Included in the business of the session was the hearing of reports given by the officers of the division, the leaders of the sections and institutions, and the departmental secretaries.

## Tanta Bans Alcohol

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next day. They quoted Pastor William as demanding the protection of the people from intoxicating liquor.

After receiving the order from the president of the republic, the head of the municipal council phoned Pastor William and congratulated him for the success of his request. Pastor William thanked the president at once for his kindness and received a telegram in response.

"These are some of the many good things," Pastor William said, "that our beloved Lord has shown me to strengthen my faith in Him and in His cause."

According to the church's plan, those who have enrolled in the Voice of Prophecy course will be visited this spring to check on their interest and see if there is any help that can be given them.

The church also plans to start a new group of interests in 1963 using the same plan, beginning with the gift of free subscriptions to the *Hope Magazine*, to be made during the Hope Campaign ending February 2.

## Mrs. Antar Funeral In Basra

Mrs. Shamoun Antar, the mother of Dr. Abdelkarim Antar, died after a long useful life of Christian love and service in Basra, Iraq, and was buried in the Protestant cemetery there. Friends of Doctor Antar, both of the College Park Church where he is now a member and of our churches in Iraq where he lived for a number of years, extend him condolences at this time of loss.

## Elder Mondics Passes in Washington



Benjamin J. Mondics, 46, President of the Turkey Mission of the Seventh-day Adventist denomination and a native of Takoma Park, Md., died Monday morning at the Washington Sanitarium and Hospital after an extended illness.

Elder Mondics, an ordained minister of the church, returned to the United States in June after serving the past four years in Istanbul as director of his church's mission work in that country.

A native of Takoma Park, Elder Mondics attended elementary and secondary schools in Trenton, New Jersey. He returned to Takoma Park in 1937 to attend Washington Missionary College (now Columbia Union College) where he graduated in 1941. He began his work for the church in Canton, Ohio, where he served a ministerial internship. In 1942 he was chosen by the General Conference of the Adventist denomination to join a special language study group in preparation for service in the Middle East. He attended the Adventist Theological Seminary (then located in Takoma Park, Md., now located in Berrien

Springs, Mich.) for two years before leaving for the Middle East in 1944. He worked in Syria, Lebanon, and Turkey from 1944 to 1950.

Upon his return to the United States in 1950 he became pastor of the Plainfield, N. J., Adventist church, a post he held until 1955 when he accepted a call to become pastor of the Charleston Adventist Church in West Virginia.

It was while in Charleston the Elder Mondics initiated a novel religious service for the city — a "Dial-a-Prayer." He tape-recorded daily prayers and any subscriber to a telephone could dial a certain number and listen to the daily prayer. The service was so popular in Charleston that it swamped the machine which handled the calls and the telephone company had to cancel the service until more and better equipment could be installed.

In 1958 he accepted a second mission appointment and he returned to Istanbul, Turkey, as President of the Turkey Mission. It was while serving in this capacity that he contracted an illness which necessitated a flying trip back to the United States.

He is survived by his wife, Margaret; twin sons, 14, William and Robert; a sister-in-law, Corrinne Wilkinson, of Takoma Park, Md.; his father, Mr. Paul Mondics, of Brooke, Va., his mother, Helen Mondics, of Phoenix, Arizona, and many friends. Funeral services were held Wednesday morning, October 10, at 11 o'clock in the Takoma Park, Md., Adventist church under the direction of a former missionary partner, Neal C. Wilson, now President of the Columbia Union Conference of Seventh-day Adventists. He was assisted by C. L. Torrey, treasurer of the General Conference, and W. J. Keith, Pastor of Takoma Park Church.

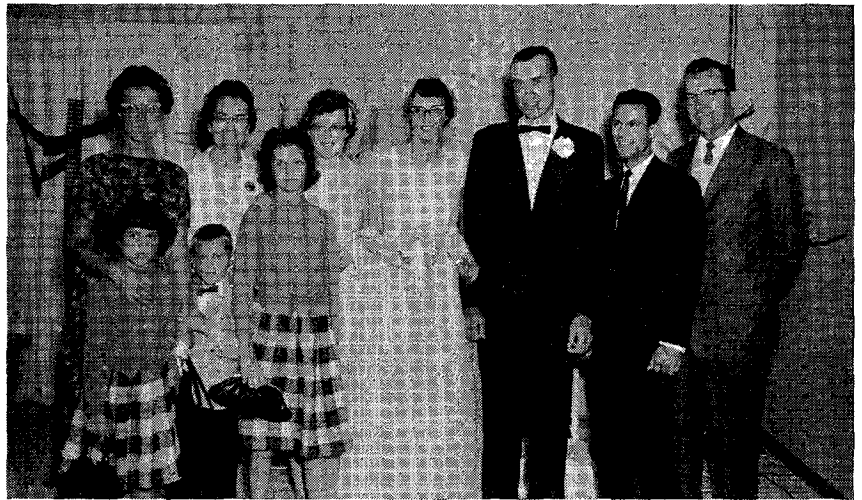
## New Church Plans For Armenians In Beirut

By Elder Manouk Nazarian  
Pastor, Beirut Armenian Church

We are fully confident that the members of the great Advent family throughout the Middle East will gladly praise the Lord as they hear the good news that through an exceptional help of the General Conference and the generosity of the Middle East Division it was possible to purchase a very fine piece of land in Beirut, where the new Armenian Evangelistic Center and the school will be erected in the near future.

