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Joseph G. Reece Named Yearly Meeting Superintendent

By unanimous action Joseph G. Reece was appointed General Superintendent of Oregon Yearly Meeting at the business session held Thursday afternoon.



JOSEPH G. REECE

Appreciation of his work as Evangelistic Superintendent the past year was freely expressed. His appointment to the larger service demands our united support in cooperation and prayer.

Joseph Reece has served First Friends, Portland, the past six years as pastor in an acceptable way. As this meeting again relinquishes another pastor to serve the larger interests of the Yearly Meeting, may the Lord richly bless them in their calling of another to fill the vacancy.

OREGON YEARLY MEETING 1941

By Sophia Townsend

Another Yearly Meeting has come and gone—but not from our memory. A Friends Yearly Meeting. What is there, the world over, like it, except just another Friends Yearly Meeting? A gathering where old friends meet and greet one another in Christian fellowship; a meeting where each is privileged to speak his opinion as to policy, and to tell his experiences with the Lord, with freedom and frankness; a conference of boards and committees composed of earnest, humble people, who, burning with a love for God and for souls, administer the spiritual interests of a great territory of the Northwest and a spot in far away Bolivia; a meeting where a vast amount of business pertaining to the machinery of the church organization is carried on, where new plans are instituted and difficulties adjusted, under the guidance of the Holy Spirit and in Christian love and forbearance. Oregon Yearly Meeting of 1941 was all of this, and more, for it was a time, too, of spiritual refreshing and refueling, preparatory for another year of undertaking and progress.

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OWEN WILLIAMS

Just as the paper is going to press word has been received of the drowning of Owen Williams, pastor of Rosedale Meeting, Tuesday evening July 1. Friends in attendance at Yearly Meeting will remember him as one of the young men recognized for recording in the Sunday afternoon service.

The sympathy of Oregon Yearly Meeting is extended to Erma, his wife in this hour of sorrow. May she know in the fullest measure the Love of our Heavenly Father, and the comfort of the Holy Spirit at this time.

Since little information is at hand now, details will appear in the next issue.

Northwest Friends' Service Committee of Oregon Yearly Meeting Organized

By Earl P. Barker

Many members of the Yearly Meeting will want to know about the organization of the new Service Committee, and of its plans for the future. There is a task ahead of us in which we shall need the sympathetic cooperation of every person in our church, and their prayers that the God of peace may be glorified in the things we undertake. Everyone can help; we urge you to work with us, that the Committee may accomplish what it has set out to do.

For the information of those who were not present, the Yearly Meeting accepted the plan sent up by Portland Quarterly Meeting, thus authorizing the establishment of a new service committee for our Yearly Meeting alone. The Committee has no connection with the American Friends Service Committee, except that we have a member on Civilian Public Service; this entitles us to represent the thought and feeling of the Northwest to the national committee, and to receive all information about the administration of the selective service Act and of the Civilian Public Service camps. Your chairman was designated to represent us in this way. The Committee was set up and organized with two members from each Quarterly Meeting, and with Edward F. Harmon as secretary and Charles C. Haworth as treasurer. The name as finally adopted is "Northwest Friends Ser-

NEW YEARLY MEETING C. E. OFFICERS ELECTED

Saturday afternoon at the C. E. semi-annual business meeting Harold



ARTHUR ROBERTS

Roberts of Greenleaf, Idaho, was elected president of the union. Harold has been an active and dependable worker in his own quarter and comes to this position with zeal and consecration. He is a sophomore, expecting to attend Pacific College this next year.

Esther Mae Weesner, our efficient secretary, was re-elected to the same position. Also Hazel McIndoo was reappointed to her position of statistical secretary.

John Astleford of Chehalem Center C. E. is the new treasurer. Take note—his address is Newberg, Oregon, Route 1. Maxine Stehlik will continue to assist the treasurer as financial secretary.

Quarterly Meeting Superintendents are also vice-presidents in their respective areas. They are as follows:

Portland	Max Collver
Newberg	Elinita Mardock
Salem	James Armstrong
Greenleaf	Wayne Roberts
Tacoma	Howard Harmon

vice Committee of Oregon Yearly Meeting."

