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The Spirit of Prophecy in the Advent Movement

What a privilege to have the direct leadership of God in the closing work of the gospel! This privilege was promised to the remnant church in the book of Revelation: "And the dragon was wroth with the woman, and went to make war with the remnant of her seed, which keep the commandments of God, and have the testimony of Jesus Christ." Rev. 12:17. The dragon is Satan, operating through oppressive governments (verse 9) the woman is the church (verses 1-6). The remnant, naturally,

is the last end of the church of Christ in the last days, which is distinguished by the fact that it keeps the commandments of God and has the testimony of Jesus Christ as defined in Rev. 19:10. It is the Spirit of prophecy. In I Cor. 1:6, 7, is to be found the following: "Even as the testimony of Christ was confirmed in you: so that ye come behind in no gift; waiting for the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ."

This testimony of Jesus Christ, or the gift of the Spirit of prophecy, is to be in evidence in the remnant church. In accordance with this promise that gift made its appearance in this movement at its very inception. The counsels coming from God through that source have constituted a molding, spiritual influence in the lives of Seventh-day Adventists and have guided in the work of the denomination.

An Unusual Opportunity

Other church bodies have earnestly sought from us the secret of our success in both home and foreign missionary projects. They seem to think that we are an exceptionally wise people to be able to do what others have failed to accomplish. But this is not the case. We are but a cross section of the intelligence of mankind. "For ye see your calling, brethren, how that not many wise men after the flesh, not many mighty, not many noble, are called. But God hath chosen the foolish things of the world to confound the wise; and God hath chosen the weak things of the world to confound the things which are mighty." I Cor. 1:26, 27.

The secret of the success that has attended the progress of this movement is in the fact that the Lord has given us direct counsel through the gift of prophecy.

A Bulwark for the Coming Crisis

The church is entering the closing bitter crisis. This brief word picture is given by the pen of inspiration:

"Perilous times are before us. . . . The enemy is on our track. We must be wide-awake, on our guard against him. We must put on the whole armor of God. We must follow the directions given through the Spirit of prophecy. We must love and obey the truth for this time. This will save us from accepting strong delusions. God has spoken to us through the testimonies to the church, and through the books that have helped to make plain our present duty and the position that we should now occupy. The warnings that have been given, line upon line, precept upon precept, should be heeded. If we disregard them, what excuse can we offer?"—Testimonies for the Church," Vol. 8, p. 298.

The leadership of this movement, sensing the vital importance of each church member's receiving at this time the help and encouragement God has intended for us in the Spirit of prophecy counsels, urges the faithful study of these heaven-sent messages.

The Secret of Success

To encourage each family which does not have the Spirit of prophecy writings, to secure without further delay at least the more important of these helpful volumes, special price discounts have been arranged for a four-month period from May 15 to September 15, 1939. This will enable all to secure these books at a material saving.

Every Seventh-day Adventist home should be supplied with as many of the volumes of the Spirit of prophecy as possible. Our Seventh-day Adventist churches should have a full set of the books in their libraries, for the use of those who have not been able to secure these valuable writings for their own homes. The church library, however, can never take the place of the home library. As Seventh-day Adventists renew their study of these precious writings, great blessings will come to each home, hearts will be warmed, missionary activity will be

advanced, and the work of making a people ready to meet their God will be perfected.

M. N. Campbell

General Conference Vice-President
for North America.

Progress Without Compromise

The opinion is existent in the minds of some that needless expenditures are involved in the accreditation of our institutions of higher learning, and further, that such recognition is obtained only on the basis of compromise. If this opinion were a fact, then accreditation would be both a waste of means and a weakening of standards fundamental to our existence and should be rejected; but is this the condition? Can progress be made without compromise?

Today, many improved means are employed in connection with the giving of the message that were not used when the work was in its infancy. These newer methods have involved some added expense, but we believe the additional expenditure is justifiable. For instance, mail service was the only thing available eighty years ago, but today our workers are privileged to use the telephone, telegraph and cable even though it involves additional cost. No one would ask our institutions to use the kerosene lamp instead of electricity. The greater efficiency of the latter warrants the additional cost. The automobile is we feel that the additional expense is more expensive than the bicycle, but justifiable. There may have been a time when some held the opinion that a person was backsliding who purchased an automobile, but few hold such beliefs today.

