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FIFTH DAY—10:00 A. M.

1. The thirty-fourth annual session of Oregon Yearly Meeting was held at Newberg, Oregon, beginning at 10:00 a. m., Sixth month 10, 1926.

2. The meeting opened with a season of devotion in which Edgar P. Sims vocalized our thanksgiving and praise in an earnest prayer, this was followed with an exhortation by the presiding clerk, Edward Mott.

3. From properly signed reports from the Quarterly Meetings the following persons were named as Representatives, Alternates, and persons to serve on the Finance and Nominating committees:

Representatives from Tacoma Quarterly Meeting: John Lundquist, May Sherman, Henry Richardson, Lindley A. Wells, Dorothy Lee, Florence Simpson, J. Newton Walker.

Alternates: J. H. Mercer, Clark Smith, William J. Murphy.

Finance Committee: Florence Simpson, John Lundquist.

Nominating Committee: J. Newton Walker and Clark Smith.

Representatives from Boise Valley Quarterly Meeting: Arthur G. Street, Calvin R. Choate, Edgar Potter, Generva Williams, Ezra G. Pearson, Gertrude Street, Nellie Osborne, Lemuel W. Heston, Annis Brady, Edna Potter, Eliza Clark, Erma Rinard.

Alternates: Emma Heston, Louie Choate, Phoebe Dimmitt, Carol Heston, Carl Harris, Stephen Hibbs.

Finance Committee: Arthur G. Street, Nellie Osborne, and Lemuel W. Heston.

Nominating Committee: Annis Brady and Calvin R. Choate.

Representatives from Salem Quarterly Meeting: Robert H. Dann, Clara H. Elliott, Retta J. Pemberton, William E. Way, Helen Cammack, Edgar P. Sims, Rebecca Frazier, Mary Sims, Enos Presnall, W. Lloyd Taylor, William E. Allen.

Alternates: Alice E. Edmundson, Florence Cole, Mary L. Stanton, Lillie Smith, J. A. Taylor.

Finance Committee: William E. Way, Enos Presnall, Clara H. Elliott.

Nominating Committee: Anna B. Miles, W. Lloyd Taylor.

Representatives from Portland Quarterly Meeting: I. Gurney Lee, Chester A. Hadley, Effie R. Tamplin, Eben C. Snow, Frederick J. Cope, Ethol R. George, Marietta Cope, Elizabeth W. Ward, A. Ray Morford, Margaret King, Lydia C. Gardner.

Alternates: Ida J. Lee, Edward Mott, Dolly Snow, F. Marion George, Ada Fanno, Lois Cope.

Finance Committee: I. Gurney Lee, Eben C. Snow, Effie R. Tamplin.

Nominating Committee: Sarah E. Hall, Ida J. Lee.

Representatives from Newberg Quarterly Meeting: Oliver Weesner, Frank D. Roberts, Levi T. Pennington, Raymond S. Holding, Lucy D. Johnson, Lottie Muralt, Nate L. Wiley, Lucy H. Rees, Dillon Brown, Justin L. Haworth, Charles I. Whitlock, Elwood Hodson and Lewis C. Russell.

Alternates: Clarence G. McClean, J. Harlan Smith, Flora Campbell, Hattie F. Wiley, Myrtle M. Russell, Alpheus R. Mills and Lucile Johnson Elliott.

Caretakers: Dennis Mills, Wilbur Elliott, Bertha May Pennington, Esther Russell, Stella Hubbard. Other appointments as needed made in the face of the meeting.

Finance Committee: Oliver Weesner, Justin L. Haworth, Lottie Muralt.

Nominating Committee: John Rees, Thomas Rood.

4. Minutes were read for visiting Friends as follows:

George L. Carr, a minister, Maggie Carr, his wife, and Alice Carr, their daughter, signed on behalf of West Indianapolis Monthly Meeting and endorsed by Plainfield Quarterly Meeting, Western Yearly Meeting.

Arthur J. Haldy and Elizabeth Haldy, his wife, both ministers of the gospel, signed on behalf of Albia Monthly Meeting and endorsed by Oskaloosa Quarterly Meeting, Iowa Yearly Meeting.

Rebecca Mills, Luella Welch, and Ethel Carter, fraternal delegates from Puget Sound Quarterly Meeting.

