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NORTH DAKOTA'S NINETY-FOURTH STATE CONVENTION OF THE WOMAN'S CHRISTIAN TEMPERANCE UNION

President Mona Holt and the other general officers of the North Dakota Woman's Christian Temperance Union join together to announce the 94th Annual Convention. The dates set for the assembly are October 5, 6, and 7, 1983. The site of the assembly will be the Priory at Richardton, N.D. The Priory is located a short distance past the Abbey.

An agreement with the Sisters has resulted in costs for room for two nights and board of six meals will be provided to be \$40.00; one meal and lodging Wednesday night, three meals and lodging Thursday night, and two meals on Friday.

The tentative schedule for the convention follows:

Wednesday Afternoon - October 5

- 2:30.....Registration
- 3:00.....General Officers Meeting
- 3:30.....Official Board Meeting
- 4:00.....Executive Meeting
- 5:30.....Evening Meal
- 7:00.....Prayer and Praise Service
- Directors Hour
- Fruesta

Thursday Morning - October 6

- 8:30.....Prayer Service
- 9:00.....Call To Order
- Business

Friday Morning - October 6

- 9:00.....Convention Reconvenes
- 11:30.....Adjournment Followed by Noon Meal
- Why I Should Attend My State Convention

...To receive spiritual uplift and vision which comes when one is on a mountain top.

...To get away from my own environment and see how other people do things.

...To learn more about department work and how my Union can grow by united effort.

...Because it is MY convention and I ought to be there. No one else can fill my place.

...To encourage my State Officers and others to witness to others.

...To show the liquor interests where I stand.

...To receive the enthusiasm necessary to carry on. This is not possible without a convention.

...To show my interest in my Master's work.

...To add my prayers to those my fellow-workers. "When they had prayed the place was shaken where they were assembled."

-Texas White Ribbon

YTC CAMP REPORT

The twenty-fifth annual encampment of the North Dakota YTC took place at Cooperstown Bible Camp, Cooperstown, N.D. during the week of June 13 - 17, 1983. One of the 36 campers was able to say that she has been to all 25 camp times. One of the younger campers remembered how it was the first time he was at camp. Thus Mrs. Garbness and David Forthun had a great time reminiscing about the "old dining hall", the cabins that were very primitive, the bus rides to Cooperstown for the swimming activity and the way some of the older campers behaved.

Along with the backward focus, there was the usual good time at our YTC Camp again. God provided Jim Ganzer, from Bismarck to help David Forthun with the recreation and counselling. David also taught the Narcotics Class. David's wife, Keela, Cindy Marynik, and Shelley Gangness were the counselors for the girls. Keela taught some of the LTL classes and seemed to be on deck for most of the recreational activities. Shelley taught the art and craft class and helped with the music time that's part of each mealtime as well as the evening activities. Cindy was a part of our camp and also was a worker at the camp. This meant that we had to be extra nice to her. You see, she had the keys to the canteen which was opened twice each day.

Among the veterans who were in attendance was Vivian Trapp. She taught the LTL and helped with the general operation that makes the camp activities move along on schedule. Another veteran on hand was Bertina Evanson. She taught the Christian Living Class and had the Morning Watch. Her presentations were always clearly demonstrated with an object lesson. The Bible truths were well presented and the Lord Jesus was lifted up. We will trust Him to draw the campers unto Himself as the promise is stated in John 12:32. The third responsibility Bertina carried out very ably was the afternoon Bible Study and Prayer Time. We appreciated her leading in this fellowship time as she directed us in the study and in presenting the camp needs to our Great God, WHO IS ABLE.

The YTC Class was structured so that the state Nodak officers had a meeting each day. This

provided experience in parliamentary procedure, and gave further experience in delegating committee assignments and committee appointments. A WCTU lady was with the group for the study lesson each day as well. We hope the young people will use this knowledge and experience first, by organizing a YTC Council and then by attending the monthly meetings in their local area.

The officers and directors took charge of the evening programs after they helped plan the programs. These programs always included devotions. The programs then could feature films, a speaker, and campfire inspiration. The fun part consisted of games, nature hike, stunts, and then the banquet. On this night the Sadie Hawkins rule was applied because there was a shortage of boys this year. The program that followed the banquet included installation of our new officers. They are: President - David Hultin; Vice President - Cody Trapp; Secretary - Tammy Marynik; Christian Living - Monte McCleary; and Social Director - Curtis Waldie. This installation was followed by the crowning of the new Camp King and Camp Queen. These two are: Camp King - David Hultin and Camp Queen - Tammy Marynik.

