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# THE FRIENDLY ENDEAVOR

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# Fifty-eighth Anniversary Observed by Endeavors

By L. Dell Lamb

ward to new goals as the 1,000 enthusiastic ferent standpoints. We claim that we love young Friends of the Oregon Yearly Meeting the Lord, but the world C. E. union join with the 3,500,000 Endeavorers the world over in observing the 58th anniversary of the founding of Christian En-This Sunday, February 5, marks the birthday anniversary of the greatest organized youth movement of all time.

The spirit of united youth "For Christ and the Church!" is far expanded over that first

organization meeting in the Williston Congregational church in Portland, Maine on February 2, 1881, when Francis Edward Clark, minister of the Gospel, set forth the first principles. Today there are organized socieprinciples. Today there are organized societies of Christian Endeavor in sixty different countries with eighty different religious denominations represented.

It was not a mere "happen so" coincidence that millions of young people of every race on earth should welcome this new way out of the "hum drum" routine of temporal church pinchfist manner, we violate "God loveth a life. In fact, all too often, church life meant but little to the younger people of the church. There was little known of the emphasis upon training the children and young folk for later places of active church leadership and self expression. Truly, the importance of child salvation and training was somewhat realized and, of course, urged but a workable plan of spontaneous youth directed services and fellowship was little advanced. it was no wonder that such a feasible method of worship, training, leadership and growth, discussion and fellowship should meet with such wholesale approval among the fundamental Christian evangelical churches of the

There is no strange power that holds the millions of Christ-centered young people together. There are no hard-to-understand methods of C. E. to follow to create or maintain successful Endeavor societies. Christian Endeavor is a success because it is a nessing, evangelization, labor or social activpart of the very work and plan of the Master Leader, Jesus Christ! It is a success because it is a specialized plan for a particular group of people. Few churchmen would advocate the combining of primary Sunday school classes with those of the adolescent groups on Sunday mornings. Equally as important is the necessity of having C. E. societies grouped into their own age or life interest classifications. People learn by doing. People are more at ease and will more readily allow their personalities and characters to be developed under proper leadership if they are able to work without mental tension among those of their own interest group.

#### WHAT DO WE MEAN?

#### by Paul Cammack

Young people, our love for God often ap-Organized Christian Endeavor presses on- pears hideous, if we dare view it from dif-



Paul Cammack

looks on so often and says, "Judging from how much you do questionable things and how much you are concerned with doing the pleasures of this world I can't see wherein you love your Christ who inspired "Love not the world nor the things that are in the world." We say in testimony

that we love the Lord. But as soon as the collection plate is passed we grudgingly give a little coin, much less than a

tenth, and besides giving in a niggardly, cheerful giver." About 1500 out of our 3252 members in Oregon Yearly meeting tithe. Is it love for God that prompts lazy giving?

We say that we love the Lord. Oh, how blithely we deem love for God! We talk to Him once a week and never quiet dwon to hear him speak. We shun His letter to us as if it held no good news from our dearest Earthly love means more to us Friend. than that; how much more should the love for Jesus be!

We say we love the Lord for He has saved us, but as soon as we have opportunity to preach the saving Jesus to a lost soul, our soul freezes in us and we talk of other things.

Wherein do we have love for God?

is primarily a group discussion plan. this plan each member is made to feel his responsibility for the success of the service whether in research, leadership, prayer, witity. Gradually the young Endeavorer once started in the way feels his duty, his opportunity and his pleasure all become one great motive in the service of Jesus, his Savior. Then as he is ready for matured church leadership he emerges a real laborer in God's vineyard.

Endeavorers in Oregon Yearly Meeting last year and the total number of C. E.'rs over Christian Endeavor is a success because it societies to promote keener activity among ruary 5.

# Five Societies Are Now One Hundred Per Cent

by Lawrence McCracken

Five societies have paid all of their quota money, others are sending money in regularly, and still others have'nt started yet. During the past week several societies have sent in money; and before the next list is printed it would be fine to have something credited to every societies' quoto. The smallest amounts paid are appreciated just as much as the larger so send in as much as you can even tho' it isn't much.