And with these Friends we are glad to welcome Lois M. Cope, who has been serving us on the Mission field in Africa. She brought us a greeting of love from Arthur Chilson.

5. The committee on Returning Minutes was appointed as follows: Lucy D. Johnson, Lucy H. Rees, Myrtle M. Russell and Paul Lewis.

6. Press Committee was appointed as follows: Carl F. Miller, Chas. I. Whitlock and Levi T. Pennington.

7. The following communication from Portland Quarterly Meeting was read and referred to the Representative body:

TO OREGON YEARLY MEETING OF FRIENDS:

Portland Quarterly Meeting of Friends Church extends to Oregon Yearly Meeting an invitation to meet in annual session in June 1927, in First Friends Church, Portland, Oregon.

Taken from the Minutes of Portland Quarterly Meeting, held 3rd month 5th, 1926.

EMMOR W. HALL, Clerk.

M. ALICE HANSON, Assistant Clerk.

8. The communication from Salem Quarterly Meeting suggesting that the recording clerk be made custodian of blanks for the Yearly Meeting departments, was read and approved by this meeting.

9. The following communication from Portland in reference to the manner of the transaction of the business was read and referred to the Representative body.

We unite in recommending to Oregon Yearly Meeting that the matter of introducing some improved plan for the transaction of the business of the Yearly Meeting be considered.

In particular the manner of deciding vital and outstanding questions, whether by the vote of the congregation or by a vote of the representatives, only.

Taken from the minutes of Portland Quarterly Meeting held at Portland, Oregon, 6th month, 4, 1926.

EMMOR W. HALL, Clerk.

M. ALICE HANSON, Recording Clerk.

10. A communication was read from the Executive Committee of the Five Years Meeting and appears in the Appendix.

11. The following report of the committee appointed in 1924, as provided in Minute 53, Minutes of 1924, was read:

JUNE 10, 1926.

TO OREGON YEARLY MEETING:

Report of the Committee appointed in 1924, as provided in Minute 53, Minutes of 1924.

The Committee met twice during last Yearly Meeting and organized by appointing Oliver Weesner, Chairman, and Carl F. Miller, Secretary.

By direction of the committee, copies of the action of the Yearly Meeting in 1924, were sent to the chairman of the Executive Committee of the Five Years Meeting, and to the Chairman of the Publication Board.

The Committee held a meeting during September, at which eleven members were present.

Another meeting was held on April 9, 1926, at which ten members were present, and during one session met jointly with a committee from the Executive Committee of the Five Years Meeting.

We again met on June 9, 1926.

The total expense of members of committee as reported to me is \$145.48, and should be provided for by the Yearly Meeting.

The report of the Committee on the subject of its appointment is presented herewith:

OLIVER WEESNER, Chairman.

CARL F. MILLER, Secretary.

Minute Number 62 of Yearly Meeting Minutes for 1924, constitutes and charges this committee with, "The matter of Minute Number 53," which is as follows:

"Inasmuch as the Five Years Meeting in its sessions held in 1922, approved and endorsed the statements of belief in the Uniform Discipline, together with George Fox's letter to the Governor of the Barbadoes and the Richmond Declaration of Faith, as the authorized statement of doctrine of the Five Years Meeting of Friends in America, and in this respect has comprehended all that this Yearly Meeting or any other has ever demanded; and

"Inasmuch as this action of the Five Years Meeting has laid the foundation and cleared the way for our church paper, The American Friend, and associated departments to pursue policies in keeping with and sustaining the doctrinal standards thus approved and endorsed; and

"Inasmuch as this action of the Five Years Meeting seems to have clearly and plainly placed upon the Executive Committee and Publication Boards the responsibility of putting these agencies in the hands of a leadership known and acknowledged to be in harmony with its action and with the standards of doctrine thus approved and endorsed,

"Therefore, it is the conviction of Oregon Yearly Meeting at this time, that the Executive Committee and Publication Boards of the Five Years Meeting assume this responsibility at once; and it is hereby understood that if the policies of the different boards are not shaped so as to conform to and consistently sustain the standards that have been approved and endorsed by the authority of the Five Years Meeting by the convening of Oregon Yearly Meeting in the year 1926, this Yearly Meeting will not consider itself any longer an organic part of the Five Years Meeting; and that a judicious committee be appointed by the Yearly Meeting, to be nominated by the Representative body, to have this matter in charge and report its findings to the Yearly Meeting at its first sessions in 1926."

