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## MARION'S MEMOS

Matthew 6:19-21 - Lay not up for yourselves treasures upon earth, where moth and rust doth corrupt, and where thieves break through and steal; but lay up for yourselves treasures in heaven, where neither moth nor rust doth corrupt, and thieves do not break through and steal: for where your treasure is, there will your heart be also.

Greetings to all White Ribboners,

The summer has gone by so swiftly and here we are starting another year in our WCTU - the 93rd year for North Dakota State WCTU.

Just think - seven (7) more years and we will be 100 years old - many states have already celebrated their centennials. Let us work hard to increase our membership during these seven years. Shall we set a goal of every Union at least 'one' new member a year?

It was good to read in the July-August issue of the WRB the reports from the Fargo and Grand Forks Districts. How come we missed hearing from the James-Valley and Southwest? I know James-Valley had an excellent Convention, for I was there and heard their speaker, a young woman from the county crime department. Also enjoyed the hospitality of the ladies of the Jamestown Union and the Assembly of God Church.

September is dues paying month - get them in no later than November 30 and be an Advance Union. Then you are ready to concentrate on the many other worthwhile projects you do.

Just a reminder - do send our Managing Editor items for our State Paper. We can use pictures too. Some have been received and are being held for the next issue. The Northeast Convention held such a precious White Ribbon Recruit Service. Pictures were taken but none were received for the paper. The things you do make it more interesting and personal to you. The little ones are indeed little jewels, treasures to be cherished, guarded, and guided in the right paths.

With this issue of the White Ribbon Bulletin, we begin the new WCTU year of 1981-82. By this time you should be able to look at the past year objectively and determine the strengths and weaknesses of your Union's work. Likewise, each member can and should note her own contributions to the work over the year. The achievements of both are in the hands of God and where betterment is indicated, He is now giving each a second chance.

## CALL TO CONVENTION

92nd Annual Convention

October 8 & 9, 1981

Bethel Free Lutheran Church

530 22nd Avenue Northwest

Minot, North Dakota

We, the General Officers of the North Dakota Woman's Christian Temperance Union and members of the Minot District, hereby call upon members throughout the state to assemble for the annual convention in session October 8 and 9, 1981 in the Bethel Free Lutheran Church, Minot, North Dakota.

Members and friends of our work will meet together for inspiration and information on the work entrusted to us. Plans for the promotion of the work, reports, and election of several officers will be transacted at the meeting.

Today is ours, let's live it,

And love is strong, let's give it,

And peace is dear, let's bring it.

The past is done, don't rue it,

Our work is here, let's do it!

Oh Lord, grant us thy peace, thy truth, and thy wisdom, that we may serve thy purpose on earth.

Amen.

The banquet will be held Thursday evening at Minot State College. The cost will be \$6.50. The guest speaker will be Dr. B. Thomas. Also bringing a message and entertainment will be Earl Dodge, Executive Secretary of the National Prohibition Committee. Praise God and pray for His blessing upon our assemblage.

Have you renewed your membership for the next year? That is the first thing to be done for September roll call is the paying of dues. Then you are ready to get the dues of the friend who wanted to wait until the new year began. Taking care of your membership is the first objective to be met. But even that isn't done until your treasurer has sent your dues in to the State Treasurer by the 30th of November. Don't let the treasurer wait until the last minute to send it in. Authorize her to send it in immediately. Don't have the letter caught in the rush of holiday mail!

Have you discussed projects for the early fall months? A few things you should consider in the school system are teachers' teas, drivers education

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and home ec literature packets, poster and essay packets, films, filmstrips, and speakers. Many school calendars are filled by the end of summer so check NOW about getting permission and time to carry out your next goal.

Projects aimed at the community and for community participation are World WCTU Day of Prayer, Spiritual Life Retreat, and literature in churches and their schools and Sunday Schools as well as any other place you are given permission to leave or distribute literature - medical offices, laundromats, etc.

Also in September we find the birthday of Frances Willard - the 28th, to be exact. Some schools may allow a small observance. If not, an introduction to Frances Willard can be worked into that very important third Friday in January set aside by law for temperance education. And because National Smoking and Health Week are observed in January, planning for all of these must be done now so it doesn't get boddled down in the hustle and bustle of holiday festivities. Plan now; a strong presentation requires a great deal of study, time, and extended effort. Then review as needed. A program which has been well prepared and delivered will leave you with no regrets and no "I wish I had's."

