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Carl D. Byrd Yearly Meeting Evangelist

Carl D. Byrd, pastor at Marshalltown, Iowa, will bring the messages during the sessions of Oregon Yearly Meeting. He is one of the leading pastors of Iowa Yearly Meeting and holds the position of presiding clerk of the Yearly Meeting. Carl Byrd has served with merit in Kansas Yearly Meeting and we welcome him in our midst trusting that under the leading of the Lord a gracious work may be done.

Eugene Coffin to Be Quaker Hill Evangelist

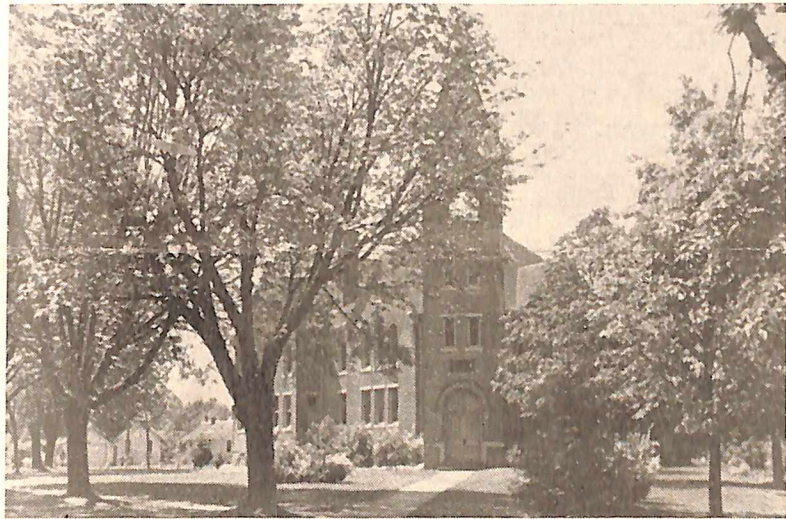
At the conclusion of a beautiful banquet held on the evening of April 5 in the new high school gymnasium at Homedale, Idaho, Eugene Coffin was announced to lead the evangelistic efforts at Quaker Hill this summer.

Coffin, a graduate of Pacific college and of Portland Bible institute, for nearly four years has been pastor of the Friends Community church of Fresno, Calif. While in California Yearly Meeting he has been very active in young people's conference work, both at Camp Sequoia and Quaker Meadows. Also he has served as president of the Ministerial Association of California Yearly Meeting. The executive committee considers itself fortunate in securing Eugene and his wife Jean Gardner Coffin for this summer's conference.

The theme, "Starlight Over Quaker Hill" was carried out in the evening's program and decorations. Arthur Roberts of Greenleaf, toastmaster, introduced a program of music, skits and talks. Instrumental numbers were given by Patsy Cochrane, Homedale, who played two violin selections, and Earl Craven and Ernest Stephens who played a trombone arrangement of "Believe Me If All Those Endearing Young Charms." Greenleaf was represented by a trio, Joyce Perisho, Deane Roberts and Betty Altig, who sang "Stars of the Summer Night," and "Juanita." Keith Smith and Wilma Mardock sang a sacred duet. All music was enthusiastically received, and encores were numerous.

Esther Ulrich, a member of the Homedale C. E. spoke of "Stars Over Quaker Hill" so vividly that we all recalled nocturnal experiences of our own while at Quaker Hill. Burl Kirkpatrick presented

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Friends church in Newberg, Oregon, where all the sessions of Oregon Yearly meeting will be held June 10 to 15.

49th Session of Oregon Yearly Meeting Convenes June 10 - 15 at Newberg

The forty-ninth annual session of Oregon Yearly Meeting of Friends convenes at Newberg June 10-15. Friends from all quarters of the Yearly Meeting should make special effort to attend this year. A large attendance will insure a more interested and competent discussion of the great national and local problems which confront us as Friends.

May every member of the Yearly Meeting pray earnestly for God's wisdom and guidance as we approach the business of the coming session.

It is difficult to give at this early date definite announcements regarding the program of the Yearly Meeting, however, some plans are ready for publication and are here presented.

