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## Day of Special Prayer - May 6

### Day of Special Prayer

As was mentioned in E'der Oswald's article last week, the brethren from the various conferences of the Northern Union, when they were meeting together on April 11 at the union conference executive committee, took the following action, after giving considerable thought and study to the gravity of the situation which we face, both as a nation and as a church organization, each of which is comprised of individuals:

"Voted, That Sabbath, May 6, be designated as a special day of fasting and prayer by our people and their friends throughout the union conference, that there may be a more earnest seeking after God and a deeper consecration to the unfinished gospel work, also in behalf of the peace and prosperity of the world in general and our nation and people in particular, and for the blessing of God upon our crops and labors to the end that adequate means may be available for both the needs of God's work and those of His people."

This resolution speaks for itself, and we believe that if our people will all heartily unite in seeking the Lord as is suggested, a great blessing will result. Hence we solicit the earnest prayers of every individual member, and also those of the many friends who will gladly unite with us if they know about the plan. We believe the Lord will graciously respond to this united consecration on our part and the appeal for His protection, blessing, and guidance, all of which are so greatly needed in these trying and perilous times.

A. R. Smouse, Secretary  
Northern Union Conference  
Executive Committee

### Offering, Sabbath May 13

The Lord of heaven has a special message for the remnant church. It is the everlasting gospel to the world,—the glad tidings which bring salva-

tion to all who accept and believe. The church has been commissioned to guard most sacredly the message, and keep it pure and undefiled in the midst of a wicked and perverse generation. Confusion, error, and lawlessness are prevalent everywhere. Even the very elect are in danger of being deceived. Thanks be to God, however, that He who keeps Israel neither slumbers nor sleeps. His eye is constantly upon His chosen people to keep them pure and clean through the precious truth. The ministers of the remnant church have received a very sacred charge. God's ministers are commissioned to preach the word and keep themselves unspotted from the world.

For years the leading brethren of the General Conference have realized the need of a graduate school of religion to which student ministers and teachers might go to continue their education. For this reason the Seventh-day Adventist Theological Seminary has been established, but thus far it has been without a home. It has operated during the last five years in borrowed buildings and mostly with borrowed teachers. At the Autumn Council it was definitely decided that the headquarters of the seminary should be established at Washington. An offering is to be taken in all our churches in North America Sabbath, May 13, toward the finishing and equipping of the school. We appeal most earnestly to the believers in the Northern Union to do their part. The churches of the North American Division are asked to raise an amount equal to ten cents per member. This, of course, means that some will have to bring larger offerings. If there are those who can give \$10.00 or \$5.00, it will be appreciated, because we realize that not every member will participate in this worthy cause. The Bible says, "God loveth a cheerful giver"; therefore, let every one, as far as possible, have a part in providing the building and equip-

ment for this important institution which belongs to us all and serves the entire denomination.

E. H. Oswald

### Our Tithe and Mission Offerings

For January and February three of our four conferences in the Northern Union had a considerable decrease in their tithe receipts as compared with the same months last year totaling a decline of \$2,887.88 or 9 per cent for the union. We are glad to report, however, that more than half of this decline was made up in the March remittances, so that at the close of the quarter only two conferences showed a decline, and the other two made a fair gain. The gain of the two conferences though, was not enough to offset the decrease in the other two, so for the union conference as a whole, the tithe receipts for the quarter were \$1,343.38 or 28 per cent less than for the first quarter of 1938. This decline has brought some embarrassment to the conferences in which it occurred, and also to the union conference, as all of us are operating on budgets with a very close margin and some on budgets temporarily out of balance. We realize that farm market prices are low on most if not all items of farm and dairy produce, which naturally influences the tithe adversely; hence we appeal to our people for special faithfulness in stewardship, even liberality where there may be a possible question regarding the amount of the tithe, in order that the cause of God may have adequate support and not be crippled for lack of funds.

The report of mission funds for the first quarter, which accompanies this, shows some encouraging features, one of which is a slight increase in the weekly per capita offerings from each conference, even though the total receipts are not quite as much as for the first quarter last year. This decline in receipts for the union conference

as a whole was \$529.49, although two conferences showed a small increase in the amount of their receipts. The weekly per capita increase was due principally to a somewhat lower membership basis affecting the computation of the weekly per capita offerings this year. But do you not think our average mission offerings should be larger? Really they are not very

large to represent our average weekly contribution to the world-wide gospel program, upon which depends the finishing of the work in all the earth and which must be completed before the Saviour comes for those who love Him. Can we not each do yet a little more to express that love on our part?