The dimension of this new lot is about 1650 square meters, with a front 30 meters wide and a side 55 meters long. It holds a central position on a large square and is located in Bourj Hammoud, one of the most densely populated modern areas of Beirut. Four roads surround it, the one on the front being over twenty meters wide. It also has the advantage of accessibility to people from any section of the city.

You will rejoice to know that this new evangelistic center will have a seating capacity of seven hundred people. Its beautiful and attractive facade will remind us of the Andrews University Church front, with a little modification. It is indeed going to be a wonderful center for evangelistic purposes and other religious activities as well. As for the school, it will be composed of modern classrooms, with other facilities that a proper school ought to possess, and will accommodate over 200 students.



*Ashod-Greer wedding group in Lincoln, Nebraska*

The construction has already started and the work is moving forward successfully under the supervision of Brother Ibrahim Ghazal, a professional building contractor who is a member of the Cultural Center Church in Beirut.

The expense of the project is to be met through the sale of the old Armenian Church property, appropriations from the Division, and personal contributions. The Armenian members in Beirut are paying five percent of their annual income toward this worthy project. A number of friends have also contributed generously. We believe that faith, prayer and work will bring the needed money to accomplish this wonderful plan for the glory of God.

We have full faith that this new evangelistic center will usher in a new era in evangelism in Lebanon and fully warrant the undertaking of so expensive a project. It will create an unprecedented opportunity to preach the Everlasting Gospel to the multitudes.

## Indra Ashod Weds American

By Mrs. W. E. Olson

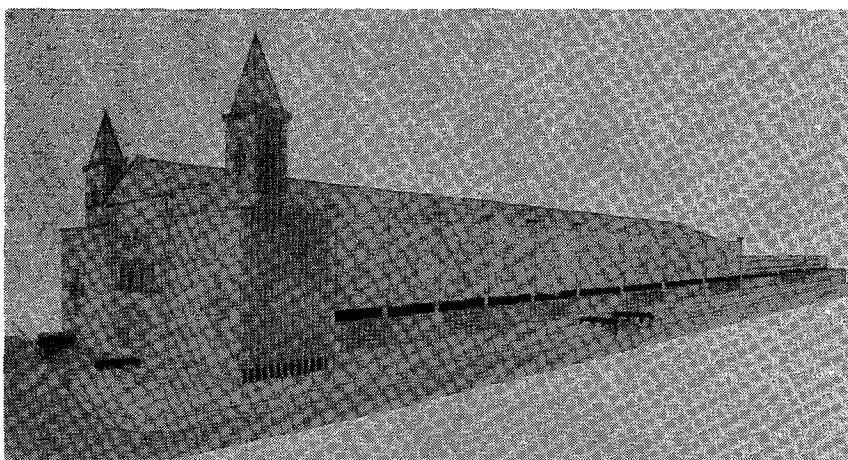
Indra Ashod became the bride of Lee Greer on Sunday afternoon September 9, 1962, in a beautiful ceremony held in the home of Elder A. L. Page, Lincoln, Nebraska. The bride wore a floorlength dress of lace over net and satin, and a finger-tip veil. Carol Page, daughter of Elder Page, attended the bride. The best man was a young Adventist soldier who taught Lee the truth in the army three years ago.

After the wedding a reception was held also in the home of Elder Page, publishing secretary for the Nebraska Conference. The cake was cut and served with Jezziniware from Lebanon. Other reminders of the Middle East for Indra were among the guests: David Rice, Mr. and Mrs. Zytkoskkee and Cherry, Mrs. Cecil Gemmell and children.

Indra left Lebanon on September 14, 1961, to pursue her education in Biology at La Sierra College. It was here that Indra met Lee Greer, a student from Texas. Lee already had his M.A. in Entomology from the University of Texas but was interested in attending an Adventist college since he was new in the truth. Indra's Christian character and experience, plus her interest in his field of study attracted him to her. Their friendship continued through the year, and in the summer of 1962 they both went to Nebraska as literature evangelists. Here they decided to marry.

A tape recording of the wedding ceremony was played before friends of Indra's and the Ashods' September 25

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*Artist's concept of the new Beirut Armenian Church*



*The office staff of the Iran Section take time off for a photograph*

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## FROM HERE AND THERE

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### IRAN

Elder and Mrs. K. S. Oster returned to Iran from Beirut in September. Elder Oster is taking care of the spiritual activities of the Iran Training School, serving as Bible teacher, and supervising the work program of the School. He is also Pastor of the new church organized at the Iran Training School just before the end of the year.

