



ECONOMIC SUMMIT — U.S. President Ronald Reagan (left) strolls with Helmut Kohl, chancellor of West Germany, at the Summit of Industrialized Nations in Williamsburg, Va. May 28-30. (See "Worldwatch," page 2.) [Photo by Bundesbildstelle Bonn — Color Press]

Handicapped youths learn skills at education center in Jordan

By Jeff Zhorne
PASADENA — The 1983-84 school year at the Young Women's Muslim Association Special Education Center in Al Bunyat, Jordan, should be an outstanding experience for the mentally handicapped students reported Dick Weber, who works at the center on behalf of the Ambassador Foundation.

"For instance, some of the handicapped are not familiar with modern electric appliances," Mr. Weber said June 3 during a visit here. "So when they flip the switch on a power machine like a drill press or shaper, it will be an experience for them."

"I used safety guards and power feeds and modified some machines to make them safe, so the students' hands will be as far away from danger as possible," Mr. Weber commented.

When Pastor General Herbert W. Armstrong approved the Jordan program last July 11, Joseph Locke, principal of Imperial Schools here, was named director. "The purpose of the vocational program is to help students acquire a skill at which they can work," said Mr. Locke.

"Jordan has virtually no unemployment, so the three-year vocational program at the Bunyat Center should help them find jobs," Mr. Weber said. "Employer prospects

look promising already, especially since the minister of information told me there is nothing like this [the vocational section] in all of Jordan."

Sept. 8 Mr. Locke, Mr. Weber, his wife Pat and daughter Stacy and Greg Achtemichuk, a Pasadena Ambassador College student, traveled to Al Bunyat, southwest of Amman, where Mr. Weber and Mr. Locke planned educational courses in carpentry and other construction and maintenance trades with Ghusoon Karah, director of Bunyat Center. (See "Jordan Project 'Moving Ahead,'" *W/W*, Sept. 13, 1982.)

Since then Mr. Weber has been remodeling the vocational section of the Bunyat Center and instructing the youths in the use and safety of tools and equipment.

While in Pasadena the Webers made plans for the 1983-84 school year, devised budgets and schedules, made travel arrangements and attended the May 30 through June 9 Ministerial Refreshing Program.

Mr. Weber said equipment has been purchased to teach arts and crafts, horticulture, masonry, carpentry, window washing, home economics and block making.

Within Bunyat Center are three divisions: preschool, classes for those age 6 to 13 and the vocational section.

Eight Pasadena Ambassador students were selected to aid in the Jordanian program, after they completed a special education class at Ambassador taught by Mr. Locke and Imperial vice principal Robert Cote. The students are John Andrews, Dave Baker, Bruce Dague, Stan Daniel, Keith Olson, Ramona Chitwood, Anita Wilson

and Cathy McNeil.

The group will fly to Amman Aug. 21 to be teachers' aides, helping instruct courses in physical education, music, horticulture and other subjects and working with preschool children, Mr. Weber said. Most will attend the Feast in Jerusalem.

"Mr. Armstrong's visit in mid-March was one of the highlights of the year," said Mr. Weber, who added that Jordan's Princess Sarvath regularly conducts meetings at the center. Bunyat Center is one of the princess' special projects.

"Rosalynd Carter, the former First Lady of the United States, and the Dutchess of Kent visited us this year," said Mrs. Weber, "and Dick gave them a tour through the vocational area." The Bunyat Center is a "pilot project of what's being done in the field."

Mr. Locke remarked that, initially, one official from Jordan was apprehensive about the program, but now is "100 percent behind and just overwhelmed about the work Mr. Weber has done," said Mr. Locke.

When the students arrive in August, their attitude of giving and serving will help immensely, said Mr. Weber. "The biggest reason 1983-84 is going to be a success is because of the presence of Ambassador students living God's way — people notice that and greatly appreciate it," he added.

"In Jordan we miss our family, church services and friends," said Mr. Weber, "but working there has been exciting and interesting — most of all, though, it's for God's Work."

College announces honors' lists

PASADENA — Ambassador College here released the chancellor's and dean's lists for the spring semester, 1983.

The chancellor's list recognizes students with a 3.2 or better cumulative grade point average for at least two consecutive semesters. The dean's list recognizes those who have achieved a 3.2 average for one semester.

Chancellor's list

Duane Abler, Cindy Acheson, Greg Achtemichuk, Heather Aikins, Allswell Alalibo, Kelly Ambrose, Mark Andreas, John Andrews, Gloria Angel, Darcy Ashcroft, Sandra Atkinson, Maryse Audoin.

Linda Bakken, Stephen Baranaskas, Nigel Bearman, Renae Bechtold, Ian Bell, Kathleen Bellamy, Kenneth Bellamy, Michael Benjerges, Kevin Blackburn, Donna Bock, Mark David Bogdanchik, Sandi Borax, Bertha Brandon, Carol Bricker, Denise Browne, Norman Brumm, Debbie Burbach, Robert Burbach, Kathy Burch, Randall Buys.

Cheryl Campbell, Gary Campbell, Jeffrey Caudle, Helen Chandler, Karen Childers, Eli Chiprout, Frank Clark, Craig Clark, Joan Clark, Mardy Cobb, Christi Cole, Terri Conti, Tim Crabb, James Cribbs, Bruce Dague, Belinda Davies, Connie Daily, Mark Dixon, Bermeon Dizon, Nancy Donnell, Dan Dragt, Marguerite Dubois, Marjolaine Dubois, Marlene Ducker.

Raynard Eddings, Peter Eddington, Drew Efimov, Alex Evdokias, Steven Falk, Jeffrey Fall, Pam Fannin, Salvatore Fattorossi, Kerry Flaman, William Flaman, Josef For-

son, Susan Francis, Wade Fransson, Scott Friesen, Daniel Girouard, Scott Gjesvold, Frankie Gomer, Millie Gonzalez, Philip Gray, Colleen Gus.

Becky Harden, Amy Hargarten, Lisa Harkins, Ann Hays, David Hillman, Roger Hooper, Phillip Hopwood, Jean Howie, Holly James, Kay Jermakowicz, Annette Johnson, Bob Jones, Socrates Karagiannidis, Joel King, Susan Kipfer, Merry Knowlton, Cheryl Lamore, Gerard Landreth, Saul Langarica, Eric Larison, Linda Lee, Karen Leverett, Donna Levoir, Michael Limanni, Linda Webber Lukoski.

John Mabry, Doug MacDonald, Anthony Marcinelli, Joseph Martire, Carolyn Matthews, Michael McAllister, Phillip McCollum, Paula McFall, Randall McGowen, Bruce McNair, Joseph McNair, Timothy McQuoid, Robert Meade, Sherri Means, Joel Meeker, Daniel Metz, Kim Meyerdierts, Bradley Mitchell, Glenn Mitchell, Jeffrey Mitchell, Michael Mitchell, Sheldon Monson, Owen Morris, Julie Muenster, Victoria Murney, Eric Nelson, Kate Nelson.

Keith Olson, Armando Olvera, Bob Orosz, Miriam Overton, Lee Page, William Palmer, Ardis Parman, Gregory Peitz, Dennis Pelley, Brenda Peterson, Michele Petty, Brian Phipps, Mark T. Porter, Liane Proulx, Brenda Purkapile, James Ramsay, Emily Raynes, Carla Reinagel, George Relic, Daniel Reyer, Lynn Reynould, Michael Rice, Lori Riddle, Gary Riner, Joel Rissingner, Robert Rodzaj, William Rogers, Dena Roller, Kathleen Roys, Doug Ruml.

Kathy Sarfeti, Stephen Schemm,

Manuela Schlieff, Christine Schlote, Norbert Schneider, Diane Schnepfer, Sarah Segers, Sio Ching Shia, Sio Oui Shia, Joe Slevin, Lisa Sprotte, Jeffrey Stafford, Barry Stahl, Garry Steadman, Ramona Stephens, Amy Stoner, Linda Strelow, Wendy Styer, John Sullivan, Susan Sutter.

Lisa Tanksley, Ken Tate, Karen Thomas, Rosemary Thompson, Roxanne Tidmore, Kimberly Tompssett, Gayle Travis, Ruth Traynor, Clifton Veal, David Ver-nich, Lana Walker, Robert Walker, Wanda Waller, Peggy Warkentin, Wesley Webster, Michael Wells, Laura White, Karen Woodbridge, Perry Worthen, Deborah Wright, Agnes Youngblood, Claire Yoursas-soff.

Dean's list

Cindy M. Acheson, Greg T. Achtemichuk, Heather Aikins, Allswell S. Alalibo, Charles Albrecht, Kelly I. Ambrose, Debra Anderson, Mark D. Andreas, Emmanuel Andrews, John E. Andrews, Cheryl W. Andrusko, Gloria G. Angel, Camille L. Angus, Jennifer D. Atkinson, Sandra D. Atkinson, Maryse Audoin.

Dave Baker, Linda Bakken, Stephen L. Baranaskas, Dale J. Barta, Nigel S. Bearman, Renae S. Bechtold, Ian A. Bell, Kathleen J. Bellamy, Kenneth M. Bellamy, Michael Benjerges, Rose M. Bennett, Darrell Bentley, Kevin H. Blackburn, Wayne A. Blankenship, Mark David Bogdanchik, Sandi Borax, Bertha Brandon, Carol Bricker, Denise Browne, Chris Brumm, Norman A. Brumm, Sandra J. Bullington, Debbie Burbach, (See HONORS, page 3)

Minister visits members in Spain and Portugal

PASADENA — "The brethren living in Spain and Portugal now understand what it is like to have a minister," said Fernando Barriga, pastor of the Mexicala and Tijuana, Mexico, churches.

Except for Mr. Barriga's annual visit and the Feast of Tabernacles, the only contact the brethren there have with a minister is by letter.

The members in Spain and Portugal are scattered. Usually the only time the brethren meet together is for the Feast of Tabernacles. Seven members live in Portugal and 17 in Spain.

"One man told me that he was beginning to really anticipate the Sabbath and the Feast of Tabernacles. When a person really anticipates the Sabbath, he is on the right track."

Mr. Barriga said that five members are distributing *Pura Verdad* (Spanish *Plain Truth*) subscription cards in four Spanish cities. A *Pura Verdad* advertisement ran in the Iberian edition of the June *Reader's Digest*.

Mr. Barriga said that the Feast of Tabernacles will take place in Cullera, Spain, this year. Spanish-speaking transfers are welcome; no translations will be offered. Brethren will stay in the Hotel Sicania, a four-star hotel on the Mediterranean coast. Room and board for eight days is \$150 a person. Room and board for children under 12 is \$26.50. For more information, write to Fernando Barriga, Box 1323, Chula Vista, Calif., 92012.



FERNANDO BARRIGA

Mr. Barriga and his wife visited the brethren in Portugal, Spain and the Canary Islands, which belong to Spain, April 20 to May 19. Mr. Barriga said: "The purpose of the trip was not like my visits in the past. I did not baptize any people. The trip was mainly to be with the brethren to confirm their faith."

Behind the summit smiles at Williamsburg

WILLIAMSBURG, Va. — The moderate upswing in economic fortunes throughout much of the Western world virtually assured that this year's seven-nation Summit of Industrialized Nations — attended by this writer — would be a success.

With hopes renewed that the gloomiest clouds of the recession were at last lifting, the leaders of the United States, West Germany, Japan, Britain, France, Canada and Italy pledged to keep up the fight against inflation and to back off — for now at least — from the brink of an all-out trade war.

The consensus among the 3,000 or so journalists gathered here was that the winner was the host head of state, U.S. President Ronald Reagan. *The Times* of London correspondent said that the conference marked the occasion "when President Reagan emerged as an international leader of stature, finally managing to shed his cowboy image."

With the United States obviously in the position of being the locomotive of recovery, the other leaders were in no position to rock the boat. Widespread predictions that there would be loud complaints over continuing high interest rates in the United States — a contributing factor to the strength of the dollar over the other currencies — failed to materialize.

Not that frictions over this issue

have faded far into the background. After the summit, the beleaguered French franc plummeted against the dollar once more. Anticipating this development, U.S. Treasury Secretary Donald Regan repeatedly stressed at the summit his belief that the real problem is not with a strong dollar but with lack of confidence in the French currency because of President Francois Mitterrand's persistence in pursuing costly socialist programs.

It may indeed have been Mr. Reagan's Summit, but for the first time, the U.S. chief executive found a healthy majority of support for his policies — on economic issues especially, but on the broader range of East-West political and security relations, as well.

British Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher — who could attend only one day in Williamsburg before flying back home to continue her election campaign — is referred to as an ideological soulmate of Mr. Reagan's.

The new chancellor of West Germany, Helmut Kohl, a first-time summitter, is considerably more in tune with the U.S. President's thinking than was the former chancellor, Helmut Schmidt.

Italy's Prime Minister Amintore Fanfani represents the NATO country that has been the least problem to Washington concerning the deployment of the new Pershing 2

and I cruise missiles.

Prime Minister Yasuhiro Nakasone of Japan and Mr. Reagan hit it off well when the prime minister visited Washington earlier this year. This personal relationship helps smooth over the perennially bumpy

ward into some of its East-bloc satellite countries.

U.S. Secretary of State George Schultz declared that the Soviet warning was intended as "a shot across the bow of this conference." The Kremlin threat instead backed

WORLDWATCH

By Gene H. Hogberg



relationship of the two countries over trade issues.

Key: confidence in America

Viewing the activities of this annual summit of summits (my fourth such conference), one thing was impressed upon me forcefully: just how important is the factor of confidence in America to the stability of the entire Western world.

