STATE PROMOTION DIRECTOR'S REPORT

Dear Co-workers,

Happy New Year and may God bless you each one and make this year of 1990 the best by working faithfully for our Lord. As the motto for the James Valley District says, “The Work is God’s, Success is Sure.”

The book that was earned and sent out as an award for the readers, “The Rebirth of America”, can be counted as a Social Concern book. The National promotion secretary decided this because of popular demand.

Our challenge for this year is for each local union to organize an Iota Sigma Union. The reason for this challenge is that we must reach the business and professional women and young mothers of today with our message. With all the public interest in the matter of alcohol and other drugs, now as never before we have the opportunity to reach out to the concerned with our message of total abstinence. (Taken from National Promotion Secretary letter).

This morning I heard on the news that alcohol kills more people than all the other drugs. We are happy that the world is starting to recognize this. This has been the WCTU message for years. We must pray and work harder.

I've received the Advance Reports. Thank you, for being faithful. The Builder Union reports will be due February 15th. This is all dues being paid by January 1st, equal to last year's membership.

My report is due to National Promotion Secretary February 15th.

The leadership training school for 1990 will be April 16-22 at National WCTU Headquarters in Chicago. If interested let me know.

Yours in Service,
Vivian Trapp
State Promotion Director

CHRISTIAN OUTREACH

“Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works and glorify your Father which is in heaven.”

-Matthew 5:16 KJV

Greetings in Jesus’ name to each and everyone. Our theme this year is Matthew 5:16: “Let your light so shine before men that they may see your good works and glorify your Father which is in Heaven.”
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ATTENTION WHITE RIBBON BULLETIN READERS:
Please keep this copy of District Presidents and Department officers as they won't be printed in any other issues this year.
If any phone numbers or addresses are wrong, please let me know.

—Marion Bartle
TREASURER’S REPORT
November 5, 1989 to January 5, 1990

DUES:
Women- Bismarck 22, Dickey 13, Fargo 22,
Dickinson 7, West Lisbon 19, Marion 13, Max-
Benedict 13, Minot 21, Jamestown 9, Northwood
21, Steele 13.
Members at Large- 23
Honorary Men- Bismarck 9, Dickey 8, Fargo 1,
Jamestown 2, West Lisbon 4, Dickinson 2, Marion
9, Max-Benedict 6, Northwood 7, At Large 13,
Minot 8.

LILLIAN STEVENS FUND- Bismarck $5.00, Dick-
inson $5.00, Jamestown $3.00, Northwood $5.00,
Minot $5.00, Steele $3.00.

FRANCES WILLARD FUND- Bismarck $5.00,
Dickinson $5.00, Jamestown $3.00, Northwood
$5.00, Steele $3.00.

STATE REPORTS- Bismarck $11.00 (2), Dickin-
son $5.00, Jamestown $5.00, Minot $4.00, Steele
$5.00.

LIGHT LINE- Bismarck, Minot, Steele.

WHITE RIBBON BULLETIN- Bismarck $20.00,
Dickinson $5.00, Jamestown $5.00, Minot $20.00,
Steele $9.00.

YTC CAMP- Bismarck $25.00, Fargo $15.00
NDEA- Bismarck $10.00, Dickinson $5.00, James-
town $10.00, Minot $10.00, Prosper $10.00.

WORLD FRIENDSHIP- Minot $11.00

GIFT- North Prairie ELCW- $30.00

MEMORIALS- $2.00 in memory of Carl Nelson by
Jake and Dorothy Steffen; $2.00 in memory of Anna
Jensen by Jake and Dorothy Steffen; $5.00 in
memory of Anna Jensen by Lila Fannik; $5.00 in
memory of John Semmen by Lila Fannik; $5.00 in
memory of Fenice Velchenko by Fred and Cleo
Kulish; $10.00 in memory of Ralph Offner by Rena
B. Offner; $5.00 in memory of Louise Kreuger by
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Kulish; $5.00 in memory of Chester Webb by Mrs.
Gilbert F. Johnson; $5.00 in memory of Leonart
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of Mike Kulish by Fred and Cleo Kulish; $5.00 in
memory of Ralph Offner by Jake and Dorothy
Steffen.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Oscar Johnson (Treas.)
Total Membership from September 1, 1989 to

NOONTIDE HOUR OF PRAYER

“IT is always noontime somewhere, and across
The awakening continents from shore to shore
Somewhere our prayers are arising evermore.”

IN MEMORIAM

“There is only a curtain between us,
Between the beyond and the here;
They whom we call dead have not left us —
Nay, they were never so near.”

author unknown

John Semmen
Mr. Semmen was born September 26, 1914, in
Rice Lake Township of Ward County near Douglass.
He was raised in the Douglas area and married
Annie L. Haugen January 28, 1942, at Sidney,
Mont. They farmed in Ward County, near Douglas,
until moving into Minot in 1986.
He was a clerk of the Cameron Township board
and longtime member of the Douglas Methodist
Church where she was a trustee. In Minot he was a
member of Our Redeemer’s Lutheran Church.
Survivors include his wife; three sons, Delmer of
Minot; Russell of Ryder, Dale of Douglas; 13
grandchildren; one great-grandchild; one brother,
Carl Semmen of Minot.