The historic peace churches cooperated last fall to organize the National Service Board for Religious Objectors. They felt that the best way to show the full meaning of our peace testimony was to offer the services of our young men who may be excused from military duty to perform work of national importance at our own expense, without salary from the government. This move was accepted and the cost of camp operation set at \$35 per month for each boy. The work is to be done under the supervision of either the Department of Agriculture or the Department of the Interior. The National Service Board has agreed to raise the money with which to pay for

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Northwest Friends Service Committee of Oregon Yearly Meeting Organized

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each boy in camp, but it has not agreed to raise it for the conscientious objectors of our Yearly Meeting without your help and mine. The plan is that the boy himself contribute all that he possibly can of this amount (\$420 for the year's service). If he is unable to pay it himself, his family is asked to do all possible to help him. If there is still a deficiency, the Monthly Meeting is asked to step in and give assistance. It is especially urged that other conscientious objectors of draft age who will be deferred because of dependents or for other reasons will do what they can for their brothers in the camps. Other Friends who can take this method of backing up their testimony are urged to give liberally.

All money, whether contributed by the boy himself or by his family or church, is to be sent to the Service Committee treasurer. He will send it on to the proper headquarters. Your Quarterly Meeting committeemen will accept it and send it in, or if more convenient you may send it direct to Charles C. Haworth, Treasurer, 410 W. Rural Avenue, Salem, Oregon. Do not send such funds to our Yearly Meeting treasurer. For all contributions the Committee will issue certificates of various denominations, such as \$1, \$5, \$10, and so on up to \$100. There is a special reason for these certificates. During the earlier World War considerable pressure was exerted to secure the sale of bonds for military purposes. It may occur again. In such a case one of these certificates will constitute evidence that Friends are not loaning, but giving outright in this time of stress; that they are not only paying the way of our boys in camp, but thereby contributing their services to our government to perform work of national importance. No one will need to feel ashamed to show his certificates as evidence of his loyalty and patriotism. These forms will be in the hands of your Quarterly Meeting committeemen within a few days. Any money sent directly to Charles C. Haworth will be acknowledged in the same way. It must be understood that this is a time of emergency, and that gifts for this cause must not be deducted from the requirements of our missionary and evangelistic program. All must go forward together.

The Committee asked and received the Yearly Meeting's approval on a plan to work with and through the Monthly Meeting peace chairmen. We need information. It is very important that we be kept posted as to the status of every boy of draft age. We should know when he receives his questionnaire, how he is classified, and when and where assigned to camp. We appeal to the young men of the Yearly Meeting themselves to keep us informed, and to the peace chairmen to lend assistance. It is vitally necessary that we know when one of our members is about to be inducted into service, and that as long in advance as possible. We also ask the help of the peace chairmen for the Quarterly Meeting committeemen in all that they seek to do in their own areas. No doubt the Quarterly Meeting peace superintendents will assist them also. We wish to know about the young men who go to army camps to do combatant or non-combatant service, as well as those who are assigned to Civilian Public Service camps. There is no disposition on the part of your Committee to coerce the conscience of any individual. Each one should, through prayer and study, determine the exact relation of his own convictions to the present situation and indicate his desires on Form 47 accordingly. While the young men who go to the army camps do not need our financial support they do need our moral support. We want to know where they are, and to keep in touch with them. Please send all information about the situation of each boy directly to your Service Committee chairman, whose address appears below. Write him also for any information needed on any phase of the conscientious objector problem; he will secure it for you.—Earl P. Barker, 5536 N. Borthwick Ave., Portland, Oregon.

Our Quaker peace testimony, as the writer understands it, is the testimony that, through the enthronement of Christ in our hearts, all occasion of war has been removed and peace reigns within. There is no hatred, no avarice, nothing that can give rise to conflict. We have little hope of bringing all wars to an end, but war has ended in our own souls. This obligates us to tell others of the power that has wrought within. We win others to peace by winning them to Christ. We win them to Christ by the message of His salvation, coupled with a life that exemplifies His sacrificial love. There will

be abundant opportunity for our boys in the camps to live before others the kind of life that convinces, that proves that Christ is king. There will be opportunity, too, to witness and to lead some souls to personal surrender and dedication. Our prayers will go with them, that God may bless and use them among their fellow-workers and in the communities which may be nearby.