It might be well to briefly review the developments leading up to this action:

During the General Conference of Yearly Meetings held at Indianapolis, Indiana, in 1897, "It was felt that a closer union of the Yearly Meetings and a Uniform Discipline would be desirable. A committee was appointed in furtherance of this purpose," and the Uniform Constitution and Discipline was prepared. Oregon was one of the eleven Yearly Meetings to regularly adopt the Uniform Discipline, before the organization of the Five Years Meeting in 1902.

Soon after the organization of the Five Years Meeting there arose a feeling of anxiety and uneasiness as to its doctrinal basis. Western, Kansas, and California Yearly Meetings sent Minutes to the Five Years Meeting, held in Indianapolis in 1912, asking it to declare its relation to the Richmond Declaration of Faith and George Fox's letter to the Governor of the Barbadoes, as contained in the Constitution and Discipline.

The Business Committee, to whom those Minutes were referred, made the following report:

"The Five Years Meeting, having been requested in Minutes from Western, Kansas, and California Yearly Meetings to take some action that will interpret the clause in the Uniform Discipline referring to the Richmond Declaration of Faith, decides that these documents are historic statements of belief, approved by the Five Years Meeting in 1902, as expressed in the clause of Discipline referred to and approved again at this time, 1912, but they are not to be regarded as constituting a creed."

After quite continued discussion, the following substitute proposition was offered by Edmund Stanley of Kansas Yearly Meeting:

"The Five Years Meeting being cognizant of the fact that a very large majority of the Yearly Meetings that adopted the Constitution and Discipline prior to the organization of this Meeting, did so with the expressed understanding that the Richmond Declaration of Faith and George Fox's letter to the Governor of the Barbadoes, as found in our Constitution and Discipline, were a part of said Constitution and Discipline, and further, that all the Yearly Meetings, prior to the organization of this Meeting, had adopted or approved the said Declaration of Faith and Fox's letter; therefore, it is the decision of this Meeting that the Declaration of Faith and Fox's letter above referred to are and ought to be component parts of our Constitution and Discipline with the same force and significance as the Statement on Belief inserted into the said Constitution and Discipline and published by authority of this Meeting in 1902."

On vote the substitute proposition was lost. A motion to amend the first resolution by striking out the clause, "But they are not to be regarded as constituting a creed," was lost by four votes. The original resolution was sustained by a majority vote of 73. This action increased the spirit of unrest, developed loss of confidence, and finally disturbed the organic unity of the Five Years Meeting. California, Kansas, Oregon, and Western Yearly Meetings sent Minutes to the Five Years Meeting convening in Richmond, Indiana, in 1922, asking that Minute 37, page 49 of the Minutes of 1912, be amended by eliminating the clause, "But they are not to be regarded as constituting a creed."

Rufus M. Jones, Chairman of the Business committee to whom those Minutes were referred, reported that, "Through Divine leading and blending of spirits," the committee had reached a harmonious conclusion and that the following document was their united expression:

"We recognize with profound sorrow that there is in the world today a great drift of religious unsettlement, unconcern and unbelief. We desire at this time to call our own membership to a deeper religious life, a greater consecration of heart and will to God and a more positive loyalty to the faith for which so many of our forerunners suffered and died. We wish to reaffirm the statements and declarations of faith contained in our Uniform Discipline, viz, 'The Essential Truths,' 'The Declaration of Faith' issued by the Richmond conference in 1887, and 'George Fox's Letter to the Governor of Barbadoes' and we urge upon all our membership to refresh their minds by a careful reading of these documents which gather up and express the central truths for which we stand, now as in the past. But we would further remind our membership that our Christian faith involves more than the

adoption and profession of written statements however precious they may be. It stands and lives only in free personal loyalty and devotion to a living Christ and in an inward experience of His spiritual presence and power in the soul, making the facts of our religion as real and as capable of being soundly tested as are the facts of the physical universe. May Friends everywhere bear in their bodies the marks of the Lord Jesus.

"Hardly less important for the promotion of our spiritual influence and power in the world is an increase of faith, trust and confidence in one another, a love that suffers long and is kind and a unity of spirit which will bind us more closely together than uniformity of thought could ever do.