In October keep in contact with all the school systems in your area. Start preparation for selecting your Family of the Year. Stress serving non-alcoholic beverages during the holidays. Love new members into membership in your Union.

Lastly, and far from the least, send in your support for the WCTU booth at the NDEA Convention to be held in mid-October at Minot shortly after our own convention. Every year inflation hits the convention sites, literature suppliers, and grocers (as well as each of us) so as each of these increases are passed on to us, we must find a way to meet the increased needs. The booth project has been designated as a state project for several years and must be renewed each year. Also, a special offering is taken to add support to the booth during State Convention. If you cannot possibly attend the Convention in Minot, please consider sending a small donation for the booth expenses.

#### November Preview:

Work your membership campaign

Honor Veterans

Sponsor Legislative Workshop

Know State and National Legislators

Prepare for ND Legislative session in January

Observe Thanksgiving.

Ask a busy woman to do something and she will have it well prepared and on schedule. "Half a woman's work is to fit her children for the work of the world. The other half is to fit the world to receive her children." - National Voice.

Prayer is the answer. As the days grow shorter, there is less time in which to accomplish the work. But God will not fail us if we only will ask.

My Master was a worker, with daily work to do,  
And he who would be like Him, must be a worker  
too;

Then welcome honest labor, and honest labor's  
fare,

For where there is a worker, the Master's man is  
there.

- Selected

The Marion ladies had a lively LTL Day Camp in July. We would love pictures of that - how about some next year when you have your Day Camp again? More treasures to guard.

It was thrilling to read about the YTC Camp. And it was most enjoyable to be there Friday evening for the special service. Our youth of all ages are treasures indeed.

Keep up the good work and may God bless and strengthen wherever and whenever a need arises.

I'm looking forward to seeing many of you at our 92nd Annual Convention in Minot. Remember to bring NEW subscriptions for the Union Signal to be sent from the Convention city and get in on the reduced price of \$5.00. Also, remember we are competing with South Carolina.

In closing a few lines from Annie Johnson Flint:

One day at a time,

With its failure and fears,

With its hurts and mistakes,

With its weakness and tears,

With its portion of pain

And its burden of care;

One day at a time

We must meet and must bear.

One day at a time

To be patient and strong;

To be calm under trial

And sweet under wrong;

Then its toiling shall pass

And its sorrow shall cease;

It shall darken and die,

And the night shall bring peace.

One day at a time

And the day is His day;

He hath numbered its hours,

Though they haste or delay,

His grace is sufficient;

We walk not alone;

As the day, so the strength

That He giveth His own.

See you in Minot. We need you there and you need to be there. Let us meet - together.

Sincerely,  
Marion

"No single measure could improve health or lengthen lives more than eliminating cigarette smoking."  
- Michael J. Halderstam, M.D.

**STATE AWARD**

Silver Seal Certificate and \$20.00 Scholarship to National Leadership Training School in 1982. (States with less than 100 Unions - This applies to us.) (1) The state reporting the largest number of National Holdfast Unions by January 1st. (2) The state reporting the largest number of Net Gain Unions by January 1st.

**INDIVIDUAL AWARD**

Individual reading and reporting to State Promotion Secretary one (1) book under each category as found in the Reading List in the Program Manual and below. Award: National Headquarters lucite paperweight or selected book.

**Reading List:**

**Alcohol:**

- Alcohol at the Wheel (1981 revised).....\$ .60
  - Alcohol-Invasion Upstairs..... 5.95
  - Bible Wines or Laws of Fermentation..... 2.00
  - From Social Drinking to Alcoholism..... 3.95
  - What About Beer..... .50
  - Alcohol, The Beloved Enemy..... 7.95
  - A Toast to Sober Spirits & Joyous Juices..... 5.95
- (Non-alcoholic recipes)

**Narcotics:**

- Angel Dust - PCP - Phencyclidine..... \$ .95
- Children and Drugs..... .50
- Marijuana Maze..... 1.75
- Only Dopes Use Drugs..... .75

**Religious:**

- Walking With God.....\$7.95
- Billy Sunday-Man and His Message..... 2.25
- In His Steps Today.....cloth-\$4.95; paper-\$1.95
- Don't Wrestle, Just Nestle..... 5.95
- Have You Felt Like Giving Up Lately..... 4.95

**Social Concerns:**

- Acorn People.....\$4.95
- Hear the Children Crying..cloth-\$6.95 paper-\$3.95
- How to Stop the Porn Plague..... 3.95
- Marji..... 2.25
- My Son, My Son (Palmer) ..... 1.95
- Secret Scandal..... 1.75

**Tobacco:**

- Smoking - A Habit That Should Be Broken....\$ .50
- Women and Smoking..... .50
- Battle To Breathe..... .75

Some of these materials appear in the Program Planner Kit and the others can be ordered from Signal Press. Let us have many more earning the individual awards this year.