In the field of education there have been improvements that involve added expenses but the results warrant these. Education properly administered contributes to efficiency, and in view of this, it is wholly the part of wisdom to make the necessary changes in this field as well as in other fields so that the future worker may be prepared to meet the standards existent today. The technique of the modern physician must be different from that of a hundred years ago; and the worker of today, whether he be a teacher, a minister, or a secretary, also finds the standards in his profession constantly rising.

It is to prepare workers to meet this condition that we feel accreditation

is justifiable, as long as standards basic to this message are not jeopardized or compromised. We should ever keep in mind the distinction between progress and compromise, and as long as progress is available without compromise, certainly progress should be encouraged. A lowering of standards can come about without progress; so progress in itself need not be the cause for the lowering of ideals. The ideals of this message based upon truth must not change. Union College is interested in improving the efficiency of service it offers its youth. It is not interested in compromise of principle. Its purpose is to add high scholastic attainment to spiritual growth. It believes that its product should be capable of taking a place at the head and not at the stern of things mental, cultural, and spiritual. Progress can be made without compromise.

A. H. Rulkoetter, President
Union College

Union Music Festival at Maplewood

In order to bring the secondary schools into closer harmony musically and spiritually, to prepare consecrated musicians for the finishing of God's work, and to foster a greater spirit of loyalty to our fields, representatives from the four academies of the Northern Union, under the leadership of K. L. Gant, union educational secretary; Mr. Adrian R. M. Lauritzen, director of music at Maplewood Academy and chairman of the Festival Committee; and the music directors and principals from each academy; convened at Maplewood Academy in Hutchinson, Minnesota, for the first annual Northern Union Music Festival April 28-30.

Schools participating were Sheyenne River Academy, Harvey, North Dakota—Principal R. W. Fowler and Music Director Miss Olivia Harder; Plainview Academy, Redfield, South and Dakota—Principal A. L. Watt and Music Director Mrs. A. L. Watt; Oak Park Academy, Nevada, Iowa—Principal J. A. Tucker and Music Director Miss Alyse Swedberg; and Maplewood Academy, Hutchinson, Minnesota—Principal E. F. Heim and Music Director Adrian R. M. Lauritzen.

Mr. Heim officially welcomed the visiting friends and invited them to join the Maplewood students in the usual worship and vesper services,

special music for which was furnished by the students from the several academies. Elder V. E. Peugh, president of the Minnesota Conference, spoke at that hour and brought out the true objective of the Christian life in his address on "Service."

For the church service Sabbath forenoon the Maplewood Choral Club sang "Behold, I Bring You Good Tidings." Elder Gant sounded the keynote of the festival in his sermon on "The Song of the Redeemed," in which he made it clear that music expresses the deeper things of life and that singing is as much worship as prayer; but it must be appropriate and consecrated to God.

The sacred concert at three o'clock Sabbath afternoon was the first main festival program. Elder Tucker opened the meeting with a short address on "Good Fellowship." Maplewood, as the host academy, presented the first group of numbers: a two-piano selection, a ladies' trio, and the Choral Club. Sheyenne River followed with a ladies' trio, a vocal solo, and a mixed quartet. Plainview presented a vocal solo, a male quartet, a ladies' trio, and a soprano, alto and baritone trio.

The outstanding program of the entire festival was the concert at eight o'clock Saturday night. Elder Gant, as master of ceremonies, introduced the other speakers on the program and restated the purpose of the music festival, emphasizing again that this festival was not sponsored as a competitive contest at all, but as an opportunity for the development of the fine art of music with the corresponding development of spirituality. The festival, he said, grew out of the recommendation presented by the a-

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cademy music directors and the educational superintendents of the Northern Union Conference at their Secondary Teachers' Institute held at Maplewood Academy last fall. Mr. Lauritzen expressed appreciation for the cooperation of all the groups and the effort put forth to make the festival a success. "This is a growing thing," he stated, "and it will make a deeper impression spiritually as Christians continue to associate musically."

Each principal introduced the music director and student participants from his school as the respective groups presented their parts of the program, which were as follows: Maplewood—a piano solo, two vocal solos, and four selections by the Speaking Choir; Shyenne River—a mixed quartet, a piano solo, a girl's trio, a vocal solo, and a piano duet; Plainview—a piano solo, a male quartet, a vocal solo, a girls' quartet, and an instrumental quartet; and Oak Park—a violin and clarinet duet, a double mixed quartet, a marimba solo, and a two-piano number.