This was demonstrated by the crude attempt on the part of the Soviet Union, just as the summit began, to rattle those in attendance. Moscow warned that if the Pershings and cruise missiles were indeed deployed in Western Europe beginning at the end of 1983, it might feel compelled to move some of its own Euro-missile nuclear weapons for-

fired. In an unprecedented show of solidarity, the eight leaders assembled (the Common Market president also attends) unanimously vowed support for the NATO deployment program.

The unanimity was all the more surprising considering it entailed

European Diary

By John Ross Schroeder

Parallels between leaders

BOREHAMWOOD, England — "Kohl Ends Strauss Era"; "Strauss the Real Loser . . ."; "Strauss' Last Chance Now Gone" — these were newspaper headlines in the wake of Chancellor Helmut Kohl's stunning victory over the Social Democratic candidate Hans-Jochen Vogel in the March 6 West German elections. Franz Josef Strauss, head of the Christian Socialist Union in Bavaria, which is allied with Mr. Kohl's Christian Democrats, was left out of the Kohlcabinet.

Reporters and commentators did not hesitate to write Mr. Strauss' political obituary. Almost all observers agreed that his ambitions for high office had at long last been laid to rest.

So much for newspaper opinion. Few deny that Mr. Strauss has more personal charisma than any other leader in Western Germany, or that he possesses unmatched intellectual gifts, unrivaled political instinct and wide ministerial (cabinet-level) experience.

Yet the perceptions of his political peers have denied him the highest office in the land. Like the Winston Churchill of the '20s and '30s, the man from Bavaria is viewed in some circles as mercurial, uncontrollable and extreme — qualities that tempt certain associates to calculate the end of his career and to ride the party of his presence permanently.

Like Mr. Churchill before him he has had his share of political blunders. There was the notorious *Der Spiegel* affair in 1962 in which

(See PARALLELS, page 3)

Letters TO THE EDITOR

USC Law Center Honors HWA

We have just received our April 18 copy of *The Worldwide News*. It is very exciting to read about the new and very wonderful doors God is opening to this work.

It is very uplifting to see how God is providing ever increasing avenues and ways for you to proclaim the Gospel to this world.

Mr. [Herbert] Armstrong, we are confident God will provide you with the courage, faith, strength and godly wisdom to recognize these doors as they open and surely finish this great Work He has called you to do. Our prayers and thoughts, and certainly our love is with you.

I can't say enough, how exciting it is to be a part of this Work and Church. Mr. and Mrs. James V. Neff Queen City, Tex.

'International Desk'

Thank you very much for your [Rod Matthews'] section called the "International Desk" in the *W.N.* It is of immense help in praying for our brothers and sisters around the earth.

We (or I) tend to think mainly of the Work as being in the United States. This section broadens our horizons to see the worldwide Work.

I have two pages in the back of my Bible which I call "The Work Around the World." Here I keep an update of the information you give each month for each country.

Sherry Kinzie Troutville, Va.

'One More Thing'

Please extend my appreciation to Mr. [Dexter] Faulkner for his wonderful (See LETTERS, page 3)

Just one more thing

By Dexter H. Faulkner

Faith in honest doubt

"I just don't believe it." "That's a likely story!" Have you ever secretly said to yourself or to God in prayer, "God . . . I have some doubts"?

Most of us are plagued with secret doubts at times. Calamities jar our courage. Past failures shake our confidence in our abilities to undertake new ventures. Failure to look beyond our natural abilities and resources breeds doubt.

After years in a given career some entertain second thoughts as to whether it is the right career for them. They fear they are never going to amount to much in their given field of endeavor.

John the Baptist had a moment like this. He spent his entire ministry preparing people for the coming of Christ. But when Herod imprisoned him, John entertained second thoughts about his life's work.

Remember he was human. Could it be that he had wasted his life? Had he given his life for a cause that wasn't worth it? He sent his disciples to Christ to ask if He was really the Messiah (Matthew 11:3).

Christ, knowing John's human emotions, answered him with an encouraging and uplifting report found in Matthew 11:4-12. All John's doubts must have melted away after hearing that response.

Doubts come from Satan

People have doubts about God. They ask, "Could God love someone like me?" "Is the Bible really God's Word?" "Can God help me with my problems?"

Satan is the one who plants those thoughts in our minds. He is a master at planting seeds of doubt (Genesis 3:1).

Unresolved doubts condemn us to a life of mediocrity. Doubt-filled men and women never become great because their potential for greatness is sabotaged by their doubts.

"Thanks a lot!" you're probably saying. "Until you ripped the cover off, no one knew I had any doubts; but now I've been exposed. My self-condemnation was bad enough, but having my doubts exposed really hurts." Good! Now we can get down to solving the problems of doubts.

The best way to come to grips with doubts is to learn from one who has been there — doubting Thomas. An examination of the apostle Thomas' experience (John 20:19-31) reveals four principles to help us escape the stronghold of doubt.

• **We must honestly admit our doubts.** Thomas did this openly. After the resurrection 10 of the apostles were in the upper room when Christ made His first appearance. Thomas was absent. When he returned he found the 10 in an uproar with excitement.

"Thomas, guess what? We've seen the Lord. He was here in this very room while you were gone!"

Thomas was unimpressed. I can picture him as he said: "Men — my friends — I'll be honest with you. Unless I see Him with my eyes and touch Him with my hands, I won't believe you."

If we ever hope to deal with doubts, we must be willing to honestly admit that we don't believe. Thomas wasn't willing to live out his life pretending to believe something he didn't. He couldn't smile and proclaim, "He is risen," while not believing inside.

• **We must rely on the fellowship and association of other believers.** Where was Thomas when Christ appeared to the 10? What he feared most happened — Christ had been crucified — but instead of remaining with the others, he apparently sought refuge in isolation.

We need the fellowship of other believers to strengthen our faith. Isolation from Sabbath and Holy Day services and Bible studies breeds and

nourishes doubt (Hebrews 10:25, New American Standard Bible, unless noted). The longer we remain in isolation, the greater our doubts become.

• **We need to daily remember God's promises.** Christ frequently spoke of His death, but He always affirmed that He would rise again. In His personal grief, Thomas forgot the wonderful promise of the resurrection and was unable to believe when he heard of His resurrection.

Many doubts arise because we have either forgotten or haven't understood God's promises about our problems. We are instructed in God's Word: "I can do all things through Him who strengthens me" (Philippians 4:13).

• **Most important we need to bring our doubts directly to God.** Thomas wanted a personal audience with Jesus Christ. He heard the 10 declare the resurrection, but he was unwilling to accept their words without seeing Him.

Help from Christ

For one long week Thomas wallowed in his doubts. Then Christ came again: "Peace be with you!" Then He said to Thomas, "Put your finger here; see my hands. Reach out your hand and put it into my side. Stop doubting and believe" (John 20:26-27, New International Version).

Christ in His giving, loving way presented Himself to Thomas and invited his personal examination. We have no record of Thomas accepting the invitation but somehow I think he did. The next words record the words of a now-believing disciple. Thomas cried out, "My Lord and my God!" (John 20:28). The visible presence of Christ was more than enough to dissolve Thomas' doubts.

Christ dealt tenderly with Thomas. But He did not stop there. He added a special lesson: "Because you have seen Me, have you believed? Blessed are they who did not see, and yet believed" (John 20:29).

We Christians today are the ones Christ was referring to. We must believe without a personal audience with Christ.

We all are at times plagued with doubts. But at the same time, we know God has provided a way to deal with them. We must take our doubts directly to God in prayer and seek counsel with God's ministers. If we do this we won't miss our own personal appointment with God in the future.

support from non-NATO Japan and from France, which maintains a separate defense structure and participates with the alliance only on political matters.

Behind the smiles and optimistic joint statements arrived at in Williamsburg, however, are serious and widening differences only papered over for now in the pastel bloom of economic recovery. A serious rift between America and her friends is only a matter of time.

Before the conference, I talked to several foreign relations experts in three of the think tanks that are headquartered in Washington, D.C. The upshot of their comments to me: Watch out for the next few months!

The fabric of European-American relations could well be ripped asunder over the issues of missiles in Europe and the deepening U.S. involvement in Central America — an area of the world that most Europeans view with far less alarm than the administration in Washington.

At the Center of Strategic and (See SUMMIT, page 7)

The Worldwide News

CIRCULATION 51,500

The *Worldwide News* is published biweekly, except during the Church's annual Fall Festival, by the *Worldwide Church of God*. Copyright © 1983 *Worldwide Church of God*. All rights reserved.

Editor in chief: Herbert W. Armstrong

Managing editor: Dexter H. Faulkner

Senior editor: Sheila Graham; associate editor: Tom Hanson; layout editor: Ronald Grove; news editor: Michael Snyder; features: Jeff Zhorne; staff writer: George Hague; "Local Church News" editor: Joel Rissinger; editorial assistant: Sandra Borax; composition: Don Patnick; Wendy Sayer; photography: G.A. Belluche Jr., Craig Clark, Nathan Faulkner, Barry Stahl; circulation: Eileen Dennis; proofreader: Peter Moore

Notice: The *Worldwide News* cannot be responsible for the return of unsolicited articles and photographs

SUBSCRIPTIONS: Subscriptions are sent automatically to the members of the *Worldwide Church of God*. Address all communications to: *The Worldwide News*, Box 111, Pasadena, Calif., 91129. Additional mailing offices: Box 44, Station A, Vancouver, B.C., V6C 2M2, Canada; Box 111, Borehamwood, Herts., WD6 1LU, England; Box 202, Burslem, Stoke-on-Trent, Staffordshire, ST6 2JN, Australia; Box 2603, Manila 2801, Philippines; Box 2709, Auckland 1, New Zealand.

ADDRESS CHANGES: U.S. changes of address are handled automatically with *Plain Truth* changes of address. Postmaster: Please send Form 3579 to: *The Worldwide News*, Box 111, Pasadena, Calif., 91129.

Pasadena country fair features chili cook-off, entertainment

By Pamilla Mosher

PASADENA — The third annual Country Fair and Invitational Chili Cook-off, sponsored by the Glendale, Los Angeles and Reseda, Calif., churches, took place on the Imperial Schools campus Memorial Day, May 30.

Pamilla Mosher is a member of the Glendale, Calif., church.

Thirty-seven entries representing 14 California congregations were judged by evangelist Joseph Tkach Sr., director of Ministerial Services; evangelist Ellis La Ravia, director of Facilities Management; Aaron Dean, Pastor General Herbert W. Armstrong's personal aide; Dexter Faulkner, managing editor of the Work's publications; Mike Feazell of Ministerial Services; and Carlton Green, Ambassador College Food Service director.

Winners are: *mild*, Elnora Burks, Los Angeles; *medium*, Beverly Bogart, Santa Barbara, Calif.; and *macho*, Russell Moore, Reseda.

After considerable onstage deliberation, ministers John Halford, Victor Root, Arthur Suckling and Rod Matthews awarded a first place prize in the pastor's cook-off category to Abner Washington, pastor of the Los Angeles church, winner for the second year in a row.

In the low-sagging contest, the team from Fresno and Visalia, Calif., took the top title, while the winners of the women's bake-off are: *cakes*, Judy

van Landuyt, Pasadena; *pies*, Pearl Fritsche, Reseda; and *cake decorating*, Janie Walker, Glendale. Miquel Germano of Glendora, Calif., won the Youth Opportunities United division of the chili cook-off.

Other Memorial Day activities included country and western entertainment, Mexican folklorico dancers, clowns, pony rides, games and attractions. On hand were the country fair's mascot, Eeny Meeny Chili Beany (a 7-foot pinto bean), and a cast of characters including Miss Cherry Tomato, the Pro-Chili Coalition and the Chiliettes Cheerleaders.

Mr. Moore, who also won the 1981 chili cook-off with his traditional "Rusty Nail Chili," explained his technique for creating a prize-winning recipe.

"You have to know what flavor you're after," said Mr. Moore. Many cooks just experiment, hoping to hit on a good taste without any clear idea of what they may come up with.

Mr. Moore said: "What we like about chili is the flavor. The hotness is the ingredient that adds an extra kick, but chili that's all kick and no flavor doesn't make it."

Mr. Moore favors the "outdoors taste," a chuckwagon-style chili. One ingredient that sets his apart is liquid smoke. The trick is knowing what is hot enough — without being too hot — yet still getting the flavor through.

When to add an ingredient can be

almost as important as whether to add it at all, Mr. Moore continued. Some ingredients, like liquid smoke, tend to cook out in prolonged cooking, so should be added toward the end. Likewise for lemon juice and brown sugar, which he adds to "soften the bite."

Other variables that bear considerably on the final taste are the type and quality of spices, seasonings, tomatoes, tomato sauce and meat. Steps must be followed to preserve and unlock the full flavor, Mr. Moore remarked.

"Properly prepared, good chili shouldn't give you heartburn," he said. "If it does, it's because there's too much acid in it."



CHILI JUDGES — Ministers (from left) Victor Root, John Halford, Arthur Suckling and Rod Matthews taste and inspect pastor's chili cook-off entries at the Country Fair and Invitational Chili Cook-off May 30. [Photo by Sheila Graham]

Chili judge defeats fear of fire

By Jeff Zhorne

PASADENA — Though topped with plastic lids, the seven 16-oz. cups of chili stood steaming on the judges' table, greeting ministers John Halford, Rod Matthews, Victor Root and Arthur Suckling, who were to pick a winner in the pastor's chili cook-off in this Memorial Day affair.

"Probably because of our 'vast experience with chili,'" said Mr. Matthews as he approached the first numbered cup, spoon in hand, "is why we were asked to judge."

Last year, new to chili tasting and unaware of its hazards, Mr. Matthews stumbled into a fire-breathing entry that no liquid would quench. "I think that chili melted the styrofoam cup — it was all pepper," he said. "Dr. [Herman] Hoeh liked it, though — he ate it all."