Before the last campfire was enjoyed, all awards, certificates, and diplomas were awarded. The campfire was joyful with the singing of many choruses and songs that expressed God's greatness, His faithfulness, and His love to each of us. Thank you, WCTU, for providing this "Tender Loving Care".

—Cleo Kulish

Y.T.C. FINANCIAL STATEMENT AS OF 7-1-83

Balance on Hand - January 1, 1983	- \$338.49
January 1 Deposits	\$135.20
June 13 Camp Fee	\$935.50
Gifts	\$200.00
June 16 Savings Withdrawal	\$250.00
Offering	\$38.00
June 17 Y.T.C. Membership Dues	\$5.00
EXPENSES	
June 23 Signal Press	\$41.85
Y.T.C.	\$1.60
July 16 N.D. WCTU Friendship Fund	\$38.00
July 16 Art Supplies and	
Gratuity to Shelly Gangness	\$25.00
July 16 Gratuity to Jim Ganzer	\$10.00
July 17 Camp Rental	\$1,449.75
July 17 N.D. W.C.T.U. and	
Y.T.C. Membership Dues	\$5.00
Balance on Hand - July 1, 1983	- \$330.99

Respectfully Submitted by
Cleo Kulish

Have you heard the recent General Motors radio ad? They take it for granted that we will become drunk, so give this advice to those who drink: "Before you have your first drink - decide how you will go home. By taxi, call a friend, or have one of your group not drink."

VIEWS FROM VIVIAN

Dear North Dakota Members,

It is drawing the time for REPORTS. The report forms in the last White Ribbon Bulletin are due NOW to me and to your DISTRICT PRESIDENT. Check them carefully and send the UNION report to ME. The DISTRICT report is for your District President. Thank you for sending them on time. We all will appreciate them. Then, too, there are the reports for the DEPARTMENTS. Send those reports on time to our State Directors. I have asked that a full directory be included in this issue so you will not have to look for your directory in the Nov.-Dec. 1982 issue.

Begin NOW making plans to become an Advance Union for the new year of 1983-1984. Then you will find that there is ample time to get your dues in to the State Treasurer BY November 30th.

At this writing I have received six names of those who finished the reading course. I do hope there will be many more. Please note that the new 1983-1984 Reading List is on the back page of the Program Planner Manual. There are three pamphlets from two categories included in the Program Planner Packet. That means that you only need to secure three other books or pamphlets in order to qualify for the Reading Award. Let us plan NOW to begin reading. One hundred percent of our members can participate in this project.

Please pray for our youth who graduated from high school this Spring. Some have begun new careers and others will be attending college this fall. Ask God to give direction and purpose to their lives. This is only one more opportunity for each of us to share in winning them for the Lord.

Thank you, also, for keeping your State Officers bathed in prayer and love. Each one of us has times when we need God's help.

Mrs. Lyle Trapp
State Promotion Secretary

WHEN YOU JOIN THE WCTU

YOU help to create safer neighborhoods, fewer drunks to terrorize women and children.

YOU help to make our highways safer. Driving is easier because of safe, courteous, and careful drivers.

YOU lessen the number of alcoholics who often become mental cases, demanding costly care and rehabilitation.

YOU help decrease the number of dependent mothers and children and the number of unwed mothers who made the first misstep under the influence of alcoholic beverages.

YOU help strike a telling blow at organized crime and vice.

YOU help decrease the number of people in jails with attendant cost for public maintenance.

WON'T YOU JOIN US TODAY?

IN MEMORIAM

Redeemed, redeemed,
Redeemed by the blood of the Lamb;
Redeemed, redeemed,
His child, and forever, I am.

Mrs. Gust (Pearl) Steen, 95, passed away May 2, 1983 at a Fargo Hospital. She had lived at the Fargo Nursing Home for several years. She was born January 14, 1888. Pearl was a faithful member of the Fargo Union for 55 years. Temperance work and her church were very important to her. She held membership at Pontoppidan Lutheran Church all her life. In her earlier years she enjoyed crocheting and painting.

He husband died in the 1950's. She is survived by a daughter, Frances Hovi, Fargo; three granddaughters, and five great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Earl (Ruth) Luchsinger, 72, died February 22, 1983. Ruth Witham was born in 1910 near Minot. She received her education and taught school in the Minot area, also. She married Earl Luchsinger in 1933. After her husband retired from farming, they moved to Surrey. She worked in a banking institution in Minot for 11 years.