**ASK GOD**

Decisions press upon us, and at times,  
 Confused, we wonder at what course to take;  
 We weigh the facts, we ponder and we fear  
 The consequence of any choice we make.  
 Oh, then we need these words to keep us strong,  
 If any man lack wisdom, let him ask

**PERSONAL MENTION**

**VIVIAN TRAPP reports that:**

The Marion WCTU held a Day Camp at the Methodist Church and the Marion Park on July 30. She and Mrs. John Roorda were the directors. Seventeen children took part in the day's activities and most of them joined the LTL for the coming year. The Marion Union will be presenting each family represented with a subscription to The Young Crusader.

The theme for the day was "My body is the temple of God" and they used I Corinthians 3:16 as their scripture reference. Games were played and the afternoon fun ended with a treasure hunt for treats.

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- Program Planner Manuals only: 100-\$28.50, 50-\$16.15, 25-\$9.50,  
50 cents singly - plus postage and handling
- Alcohol at the Wheel-revised 1981: 100-\$40.50, 50-\$22.95, 25-\$13.50  
12-\$6.75, 60 cents singly.
- Symptoms of a Compulsive Gambler No. 206: 100-\$1.10, 50-\$0.60
- Compulsive Gambling - A Spreading Epidemic No. 208:  
100-\$0.85, 50-\$0.50
- Pot Alert for Parents (revised & !!!) No. 1901: 100-\$0.85, 50-\$0.50
- A Look at the YTC No. 1269: 100-\$1.20, 50-\$0.70
- Punchbowl Delights No. 2612: 100-\$1.10, 50-\$0.60
- The Acorn People-book (heartwarming, true story of handi-  
capped children in a summer camp; beautiful, stunning!)  
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Of God, who gives to all abundantly,  
 Upbraiding not for weakness in the task.  
 Then wisdom is provided, and the way  
 Is opened up for higher, better things;  
 The problems are dissolved, and love provides  
 Solution that will give the spirit wings.  
 Oh, "ask of God," dear heart, then rest in peace;  
 Turn to the nearest work and let your voice  
 In thankfulness express your love and praise;  
 Know that He hears and answers, and rejoice.  
 - Della Adams Leitner

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**A CONTEST FOR EVERYONE**

**Speech Contest:**

1. **WHERE?** Contests may be held in schools, youth groups, churches, WCTU, LTL, and YTC meetings.

2. **WHAT?** Use ONLY approved selections published by the WCTU and available from Signal Press. Note: Other selections are not to be used unless approved by the National Director of Projection Methods Department.

3. **WHEN?** Anytime a class is ready. Repeat contest should be planned to give each contestant an opportunity to win a medal.

4. **SIZE OF CLASS?** There must be no less than five (5) nor more than seven (7) in each class. Contestants should be chosen according to age groups to provide fair competition. Boys and girls may compete in the same contest. Important: Each contestant must have earned the preceding medal before competing for the next higher one.

5. **RECORDS.** Each winner's name and other information asked should be supplied on the certificate provided with each medal and sent to the State Director of Projection Methods as soon as the contest is held.

Materials are to be ordered from Signal Press.

**Essay Contest:**

1. **PURPOSE.** To offer opportunity to Elementary and Secondary School Students, from the fourth through the twelfth grades, to pursue the subject of alcohol, other narcotics, and tobacco, with emphasis on total abstinence.

2. **PLAN:** Consult the school administration early in the fall. Explain the essay contest and ask their cooperation in conducting the contest. Provide ample copies of the leaflet "National Essay Contest Rules and Awards - 1982" for the administration and teachers participating.

3. **PROCEDURE:** The contest should be initiated in the schools on or before February 1st to meet the

March 15 deadline. If necessary, alter the time the contest is held to fit into the school's program. It is important to complete the contest before the deadline. NOTE: There must be at least three entries in each division to constitute a contest.