But 1983 would surely be different. Mr. Matthews would be open-minded yet wary.

"We were told to evaluate the chili on its consistency, flavor and heat," said Mr. Matthews. "The four of us would taste each exquisite chili, decide the top three, then compare scores, hoping to award the plaque to the right entry."

After tasting the first chili, Mr. Matthews cleansed his palate with beer and moved to the second. "I tasted it then collapsed at the shock of this stunning brew. Mr. Suckling had to give me mouth-to-mouth resuscitation to revive me, so we could continue. It was agony!"

Making their way through all seven, just before the feared "judges burn-out" set in, the four ministers reached a unanimous decision: cup No. 1. Its owner was Abner Washington, pastor of the Los Angeles, Calif., church, a two-time winner of the pastor's cook-off category.

"Yes, Mr. Washington's chili was good chili; it had a bite and a tang to it, of a good consistency," said Mr. Matthews. "Some of the others... well, were a little more anemic."

Then the four judges presented Joseph Tkach Sr., director of Ministerial Services, with a sample of the winning entry.

"Next year the judges are requesting a year's supply of peppermint 'Life Savers,'" concluded Mr. Matthews.

Mr. Halford remarked: "Everybody should have the chance to be a chili judge once — underline once."

Honors

(Continued from page 1)

Robert Burbach, Kathy Burch, Andrew G. Burnett, Randall J. Buys.

Michael T. Cain, Cheryl Campbell, Gary O. Campbell, Bob Caudle, Jeffrey Caudle, Helen Chandler, Clifton Charles, Karen Childers, Eli Chiprout, Frank Clancy, Craig Clark, Joan Clark, Mardy Cobb, Christi Cole, Terri Conti, Luciano Cozzi, Tim Crabb, James Cribbs, Susan Culppeper.

Bruce Dague, Germaime Damore, Dominic Damore, Allen Dance, Belinda Davies, Mark Dixon, Bermevon Dizon, Stephen Doucet, Daniel Dragt, Neil Druce, Marlene Ducker, Dana Dunham, Raynard Eddings, Peter Eddington, Deborah Efimov, Drew Efimov, Gary Elliott, Alex Evdokias, Steven Falk, Jeffrey Fall, Pam Fannin, Salvatore Fattorus, Sue Faw, Jose Forson, Susan Francis, Scott Friesen.

Anthony Gallagher, Dan Girouard, Scott Gjesvold, Steve Glover, Millie Gonzalez, Timothy Grauel, Philip Gray, Colleen Gus, Robin Ham, Becky Harden, Amy Hargarten, Lisa Harkins, Joyce Harrar, Ann Hays, David Hillman, Roger Hooper, Phillip Hopwood, Michael Huff, Karen Hunter, Rex Jamerson, Holly James, Kay Jermakowicz, Philip Jewell, Mary Lynn Johnson, Trenda Jones, Bob Jones.

Socrates Karagiannidis, Eric Keefer, Joel King, Susan Kiper, Laura Kisel, Merry Knowlton, Al Kosteniuk, Cheryl Lamore, Susan Lang, Saul Langarica, Eric Larison, Lori Lawton, Linda Lee, Becky Lerette, Karen Leverett, Donna Lovord, Michael Limanni, Scott Lord, Linda Webber Lulkoski.

John Mabry, Doug MacDonald, Anthony Marcinelli, James Marion, Joseph Martire, Carolyn Matthews, David Maxemiuk, Michael McAllister, Paula McFall, Randall McGowen, Joseph McNair, Bruce McNair, Cathy McNiel, Tim McQuoid, Robert Meade, Sherri

Means, Michael Medina, Joel Meeker, Suzanne Meidinger, Daniel Metz, Kim Meyerderks, Jonathan Middleton, Bradley Mitchell, Glenn Mitchell, Jeffrey Mitchell, Michael Mitchell, Sheldon Monson, Patrick Moore, Owen Morris, Julie Muenster, Victoria Murney.

Tito Naman, Eric Nelson, Kate Nelson, Ellen O'Connor, Keith Olson, Armando Olvera, Bob Orosz, Miriam Overton, Lee Page, William Palmer, Ardyn Parkman, Preneicia Parnell, Gregory Peitz, Dennis Pelley, Lynn Pensyl, Brenda Peterson, Michele Petty, Brian Phipps, Mark T. Porter, Liane Proulx, Brenda Purkapile.

Jonathan Rakestraw, Jeremy Rapson, Carla Reinagel, George Relic, Daniel Reyner, Lynn Reynogoudt, Michael Rice, Gary Richards, Martin Richey, Lori Riddle, Mary Riner, Joe Rissinger, Robert Rodzaj, Julane Roocks, William Rogers, Dena Roller, Joseph Ross, Kathleen Roys, Doug Ruml, Charlotte Mayberry Ruppert, David

Ruppert.

Kathy Sarfert, Martine Savard, Gina Savoia, Steven Schenauer, Stephen Schenman, Manuela Schlieff, Mark Schlote, Christine Schlote, Norbert Schneider, Diane Schnepper, Sarah Segers, Sio Ching Shia, Sio Oui Shia, Jon Shigehara, Joe Slevin, Lisa Spottle, Jeffrey Stafford, Barry Stahl, Michael Stangler, Garry Steadman, Ramona Stephens, Amy Stoner, Linda Strelow, David Strong, Wendy Styer, John Sullivan, Susan Suter.

Lisa Tanksley, Ken Tate, Carolyn Tatham, Robert Tennant, Karen Thomas, Roxanne Tidmore, Gayle Travis, Ruth Traynor, Clifford Veal, David Vernich, Charles Wakefield, Gregory Walburn, Lana Walker, Robert Walker, Wanda Waller, Peggy Warkentin, Wesley Webster, Ted Welch, Michael Wells, Catherine Wilcox, Glenn Williams, Mark Williams, Karen Woodbridge, Perry Worthen, Deborah Wright, Rose Wright, Agnes Youngblood, Claire Yourassoff.

Canadian elders meet to discuss responsibilities

By Neil Earle

BANFF, Alta. — Eighty-two ministers and wives from the four western provinces of Canada met at the Banff Park Lodge for a four-day series of meetings and social activities under the direction of regional director Colin Adair May 9 to 12.

Neil Earle pastors the Calgary, Alta., churches.

Lectures and slide presentations revolved around the keynote theme, "A Loyal Ministry." Mr. Adair and office manager George Patrickson conducted lectures and media presentations on subjects including responsibilities of ministers' wives, Youth Opportunities United, time

management and updates on the Work.

Wednesday, May 11, the meetings broke early for a bus tour through the Rocky Mountains, stopping at Johnston Canyon, Lake Louise and Bow Falls. There was ample opportunity for wildlife photography as elk, deer, mountain goats and an escaped buffalo greeted the buses en route. The day was capped off by a banquet at the Banff Springs Hotel.

This "Feast of Tabernacles for ministers" was much appreciated by the men and their wives and provided a unifying morale boost as they continue to meet the demands of a growing and burgeoning Work in Canada.

Parallels

(Continued from page 2)

Mr. Strauss was the prime mover in temporarily jailing that West German newsmagazine's leading editors.

It resulted in his dismissal from the Defense Ministry. Roughly speaking the *Spiegel* incident could be compared with Mr. Churchill's Dardanelles — the ill-fated World War I naval operation that ousted him from his maritime cabinet post and put him in political limbo.

In his long life Mr. Churchill faced his political end more than once. In 1936 he supported his personal friend, Edward VIII (later the Duke of Windsor) to the very day of abdication. In those days the king was not a popular figure. In Mr. Churchill's own words, "I was myself so smitten in public opinion that it was the almost universal view that my political life was at last ended" (*The Gathering Storm*, page 197).

Quite frankly Mr. Churchill was not appreciated by many key political figures of that era. In remarking about the two prime ministers that preceded him in office, he wrote, "In these closing years before the war I should have found it easier to work with [Stanley] Baldwin, as I knew him, than with [Neville] Chamberlain; but neither of them had any wish to work with me except in the last resort" (page 200).

Upon Mr. Churchill's exclusion from the Ministry of Defense, he lamented: "To me this definite, and as it seemed, final exclusion from all share in our preparations for defense was a heavy blow... Mr. Baldwin certainly had good reason

to use the last flickers of his power against one who had exposed his mistakes so severely and so often" (pages 180-181).

All this, however, eventually worked in Mr. Churchill's favor. He further wrote: "Mr. Baldwin knew no more than I how great was the service he was doing me in preventing me from becoming involved in all the Cabinet compromises and shortcomings of the next three years..."

Mr. Churchill came to power in an hour of great peril — in his country's greatest need. Most historians feel that without World War II he wouldn't have become prime minister.

Who is to say that "the man for emergencies" — Franz Josef Strauss — will not occupy a future office of incredible power in a coming hour of peril in West Germany? Did not he himself say: "I hope the German people will never be in such bad shape that they think they have to elect me federal chancellor?"

Letters TO THE EDITOR

(Continued from page 2)

articles in *The Worldwide News*. It is almost uncanny, but each article he writes seems to come just in time for encouragement and edification. It also makes me realize how very similar our thoughts are in the Body of Christ and how thankful it ought to make each and every one of us to receive such wonderful articles.

Edith E. Wilson
Hope Mills, N.C.

LOCAL CHURCH NEWS

CHURCH ACTIVITIES

The **BALLARAT** and **BENDIGO**, Australia, churches were hosts to the Gippsland, Geelong and Melbourne, Australia, churches April 23-24. A combined Sabbath service preceded a salad dinner served by the Bendigo women Saturday. Later that evening a farm camp-out took place at Des Hocking's home. The next morning Shirley Hocking provided breakfast for about 50 people. A car rallye, followed by a family swim and sauna, were the afternoon's activities. A peek at the past evening at the Old Town Hall was included. Costumes were worn, and YOU members waited at tables serving casseroles and sweets. An old-time music hall concert followed by a sing-along, dancing and games concluded the event. Ron and Margaret Gibson won prizes for best costumes, and the car rallye winner was Kelvin Sheather. *Rosemary Piercy.*

BELFAST, Northern Ireland, members, along with pastor John Jewell, attended the Northern Ireland vs. Albania European Championship soccer match April 27 in Windsor Park. Northern Ireland won 1-0. *Paul Harris.*

Singles from **BELLE VERNON**, Pa., **CLARKSBURG**, W. Va., and **WASHINGTON**, Pa., treated members to a combined social at the National Guard Armory in Morgantown, W. Va. The social began with a potluck followed by skits along a country family theme. Mark Morgan of Clarksburg was master of ceremonies. The Belle Vernon and Washington cheerleaders performed before the concluding square dance called by Dayton Richardson, a professional caller from the Charleston, W. Va., church. *Todd O. Crouch.*

The **BETHLEHEM**, Pa., church's semioficial dance took place May 1 at the Glass Slipper. A total of 110 brethren attended. The Good Times Band entertained and accompanied the dancers. *Gordon Long.*

A Royal Tara bone china tea service was presented to Georgia and Eileen Leonard, a deacon and deaconess from the **GALWAY**, Ireland, church, after the monthly Bible study April 24. The occasion was Mr. and Mrs. Leonard's 40th wedding anniversary and their surprise gift was presented on behalf of the Galway church by Paddy McDonagh. Edith Culbert baked an anniversary cake. *Christopher Murray.*

The women of the **GRAND ISLAND**, Neb., church were honored at a banquet given by the YOU members May 1. The teens, under the direction of pastor Don Hooser and Walt Boyll, made the arrangements, including the preparation of a turkey dinner for the 51 women in attendance. Scott Bell was master of ceremonies for the evening's entertainment, which consisted of a humorous short story about the catastrophes involved in pie baking, read by Doris Packard, before a clarinet and flute duet played by Rebecca and Daniella Spitz. To ensure that none of the women worked in the kitchen, one of the fathers, Don Sinsel, acted as the friendly bouncer for the event while other husbands volunteered as official babysitters for the younger family members. *Christine Spitz.*

The **HOUSTON**, Tex., **NORTH** church had its annual father-son camp-out April 23-24. An estimated 150 participants slept under the stars, cooked over an open fire, fished, played softball and football, and raced and strolled through the trees. *Hassel A. White.*

The **KENOSHA**, Wis., church conducted a Bible baseball tournament after a potluck dinner April 30. Seven teams participated. The Spokesman Club was victorious. The team consisted of captain Ron Rendall, Ron Gramza, Fred Dominick, Karl Jordan, Dave Rendall, Bill Dam, Jim Sullivan, Earl Gramza, Oma Baker and Rick Sorrentino. *Conni McClure.*

Brethren of the **LAUREL** and **WILMINGTON**, Del., churches had combined services in Dover April 30. In the evening a formal dinner dance took place in the ballroom of the Sheraton Hotel. Music was supplied by the Sound Transition DJ's from New Jersey. *Barbara Culp.*

The **LIBERAL**, Kan., church enjoyed an evening of fellowship and fun at the annual church social April 23. The evening began with a soup supper after Sabbath services. Frank Hoff won the prize for the best soup. After supper the brethren deco-

rated the meeting hall like a vaudeville theater. Brad Wall, master of ceremonies for the variety show, kept the evening moving with jokes and segments of comedy from a Groucho Marx record.

Norma Cunningham presented the winning act, a reading of a fictitious letter from her mother. Linnie Proctor won the best costume prize for her wig and dress from a medley of songs from the musical *Annie*. Other acts included an original version of "Deep in the Heart of Texas" by the Elmer Conley family, "The Orange Blossom Special" by Lucy Proctor, along with tap and jazz dances, plays and songs. *Jane Wilkins.*

The May 7 social for the **MACOMB**, Ill., church featured an international buffet dinner consisting of food from 20 countries. The dinner, prepared by brethren, included such exotic cuisine as Greek moussaka, Polish pierogies, Indian chicken curry, Yugoslavian povitas and Jewish hamantaschen.