Society	Quota	Paid
Newberg	14.45	
Intermediate	7.20	
Springbrook	26.35	
Intermediate	3.00	
Chehalem Center	9.35	9.35
Highland		
Rosedale		7.20
South Salem		·
Scotts Mills		5.00
Lents		12.00
Intermediate	7.20	
Piedmont	12.75	5.00
Intermediate	9.00	4.50
Vancouver	12.75	
Oak Park	5.95	
Prune Hill	20.40	6.00
Sunnyside	21.25	21.25
High School	13.60	
Intermediate	3.00	3.00
Boise	11.90	
Intermediate	7.20	
Star	27,20	
Intermediate		
Greenleaf	22.10	10.00
High School	37.40	10.00
Intermediate		1.85
Melba		3.50
Intermediate		
Woodland	11.90	
Nampa	15.30	
Vale	7.65	
Tacoma	16.15	10.00
Intermediate	4.20	4.20
Entiat		

the younger people? Could it be that the older folks are neglecting to stand by as they should in ACTIVE prayer and FULL support even though they may be out of the organ-ized ranks of C. E.? This youth movement has definitely proven its merit as a success-There was a drop in number of Christian ful plan for youth. Perhaps, if the older ones will retain a growing passion for the younger people and the younger people will accept the world since the peak year of 1908 when a challenge to greater cooperation and pasthere were four million members in C. E. sion for souls, then C. E. will more than ever Could it be that the true principles of be "For Christ and the Church" in 1939. A success of crganized Christian Endeavor are supreme challenge awaits all Endeavorers being unheeded or that the active Endeavor as they observe the 58th anniversary, Feb-

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#### INTERESTING STUDY OF THE TABERNACLE AVAILABLE

Edgar P. Sims has made an extensive study of the Tabernacle and its spiritual significience (and interpretations. He has constructed a model of it and has used it in many places as a basis of his messages. Wherever it has been shown the entire congregation from the children to the oldest person present has been interested and

He has a concern to share this message with the meetings that may desire this sort of service. He should not be asked to come without receiving at least his transportation expenses and a free will offering besides. He has suggested that he could come for the morning service and devote his hour to the "setting up" of the Tabernacle leading up to the evening meeting when the fuller spiritual meaning could be enlarged upon. Several of our pastors have already had Brother Sims with them and they are arranging for a second engagement. If you are have just covered and which they are using souls have found the Lord during the years to the next and this "lighthouse" serves to interested in this get in touch with him at until they can finish the upper part. Oregon.

does not permit the printing of the news noted a slow increase in attendance and from societies this month. If your society interest since that time. The Yearly Meeting are moving at a rapid rate out in the valley. quota money is sent in, at least in part, we has 20 acreas of land at Vale with 11 acreas

The new church will be under construction by

faithfully sent in news this month—Rosein the community, they manage to make

A man is never a hypocrite when he is alone.



# Superintendent Introduces Twenty-one Out Post Workers

There are 21 fine consecrated loyal men five such bands out each Sunday. Entered as Second-Class Matter, Feb. 8, 1928, and women on the frontiers of this Northat the Post Office at Portland, Oregon, under the Act of March 3, 1879.

Whitney which was reported in the Decate of March 3, 1879.

Whitney which was reported in the Decate of March 3, 1879. Yearly Meeting in advancing the Kingdom their new building by the time this issue is and for the salvation of souls. By Quarterly read. And soon the call for the dollar pledges Meetings they are as follows:

Boise Valley Quarterly Meeting

Merle Green at Woodland, Idaho, recently married, first pastorate, just closed a revival already a Sunday School is being held in meeting with Lennard Craven, pastor of Star the Holton home. This is a challenging new meeting as Evangelist. You'll hear more from point and we hope to have more to say Merle as the years go by.

Curtis Moore at Greer, Idaho... Curtis and Margaret Morse have been working for sev-Lawrence McCracken cipal work has been in the Sunday school has been pastor of this community work among the children.

> port from the Yearly Meeting. God has blest revival with spiritual victories. his ministry and reports indicate that he is Robert Craig at Bethany, Seattle, Wash. of this people.'

Heights. These two young men are co-pas- no mistake made in their decision. tors in this new field where they own land munity on its feet.