A. R. Smouse, Treasurer  
Northern Union Conference

### NORTHERN UNION CONFERENCE

Ended March 31, 1939

Statement of Forty-cent-a-week Fund For Three Months (Twelve Weeks)

Conference	Member-ship	Amt. \$4.80 Per Member	Amount Received	Amount Short	Cents-a-Week	
					1938	1939
Iowa	2888	13862.40	3999.13	9863.27	10.3	11.5
Minnesota	4231	20308.80	5117.72	15191.08	10.6	10.7
N. Dakota	2333	11198.40	1877.93	9320.47	6.4	6.7
S. Dakota	1735	8328.00	1803.65	6524.35	7.6	8.7
Totals	11187	53697.60	12798.43	40899.17	9.1	9.5
			23.8%	76.2%		

### Minnesota Conference

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### Our Children

"The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom; a good understanding have all they that do His commandments." Psalms 111:10. These words bring a forceful challenge to each one of us as we think of the future of our boys and girls. Here the Psalmist tells us that those who do the commandments of God have a good understanding. Is your boy or girl receiving instructions from a teacher who has good understanding?

"All thy children shall be taught of the Lord; and great shall be the peace of thy children." Isaiah 54:13. Do we not all long for our children to have peace with God and with man? Some day soon the Lord will say "Where is the flock that was given thee, thy beautiful flock?" Jeremiah 13:20. Oh, I am sure we all long to have our flock with us when this great question is asked.

Our church schools are ordained by God to prepare the children for this great work." — "Testimonies," Vol. VI, p. 203.

"The Lord would use the church school as an aid to the parents in educating and preparing their children for this time before us. Then let the

church take hold of the school work in earnest, and make it what the Lord desires it to be." "Counsels to Teachers," p. 167.

Since God's way is the best way and He desires to teach our children, family worship and home training is not enough. Our school training is needed, too. So, pray, plan, and deny your children anything rather than this training which the Lord asks us as parents to make possible for them.

"In localities where there is a church, schools should be established, if there are no more than six children to attend." "Testimonies," Vol. VI, p. 199.

After church school, of course, the next school is Maplewood Academy and then on to Union College.

Educational Superintendent

C. H. Lauda

### Blessings

Yes, the last few weeks have been full of blessings. Friday night, April 14, the little Hewitt church was full to overflowing for an evening of music. Mrs. Lauda and I were greatly pleased to see so many not of our faith at this service. All responded well to the offering to keep "Truth for Youth" on the air, and we were glad to see practically every hand go up when we asked how many were listening regularly to "Truth for Youth". We are hoping and praying that this service may encourage many to learn more of the truth which we hold.

Sabbath, April 15, the Lord greatly blessed the youth's rally at Eagle Bend. The members had the church building in readiness and the Lord gave us bright sunshine to really make the day ideal. In the morning service a call was made for the youth and older ones to take their stand definitely for Christ. In the afternoon that three took their stand and plan on being baptized at a later date. Twenty-seven others came forward to rededicate their lives to the great task of bearing "The Advent message to all the world in this generation"; and at the close of the service everyone stood as a token that their life, their all, was on the altar of service for Christ. In the afternoon a very interesting investiture service was conducted, in which eleven were invested as Friends and nine as Companions. In the evening a hall was rented and we enjoyed a social evening together.

Friday night, April 21, it was my happy privilege to visit Elder Olson's meetings at Wadena. The service was well attended by our people and those not of our faith. Elder Olson gave a stirring picture sermon on the need of every one to accept Christ as his own personal Saviour. The church members at Wadena are co-operating and we feel that definite results will come from these services.

On Sabbath we had a splendid Sabbath school and church service in which we gleaned thoughts from the Bible and Spirit of prophecy in regard to the training and schooling of our boys and girls. All present felt a need of making plans to conduct one of God's schools, so pledges were taken and we praise God that a new church school will be established at

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Wadena this coming school year. We are looking forward to establishing church schools elsewhere in the state. Surely we are all desirous of saving our boys and girls, and preparing them for the great task before them.

C. H. Lauda

### M. V. News

The society scores for the first quarter have checked up and we give congratulations to the First Minneapolis English for receiving the first honor banner, St. Paul the second honor banner, and Duluth the third honor banner. Our Junior societies worked hard too and we send congratulations to Duluth for receiving the first honor banner, Albert Lea the second, and Red Wing the third.