4. **CONTEST SPONSOR:** The essay contest is under the sponsorship of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union who makes the rules, chooses the judges, and determines the awards. The decisions of the judges are final.

5. **CONTEST DATES:** **Local Contest:** March 15 is the deadline for entries. The winning entry is eligible to compete in the state contest. **State Contest:** April 15 is the deadline for winning local entry to reach the State Education Director. The state winner is eligible to compete in the national competition. **National Contest:** June 1 is the deadline for the winning state entry to reach the National Education Director.

**Rules for Essay Contests:**

There must be at least three (3) entries in each division to constitute a contest. Eligibility and topics: Division I - Grades 4-5-6 - "Why Cigarettes and Beer are a 'No No'" - 200 to 300 words.

Division II - Grades 7-8-9 - "The Drug Scene Is Not For Me" - 350 to 450 words.

Division II - Grades 10-11-12 - "What Does It Mean 'Total Abstinence?'" - 600 to 1,000 words.

Three copies of the essay must be submitted for use by the judges. (Two may be good carbon or photostat copies.)

Reference materials are available from Signal Press under the same name as the Division topic.

Essay must adhere to assigned topic. List reference material at the end of the essay as bibliography. Mark all direct quotations. They should not exceed 20 percent of the essay length.

Each essay must include a 'separate page' with student's name, address, age, grade, school, and name of teacher. Attach sheet to front of essay.

A committee of judges should be appointed by the

Education Department Director or the contest chairman. (Suggestions: an English teacher, a clergyman, and a WCTU member.)

#### Poster Contest:

1. **Project an Idea:** A good poster is an effective means of projecting an idea.

2. **Creativity:** Originating a message and reducing it to design is a valuable experience for the student.

3. **Simplicity:** To produce a strong simple message is a basic principle in poster making.

**General Suggestions:** Color - Harmonious colors with a strong contrast give beauty to the poster. A bright spot of color may emphasize the central point of interest.

**Lettering - Prominence** may be given key words by spacing, combined with size, readability, and a variety of lettering. Avoid fancy lettering and diagonal lines.

**Design - The design** should be simple, bold, and striking. The better posters convey one sharply defined idea. Color and movement with a prominent center of interest will reach and command attention. Do not crowd the poster. Keep details to a minimum. Avoid subtlety.

#### Specific Requirements:

1. **Eligibility - Any student** from the fourth grade through the twelfth grade may enter.

2. **Rules for Poster - Use poster board** or very heavy paper. a. **Size:** 22" x 14" b. **Art Work:** Cut-outs may be used on Elementary and Middle school posters. Senior High must have original work of the student. c. **Use of Brand Names:** No brand names may be used on posters. d. **General theme:** The theme must be based on the general theme of alcohol, other narcotics, and tobacco as they relate to problems in the home, social welfare, health, crime, safety, etc.

The sponsorship of the Poster Contest is under the Woman's Christian Temperance Union. Awards and responsibilities for the preliminary contest are determined by the level at which the contest is held.

Only the winning entry in each grade level is eligible to compete in the next step of competition: Local - District - State.

**Information:** This is probably the area in which most misunderstanding occurs - the procedure for entering the poster. Write the students name, age, school, town, and state on a separate sheet of paper. Also give a brief factual resume of his-her life. Place in an envelope and attach to the back of the poster with gummed tape. DO NOT number the posters nor write names of the students' school or city on the posters.

A committee of judges will be appointed by the Education Director or chairman of contests. One of the judges must be a WCTU member. All decisions of the judges are final.

#### NOONTIDE HOUR OF PRAYER

"It is always noontime somewhere, and across  
The awakening continents from shore to shore  
Somewhere our prayers are arising evermore."  
"Lift up a standard for the people." Isaiah 62:10

#### IN MEMORIAM

**Jeanette (Mrs. Barend H.) Kroeze, 107,** passed away this summer. At the time of her death, she was probably the oldest person in North Dakota. She was the wife of the late Dr. Barend H. Kroeze, pioneer president of Jamestown College.

Born in 1874, Jeanette was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Archibald Douglas Gray of Preston, Minnesota. She and Dr. Kroeze were married there in 1904.

She attended Albert Lea College and the New England Conservatory in Boston, Mass., prior to coming to Jamestown in 1909 when Dr. Kroeze was named the first president of Jamestown College which he held for 37 years. Dr. Kroeze died in 1960.