After dinner, members displayed their talents at an arts and crafts exhibit coordinated by Ron Wroblewski and John Parrick. Various demonstrations included: making fabric picture frames by Terri Cortelyou, flower arranging by Mary Anna Thompson and Joanne Banner, genealogy by Linda Parrick, and song writing by Larry Ford. Children made crafts in an adjoining room supervised by Mark and Joanne Banner, Barry and Carolyn Brown, Bill and Carol Hahn, Linda Barker and Brenda Royer. *Betty Druen.*

A new monthly Bible study was started on Tavernier Key, Fla. Al Kersha, pastor of the **MIAMI**, Fla., church, has conducted two studies there, as of May 23. Tavernier Key, an island off the Florida coast, has 49 *Plain Truth* readers and six Church members who attend in Miami. *Shirley Segall.*

May 1 a combined graduation banquet for YOU high school graduates and two graduates of the **MOUNT POCONO**, Pa., Spokesman Club took place at the Scranton Club in Scranton, Pa. YOU members honored were Donna Detrick, Christine Kieran, Angela Chisarik and Stacy Krushinski. The two Spokesman Club graduates are David McAnally, president, and Ed Budda, vice president. The banquet was attended by approximately 100 guests primarily from the Mount Pocono area.

Cocktails were served before the banquet. Dinner was served followed by dessert donated by Kurt Felten. Presiding over the banquet was Ozzie Englebart, pastor of the Mount Pocono church. The evening ended with a dance. *David McAnally.*

The **MUNCIE** and **RICHMOND**, Ind., churches were cohosts April 30 for a dinner-dance at Linder's On the Point in Anderson, Ind. Ron Duncan and the Machos provided music. *Ed S. Rudick.*

About 150 children and adults of the **RED DEER** and **WETASKIWIN**, Alta., churches gathered April 17 at the Normandeau School in Red Deer for the costume and carnival social. Carnival games varied from miniature golf to throwing a ball through a tire. Refreshments concluded the afternoon. Coordinating activities were deacon Doug Peterson and pastor Will Wooster. *Jeanette Engblom.*

April 24 the **ST. CATHARINES**, Ont., church had a Stardust Dinner Dance with brethren attending from Hamilton and Kitchener, Ont., churches. Entrance to the ballroom was through a trellis covered with wisteria and stars. The mood was enhanced by stars glittering above the tables and dance floor. After a turkey supper brethren danced or listened to the music of the Stardust Serenaders, a church band. *Leigh Jones.*

The **ST. PETERSBURG**, Fla., church conducted its annual yard sale May 1 and 2 on Bay Pines Blvd. The sale produced more than \$4,500. In addition to being a fund-raising project, the sale was also a social activity with most of the area brethren involved. *Lavene L. Vorel.*

The **SAVANNAH**, Ga., church conducted an arts and crafts sale at the Oglethorpe Mall April 29 to May 3. Items for sale included baked goods, ceramic works, potted plants, crocheted or knitted items and dolls. All were made by area members. Profit from the sale, coordinated by Carol Leffek, was \$311.55 and will be used to finance church activities. *Sheryl Brown.*

May 9 the **SEATTLE**, Wash., church conducted its fourth annual mother-daughter banquet with 294 mothers, daughters and adopted-for-the-evening mothers in attendance. The theme of the banquet was Mama's Kitchen. Table dec-

orations were dried flower arrangements in kitchen containers available for purchase after the dinner.

Singing waiters (all fathers of daughters in attendance), a fashion show, songs and dance routines (including a rebounder dance), a violin duet, songs by a kitchen band, and a talk by Lee Ann Luker on Golda Meir all made a complete evening. *Carl Linkley.*

May 7 the **SHREVEPORT**, La., **TEXARKANA**, Tex., and **ELDRADO**, Ark., churches bid farewell to their pastor of 9½ years, Bill Bradford, and welcomed their new pastor, Charles Bryce. A formal dance in Shreveport honored both men. Music was provided by the Big Sandy Ambassador College band. Entertainment was the movie *Wilderness Journey*. Decorations and dress revolved around the theme Old South. A buffet luncheon was provided before intermission, during which a movie about Mr. Bradford's ministry in Shreveport was shown. Mr. Bradford and Mr. Bryce were each presented gifts before the close of the evening. *Bill Gay.*

Tully Hall in MacGregor, Ont., was the setting for the **WINDSOR**, Ont., church social May 6. Snacks and refreshments were followed by viewing the 1981 and 1982 Young Ambassadors Feast films. *Patricia Klem.*

Six hundred of the **VANCOUVER** and **ABBOTSFORD**, B.C., congregations were guests for a performance of the Peking National Acrobats at the Queen Elizabeth Theatre in Vancouver April 28. The company of gymnasts was on its first tour of North America, sponsored partly by the McPherson Foundation of Victoria, B.C. The 1½-hour show included bicyclists, human pyramids, pole-climbers, comedians and mimics. The Peking National Acrobats performed at Ambassador Auditorium April 21. (See "Peking National Acrobats Make Exclusive Pasadena Appearance," *WN*, May 2.) *Fred Whitehead.*

CLUB MEETINGS

Graduation and ladies' night April 23 for the **ALBANY**, Ore., Spokesman Club began with a roast beef dinner. President Marvin Riddle opened the meeting and introduced Darrell Lindsley for tabletopics. Toastmaster was Wes Miller, who introduced Willy Whiteaker, Oscar Wargnier, Joe Elam and David Hanna-way. Director David Mills presented graduation certificates to Mr. Elam and Mr. Hanna-way. The evening ended with a dance to big band records. *Susan Wheeler.*

The final yearly **APPLETON**, Wis., Spokesman Club meeting and dinner took place May 14 at the Valley Inn in Neenah, Wis. This meeting was also ladies' night and graduation. Certificates of merit were given to President Dean Tomaras, Mel Kelleit, Boyd Snyder, Jerry Harrington and Steve Cole. Also attending were guests from the Green Bay, Wis., Spokesman Club. *Rich Daniels.*

About 60 **ASHEVILLE**, N.C., Spokesman Club members, wives and guests attended the final meeting of the year May 1 at the Deerfield Park Restaurant in Billmore Forest. David Cole presided over the meeting, and tabletopics were conducted by Raymond



CONGRATULATIONS—Steve Buchanan, left, pastor of the Rapid City, S.D., church, presents a graduation certificate to Lon Lyman at the Rapid City Spokesman Club ladies' night and graduation April 30. (See "Club Meetings," page 5.) [Photo by Doug Johannsen.]

Jacques. Toastmaster Curtis Deyton introduced speakers Keith Johnson, Marvin Maney, Harry Valentine, Hezekiah Bradley and Dean Williams, with Bruce Blackwell, Gary Maney, Bertie Doty, Glenn Vinson and Rick Houston as evaluators.

Receiving certificates for completing the Spokesman Club program were Mr. Williams and Mr. Bradley. The Most Helpful Evaluation trophy was awarded to Mr. Doty, and Mr. Valentine received the Most Improved Speaker trophy. There was a three-way tie for the Most Effective Speech trophy among Mr. Williams, Mr. Valentine and Mr. Bradley. The overall evaluation and closing comments were given by pastor Charles Groce.

At the April 28 meeting of the Graduate Club a news broadcast, in lieu of tabletopics, was presented by Danny and John Jacques. The point of view assignment was presented by David Rollins, and Henry St. John gave a book report. Speeches were given by Richard Stillwell, Steve Ferencik and Evan Williams.

A discussion of Galatians 2:16 by Mr. Groce was followed by scripture reading, oral reading and song leading. Refreshments were served by wives before the overall evaluation by Mr. Groce. *Kathy B. Williams.*

The **BASEL** and **ZURICH**, Switzerland, Graduate Spokesman Club's final meeting for the 1982-83 club year was at the Drachenburg restaurant in Gottlieben April 17. The session's general topic dealt with education. Director Tom Lapacka stressed the importance of education. After the club a meal was served. *Martin Ryser.*

The **BELFAST**, Northern Ireland, Ambassador Entertainers had their fourth annual dinner April 25 to complete another year of community service. Robin Morrow said since its formation in 1976 the Entertainers had given 134 performances to almost 9,000 elderly and mentally handicapped persons in the Greater Belfast area. Pastor John Jewell thanked members for their service to the community. *Robin Morrow.*

The **BIRMINGHAM**, Ala., Spokesman and Graduate clubs combined May 1 to complete work projects in and around the church hall. *Jim Wren.*

Children were invited to the **COLUMBIA**, S.C., **AUGUSTA**, Ga., Spokesman Club May 8. They joined in the tongue twisters and tabletopics led by Eddie Adams. Ron Stanley was chairman, Danny Cogdill was toastmaster and



CANOE TRIP—Teens from Buffalo, N.Y., and Toronto, Ont., East portage their canoes during a canoe trip in western New York May 1. (See "Youth Activities," page 7.) [Photo by Rick Vogan]

speeches were given by Paul Nowlen, John Ryan, Clyde Finkler, John Clayton and Robert Stewart. Robert Priester was timer. *Paul Nowlen.*

CROYDON, MAIDSTONE and **BRIGHTON**, England, Spokesman Clubs had a combined meeting at the Emma Hotel in Dutton Green, Kent, April 26. David Stirk, pastor of the Luton church, was guest director, and John Lamb acted as president. Tabletopics were conducted by David Patey before the speech session under the toastmastership of David Rowing, president of the Maidstone club. Maurice Frohn was awarded the Most Improved Speaker and Most Effective Speech trophies. Mr. Stirk concluded the evening with a lecture on how to give a speech more impact and power by painting pictures with words. He suggested using the *Oxford Dictionary of Quotations* to achieve this goal. *Don Beard.*

A smorgasbord and ladies' night concluded the season for the **DAUPHIN**, Man., Spokesman Club May 1 at Boulevard Steak House. President Bill Sass opened the meeting and was followed by topicsmaster Sam Letwiniz. Toastmaster Rick Pippy introduced speakers Ken Aime, Linty Weaver, Roy Shaw, Neil Durbin and Eugene Fosty. Director Dennis Lawrence presented graduation certificates to Mr. Sass and Bohdon Chnick. At the close of the evening Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence were presented a piece of crystal and wedding anniversary flowers. *Eugene Fosty.*

EDMONTON, Alta., Active Adults Association sponsored a "Take a Break" weekend for nearly 200 Church members between the ages of 19 and 30. Friday, April 29, young adults from 13 churches in Alberta, Manitoba and Saskatchewan arrived by car, bus and by one privately rented plane. That evening guests were treated to a champagne reception.

Saturday, pastor Douglas Smith and ministers Robert Berendt and Gordon Graham presented a Bible study and Sabbath service designed to meet the needs of this age group. That night the group dined and danced at a country and western dance hall. The weekend concluded with a roller-skating social Sunday. *Colin Bishop.*

EUREKA, Calif., Spokesman Club members and their families went to the Bon Boniere ice cream parlor before their April 30 meeting. Associate director Warren Waitan presided over the evening, which concluded the first year of the Spokesman Club in Eureka. *Kathleen Buck.*

The **FLORENCE**, S.C., Spokesman Club had a ladies' night meeting May 7 at the Quality Inn Downtown in Florence. At the outset members and their guests enjoyed wine and beer served by the club officers. The meal was buffet-style with a selection of meats, vegetables, salad and desserts. The meeting consisted of tabletopics by D. Gordon Davis, and speeches given by Burgess Wilson, Larry Lugo and Winston Davis. The director and pastor, Lawrence W. Greider, gave the overall evaluation and made comments ending the 1982-83 club year. *Charles B. Edwards.*

The combined **GRANDE PRAIRIE**, Alta., Graduate and Spokesman clubs had their annual formal dinner and dance May 1 at the Trumpeter Motor Inn. About 60 members, wives and guests heard summaries from the officers of both clubs. Pastor Pieter Michelsen presented certificates of merit to graduates Bob Vetsch and Wes Penner. The evening continued with a buffet supper and concluded with music and dancing. *Gerhard Richter.*

(See CHURCH NEWS, page 5)

CHURCH NEWS

(Continued from page 4)

Strickland's Townhouse Restaurant was the setting for the JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Spokesman Club ladies' night and graduation May 11. Tony Peacock conducted the topics session and Ron Phillips served as toastmaster. Speakers were Bobby Helton, Jack Wade, Dan Palmisano, Mark Lloyd and Gadsdon Burgess. The Most Effective Speech was by Mr. Wade, Most Improved Speaker was Mr. Helton, and Larry Taylor and Keith Cottrell shared the Most Helpful Evaluator cup. Jacksonville pastor Allen Bullock gave the overall evaluation and presented certificates to graduates Nathaniel Stephens, David Simpson and Mr. Burgess. *Sharon Shiver.*

Sixty-five members, wives and guests attended the KALAMAZOO-COLD-WATER, Mich., Spokesman Club ladies' night May 1. The dinner meeting was at the House of Ing in Battle Creek, Mich. It began with a steak dinner and fellowship. After dinner Lamont Anderson served as toastmaster. Toastmaster Don Cahow introduced the speaking session after which Jim Shelby was named Most Improved Speaker, Tom Jagielski, Most Effective Speech and George Buchanan, Most Helpful Evaluator. Certificates of merit were presented to graduates Wayne Mason, Russell Nance and Al Smikle. Minister Glen Keeley and pastor Lambert Greer directed the evening's activities. *Al Smikle.*

April 28 the LONG ISLAND, N.Y., Spokesman Club had its first ladies' night of the season at the Huntington Town House. John Emison was toastmaster. During the second half members and guests dined on a choice of prime rib or chicken francaise while Patrick Martiniello introduced the speakers and evaluators. Overall evaluator and special guest was Vince Panella, pastor of the Trenton and Vineland, N.J., churches. After his evaluation, Tom Fitzpatrick, associate director, presented the trophies.