Sunday evening, April 23, a number of the Minneapolis young people, under the direction of the missionary leader, Allen Gerrard, motored to the Red Wing Industrial School and gave a program of music and readings. We feel that the 500 boys at the school were well pleased by this program and we are looking forward to other societies also conducting this type of work.

We have interesting reports from Duluth, St. Paul and Minneapolis North societies, telling of their visits to old folks' homes, Children's homes, hospitals etc. Surely this is a noble work and all of our young people express their happiness in being of service to others.

Good letters are being received from those not of our faith who are listening to the "Truth for Youth" broadcast. Much of our literature is being given out and we know you will continue to pray and contribute to this missionary enterprise, which is your "Truth for Youth" broadcast.

Definite plans are being made for our boys' and girls' summer camp. Start saving your money and be ready to enjoy this fine camp. Date and the place of the camp will be announced a little later. For those desiring to save their dimes for the summer camp, we will send a little dime bank.

Our young people will be very happy to know that this summer, August 7-17 we plan a Naturecraft Institute at Maplewood Academy. This will be a grand occasion and a very profitable one for us all. We will have some of our leading nature authorities with us for this institute and none of us can afford to miss it. We have made the rates just as low as possible

so all might attend. Start making plans now. The charge is only \$11.50, which will include board, room and tuition.

C. H. Lauda

### Spring Week of Prayer

Elder C. E. Smith of Mankato recently conducted at Maplewood the spring Week of Prayer that brought to many of us courage and a new measure of faith. To others it brought for the first time the real desire to be drawn closer to Christ and to follow in His footsteps.

Elder Smith used as his first text, "The Lord has chosen you." In this he emphasized that the Lord has chosen the young people to carry on His work. The text used for chapel on Tuesday morning was Matt. 16:26: "What is a man profited, if he shall gain the whole world, and lose his own soul?" There is much to be gained by choosing God's way. Elder Smith showed the truth of this text by citing experiences from famous men of the world.

The following texts formed the basis for Elder Smith's other talks: Rom. 12:1—"Present your bodies a living sacrifice;" Gen. 5:24—"And Enoch walked with God." It was shown that we, as Enoch, must walk with God daily in order that we do not lose sight of Him. This we can do through prayer; our daily communion with Him. 2 Peter 3:18—"Grow in grace, and in the knowledge of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ." Elder Smith's closing sermon was based on 2Tim. 2:19—"The foundation of God standeth sure." Those who build on this foundation are the ones who will enter the kingdom of heaven when Christ comes to claim His own.

Students and teachers were practically unanimous in reconsecrating and rededicating their lives anew to Christ. Not only did the meetings bring a blessing, but every one enjoyed the personal visits that Elder and Mrs. Smith had with the members of the school family. We hope that Elder and Mrs. Smith will visit us again in the near future.

L. W. Roth

### Neighborly Churches

It is not a new thing for neighboring churches to meet in divine worship. There are many instances recorded in both the Old and New Testament times when this was done. The purpose is not primarily for social benefits, vital as these may be,

but rather for the encouragement and spiritual promotion of the membership of the churches. We believe this practice should be encouraged. When properly conducted it stimulates our desire for self-improvement and enhances missionary zeal. Some otherwise dormant possibilities may be awakened and we may learn many simple lessons which affect our lives and actions. We in district seven have tried to emulate the example of sister districts and find it helpful.

Last Sabbath the believers from Dodge Center and Rochester were greatly blessed by a visit from the Austin church choir, which rendered a carefully selected, and well executed program of sacred songs. Our hearts were deeply stirred by the presentation of the gospel in song, given in "the spirit." It was good for all, both young and older, to be present. "In thy presence is fulness of joy." Ps. 16:11.

"God's word places great stress upon the influence of association, even on men and women. How much greater is its power on the developing mind and character of children and youth! The company they keep, the principles they adopt, the habits they form, will decide the question of their usefulness here, and their future destiny." "Messages to Young People," page 404.

J. W. Christensen

### Appreciation

I want to use the courtesy of the Northern Union Outlook to reply to the many cards and letters received during my recent illness. It is too great a task for me to give an individual acknowledgment. However, I do want every one of you to know that your cards and letters were a great encouragement to me. While very few friends were allowed to see me, these silent visitors through the mail lifted me up. Only those who passed through a serious illness can appreciate the value of a few words from a friend.