They both work hard and have to "make calling

married, first pastorate, graduate of P. B. I., We are sorry but the four page paper the work at Vale in September and they have will be able to return to the regular eight under water. The Quarterly Meeting and the time of this issue, and as weather per-Yearly Meeting furnish two cows as part mits will progress through the winter. There Reporters from the following societies of the support and with the work available is a real interest in the building program dale, Lents, Highland, Greenleaf, Piedmont, a comfortable living. God bless these young

Edward Baker at Centerpoint. Edward Baker is working in a community church where several Friend's families attend. He has been there for a number of years and God has given him a place in the hearts of the people of the district. Hubert Mardock recently held a revival for them. While this work may not become a Friends Church, we need to constantly remember Edward Baker in our prayers.

Other Points in Boise Valley: There are other points where Gospel bands go each Sunday to hold Sunday School and preaching

will be sent out over the Yearly Meeting for that place.

The Home Dale project is developing and about it in the near future.

TACOMA QUARTERLY MEETING

Richard Brown at Ardenvoir, Wash. Brothministry has been outstanding. Their prin- and Son of Clio T. Brown. Richard Brown at Ardenvoir for over a year. Ardenvoir is Zenas Perisho at Unity... Zenas Perisho located on the Entiat River about 9 miles recently closed his ministry at Vale, Oregon, north of Entiat. This work is among mill folks and felt such a drawing toward the little and has slowly been increasing in interest town of Unity, Oregon that he moved in and among them. Denver Hedrick recently held started work there with no promise of sup- a meeting for them and God honored the

opening a door to Friends in that locality Student at Seattle Pacific College is doing that may spread to two other adjacent com- good work at Bethany. The Bethany conmunities. In a recent letter he writes: "I gregation is "all dressed up and no where beg the prayers of Oregon Yearly Meeting to go." The highway commission is putting who know how to get hold of God, in behalf a super highway right through the lot and the members are looking for a place to move. LeRoy White and Calvin Hull at Ontario Pray much for them that there may be

Lewis and Myrtle Russel at N. E. Tacoma. and are developing it. They are both fine N. E. Tacoma touches a large unchurched young fellows and are earnestly doing all they district. We have a nice chapel church and can to help put the meeting in that com- a good parsonage on a large piece of ground in a central location.

Lewis and Myrtle Russel have served time" to study for their messages, and "take this point for a number of years and have time" from their work to do the necessary had the pleasure of seeing material improvements made in the property and also They are enjoying the basement which they to see God's blessing upon the people. Many of the past and this "lighthouse" serves to Loren Burton at Vale, Oregon. Recently point the people of the community to the married, first pastorate, graduate of P. B. I. "Light of the World".

PORTLAND QUARTERLY MEETING

Oscar Brown at Rose Valley, Wash. Rose valley has been presented before, but things

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# FRIENDLY JOURNAL SECTION

#### THE POET'S CORNER By Olive Terrell JESUS CALLS

Jesus calls and I must answer Counting naught a price too high, Standing firm amid the battle, And, if needs be, but to die; Moved not by the things that trouble, Not disturged by Satan's wiles, But to do the thing entrusted And be thankful when God smiles

February, 1939

Jesus calls and I must answer, Answer with a willing heart, Freely yielded to the Spirit That my life may have its part: That my course be not unfinished In the gospel of His grace, And my soul with joy abundant Comes to meet him face to face.

WEST MILL PLAIN NEWS

the award going to Eleanor Root for the a year's time. winning basket.

Phyllis Munroe, Nancy Powers, Martha Sea- February 9th and 23rd. gong, Eleanor Root, Lola Lowe, Jay Elli- Prune Hill Senior Christian Endeavor Socey, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Smith and Richard losers in a recent contest.

parents of an eight pound baby boy, Larry Park Intermediates and Seniors to a social Lee, born January 11. Mother and baby are at Prune Hill on Saturday February 25. doing nicely.

The annual election of Sunday School Sunday, February 26 at 3:00. growth during the coming year are very fav- Belz and Advisor, Mildred Hadley.

### PRUNE HILL NEWS

nesday February 1 at 7:30 p. m. Missionary County Holiness Association will be held Day is on February 5 with a missionary Tuesday February 21 at the Orchards Methmarch.

### MISSIONARY MEETING ON MARCH 5TH dinner at noon.

on Sunday March 5th at both Oak Park and month at Oak Park, 90 the afternoon and 70 Prune Hill churches. R. Ethol George, Port- at nite. Nine were forward during the meetland Quarterly Meeting Missionary Chairman ings. will have charge of an interesting program.

except to do the impossible for God?"