The Most Helpful Evaluator award went to club secretary Richard Musalo. The Most Improved Speaker was Joe Skelley and the Most Effective Speech trophy went to Thaddeus Robinson. Lectures and comments by Messrs. Panella and club director Frank McCrady Jr. closed the evening. *Larry E. Rawson.*

The MELBOURNE, Fla., Spokesman Club conducted its year-end ladies' night meeting May 9 at Poo's Richard's Inn in Melbourne Beach. Vice President Larry Palmer was toastmaster. Dinner was served to the 37 present following minister Ellis Rice's evaluation of the first half of the meeting. Toastmaster Joel Robinson then introduced speakers Danny Nail, Bud Hart, Jim Peacher, Bo Porter and Gene Young. Trophies were awarded to Kyle Hendershot, Most Helpful Evaluator; Mr. Young, Most Improved Speaker; and Mr. Peacher, Most Effective Speech. After the overall evaluation, pastor and club director Craig Bacheller was presented a briefcase on behalf of the club by President Bob Lehman. *Robert G. Lehman.*

The RAPID CITY, S.D., Spokesman Club ladies' night was April 30 at the Windmill Restaurant. Toastmaster was Doug Burleson, and Dick Daum was toastmaster. Speakers were Myrl Pawlowski, Waldo Armstrong, Lon Lyman and Joe Bellefeuille. A graduation certificate was presented to Mr. Lyman by director Steve Buchanan. Mr. Lyman is only the second person to graduate from a Spokesman Club in Rapid City, since driving distances make it difficult to have regular club meetings. *Douglas A. Johannsen.*

The REGINA, Sask., Spokesman Club and the Regina Graduate Spokesman Club had a combined year-end meeting at Government House May 4. A meal was catered for the more than 80 in attendance. Topics were delivered by Jack Quigley and Mark Grosse. Speeches were given by George Watkins, Nat Ross, Sam Hofer and Arnold Schutzman. After the speech session Spokesman Club graduates were given certificates and Graduate Club graduates received engraved gavels. Graduates from Spokesman Club are Mark Grosse, Richard Konvitsko, Richard Nadler and Howard Stilborn. Those completing the Graduate Club program are Murray Armstrong, Carl Burns and Arnold Schutzman. *Kevin Armstrong.*

The Spokesman Club in THUNDER BAY, Ont., finished the season with a ladies' night dinner-dance at the Fort William Country Club May 15. After dinner tabletopics were presented by Cecil Saville. Toastmaster Dunlop Wilson introduced the speakers. Certificates of merit for completion of 12 club speeches

were presented to John Linke, Harry Sorvisto, Don Pasquillo and Joe Kasarda by director Royston Page. *Carol Brown.*

The WELLINGTON, New Zealand, Spokesman Club had its first ladies' night of the year May 2. Tabletopics were presented by Eugene Mueller before toastmaster Robert Crump introduced speakers Graeme Whittier, Paddy Hinaki, Jim Pittard, Stewart Knowles and Bob Gray. Club director Lyall Johnston presented awards to Wayne Jones, Most Helpful Evaluator; Jim Pittard, Most Improved Speaker; and Bob Gray, Most Effective Speech. Neville Morgan was awarded the certificate of merit for completing the club program in 1980 in another church area. Dinner provided by women guests completed the evening. *Robert Crump.*

The final meeting of the season for the WISCONSIN DELLS, Wis., Spokesman Club was a ladies' night May 7. Tabletopics were led by Neil and Eyon Hanson. Toastmaster was Ron Dick. Speakers were Paul Baldwin, Harold Willis, Nick Chezik, Bob Corliss and Karl Voightlander. Trophies were presented to Jim Gauden, Most Helpful Evaluator; Mr. Voightlander, Most Improved Speaker; and Mr. Willis, Most Effective Speech. A gift certificate for Book World was given to pastor Norman Strayer by Morris Benson, president of the club. Mr. and Mrs. Herman Zoellick also presented Mr. Strayer with a gift. After the meeting a steak dinner was served by club members, young adults and YOU teens. Music and dancing completed the evening. *Patricia Gauden.*

SENIOR ACTIVITIES

More than 60 widows, singles and guests gathered for a luncheon in honor of the CLEVELAND, Ohio, widows May 1 at Aintree Park Party Center. Some singles drove up to 100 miles to transport widows. Meanwhile, other singles prepared food and decorated the hall. To begin with, Rheinhard Klett presented a slide show about South Africa. A turkey and roast beef meal followed. The group finished the afternoon with a sing-along led by Greg Thomas, director of the United Singles Club. Solos by Renee Overton, Sam Jenkins and Barber Bond added to the songfest. *Jeff Smith.*

The annual FORT WAYNE, Ind., senior citizens' banquet took place April 30. Thirty-five seniors were served a spaghetti dinner prepared by Spokesman Club members and their wives. Dinner was followed by an entertainment session including a "short people" skit performed by Renea Hancock, Pam Nickelsen and Tina Pfister. A sing-along, dancing and card playing added to the occasion. Carnations were presented to the oldest senior, the member with the longest church attendance record, the parents with the most children and to couples married for the longest and the shortest amount of time. *Ginny Martin.*

May 1, 20 of the over 50 NEW ORLEANS, La., seniors enjoyed a pic-

nic lunch at Audubon Park. After lunch they visited the zoo. *Lois Halstead.*

A formal dinner to honor ROCHESTER, N.Y., brethren 55 years old and older took place at the Glenwood Garden Apartments May 1. Twenty-four seniors were served a five-course dinner by the youths. Rose Heid, 84, received a floral arrangement for being the oldest in attendance. Agnes Tate won the door prize plus a prize for having the most grandchildren. *Jake Hannold.*

WINDSOR, Ont., seniors enjoyed an afternoon outing May 1, arranged by Darwin Brandt. The social included a tour of Willistead Manor built in 1904. The manor illustrated the popular Tudor influence. After the tour a dinner was served at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Brandt. Dishes were prepared by Ollie Parks, Kay Brown, Carol Paterson and Mary Brandt. *Nancy Tait.*

SINGLES SCENE

Thirteen BELFAST, Northern Ireland, United Singles saddled up on the morning of April 24 for a pony trek around the Castleragh hills, just outside Belfast. After getting to know the horses, the group rode for an hour before returning home. *Anne Ballie-McCormick.*

What do a cowboy, a Southern belle, a jailbird, Mohandas Gandhi, a gypsy and an Indian chief have in common? They, among many others, attended the annual DETROIT, Mich., singles costume ball April 30. The event took place at the Polish American Century Club. Music was provided by the Philadelphians, the Detroit church band. *Steve Holsby.*

Fifty-four singles from JOHANNESBURG and PRETORIA, South Africa, spent May 6 to 8 at Buffelspoort Holiday Resort. May 7 minister Terry Browning conducted a Bible study on how to foster unity, followed by a question-and-answer session. Two sheep roasted on spits, pap (boiled maize meal) and salads prepared by Karen Lamprecht and her helpers were served that evening. The day's activities were completed by a sing-along at the camp fire. Sunday, May 8, some went hiking while others played volleyball, tennis and squash. *Johan Gribbler.*

"Fellowship Cruise" was the theme for a LEXINGTON, Ky., singles' dance April 30 at the home of Kenneth and Joyce May. A covered-dish meal was served before the dance. More than 60 singles were present. *Derrick Wilson.*

SPORTS

BALTIMORE, Md., won the District 14 track meet in Walkersville, Md., May 1. Cumberland and Hagerstown, Md., and Winchester, Va., placed second, followed by Harrisburg, Pa., and Laurel and Wilmington, Del. Hagerstown received the sportsmanship trophy. Twenty-five new district records were established. *Grant Spang.*

Thirty-one members of the CALGARY, Alta., Ladies Fivepin Bowling League met for a luncheon May 5 to end the November to April season. Trophies were given to Lydia Reichwald



WELL DONE — Evangelist Dean Blackwell, Pasadena Auditorium P.M. pastor, presents an award to Ann Baker during a YOU Senior Club honor ceremony and reception May 11. (See "Youth Activities," page 7.) [Photo by Barry Stahl.]

for the highest average, 182; Della Von Hollen for the highest score, 301; and Janice Ondracka for best improvement over last year, a 14 point increase average. Shirley Steadman was awarded for keeping statistics and collecting fees weekly. *Susan Earle.*

GARDEN GROVE, Calif., took first place in the YOU District 72 track and field meet May 1 at Santa Ana, Calif., High School. An estimated 150 athletes participated. Events included special 60 and 100-yard dashes for the junior YOU. Some outstanding male and female participants were Tim Salcedo, Richard Murray, and Miss Ward, Garden Grove; Richard Hampton, Mike Gilbert and Dawn Walker, San Diego, Calif.; Tim Newsome, Riverside, Calif.; Karen Gill, San Bernardino, Calif.; and Angela Williams, Long Beach, Calif. Terry Mattson, pastor of the Riverside and Garden Grove churches, was meet director along with Darel Newman, a former world-class sprinter. *Mark Davis and Russell Hendee.*

The HOUSTON, Tex., churches sponsored the annual YOU District 56 track and field day May 1. Final team standings were San Antonio and Uvalde, Tex., first; Houston North, second; and Houston West and Victoria, Tex., third. Most valuable athletes were Stephanie Smith, Houston North, senior girls; Kelly Ducit, Corpus Christi, Tex., junior girls; William Rodriguez, Corpus Christi, senior boys; and Tim Kuver, San Antonio,

junior boys. *Richard D. Whitson.*

May 14 the MARION, N.C., church had its first YOU sports banquet at the Marion Moore Lodge. The YOU assisted the Church members with setup and parking. After Sabbath services the teens treated brethren to a spaghetti supper. After sundown Charles Wise gave recognition to all YOU members. Those receiving all-tournament trophies are: Michael Wise, Regina Nanney, Dinah Bouldin and Craig Bristol. Laura Bristol was honored with the citizenship trophy. The girls' volleyball team received a sportsmanship trophy. Michael Wise and Craig Bristol presented a long-stem red rose to each girl in appreciation for her support. Four couples receiving recognition for assistance with YOU are: Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Bristol, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Fox, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bouldin, along with the Marion church pastor and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Groce. The evening ended with the presentation of a plaque for Mr. Wise and his wife, Judy, from all the YOU members. *Angie Turner.*

The OKLAHOMA CITY and ENID, Okla., churches were hosts to the YOU district track meet in Stillwater, Okla., May 1. The meet was conducted at Oklahoma State University and included participants from Wichita and Salina, Kan., and Oklahoma City and Tulsa, Okla. Oklahoma City won the meet. Winners from each event went to Big Sandy to represent District 64 in the regional track meet May 8. *Mike Crist.*

The PROVIDENCE, R.I., and BOSTON, Mass., churches sponsored the New England District YOU track meet May 15 at Attleboro Senior High School. Albany, N.Y., placed first, followed by Meriden, Conn., and Concord, N.H. A concession stand, under the supervision of Mr. and Mrs. Dan King, served the brethren breakfast and lunch. Awards were presented after the meet by Lyle Welty, pastor of the Springfield, Mass., and Albany churches. The most valuable participant awards were presented to Jane Jepson of Meriden, junior girls; Winnie Elliott of Meriden, senior girls; Russell Marsh of Portland, Maine, junior boys; and Chris Philbrook of Meriden, senior boys. *Kathleen Herd.*

Six YOU teams from eight church areas braved a downpour to participate in the district YOU track and field meet in RALEIGH, N.C., April 24. Team scores were: Greensboro, N.C., 353; Raleigh, 269; Columbia, S.C.-Augusta, Ga., 226; Fayetteville, N.C.-Florence, S.C., 211; Charlotte, N.C., 136; Jacksonville, N.C., 107. *Harlan Brown.*

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, bowling teams finished their season May 8 with an awards banquet at the Chuck-a-rama Buffet Restaurant in Kearns, Utah. Don Ninnness, coordinator, made the presentations. The first place team was composed of Don and Dorcas Ninnness and Randy (See CHURCH NEWS, page 7)



YOU PROM — Teens from the Meriden, Conn., area dance at the Buckboard in Glastonbury, Conn., April 30. (See "Youth Activities," page 7.) [Photo by Radd Zedrick.]

ANNOUNCEMENTS

BIRTHS

AGNE, Bruce E. and Heather (Azul), of Syracuse, N.Y., girl, Linna Rose, April 23, 4:14 p.m., 7 pounds 4 ounces, now 2 girls.

ALBRIGHT, John and Cathy (Kroontz), of Pittsburgh, Pa., boy, Matthew Britton, April 19, 12:51 p.m., 7 pounds 4 ounces, now 2 boys.

AULT, Graeme and Joy (Dreanan), of Ipswich, Australia, boy, Adam Jonathan, May 6, 1:50 p.m., 8 pounds 3/8 ounces, now 1 boy, 1 girl.

BARNES, Alan and Lynn (Parke), of Kent, Wash., boy, Benjamin Parker, April 30, 10:40 a.m., 8 pounds 2 ounces, now 1 boy, 1 girl.

BARTON, David and Kaylene (Wright), of South Brisbane, Australia, girl, Melissa Joy, April 29, 5:40 p.m., 7 pounds 4 ounces, first child.

BERGERON, Jack Jr. and Alice (Virtua), of Mount Airy, Pa., girl, Cynthia Susan, March 12, 2:63 p.m., 8 pounds 11 ounces, now 2 girls.

BEWAJ, Clement and Margaret (Toyon), of Lagos, Nigeria, boy, Tololope Olumuyeva, April 19, 12:15 a.m., 2.7 kilograms, now 1 boy, 1 girl.