COME TO THE KINGDOM FOR SUCH A TIME AS THIS

By Laura C. Trachsel

"I will take of the Spirit which is upon thee and will put it upon them, and they shall bear the burden of the people with thee, that thou bear it not thyself alone." (Nu. 11:17)

"And the things thou hast heard of me among many witnesses, commit thou to faithful men, who shall be able to teach others also." (2 Tim. 2:2)

These two verses point out one of the chief tasks of the missionary: he is to make himself dispensable by teaching others to bear the burden also. The national leaders when filled and energized by the Holy Spirit truly do bear the burdens of the people and they do teach others of the things that have been taught them of that Spirit through spiritual missionaries, or directly as they poured over the Word of God in prayer.

The leaders in the Chinese church are our joy and crown of rejoicing in this day of flux and change. They are ready to step into the gap and carry on, for God has prepared His workers for such a time as this. Many of them have Esther's spirit of "If I perish I perish." There are outstanding evangelists, there are Bible teachers of no mean caliber, there are gospel team workers, children's workers, Bible women; Chinese Christian workers equipped by training and personal spiritual training to minister to China's need. They are far too few for the great harvest but they are a noble band.

In the humbler walks of life are men and women whom God is calling to a real burden for the church. Mrs. Sung is one of them. She is a widow with three children, a school-teacher. After twenty years of wandering from God and living as a secondary wife to a rich man, she came back to Father's house. Soon she became convicted to give the tithe as she heard it faithfully preached at Nankwantae by a Bible

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MISSIONARY UNION ORGANIZED AT YEARLY MEETING

By Hazel Porter

The vision of united missionary work of the women of Oregon Yearly Meeting came first to Julia Pearson.



HAZEL PORTER

During the past year as Julia Pearson visited the different Quarterly Meetings, much desire to help the Bolivian work was expressed. With the suggestion of what might be done there was a most gratifying response, the result of which was the display at Yearly Meeting of the beautiful furnishings for kitchen, bedrooms and bath for the Hadley Memorial building. This splendid giving from the women indicates that vitally helpful things can be accomplished. The women are ever eager to do something over and above their allotted part and such loving service brings inspiration and blessing. United effort gathers all the individual gifts, enhancing the whole.

About half of our local meeting have organized women's missionary societies. We are so thankful for these, and the object of this Yearly Meeting Union is to help every group to be organized and operating. The duties of this union are to bring helpful suggestions in the interests of both home and foreign missions, along the lines of prayer, study and project. How fortunate we are to have Pearl Reece to direct our activities for the home field; and who could be more capable of directing the projects for the foreign field than Julia's sister, Marie Haines? Then for the year's program and literature we look to our capable leaders, Esther Brougher and Florence Snow. Estella Mardock will give sugges-

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tions for our devotional lessons, prayer bands and prayer partners. Alice Hadley of Entiat is our Union Treasurer; and when your local president receives letters all nicely typewritten—that will be the work of our secretary, Mae Nordyke. Dilla Tucker of Nampa, as vice-president will do much of the work of the president in Idaho. In order to make a connection link with the Yearly Meeting Mission Board, Hazel Porter was chosen to serve as President of the Women's Home and Foreign Missionary Union of Oregon Yearly Meeting for the ensuing year. Pray that God will be glorified in this united work for Him.

"A Task without a Vision is

Drudgery;

A Vision without a Task is a Dream;

A Task with a Vision is Victory."
—Anon.

WHAT WILL YOU GIVE?

Julia Pearson says if any Sunday School classes, Junior Endeavors or C. E.'s would like to give something to Bolivia, that pencils, black and colored, crayons, colored kindergarten papers and colored chalks for school and Sunday School, would be very acceptable.

All things should be in her hands by August 1st. Send to her at 3924 S. E. Taylor St., Portland, Ore.

The missionaries also need two more good, strong, flat top second hand trunks before August 1st. Anyone wishing to donate same get in touch with them at once.

Riverside Has Homecoming Day

Early this spring, Riverside had a Homecoming Day with several returning to renew old friendships. Those who could not attend sent letters to be read. Lealdus Mardock brought the message.

The Sunday School had a program on Mother's Day. The bouquet for the oldest mother was given to Mrs. E. B. Field, to the youngest mother, Mrs. Harold Hill.

Our meeting was unanimous in calling Roy Dunagan as pastor for another year.

A two weeks D.V.B.S. was held under the leadership of Rosa Allen in May. About 36 were enrolled.

NEWS BITS FROM SECOND FRIENDS CHURCH

In May a rare pleasure and treat was ours when "The Spiritual Jubilee

Singers" of Chicago gave us a two-night concert of Negro spirituals. The first night they sang a varied program of spirituals. The second night they gave a very splendid presentation of the teachings of Christ, in spirituals.