An overseas school has been opened in Teheran under the direction of Mrs. K. S. Oster, with Mrs. Lyndon DeWitt assisting her. Ten pupils are enrolled this year in seven grades. The enrollment of the Teheran church school is slightly larger than last year, and the fifth grade has been added. Word has recently been received that the government has granted full permission for the operation of this school.

Elder Jack Bohannon and his family are now settled in Shiraz, and he has begun his language study program. They arrived at Khorramshahr September 22. After the period of language study, Elder Bohannon will be engaged in pastor evangelistic work in Iran.

J. S. Gabriel has moved from Isfahan to Arak. Brother Gabriel will be the pastor of the Isfahan church.

As of October 1, the physiotherapy clinic in Teheran went on a full-time operating schedule. From ten to fourteen patients a day are now being treated by Brother Peacock. We are grateful to God that in such a short time the work of the clinic has proved to be so successful.

Our Iran Training School opened this year with thirty-three students in Grades 7 to 9. While the enrollment

is down slightly from last year, still the school program is going forward in a strong way under the leadership of M. H. Morovati.

### LEBANON

Mrs. Alex Mandracken is conducting a weekly Branch Sabbath School for the Assyrian people in the Busharia section of Beirut. Between 20 and 40 children attend each Sabbath afternoon. On Sunday afternoon she gives the children lessons in Assyrian.

Pastor Chafic Srour has held an evangelistic series of meetings in the newly-rented Evangelistic Center in Tripoli. Attendance was very good, sometimes overcrowding the hall's 80-seat capacity. Elders Towfic Issa and George Raffoul and Brother Salaam Abu Jawdi assisted during the meetings which were conducted four times a week during November and December.

### CYPRUS

Members of the church in Cyprus are busily engaged in promoting the *Signs* campaign in their respective areas and having many interesting experiences.

Brother A. N. Barlas was active in ingathering along with the pastor of the church, Elder Aram Aghassian, and other members. They have made many interesting contacts. They report that the spiritual side of their work has been emphasized greatly and they have distributed hundreds of pieces of truth-filled literature.

## Tanta VBS Report

"Two ladies have joined the truth of the soon coming of our beloved Saviour," it is reported by Pastor William Gayed Khalil of the Tanta district in Egypt, as a result of a Vacation Bible School held there this summer.

One of the ladies said, "I came to let my youngsters spend two or three hours in a safe place and enjoy good recreation for two weeks, but it turned out that I am caught forever in a good recreation." She was one of several mothers who when they requested to bring their children to the Vacation Bible School were told that the children were too small. They insisted, assuring those in charge that they would come and help care for the youngsters themselves.

When the directors of the school found these mothers as well as two fathers, they decided to make a class for the older ones too. This special Bible school for adults led to the conversion of the two women.

Pastor William recommends that pastors all over the Middle East serve their people by holding Vacation Bible Schools during the summer.

## Beirut Arabic School

Nine out of every ten students at the Beirut Arabic School in Museitbeh are members of the Sabbath School and attend regularly, according to Brother Issa Kharma, director of the school.

"We made our first goal to bring every pupil to the Sabbath School and in order to accomplish this we took two steps," he said, "First we contacted the parents by a letter informing them about the program and its importance to their children, and second, we met with them in a Home and School Association meeting to discuss the matter fully and to enlist their cooperation."

The Beirut Arabic School started the 1962-1963 school year with an enrollment of 297 students and a staff of eleven Adventist teachers.

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able the purchase of choice mountain land for a permanent camp site. The Turkey Section also received youth camp funds, this for equipment.

Grants for publishing work included an appropriation to Middle East Press for additional equipment and remodeling.



*Beirut workers mass at airport to greet Elders Figuhr and Pascoe*



*Anabid Benzatyian shows children first issue of Turkish Youth paper*



*Elders Anees Haddad and Behnam Arshat attend banquet for delegates to Alcoholism institute in Seattle. Also present, but not pictured, were Elders Naim Mashni and Maurice Katrib*

## Ashod Wedding

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in the Middle East College Chapel. Both the bride and the groom added a personal word at the end of the tape. A wedding reception provided by Mr. and Mrs. Ashod in honor of the bridal pair followed on the college lawn. Most of the guests went to the microphone to record their words of congratulation in seven different languages to be sent to the bride for a keep-sake. The couple's address is: Mr. and Mrs. Lee F. Greer, 305½ Grove Avenue, Norfolk, Nebraska, U.S.A.

### CHURCH CALENDAR OF SPECIAL DAYS

February	2	Hope Campaign Closes
February	9	Middle East College
February	16	Christian Home and Family Altar Day
February	23	Temperance Commitment Day
March	2	Bible Evangelism Crusade
March	9	Sabbath School Rally Day
March	16	Missionary Volunteer Day
March	16-23	MV Week of Prayer
March	30	13th Sabbath

### SPECIAL OFFERINGS

February	2	Hope Offering for Missionary Subscriptions
February	9	Middle East College
March	2	Church Missionary
March	9	Missions Advance

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