BJURSTROM, Ed and Wendy (Zebrowski), of Long Beach, Calif., boy, Benjamin Carl, April 30, 5:48 a.m., 7 pounds 12 ounces, first child.

BONNETT, Bob and Candy (Wright), of Reno, Nev., girl, Brittany Lee-Anne, May 8, 2:03 p.m., 7 pounds 9 ounces, now 1 boy, 1 girl.

BROWN, Larry and Gail (Wilson), of Mountain View, Ark., girl, Sarah Jane, April 21, 4:17 p.m., 8 pounds 6 ounces, first child.

BUDDA, Edward and Nancy (Evans), of Mount Pocono, Pa., girl, Roberta Lynn, May 11, 3:12 a.m., 7 pounds 3 ounces, now 2 girls.

CHATFIELD, Erwin and Vivian (Beebe), of Las Cruces, N.M., girl, Amber Dawn, April 30, 5:14 p.m., 7 pounds 5 ounces, first child.

CRAWFORD, James and Glenda (Pruthomme), of Lafayette, La., girl, Miranda Kay, May 10, 11:56 a.m., 8 pounds 8 ounces, now 1 boy, 2 girls.

DANTZLER, Joel Jr. and Linda (Tucker), of Jacksonville, Fla., boy, Daniel Robert, March 28, 8:16 a.m., 7 pounds 5 ounces, now 2 boys.

DIXON, Robert and Beatriz (Rienstra), of Edmond, Ala., girl, Ashley Lynn, April 28, 8:15 p.m., 8 pounds 1 ounce, now 2 boys, 2 girls.

FALDT, Brian and Ann (Ward), of Brisbane, Australia, girl, Michelle Ann, May 8, 6:14 a.m., 6 pounds 13 ounces, now 3 boys.

FOSTER, James and Beverly (Maya), of Ocean Hill, Md., girl, Rebecca Janet, Jan. 31, 10:30 p.m., 7 pounds 10 ounces, now 1 boy, 1 girl.

FOX, John and Robyn (Lowe), of Richmond, Va., boy, Peter England, April 27, 6:20 p.m., 8 pounds 3 ounces, now 2 boys.

FOX, Link and Rosita (Halter), of Rogersville, Tenn., girl, Sarah Michelle, May 11, 8:23 p.m., 7 pounds 5 ounces, now 1 boy, 1 girl.

GOWER, Everette Jr. and Judy (Schultz), of Kansas City, Kan., girl, Megan Renee, April 30, 1:10 a.m., 7 pounds 3 ounces, now 1 boy, 2 girls.

JOHNSON, Tim and Nancy (Kohman), of Pueblo, Colo., girl, Crystal Nichole, April 22, 1:30 p.m., 7 pounds 7 ounces, now 2 girls.

JONES, Mark and Patti (Smith), of Kalamazoo, Mich., boy, Justin Travis, May 2, 8:16 a.m., 7 pounds 14 ounces, first child.

LAMM, Gary and Debby (Swan), of Belle Vernon, Pa., boy, Jonathan Scott, May 6, 4:05 p.m., 8 pounds 15 ounces, now 2 boys.

LESEUR, Robert and Marjorie (Houle), of Montreal, Que., boy, Francois, April 7, 3:55 a.m., 7 pounds 8 ounces, first child.

LOOPER, Robert and Lorelei (Bartlett), of Dallas, Tex., boy, Jonathan David, May 7, 9:43 a.m., 7 pounds 13 ounces, now 2 boys, 1 girl.

LUCAS, Barden and Marcia (Wright), of South Pasadena, girl, Hannah Edie Marjolaine, July 21, 10:32 p.m., 8 pounds 2 ounces, now 1 boy, 1 girl.

MACDOUGALL, Windsor and Linda (Raniero), of Halifax, N.S., boy, Jordan Joseph David, Feb. 14, 4:55 p.m., 5 pounds 2 ounces, now 2 boys.

MILLER, Gary and Barbara (Rusa), of Pocatowas, Ark., girl, Ruth Anne, May 3, 3:27 a.m., 7 pounds 6 ounces, now 2 girls.

MOATS, Kenneth and Joan (Lemkuhl), of Des Moines, Iowa, boy, Jeffrey Paul, April 15, 2:26 p.m., 9 pounds 11 ounces, first child.

MOSELEY, Danny and Barbara (Walker), of Geneva, Ala., girl, Samantha Jean, March 8, 1:30 a.m., 8 pounds, first child.

MOTTIN, Ken and Patty (McCloud), of Doniphan, Neb., boy, Travis James, May 4, 1:02 a.m., 6 pounds 14 ounces, now 2 boys.

NANNI, Ben and Lynda (Hall), of Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., boy, Bryan Ross, May 5, 4:13 p.m., 7 pounds 9 ounces, now 1 boy, 1 girl.

PACIGA, Robert and Nancy (Leach), of Lewisburg, W. Va., boy, Edwin Daniel, May 15, 6:43 p.m., 7 pounds 3 ounces, now 2 boys, 2 girls.

PAWLOWSKI, Wesley and Kathleen (Dampier), of Leavenworth, Kan., boy, Shana Allen, April 25, 2:24 p.m., 8 pounds 11 ounces, now 2 boys.

PRAY, Don and Liz, of Wyoming, Ont., boy, Matthew, April 3, 11:13 a.m., 8 pounds 5 ounces, first child.

PREVETTE, Doug and Jill (Corder), of Greensboro, N.C., boy, Joshua Aaron Michael, April 24, 5:42 p.m., 10 pounds 5 ounces, now 1 boy, 2 girls.

RAMEY, Roy and Betty (Smith), of Tacoma, Wash., boy, Aaron Joseph, May 5, 9:20 a.m., 7 pounds, now 5 boys, 3 girls.

ROGERS, Tim and Karen (Hidway), of Lloydminster, Sask., girl, Shellaine, Michele, Feb. 19, 7 pounds 13/8 ounces, first child.

SCARBOROUGH, Steve and Jody (Spranger), of Kansas City, Mo., boy, Steven Aaron Joseph, March 11, 5:30 p.m., 6 pounds 7/8 ounces, now 1 boy, 1 girl.

SHOE, Rick and Julia (Arnold), of Champaign, Ill., girl, Kaita Marie, May 8, 9 pounds 2 ounces, now 1 boy, 2 girls.

SORBY, Bill and Susan (Pippenger), of Mount Vernon, Wash., boy, Michael Anthony, May 12, 9:30 p.m., 5 pounds 7 ounces, first child.

ST. THOMAS, Mike and Heidi (Muller), of Peterborough, Ont., girl, Rosalinda Heidi, April 28, 12:15 a.m., 9 pounds 3 ounces, first child.

STURGILL, Michael and Mary Ann (Turner), of

Romoke, Va., boy, Jeremiah David, March 16, 7:58 a.m., 8 pounds 15 ounces, now 2 boys.

SWINSON, Enoch and Gazi (Diakoff), of Tallahassee, Fla., boy, Joshua Levi, Jan. 27, 9:43 p.m., 7 pounds 11/8 ounces, now 1 boy, 1 girl.

TAULBEE, Jack and Deborah (Faulkner), of Glendale, Calif., girl, Hannah Nicole, Jan. 29, 11:10 p.m., 7 pounds 12 ounces, now 2 boys, 1 girl.

TAYLOR, Joseph and Donna (Gervolino), of Brick Town, N.J., girl, Colleen Nicole, May 12, 4:36 a.m., 8 pounds, now 1 boy, 3 girls.

TURGEON, Michel and Elisabeth (Seram), of Quebec, Que., girl, Marie-Anne, April 2, 10:23 p.m., 7 pounds 5 ounces, now 2 girls.

VanAUSDLE, Gary and Nancy (Hotz), of Grand Junction, Colo., boy, Lewis Ardin, March 15, 5:30 a.m., 8 pounds, now 1 boy, 1 girl.

VERNON, Robert and Charmaine (Sivest), of Baton Rouge, La., girl, Kate Adair, April 28, 11:42 a.m., 6 pounds 15/8 ounces, first child.

VETSCH, Steve and Luella, of Grande Prairie, Alta., girl, Jacinta Juanita, May 3, 1:14 a.m., 7 pounds 13 ounces, now 2 boys, 4 girls.

ZAKARI, Isaac and Comfort, of Accra, Ghana, boy, Melvin, Jan. 12, 2.8 kilograms, now 1 boy, 1 girl.

wedding will be July 31 in the Del Mar Gardens of Pasadena Ambassador College.

WEDDINGS



MR. AND MRS. TONY ROSS
 Cheryl Cecelia Herabarger, daughter of Mary A. Herabarger of Akron, Ohio, and Anthony Pio Ross of Pittsburgh, Pa., were united in marriage April 10. The ceremony was performed by Michael Swagerty, pastor of the Akron church. Matron of honor was Michelle Leonard of Pasadena, the bride's sister. Cheryl and Tony will reside in Jacksonville, Fla.



MR. AND MRS. THOMAS DISHAW
 Kristin Lee Vreeland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Vreeland of Ypsilanti, Mich., and Thomas Edward Dishaw, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Dishaw of Fitt Rock, Mich., were united in marriage March 13 at the Plymouth Cultural Center. The double-ring ceremony was performed by Ray Wooten, pastor of the Ann Arbor and Detroit, Mich., West churches. Maid of honor was Penny Lindgren of Ann Arbor, and the best man was Mark Vreeland, brother of the bride. After honeymooning in the Bahamas the couple reside at 7587 Pocklington Rd., Britton, Mich., 49222.



MR. AND MRS. PAUL HODGSON
 Elise Vandell and Paul Hodgson were united in marriage in an outdoor ceremony Aug. 15. Frank McCrady Jr., pastor of the Manhattan, Long Island and White Plains, N.Y., churches, officiated. The couple are at home in West Babylon, N.Y.



MR. AND MRS. PETER STOECKLE
 Claudia Eisermann, daughter of Lucy Eisermann, and Peter Stoeckle, son of Peter and Maria Stoeckle, were married March 6 in Hartigen, West Germany. Sisters of the bride, Ruth and Susanne Eisermann were the bridesmaids and the two groomsmen were Norbert Klus and Andrea Crosseck. Following the wedding ceremony the guests partook of a buffet and danced to the music of a Bavarian band. The couple reside in Sprackboehl, West Germany.

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

We'd like to let the readers of *The Worldwide News* know about your new baby as soon as it arrives. Just fill out this coupon and send it to the address given as soon as possible after the baby is born.



Our coupon baby this issue is Elizabeth Anne Henderson, daughter of Tim and Candy Henderson of Greensboro, N.C.

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT 'THE WORLDWIDE NEWS' BOX 111 PASADENA, CALIF., 91129, U.S.A.

| | | | | | |
|--|--------------|--|-----------------------------------|---------------------|--|
| Last name | | Father's first name | | Mother's first name | |
| Mother's maiden name | | Church area or city of residence/state/country | | | |
| Baby's sex <input type="checkbox"/> Boy <input type="checkbox"/> Girl | | Baby's first and middle names | | | |
| Month of birth | Day of month | Time of day <input type="checkbox"/> A.M. <input type="checkbox"/> P.M. | Weight | | |
| Number of sons you now have* | | | Number of daughters you now have* | | |
| *Including newborn | | | | | |



A very happy 10th wedding anniversary June 3 to a most "fruitful" couple, Marc and Lisa Segal, from the entire Segal and Cosco clans.
 Congratulations Dad and Mom on your 20th wedding anniversary! Thank you for the fine example you set for us. Love, Eugene, Sis, Glenn and Andy.

Happy 15th anniversary to George and Luann Patrickson in Vancouver, B.C., June 1. Wishing you many more years of joy and bliss. Loving and missing you always. Dad, Mom, Paula, Lesley, Tracy and Lacey.

Happy 10th anniversary Tom and Pam Garson June 28. Many more wonderful years. We all love and miss you. From Dad, Mom, Amy, Tim, Wanda, Christen, Bubbe, Cheryl and Michelle.

Nine years of happiness, improving Southern cooking, two fine boys and a loving home-life. Thanks, Cathy for your devotion and love.

Happy 36th anniversary to the Dumpings. Our love always. The Beautiful Kids.



MR. AND MRS. LLOYD GARRETT
 Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Green and Clara Mae Garrett are pleased to announce the marriage of their children, Malinda Green and Lloyd B. Garrett Jr., April 17 at the Pasadena Ambassador College Lower Gardens. Mr. Green, who is a minister in the Auditorium P.M. church, performed the ceremony. The maid of honor was Sue Blumel, and the best man was Charles Singleton. The couple reside in Pasadena.



MR. AND MRS. WILLIAM BARGAR
 Mr. and Mrs. William L. Bargar Sr. of the Washington, D.C., church, celebrated their 40th anniversary June 7. The Bargar have been members for almost 20 years. They have five children, two of whom are baptized, and 10 grandchildren.

Weddings Made of Gold

SALMON ARM, B.C. — Stanley and Hoyland Hogarth celebrated their 55th wedding anniversary April 29.

Mr. Hogarth, 80, and Mrs. Hogarth, 78, were baptized with a daughter, Emerald Cook, July 9, 1963, in the Kettle River near Rock Creek, B.C.



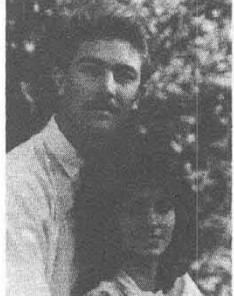
MR. AND MRS. STANLEY HOGARTH
 They were married in Alliance, Alta., in 1928, and have lived in Greenwood, Rock Creek and Grandin, B.C. Their home is at Shuswap Estates in Blind Bay, B.C.
 The Hogarths have twin daughters, five grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

ENGAGEMENTS



BILL VERNICH AND WILMA NIEKAMP
 Mr. and Mrs. Robert Niekamp of Carmi, Ill., are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter Wilma to Bill Vernich, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Vernich of Nashville, Tenn. Bill and Wilma are 1983 graduates of Pasadena Ambassador College. A September wedding is planned.