In 1917 Mrs. Kroeze received a Bachelor of Arts degree from Jamestown College. She also studied with Countess Helen Morsztyn, Gabriel Fenyvess and Jean Ballard in Paris and with Eugene Heffley at the Diller Quaille School in New York. She was a member of the Jamestown College music faculty for 26 years, teaching piano and music history. In 1964 she was awarded an honorary degree, Doctor of Humane Letters, by the college. In 1974 Dr. Kroeze was honored at Jamestown College in observance of her 100th birthday at a program and reception organized by the Jamestown College Students Association.

Mrs. Kroeze's interests were many, including music, art, national affairs, politics, and world travel. Her numerous trips took her to Europe several times, to Africa, South America, the Orient, and around the world on extensive tours twice. She was a member of the National Federation of Music Clubs and served several years as state president of the North Dakota Music Federation as well as on the national board. She was a member of Chapter K, P.E.O. Sisterhood; she had been active in the American Association of University Women, the Wednesday Club, and the Jamestown College Faculty Club. She was also a member of the United Presbyterian Church and the Lydia Wanner WCTU of Jamestown.

Survivors include a son, Robert, of Kalispell, Montana and three grandchildren.

#### Did you know:

1. that one-third of all babies born in this country each year are offsprings of unwed mothers, age 17 or younger?

2. that nearly 50 percent of teenage crimes have alcohol in the background?

**HIGHLIGHTS****107th Annual Convention**

**National Woman's Christian Temperance Union  
Calvin College Grand Rapids, Michigan  
August 27-31, 1981**

**Tuesday - Wednesday - Thursday**

The Official Board, Executive Committee and Department Directors met in pre-planning sessions Tuesday evening, Wednesday and Thursday mornings in programming discussions and other National organization business.

**Thursday Afternoon:**

Following the traditional Praise and Worship service in early afternoon Thursday the convention was called to order at 2:45 p.m. Following the roll call of states, convention program approval, and recommendations from the Executive Committee, a publications panel was presented on "The WCTU Word."

An inspiring Memorial Service closed the afternoon session.

**Thursday Evening:**

Mrs. Kermit S. Edgar presented her first presidential address entitled, "The WCTU Today."

The main thrust of Mrs. Edgar's address was that the atmosphere of our nation today is just right for our organization, and the message we are striving to put across - that alcoholic beverages, other drugs and tobacco are poisons which stifle lives not enrich them.

Following the President's address, for which she was given a thunderous ovation, a lovely reception, with the Michigan WCTU as hostess, closed the evening. (The President's address will be in the September issue of the Union Signal.)

**Friday:**

Miss Juanita M. Whistler addressed the morning session on "The Unused Treasure," (to be published in the October Union Signal) presented her annual report, awards, and later announced a Union Signal Scripion contest entitled "Union Signal Sold."

A Directors Panel entitled "Golden Opportunities" included reports by Miss Ethel Riddle, Education, Miss Merry Lee Christy, Projection Methods.

Public Relations Counsel, Michael Vitucci addressed the assembly on "Just What is Public Relations."

Convention delegates heard Mrs. Margaret A. Gee speak on "A Garden of Treasures." (To be published in a later issue.)

The Union's Executive Director of the Y.T.C., Cheryl Haggard, addressed the congregation on "Walking Together with Christ," and L.T.L. Executive Director Frances L. Bateman spoke on "Precious Treasures." (Both addresses will be published in the October Union Signal.)

Friday afternoon's sessions were closed with a Director Panel entitled "Rubies of Hope" which in-

cluded reports by Mrs. Harlan Shadow, Christian Outreach; Mrs. R.G. Pierce, Citizenship; and Mrs. S.R. Clark, Social Services.

Department conferences concluded the afternoon activities.

**Friday Evening:**

Friday evening was devoted to reports on the past years accomplishments of the various state WCTU's given by their Presidents.

**Saturday:**

The day began with early morning Prayer Time. Convention sessions got under way with a Director's Panel entitled "Emeralds of Trust," which included reports by Mrs. Evard Dickerson, Public Relations, and Mrs. Ella Peck, Legislation.

Legislative Correspondent, Mrs. Herman Stanley addressed the assemblage on "Guards on Duty."

An excellent L.T.L. demonstration entitled "Precious Treasures On Parade" directed by Mrs. Frank Deaver, Michigan L.T.L. Executive Director and Miss Frances L. Bateman, National L.T.L. Executive Director, concluded Saturday mornings sessions.