I received excellent attention from the doctors, and I especially appreciate the faithful care given me by Dr. H. H. Hall. I am also grateful for the untiring service given me day and night by the faithful nurses. Nevertheless, all this would be of no avail, had not the Lord's watchful eye been over me. When I was the lowest, I had the evidence of God's healing hand sustaining me.

I do appreciate the earnest prayers of my fellow-workers in the ministry, and of those far and near who presented my case before the throne of grace. I am mindful of the statement found in Psalms 34:18 which says, "The righteous cry, and the Lord heareth." I am confident that the Lord has heard. But with this recovery, there comes added responsibility. So as my strength is renewed, I pray God to give me grace and power to perform faithfully such duties as my Lord may place upon me. I want to make my ministry more acceptable to Him, and put into my service greater sympathy and kindness to my fellowmen. I pray that I may be truly worthy of your confidence and friendship.

C. S. Wiest

### THIEF RIVER FALLS RALLY

Bridge and Conley Ave.

Sabbath, May 6

Sabbath school 10:00

Youth Rally Service 11:00  
and 2:30

We trust that the weather will be good this Sabbath so that all our other churches and isolated members in the district will be able to join us in this all day service. Bring your lunch and if it is necessary for you to stay all night, of course you will be expected to make your own arrangements for that. Services will not be held in the evening for most of the people will need to drive some distance for this rally. We are looking forward to a joyous Sabbath day on May 6.

David Gulbrandson, Dist. Pastor  
C. H. Lauda, Youth's Secretary  
Next Rally, City Hall  
Virginia, Sabbath, May 13

### Iowa Conference

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### News Items

Word telling of continued progress in connection with the series of meetings being held by Elder L. P. Knecht at Sigourney, comes to us from Miss Grace Hankins. With a church of but four or five Sabbath-keepers to as-

sist him, he has been holding a very successful series of meetings.

Brother Ralph Combes tells us that the effort held at the Lakeside country church is progressing nicely, and that they have good prospects of fruitage.

Elder B. Petersen has held a very successful series of Sunday evening meetings at Atlantic, and reports that there are eleven who are definitely preparing for baptism.

Brother E. T. Gaekenheimer is rounding out the series of meetings held at Humboldt, and informs us that there are a number who will be baptized in May.

Elder J. A. Nordstrom's series of meetings at Marathon continues in spite of unfavorable weather and bad road conditions. He is presenting the testing truths at this time.

Brother Robert Kepkey's series of meetings is being held in a country schoolhouse at Middletown. The attendance continues to be very good.

Elder R. T. Hudson writes, "Our attendance is continually increasing. . . . we have to have more seats. . . . The ministers are fighting hard but the work progresses regardless." Let us remember these brethren in their efforts throughout the state.

The interest in Shenandoah continues. A number are definitely preparing for baptism.

On May 13 the workers throughout the conference will be in churches outside their respective districts. The definite appointments will be made through the "Outlook". We trust that this brief exchange of fields will prove a blessing and inspiration to the work throughout the state.

Doctor Floyd E. Bates, who is connecting with the Iowa Sanitarium and Hospital, will visit the following churches on the dates indicated:

Ottumwa, Sabbath and Sunday, May 6 and 7  
Burlington, Monday and Tuesday, May 8 and 9  
Muscatine, Wednesday and Thursday, May 10 and 11  
Davenport, Friday and Sabbath, May 12 and 13.

We trust that those who are in the vicinity of these churches will drive in to the evening meetings (except Sabbath) and avail themselves of the opportunity to see and greet Doctor Bates, also of listening to the message he will present.

### North Dakota Conference

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### Your Share of Joy

"One day about eight years ago while I was ironing clothes, a colporteur came to my door to sell a book. It was "The Great Controversy." As I looked through the book and noticed so many Bible references, I decided I needed it so I could look up the references in my Bible and thus learn to know the good old Book better. During our talk I told him that I was interested in knowing more about my Bible. He informed me that a lady in the community would study the Bible with people one hour a week. I gave him my address and the next Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock the door bell rang and I welcomed the Bible-study lady and engaged in my first real Bible study. She studied with me six months and convinced me that she had the truth, so I accepted this message and was baptized."