Sunday morning at the eight o'clock devotional hour, the four academies again conducted a short musical program preceding a talk by Mr. Fowler. He spoke to the young people urging them to reconsecrate their lives and talents to the cause of God and to the finishing of His work.

At nine-thirty the Maplewood Band, conducted by Mr. Lauritzen, and assisted by the Ladies' Trio and two readers, presented the final program of the festival in the new Maplewood gymnasium. The fellowship hour which followed for all participants in the music festival was directed by Mr. Heim, Principal, Mrs. E. K. VaudeVere, Miss Mae Sorensen, and Mr. O. E. Simon, assistants in the Maplewood music department. Thus closed the first of what promises to be one of the most worth while progressive phases of the educational work in this field.

Mae E. Sorensen, Preceptress
Maplewood Academy

Aeolian Church Music Institute

The Aeolian A Cappella Choir of Chicago is an organization of Seventh-day Adventist young people, conference recognized, who have for years developed high standards of interpretation of the choicest gems of an-

cient and modern church music which are replete with the doctrine of the second advent of Jesus.

Under the direction of Oliver S. Beltz of Northwestern University School of Church and Choral Music, this organization has a permanent institution—the Aeolian Church Music Institute and Retreat. Its second session will be conducted August 13 to 20, Sunday to Sunday, at Camp Mack, Milford, Indiana.

The work of the institute is not to promote a cappella singing. Our objective is to meet the practical and spiritual demands of the church. The states demand much of their public school music instructors. The equipment of the average church musician falls far behind those standards. The people of the advent movement have a right to expect their church music leaders to have a musical preparation that squares in standard and spiritual character with the men who preach in the pulpit. The music that accompanies the preaching of the word can only be the best.

Our organization invites the church musician, professional and amateur; and every type of church worker musically minded, to join us in this week of study, inspiration, recreation, and delightful association. Correspondence is solicited, and all inquiries will receive prompt and cheerful attention.

E. C. Townsend, Publicity Director,
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Warning

From one of our ministers in a nearby state comes the information that a man giving his name as A. R. Wilson, and purporting to be well acquainted with Adventists in California has been soliciting financial assistance from some of our people; but developments seem to indicate that he is imposing upon them by asking them for money. At the places where he solicited funds he claimed to be from Fresno, California; represented that his truck had broken down, with his wife and children in it; also that it was loaded with California walnuts and other products from which he would repay the loan, or sell some to the donor at a low price. He also had an associate who posed as a kind-hearted stranger who had befriended Mr. Wilson. He told his story so convincingly that some of our good people let him have money, after which he disappeared; so he is

believed to be an impostor who is taking advantage of our people and their liberality. Hence this warning to our readers that they may not be imposed upon. We believe in charity and liberality to the poor and needy, but it seems that any who are going about the country taking advantage of our people and their kindness in such a manner, would hardly be in the class to merit much financial assistance.

A. R. Smouse

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Notice

The seventy-second regular session of the Minnesota Conference of Seventh-day Adventists will be held in connection with the camp meeting at Anoka, Minnesota, June 22 to July 2, 1939.

The first meeting of the session will be called at 9:15 A. M. Friday, June 23, 1939 at which time the conference will be organized and the delegates seated. A full representation of the delegates is desired at the first meeting.

Officers for the ensuing two-year term will be elected during the session, and such other business transacted as should come before the assembled delegates for their consideration.

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Notice

The 1939 biennial session of the Minnesota Conference Association of Seventh-day Adventists, a legal corporation of the State of Minnesota, will be held in connection with the conference and camp meeting of the Minnesota Conference of Seventh-day Adventists, at Anoka, Minnesota, June 22—July 2, 1939.

The delegates of the corporation are the same as the delegates at the conference session. Seven trustees will be elected for the ensuing two-year term, and such other business transacted as should properly come before the delegates at that time.

The first meeting of the session will be called at 9:15 A. M. Monday, June 26, 1939.

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Maplewood Commencement Exercises

Teachers, students, and visitors at Maplewood Academy enjoyed an interesting and spiritual week-end during the commencement exercises on May 12, 13, and 14.

At the consecration service on Friday evening Elder C. H. Lauda spoke on the senior aim and motto, "Try-Trust, and Triumph." Practically all of the seniors gave testimonies of consecration and re-dedication.

