

ENROLLMENT TOPS LAST SUMMER'S FIGURE BY 18

President Bieber's Message to Union



D. J. Bieber

It was with a deep sense of humility that Mrs. Bieber and I accepted the call to return to Union College, this time not as students but in administrative capacity. We are returning to Union because of our sincere belief that God leads His people in paths according to His divine will. We have learned to trust God as we have endeavored to serve in various fields in the homeland and abroad. It is also our sincere love for Union and the people comprising its constituency that has prompted us in this decision.

In preparing for the move from California to our home in the great Midwest we found buried in the old trunks and boxes copies of the commencement editions of the CLOCK TOWER of years gone by. As we viewed the pictorial memories of "good old Union" days we were reminded anew of the many hundreds of friends, classmates, and other youth of the great Midwest who have left Union and are now carrying positions of responsibility throughout the world field. God has surely blessed the products of Union College.

Now as the days of administrative work at Union lie ahead, Mrs. Bieber and I wish to pledge our all to the upholding and the promoting of the traditional high standards of Union College. The high standards—academically, socially, and spiritually—of Union are not the result of accident, but have come into being because of farsighted visions and consecrated efforts of former administrators, board members, staff members, and thousands of students and patrons. It is because of this that we greatly sense the responsibility of our task, and, hence, our pledge. It is our desire to unite our efforts with the staff and students in the continuation of a harmonious program of living and learning together.

I wish to appeal to prospective students to prayerfully consider your future and, if God so directs, to join the hundreds of young men and women currently enrolled at Union College. A good staff and a friendly student body will be on hand to welcome you next fall. We shall plan and work together to make Union still a bigger and better college. We shall together implement the great Divine pattern for Christian education on this, your college, campus.

The college will always welcome constructive and helpful suggestions from alumni, students, and friends. May God richly bless us all as we humbly unite our efforts in the Master's Service.

Committees Elected for School Year

The religious life committee for the coming school year consists of four upper division students and one student representing the lower division classes. Noretta Upchurch, Ann Whitsett, Leonard Weaver and Joe Fletcher are the upper division students and Ernestine Garbutt is the one student representing the freshman and sophomore classes.

The traffic court for next year has two representatives from each of the two dormitories and one from the village. George Carlsen and Glen Larson represent the men from South hall, Phyllis Hein and Shirley Frick are the representative ladies from North hall. Jim Hagerman is the one village student on this court.

The school year '57-58 has a music productions committee which is composed of Marionna Betts of the junior and senior classes. Gwen Bascom and Jim Wilmot of the lower division classes complete this newly instituted committees.

The social committee is predominately underclassmen. Roma Swan, Linda Hayman, Sally Satturley and Tom Bringle constitute the lower division group, and Wally Specht represents the advanced students.

The recreational committee consists of 6 members. Fred Morris, (Continued on page 2)

Minchin Is President of Seminary Class

Gerald H. Minchin, '32, was president of the class receiving degrees from the Seventh-day Adventist Theological Seminary in Washington, D.C. on May 23. Mr. Minchin received the degree of Bachelor of Divinity. Other Union graduates receiving degrees (Master of Arts) at the same service were J. Franklin Ashlock, '43, Practical Theology; Beresford Michael Blaine, '55, Biblical Greek; Avery Gardner Dick, '38, Archaeology and History of Antiquity; and Clarence Renschler, '40, Bible and Systematic Theology.

The Commencement address was given by Elder H. L. Rudy, vice-president of the General Conference. The degrees were conferred by President Ernest D. Dick of the Seminary. Dr. W. H. Beaven, former staff member at Union, gave the benediction.

Thompson to Be New Principal of Elementary School

Gerry E. Thompson, class of '51, was recently elected principal of the elementary school on the Union College campus to fill the place left by Mr. Robert Wagner, who will be director of teacher-training at SWJC at Keene, Texas, next year. Mr. Thompson graduated



Gerry E. Thompson

from Union College with a B.S. in education and is currently finishing the requirements for a Master's degree in school administration at the University of Colorado.

Prior to his election to the Union College staff, Mr. Thompson was principal of the St. Louis Junior Academy for three years. Mrs. Thompson is the former Eunice Guptill, who has also attended Union College. Mr. Thompson will take up his new duties August 1.

Still Time to Get to Biology Camp



Collecting plant specimens for Nature Education 71 at Union College Biological Station, Glacier View Camp, Colorado.