So writes Mrs. Marjorie E. Dygert of Bottineau, N. Dakota. How would you like to have been the colporteur who sold her the book? Or the lady who gave her Bible studies? Yes, thousands of people are rejoicing in this truth today simply because some colporteur called at their door with a message-filled book. Why not go out and have your share of the joy in seeing souls saved?

For particulars write Roger Baker, Field Missionary Secretary, Box 1491, Jamestown, North Dakota.

### Lisbon M. V. Convention

From May 5 to 7 it has been arranged for a Missionary Volunteer Convention to be held at Lisbon. The first meeting will be Friday evening at 8 o'clock. Sabbath services will be held as follows:

Sabbath School	10 A. M.
Preaching	11 A. M.
Convention	2:00-4:00 P. M.
Social Evening	7:30-10:00 P. M.

Meetings for Sunday will be arranged later. We cordially invite every one who can come, to attend this convention. Bring your lunch with you and stay all day.

Geo. Loewen

## South Dakota Conference

A. V. Rhoads, President

H. J. Perkins, Secretary

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Adventists.

## A Special Day

At a recent meeting of the Union Conference Committee, Sabbath, May 6, was designated as a day for special prayer and consecration of our lives, our crops, and our all to God. At this time our churches throughout the union will pray that God will bless spiritually and will rebuke the devourer. God has made a wonderful pledge and promise to His people as they consecrate themselves to Him. So we pray that God will remember His promise to us and will grant us spiritual and temporal blessings. How dependent we are upon Him! We sow our seed, but with the many pests and unfavorable weather conditions of these last days, we know that we need God to bless.

A. V. Rhoads

## Bison

Sabbath, April 22, was a good day for the brethren in the Bison district. Believers from that district met at the Bison church where we had a few meetings and then went to a nearby stream where we baptized four precious souls. These were all adults and the results of Brother Braun's faithful work. This class had been well instructed, and they were fully consecrated to the truth, as evidenced by the tears that flowed when we discussed the various phases of this blessed message. One brother turned in \$100 tithes the same day that he was baptized. We believe that this shows a consecration of the pocket book as well as of the heart. Others are contemplating baptism at a not far distant date.

Brother Braun has done excellent work in this sparsely settled district, and the Lord has blessed. The people love Brother and Sister Braun dearly, and they have lent much assistance to those who needed spiritual help. We have very fine people in that northwest country, and we appreciate their faithfulness and devotion to the cause. A. V. Rhoads

## S. O. S.

I suppose you can recall one evening on the camp ground at Huron last year. The night turned cold,

A number of new arrivals had come, and some were needing a blanket or a quilt; so at the close of the meeting we handed out forty-nine quilts and blankets to the brethren in need. This was all made possible by the liberal response made to a call for bedding published in the Outlook.

Now we are coming to our good people again with a smaller request. We are badly in need of tea towels for our camp meeting dining hall. We all like to eat from dishes that have been wiped by clean cloths, and I am sure you will be glad to send in a supply. You need not hem them so nicely; just good, plain tea towels will serve the purpose. I trust the good sisters of the various churches will get together and send in a nice supply. I thank you for the 150 towels you are going to send in.

I am suggesting that in order for all the churches to share in the blessing of donating these towels, no church send in more than twelve towels, or no individual more than three. Send them to the office: Box 36, Watertown, South Dakota.

Elder A. V. Rhoads

## "I Have No Greater Joy Than"

III John 4

No greater pleasure can enrich the life of a worker in this cause than that which attends a few days of sojourn within the walls and along the halls of one of our academies or colleges. It was my personal privilege to have fellowship with the teachers and students of P. V. A. during the spring Week of Prayer, March 14-19. My expectations were fully met in the manifest spirit of concern and desire evidenced by the entire faculty. As parents ponder the path of their children's feet, so did our teachers bear a burden for the salvation of our wayward or unconverted boys and girls. There is no loyalty so transcendently beautiful as that which refuses to surrender until prayer is answered for the conversion of a soul. Such an attitude was beautifully demonstrated by the members of our academy faculty.

I was impressed much by the quiet way in which many of our students talked to one another of their relationship to Christ. God blessed the united ministry of teachers and students. On Sabbath as the call was made for all who would take up the cross and follow Jesus in baptism,

church fellowship, and service for Christ whatever the cost, several immediately stood. In a few moments every person in the room had gathered in penitence about the altar. It was a most blessed occasion.