At the baccalaureate service on Sabbath, Elder D. E. Reiner, home missionary secretary of the Northern Union Conference, delivered the sermon, using as his text 1 Chron. 12:8, and urging the seniors of 1939, as well as all the young people, to be "men of might, and men of war fit for the battle."

The class night program was held in the chapel the evening after the Sabbath. Virginia Frederickson gave the salutatory and Willard Christensen, the valedictory. The class officers were Donovan Olson, president; Betty Lou Dickinson, vice-president; Laura James, secretary; Vance Bergvall, treasurer and Orval Hanson, sergeant. The class gift, an RCA phono-radio was presented to the school near the close of the program. There was a capacity crowd in the chapel for the services on Sabbath and Sunday.

H. K. Schilling of Union College, gave the commencement address, in which he told the seniors about education in the past, and forcefully propounded to them the necessity for continuous spiritual and mental growth even after the school courses are completed. Thirty-eight seniors received diplomas.

Mrs. L. W. Roth

M. V. Rally at Thief River Falls

Sabbath, May 6, was a beautiful day. Early in the morning many of our faithful people in district No. 1 were on their way to Thief River Falls to be there on time for Sabbath school, beginning at 10:00 A. M. By that time the streets on either side of the church were lined with cars. In the commodious church building one hundred fifty people were comfortably seated. Those leading out in the Sabbath school were selected from the various churches represented on that day.

At 11:00 A. M. Elder Lauda was to have arrived, but the train happen-

ed to be an hour and a half late, so the writer was obliged to speak in his stead. In the afternoon, however, Elder Lauda made up for lost time. The first two hours were spent in a consecration service, in which many made a new start and earnestly sought the Lord for spiritual strength to lead a true Christian life that would clearly testify of the grace of our Lord and His keeping power. The second two-hour period was occupied in discussing a number of practical topics which both young and old need to understand. When the meeting came to a close, all left the church expressing their appreciation of the meeting, and the happiness of having once more had the opportunity to meet so many friends from whom they had been separated during the long and severe northern winter.

A substantial offering was taken for the translation of "Messages to Young People."

For those who remained, a pleasant social gathering was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Nelson. Our young people are already looking forward to Elder Lauda's next visit to district No. 1.

David Gulbrandson

North Dakota Conference

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Camp Meeting

Our camp meetings become more and more important as the perils of the last days multiply and dangers surround us on every hand. Soon the wrath of God will fall upon all who are without shelter, and the people of God will pass through the night of Jacob's trouble. Even today the world is in distress, uncertainty is increasing and a feeling of insecurity has taken possession of men everywhere. The seriousness of the times in which we live and the tests and trials which await God's people demand that we seek special help from God in preparation for the time of trouble that is just before us. As a people we need more of God, more of His Spirit, and surely no sacrifice is too great in order that we might gain a deeper Christian experience. Camp meetings have been appointed for a definite purpose, and every believer should have a deep interest in the camp meet-

ing, also put forth a special effort to attend.

I believe it is of vital importance that we give serious thought to the question of making a preparation of heart and mind for this annual gathering. We must not—no, we dare not—have this meeting without making this special preparation. Let there be a whole-hearted turning to God on the part of all,—older ones, young people, and children. There should be an earnest, deep, thorough searching of hearts, and this preparation must be an individual work. If the Lord reveals anything that is displeasing to Him, let us seek forgiveness and cleansing and remove every obstacle in order that nothing may hinder the outpouring of God's Spirit upon His people.

This camp meeting should be the most spiritual convocation in the history of our conference, and a solemn responsibility rests not only upon the ministers but upon every believer to make this a time of real refreshing.

Let us join in seeking the Lord earnestly in preparation for this meeting and come to this great gathering with faith in God, believing that He will bless us richly and pour out His Spirit upon us. Every church member should come not only to receive but to impart to others a blessing.

D. N. Wall

Camp Meeting

Camp meeting this year is from June 8 to 17 and will be held in the city park at Jamestown.

The rental rates for accommodations this year will be as follows:

New 12x14 tents	\$4.50
Old 12x14 tents	2.50
Tent with fly	1.00
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Single spring	.40

A cafeteria will be operated again this year and the prices will be held as low as possible for the benefit of those who wish to take their meals there. A camp grocery store will also be operated, and a good line of groceries will be in stock for those who prefer to prepare their own food.

