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## Editor's Note:

This newsletter is being tried out on a trial basis, in order to overcome the problems that have plagued the production end of the UAD Bulletin in the past. While it is not intended to replace the familiar Bulletin which comes out quarterly, it is intended to fill a need for more immediate, newsy type of paper.

Show this paper to your friends. Ask your organization to plan its events ahead of time and let your editor know. We want to know what you would like to see in this monthly newsletter.

Organizations or individuals can contribute news items of upcoming events, births, marriages, deaths and the like. This newsletter is two pages long this month but with better cooperation we can expand it to four pages. Clippings from newspapers, invitations and flyers are of help in keeping this paper up to date. Send your news quickly while it is fresh! In order to have it out on a monthly basis, we need to have your news by the 20th of the month.

Suggestions as to how the newsletter could appeal to you, what it could contain are welcome. Contact Val Platt by TTY - 399-3028 or write or see her at 112 W. 5150 S., Ogden, Ut. 84403.

## June Happenings:

1. The Utah Association for the Deaf board of directors will meet on Sunday, June 5 at 3:00 p.m. in the Utah Board of Education Bldg., 250 E. 5th S., Salt Lake City. Contact Dennis Platt, chairman of the board, if you have something to be brought up before the board.
2. The Utah Board of Education will meet on Thursday, June 16 at the Utah Technical College in Salt Lake City, and on Friday, June 17 at the Utah Board of Education Bldg. in Salt Lake City. For details, contact Dr. J.J. Campbell.
3. The Utah Association for the Deaf will have its convention on June 16, 17 & 18 at the Salt Lake Hilton in Salt Lake City. Deadline for registration is June 8. Thursday night will be devoted to honoring past UAD presidents, with the program beginning at 6:00 p.m., and followed by a captioned film, "Auntie Mame".  
Friday evening will see the business sessions take place. Nomination and resolution forms will be provided at the registration desk and will require two signatures before they can be accepted by the secretary. Nominations for the board of directors and for a trustee will also require approval from the candidate being nominated. It is hoped the business session can be completed in one evening.  
On Saturday afternoon, a variety of activities are planned - swimming at the Hilton pool, a trip to Antelope Island, another one to Snowbird, and a golf game.  
Winding up the three day convention will be a dinner followed by a magic show and dancing to a band. Dr. J.J. Campbell will be

master of ceremonies for the evening. Paul Chamberlain is the man to see if you need information.

4. Valley Ward will have its monthly captioned film, "Snoopy, Come Home" at the new Valley Ward building, located at 8th E. and 7th S. in Salt Lake City.

5. The Utah School for the Deaf in Ogden is sending out a call for substitute teachers for the total communication division. Qualified adults need the following: maturity, good judgment, knowledge of manual communication, high school education. Subs must be willing to accept calls to teach with one hour notice only. Pay is \$33.00 for a 5 to 6 hour day. Applications are being taken by Steve Baldwin during the first week in June.

6. The Ogden Services to the Deaf office will have a job vacancy on July 1 -- that of the secretary. In addition to the usual qualifications as a secretary, a knowledge of manual communication is highly recommended. Formal announcement of the job vacancy and a description of qualifications will soon be made by the State Merit System. Those who are interested should register with the merit system at the State Employment Office immediately, preparatory to applying for the job. Subscribers to this paper may know of someone who would be interested in this job -- if so, do a favor and let them know. For further details, contact Jim Hilber at the Ogden office.

7. TTY's are still available at \$125.00. They are selling quite fast, so people are advised to act quickly. They are probably the last of the Model 15's that will be found. Modern devices cost \$600.00 and up, so it would be to your advantage to arrange financing and buy a TTY for your use. Contact David Mortensen for information.

The UAD is testing various phone devices: Interpreter, Porta-printer, MCM, TV Phone, Model 32 and Model 15. A report will be made of which machines will serve the deaf people the best.

8. The Valley Ward still has about \$17,000 of its building debt to pay off. The paper drive which has been underway for some time is still continuing, so we are asking that people collect their own newspaper and those of their friends, relatives and neighbors, and drop them off at one of two places: the DeGraw home, 376 E. 8260 S., Sandy, or the Kinner home, 3035 Eccles Ave., Ogden, by the 30th of each month. Tie the bundles up well or box them in cartons. Let's roll up our sleeves and help pay off the debt!

9. The Golden Spike Athletic Club for the Deaf softball team is in the Western Slow-Pitch Softball League in Ogden. They play Monday nights at the All American Park, 35th St. west of Wall Ave. For June their schedule is as follows: Sat. 4th, 6:55 p.m.; Mon. 20th, 7:50 p.m.; Mon. 27th, 7:50 p.m. The schedule is subject to change; check with the Sunday Ogden Standard Examiner for the exact time.

#### Bundle of Joy:

To Norman & Suzanne Kerr Reese, a girl, Nanette, on May 22.