On Sabbath, April 1, it was my privilege to baptize ten candidates in our academy baptistry. Eight of these were young people from our school. Professors Watt and Welch joined in the service to welcome these precious youth into the fellowship of the Redfield church.

Our schools are God's castles of security. Happy is the young man or woman who finds his way thence; and thrice blessed are those wise and sacrificing parents who guide thither the feet of their youth.

J. H. Rhoads

## Announcing Special Meetings

Aberdeen District.—A district convention will be held at the Aberdeen church, May 5-7. Members of the Aberdeen church, near-by isolated believers, and all others who can come, are cordially invited. The first meeting will begin at 8:00 o'clock Friday evening, May 5. There will be meetings both morning and afternoon on Sabbath and Sunday. Elders D. E. Reiner and P. D. Gerrard of the union, also Elder J. H. Rhoads and Brother R. H. Brown of the local conference, will be in charge. A question box and round-table discussions are planned for in addition to the regular services. There will be a rich spiritual feast for all who attend.

Madison.—Elder E. R. Lauda and family, also Elder A. V. Rhoads, expect to visit the Madison, Ash Grove, and Brookfield churches, Sabbath, May 6, at the following hours:

Madison,	9:30 A. M.
Ash Grove,	11:00 A. M.
Brookfield,	3:00 P. M.

The following Sabbath, May 13, they plan to visit the Colman church. All members of these churches and isolated believers in near-by territory are invited to attend these meetings.

E. R. Lauda

## News Items

Elder A. V. Rhoads spent Sabbath, April 29, with the Sioux Falls church. Elders A. V. and J. H. Rhoads, also Brother H. J. Perkins, who are spending several weeks in the western part of the state, report very interesting and profitable meetings

with the believers there. A good meeting was held in Rapid City, April 14-16. Many members from the entire Black Hills district were present. A fine spirit of cooperation was shown, and the Lord was there to bless.

Elder E. R. Lauda was called to Watertown Friday afternoon, April 21, to conduct the funeral service for the year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Eck of Florence.

Mrs. Tom Reaves, of Huron, underwent an operation in the Watertown hospital Monday, April 24. She is getting along nicely.

We were happy to have as recent visitors to our Watertown church, the Martin family of Toronto, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Nelson of Clear Lake, and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Mekkelson.

Don't forget camp meeting—June 16-24. Begin planning now.

We are very happy this morning that we have so many things to cheer us. Our brethren have been sending in a good tithe for the first three months of this year, and I know you have been blessed as you have turn-

ed in that which is God's. It helps us in our local problems. We have a great work to do in this state, and so few workers! We hope soon to add to our working force.

Word comes from various workers in our field that souls are accepting the truth and being baptized. Pray for our workers as they labor to bring this blessed message to others. Brother Brown left for the Union Colporteur institute held at Plainview Academy, April 14-22. About ten "Plainviewites" are planning to enter the canvassing work at the end of the present school term. Thursday, Brother Brown left for the Union college colporteur institute in progress April 28—May 5.

Just this morning we received a letter from a man who understands something about our work, and he wrote to the Pacific Press asking if it was still operating. We are pleased to tell him that it is growing every day and that tons of literature are being sent out. He desires to secure copies of our books. We hope to contact him soon.

March 16, 1939, at the age of eighty years. She grew to young womanhood on the home farm, attended the local rural school, and later one term at Battle Creek College. On March 24, 1881, she was united in marriage to George L. Teeple, who preceded her in death in 1925. To this union three daughters were born: Mrs. Alice Johnson, of Hawarden, Iowa; Mrs. Nina Larkin, of Laredo, Texas; and Mrs. Cordie Shopbach, who died in 1913. In order to secure the advantages of Christian education for their family, Mrs. Teeple and her husband moved in 1891 to Lincoln, Nebraska, and then to College View in 1897. Having been brought up in the Seventh-day Adventist Church, she was a firm believer in every principle taught, and practiced those principles until her death. During the last seven years of her life she made her home with her daughter, Mrs. Johnson, at Hawarden. Funeral services were conducted there on March 18 by Elder W. R. Archbold and Brother Bert Rhoads. Services were also conducted in the College View church Sunday, March 19, by Elder E. L. Pingenot and the writer, after which burial was made in the College View cemetery. W. A. Howe

**Huntress.**—Mrs. Carrie Neilson Huntress was born May 4, 1868 in Denmark and died in Minneapolis, Minnesota, March 18, 1939. She came to America fifty years ago. About twenty-nine years ago she joined the Seventh-day Adventist church, and she has lived its teachings faithfully ever since. She is a member of the Eau Claire, Wisconsin church. The service was well attended, and another opportunity was open to pass to others some of the blessed truths that make us a people of the Lord.