There is NO time to waste if you intend to register for a college course which will combine learning with camping. If you hurry, you may still be able to make the necessary arrangements before the camp dates of August 8 to 28. Here are the courses you have to choose from. No science background is necessary.

Nature Education 71 This is a lower division course in the collection and identification of plants and insects. This is a practical course for teachers, young peoples' leaders, and those interested in nature as a hobby.

Beginning Mineralogy 85 Do you want to know more about the rocks? This lower division course is designed to introduce you to this absorbing subject.

Field Nature 117 This is an upper division course which is concerned with the characteristics of plant families and in-

Portraits Are Given for Union's Halls

Three portraits were presented to Union College by the seniors of '57 as a feature of their class night program on Saturday evening, June 1. A portrait of Miss Pearl L. Rees will be hung in the new women's residence hall under construction now. Portraits of Professor Carl C. Engel, former head of the music department at Union College, and Dr. Guy C. Jorgenson, head of Union's chemistry department for many years, will be hung in Engel and Jorgenson Halls respectively.

The portraits will be done in oil, framed, and will be 20 by 26 inches. Mr. Duane Huey, president of the Senior Class, made the presentation; and President Hartman responded in behalf of the faculty and college.

Elementary School to Be Completed September 1

The new elementary school will be finished and ready for use by September 1. Work on the partially completed building will be resumed soon.

When the new structure is completed all classes of the elementary school will meet there and the old building vacated. Two classes met in the new building last semester.

Enrollment for the summer session of nine weeks shows an increase of 18 over the total enrollment of last year for both sessions. The enrollment as of Friday, June 14, was 240 for the nine-week session. Thirty-three of these enrollees are full-time workers here on campus who are taking night classes only.

Nebraska again leads the states with 75 enrolled as compared with 49 last year. Iowa with 19 registrants and Colorado with 17 are next in line. The summer school students here for this session represent 21 states and 8 foreign countries. The enrollment figure includes 51 nursing students on the Denver campus, which is approximately the same as that of last year.

Several different courses are offered this summer, including such classes as Playground Activities, American Frontier, American History, Early and Latter Prophets, Ancestry of the Bible, Tests and Measurements, Survey of Biology, and Methods in Religion and Social Studies.

The departments in which courses are being offered and the teachers for each are as follows: Biology, Mr. Rowland and Mr. Page; Chemistry, Mr. Engel; Education, Dr. Cadwallader, Mrs. Cadwallader, Miss Reid, Mr. George, Miss Schander, Mrs. Swart; English, Miss Shull and Dr. Reinmuth; History, Dr. Nelson and Mr. Johnson; Language, Dr. Reinmuth; Music, Miss Christensen, Mr.

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LINCOLN EVANGELIZED BY PASTORS

Evangelistic tent meetings are being held this summer in three locations by Lincoln's three pastors.

Elder Pedersen preached during the first series which closed last Sunday night. The tent was located at 54th and Colby.

Elder W. K. Chapman, pastor of the city church, begins his series of meetings June 23 for North Lincoln. The tent will be at 12th and Belmont. He will close the meetings July 7. Elder Deming's meetings will run from July 14-28 with the tent pitched near "penny bridge."

The evangelistic meetings for Lincoln are the cooperated effort of Lincoln pastors assisted by Robert Beck and Harold Heath who are taking the course in Field Evangelism this summer.

The Union College family expresses its sympathy to Mrs. Autumn Miller, assistant professor of education, for the recent loss of her husband, Herman Miller. We share with you, Mrs. Miller, the urgent hope for the soon coming of Jesus Christ.

CALENDAR

- Saturday, June 22**
 - 9:45 a.m. Sabbath School
 - 11:00 a.m. Communion Service
 - 2:00 p.m. MV Activity Bands
 - 7:32 p.m. Sundown Vespers
 - 8:30 p.m. Pathfinder Benefit Film
- Monday, June 24**
 - 10:45 a.m. Chapel, G. C. Williamson
- Friday, June 28**
 - 8:00 p.m. Vespers
- Saturday, June 29**
 - 8:30 a.m. First church, Elder M. W. Deming
 - 9:45 a.m. Sabbath School
 - 11:00 a.m. Second church, Elder M. W. Deming
 - 2:00 p.m. MV Activity Bands
 - 7:34 p.m. Sundown Vespers
 - 8:30 p.m. Miniature Golf
- Monday, July 1**
 - 10:45 a.m. Chapel, Dr. H. Reinmuth
- Thursday and Friday, July 4 and 5**
 - No classes

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College View Church to Practice Evacuation

Sabbath services will be broken up on Civil Defense Sabbath during the summer. A practice evacuation of the church will end the two church services and also the Sabbath School one day this summer.