Decoration Day the two Young Peoples' classes spent the day at Simmons Park. The main activities of the day were ball playing and swimming. Other games were also played. Everyone did his part when it came time to eat. Although rain drove us home in the late afternoon, a wonderful time was had by all.

Our pastor's wife, Mrs. Smith, is visiting her mother in Idaho for two weeks. Her mother is having a family reunion.

Children's Day was observed Sunday, June 1. The Children gave a program during the Sunday School hour. At the close of the morning church service, a dedication service was held in which several babies and small children were dedicated to the Lord by their parents. Fitting remarks and a dedicatory prayer were given by the pastor.

Mrs. Smith, our Pastor's mother, is again visiting at his home. We are very glad to have her with us again.

Every Tuesday evening, the Young People meet for ball practice at Lents Park. We plan to play against other teams this summer.

Kathleen Smith has returned home from Pacific College in Newberg.

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The Visitors

This year we were favored with the presence of visitors who made definite contributions to the various sessions of the Yearly Meeting. H. Edwin McGrew, who preached on Sunday Morning, was for several years president of Pacific College, and is now president of William Penn College, Oskaloosa, Iowa. Carl D. Byrd has been pastor of the Friends Church at Marshalltown, Iowa, but has accepted a call to the meeting at Denair, California; he gave the inspirational messages at eleven thirty each morning, and had the evangelistic services each evening. Raymond Wilson, from Philadelphia, assistant Secretary of the Peace Section of the American Friends Service Committee, spoke during the hour devoted to the Peace Department. Thomas W. Bewley and wife, from Whittier, California, brought greetings from that meeting; Roy Clark, a member in Cleveland, Ohio, was present, and local ministers of other denominations were introduced at various times.

Ministry of Song

No small part of the spiritual blessings which were enjoyed by those present at the meetings came through the ministry of song, for scarcely ever has the Yearly Meeting been more favored in this line. Keith Macy had charge of the music; he sang a number of solos, and was accompanied by his wife, Dorothea Pike

Macy, at the piano, and also in vocal duet. All were delighted to hear once more the sweet strains from William J. Murphy's tenor voice. Ella Byrd, wife of Carl D. Byrd, was as acceptable as a soloist as her husband as a preacher. A mixed quartet, consisting of Carl D. Byrd and wife and Everett Craven and wife was greatly appreciated. Harry and Alice Bundy, and Meyer Tandtitter and wife, the latter from Portland Hebrew Mission, contributed to the pleasure of the meeting in this line, also, as well as Della Hanville Osburn.

Departments

The Bible School report showed a gain in nearly every item. At the Sunday School hour on Sunday morning interesting talks were given by representatives from the Quarterly Meetings and a demonstration of a beginners' class by the Newberg Sunday School was exceedingly interesting and instructive.

The Board for Aged Ministers and Missionaries is making a very carefully worked out plan for caring for our ministers and missionaries after active service days are past; the details of this will be found in the minutes.

The Peace Department has a project which engages their best efforts as they provide for civilian camp training for our young men of draft age who cannot conscientiously engage in military service of any kind. Earl P. Barker was made chairman of a large committee representing all of the Quarterly Meetings, having this work in charge. An offering was taken Sunday afternoon to start the funds for financing the plan, but this is only the beginning of what will be an opportunity for us all to show just how much we are willing to stand the cost of our convictions. In the light of what our Quaker ancestors suffered for their principles we dare not fail now.

A committee was appointed by the Meeting on Ministry and Oversight to organize a course of home study for pastors and prospective ministers who find themselves unable at the present time to take formal training in any school. It is hoped that a number will avail themselves of this opportunity for becoming more efficient in their service.

A number of meetings are enjoying the prospect of enlarged or improved buildings. New parsonages, new churches, redecorating and additions are the order in several places.

Homedale, Rosemere, Piedmont, Woodland, Middleton, Camas, and Ridgeview are some of the enterprising congregations. During the year two new monthly meetings have been set up, Homedale, and West Chehalem; and in a short time a new quarterly meeting, to be known as Greenleaf Quarterly Meetings of Greenleaf, Homedale, Ontario Heights, and Riverside will be organized. Upon the recommendation of the Executive Committee Joseph G. Reece was chosen the General Superintendent for the coming year.