Following is a schedule of the business from day to day:

Tuesday, June Tenth

Meeting of Evangelistic and Church Extension Board, 8:00 a. m.; Meeting on Ministry and Oversight, 3:00 p. m.; Meeting of Missionary Board, 4:00 p. m.; Meeting for worship, 7:30 p. m.

Wednesday, June Eleventh

Meeting for worship, 8:00-9:15 a. m.; Opening of Yearly Meeting, 9:30 a. m.; inspirational hour, 11:30 a. m.; meeting of representatives and caretakers, 1 p. m.; business, 2 p. m.; Christian stewardship,

2:30 p. m.; literature, 3:15 p. m.; Ministerial association, 4:00 p. m.; meeting of permanent board, 7:00 p. m.; meeting for worship, 7:30 p. m.

Thursday, June Twelfth

Meeting for worship, 8:00-9:15 a. m.; business, 9:30 a. m.; Bible school, 10:00 a. m.; public morals, 10:45 a. m. inspirational hour, 11:30 a. m.; general superintendent's report, 2:00 p. m.; evangelistic and church extension, 2:30 p. m.; meeting for worship, 7:30 p. m.

Friday, June Thirteenth

Meeting for worship, 8:00-9:15 a. m.; business, 9:30 a. m.; board for aged ministers and missionaries, 10:00 a. m.; peace and arbitration, 10:30 a. m.; inspirational hour, 11:30 a. m.; business, 2:00 p. m.; foreign missions, 2:30 p. m.; meeting of board for aged ministers and missionaries, 6:00 p. m.; Pacific college corporation, 8:00 p. m.; Meeting for worship, 7:30 p. m.

Saturday, June Fourteenth

Meeting for worship, 8:00-9:15 a. m.; business, 9:30 a. m.; education, 10:00 a. m.; inspirational hour, 11:30 a. m.; business, 2:00 p. m.; Memorial hour, 2:15 p. m.; home missions and social service, 2:45 p. m.; Christian Endeavor business meeting, 4:00 p. m.; Christian Endeavor rally, 7:30 p. m.

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Sunday, June Fifteenth

Meetings for worship, 8:00 a. m. and 11:00 a. m., 3:00 p. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Concluding Minute

We would like to call attention to some of the special features as are reported by some of the departments.

Wednesday

The representatives meet at 1 p. m. and representatives must be present at this meeting to be seated for the duration of Yearly Meeting. Vacancies will be filled from the list of alternates in the order named.

The departments of Christian stewardship and literature make their reports in the afternoon and are combining to have one speaker, thus allowing more time for discussion of the reports and business.

Thursday

The report of the committee appointed to carry on the work of the general superintendent for the year will be heard at 2 p. m. This will be followed by the report of the Evangelistic and Church Extension board. This is always an interesting meeting as the work of our outposts is presented. Everyone possible should be present to hear these two reports and aid in the deliberations arising out of them.

Friday

At 10:30 the department of Peace and Arbitration will present its report. Levi T. Pennington, the department superintendent, suggests the following questions in regard to consideration of this work:

Peace Session

What are the duties and responsibilities of the Friends of Oregon Yearly Meeting in the maintenance and propagation of the Quaker peace testimony in a world at war? This might very well be the theme of the peace session this year.

Whether we hear some notable outside speaker or simply face our own problems ourselves, this session should tend to answer such questions as these:

Just what is my personal duty, and what form of service can I give to my country without disloyalty to Christ and to the truths of Christianity for which Friends have especially stood?

How can I best promote the cause of peace on a Christian basis?

How can we best help those of our members who are in difficulty of any sort by reason of their loyalty to conscience?

How can Friends of Oregon Yearly Meeting best express in concrete service to humanity the Christian love for all mankind which is the basis of our peace efforts?