The deacons with Chairman C. W. Sorenson are planning the details of the practice in cooperation with the civil defense committee of the church whose chairman is Miss Alice Smith.

The evacuation rehearsal would be especially valuable if the church should catch fire during a service.

Teachers Study During Summer

Ten staff members of Union College will complete or continue work on doctorates this summer and next year, according to information released by Dean E. B. Ogden. Leaves of absence have also been granted to seven others for work on Master's degrees.

R. E. Firth, business department head, will continue his studies at the University of Nebraska this summer and next year on a part-time basis. Also taking advanced work in business administration this summer will be Paul W. Joice, whose major field is marketing. He will be at State University of Iowa.

Continuing work on their doctorates taken up this year will be J. Wesley Rhodes and Leif Kr. Tobiassen, heads of the music and religion departments respectively. Rhodes is now at Columbia University and Tobiassen at New York University. Both of them will be back sometime this summer.

Elder P. C. Jarnes, acting head of the religion department, has taken a leave of absence for this summer and next year to further studies at the Seventh-day Adventist Theological Seminary.

Neil W. Rowland, biology department head, will be studying on a part-time basis this summer at the University of Nebraska. Professor Earl Leonhardt will be at the University of Kansas studying methods in teaching mathematics.

Music staff members Neil Tilkens and William Haynes will both be on summer leave. Haynes' work will be done at the University of Washington. Summer studies toward a doctorate will also be taken up by physics Professor Milo Anderson.

Those on the staff who will do work on Master's degrees this summer are Eleanor Attarian, University of Southern California; Gertrude Huygens, University of Illinois; Margaret Pederson, Iris Donaly, and Elaine Schander, all at the University of Nebraska. Geneva Bowman, on the staff at the Denver campus, will study on a scholastic grant this summer and next year at the College of Medical Evangelists Graduate School.

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North Hall Quieter During Summer

by Pat Petersen

Old North Hall has become considerably quieter in the past few weeks. So quiet, in fact, that material for this column is much more scarce than when two hundred or more of the fair sex roamed the premises.

Welcomes are extended to the newly arrived summer school students. Many have returned for their second, third, or fourth summers at Union. Several more are new on our campus. A welcome goes out, too, to several members of next fall's freshman class who are working here this summer. Stick to it, gals. That credit balance will come in handy when next fall rolls around.

Tornadoes, air raids, fires—Union College summer school students should be well prepared for any such emergency, thanks to several recent drills under the direction of Miss Alice Smith and Civil Defense wardens on the campus. A fire drill about eleven o'clock one night brought sleepy complaints from several occupants of North Hall, but such preparations will pay dividends in an emergency.

Several of North Hall's "younger" members serve to make life there more interesting this summer. Judy Higby's long flying braids and bright, cheery "Hi" as she passes give youthful vigor to many with slow, tired muscles. Little Kathy Compton and Douglas Beyer are also spending the summer with their parents in North Hall. Douglas seems to have voluntarily joined the campus police force. His bright blue and white ped-omatic police car can usually be spotted somewhere near the current scene of action. Beware, all you would-be traffic violators!

Pearl L. Rees Hall begins to resemble our "dream dorm" more and more as the brick walls go up. As this is penned, the bricklayers have reached the second floor level.

Betty Loga, dean for the summer, is currently in training for Miss Remley's approaching Mexico vacation. Under her able leadership, prayer bands have been or-

Graduates Receive Osteopathy Degree

Three graduates of Union College completed their senior work May 31 and received their degrees of Doctor of Osteopathy at the Kansas City School of Osteopathy, according to word received from the dean of the school.

Those receiving degrees are Alfred Bennett, '53, John Crane, '53, and Leo Hartman, '50. The three graduates majored in Biology at their graduation here.

The Kansas City school does not hold classes on Sabbath; therefore Seventh-day Adventists find it possible to get medical training there. Although osteopaths receive full medical and surgical training, they are not permitted to practice in some states. They receive the degree of D.O. rather than M.D.

Summer School

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Leno, Mr. Howard; Physical Education, Dr. Ogden; Religion, Dr. Welch, Elder Young, Mr. Hauck and Elder Deming; Speech, Mr. Hauck.

Registration is not yet complete for the three-weeks session nor for the Biology Camp to be held at Glacier View Park in August. There is still time to make plans to register for these two sessions.