At the missionary session, persons in costume representing the various classes of people to whom our missionaries minister appeared on the platform. These with striking posters prepared by Mignon Macy, showing the numbers in the various districts of Bolivia waiting for the gospel, formed an impressive background to the appeal made by Howard and Julia Pearson as they told of the progress and the needs of the work in Bolivia. A splendid display of furnishings for the new missionary home in La Paz, prepared by the women's societies in the local meetings made vivid to our minds the fact our dream has become a reality—and not only our dream, but the dream and longing of the one for whom this missionary home is a memorial. The Chester A. Hadley Memorial Hall will soon be completed, a beautiful and commodious building. There is still much awaiting our accomplishment in the Bolivian field and this is not the time to slacken our efforts. It has been a great privilege to have the Pearsons with us these months; our prayers will follow them as they return in September.

Emmett W. Gulley, newly elected president of Pacific College, announced some of the plans being made to add to the efficiency of the College in its aim to prepare young people for service, and to make self support possible for the students.

These are only the high lights of what took place in the business sessions; the minutes will give every detail of the actions of the meeting and reports given.

Dedication and Recognition Service

Two impressive services occupied the attention on Sunday afternoon. A beautiful drinking fountain in a brown sandstone base, replacing the old improvised one, was dedicated to the memory of Chester A. Hadley.

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With its abundance of sparkling water it is symbolic of the life of our beloved friend and Yearly Meeting Superintendent, in whom the promise of John 4:14 was assuredly fulfilled. The structure of the fountain, too, is significant, having the form of a cross when viewed from the side; the cross of Christ and what it means was the foundation of the fruitful life of the one whose memory we cherish and honor.

Following this came the meeting in the church at which the newly appointed General Superintendent, Joseph G. Reece, was formally presented to the Yearly Meeting. Special recognition was given to the ministers recorded at this session of Yearly Meeting, Harry and Alice Bundy, Northeast Tacoma; Owen Williams, Rosedale; and George B. Palmer, Piedmont. The meeting united in bidding God-speed to Howard and Julia Pearson, who, before many weeks, will sail to South America to resume their labors in the mission in Bolivia.

Meetings for Worship

As usual, the eight o'clock meetings were times of blessing as testimonies and prayers were followed by messages from some of the younger ministers of the Yearly Meeting.

At the inspirational hour Carl D. Byrd gave much food for meditation and a challenge to a deeper walk with God; to know God's will and to recognize the vital things in life; then, to feel the urge to be about our Father's business as Jesus felt, when He said "I must", and to seek the necessary preparation for this service—to "tarry until . . ."; to see and to know God, and to understand His unchangeableness in all of life's changes and uncertainties; and, last, to join the "Order of the Burning Heart", which only those who come close to the great heart of Jesus Christ can enter.

The evening services were rich with the presence of the Spirit of God and the truth of the Word. It was a sight not to be forgotten when the young people crowded about the altar rail, some to declare again their consecration, some to answer a call to service, some to renew broken vows, and some to find the Savior and to begin with Him the Christian life.

God answered the prayers of many for Oregon Yearly Meeting of 1941.

May we ever appreciate as we should this institution, so common to us who have grown up in the Friends church, yet unique in its character, its blessings, and its privileges.

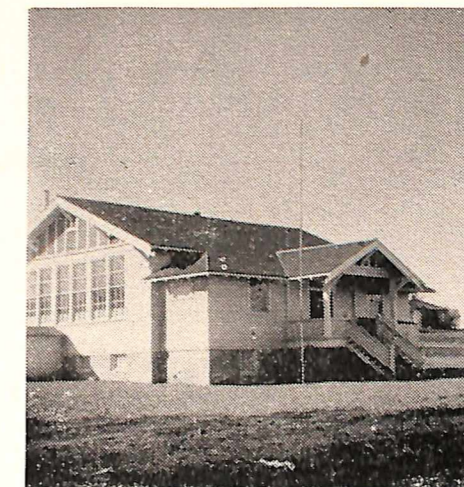
GREENLEAF GOSPEL BANDS SPEND BUSY DAY

This is a typical Sunday as spent by some of the Greenleaf Gospel Bands. At another time reports of other like work will be given.

At about 9:10 on Sunday morning J. Allen Dunbar starts out with his Dodge and drives around about a half section of land at Greenleaf to pick up his load. First he gets Charlotte Macy, next Dean Roberts; then he goes to the home of E. C. Hawley



Lake View Workers—Left to right, J. A. Dunbar, Betty Altig, Deane Roberts, Tom Settle.