Foreign Missions, Friday, June 13

Howard and Julia Pearson, missionaries on furlough, will be in attendance. A missionary rally will be the feature of the program. The work of the Yearly Meeting in Bolivia will be presented in an explanatory report. Excerpts from

the report from the field will be presented and interesting events will be enlarged upon by our missionaries. Maps and charts explaining the work will be on display and fully costumed people will represent the different strata of life in Bolivia. Illustrations and curios of many kinds will be on display. The distribution of the church dollar and what it costs per person to save a soul in Bolivia will be illustrated. Special selections in music will be presented. The afternoon will be closed with latest views from the field in color and motion pictures.

If there is any information desired by anyone and questions are sent to the missionary board in time to have them presented at this meeting, such questions will be answered. The object will be to make our work in Bolivia a living reality to the folks at home. Bring your notebook and be prepared to assist in the missionary rally.

At 2:30 p. m. the foreign missionary board will present its report and have charge of the program. Following is information furnished by A. Clark Smith, chairman of the board.

Saturday

The department of Home Missions and social service makes its report at 2:45 p. m. An interesting program consisting of special music and an address on the subject "The Place of Home Missions and Social Service in Our Church Program" has been arranged.

Saturday is Christian Endeavor day at Yearly Meeting and Christian Endeavorers from all over the Yearly Meeting are urged to attend, reviving the spirit and enthusiasm of former days.

Since the conferences are all regional, the 4 o'clock business session of the C. E. is the only business session of the Yearly Meeting C. E. held during the year. At 7:30 the Christian Endeavor rally is held. Let all make plans to be present to enjoy a fine program and a time of blessing.

It is too early yet to announce the Sunday services.

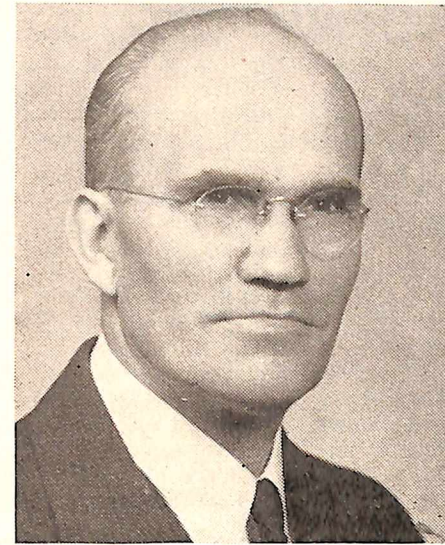
A few facts should be remembered in preparing for Yearly Meeting. Friends appointed on the nominating committee should not be appointed as representatives. Friends appointed on the finance committee must be representatives.

The entertainment committee furnishes the information that the meals are 95 cents per day, 25 cents for breakfast, 35 cents each for dinner and supper. Pastors and their wives and representatives from Boise Valley Quarterly Meeting

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T. Cleo Brown, Friends Evangelist

Answered Prayer

By T. Clio Brown

Much that perplexes us in our Christian experience is but the answer to our prayers.

We pray for patience, and God sends tribulation; for "tribulation worketh patience." (Romans 5:3-5).

We pray for submission, and God sends suffering; for we learn obedience by the things which we suffer. (Hebrews 5:8).

We pray for unselfishness, and God gives us opportunities to sacrifice ourselves by looking to the interests of others, and by laying down our lives for our brethren (Philippians 2:4; Matthew 27:42; I John 3:16).

We pray for victory and the things of the world swoop down upon us in a storm of temptation; for "this is the victory that overcometh the world, even our faith...." (I John 5:4).

We pray for strength and humility, and some messenger of Satan torments us until we lie in the dust crying for its removal (II Corinthians 12:7-9).

We pray for union with Jesus, and God severs natural ties, and lets our best friends misunderstand us and seem indifferent to our desires, and calls on us to walk alone (Isaiah 51:2; Matthew 8:19-22).

We pray for love, and God sends peculiar suffering and puts us with apparently unlovely people, and lets them say things which rasp the nerves and lacerate the heart, for "charity suffereth long, and is kind; charity envieth not; charity vaunteth not itself, is not puffed up. Doth not have itself unseemly, seeketh not her own, is not easily provoked, thinketh no evil; rejoiceth not in iniquity, but rejoiceth in the truth; beareth all things, believeth all things, hopeth all things, endureth all things. Charity never faileth: but whether there be prophecies, they shall fail; whether there be tongues, they shall cease: whether there be knowl-

edge it shall vanish away." (I Corinthians 13:4-8).