The regular camp meeting discount will be offered on all of our publications, and there will also be some special offers. A discount of 20% will be given on all of the writings of Sister White. A fine assortment of Bibles will be on display. Come prepared to avail yourselves of these

special camp meeting discounts and take home with you some of this good literature.

B. L. Schlotthauer
Notice

Notice is hereby given that the biennial meeting of the North Dakota Conference of Seventh-day Adventists will be held on the camp grounds at Jamestown, North Dakota, June 8-17, 1939. The purpose of this meeting is to elect officers for the ensuing term, and to transact such other business as may properly come before the delegates. The first meeting will be held Sunday, June 11, at 9:00 A. M.

D. N. Wall, President
B. L. Schlotthauer, Secretary

Notice

Notice is hereby given that the biennial meeting of the North Dakota Conference Association of Seventh-day Adventists will be held in connection with the biennial session of the North Dakota Conference of Seventh-day Adventists on the camp grounds, June 11-17, 1939. The first meeting will be held Thursday, June 15, at 10:00 A. M. Delegates to the North Dakota Conference session are recognized delegates to the Association meeting.

D. N. Wall, President
B. L. Schlotthauer, Secretary

Iowa Conference

DeWitt S. Osgood, President
Eugene Woessner, Secretary
734 MAIN STREET NEVADA
Make wills and legacies to Iowa Seventh-day Adventist Association.

Spirit of Prophecy Day

Throughout the Northern Union, Sabbath, May 27, is to be observed as "Spirit of Prophecy Day". On that day the importance of the gift which has been placed in the remnant church is to be studied. Leaflets are being sent out to the churches. This is a part of the plan which has been launched by the General Conference to encourage the study of the writings of the Spirit of prophecy.

Just how much you will be blessed and benefited will depend not only on the presentation of the matter in the local church, but also on how you individually relate yourself to it. Your prayerful preparation to receive all the blessings heaven has in store for you, is essential.

DeWitt S. Osgood

It's Not too Late

Of course, it is always best to respond at once when the call comes, but perchance you did not place your "Review and Herald" subscription with the church missionary secretary last week, then by all means do it now. Good intentions will never bring you the good old "Review." It takes action. It's not too late, and it's better late than —, please don't fill in that word. You just must have the "Review and Herald."

DeWitt S. Osgood

Coming

A Missionary Volunteer rally for District No. 1. Watch the Outlook for announcement as to place. This is Elder Arehbold's district.

W. A. Howe

**Investiture Service at
Des Moines**

The Des Moines church school teachers have not been idle outside of school hours. Miss Helen Mae Smith and her brother, Mr. Charles L. Smith, have successfully promoted all the phases of our young people's work.

Sunday evening, May 14, seven candidates were invested as Master Comrades. As the result of their work, six Friends and four Companions from the church school received their respective insignia. Those invested as Master Comrades were: Mrs. Lucile Joice, Mrs. Bertha Speak, Mrs. Goldie McDaniel, Mrs. R. T. Hudson, Mrs. A. J. Gordon, Mrs. Charles L. Smith, and Dr. F. E. Bates. Since they have pledged to give the best that they have of Christian manhood and womanhood for the service and teaching of their Junior associates, we look to the future with great anticipation of good things for the boys and girls of this school.

W. A. Howe

Iowa Sanitarium News Items

The many friends of Mrs. Josephine Clark will be glad to know that she is making good recovery from a broken hip, which injury was sustained April 10. She greatly appreciates the many letters and cards sent to her.

Miss Dollie Hanson of the Exira church recently accompanied her sister, Mrs. Manuel Sorenson of College View, Nebraska, to the sanitarium for examination and treatment. Mrs. Sorenson hopes soon to be able to return home. She and her husband

were for a number of years missionaries in Abyssinia.

Miss Cora Quinn who for a number of years was a Bible worker in Iowa, is among those registered at the sanitarium.

Elder L. L. McKinley of the Missouri Conference recently brought Mrs. Edna Gosser of Kirksville, Missouri, to the sanitarium for a week's treatment and an examination. Her daughter, Mrs. Lockett, also came with her and remained until her return home.

Mrs. Lovell, wife of Dr. Arthur Lovell of College View, Nebraska, has been with us for a few weeks and is showing improvement from the treatments and rest.