Mr. and Mrs. Lindbergh Laney of Corpus Christi, Tex., are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter Judith Lovell to Bruce David McNeil of Pasadena. The wedding is set for Sept. 17 in Corpus Christi.



J. WELLMAKER AND J. FERTIG
 Mr. and Mrs. Monte Dean Fertig of Doug's, Wyo., are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter Loretta Janna to Jeffrey Lynn Wellmaker, son of Mr. and Mrs. J.L. Wellmaker of Big Sandy. Jeff and Janna attended Big Sandy Ambassador College during the 1982-83 school year. A July 3 wedding is planned.

Mr. and Mrs. Don O'Callaghan of the Lloydminster, Sask., church are happy to announce the engagement of their daughter Judy to Kevin Allen, also of the Lloydminster church. The wedding is planned for June 30.



JUAN URISTA AND LAURA WHITE
 Mr. and Mrs. Hassel A. White of Huntsville, Tex., are happy to announce the engagement of their youngest daughter, Laura Charlene, to Juan Urista, son of Mr. and Mrs. Pablo Urista of Los Angeles, Calif. The

Obituaries

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla. — Sadie Buhlman, 86, died May 12.
 A member for more than 16 years, Mrs. Buhlman is survived by her daughter Irene DeHaven, also a member of the Oklahoma City church; a son; nine grandchildren; 17 great-grandchildren; and five great-great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Buhlman and her daughter moved to Oklahoma from Pennsylvania in 1938.
 HOUSTON, Tex. — Jacob Herbert Shaw, 81, died at home Dec. 30, 1982. Mr. Shaw and his wife, Ovie Lee, were baptized Oct. 18, 1966.
 Mr. Shaw is survived by his wife, daughter Ouida Jean Landers of San Angelo, Tex., son Paul Ray of Houston. (See ANNOUNCEMENTS, page 7)

Summit

(Continued from page 2)
International Studies, defense analyst Mike Moodie told me that nearly all likely outcomes of the Euro-missile deployment program bode ill for the Western alliance.
A less than unanimous decision on the part of NATO's 16 members to proceed with deployment by December would not sit well with the United States.
"An 8-7-1 decision," he said, hardly would reflect confidence in U.S. alliance leadership. A decision to postpone the deployment — advocated by some Europeans — would be considered even worse.
Without solid European backing, said a German, Manfred Hamm, at the Heritage Foundation, the United States would certainly be

justified in calling for the removal of its ground forces from Europe, rather than exposing them to greater Soviet risk.
At the same time, said Mr. Hamm, the Europeans are deeply concerned that the intercontinental strategic (U.S.- rather than European-based) nuclear weapons that protect them are in danger of being frozen into disuse because of the mushrooming nuclear freeze movement in the United States.
Particularly alarming to Europeans is the profreeze position taken by America's liberal Roman Catholic bishops. West German and French bishops, interestingly enough, have publicly stated their opposition to the thrust of the position of their counterparts in America.
Central America turmoil
Western Europeans are worried,

too, that the United States is becoming mired in a new Vietnam in Central America. Mr. Reagan confirmed their fears during the summit when he removed two key officials in his Central America policy structure, replacing them with individuals considered to be more hard line.
According to Mr. Moodie, Central America promises to be the most critical foreign policy issue of the 1984 presidential campaign. "Over the next 18 months," he said, "Central America has the potential to rip us apart again."
The controversy over Central America, Mr. Moodie added, "feeds into European relations" — and from two opposite angles.
Some younger generation Europeans, feeling more sympathy for leftist causes, believe that the U.S. approach to the spreading crisis in Central America is dead wrong. This

adds to the impression the majority of young Europeans have about America; namely, that the United States is a greater threat to world peace than is the Soviet Union.
Conservative Europeans, on the other hand, wonder whether the United States has the will to stand up to a threat from Moscow, this time right in America's front yard.
If America can't defend its own interests close to home, reason the Europeans, how can the United States be depended upon to defend Western Europe from Soviet pressure.
Mr. Moodie recounted a conference in Washington about the future of the Western alliance at which some European delegates argued for an independent nuclear capability for Western Europe.
I related to Mr. Moodie the contents of a letter I received from an acquaintance in Bonn, West Germa-

ny, Eric Sontag.
Mr. Sontag, a reader of *The Plain Truth*, is an expert on communist propaganda. He loves America but is disturbed over developments at high levels in the country. In his letter, Mr. Sontag enclosed a copy of a telegram he sent May 4 to the U.S. House of Representatives, which read: "If you cannot box your way out of paperbag Nicaragua and your bishops freeze nukes, West Germans better get their own nuclear weapons from Israel." (Those last two words are interesting: a Bonn-Tel Aviv nuclear axis?)
Mr. Sontag appended his copy to me with the additional words: "May sound crazy, but reflects changing attitude of even conservatives here (in West Germany)."
Yes, there is a lot simmering behind the happy facade of Williamsburg. The European-American pot will boil over before long.

CHURCH NEWS

(Continued from page 5)
and Roberta Hall. Mrs. Hall received the trophy for women's high series and Becky Koning won the women's high series scratch trophy. Bill Daniels won all divisions for the men. Two special awards were presented. The Sportsmanship award was given to Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bryce, and the team with the most room for improvement award was given to the Kurzawa team, an all-children's team of Alaric and Kasia Kurzawa, David Foster and Scott Park. *Al and Ellie Kurzawa.*
May 1 teams from 12 of the 14 Ontario churches gathered at Brock University at St. Catharines for the first ladies invitational volleyball tournament played host by the ST. CATHARINES church. After the preliminary round-robin games, the semifinal matches ended with Kitchener A winning 2-1 over Kitchener B and Windsor prevailing 2-1 over the Toronto Yellow team. In the finals, Windsor captured the title with two straight victories. Pastor Tony Wasilkoff and local elder Dan Fuller presented trophies to each member of the two top women's teams. *Bob Kish.*

YOUTH ACTIVITIES

The BATHURST, CANBERRA, and WOLLONGONG, Australia, YOU groups participated in a combined four-day activity May 6-9. At the conclusion of Sabbath services brethren enjoyed a potluck, followed by tennis bowling. Sunday morning activities included volleyball, a barbecue lunch and a visit to the Tidbinbilla Space Tracking Station, a part of the U.S. National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA) network. Late that afternoon the group went up the Telecom Tower for a panoramic view of Canberra. Sunday concluded with guided tours of the Federal Parliament Houses. The weekend ended after a tour of the National War Museum before a lunch on the edge of Lake Burley Griffin. *K. Banks and O. Solyana.*
Forty-seven BUFFALO, N. Y., and 27 visiting TORONTO, Ont., EAST YOU members enjoyed a canoe regatta May 1 on Cattaraugus Creek in western New York. Thirty-two canoes and a rubber raft were divided among three groups: Garner Holdsworth and Rick Schmitt leading the first group, Carl Mendel and Val Matuszkiewicz the second, and Peter Klein and Don Ferguson the third. The 74 teens launched their canoes near the Bigelow Bridge on Route 240. A portage took the group around the Springville and Cattaraugus power plant dam and then to lunch waiting downstream. After rowing 6 miles (about 9½ kilometers), an inviting camp fire, sloppy juice and pizza were well received by the bunch. Before the trip the Toronto youths attended afternoon services April 30, and a Bible study conducted by Buffalo pastor David Pack. A get-together took place that evening. The weekend was coordinated by Mr. Holdsworth and Mr. Schmitt. *Richard Alex and Julie Rissinger.*
DENVER, Colo., brethren conducted a YOU district track meet and prom the weekend of April 30 and May 1. YOU members and parents from Alamosa, Colorado Springs, Denver, Durango, Fort Collins, Grand Junction, Meeker, and Pueblo, Colo.; Casper and Wheatland, Wyo.; and Grand Island and North

Platte, Neb., attended.
"Sailing" was the theme for the prom Saturday evening at the church's meeting hall. Decorations for the formal included a wooden bridge, plants and wall murals. Music was provided by Solid Sounds, the Denver church band, under the direction of associate pastor Norm Myers. Ann Hendricks and Tim Owens were deemed the best-dressed couple. The dance contest was won by two couples: Shelly Spangler and Joe Webber, and Ann Cady and Aldis Strautins.
The Denver YOU track team placed first in overall scoring the next morning. Events were run for adults, YOU members and YES youngsters. Athletes who gave outstanding performances included Ann Hendricks, Eric James, Eric Lyons, Jeff Miller, Katrina Naasz, Rustin Owens and Tim Owens. *Michael Grovak.*
YOU members and parents from the FAIRFIELD and SANTA ROSA, Calif., churches attended a sports awards banquet at the Nipps Elks Lodge April 30. The evening began with a catered prime rib dinner, after which a slide show about the most exciting moments of the season was shown.
All YOU members received certificates. Medals were given to those who participated in basketball, volleyball and cheerleading. Allen Olson, assistant coordinator for the area, was presented a special gift for his leadership and assistance. Sports coaches given awards were: David Gruening, track; Brenda Krob, volleyball; Joyce Lowrie, cheerleading; and Ray Lowrie, basketball. Ken Krob received an award for his efforts as candy sales champion. The banquet ended with a dance to music provided by disc jockey Ben Tente. *Lila Docken.*
FORT WALTON BEACH, Fla., and GENEVA, Ala., churches organized District 33 YOU activities April 29-May 1, at Fort Walton Beach. An all-day beach party Friday added to the event. Sabbath services were in the Choctawhatchee High School Auditorium. Sunday morning the track events took place at Memorial Stadium and Choctawhatchee High School. Final standings are as follows: Birmingham, Ala., 231; Huntsville, Ala., 105; Fort Walton Beach and Geneva, 78. Montgomery, Ala., placed fourth, and Gadsden, Ala., was fifth. *Sandra Thompson.*
The IPSWICH and NORWICH, England, YOU met April 24 at the Saxon Pistol Club range near Ipswich for an afternoon of pistol, revolver, rifle and shotgun shooting under the instruction of a county police firearms instructor. A Royal Air Force armorer gave a lecture on the history and development of firearms. *Graham Gibbs.*
The MERIDEN, Conn., YOU prom took place April 30 at the Buckboard in Glastonbury, Conn. One hundred area teens dined and danced in formal attire. May 1 a picnic concluded the weekend at Wickham Park in East Hartford, Conn. Softball, Frisbee, badminton and other games were offered. *Janet Jepson.*
May 11 members of the PASADENA Auditorium P.M. YOU Senior Clubs met for their end-of-year presentation of awards and reception on the Ambassador College campus. The Senior Girls' Club Trophy was awarded to Ann Baker and Elizabeth Zlab, while the Boys' Club Trophy was presented to Jerry Loo. Five candidates for the Pastor's Award presented speeches about what they gained from the club and what they had gained and planned to gain from working for the award.

Receiving the Award of Honor Diploma for 1983 from the Senior Boys' Club are: Danny Apartian, Mathew Kennedy, David La Ravia, David McFarland, Eric Olinger, Stewart Suckling, Tim Vargo, Roger Zacharias and Joe Zlab.
The Award of Honor with Gold Seal was given to Francesca Anastasi, Stacy Black, Lisa Coffman, Lora Coffman, Lisa Davis, Bethlei Faulkner, Becky Halford, Judy Halford, Kristie Helge, Vonda Meier, Davina Morris and Chantal Van Landuyt. The Senior Boys' Club Award of Honor with Gold Seal winners were Doug Bowman and Tim Hudson.
The Pacesetter Award for the Senior Girls' Club was given to Ann Baker, Kathy Baker, Sigrid Clark, Anthea Edalere, Dawn Faulkner, Aliza Green, Karen Gridley, Pauline Hitch, Shari Kelly, Tracy Keyser, Heidi Meier, Alyssa Olinger, Karen Pelley, Shawn Reynolds, Jonelle Thomas and Elizabeth Zlab. The Pacesetter Award for the Senior Boys' Club was presented to Sven Clark, Tom Greider, Robin Gridley, Randal Kelly, Jerry Loo, Leslie Loo, Paul McClure, Kevin Olinger and Kenton Zlab. *Barry Straley.*
ST. ALBANS, England, YOU members were hosts for a cream tea for Church members May 7. The tea, given in appreciation of assistance with fund-raising

projects, included scones, baked by the YOU and topped with jam and cream. *Adam Neill.*
More than 100 teens participated in the YOU district track meet in SALEM, Ore., May 1. First place went to Salem and Albany, Ore.; second place to Portland, Ore.; and third place to Medford and Klamath Falls, Ore. Medals for the most valuable athletes were given to Rob Peterson, Salem, junior division; Aletha Davis, Medford, junior division; Brad Marson, Portland West, senior division; and Brenda Williams, Medford, senior division. *Ree Sexton.*
The SHREVEPORT, La., YOU was host to a spring from April 30 at the Louisiana State University at Shreveport campus ballroom. YOU groups from Big Sandy, Tyler, Longview, Lufkin and Texarkana, Tex., Men and Eldorado, Ark., and Monroe, La., attended. About 150 teens and their parents enjoyed a buffet and danced to music by The Swingphons. Shreveport pastor Bill Bradford, transferring to Australia, was given luggage and a silver platter during intermission. *Liste Bergmann.*
May 7 the TAMPA, Fla., church conducted a graduation dance in honor of its 1983 high school graduates. The graduates are Sandy Aungst, Anita Brunner, Kelly Cross, Keith Fisher, Cheryl

