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# THE FRIENDLY ENDEAVOR

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## Youth and Beliefs

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Editor's Note: This is the fourth in a series of articles on "Youth Problems" appearing in the "Friendly Endeavor."

"What shall I, what can I believe?" asks the youth of today. These are days when the very air seems charged with doubt and skepticism. Even the boys and girls are questioning everything with "Oh, Yeah!" Youth is looking at everything with a question mark. And would we stop them? No! a thousand times No! Our duty is not to stop them but to help them arrive at the right and true answers to their many questions. The question of what they shall believe concerning spiritual things is the most important question of their lives. For upon the answer of this question depends the answer of every other question of moral and spiritual value. The wrong answer here means the wreckage of their moral life, and leaves them spiritually dead and lost for eternity.

In this realm the first question a young person must settle is: "Is the Bible true, and can I accept its teachings?" In spite of all the clouds of doubt that have been thrown around the Bible, if a young person will honestly read the Bible with an open mind, he will realize that it is God-inspiring and its teaching to be relied upon. If they will carefully look into History, they will see that the nations that progressed and prospered are those who honored the teachings of the Bible. Once it has been settled in their mind that the Bible, including both the Old and New Testaments, is the divine revelation, the original autographs of which were verbally inspired by the Holy Spirit, they have the necessary foundation for all belief.

It is easy then for them to believe that God is a person who has revealed Himself as Trinity: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. Three persons and yet but one God. Jesus Christ is the image of the invisible God, which is to say, He is Himself very God. He took upon Him our nature being conceived by the Holy Ghost and born of the Virgin Mary; He died upon the cross as substitutionary sacrifice for the sin of the world; He arose from the dead in the body in which He was crucified; He ascended into the heavens in that body glorified, where He is now, our interceding High Priest; He will come again personally and visibly to set up His kingdom and to judge the quick and the dead. Man was created in the image of God but fell into sin, and in that sense, is lost. This is true of all men, and "except a man be born again he cannot see the kingdom of God." Salvation is by grace thru faith in Christ who His own self bare

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## There Will Be No Annual!

Until 1935 quotas are sufficiently paid up to cancel the debt piled up during the spring and summer months of this year. The Editorial staff are clamoring for six pages again so that they may present to you all the inspiring news, articles, and write-ups that you would enjoy, but four pages it will remain until quota payments justify six pages again. Are you doing your part?

Woodland Society joins the paid-in-fullers this month, jumping from 17th place to the paid group, and Entiat went over the top.

The following table gives payments as of October 26th:

Position in Sept	Present Position	Society	1935 Quota	PAID
1	PAID	Rosedale	\$ 4.76	PAID
2	PAID	Highland	24.82	PAID
3	PAID	Entiat	4.42	PAID
17	PAID	Woodland	4.08	PAID
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9	6	Greenleaf	52.19	18.64
15	7	Scotts Mills	10.54	3.67
10	8	Melba	17.00	5.00
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13	11	Lents	26.52	4.00
14	12	Riverside	6.12	.75
16	13	Sherwood	3.23	
18	14	Bethany	4.93	
19	15	Middleton	4.93	
20	16	Vancouver	5.27	
21	17	Marion	6.80	
22	18	Springbrook	10.71	
23	19	Boise	15.30	
24	20	Newberg	46.92	

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## TOO BAD, ISN'T IT?

Are you getting tired of only four pages? So are we. And the reason is that about one-half the churches of Oregon Yearly Meeting have paid little or nothing on the "Friendly Endeavor" quota for 1935. Church after church, with dozens of readers, just sits back and enjoys the paper, is enlightened by the news of home and foreign fields, kicks if it's a few days late, growls because it isn't larger, and PAYS NOTHING! Splendid articles are all ready for the Annual Edition, but there will be none unless at least \$75.00 comes in this next month. Timely write-ups by the score are thrown into the file marked "F. E. later" and the dust of the years smothers them into oblivion. Too bad, isn't it

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## Among Ourselves

### ROSEDALE S. S. FOLKS TAKE BIG TRIP

In our Sunday School, we sponsor a day's trip for all those who haven't missed in 6 months. A few weeks ago, 40 such were eligible, and 23 were able to go to Nelscott on the coast and spend a full day there eating, wading, hiking, and playing ball. What a time we had!

Phyllis Macy, who is attending Willamette University this Fall, is coming out each Tuesday evening to train our church choir.