"In the light of the above statement in which we unite and since the clause which was adopted ten years ago stating that these declarations of faith are not to be regarded as constituting a creed (Minute 37, page 49, Minutes of 1912) has been widely misunderstood in at least two directions, it is our judgment that this clause should now be eliminated.

"We recommend that this meeting instruct its Publication Board to issue in attractive form an edition of these three documents as the authorized Declaration of Faith of the Five Years Meeting of Friends in America, using as a preface the above statement."

After many expressions of grateful appreciation and of hopeful anticipation, the assembled Delegates unanimously endorsed the Document and approved its publication as recommended.

Oregon Yearly Meeting's delegates composed of L. Clarkson Hinshaw, Levi T. Pennington, Chester A. Hadley, Lindley A. Wells, Carl F. Miller, Frederick J. Cope, Edgar P. Sims, and Calvin R. Choate unanimously voted for this action. Upon their return home a hopeful outlook, based upon this action of the Five Years Meeting, was forecast throughout the Yearly Meeting. Reports were made, addresses were given, and a sincere and honest effort of constructive co-operation with the united interest of the Five Years Meeting was unquestionably in evidence.

Had the contents of that Document with its decisive spirit, which so gripped that memorable session of the Five Years Meeting giving unction and direction to its deliberations, been subsequently recognized and made as equally pronounced by our Church Paper, and our Department Leaders, thereby assuming a dominant and aggressive leadership in keeping with that united action of the Five Years Meeting, then this duty which we now face would never have been assigned us. Certainly there are no just grounds for questioning the conclusion that Oregon Yearly Meeting would have co-operated with the united forces of the Five Years Meeting under these conditions. This decision is sustained by her efforts to effect a program of constructive co-operation and the fact that she has hopefully waited almost four years for just such a leadership.

The primary ground upon which Oregon Yearly Meeting had hoped for this kind of leadership is the Document produced by the Business committee, unanimously endorsed by the delegates, and by their order printed for distribution throughout the Five Years Meeting. That leaders of other Yearly Meetings shared this view is evidenced by Ministerial Associations, and subordinate meetings, forwarding Minutes to their Yearly Meetings expressing their disappointment and asking for action.

The great drift of religious unsettlement, unconcern and unbelief," recognized in the

introduction of the Document, has continued until not only great denominational conferences have sought to check it, but state legislation has sought to protect childhood from its effect, and lawyers and courts have been occupied with its problems. Midst these conditions nothing short of a forceful, dominant leadership voicing the desire expressed in the Document, "To call our own membership to a deeper religious life, a greater consecration of heart and will to God and a more positive loyalty to the faith for which so many of our forerunners suffered and died," as contained in the "statements and declarations of faith contained in our Uniform Discipline," will settle our present disturbed conditions, restore confidence, develop unity, and enable the Five Years Meeting to function with the efficiency essential to the success of American Quakerism.

We find that although some helpful changes have been made in the leadership of the Five Years Meeting, yet in our judgment the type of leadership desired by Oregon Yearly Meeting has not been fully provided.

Therefore in order to preserve the organic life of the Yearly Meeting upon a basis of united and constructive extension development, we submit for your consideration the following course of action:

First. That the Presiding Clerk be instructed to inform the Five Years Meeting, through its Executive Committee, that Oregon Yearly Meeting, in keeping with its action in 1924 does now cease to co-operate with its departments of work and to send delegates to its sessions, until the Five Years Meeting assumes responsibility for such leadership as indicated by its action in 1922, and through such a leadership created a basis for confidence, unity, and co-operation, satisfactory to Oregon Yearly Meeting.

Second. (1) That the Yearly Meeting shall meet its present financial obligation to the Five Years Meeting; (2) and continue its present Foreign Missionary support under the American Friends Board, until Miss Cope and the Chilson family terminate their present contracts.

Third. That the Yearly Meeting formulate programs of activity and direct its departments of work.

Fourth. Recognizing the great importance of uniting our forces in Foreign Missionary work, we pledge ourselves to such action as necessary to formulate a Missionary Program that will challenge our entire membership, and to use our best endeavor to secure their united support.