We pray for likeness to Jesus, and the answer is, "I have chosen thee in the furnace of affliction." Can thine heart endure or can thine hands be strong? "Are ye able?" (Isaiah 48:10; Ezekiel 22:14; Matthew 20:22).

And in the furnace He melts us into something of His own tenderness and gentleness, and teaches us how to bear one another's burdens, and how to live to make intercession for others. (Galatians 6:2; Hebrews 7:25; Ephesians 6:18).

But this is only the transitory side. There is an everlasting recompense of praise and honor and glory awaits us at the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ (I Peter 1:17). "Therefore we do not lose heart. But, even though our outward man does waste away, yet our inward man is renewed day by day. For our light and transitory affliction is achieving for us, beyond all proportion, an eternal weight of glory—if we look not at the seen, but at the unseen; for the seen is tempory, but the unseen is eternal." (II Corinthians 4:16-18 Weymouth).

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thoughts on "Orbits." He emphasized the fact that as stars may have two orbits, so may we dwell on a higher or a lower place of living.

"Astrology" given by Wayne Roberts, presented the program for this, the fourteenth annual conference of Boise Valley young people. He explained that although some of the "stars" selected by the executive committee to illuminate the conference this summer turned out to be comets which left our skies for the moment, the personnel is nearly complete.

July 8-13, the date set for this year's conference, will find the following "stars" as class leaders. Howard and Julia Pearson, Edward Harmon, Paul Mills, Pearl Reece, and Emmett Gulley. Bernard Seaman will direct the music during that week, and Keith Williams and Elonita Mardock will be the combination in charge of recreation.

Heading the administration of this year's conference will be Wayne Roberts, superintendent; Keith Williams, assistant superintendent; Robert Ralphs, dining hall manager; and Everett Tuning, grounds manager. A complete announcement was not made concerning deans, but Merle Poe will act as dean of men. Bernard Seaman led a chorus and the banquet was dismissed with prayer by George Moore.

The following committees were in charge: program, Wayne Roberts, Mildred Haworth, Earl Craven and Jeanie Richardson; Decorations, Dorothy Robertson; Publicity, Burl Kirkpatrick.

The women of the Homedale church are to be praised for the delicious menu of ham, pineapple, potatoes, peas, rolls and butter, jelly pickles, fruit salad, cup cakes and coffee.

Plan now to attend Quaker Hill this summer, July 8-13. If you wish work at conference this summer, write to Bob Ralphs immediately at 5624 N. Borthwick, Portland, Ore.

INVITATION

Mrs. Elma Lull invites friends to the marriage of her daughter, Melva Mittby to Frederick B. Baker, in the Camas Friends church Monday evening, June thirtieth, at eight o'clock. Mr. Baker is the pastor of this meeting and also Prune Hill.

TWIN ROCKS BANQUET DRAWS RECORD ATTENDANCE

Salem knew something was happening on the evening of March 29. A crowd of 330 young people in cars of all descriptions paraded the streets of the city with Salem Quarter in the lead, escorted by police. The procession ended at Salem high school where the paraders flocked into the cafeteria, filling it to capacity. After ravenous appetites had been satisfied, Walter Lee, announcer on station T. R. C. welcomed listeners to the annual broadcast of the station, and urged all to use its product.

The Emcee, Sherman Hadley, then introduced that song bird of the air, Kate Smith, alias Marie Ellis, who led us in some rousing choruses.

The main feature of the broadcast was the one and only "Dr. IQ," who conducted a quiz, the answers of which revealed officers and teachers at the forthcoming conference in July. Famous personalities questioned were Max Colver, Lansing Bulgin, Mary Frances Nordyke, Mrs. Walter Cook, Mrs. Carl Miller, and Edgar Worth Coulson Jr. Miss Nordyke, through her ready wit, won free registration at conference.