Esther Cammack is enrolled at P.B.I.

Our Intercessory prayer meetings on Sunday afternoon have proved to be a great boon in strengthening the spiritual life of the believers.

### MANY GREENLEAF FOLK BURN THE LAMP OF KNOWLEDGE

Many of our Senior C. E. members are away attending school. Ruth Williams is at Linfield; Verle Emry and Lera Rice at Pacific; John and Alvin Roberts, Lois Tish, Estella Pruitt, and Calvin Hull at Portland Bible Institute; Lyman Myers and Louise Bates at Seattle-Pacific; and Hazel and Helen Williams, Lucile Roberts, Lois Roberts, Dorothy Martin, and Dwight Macy at Northwestern Nazarene College. Mandall Williams is attending the Orpheum Beauty School in Boise.

The girls' gospel team has been at work. October 6 they conducted the morning services at Valley View. October 13 they had charge of both services at Boise Friends' church.

Several Greenleaf people attended the C. E. rally banquet held at the Dairymen's Creamery hall in Caldwell.

We have been saddened by the passing of several of our faithful Christians and church workers to their reward during the summer. Those who have left our midst are Mrs. Leve Longstroth, Wade Tucker, Isaac Roberts, Mrs. Mary Jane Roberts, and Mrs. Ezra Pierson. We shall miss them.

The family of Hubert Mardock are making their home with us while Mr. Mardock is holding revival meetings in Oregon Yearly Meeting.

### SPRINGBROOK RECEIVES TELEGRAM OF SAFE ARRIVAL OF ESTHEL GULLEY

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Gulley received a telegram from Esthel Gulley saying that she had arrived safely in La Paz, Bolivia and that she had had a very interesting trip.

Lilah Newby, Merle Green, and Wilmer Brown are attending Portland Bible Institute this year.

Springbrook C. E. has received the chart for this year and started to work on it.

Mary Mills is teaching school at Mt. Home this year, and Lela Gulley is again teaching out at Beaver Dam.

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### RECEPTION IS HELD FOR MOORES AT PIEDMONT

To welcome our new pastor and his family, Mr. and Mrs. George Moore and small daughter, Mary Isabell, a reception was held in the church auditorium. An interesting program of musical numbers and welcome speeches was heard. Ice cream and cookies were later served in the church basement.

The many friends of Mrs. Elsie Gossett were saddened by her passing October 3. By her godly life and kindly interest in young people she had endeared herself to each of us.

Our choir, assisted by talent from Portland Bible Institute, on Sunday evening, October 6th, gave a sacred concert, the theme of which was "The Cross." A sermonette on the Cross by our pastor was very fitting. Mrs. Moore, Mildred Raymond, and Eugene Coffin rendered vocal solos.

Fern and Dillon Mills and family have gone to Woodland to take charge of the work there. Many of their Piedmont friends held a farewell party for them and gave them a set of dishes. We will miss them greatly and pray God's richest blessing on them.

Robert Mott is our newly elected C. E. president, and Alice Woolley our vice-president. Much enthusiasm is evidenced over the chart work for the ensuing year. Watch Piedmont go places!

### PAUL AND WILMA MILLS LEAD FALL ACTIVITIES AT TACOMA

Our new pastors, Paul and Wilma Mills, arrived safely about September 18. The following Friday evening Christian Endeavorers and church members surprised them with an informal welcome. They have started to work with a will. In fact, since the Mills came, the Senior Endeavor turned out with mops, brooms, plaster, and kalsomine to fix up the Endeavor room.

Novel C. E. meetings in September included a "Kindergarten" meeting, which allowed us all to act very natural, and an "Old Oaken Bucket" meeting with a well and wooden bucket in the front of the room. Leaders for those meetings were Eunice Simpson and June Britton.

For the month of October we had C. E. college with classes and chapel period. The college course completed a study of Expert Endeavor given by Olive Terrill, with certificates given following the final exam. Watch next month for a list of our Expert Endeavorers.

The Ladies' Missionary Society served luncheon to the teachers of the Sheridan grade school at the home of Mr. W. H. Brown on October 3.

Alumni Endeavorers are studying the story of creation with J. L. Simpson as teacher.

Some of the boys and men of our church and community have organized an octet recently. The group will sing both sacred and secular music. Members include Elmer Zea, Douglas Brown, L. A. Byrd, Lawrence Berg, J. L. Simpson, Robert Barker, Richard Hendricks, Cornell Odgaard.