Fifth. That Friendly and helpful relations and co-operation with the various Yearly Meetings be maintained in keeping with the custom in use before the organization of the Five Years Meeting.

A substitute Report was presented by Levi T. Pennington and is recorded below:

We find that although some helpful changes have been made in the leadership of the Five Years Meeting, yet in our judgment the type of leadership desired by Oregon Yearly Meeting has not been fully provided. And yet we recognize the need for that Christian love which "suffereth long and is kind *** seeketh not its own, is not provoked, taketh no account of evil."

Therefore, in order to preserve the organic life of the Yearly Meeting on a basis of united and constructive extension development, and to leave the way freely open for the growth of fuller co-operation as the departments of the Five Years Meeting conduct their work in a manner more satisfactory to our meetings and our membership, we submit for your consideration the following course of action.

First. That the presiding clerk of the Yearly Meeting send to the Executive Committee of the Five Years Meeting an official copy of this document and of the action of the Yearly meeting thereon, and that the same course be taken with reference to the Five Years Meeting to be held next year, that the Five Years Meeting may know officially of Oregon Yearly Meeting's attitude toward the basic truths of the gospel as interpreted by Friends through our official statements of belief, The Essential Truths, The Richmond Declaration and George Fox's Letter.

Second. That Oregon Yearly Meeting continue to send delegates to the Five Years Meeting and continue its representation on those boards with which it is willing to co-operate as a Yearly Meeting and on the Executive Committee of the Five Years Meeting, that we may remain in such connection with the Five Years Meeting as to have a voice in its councils and some authority in influencing its policies.

Third. That the Yearly Meeting continue its present missionary support under the American Friends Board of Foreign Missions at least until Lois Cope and the Chilson family terminate their present contracts.

Fourth. That the Yearly Meeting formulate programs of activity and direct its departments of work; and that in planning for co-operative work with other yearly meetings only such co-operation shall be undertaken by the Yearly Meeting as the Yearly Meeting itself shall approve but that in matters of co-operation in united activities other than those approved by the Yearly Meeting as a whole, each local meeting be left free to decline to co-operate or to co-operate as fully as that meeting may be led to do.

Fifth. Recognizing the importance of uniting our forces in Foreign Missionary work, we pledge ourselves to such action as necessary to formulate a Missionary Program that will challenge our entire membership, and to use our best endeavor to secure their united support.

Sixth. That we request the Five Years Meeting to give serious consideration to its own organization and the powers it is exercising, seeking to know whether the work of God would not make better progress if such changes were made as would restore the Five Years Meeting more nearly to the place of a body for conference and co-operation, and would give more complete autonomy to the yearly meetings in the planning and carrying out of their work both at home and abroad.

12. The meeting authorized the Clerks to secure a typist.

13. The following instructions were given to the Representatives:

(1) To propose to the next session of this meeting names of persons to serve as Presiding Clerk, Recording Clerk, Reading Clerk, and Announcing Clerk.

(2) To determine a ratio for raising funds and distributing documents.

(3) To propose funds to be raised for church work, and to nominate a Friend to serve as Treasurer for the ensuing year.

(4) To propose the name of one person in each Quarterly Meeting to receive and distribute documents.

(5) To propose names of persons to serve on Printing and Auditing Committees.

14. The meeting adjourned to meet at 2:00 p.m.

FIFTH DAY—2:00 P. M.

15. The meeting met according to adjournment.

16. The representatives made the following report

Presiding Clerk.....	Edward Mott
Recording Clerk	Marguerite P. Elliott
Reading Clerk	W. Lloyd Taylor
Announcing Clerk	Arthur G. Street.

The Representative body consists of the following persons:

Salem Quarterly Meeting:

Alice E. Edmundson, Clara H. Elliott, Retta J. Pemberton, Mary L. Stanton, Helen Cammack, Edgar P. Sims, Rebecca Frazier, Mary Sims, Enos Presnall, W. Lloyd Taylor, William E. Allen.

Portland Quarterly Meeting:

I. Gurney Lee, Chestar A. Hadley, Effie R. Tamplin, Eben C. Snow, Frederick J. Cope, Ethol R. George, Marietta Cope, Elizabeth W. Ward, A. Ray Morford, Margaret King, Lydia C. Gardner.