Singin' Sam (Joseph Reece), and the B. M. I. trio from Pacific college contributed to the musical side of the program.

A highlight of the evening was the announcement of the engagement of Fred Baker to Melba Mittby. After the popping of 330 tiny paper bags, the secret was out, and the couple were congratulated by a round of applause and the lusty singing of "There's a Long, Long, Trail A Winding."

After a stirring talk by Ed Harmon on the Christ-centered life, the banquet came to an end, to become just another happy memory.

TWIN ROCKS DINING ROOM MGR. RECEIVES WORK APPLICATIONS

If you wish to work in the dining room or kitchen during Twin Rocks conference write to Mrs. Ida Colver, 7130 SE Boise St., Portland, Ore., to make application. Please give your name, name of Endeavor society of which you are a member, pastor's name, and your age.

Only young people who are members of a Friends Christian Endeavor society in Portland, Newberg or Salem Quarterly Meetings are eligible for work.



LA PAZ 1940 CONFERENCE
Believers at the 1940 annual conference in La Paz gathered for the noon meal. Men sit on one side, women on the opposite side of blankets spread on the ground for tables. The frozen potatoes are spread on the blankets. Believers holding soup plates in their hands.

ANNUAL CONFERENCE HELD IN APRIL

The annual conference opened in La Paz, Thursday evening, April 10th, at 7:30 Bolivian time (11:30 A. M. Portland). Rev. Mr. Hamby of Alabama is the evangelist this year. Mr. Hamby is following a call to evangelistic work in the Latin Americas. He stopped in Central America for the conference at Chiquimula, Guatemala, and arrived in La Paz in time to hold the conference for the Friends there. The good services of Dr. George Ridout have not been forgotten and another good time is anticipated for this year. More information of the conference and other items of interest can no doubt be here in time for the next edition of the paper.

SOCIETY NEWS

MELBA ENDEAVORERS HELP IN EASTER CHOIR

Under the direction of Mrs. Lela Hull, a choir consisting mostly of our C. E. members is practicing for the church's Easter music.

Edgar Potter of Greenleaf had charge
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Tamplins Occupy New Mission Home

The Tamplins have moved in. Like the man in the Bible they have been asked to take a higher room. Their patience has been rewarded and now they can vacate the Chapel basement for the upper rooms in the new home.

The building is not complete but enough has been done to enable them to use the upper floor. It must seem good to once more have a good floor under their feet, enough windows to provide light and sunshine, and a home above ground. We rejoice with them.

The Tamplin family have been working early and late to be able to move in time for the spring (fall there) conference.

The building is 30' by 32' with two stories above ground and a semi-basement excavation from the hillside making a garage and storeroom below. The upper story will be finally used for visiting missionary quarters and sleeping rooms and the first story will be the mission home. The rooms they have vacated can now be used for Sunday School class rooms and for dormitory space during conferences.

The Lord has indeed been good to us in enabling us to have a home for our missionaries. This has been possible because the people of the Yearly Meeting have rallied to the need and have allowed God to speak to their hearts in showing what He would have each to do. With the Tamplins we can say "Thanks be to God for His goodness to the Children of Men".

Friendswood, Texas
March 12, 1941

The Friendly Endeavor
Joseph Reece
Portland, Oregon
Dear Friend,

Edward Mott is holding a series of Bible Conferences in Friendswood Quarterly Meeting. He has just concluded such a conference at Friendswood meeting. A two weeks meeting, Feb. 23 to March 9. The services were well attended and a good interest shown throughout. His ministry of teaching helps to ground the Church on the Word of God. Any meeting might well profit in using Mr. Mott to build up their spiritual strength. He will continue in the Quarterly Meeting until Easter.

Sincerely in His love
Nathan B. Pierson

Pastor of Friendswood
Monthly Meeting
TWO NEW C. E. MEMBERS ARRIVE

David Macy Cammack came to stay with Paul and Phyllis Cammack March 27, at Bend, Ore. We wonder if he will some day be president of the Yearly Meeting C. E. Union.

Lawrence and Lucille McCracken are proud parents of a new daughter, Elma Jean, born April 3.