#### PRUNE HILL JUNIOR CHURCH ENLARGES

was carried on at the Prune Hill Junior ent. The goal is 100 by Easter. Church for a period of ten weeks. The side Oak Park Intermediates and Seniors are captained by Shirley Serbur won by a margin to be guests of the Prune Hill Society on of 60 points. Wesley Armstrong was the Saturday evening, February 25, at Prune Hill other captain. The loosing side is to treat Church. the winning side. As a result of the contest Oak Park Women's Missionary Society ten new children came into the Bible School, announces an All Day Meeting at the Church Mildred Hadley, leader of the Junior Church on Thursday, February 16, with Prune Hill reports that there is a membership roll of Society as guests for the occasion. 51 active members.

#### PRUNE HILL NEWS

125 feet of water in the 250 foot well. The the church pulletin, cutting wood, cleaning pump rods and pipes have been pulled the church and other helpful deeds. and put in order and there will be water for the church as soon as a motor large enough to raise the water is secured. The well originally took eighteen months to drill and presentation of offerings on the open was a very costly investment. was a very costly investment.

By Mrs. R. W. Smith

The adoption of Scripturaly and businessThe Intermediate boys "Thunderbird" class like methods of Church finance made posheld a New Year's eve watch party at the sible the raising of \$344.08, which is as much the month. school house. A Basket Social was held with in six months, as was previously raised in

The Women's Missionary Society of the Those present were: Margaret, Jean and Prune Hill Church will meet on Thursday interest to follow.

thorpe, Hugh Munroe, Leonard Holsman, Bill iety is to have a social Saturday February 11 Lowe, Bert Simpson, John Peters, Kenneth at the home of Robert Manary. The Social Lane, Ernest Smith, Myrle and Robert Bail- is under the direction of the boys who were

Prune Hill Senior Christian Endeavor Soc-Mr. and Mrs. Lea Harness are the proud lety has extended an invitation to the Oak

The Bible School council will be held on

officers was held Sunday, January 8. The fol- The newly elected Christian Endeavor oflowing were elected to serve during the ficers are: President, Clynton Crisman; Viceensuing year: Mrs. R. W. Smith, Superin- President, John Morasch, Jr.; Secretary, Bettendent; Mrs. George McCoy, assistant super- ty Barber; Treasurer, Leo Crisman; Missionintendent; Leonard Holsman, Secretary- ary, Alta Jean Crisman; Social Committee treasurer; Mrs. Velma Skogset, pianist. There Chr., Burdell Knobel, Lookout Committee has been a large increase in the Bible School Chr., Bernard Dorman; Prayer Meeting Chattendance during the past year under the airman, Leila Crisman; Chorister, Mary Morcompetent leadership of Mrs. Robert Norton asch; Gospel Band leaders, John Morasch and Elvett Brown. Prospects for additional and Roger Barber; F. E. Reporter, Genevieve

#### HOLINESS MEETING AT ORCHARDS METHODIST CHURCH

Business Meeting is to be held on Wed- The February All Day Meeting of the Clark odist Church, Orchards, Washington. Meetings at 10:30, 2:00 and 7:30 p. m. Pot-luck

There will be a special missionary meeting Sixty attended the morning meeting last

Many a man tries to break himself of bad "What are Christians in the world for habits only after the habits have broken him

#### OAK PARK NEWS

A new attendance record in the Bible A contest for attendance and membership School was reached January 22 with 84 pres-

Sixteen boys have signed up for the Boy Scout Troop sponsored by the church. Frederick Baker has been asked to be Scout The men of the church have discovered leader for this group of young men. The boys have been very helpful in helping put out

> The first Sunday of the month is Missionary Day; there will be a Missionary march

The Bible School Council is set for Feb-

Business Meeting is the first Thursday of

The first church night of the year is to be held on Saturday, February 4, at 7:00 o'clock with a fellowship dinner and a program of

The Women's Missionary Society has begun work on the Mother's room. A second floor is yet to be put in.

Olive Terrell and Leila Crisman, Junior Church workers report very interesting meetings are being held.

#### TRANSPORTATION MONEY NEEDED

It is drawing near to the furlough time of Esther Gulley from Puerto Perez, Bolivia. Four cents will bring Miss Gulley one mile towards home. Any mileage money should be brought to Church on Sundays.