Newberg Quarterly Meeting:

Oliver Weesner, Frank D. Roberts, Levi T. Pennington, Raymond S. Holding, Lucy D. Johnson, Clarence G. McClean, Nate L. Wiley, Lucy H. Rees, Dillon Brown, Justin L. Haworth, Charles I. Whitlock, J. Harlan Smith, Lewis C. Russell.

Boise Valley Quarterly Meeting:

Arthur G. Street, Calvin R. Choate, Emma J. Heston, Generva Williams, Ezra G. Pearson, Gertrude Street, Nellie Osborne, Lemuel W. Heston, Annis Brady, Louie Choate, Phoebe Dimmit, Erma Rinard.

Tacoma Quarterly Meeting:

Henry Richardson, Lindley A. Wells, Dorothy Lee, Florence Simpson, J. Newton Walker, J. H. Mercer, William J. Murphy.

Finance Committee:

I. Gurney Lee, Enos Presnall, Clara H. Elliott, William E. Allan, Eben C. Snow,

Effie R. Tamplin, Oliver Weesner, Justin L. Haworth, J. Harlan Smith, Arthur G. Street, Nellie Osborne, Lemuel W. Heston, Florence Simpson, William J. Murphy, J. H. Mercer.

Nominating Committee:

W. Lloyd Taylor, Anna B. Miles, Sarah E. Hall, Elizabeth W. Ward, Lucy H. Rees, Thomas Rood, Annis Brady, Calvin R. Choate, J. Newton Walker, Jennie King.

The following are recommended to receive and distribute documents in the various Quarterly Meetings:

Boise Valley: Arthur G. Street, Greenleaf, Idaho.

Portland: F. Marion George, 195 E. 39th St., Portland, Oregon.

Salem: Charles Townsend, 1395 S. Liberty St., Salem, Oregon.

Tacoma: Jennie King, 4624 E. G St., Tacoma, Washington.

Newberg: Jacob Marshall, Newberg, Oregon.

The report was adopted as presented.

17. The subject under discussion at the close of the morning session was continued. The substitute report was considered but did not meet the approval of the meeting, thus bringing the report of the committee before the meeting.

After deliberation the report was adopted by the meeting.

18. This decision made it necessary that some changes be made in the discipline and the matter of appointing a committee for this duty was referred to the nominating committee with instructions that the committee appointed report to this body in 1927.

19. The time for the consideration of the subject of Christian Stewardship having almost passed the address was given before the regular report of the Department.

Rev. C. P. Gates gave a stirring address on the subject in which he stressed the stewardship of all things that make for a well rounded Christian character. The report on Christian Stewardship was read, approved by the meeting and is printed below:

Received from former Superintendent	\$.92	
Received from Yearly Meeting Treasurer	25.00	
Total		\$25.92
Spent for tracts, postage and stationery	1.56	
For expenses, etc., of Speaker	7.00	
Total		8.56
Balance on hand		\$17.36

1. Number of members in Yearly Meeting last year	3367
2. Number of Tithers last year	643
3. Number of Tithers this year	758
4. Do you have a Storehouse League? Last year six, this year	5
5. Number of members in League Reported in two leagues	181
6. Number of pages of literature distributed	1077
7. Number of sermons preached	39
8. Number of Meetings or Conferences on the subject	15

Remarks: There is a gain shown of 115 tithers and still we are below the 808 of 1922. Credit for work done belongs to Quarterly and Monthly meeting chairmen. The books bought last year are generally reported well circulated. Some tithers removed from our limits and some failed to keep their vows. Some monthly meetings do not send in full or accurate reports.

Much of the work done has been in Sunday Schools and C. E. Societies. The increase in tithers is largely among young people. Good testimonies on this line seem to help the work. Some reports good on distribution of literature, others inaccurate. I might say more of the obligations of Stewardship and the essential qualifications of the steward, etc., but will leave it to be better said by the speaker on the subject.

Respectfully,

ANNA W. BENSON, Yearly Meeting Superintendent.

20. The subject of the Literature Department claimed our attention. The report was read, approved and appears below.

LITERATURE REPORT APRIL 1, 1925—APRIL 1, 1926

We note with gratitude some encouraging things in connection with the work of our Department. Interest and activity along this line has been increasing and we feel assured that much real good has been accomplished.