Lake View Schoolhouse

where he picks up Vera Hawley and Betty Altig; next and last is Denzil Davis.

He then drives about ten miles to Lake Lowell Schoolhouse where he leaves Denzil Davis, Charlotte Macy and Vera Hawley. Next he picks up Tom Settle and drives on about five miles to Lake View Schoolhouse.

Dean Roberts is superintendent there. Mr. Dunbar teaches the adult class, Tom Settle the boys' class, and Betty Altig a class of girls around twelve to fifteen years of age. Here they have an attendance of twenty to twenty-eight—usually twenty-one or twenty-two. This is a community known for years as hard to interest. James McIntyre of Riverside Meeting had the concern which started the Lake View School.

Lake Lowell has an attendance of thirty to forty. Denzil Davis teaches an adult class, Vera Hawley has a

class of grade school pupils, and Charlotte Macy gives a sermonette. Five years ago this school began with ten or eleven. Arthur Roberts, one of the members and a student in the College of Idaho speaks at this point on Sunday nights. Occasionally other young people from Greenleaf help then, too. Mr. and Mrs. Settle and their daughter, Janet, have been faithful standbys for years.

Last year Hubert Mardock conducted a series of meetings at Lake Lowell but had little visible results. This place is under the supervision of the Greenleaf Outpost Committee as is also Central Park.

Central Park is a community twenty miles from Greenleaf and about a mile from Star. Mr. and Mrs. Leland Hibbs (Mrs. Hibbs was formerly Iverna Hirst), Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Tozier and Willa Hirst are the Greenleaf helpers. The attendance is around forty. Mrs. Hibbs has a very fine junior choir of fifteen or sixteen. Mr. Hibbs serves as a minister with two services on Sunday.

There are six families that are active at Central Park, two just recently having established family altars.

Several series of revival meetings have been held in an abandoned church building which has been repaired and cleaned up by the present interested group of people.

At all these points the seed of the Word is being sown and it is decreasing the some forty million young people in the United States who have no religious connections.

Suggestions for the New Year By The Department Superintendent

Your Yearly Meeting superintendent of Home Mission and Social service hoped to present articles from all the Quarterly Meeting superintendents but only two have been received.

In making up the annual report we are glad that it shows an increase in our activities in this line of service for the Master.

And now for the coming year let us include with our giving the following seven items:

- 1. a little love
2. a little tenderness
3. a little compassion
4. a little understanding
5. a little helping hand
6. a little tear
7. a little prayer

Jesus used all these in His ministry. Let us try it in our personal work.

RESULTS OF HOME MISSION AND SOCIAL SERVICE WORK

By Levia Hanville, Newberg

In summing up our local mission and Social Service work it is impossible to tabulate or estimate the results.

The committee attempts to give clothing or food with a cheery word or smile and an invitation to attend church and Sunday School.

Sometimes when the sick, hungry or discouraged are helped by a church organization it will leave their hearts softened to the approach of the Savior later.

One Sunday School class has had a new awakening to the opportunity of service by having the secretary ask each Sunday how many calls the members of the class have made on sick, or sorrowing people during the week.

(Only the following societies reported for the third quarter of the Quaker Crusade. Ed.)

Table with 2 columns: Society Name and Amount. Includes Boise Y. P., Greenleaf Y. P., Greenleaf H. S., Melba Y. P., Star Y. P., Whitney Y. P., Homedale Y. P., Prune Hill Y. P.

Intermediates

Table with 2 columns: Location and Amount. Includes Tacoma, Boise, Greenleaf, Whitney, Camas.

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School graduate, the preacher there. She decided to attend another station where she would not hear that teaching but the very first Sunday she was at Chai Pu a believer arose and told with radiant face the joys and rewards in tithing as he had proved in his own experience.

She left her husband and started on the life of faith with her three girls. She found it hard to tithe but again God spoke to her and she paid up two years back tithe when a gift came to her which was needed for living expense but she was determined to first pay the Lord His due.

work, not only for the committee but everyone in the church. The pleasure and look of encouragement on the faces of people who are helped cannot be put into words.

The scope is so far reaching, the field so needy, opportunities so abundant that our Heavenly Father is the only one who can see what and how far reaching the results may be.

it if we will all tithe. I long to see our church in China strong and able to care for itself." Her testimony was the means of convicting one woman there that day who had saved her tithe but was afraid to actually give it away to the Lord's work.