#### PROMOTED

Helen Virginia Barber was born in Grass Valley near Camas September 22, 1931. She was taken to be with her Lord December 30, 1938 in Vancouver,, Washington. She leaves behind, her parents Mr. and Mrs, Frank L. Barber, Roger and Robert, brothers, and Mrs. Ronald Bowen Betty, Carol and Doris, sisters.

Funeral services were at Stoller's Funeral Home in Camas. Burial was at Camas Cemetery with Frederick Baker officiating.

Mrs. Elmira Sarah Carlson was born August 18, 1902 at Mill Plain. She left this world to be with her Saviour December 29, leaving behind three children, Mrs. Loretta Johnson of Portland, Eugene and Wayne of Vancouver. Her parents are Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Manary of Orchards. She leaves behind five sisters and five brothers. Funeral services were at Limbers in Vancouver. Burial was at Fisher's cemetery with Frederick Baker offic-

#### OUT-POST WORKERS

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in this place.

James and Mildred Raymond at Rosemere. Rosemere meeting is in the rural district of Vancouver, Wash. This work has increased by leaps and bounds in the last year or so. God has signally blessed the work of these two devoted workers. Their building is too small for their growing Sunday School. They have gained the confidence of the entire community and many children have been saved and are faithful in their prayers and testimonies. Hubert Mardock recently held a gracious revival for them.

Roy Dunnagan at Mud Bank Idaho. Mud Bank, what a name, is about 16 miles south of Couer d'Alene, Idaho on the North and South Highway. It is a country community and the services are held in a school house. Roy Dunnagan's membership is in the Second Friends Church of Portland, so this relates the work to Portland Quarter and too it is easier to get to Portland for Quarterly Meeting than to go to Boise. Brother Dunnagan is carrying the heavy load of this field in a most inspiring manner. His faith in God and the future of the work there is strong. He needs cur prayers.

Fred Baker at Prune Hill and Oak Park. Mildred Hadley at Prune Hill. Mary Allen at Oak Park. Olive Terrell at Oak Park.

This fine staff of workers is making Quaker history for Oregon Yearly Meeting. The untiring energy and passion of Fredrick Baker inspires all the workers to do their best. Mary Allen and Olive Terrell as parish workers for both Prune Hill and Oak Park have done unusually fine work in this capacity. Both places are growing in numbers and spiritual victories are reported in nearly every service. They have set their goal for at least one

soul a week for 1939. Unite with them in prayer for this objective.

Mildred Hadley felt led to leave First Friends of Portland and cast her lot with the new Prune Hill monthly meeting. Mildred is also editor of the Friendly Endeavor and deserves much credit for the untiring efforts which she puts forth in her work. May God bless her richly.

Elvitt Brown at West Mill Plain. Student at P. B. I., son of T. Clio Brown, vice-president of Oregon Yearly Meeting C. E. Union. The work at West Mill Plain is largely Sunday School in character, and Elvitt is teaching the adult Bible Class and is working in to the hearts of the people in a commendable fashion.

Ralph Bell at Alder Crest. Former student at P. B. I., a convert from the North East Tacoma Out Post. He is serving a community point just south of Portland. Let us remember him in his work among the people in this district.

In closing this introduction on the Supt. wishes to ask, where could you find such a fine group? Oregon is signally blessed. Put these workers on your prayer calendar and pray for them daily. Then don't forget that they are making great financial sacrifice, most of the support of these men and women comes from the United Budget. Has your meeting met its share of this important item?

#### IN SYMPATHY

Friends in the Yearly Meeting wish to express their deep sympathy to Mr. Hoffnell, and we can look forward to a strong meeting and to the Lehman family of Rosedale Monthly meeting, in their recent loss of loved ones. Both Mrs. Hoffnell and Mr. Lehman esteemed members of the monthly meeting and their home going has been keenly felt by the entire membership.

> Be sure to mix the sugar of hope with the pickles of pessimism.

> A fool is a man whoise plans all end this side of eternity .

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#### TWO NEW C. E. MEMBERS

A son, Edward Eugene, born December 30, 1938 to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Haldy. ..A daughter, Lois Elizabeth, born to Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Eichenberger, on Friday, the 13th of January, 1939. It is interesting to note that the baby's maternal grandmother, Mrs. E. M. Heacock, and her paternal grand-father, Mr. W. C. Eichenberger were also born on Friday, the 13th of the month.

Self-made men are apt to brag too much about their maker.

A cynic is a man who tries to hide his sores behind his sneers.

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