Little Gloria, the younger daughter of Elder A. J. Gordon of Des Moines, made a rapid recovery from a severe attack of pneumonia, and has returned to her home.

Mrs. F. E. Taylor of Menlo was recently here for X-ray, and medical care. She was suffering from injuries sustained in a fall but was able to return to her home more comfortable.

Miss Grace Johnston accompanied Mrs. Jess Hendrix, of Knoxville, to the sanitarium for an examination, before leaving for her new home in California.

Mrs. Geo. Ehret of Burlington went home feeling greatly benefited from her ten-day stay at the sanitarium.

W. H. Hanhardt, formerly Sabbath school and home missionary secretary of the South Dakota conference, is taking treatments and feeling much better at this writing.

South Dakota Conference

A. V. Rhoads, President
H. J. Perkins, Secretary
Drawer 36 Watertown
Make wills and legacies to South Dakota Conference Association of Seventh-day Adventists.

Camp Meeting Music

The annual feast to which all loyal Seventh-day Adventists look forward is near at hand, and we extend to all music-lovers an invitation to assist us in some way so that we may make the music of our camp meeting both inspirational and helpful. Now is the time to place your talents on the altar of service and be a part of this program, in order that you, as well as those who listen may enjoy a real blessing.

Bring your "Gospel in Song" and

“Christ in Song” books and join in the service, thereby showing through music that we are children of the heavenly King.

Those who play various instruments are urged to respond so that we may have a good-sized orchestra, as well as a choir.

Music is as much a part of worship as preaching. Let each one put forth an effort, to make this the best camp meeting we have ever attended.

Mrs. Hazel Kemper
306 Seventh Avenue S. W.
Aberdeen, South Dakota

Opportunities at Plainview

Throughout the State of South Dakota there are fine young men anxious to get a Christian education, who find it impossible to do so because of finances. For this type of young men Plainview Academy now has two exceptionally good opportunities. We are looking for two men who will work at the school this summer. If they are of the right type they can earn their entire way through school for next year. Any one who is interested in this proposition should get in touch with the school immediately. Address your letters to Principal A. L. Watt, Plainview, Redfield, South Dakota.

An Encouraging Gain

Again we are able to report a gain in tithe, as the following figures show.

	1938	1939
January	2014.59	2219.82
February	1934.33	1958.53
March	1845.22	2486.69
April	2822.17	2907.87
Total	8616.31	9572.91
Gain-1939	956.30	

How gratified we are to be able to make such a good report to our faithful brethren and sisters. We have been just a bit apprehensive about the report for April, as last year's receipts were about the best for the year. However practically every church and company reported, also a number of isolated members sent in their tithe. There have not been any large amounts of tithe paid by any one. The gain is a little in excess of 11 per cent.

Our members will be glad to know there has also been a slight gain in mission offerings.

H. J. Perkins

Colporteur Report

P. D. Gerrard

Union Field Secretary

WEEK ENDING MAY 13, 1939

	Bks.	Hrs	Orders	Del.
Minnesota—C. G. Cross, Sec.				
Virginia Rust	Mag.	46	17.75	17.75
K. C. Nichols	BR	45	30.00	
R. J. Jones	GC	45	25.50	13.25
G. L. Cunningham	GC	45	15.50	4.75
Clare G. Rust	Mag.	41	15.20	15.20
Gwendolyn Judd	HG	40	25.70	13.65
Mrs. Avery Paul	HR	37	13.90	.50
Myrtle Peterson	BR	35	5.50	16.75
Carrie Powers	Mag.	34	13.10	13.10
William Greer	GC	32	8.35	2.10
Fred Reinfeld	GR	28	15.75	
S. Christopherson	Mag.	22	7.95	7.95
Judith Dufstrom	Mag.	22	11.20	18.70
Harold Santini	HP	6	.25	3.25
Total		478	205.65	127.05

Iowa—G. H. Boehrig, Sec.				
Elsie A. Bahr	Mag.	17	3.70	3.70
Roy Chamberlain	BR	40	29.50	1.25
A. E. Johnson	Misc.	41	16.50	16.50
Hazel Messenger	H	37	10.35	10.35
Howard Strickland	DND	38	6.00	2.50
Total		173	66.05	34.30
North Dakota—Roger Baker, Sec.				
C. A. Lindquist	HG	41	48.86	12.00
Mrs. H. Johnson	H	4	3.00	3.00
Total		45	51.86	15.00
Total for Union		696	323.56	176.35

ADVERTISEMENTS

Advertisements and business notices are not solicited, but are published only as an accommodation. They must be sent to the local conference office to be approved by the conference officers before being published in the Northern Union Outlook. For each insertion the rate is two cents a word with a minimum charge of fifty cents cash to accompany the advertisement.