Gerbes, Paula Kinster, Lisa Mowell, Greg Passon and Duke Spencer. The theme of the dance was "Born to Rule." Music was provided by Cool Change, a five-piece band from Miami, Fla.
A song entitled "Rulers of Tomorrow" was sung by Kathy Allen, Sally Quick, Donna Ebanks and Bob Pino. Tanya cheerleaders performed a dance routine and Christine Quade demonstrated a baton routine. Hors d'oeuvres and sparkling apple punch were served to the brethren. *Phillip J. Brooks.*
The TUCSON, Ariz., Young Adult Program (YAP) had its second activity May 8. A hike through Nugent Canyon in the Catalina Mountains followed by an expedition into Peppersauce Cave filled the day. *Joseph Rivers.*
April 24 the WOLLONGONG, Australia, YOU went on a canoeing trip organized by YOU members Carl and Dean Ellis. The trip began at Douglas Park and continued for 10 kilometers (about 6 miles) along the Nepean River, lasting 4½ hours. One of the canoes had trouble staying upright and capsized four times. Minister Clive Leske, along with Gabriele D'Amico and Bruno Gallis, accompanied the canoeists who were met by their families at the conclusion of the trip. The day ended with a family barbecue at Menangle Park. *Kim D'Amico.*

ANNOUNCEMENTS

(Continued from page 6)
three grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.
Graveside services were conducted Jan. 3 by Hal Baird, pastor of the Houston East church.
REGINA, Sask. — Dorothy Slack, 48, died April 27 following a brain hemorrhage April 25.
Mrs. Slack, a member since 1968, is survived by her husband, Lorne; four children, Kevin, Susan, Lorna and Warren, all at home; her mother, Sophie Grosse of Melville; one sister; and three brothers.
Funeral services were conducted April 29 by Doug Johnson, pastor of the Regina church.
FORT MYERS, Fla. — Olin Lawrence Hutton, 78, died April 22 following an extended illness.
Mr. Hutton was born in Indianapolis, Ind., where he owned a business, teaching sales.
Mr. Hutton was a member of God's Church since 1966, and was ordained a deacon in the Kalamazoo, Mich., church in 1971. He also attended the Grand Rapids, Mich., church before moving to Florida where he was active in the Plain Truth distribution program.
Survivors include his wife, Carol, a longtime member; a son, Richard of Barrington, Ill.; a daughter, Nancy Williams of Indianapolis; stepdaughters Virginia Munger and Nancy Sterley of Grand Rapids, both members; stepson Kenneth Peterson, an elder in the Pueblo, Colo., church; 18 grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.
LUTON, England — Andrew Stratton, 10, son of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Stratton, was killed instantly at a crossing near his home April 5.
Funeral services were conducted by David Stirik, pastor of the Luton church. About 140 people attended the services. Andrew is survived by his parents, Michael and Jenny, members of the Luton congregation, and younger sisters Rosemary and Joanna.

LaGRANDE, Ore. — George Abell, 88, died April 22 at the Valley View Manor nursing home where he lived with his wife, Bertha. Mr. Abell was born July 25, 1894. He and his wife were married more than 60 years ago. All seven of their children are living.

JACKSON, Miss. — Ida Ratliff died April 2 of cancer. She had been a member of God's Church since July 1, 1961.
Funeral services were conducted by Bob Peoples, pastor of the Jackson church.

SUDBURY, Ont. — Karl C. Uhlig Sr., 54, died May 8 of a heart attack.
He was a member of God's Church since August, 1971, and attended the



KARL C. UHLIG SR.

Sudbury congregation. He is survived by his wife, Erna, and four children, Heidi Kushner of Thunder Bay, Ont., Karl Jr., of Pasadena, Barbara Ewing of Surrey, B.C., and Christine Kleinfeld of Edmonton, Alta.
Funeral services were conducted May 11 by Leo van Pelt, pastor of the Sudbury congregation.
SALMON ARM, B.C. — George Cardiff, 81, died in his sleep of cancer April 18.
Mr. Cardiff was born in Webwood,

Ont., October 13, 1901. He was active in God's Church until his death.
He is survived by his wife, Ettie, also a member of God's Church.
BIRMINGHAM, Ala. — Mary Ruth Vinson, 57, died of cancer May 8. Mrs. Vinson was a member of the Church since June, 1961.
She was buried May 10 in Gordo, Ala., with pastor Ken Martin conducting the funeral services.
Mrs. Vinson is survived by a daughter, Paula Renee Hill of Madison, Tenn.; her mother, Ethel Glass, and sister, Sara Collins, both of Birmingham.
HAMMOND, Ind. — Lilburn Arthur Black Sr., 70, died May 11 after a period of more than one year of illness. Mr. Black was a member of God's Church since 1969.
John Ritenbaugh, pastor of the Park Forest and Chicago, Ill., Southeast churches, conducted funeral services.
Mr. Black is survived by his wife, three sons, two daughters and eight grandchildren.
HAMMOND, Ind. — Richard S. Cygan, 27, a member of God's Church, died May 16 from an automobile accident.
Mr. Cygan was a graduate of Spokesman Club, a member of the church choir and the singles' coordinator for the Hammond church.
John Ritenbaugh, pastor of the Park Forest and Chicago, Ill., Southeast churches, conducted funeral services.
Mr. Cygan is survived by his parents, brother and two sisters.
SAN LUIS OBISPO, Calif. — Timothy A. McColm, 36, died May 14 after struggling with cancer for four years.
Mr. McColm was a 1969 Big Sandy Ambassador College graduate. He worked four years for the college in Pasadena, and lived the past eight years in the Santa Maria, Calif., area where he was self-employed.
He is survived by his wife, Linda, sons Glen and Brent, father Lester McColm, pastor of the Long Beach, Calif., church, and sister Sandra.
Services were conducted by Carlton Smith, pastor of the San Luis Obispo and Santa Barbara, Calif., churches.

NEWS OF PEOPLE, PLACES & EVENTS IN THE WORLDWIDE CHURCH OF GOD

UPDATE

PASADENA — Pastor General Herbert W. Armstrong was host to 11 members of the Young Ambassadors Feast film cast at dinner at the Pasadena campus Social Center May 25, according to Ross Jutsum, Ambassador College faculty member and director of the Young Ambassadors.

According to Mr. Jutsum, Mr. Armstrong wanted to thank the people who work on the films. Since Mr. Armstrong could not have all of the Young Ambassadors in his home, only those who participated in all three of the films attended the dinner, Mr. Jutsum said.

After dinner the group watched the 1982 Feast film, *Mike Hale*, a 1976 Big Sandy Ambassador College graduate who plays in the films, said: "You cherish the moments you spend with Mr. Armstrong. We especially enjoyed watching the film with him to hear his comments and thoughts."

After the film Big Beak played a surprise visit on the group. The group gathered around the piano to sing songs, accompanied by Mr. Jutsum and conducted by Mr. Armstrong. Mr. Armstrong also played *Moonlight Sonata* and *Moonlight Madonna* on the piano.

Mr. Jutsum said: "Everybody in the group thought it was the highlight of the year. We were thrilled to see Mr. Armstrong enjoying the film and giving it his support."

☆☆☆

DETROIT, Mich. — By the year 2000, poverty will be a thing of the past, according to a report by Herman Kahn, chairman and director of the New York-based Hudson Institute.

The world in the year 2000 was only one of more than 150 topics at the annual meeting of the American Association for the Advancement of Science (AAAS) here. The meeting, the AAAS' 149th, was conducted May 26 to 31 at the Detroit Renaissance Center.

The Plain Truth has sent writers and editors to cover the annual convocation since the early 1960s. *Plain Truth* staff writers Michael Snyder and Dan Taylor were assigned to cover the Detroit meetings, which included presentations by Edward Rowney, chief negotiator for the Strategic Arms Reduction Talks (START) in Geneva, Switzerland; Dr. Kahn; and others.

The liberal tenor of the 1983 AAAS meeting did little to hide the political nature that modern science has taken upon itself, according to Mr. Taylor. "Many scientists have come to believe that science can indeed solve all of humankind's problems," he said.

Mr. Snyder, who attended the 1982 AAAS meeting in Washington, D.C., said he noted far greater interest in *The Plain Truth* itself. "Mr. Taylor and I received dozens of inquiries about the *PT* from journalists and scientists," he said. "Many, including reporters from NBC [National Broadcasting Co.] news, *U.S. News & World Report*, *Newsweek* and other officials, said that while they couldn't agree with everything we say in the magazine, they did find our point of view refreshing and interesting."

☆☆☆

PASADENA — Gene H. Hogberg, director of the News Bureau here, attended the seven-nation Summit of Industrialized Nations in Williamsburg, Va., May 29 and 30. (See "Worldwatch," page 2.) Before the summit Mr. Hogberg interviewed foreign policy experts

in the Washington, D.C., area, gathering information for *Plain Truth* articles and his *Worldwide News* column.

Mr. Hogberg conducted a Bible study and directed a Spokesman Club for the Washington, D.C., church. Sabbath, May 28, he gave sermons in the Norfolk and Richmond, Va., churches.

Kenneth Giese, pastor of the Richmond church, attended the summit with Mr. Hogberg.

☆☆☆

ORR, Minn. — The first session of the Summer Educational Program (SEP) in Orr, Minn., started June 7, according to Kevin Dean, director of Youth Opportunities United.

About 962 campers will attend the three sessions in Orr. Each session will last for three weeks with the second session beginning June 29 and the third session July 22. According to Mr. Dean, the Big Sandy SEP camp begins July 6 for one three-week session. About 200 campers are expected there.

Once again this year, field ministers, Ambassador College faculty members, Ambassador students and high school students will staff the camps.

☆☆☆

TEL AVIV, Israel — Jordan Television (JTV), broadcast from a studio 40 miles from Jerusalem, in Amman, Jordan, is available on Israel's second television channel,



AN EVENING OF SONG — Pastor General Herbert W. Armstrong (center) enjoys a light moment with Big Beak and other cast members of the Young Ambassadors Festival films in the Social Center at Pasadena Ambassador College May 25. [Photo by Warren Watson]

according to a United Press International (UPI) report June 2.

JTV channel 6 consists of news in English and programs from the United States and England.

The success of JTV 6 among the

Israeli viewing public can be measured by the thousands of directional Channel 6 antennas that are as much a part of the Israeli skyline as rooftop solar water heaters, the report said.



INTERNATIONAL DESK

BY ROD MATTHEWS

PASADENA — During the Days of Unleavened Bread, Bill Sidney and his wife Daphne traveled from Australia to the Solomon Islands to meet with the members and several who requested personal contact with the Church.

Mr. Sidney baptized three new members, bringing the total to 16. The new members included a tribal chieftain and a government official.

Lectures for *Plain Truth* subscribers were conducted in the capital, Honiara, on the island of Guadalcanal, and also on the island of Gizo. Twenty new people attended the lectures.

Mr. Sidney also spoke to a specially convened board meeting of the Solomon Islands Broadcasting

Corp. to discuss the airing of the *World Tomorrow* radio program. Church groups in the Solomon Islands have vigorously opposed the island's only radio station accepting the program. The board was favorably impressed by a videotape of the television program, and the Church hopes for a positive decision soon.

On this trip, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney also visited the management of the radio station on the island nation of Nauru. The manager is the wife of a cabinet minister in Nauru, and she felt that the *World Tomorrow* program would add a new dimension to religious broadcasting in Nauru, Mr. Sidney reported. The Church looks for a favorable

decision there too.

Australia

Two new television stations added in Australia now place 88 percent of the population in areas where the *World Tomorrow* television program can be seen, the Australian Office at Burleigh Heads reported.

WIN4, the only television station broadcasting from Wollongong, New South Wales, agreed to air *The World Tomorrow* each Sunday at 8:30 a.m. This time slot is the one most requested by sponsors on Sunday mornings and is just before a popular current affairs program.

WIN4 controls the fourth largest regional linkup in Australia, and its signal reaches south into central Victoria, west as far as Canberra, and north into the southern suburbs of Sydney. In some areas it is the only television station people can tune into.

After WIN4's acceptance of the telecast the management of NBN3 in Newcastle offered time each Sunday. This offer was accepted and airing was to begin in late May.

Twenty-one stations and 26 relay

stations including eight of the top 10 television markets in Australia now carry the *World Tomorrow* program.

French advertising

More than 6,300 responses have flooded in to an advertisement placed in the French weekly magazine *Valeurs Actuelles*. The ad, using an offer of *The Plain Truth* in six languages and drawing on the multinational outlook of Europeans, has already brought a 5.2 percent response and increased the circulation of *La Pure Verite* (French *Plain Truth*) by 20 percent in France.

A similar ad is scheduled for the Belgian weekly magazine *Femmes d'Aujourd'hui*, which has a circulation of 507,000.

African visit

Bernard Andrist, office manager in Switzerland, left Geneva May 23 for a three-week trip to Cameroon and Zaire in Africa, to visit members and pursue application for legal recognition in Cameroon. More details will follow upon his return.



PASADENA PROGRAM — Ministers and wives attending the May 30 to June 9 Ministerial Refreshing Program take time out for a photo at the Loma D. Armstrong Academic Center on the Pasadena Ambassador College campus June 3. Individuals from Trinidad, Canada, New Zealand, England, Nigeria, Australia, Mauritius, Malaysia, the Philippines and the United States attended. [Photo by G.A. Belluche Jr.]

Non-profit Org.
U.S. Postage
PAID
Pasadena, Calif.
Permit No. 793

The Worldwide News
Pasadena, Calif., 91123

720530-0625-7 31 W136
MR-MRS GERALD COCOMISE
2112 W RICE ST IL 60622
CHICAGO

30G