Mr. Luchsinger died in 1970. Survivors include six sons, two daughters, 26 grandchildren, and 10 great-grandchildren.

Gertrude (Mrs. Neal) Funston, 80, died in a Minneapolis hospital in January. Gertrude Ness was born April 12 at Binford. She grew up there and at Mayville. She taught school at Menoken, Sterling, Mandan, Hurdsville, Hazelton, and Hague. She also worked as a librarian at Wilton and at the State Library in Bismarck. In 1930 she married Neal Funston. They farmed in the McKenzie-Sterling area for many years.

She is survived by her husband, three daughters, five sons, 26 grandchildren, and two great-grandchildren.

Evelyn (Mrs. William) Overby, 98, died June 16, 1983. Evelyn Gjerve was born in Rural Cavalier County December 9, 1894. She married William Overby November 5, 1919. He died in 1979. Evelyn was a very faithful member of the Cavalier Union and the United Lutheran Church there.

Survivors are her daughter Esther Gendreau and sisters, Christine and Myrtle of Langdon.

Della (Mrs. Austin) Pruett, 101, died in July, 1983. In recent years she had been a resident of Manor St. Joseph at Edgeley. Della Purdy was born in Iowa on December 8, 1881. She married Austin Pruett in 1906. Austin died in 1952. She was a strong supporter of the Edgeley Union and remained a Member-at-Large until she was not able. She was also a member of the First Presbyterian Church of Edgeley.

She is survived by three daughters, 11 grandchildren, 29 great-grandchildren, and 6 great-great-grandchildren.

Marion (Mrs. Albert H.) Waa, 74, died in July, 1983. Marion Chamberlain was born in 1908 at San Antonio, Texas. Her family moved to Prosper when she was one year old. She grew up there and attended school in Page. She later attended Valley City State College and taught in rural Prosper schools. Marion married Albert H. Waa in 1930. She later taught in Berlin and Mapleton schools. She also served as assistant postmaster and helped in the family general store at Prosper.

Marion was a beloved member of the Prosper Union and Valley Christian Church of Moorhead.

Marion is survived by her husband, two sons, a daughter, and eight grandchildren.

Pearl L. Eloffson, 77, died in July, 1983. Born in Wheaton, Minn., on September 27, 1905, Pearl graduated from Fergus Falls high school and also attended Moorhead State University and NDSU before teaching at Perley, Minn. After moving to Fargo in 1928, she received her Masters Degree in Science Education. Pearl proceeded to teach 43 years in the Fargo Public School System. She retired in 1971. She was an active participant in the North Dakota Woman's Christian Temperance Union with her membership in the Fargo Union and the North Dakota Retired Teachers Association.

THE LADDER OF SUCCESS

100 percent.....	I Did
90 percent.....	I Will
80 percent.....	I Can
70 percent.....	I Think I Can
60 percent.....	I Might
50 percent.....	I Think I Might
40 percent.....	I Wish I Could
30 percent.....	I Don't Know
20 percent.....	I Don't Know How
10 percent.....	I Can't
0 percent.....	I Won't

It has been said "If you know what narcotic drugs are, their nature, how they affect the human body, brain and character, you are quite likely to avoid them. Knowledge is not sufficient, however. Human nature is always thinking it can play with fire and not be burned.

Hippocrates, father of medicine, 2400 years ago in Greece taught that a prudent life style was the royal road to good health. Modern scientific medicine has failed miserably to usher in a disease-free society.

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According to R.J. Reynolds Tobacco, there are 1.35 million retail outlets for cigarettes in this country. That is an average of 27,000 per state.

A cigarette company will design its packages thirty-five times to get just the right words, colors, and image to sell the product.

TREASURER'S REPORT

DUES:

Women - Belfield 4, Dickey 2.
 Members-At-Large - 4.
 L.T.L. - Dickey 5.
LILLIAN STEVENS FUND: Belfield \$3.00.
FRANCES WILLARD FUND: Belfield \$3.00.
STATE REPORTS: Belfield \$3.00 (1), Cavalier \$5.00 (1).

LIGHT LINE: Dickey, Prosper.
WHITE RIBBON BULLETIN: Cavalier \$10.00.
DISTRICT PLEDGES: Bismarck District \$25.00, Fargo District \$25.00, Grand Forks District \$25.00.
Y.T.C. CAMP: Fargo District \$25.00, Grand Forks District \$35.00, Langdon \$20.00.
N.D.E.A. BOOTH: Langdon \$5.00, Dickey \$5.00, Langdon \$15.00.