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ganized, summer club officers are being chosen, and new occupants are happily (she hopes) settled in old rooms.

Can't help mentioning here the numbers of last year's North Hall-ites who are week by week finding their way to the altar. To them we wish the ultimate in happiness. And to those who, like me, are still single and free, the following consolation:

Better to have loved and lost,

Than to marry and be bossed.

Miss Floda Smith Chosen for Who's Who

Miss Floda Smith, Union College librarian since 1941, will be listed in the first edition of *Who's Who of American Women*, according to A. N. Marquis, publisher. The names of the entries are chosen from the biographical data received by the publisher. "Attainments and position are the prerequisites to



Miss Floda Smith

listing in the new volume," stated the publisher.

The volume is being published to meet the demand for information without making *Who's Who* impossibly large and unwieldy to handle. The new book will contain upwards of 20,000 biographies-in-brief of women noteworthy in all fields of endeavor. It will contain 1000 pages and will be ready for distribution this fall.

Committees

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Earl Jenkins, Betty Chase, Joyce Miller, Allen McTaggart and Gladys Denny represent the students on this committee.

Biology Camp

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Contact Neil W. Rowland, Department of Biology, Union College, Lincoln, Nebraska, immediately for further information.

Union's Future

Gaylen Charles, born to Mr. and Mrs. James Herr, '57, (Eleanor Anderson) on June 3. Weight 8 lbs. 7½ oz.

John Jaefred, born to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hauck, '50, (Erna Flemmer) on May 4. Weight 9 lbs. 2½ oz.

Jerry Robert, born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Chase, '57, Gladys Preston) on May 30. Weight 7 lbs. 8 oz.

Richard Erwin, born to Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Johnson on May 28. Weight 8 lbs 13½ oz.

John Kent, born to Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Wiley, '55, on May 1. Weight 8 lbs. 15 oz.

Richard Keith, born to Mr. and Mrs. John Perryman on April 22. Weight 6 lbs 8 oz.

Kathy Joan, born to Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Weaver on June 5. Weight 7 lbs. 12 oz.

Dani Gayle, born to Mr. and Mrs. Don Runyan, '57, (Millie Hall) on May 5. Weight 7 lbs. 6 oz.

Janelle, born to Mr. and Mrs. son) on June 9. Weight 8 lbs. 3 oz. Vernon Thompson, '57, (Sally Nel-

Clock Tower

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Necessary to Start at the Bottom

Most college graduates and hope-to-be graduates look forward to a white collar job when they receive their degree. The degree eliminates the ground work. Because of the time and money spent to attain the sheepskin we feel ready to fill the top positions. We would do far better to step first into the press room before managing the publishing house; first into the class room before into the principal's office; first into the district before the conference office; first become a private before becoming a sergeant. We are prepared to reach higher by our college diligence, but our preparation is not complete until we experience the underling's problems.

Summer Sabbath Keeping Is Important

What about Sabbath observance during the summer? How shall I spend my time? It is so easy for college students to turn their attention and conversation to studies and bills even on the Sabbath. Often we fail to REMEMBER God's holy day.

It is a problem what to do on Sabbath for many students. Some are tempted to feel that because there aren't so many Adventists around we are free to keep or not keep the Sabbath. Shall we obey God?

Have you spent Friday evening preparing to teach the Sabbath School lesson, or better early Sabbath morning? Then would it be wrong to sleep on Sabbath afternoon? Let us see what we did last Sabbath. The test is whether or not it honored God.

M.R.

THESE TWAIN ARE ONE

- Joyce Zummach—Elmer Lampson College View, June 2
- Patricia Ehrhardt—Ted Wick Greeley, Colorado, June 9
- Kitty Warren—Gaylen Johnson College View, June 9
- Grace Lehman—Stanley Murphy .. McClusky, North Dakota, June 9
- Jeanne McNeil—Larry Fillingham Hinsdale, Illinois, June 9
- Lois Wood—James Thompson St. Louis, Missouri, June 9
- Lorene Craig—George Watters College View, June 17

Look for Union Graduates at . . .