Anna Jensen
Anna Nellie was born December 25, 1910, at
Sweet Briar, McKenzie County, to Alex and Sanna
Sanko and was reared in the Grassy Butte area.
She married Pete Dassenko at Watford City,
October 31, 1931, and they lived in the Grassy Butte
area. He preceded her in death. She moved to Minot
in 1948 where she married Aaron Novlesky, October
19, 1972. He died December 10, 1976. She was
married to Robert Jensen.
For several years she was employed in Minot at
Oppen’s Grocer and Meat Market and for a time by
the John Moses Regional Air Force Hospital. She
later was a domestic in private homes in Minot
until she retired in 1972. She had lived in Sawyer
since May 1976.
She was a member of the Nazarene Church at
Sawyer and was active in the church circle. She
was also a member of the WCTU group at Benedict,
the Senior Citizens of Sawyer and Velva, and the
Sawyer Homemakers.
Survivors: son, Peter Dassenko, Minot; daugh-
ters, Evelyn Fiedler, Minot, Florence Breeding,
Albuquerque, N.M., Christine Strilcoff, Missoula,
MT; eight grandchildren, two great-grandchild-
ren; brother Sam Sanko, Watford City.

Dr. S. P. Roehl
We extend sincere sympathy to Mrs. Phyllis
Roehl in the recent loss of her husband, Dr. S. P.
Roehl.

NEW ADDRESS:
Don and Thelma Klingensmith are spending the
winter months in California. Should you want to
drop them a card or letter their new address is:
Don and Thelma Klingensmith, in-care-of U.S.
Center of World Missions, 1605 Elizabeth St.,
Pasadena, CA 91104.
SPRING AHEAD FOR YTE WEEK — APRIL 22-28, 1990

"Be Cool Like Me! Be Drug Free" inserts

(There is something new in the offering for this year!
We are experimenting with an activity sheet for primary
and intermediate age children which will have just a black
and white front page and activities on page 2. The youth-adult
insert will be in full color as in the past and will feature facts
on "ice", other drugs such as alcohol and cocaine, etc.

Prices to come)
Catalog number K-3 Primary
Catalog number 1316 Intermediate
Catalog number 1296 Youth-Adult

—O—
Be Cool Like Me! Be Drug Free posters - Cat no. 906
100 for $19.80; 50 for $11.25; 25 for $6.60 plus p & h

Pete the Penguin is featured in an Artic motif with soft drink
in hand, being cool with his sunshades.
This is a clever, cute, colorful
poster which will appeal to all ages.

—O—

Back by popular demand are the following posters and prices:
Fastest Killer in the West posters - Cat no. P47 (tobacco)
Beer is a Bust Cat no. P52 (alcohol)
100 for $18.00; 50 for $10.20; 25 for $6.00

—O—
Don't Be Chicken- Cat. no. 928
Drugs Are A Fool's Gold - Cat. no. 910
No Laughing Matter - Cat. no. 922
User is the Loser - Cat. no. 924
100 for $21.60; 50 for $12.25; 25 for $6.50

(remember these posters are in five or more colors)

—O—
Stop Now! Don't Be Hooked- Cat. no. 908
100 for $19.80; 50 for $11.25; 25 for $6.60

(This new poster is an attention-grabber, with soft colors,
and covers the subjects of alcohol, drugs and cigarettes.
Serious approach to these items covered.)

—O—
Don't Be Deluded - Cat. no. P75
100 for $24.00; 50 for $14.00; 25 for $8.00

(filled with little scenes of the destructive nature of alcohol)

—O—
Remember - Alcohol Is Not The Fountain Of Youth - Cat no. 973
100 for $11.00; 50 for $6.30; 25 for $3.50

(realistic black and white most effective poster)
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$8.00 per year. The Young Crusader was increased to $3.00 per
year. If you would like to subscribe to these publications write to
the Signal Press at the address given above.

MARION'S MEMOS
CONTINUED FROM NOVEMBER-DECEMBER
ISSUE OF THE WHITE RIBBON BULLETIN
(This is a continuation of Marion's report on the
100th state convention.)

We thank all who had a part in the program, and
bless you who took time from busy schedules to be
with us.

If I have forgotten to mention some activity or
someone who had a part, do forgive me. You have
my sincere thanks and those of all state officers.

We missed our dear vice president Lila Fannik
who could not attend because of an injured ankle.

Bobbie we missed you! We were so sorry due to her
illness that Mrs. McCoy and Rev. McCoy were not
able to be with us. We missed you Lillian and Rev.

If you were not there you missed a wonderful
time, filled with blessings from our Lord. Some
times circumstances prevent us from doing what
we would like to.

Lillian Kraft we give you a special thanks. You
are great as an organizer of special occasions.
Thelma brought us pertinent things in regards to
legislation and bills of concern to us. Karen and
Verna do a great job keeping us informed of
legislative matters. Thelma closed our 100th
convention with a heartfelt prayer.

Before departure a fruesta was served, refresh-
ing punch by West Lisbon ladies and goodies from
Jamestown ladies. Thank you. Yes, thank you one
and all!

In closing I quote—

God bless thy year,
Thy coming in, and thy going out.
Thy rest, thy traveling about,
The rough, the smooth,
The bright, the drear;
God bless thy year.

Most Sincerely
Marion

P.S. This is rather long, but I thought our 100th
Convention needed to be reported on.

KLEIH-ECKLUND MARRIED

On Saturday, November 18, 1989, Audrey F. Klei-
and Carl Walter Ecklund were united in marriage.
The lovely ceremony took place in the Charity
Lutheran Church, Bismarck, ND.

We extend our sincere good wishes to the couple
for a long and happy marriage.

Audrey is President of the Bismarck Woman's
Christian Temperance Union. We are sure Carl is
an honorary member.

The happy couple is at home at 311 West Avenue
F., Bismarck, ND 58501.