MEMORIALS: \$10.00 in memory of Lena Carlson by Mrs. Elmer Dick, \$5.00 in memory of Amanda Skonnord by Mrs. Lyle Trapp, \$5.00 in memory of Pearl Steen by Fargo Union, \$5.00 in memory of Thomas Fleming by Mrs. Lyle Trapp, \$5.00 in memory of Ordin Besheim by Mrs. Lyle Trapp.

Respectfully Submitted
 Mrs. Oscar Johnson, Treasurer

TOTAL MEMBERSHIP: From September 1, 1982 to June 5, 1983 - Women 330, Men 96.

PRAYER

Now I sit me down to school
 Where praying is against the rule.
 For this nation under God
 Finds public mention of Him odd.

Any prayer a class recites
 Now violates the Bill of Rights
 Any time my head I bow
 Becomes a Federal matter now.

Teach us of stars, pole and equator
 But make no mention of their creator
 Tell of experts in Denmark and Sweden
 But no word of what Eve did in Eden.

The law is specific, the law is precise;
 Praying out loud in not longer nice.
 Praying out loud in a public hall
 Upsets believers in nothing at all.

--(?)

CHRISTIAN OUTREACH
 --Mrs. Everett Johnson

FOUR THINGS GOD DOES NOT KNOW...

1. A sin He does not hate
2. A sinner He does not love
3. A better plan for salvation
4. A better time to be saved than NOW.

NOONTIDE HOUR OF PRAYER

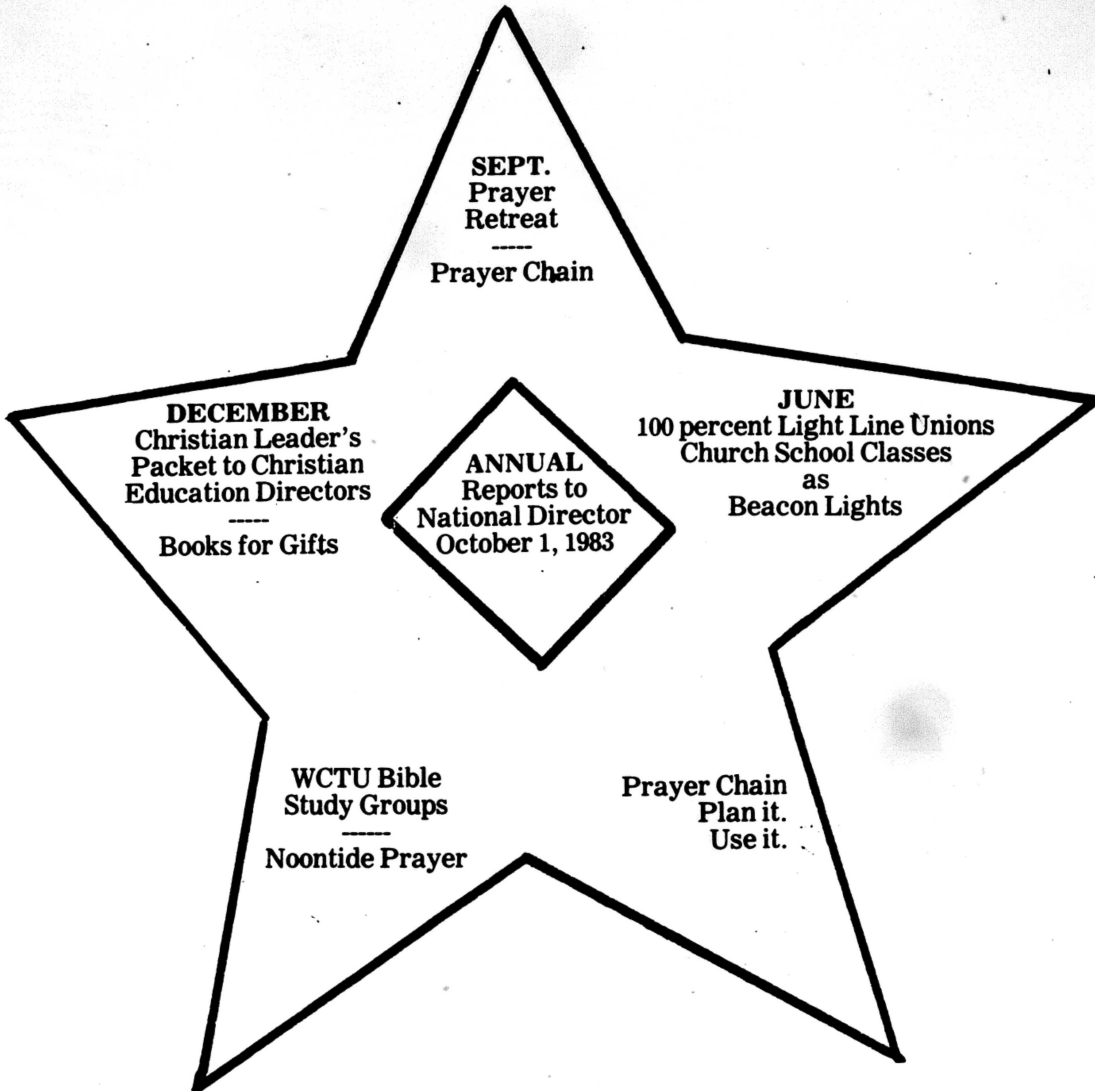
"It is always noontime somewhere, and across
 The awakening continents from shore to shore
 Somewhere our prayers are arising evermore."
 "Lift up a standard for the people." Isaiah 62:10