"THESE FIFTY YEARS"

The history of Ohio Friends mission, titled "These Fifty Years," written by Dr. Walter R. Williams, is now available through Ohio Friends Book Concern, Damascus, Ohio, at 75 cents in paper cover, or \$1.25 in cloth.

It was published as part of the recognition of the first half century of Ohio Yearly Meeting's missionary work in China. Dr. Williams is unusually qualified to write this account, having spent twenty years in that field.

The story of the pioneer efforts is challenging to the reader as one sees God's power to save lost men wrought through their consecrated lives. That spirit in later years and in the present day staff of missionaries, plus a home church loyal in its support is the secret of this great work.

For inspiration and information read "These Fifty Years."

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ing and Tacoma Quarterly Meeting are issued non-transferable books of meal tickets for \$1.00 each. Visiting ministers and wives, missionaries and pastor's children under eight years are given free meals.

If the demand is sufficient the men's dormitory at the college will be available at \$1.00 per bed for the week. The beds are all single beds and Friends using the dormitory must furnish their own covers and pillows and other personal effects.

Friends must bear in mind that absolutely no cooking is permitted in the dormitory. This rule must be observed lest we lose the privilege of the dormitory.

Reservations may be made at any time. There is opportunity for 10 or 12 young people from Boise Valley and Tacoma Quarterly Meetings to work in the kitchen for their board. Write soon if interested.

A communications regarding accommodations should be sent to Ida Van Blaricom, Newberg, Oregon.



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Greenleaf Y. P.	156,530
Prune Hill	154,305
Rosedale	127,265
Whitney	87,226
South Salem	44,000
Star	40,703
Greenleaf H. S.	43,788
Intermediates	
Boise	137,986
Greenleaf	103,000
Tacoma	94,213
Camas	80,968
Homedale	43,248

These points listed to March 1. Next and last report before the final count is due, June 1. Send at once to the F. E. editor for the July issue.

NEWS FROM HOME FIELD

Only one more month until Yearly Meeting. Before then there are many reports to be correlated and handed in. May I urge everyone who has any responsibility along this line to please be faithful and get this report in on time. Let us begin praying now for the sessions of Yearly Meeting. Let us make plans to attend, and I am sure that if each of us will do his best this will be the greatest Yearly Meeting in our experience.

Not many reports have come in, but the following reports will give you some idea of what is taking place over the Yearly Meeting.

Middleton—Clyde Thomas, Pastor

We have received the following report from Middleton:

"We are glad to report that the outside work on our church is nearly completed. We plan to have a dedication service soon.

"We deeply appreciate the work Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Thomas are doing here. The interest and attendance are growing steadily.

"The Mission Circle met at the home of Mrs. Allen on April 3 and made curtains for the basement windows. They also plan to buy paint and refinish some old furniture that has been donated and buy plywood for tables. They will give a silver tea at the home of Mrs. St. Onge

on April 17, the money to be used in fixing the basement."

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Homedale—George Moore, Pastor

Don't forget the one dollar pledge call for Homedale. The work here is most encouraging. If one thousand persons could only get a concern and vision as some have and would give one dollar each, this indebtedness would be cleared up.

One item of particular interest would be the dedication of their new basement March 26th. A large number of people were present and had a very interesting program. This will give the Sunday School much needed room and enable them to do better work.

They also report increase in their Sunday night services and are particularly happy because of the interest of the Intermediate Christian Endeavor Society as they furnish a fine choir for this service.

Ridgeview—Evert Tuning, Pastor

Ridgeview is looking forward to two most important and enjoyable experiences. First, they are planning to dedicate their new building, April 27th. Second, Hubert Mardock is beginning a series of revival meetings on the date of the dedication. These two very important events surely mean much to the life of this community. They are holding meetings now in the new building and there has already been a very decided increase in attendance and interest. May the Lord bless this field of service particularly at this time.