- Wilmer Asher '51 Graduate study, C.M.E.
- Carl Bauer Graduate study, C.M.E.
- Edgar Browning Pastor-Teacher, Crystal City, Texas
- Ronald Cornelsen Graduate study, C.M.E.
- Sally Crozier Registrar's office, Union College
- Kenneth Dedeker Graduate study, C.M.E.
- Loren Dickinson Graduate study
- David Dunkin Graduate study
- Ernest Fisher Rancher, Oklahoma
- Lloyd Johnson Graduate study, C.M.E.
- Rob Johnson Graduate study, C.M.E.
- Harold Kaldahl Graduate study
- LaMerne Mosier Dietitian, Des Moines, Iowa
- Kathleen Mount Graduate study
- Stanley Murphy Graduate study, C.M.E.
- Roger Plata Graduate study, C.M.E.
- Estol Pruett Graduate study, C.M.E.
- Merlin Reeder Public school teacher, Colorado
- Phil Reiswig Graduate study, C.M.E.
- *Richard Scott Accountant, Harding San., Ohio
- Barry Siebenlist Graduate study, C.M.E.
- William Soper Graduate study, C.M.E.
- Edward Stacey Theological Seminary, Washington, D.C.
- Carlos Swanson Graduate study, C.M.E.
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- Don Vixie Graduate study, C.M.E.
- Hubert Watkins Graduate study
- Kathy Williams Bookkeeper, Elem. School, Union College
- Leslie Youngs '50 Graduate study, C.M.E.
- Ernest Ziegenbalg Graduate study, C.M.E.

*Corrected report

Alumni Doings

Receiving advanced degrees June 10 at the University of Nebraska were Robert Cleveland, '43, doctor of philosophy; James Stokos, '54, doctor of dental surgery; and Julius Korgan, '45, and Daniel Peckham, '49, master of arts.

H. E. Haas, '49, principal of Ozark Academy at Gentry, Arkansas, has accepted to become Missionary Volunteer and Educational secretary of the Kansas Conference, filling the vacancy made when E. S. Reile, '49, was called to the Georgia-Cumberland Conference.

Curtiss Dale, '56, has recently located at Bozeman, Montana, where he is serving as the Book and Bible house manager of the Montana Conference.

Marcus Payne, '46, who has ministered in both the Nebraska and Kansas conferences for the past eleven years, has accepted a call from the Pacific Union Conference. He will be located at Porterville, California.

Mr. Benjamin Trout, '49, formerly principal of Enterprise Academy in Kansas, has recently accepted the position of treasurer of the Nebraska Conference.

Mrs. C. Taylor (Bessie Stout, '50) of Redlands, California, was a recent campus visitor.

Mr. Edward Wines, '43, is the newly elected principal of Enterprise Academy in Kansas.

Editor's Mail

Dear Editor:

I have several suggestions which may help to improve the school paper in the future. First, there should be a definite aim toward greater student participation, i.e., reports on student activities, club functions. This could possibly include a regular report from a representative of each major club on the campus. Second, our goal should be for expansion of the 1957-58 paper. Third, the school paper should be the voice of the student body. Fourth, provisions should be made for a "Critics Corner," a column whereby students faculty and departmental leaders may voice their opinions in a legitimate manner without discrimination as far as position or influence is concerned. Undoubtedly, this would curtail the practice of undercurrent papers floating around the campus and would enable many a frustrated leader to do something beside "gripe, groan, grin and bear it." I am sure that our student body would appreciate knowing they could voice their protests in a justifiable manner, rather than be subjected to unauthorized articles which serve no useful purpose and actually militate against student representation.

If these things cannot be arranged, then the student body has a right to be informed whether the *Clock Tower* is the voice of the student body, or is an organ for some other purpose? If it is not the representative, public voice of the students, then is it possible that we are failing to fulfill the purpose of a publication of this nature.

HAROLD BREWER

Dear Editor:

This is to inform you that I am going on furlough in May, 1957, so do not send the *CLOCK TOWER*.

I have appreciated receiving it. It is wonderful to know when one is out on the frontiers, that somewhere in the homeland new recruits are preparing to help carry on to the finish the great task of carrying this gospel to all the world, and then shall the end come.

In this particular spot in September, 1956, we opened a school of nursing, and last week a church school. We hear that Professor Hamilton and his associates overseas are working hard to build up the new high school in Chuihikana. Many missionaries should be out here studying the language to help write texts and literature so much needed.

THE UNDIAGNOSED

My, but the time has gone by fast since we left the main campus of "dear old Union" to come to the Denver campus for our clinical work. It will be less than two weeks before our month's vacation will start.

We are anxious to see the senior nursing students who will be here before we get back from our vacation. "Mom" Cornell is busy counting noses and counting beds, trying to find room to squeeze all of us into the dormitory.