Mr. Mills' mother, Mrs. Preston Mills, arrived October 12 from Portland for a visit with the Mills.

### STAR AND REST OF IDAHO ON THE AIR

Star Christian Endeavor broadcasted over radio station KFXD Sunday afternoon October 13. Boise Quarterly meeting C. E. is to be on the air every Sunday afternoon for some time. We would be glad to have you listen in. Oh yes, the time. It is to be from 4:45 to 5:15 Mountain Standard time. We would appreciate your prayers during this hour.

We are eagerly looking forward to the Ministerial Conference that is to be held here the first of next month for we know that we will receive much blessing from the part that we are permitted to attend.

Mrs. Samuel Beeson just returned from Filer last week where she has been taking care of her new grandson and her daughter for a few weeks.

We are very glad to report that Gladys Cook is feeling much better and we hope that she will be able to take her place in the church work again soon.

Our September C. E. party was held at Kathryn and Lucile Hadley's home. The evening was spent in playing automobile games. Lovely refreshments were served after the business meeting.

Mae and Vaughn Anderson spent a few days visiting relatives and friends here just before school opened at P.B.I. When they returned to Portland they took some students back with them.

We are glad to report that we are coming right along on our chart work.

### TAMPLINS ARE WELCOMED HOME TO LENTS

Anxiously we have watched the days roll by as Carroll and Doris neared home and finally arrived. They have spoken to the Sunday School, had one church service, and have shown us some of their curios from Bolivia. They have enriched our lives with their presence and messages.

We are working on the new chart and hope to cause some real competition to all others.

Our pastor and wife recently made a trip to Idaho to see their son and daughter-in-law, Ralph and Esther Choate, off to Africa. Among other things, Mr. Choate brought home a "little hoarse," but he has fully recovered now.

Our last business meeting and social was held at the new home of the Tamplins. We enjoyed many games and some "hot" refreshments of Spanish type. The social was well attended, with several of the older members present.

### JOSEPH REESE AND FAMILY ARE GRACIOUSLY RECEIVED AT SUNNYSIDE

In honor of our Pastor, Joseph Reese, and

family a welcoming reception was given in the church parlors September 26. A very large percentage of the church membership also many neighboring pastors were present. The evening passed in a lively manner and was enjoyed by all.

The Mother and Daughter Reception also provided an interesting and enjoyable evening. A very distinguished speaker from Los Angeles presented a most appropriate lecture for the mothers and daughters. Other features of the evening were: solos and duets by two young Chinese girls, readings by a guest from P.B.I., a very fine song from the Young Ladies' Chorus of the church, and last but not least, the revealing of the "Mystery Mothers."

One of the Gospel Bands of our Endeavor was in charge of one meeting at the Commons Mission. Mr. Reece gave the inspiring message.

Rally Day Sunday proved an interesting one. The younger classes of children were given an opportunity to perform as well as the older ones. The "Gateway of Tomorrow" was the pageant by the older members.

To create greater interest in the Christian Endeavor, a "Football Party" was given at the home of Mildred Hadley. Football was played with balloons (actually) and hot dogs and orangeade were the appropriate refreshments. We in the Senior Endeavor certainly do appreciate the interest our pastor is showing in our work. With his help our Endeavor is gradually building up.

### SICKNESS PREVALENT AT N. E. TACOMA

Mary Barnes, our one and only secretary has been ill for some time and unable to attend our meetings. Elvera Bell has also been quite ill.

A party was held in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Russell's daughter, son-in-law and grandson who are visiting here from Idaho.

Chief Johnson who has been in the hospital for an operation has just returned home. We are all glad to have him back.

Denzil Osborne, a member who has been with us for eleven years, has moved to Bremerton, Washington. We certainly miss him.

### PASTOR CONDUCTS TRAINING SCHOOL AT VANCOUVER

Vancouver is showing a fine spirit in the work of the Church, as shown by the following highlights in news.

A Teachers' Training Class, supervised by Kenneth Eichenberger, is now in progress and will continue throughout the winter months. It is held in cooperation with Rosemere Friends.

Dr. John Brouger has been showing some very interesting pictures of the medical missionary work in China.

Vancouver's newly organized Junior C.E. is progressing under the able leadership of Lillian Stone.

A few Vancouverites attended the Clark County C. E. Union Rally held at Woodland, Washington, Oct. 11 and 12. Our pastor spoke at the Friday evening session.