West Chehalem—Edward Harmon, Pastor

West Chehalem Church recently held their Church Night Fellowship Social. Over eighty-five were present. The evening began with a community sing at which patriotic and folk songs were used. Howard and Julia Pearson, our missionaries from Bolivia, showed pictures of our mission field. Rose Fendall directed the play of the smaller children. Marjorie Rowland and Marie Gebhart supervised the young people. The older people stayed upstairs and visited, and by the volume of noise it was hard to tell which group had the best time.

The necessary steps are being taken at the present time to set up the West Chehalem Church as a Friends Monthly Meeting. It causes our hearts to rejoice when we think of the way the Lord has blessed in this new field.

Rose Valley—Oscar Brown, Pastor

Oscar Brown enjoyed a very unusual experience recently when he was asked to speak over station KWLK of Longview

Washington. The station received so many letters and telephone calls in appreciation of the message that the station secured a sponsor and arranged with Oscar Brown to speak over that station every Tuesday evening at 7:15 for a period of thirteen weeks. This is certainly a most worthy project.

Rose Valley is looking forward to a genuine Quaker camp meeting this summer. Hubert Mardock is to be the evangelist. Edward Mott is to be the Bible expositor. The tents will be pitched in a beautiful grove behind the Church and there will be a fine place for those who can attend to set up their own tents. The dates for the camp meeting will be announced later. We believe that this is a splendid undertaking and would prove very valuable for many of our meetings.

Prune Hill—Frederick B. Baker, Pastor

The Sunday School at Prune Hill began a "Cross and Crown" contest April 6, 1941. This has proved to be a most helpful contest in many meetings, and we believe it will mean much to Prune Hill. The contest will last for an entire year.

Camas—Frederick B. Baker, Pastor

One bit of information which possibly would be of interest to all is that the Parent Teachers Association decided that they had better change their meeting to another night because so many people attended the Friends prayer meeting that there was poor attendance at P. T. A. Am certainly glad to hear of a Church that is able to wield this influence in a community.

SOCIETY NEWS—Cont'd

of our morning service on March 26 while our pastor was away.

Our pastor's mother, father, and sister were visiting here from Kansas.

James Selby, a former C. E. member, visited at the home of his parents the past week. He is working in a mill at Grand Ronde, Oregon.

The Lord is working mightily in our evening services, for several of our young people have taken definite steps toward new spiritual experiences.

Installation of new officers of the C. E. was the feature of our Sunday evening service, in which each new officer bowed before the altar, with several of the church members leading in prayer. Our new president is Irene Montgomery; vice president, Dorothy Hunsperger; secretary, Mary Ellen Wheller; treasurer, Jesse Hunsperger; prayer meeting chairman,

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Laurence Lee; social chairman, Francis Adams; missionary chairman, Wilma Mardock.

Mrs. Lena Engles has taken charge of the Intermediate group of Christian Endeavor.

Mrs. L. E. Kissell and her three children, now residents of Fruitland, Idaho, visited her relatives over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Morse are the parents of another son, Francis William.

PRUNE HILL ENDEAVORERS PRESENT PAGEANT

"The Challenge of the Cross," an Easter pageant, was presented at Camas Friends church on Sunday evening, April 27, by the young people of the Prune Hill Endeavor society. 90 people were present.

BROWN-STEINER

Following the afternoon service of Highlands Friends 50th Anniversary celebration, March 23, Miss Ava Brown became the bride of Mr. Albert Steiner, young Methodist minister at Salt Lake City, Utah. The bride's father, Rev. T. Clio Brown performed the ceremony, assisted by Dr. Earl Barker. Oscar Brown sang preceding the ceremony, "Love Never Fails." Elizabeth Brown attended her sister, and Elvett Brown the groom. Mrs. Louis Buckley sang during the consecration service while the bride and groom knelt before the altar. The young couple are living in the suburbs of Salt Lake City, where Mr. Steiner is serving in the Methodist church.

BENNETT-KING

The marriage of Miss Dorris Bennett of Lents Church, to Mr. Merrill King of Monmouth, Ore., was solemnized on the afternoon of February 24, 1941, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Raymond in Vancouver. Alison H. Rogers performed the ceremony in the presence of a few relatives and friends. The bride was charming in a floor-length dress of blue taffeta. She was attended by Miss Doris King, cousin of the groom, while Donald King, brother of the groom acted as best man. The young couple will reside at Monmouth.