Don't think that we will be sleeping here all the time, though. We are only waiting for the time when we will be oriented to sleeping bags in the mountains. It seems that Zerita Hagerman and Esther Hensel and the Bergmans just couldn't wait so they ventured out a few week-ends ago, in spite of deep snow. Results—drying shoes and clothes by camp fire, and straight hair. Esther was to report on duty shortly after she arrived back on the campus. One of her patients, a little boy, looked her in the eye and frankly said, "My, nurse, you have funny hair!"

Mrs. Marrow, one of the nurses from surgical floor, has moved recently. We are going to miss her, and remember her for a long time. She has given the student nurses her TV set for our "spare time."

Miss Frances Pride, our psychiatric nursing teacher, will soon be back from her three month's leave of absence. She has been observing in some of the eastern centers of psychiatric education for basic students of nursing. Yale University School of Nursing in New Haven, Connecticut, Boston University School of Nursing, Rutgers University School of Nursing in Newark, New Jersey and the National Institute of Health in Bethesda, Maryland are just a few of the places that she has visited. She dropped in at the biennial convention of the National League for Nursing in Chicago on her way home.

Sherri Saturley was quite surprised when she walked in her room about eleven o'clock one night. Just before she came up from work some of us hid behind beds, in the closet, behind doors, and under the dresser. She was greeted with "Happy Birthday" and a birthday cake that one of our patients had given to Muffin Kavanaugh.

It seems that some of our students have forgotten the preventative measures for avoiding sunburn, while trying to get a sun tan. Jean VanDenBrink and Joan Frederickson seem to be the unfortunate ones, while Betty Campbell and Mary Lou Byers are tanning quite nicely. This mile-high altitude of Denver plays tricks and sunburn is easy to get.

We were pleased to have as guests on our campus: Miss Ann Stratton, Associate Dean of the department of nursing in Walla Walla College, Miss Bessie Irvine, Director of the School of Nursing and Nursing Service in the Tokyo Sanitarium and Hospital, and Miss Wilma Leazer, Director of the School of Nursing and Nursing Service in the Bandung Mission Hospital, Bandung, Java, Indonesia. Miss Leazer and Lena Navis knew each other when Lena lived in Singapore.

Tilkens Have Their Own '3 R's'



To most people and on most campuses, the 3 R's simply mean Readin', Ritin', and Rithmetic, but to the Tilkens family, the 3 R's mean Ronnie, 4, Raymond, 2, and Rowena, 1. The Tilkens family came to Union two years ago to join the music faculty. Two of the R's came with them, and R No. 3 joined the family last year. The 3 little R's are rollicking, robust, and ruddy—always ready to keep their music-loving parents in a happy mood.

The Tilkens family will be away from the Union College campus for a year. Mr. Tilkens will be studying to complete his doctorate in musicology in Washington, D.C. He has been acting head of the music department this year in the absence of Mr. Rhodes. In his busy program of direction, he has always seemed to have time for the "extras" such as music for special occasions, music tours, chapel programs, recitals, and other matters so important to an effective music department such as Union College has.

God bless you all at dear old Union College.
 Very sincerely,
 Emma Binder
 Karachi, Pakistan

Dear Editor:

We will like it better to have the *CLOCK TOWER* subscription extend two years instead of having it come to each of us for one year as in the past.

And I must add a few lines to

The Tilkens are interested in antiques; their home contains many evidences of this interest. On one occasion this year, while on music tour, Mr. Tilkens was a c t u a l l y known to tell the driver of the car who saw an "Antique Shop: 2 blocks east" sign, "Drive on! I promised my wife. . . ." So they passed by that opportunity to add an antique to his collection. Anyway, there wasn't time to stop!

Both Mr. and Mrs. Tilkens are musicians; Mrs. Tilkens is an organist and has played the organ in the College View church often for Sabbath services. Mr. Tilkens, however, is not the long-haired type of musician; he wears his hair cropped close. Quite unusual for his profession!

His skill on the piano, his appreciation of good music, and his fine leadership have been inspiring to everyone these two years. We are looking forward to his return to Engel Hall and Union College. And, of course, the 3 little R's and their mother will be welcomed back, too.

Anne Observer

let you know we are still here on the rim-edge of the good old United States. Her man was a Master Plumber when we came here 26 years ago and now at 75 years of age, he is still as active as ever and working hard at his trade. Then his overgrown hobby—honey and bees—and two local offices take his time entirely.

Most sincerely,

Mrs. J. Herman Larkin

Laredo, Texas