Oh, that this spirit of burden may increase in the Chinese church. There will be some hay, wood, and stubble work destroyed in the crisis days ahead but I am sure the gold, silver, and precious stone foundations are also there, deep and strong, and God is going to bring out a glorious church in China.

TWIN ROCKS NEEDS FOR 1941

In surveying the needs of the conference for this year there are two especial things in which we will all be interested and in which many of us can help.

First, we need at least a dozen new straw ticks of a size about 4' 4" x 6' 4". We will need these at our conference this year, so if you individually or if one of your Sunday School classes or your Ladies' Aid can furnish one or more, please notify Walter P. Lee, 10809 NE Skidmore St., Portland just as soon as possible so that the management may know what to expect.

The other need is that of painting the buildings at Twin Rocks. A great many people have expressed a desire to see that done this year and of course, the need has been obvious for a long time.

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Quaker Camp Meeting Held at Rose Valley July 6 to 20

By Oscar T. Brown

The first Quaker camp meeting in Oregon Yearly Meeting will open July 6th with Edward Mott and Hubert Mardock as speakers.

Bernice Mardock of Springbrook, and Marian Edgely of Camas will have charge of the music.

Those planning to camp will have to bring their own tent and other camp equipment. A fine spring in the grove gives ample supply of water.

Oregon Yearly Meeting friends are asked to stand by this work in prayer whether it is possible to attend the camp or not.

Schedule of Services

Morning service, 10:00, Edward Mott Bible Expositor. Children's Meeting, 10:00, Bernice Mardock and Marian Edgely. Evangelistic Services, 7:45, Hubert Mardock, evangelist.

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KANSAS YEARLY MEETING PASTORS' ALLIANCE

The ministers of Kansas Yearly Meeting met at Haviland, Kansas, April 21-24 for their annual Pastors' Alliance. There were 183 registered and a number of others in attendance.

Charles E. Haworth, of Columbus, Ohio, was guest speaker of the Alliance. His searching, inspirational messages were greatly appreciated.

An interesting and inspirational feature was the program of sacred music given on the opening night by the Chorus and A Cappella Choir of Friends Bible College.

In the business session held on the closing day William Garrison was re-elected as president of the Alliance.

Notice of Semi - Annual Business Meeting

The semi-annual business meeting of the C. E. Union will be held during the sessions of Twin Rocks Conference.

This action was deemed advisable in view of the fact that this year delegations from the other conferences will be in attendance.

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SALEM QUARTER SPEAKS UP

Our reporters all being busy, your Salem (ex) Q. M. Superintendent brings a few breezy bits from down Salem way.

Esther Cammack returned from school-teaching duties at Kent, the last of May. She has been driving her much-in-demand sister, Laura Trachsel about, to some of her appointments, in between bossing the strawberry pickers on her brother Forrest's farm!

Every other C. E. member down our way is either picking cherries or trying to get a job at the cannery, canning them. But that's all right. That's the way we get to Boys' Camp and Twin Rocks!

Silver Creek Falls was as lovely as usual when we had our Rally up there on May 24. We hiked through the deep woods trails, gazing in awe at the spray of the falls, getting up a good appetite for the evening meal. Hot pork 'n beans was the favorite part of the meal, with big chunks of frankfurters floating around on top.

Marion, our baby C. E., speaks: "Here is a bit of news for the F. E. The Marion C. E., now organized for six months, held their monthly social Friday evening, June 6. Not many were able to attend, but they had a good time.

Paul Cammack, ex-President of C. E. journeyed down to Eugene the Monday after Yearly Meeting to start Summer school at the University. This is his last year with summer sessions, for he is writing his Master's thesis this summer.

Salem will see you-all at Twin Rocks!

10th Annual Wauna Mer Conference Meets July 22-27

By Howard Harmon

The last week of July has been set as the permanent date for the annual Wauna Mer conference by the conference committee.

The theme chosen for this year's conference is "Through Christ".



A. CLARK SMITH

Capable leadership, increased numbers, and the permanent home all witness to this fact.

Leadership for this conference is outstanding in the corp of workers who will be in charge. Clark Smith will again be the conference evangelist. His messages last year were such a blessing that it was the united desire of the committee that he be called to serve again in the same capacity.