ROSEDALE

New officers were elected at a recent business meeting which resulted; Presi-

dent, Almon Lehman; vice-president, Ivan Bing; secretary, Clara Sparks; treasurer, Kenneth Sherwood; social chairman, Harry Phillips; missionary chairman, Dorothy Sherman; lookout chairman, Ivan Bing; prayer meeting chairman, Lorraine Lehman, Friendly Endeavor reporter, Velleda Trick.

On March 21, we had an informal banquet at the parsonage, and the new officers were installed, initiated, and gave speeches. After the speeches, a short program was given and the remainder of the evening was spent in playing games.

The evening of March 20th, after prayer meeting, a group of the neighbors surprised Mr. and Mrs. Harry Phillips with a kitchen shower.

We were glad to have Paul Cammack visit us at the Sunday morning service of March 23. Walter Lee visited at the evening services and spoke on March 23.

March 28th the Sunday School held their Birthday Supper in the basement, with a oyster supper. After the supper Mrs. Margie Hamilton had charge of the games.

Those going to the Twin Rocks banquet from Rosedale were Mr. and Mrs. Owen Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Bates, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Showers, Clara Sparks, Marjorie Shower, Barbara Bates, Lavinia Brown, Velleda Trick, Lorraine and Almon Lehman and Ivan Bing.

Clara May Sparks went to the hospital Tuesday, April 8, undergoing an appendectomy. She is recovering nicely.

HIGHLAND HOMECOMING VERY SUCCESSFUL

Highland Friends recent 50th Anniversary celebration proved to be a great blessing to all attending, for many of the former pastors returned to again give their testimonies; old members also renewing their acquaintances, and charter members reminiscing of the "beginnings" of our church. Fred George recalled boyhood escapades and memories of the early Highland community. Edgar Sims gave the morning message and T. Clio Brown the evening address. Highlights of the well-attended afternoon service were short messages from Ida J. Lee, Belle Kenworthy Maris, and other reports from former members, and a charter-member roll-call, with six responding. Then to make the day even more of a treat—a

wedding, of the former pastor's daughter, Ava Brown, to Albert Steiner, young Methodist preacher in Utah, immediately after the afternoon service. So now, starting out on their next fifty year stretch, Highland Friends are encouraged to follow the godly example of those responsible for the first half century of their church.

The Herman Macy's journeyed over to Bend, April 9, to see new little David Macy Cammack, born to Phyllis and Paul Cammack on March 28. They found him to be hale and hearty, starting his Quaker career in a model, quiet style. Mrs. Macy had been staying with her daughter, and returned to Salem.

A birthday party in honor of Dorothea Feller was celebrated at her home, March 21. "Sardines", an exciting brand of house "Hide and Seek" was one of the high points of the evening, along with Dorothea's white angel-food birthday cake.

With a hundred more Endeavorers coming down to the Banquet at Salem this year than those attending in Portland last, the Salemites know where succeeding Banquets should be held!

LENTS ADOPTS NEW CONSTITUTION

The Christian Endeavor Society has adopted a new constitution which has a new clause relating to the length of office for our officers. The president will hold office for one year, and all other officers will serve a term of six months. Our new officers are: President, Paul Lundy; secretary, Edith Judd; treasurer Willis Repp; prayer meeting, Geraldine Eastman; missionary, Ruth Lundy; music, Terrell Repp; social, Ruby Yeager; reporter, Eilene Tamplin.

The Adult Bible Study group that meets at 6:30 each Sunday evening has chosen a name for itself—"The Biblist Bible Class." The meaning of "Biblist" or "Biblicist" is one skilled in the knowledge and interpretation of the Bible; one who adheres to Bible teachings.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Belle are the parents of an eleven pound baby boy born March 29, his name—Robert Eugene. Another new little Lents member—a girl born to the Lloyd Judd's, Judith Ann, on Monday, March 31.