1983 - 1984 READING LIST

ALCOHOL	
Alcohol At The Wheel (1981 Revision)	\$.60
Alcohol - Invasion Upstairs	5.95
Bible Wines or Laws of Fermentation	3.00
*Scripturally Speaking - What About Wine	.25
What About Beer?	.50
Alcohol, The Beloved Enemy-Paper Edition	4.95
*Fetal Alcohol Syndrome	1.25
NARCOTICS	
Marijuana	4.95
Children and Drugs	.50
Marijuana Maze	1.75
Only Dopes Use Drugs	1.50
Marijuana - Current Perspectives	.50
My Child On Drugs?	3.50
RELIGIOUS	
Christian's Secret of a Happy Life	5.95
Great Women of Faith	2.95
The Little Woman	2.95
This Day Is The Lord's	2.75
Don't Wrestle, Just Nestle	7.95
Have You Felt Like Giving Up Lately?	4.95
Faith, Hope and Love	5.95
SOCIAL CONCERNS	
Lefty	2.50
Compulsive Gambling	.50
Reflections Of The WCTU	.50
Acorn People	4.95
The Porn Plague	5.95
Kathy	2.50
Denise	2.95
TOBACCO	
Cigarettes - No. 1 Pollutant	1.95
Smoking - A Habit That Should Be Broken	.50
*Teens and Smoking	.50
The Scientific Case Against Smoking	4.95
Battle to Breathe	1.00

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In 1982, one issue of a woman's magazine had 19 full pages of cigarette advertising.



PROJECTION METHODS

--Mrs. Elmer Dick

AUTUMN SPLASH

- 3 - 32 oz. bottles cranberry juice
- 2 - 46 oz. cans pineapple juice
- 4 - 6 oz. cans lemonade concentrate
- 6 cups cold water

Have above well chilled. Add 3 - 28 oz. bottles Ginger ale, well chilled, just before serving. Makes 79 - 4 ounce servings.

RUMAKI

- 20 oz. can pineapple chunks
- 7 oz. can water chestnuts, sliced
- MARINATE in 1/2 cup soy sauce
- 1 clove garlic, minced
- 1/4 cup pineapple juice

WRAP 1/2 slice bacon around a pineapple chunk and a water chestnut slice. Secure with a wooden pick. 30 MINUTES before serving, roll each in BROWN

SUGAR. Broil 4" from heat source - 3 minutes on each side.

LAZY TURTLES

- 6 oz. butterscotch chips
- 2 tablespoons butter
- 1/2 cup sweetened condensed milk
- MELT over low heat.
- STIR IN 2 tablespoons white vinegar
- DROP by half-teaspoons on waxed paper on baking sheets.
- ARRANGE 3 pecan halves on butterscotch drop for head and legs.
- MELT OVER HOT WATER: the remainder of a 14 ounce can of sweetened condensed milk, 11 - 12 ounces milk chocolate chips, 2 tablespoons butter, and 1 teaspoon vanilla. Mix well. Drop a heaping teaspoon of chocolate mixture over each turtle. Chill 2 hours. Store loosely covered at room temperature. Make 5 dozen.