Saturday afternoon's session opened up with a charming White Ribbon Recruit service with the white ribbon being tied on to the wrists of two delightful youngsters - Joseph, 17 months old and Keith, three years old, children of Rev. and Mrs. Randy Reed.

Mrs. Robert Fortner, former National Director of Home Protection, addressed the group on the Tots For Temperance program.

William Plymat, Executive Director of American Council on Alcohol Problems, discussed the status of two important bills in Congress of interest to the National WCTU, the Brown Bill concerning the deduction of advertising as a deductible expense by alcoholic beverage producers and a bill concerning placing of a Warning Label on bottles and cans of alcoholic beverages.

Afterwards Dr. Diane Reed, representative to the U.S. Mission at the United Nations, reported on the nature and importance of her work.

The afternoon was concluded with Department conferences.

Youth Night on Saturday evening is always extremely popular and this years program was no exception. Cooper McClausen, Postmaster of Grand Rapids, was on hand to present a paper weight, displaying the Postal Services new Alcoholism Stamp, for the WCTU museum in Evanston, Illinois. The new year's National YTC Officers and Directors were presented by Cheryl Haggard. The main focus of the evening was an exceptional address by Duane Cuthbertson, psychologist, author, and radio broadcaster, on the direction of our youth.

Following the Youth program, John Potter of Grand Rapids, presented a classical organ recital on the Zondervan Memorial pipe organ, with an interesting explanation of the huge instrument. The

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YTC'er enjoyed a "pizza party" of their own till midnight.

**Sunday:**

Sunday services opened with the Matron's Speech Contest, three well delivered Scripture passages inspired the congregation before the Worship service. The contestants were Rosalita Leonard of Illinois, Irene Morse of Minnesota, and Gladys Lucas of California South. The winner of the diamond pin was Rosalita Leonard, for her rendition of Psalms 8, 14 and 121. The Sunday sermon was delivered by Rev. Luther Ratmeyer, Pastor of Fifth Reformed Church, Grand Rapids.

The highlight of the Sunday afternoon session was the Inter-collegiate Oratorical Contest. The contestants were William Burge, Long Beach, California, representing California South, Richard Rosenthal, Berkeley California, representing California North and Harry Strausser, Elysburg, Pennsylvania representing Pennsylvania. The contestants were well prepared and all delivered their orations with finesse. The winners were: First place, William Burge; Second, Harry Strausser; Third Richard Rosenthal.

Sunday evening's program at the National WCTU Convention is World Night. This year the main speaker was Dr. Diane Reed, World WCTU representative in consultative status to the United Nations, who spoke on the activities of her post.

World Officers and Directors were introduced. The Light Line service closed the Sunday evening session.

**Monday:**

The morning session included elections of the Promotion Secretary and Recording Secretary for two year terms. Miss Juanita Whistler and Mrs. James Hatfield were re-elected respectively.

Resolutions for the coming year were adopted and invitations were accepted for conventions in 1982 and 1983.

The Honorary Members were introduced to the convention and Joe Nelson of California North presented a MOTA pin (Men Organized for Total Abstinence) to Mrs. Edgar, for display in the Willard House Museum.

The convention's closing banquet was held Monday evening with Dr. Kenneth G. Smith, Pastor Covenant Fellowship Reformed Presbyterian Church of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania as the dinner speaker. The courtesies were given by Mrs. Kermit S. Edgar.

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**UNION AWARDS AND GOALS**

**Advance Union:** Each Union reported to have sent dues to their state treasurer for "every living resident member" AFTER September 1st and BEFORE November 30th. Star Certificate.

**Holdfast Union:** Each Union that collects dues for "every resident member" by January 1, 1982. National Holdfast Union Certificate.

**Steadfast Union:** Each Union reporting the "same number of members as last year" by January 1, 1982. National Steadfast Union Certificate.

**Fruitful Union:** Each Union reporting a net gain in membership by September 30, 1982. National Fruitful Union Certificate.

**Pilot Union:** Each Union reporting a 10 percent increase in membership by September 30, 1982. Award: \$5.00 toward expense of local president to the state convention.

**Pacemaker Union:** Each Union reporting a 20 percent increase in membership by September 30, 1982. Award: \$10.00 toward expense of local president to the state convention.