Oct. 6 was S. S. Rally Day which broke all records in our S. S. attendance.

October will be a month of social good times with a skating and a Hallow'en party planned for our C. E.'s

The regular monthly business meeting of the Senior C. E. was held on Tuesday evening, Oct. 1, at the new home of Kenneth and Geneva Eichenberger.

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### YOUTH AND BELIEFS (Continued from Page One)

our sins in His own body on the tree. That the heart may be cleansed by the blood and filled with the Holy Ghost, a definite work of grace experimentally wrought in the soul subsequent to regeneration — by this work the carnal nature is destroyed thru baptism with the Holy Ghost and the cleansing efficacy of the blood of Christ and the believer empowered for effective service. The retribution of the wicked and unbelieving, and the rewards of the righteous are everlasting; and as the rewards are conscious, so is the retribution. The Church is an elect company of believers baptized by the Holy Spirit into one body, whose mission is to witness concerning its Head, Jesus Christ, preaching the gospel among all nations. It will be caught up to meet the Lord in the air, before He sets up His kingdom.

Young people will find that this belief gives them a real foundation for living in this wicked, sinful world and will fill them with a hope that makes this life have a meaning after all. I don't wonder that the great skeptic, Clarence Darrow, with no hope in this life or the future, advises young people to chuck it all. But glory to God with a real belief in God and the Bible, with Christ as a reality in our lives, and a future that is as bright as a loving, just God can make it—What more could we ask? Therefore, young people, let us get our feet set solidly upon God's Bible that has stood and will stand the test of time, and our hearts fixed upon Jesus Christ and we shall live the largest, fullest life possible.

### A C.E. BANQUET

By ROSA ALLEN

Banquetes, more Banquetes! We like Christian Endeavor Banquets in Boise Valley. About 150 met Oct. 4th in Caldwell for our Christian Endeavor Tabernacle Banquet. The Banquet was served by the ladies of the Margaret Fox Sunday School class of Greenleaf. They had the tables beautifully decorated with bright fall flowers. Our menu (Chow) was Shakes, Chinkings, Pebbles and Logs, Cement and Rocks. It was a lovely dinner and we enjoyed it.

The program was: Special song by Melba C. E. Talk by our Supervisor, A. Clark Smith, in which he gave us a survey of our great need at Quaker Hill for a Tabernacle. Talk by our Contractor, Arthur J. Hadley. He told us that the plan was to cut logs, peel them and put them up for the walls, also use them for rafters.

Talk by our Architect, Clayton S. Brown. He explained to us the floor plan, the size of the building, the entrance doors, fireplace,

etc. As he continued talking, Edward Harmon unveiled a large artistic drawing, which brought forth exclamations of delight. Talk by our Financier, Walter C. Cook. He picked up a card on which a pledge had been made, looked up and smiled, then whistled, "Say But I'm Glad" He whistled it the second time, then had everyone sing it, and said, "If you could see what I see here on this card you would be glad too; it is a pledge for \$50.00" Everyone cheered. Then another \$50.00 pledge was handed in, and Walter began to use them as foundation stones for our black board drawing. Other pledges began to come to the table; and without any real pull. The young people seemed to sense their responsibility and most of those present who could, made a pledge. In a little bit we had over \$400.00 pledged. Some paid their pledges that night. Several hundred more is needed but we believe by the time the canvass is completed in the individual Meetings we will have what is needed to complete our Tabernacle.

The men are to go up Oct. 14th to begin work. Enthusiasm is running high, and some of us already feel that July 1936 is a long time to wait to see our new log tabernacle, but we all want to see it then.

Our service closed with a solo from Nampa, and a word of thanksgiving voiced in prayer.

We are convinced more than ever that God has had a hand in our work and plans at Quaker Hill, from the very beginning, and we are indeed grateful for it, and trust Him for leading in the future.

### HEAR THE PENNIES FALL!

As you will notice, several societies have paid in on their Chart quotas for 1935-36. Let's keep up the good work. Our budget of \$250 must be met, and we are far from that amount now. Pay all money to Milo Ross, R 4, Salem, Oregon.