The teaching staff will include Dr. Earl Barker of Cascade College, Louise Dagner now of Tacoma meeting, formerly a teacher in the Nazarene College, and Howard and Julia Pearson, our missionaries on furlough. Harry and Alice Bundy, pastors at N. E. Tacoma will be in charge of the music. The children will have Doris and Alvina Davis for their leaders. Edward and Lois Harmon will be in charge of the sports. This fine group of workers will do their part to make the conference worth while and enjoyable to every one in attendance.

Virginia Brown will serve as registrar. Rates not including registration are the same as last year.

Adults	\$4.50
6 to 12	3.50
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WILL WE SEE YOU THERE?

By Betty Lou Gardner

"Good-bye,—see you at Conference!" Excuse me for saying good-bye at the very first of this story, but I was just quoting what I heard every two minutes Yearly Meeting Sunday. And oh, that long wait between Yearly Meeting in June, and Conference the last of July. And oh, the business that Uncle Sam gets from the letters that flop back and forth planning for that week at the coast of fun and fellowship never to be forgotten.

Remember the first day, when cars roll in packed with suitcases, bedding and People? Here comes the Salem truck load, and who is that truck following it?—Why it's the Idaho delegates. And what on earth are those gadgets they're wearing? (Note: My vision grows foggy—no telling what it will be.) Yes that's right, we bothered Quaker Hill last year, so it's their turn now, to come here.

Then, the first meal and honestly now, I believe there is almost as much food eaten, as there is talking—which is a very large amount, of both. And by the way, from all reports, and from quite reliable resources too, I hear we can count on good food again this year, because our three stand-bys are going to try again to fill all our mouths, which is no simple task, to say the least. I really don't think it necessary to say that their names are Grace Hadley, Bessie Gardner, and Bertha Heacock, so I won't say anything about it. They will have to really cook now, with Don Strait as dining hall manager.

The first evening evangelistic service is a tender spot in our being which is touched and kept open throughout the classes, inspirational hours and then night meetings. This tender spot is ourself, our soul, which is dedicated to God and His service. Those who have not already made the consecration find that Conference is a wonderful opportunity to do so; and many others are reconsecrated. The closeness and fellowship felt in the religious services by the Conference body is one that means security, and a step towards confidence and growth in our spiritual life. But before any of this can be accomplished, there needs to be prayers from all of us, long before Conference time, that the Lord may bless and make it the best Conference ever held at Twin Rocks. We are looking forward this year to having one of our former Salem residents

and a great C. E. leader, as our evangelist, Milo Ross, of Greenleaf, Idaho. He is one of our own young people who gave his life to the Lord at Conference and has followed the directions of his Master by preaching the word of God, and helping others find their way into the Kingdom.

Speaking of classes, just in case you haven't heard who the various teachers are, I'll tell you. We'll start with the Junior's Meetings. They are going to be under the direction of Lois Harmon and Erma Williams, who have both proved in former times to be very capable of planning and presenting a week of splendid meetings for the youngsters. Other classes are:

General Missions — Howard and Julia Pearson.

Prophecy—Herman Macy; Frank Hoskins, Asst.

How to Study the Bible—Walter Cook.

Chorus—Keith Macy.

C. E. Leadership—Mignon Macy.

Quaker Heritage—Paul Cammack.

Partnership With God — Edward Harmon.

Registrars this year will be Lawrence McCracken and Hazel Cooper. Deans of Women are Minnie Miller and Esther Cammack; Deans of Men are Carl Miller and Clynton Crisman.

Surprise! We always get one on Wednesday afternoon when the recreation theme is announced, leaders are chosen and sides divided up. We never know whether we're going on a treasure hunt, a tug-on-war, or, well, most anything can happen with Lee Strait and his assistants planning it for this year! In fact, take warning—"Be Prepared!" (Unquote L. S.) Saturday night—ah me! It has a two-fold purpose. It climaxes recreation and announces the winning side of water sports, ball games, and such; and the second purpose, well, haven't you ever noticed how many romances are started after the bonfire?

After smiling at each other all week, and accidentally sitting by each other in classes, meetings and at meal time, they some way or another find themselves together on Saturday night.

With these leaders in charge of our Twin Rocks' Conference this year and with the Lord's blessing and the prayers of all of you, we are looking forward to a very beneficial week of fun and fellowship with Friends.

We'll be seeing you—

At Twin Rocks by the sea,
July 28, to August 3.