**Vanguard Union:** Goals to be reached by June 30:

1. Membership - dues sent to state
    - Net gain in active members
    - Honorary members
  2. Organizations - qualify of 2
    - White Ribbon Recruit Service
    - Sponsor YTC
    - Sponsor LTL
    - Five Friendship LTL members receiving Young Crusader
    - Memorize and repeat WCTU Pledge at each meeting.
  3. Funds - do not include dues:
    - National Funds -
      - Willard - \$3.00
      - Stevens - \$3.00
      - Light Line Union - \$11.90
    - State Funds -
      - State Budget or pledge
      - WCTU Booth at NDEA (Education)
      - White Ribbon Bulletin
  4. Publications - choose one plan
    - Union Signal (at least 5)
    - Union Signal and Young Crusader - (at least 3 each)
  5. Program - Required:
    - Nine regular meetings
    - Use Program Planner materials
- Qualify on 2:
- Institute (3 Departments presented)
  - Prayer breakfast
  - Legislative breakfast
  - Public meeting sponsored by WCTU
  - Completed 3 projects. Name them.

Award: Certificate of Honor; Union Signal; Program Kit.

## NEW WCTU QUIZ

Multiple Choice - Circle Answer. Each correct answer is given 10 points. Score 70 for certificate.

1. The Woman's Christian Temperance Union traces its beginning to:
  - a. Woman's Suffrage
  - b. Woman's Crusades
  - c. Woman's Movement
2. Where was the National WCTU organized?
  - a. Boston, Massachusetts
  - b. Chautauqua, New York
  - c. Cleveland, Ohio
3. The National WCTU was organized in which year?
  - a. 1776
  - b. 1873
  - c. 1874
4. The first president was:
  - a. Annie Wittenmeyer
  - b. Frances Willard
  - c. Anna Gordon
5. This organization is for:
  - a. Women
  - b. Children
  - c. Family
6. The emblem of this organization is:
  - a. Daisy
  - b. Carnation
  - c. White Ribbon bow-knot
7. There are how many departments?
  - a. Six
  - b. Eight
  - c. Twelve
8. The highest award a local Union may attain is:
  - a. Advance
  - b. Holdfast
  - c. Vanguard
9. The Light Line is \_\_\_\_\_ work:
  - a. Organization
  - b. Missionary
  - c. Promotion
10. Mrs. Herman Stanley is which president?
  - a. Tenth
  - b. Twelfth
  - c. Fourteenth

## PRAYER HAS POWER

I stood alone, apart from all the world, discouraged and afraid.

I'd lost my way and, groping in the darkness, uttered, oh, so faintly, just one fervent plea.

"O Lord, send help. Give to my heart the courage and the faith I so much need.

Take away all doubt and fear, and in its place O give me trust and childlike faith, Dear Lord, in Thee."

He heard my prayer. He knew my sin-sick heart was much in need of help.

He gave me strength and courage and new faith;

ABUNDANT TREASURES  
UNION SIGNAL GOLD

A contest for N-E-W Subscriptions to  
The Union Signal ONLY!

## Rules:

1. Contest on membership - state vs. state(s).
2. Contest will begin at National Convention and end July 31, 1982 (post-marked).
3. Kick-off at National Convention with special convention price. This contest is for NEW Subscriptions ONLY.

## Convention price

1 year.....	\$ 5.00
3 years.....	14.00
5 years.....	22.50

## Regular price

1 year.....	\$ 6.00
3 years.....	16.50
5 years.....	25.00

4. State Conventions have the same special price but the subscriptions MUST be sent from the convention city. Prices then revert to regular prices as above.

5. When a person gives out-of-state subscriptions, her state receives the credit.

6. The word "CONTEST" MUST appear on envelope sent to National to be counted.

## AWARDS

1. State contest winners will receive 5 free one-year subscriptions.

2. Any one person sending in a group of 10 NEW subscriptions will have one free one-year subscription to the Union Signal.

3. State with the most NEW Union Signal subscriptions will receive a free registration for the state president to the 1982 National Convention plus TV Fruesta Public Service Announcement Video Tape (\$35.00).

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Remember: You must pay at the Minot State Convention to get the Convention rates for NEW subscribers!! Come prepared!!

He cleansed my heart.  
Again I learned within that hour  
That God is ever near, to comfort and to guide my  
faltering steps, to hear my plea, to understand  
my need, to be my friend.

"I thank Thee, Lord, that prayer has power."

Vivian Foster Falvo