**Day.**—Mary Eva Day was born in Wyanet, Illinois, February 22, 1862. The seventy-seven years of a well-ordered and useful life, a life spent in doing good, terminated March 13, 1939. January 10, 1882, she was united in marriage to Charles Henry Day. To this union was born one daughter, Mrs. Dale E. Chamberlin, of Chicago, Illinois. About the year 1913 she heard and accepted present truth and joined the Seventh-day Adventist Church, of which she remained a faithful and active member to the time of her death. The daughter mentioned above; three sisters, Mrs. Angeline Rider, Mrs. Almada Robinson, and Miss Alice Kinney; other relatives; and a large circle of friends, all testify that Mrs. Day was a Christian and lived her religion. Words of comfort were spoken by her pastor, and burial was made at Waterloo, Iowa. C. H. Miller

## Colporteur Report

P. D. Gerrard

Union Field Secretary

WEEK ENDING APRIL 22, 1939

Bks. Hrs. Orders Del.

Minnesota—C. G. Cross, Sec.			
Karl Evenson	BR 62	94.10	138.00
G. L. Cunningham	GC 45	28.80	6.30
R. J. Jones	GC 41	41.50	19.50
Virginia Rust	Mag. 39	13.85	13.85
Myrtle Peterson	BR 33	40.50	5.00
Mrs. A. Paul	HR 32	13.15	
Mrs. Prowoll	Mag. 32	6.10	6.10
Carrie Powers	Mag. 31	10.65	10.65
William Greer	GC 25	15.00	4.50
Gwendolyn Judd	HG 24	15.95	11.20
Harold Santini	HP 22	15.50	9.25
Judith Dufstrom	Mag. 7	7.45	.45
Clare G. Rust	Mag. 6	2.90	2.90
Mrs. C. Wilson	Mag.	4.00	4.00
Total		400	303.45 231.70

Iowa—G. H. Boehrig, Sec.			
Elsie A. Bahr	Mag. 20	8.80	8.80
Roy Chamberlain	BR 46	33.50	5.00
Wm. Finch	Misc.	6.76	6.76
A. E. Johnson	Misc. 33	16.25	15.25
Ray T. Kroll	H 40	11.50	12.50
Hazel Messenger	H 33	20.85	20.85
H. W. Niswonger	Misc. 43	92.15	92.15
Glenn Shelton	BR 16	14.00	18.00
H. Strickland	DND 28	8.50	1.75
Total		260	212.31 181.06

South Dakota—R. H. Brown, Sec.			
Maurine Anderson	H 26	20.65	6.10
Harry Nelson	OWB 44	10.20	2.75
Norman Petersan	BR 44	32.65	1.25
Total		114	63.60 10.10

North Dakota—Roger Baker, Sec.			
Edith Olson	HG 31		30.50
C. A. Lindquist	HG 14	14.00	3.00
Mrs. H. Johnson	LH 4	2.30	2.30
Total		49	16.30 35.80
Total for Union		823	695.66 458.66

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## Obituaries

**Rose.**—Nellie Rose was born April 15, 1871, and died at Cherokee, Iowa, March 4, 1939. She became one of the charter members of the newly organized church, which was the result of an evangelistic effort held in that city last summer. She was happy in the knowledge that God had forgiven her sins, and that soon Jesus would return to awake those who sleep in Him. She leaves to mourn: nine children, thirty-three grandchildren, three great-grandchildren, two brothers, and two sisters, also a host of friends. Funeral services were conducted by the writer from the Cherokee Seventh-day Adventist church, and burial was made in the little country cemetery. W. R. Archbold

**Teeple.**—Mrs. Sarah Ann, Teeple nee Vile, was born near Waukon, Iowa, May 18, 1853, and died in Hawarden, Iowa,

## Sunset Calendar

"Remember the Sabbath day to keep it holy. Six days shalt thou labor, and do all thy work; but the seventh day is the Sabbath of the Lord thy God."

May 5, 1939

Des Moines, Iowa	7:17
St. Paul, Minnesota	7:22
Bismarck, North Dakota	7:58
Pierre, South Dakota	7:45

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