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Tacoma Sr.	10.00	
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Entiat	7.00	7.00
Bethany	7.00	
Quilcene	11.00	

### YOUNG PEOPLE!

What kind of recollections of Conference are you still having? Surely the Lord did lead and give us many victories, and we can give Him all of the praise. I am wondering if the Lord is still giving you victories. If you do not feel that you have a new victory every day, perhaps you need to get closer to Him. A Conference memory that I have, is the challenge that Rev. Joseph Reese threw out to all of us. It was, "Will you covenant with me and your Savior to win just one soul to Christ in the coming year?" Have you started to carry out that challenge?

While I was studying my Bible the other morning the verse in Luke 2:46 gave me something to think about. "But they, sup-

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posing him to have been in the company went a day's journey and they sought him among their kinsfolk and acquaintance." Notice that word "Supposing." I think that we too often suppose that the Lord will be with us and guide us thru a day's journey, without really taking time at the beginning of that day's journey to ask Him to go with us. Then in the same chapter verse 49 we find His answer, "How is it that ye sought me? Wist ye not that I must be about my Father's business?" If we would keep Christ in our lives we must keep busy with Him about His Father's business.

Our Father's business for us is to point the way to Christ so that others might be saved. Let us remember the Conference Challenge and begin to pray about it and then with Christ's help win one soul for Him.  
—M. Elizabeth Ott.

Dear Diary.

Years ago when all the Quaker fathers and mothers were chained in damp prisons the children who were free held meeting anyhow! In memory and gratitude, the Juniors are going to hold Thanksgiving meeting in the church which they've decorated and arranged. They will sit on the platform, the boys with white cardboard collars on facing the girls in gray crepe paper bonnets and white paper collars over their dresses.

As they sit demurely in their benches, each little Quaker will arise one by one and repeat his part of the following scripture lesson: T-2 Cor. 9:15; H—Dan. 6:10; A—Col. 3:17; N—1 Chron. 29:13; K—Psa. 100:3-4; S—Psa. 79:13; G—1 Chron. 16:8; I—Phil. 1:3; V—Psa. 26:7; L—1 Thess. 5:18; N—2 Chron. 29:31; G—Col. 1:12. After a short program, the meeting may be opened for general testimony and prayer of Thanksgiving and praise. The Juniors will start several songs of praise. e.g. "We Praise Thee, O Lord," "O Worship The King," and ending with "Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow."

"Were thanks with every gift expressed  
Each day would be Thanksgiving  
Were gratitude its very best  
Each day would be Thanksgiving."

#### NOTICE!

Two chapters from Edward Mott's book, "The Friends Church In The Light of Its Recent History" have been published in pamphlet form: "The Lamb Of God" and "The Baptism With The Holy Spirit." They are for general distribution, use in Bible classes and in prayer meetings. They sell for ten cents each, one dollar per dozen or three dollars for fifty post paid. Order from the author at 5527 N. Kerby Ave., Portland, Ore.

#### PRESIDENT CAMMACK ANSWERS YOUR QUESTIONS ON THE CHART

The questions coming to us on the Chart are evidence that real work is being done. The following questions came from Idaho, Portland, and Prune Hill.

1. Will a society receive credit for organizing more than one gospel band? In fairness to the smaller society "No."
2. Is 100 points correct for each novel Meeting? Yes.
3. If a society sets its goal at 750 points and earns 900, which will count? 900 points.
4. Does the Monthly Emphasis have to take the whole Endeavor hour? No, take at least ten minutes of the meeting and use those minutes well.
5. Can other than Friends C.E.'s be organized to count under "New Society"? Yes, if the new society is kept under Friends' leadership.
6. Are the goals under "Social Service" alternative or are both required? Alternates
7. Can dates of the Social Calendar be changed? In a pinch, yes.
8. How often do the regular business meetings of the executive committee and the society have to meet? At least once in two months, preferably every month.
9. What meaneth "Others of the same Age Group?" You may have attenders at rallies who are members of your church but not members of your C. E. They will count for the C.E. that they should join.

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Are you supporting the advertizers? During the last few months, the Western Friends Book & Supply of Vancouver, Allendale Cravats of Boise, and Dr. Rukindorf of Portland have been added to our list. Men are tired of donating an ad for a "good cause." By this time every Sunday School in the Yearly Meeting should be getting their supplies thru the Book and Supply, all of you male readers should be buying your neckwear from Boise, and all of you in commuting distance of Portland should allow Dr. Ruhndorf to examine your eyes twice yearly. We have said nothing of the other good advertizers—you haven't paid the quota so there isn't room—but all should be patronized. Are they?

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