For Sale.—40 acres of land, partly improved, fenced, some woods. About 3 acres cleared, on road. Daily mail. Telephone available. Good neighbors. One and a half miles to church and church school. Store 2½ miles. Bargain for cash. Write if interested. Gus Bartell, Remer, Minnesota.

Obituaries

Kelm.—Mrs. Amelia Kelm, nee Freund, was born near Saratov, Russia, July 8, 1874. In the year 1892 she was united in marriage with Gottfried Kelm in Caucasus, Russia. In 1899 they came to the United States and settled on a farm in North Dakota south of Bowdon. One year after their arrival they embraced the present truth and became members of the Seventh-day Adventist Country church at Bowdon. To the day of her death during a period of thirty-nine years, Sister Kelm was a devoted, faithful member. Five children were born to them, one of whom at a very tender age preceded the mother in death. On March, 29, after an illness of three months, which she bore with Christian fortitude and patience, she quietly passed away in her home in Bowdon. When she learned during the last days of her suffering that she would not recover, she was resigned to the thought of going to her rest. On the last evening before she passed away, and being fully conscious, she said to her husband and one of her children, “All is well.” Thus she went to her rest with complete surrender to the will of God and with faith in her Saviour, having reached the age of 64 years. She leaves to mourn her death:

her husband; two sons, Henry Kelm of Bowdon and John Kelm of Berwick; and two daughters, Mrs. Bertha Beck, Woodworth, and Mrs. Ida Miller, Napoleon; besides six grandchildren and many friends. The Bowdon Village church was filled to capacity for the funeral service, and the sermon was based on Revelation 14:13.

D. N. Wall

Cate.—Mrs. Collie Cate was born at Portage, Wisconsin, November 10, 1875, and died April 14, 1939. She was married to Alfred Cate of Warner, South Dakota, June 13, 1893. During her illness, the writer and members of the Aberdeen church visited her and at one of my first visits she expressed her desire to return to Christ and His truth. She confessed her sins and resigned all to a loving Heavenly Father. She was a well-known Christian worker, and was respected by all classes. The funeral service held in the Wilson Parlors at Aberdeen, was largely attended. Those who survive are, the invalid husband; an only son, Walter Cate; a sister, a brother; and other distant relatives.

E. R. Lauda

Lyon.—John Wesley Lyon was born near Olin, Iowa, September 23, 1860, and passed away April 20, 1939, at his home in Olin. He was married to Miss Fannie Brickley fifty-six years ago. Forty-four years ago he united with the Seventh-day Adventist Church and remained a faithful member until his death. For a number of years he was an isolated member, but he let his light shine before his neighbors and he was loved and respected by all. This was demonstrated by the large number who attended his funeral. He leaves to mourn their loss, his wife, three brothers, six children, thirteen grandchildren, and eight great-grandchildren, besides many more distant relatives and friends. Funeral services were conducted on April 22, by the writer assisted by Pastor Lloyd Dutro, of the United Brethren church in Olin. Burial was in the Olin cemetery.

Glenn Fillman

Eck.—William Darrell Eck, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Eck of Henry, South Dakota, was born April 11, 1938, and passed away April 18, 1939. He was a sunny, sweet-tempered child, and will be greatly missed. The promise that in the new earth the babes claimed here by death will be restored to the arms of faithful parents, brings comfort to the bereaved. Those who mourn the loss of this loved one are, the father and mother; three sisters: Shirley, Opal, and Marcine; three brothers: Willis, Dennis and Donald; the grandparents: Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Eck, of Frazee, Minnesota; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Springer of Florence, South Dakota; besides the aunts, uncles, and cousins. Words of comfort were spoken by the writer.

E. R. Lauda

Sunset Calendar

May 26, 1939

Des Moines, Iowa	7:38
St. Paul, Minnesota	7:46
Bismarck, North Dakota	8:24
Pierre, South Dakota	8:11

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