We submit the following report:

No. Tracts Distributed	5850
No. Papers	2916
No. Libraries	15
No. Books in same	1164
No. Books added during year	37
No. Books loaned	401
No. Friends papers taken	403
No. Other Religious papers taken	418
No. Bibles or portions of Scripture given	305
No. Meetings or conferences held	12

Most of our Meetings have either Wall Pockets or Exchange tables, or both.

Portland First Church Committee sent out 500 Church Bulletins to Non-resident members

\$10.00. Scotts Mills, and Greenleaf sent gifts to the missionaries, but the value was not stated. Also boxes were sent to the missions by the following meetings; Middleton, Greenleaf, First Church in Portland and from Second Church in Portland at a value of \$4.50. Rosedale gave \$50.00 for the purchase of a typewriter for Carroll G. Tamplin. The ladies of Rosedale gave Doris Tamplin aprons and slips, and the Sunday School sent \$5.00 to Red Hill District work in India, for the support of Edna Holder, an orphan. The missionary society at Salem sent \$45.00 to be applied on the support of a native worker in India, and \$30.00 to a missionary school in Africa, under the Five Years Meeting Board, and Tacoma sent \$10.00 in cash to Central America.

Soon after the middle of February the Board received instruction by wire from the office of the American Friends Board of Foreign Missions in Richmond, Indiana, that Lois M. Cope had been ordered home on account of broken health, with a request that we provide \$600.00 to cover her transportation expenses. This being an unforeseen emergency, and prompt action being necessary, the Board sent out a call through the Yearly Meeting for funds. Before returns from this call had all been received, there came another wire from the office in Richmond, Indiana, notifying us that a cable had been received from the American Consul, in Calcutta, India, bringing the information that Lois Cope was in a hospital in that city, where a mastoid operation was necessary, and asking for three hundred dollars to cover expenses for the same. After careful consideration, the board sent out another call for funds. The amount received in response to these two calls was \$769.52. The amount received during the year, on the budget for missions was \$3553.52, making a total of \$4323.14 raised during the year.

Respectfully submitted,
FREDERICK J. COPE, Chairman.

Lois M. Cope brought to us a beautiful message in song.

Earnest prayers were offered by Elizabeth W. Ward and Calvin R. Choate.

Lois M. Cope gave the address in which she voiced her great appreciation of the way our Heavenly Father had led in her life especially in the recent months, and some interesting incidents in the life of the African natives, closing with an earnest appeal for the prayers of the meeting for our missionaries on the Mission Field, and also those on furlough at home.

31. The report of the American Friends Board of Foreign Missions was presented but as time was limited it was not read but directed printed in the minutes. It appears in the appendix.

32. The following persons were added to the Caretakers, Ardis Roberts Michner, Clarence G. McClean and Frank D. Roberts.

33. The meeting adjourned to meet at 2:00 p.m.

SIXTH DAY—2:00 P. M.

34. The meeting met according to adjournment and the presiding clerk led in a word of prayer.

35. The following epistles were read: New York, Canada, and New England.

36. Communications were received from the Yearly Meeting's Ministry and Oversight Body and from Tacoma Quarterly Meeting relative to matters within the limits of Ranier Heights Monthly Meeting, asking that the Evangelistic and Church Extension Board be granted the power to dispose of these matters in such manner as to be "To the honor of truth and the credit of the Society of Friends." These requests were granted in accordance with the action of the Yearly Meeting according to minute 40, paragraph 66, of the Minutes of 1911.

37. The representative body made a further report, which was adopted by the meeting. It is printed below:

The following are recommended to serve on the printing committee:

Marguerite P. Elliott, 765 Marion Street, Salem, Oregon.

Lyra M. Dann, 993 Court Street, Salem, Oregon.

Edward Mott, 1169 Kerby Street, Portland, Oregon.

The following persons are recommended to serve on the auditing committee:

Clifford N. Terrell, Newberg, Oregon.

Frank D. Roberts, Newberg, Oregon.

J. Harlan Smith, Newberg, Oregon.

In answer to the request which came from Portland Quarterly Meeting, Minute 7, we recommend that the Discipline remain unchanged, since it provides ample provision for deciding all matters, if adhered to.

The invitation from Portland Quarter to hold the Yearly Meeting in Portland in 1927, was considered and the representatives recommend that we express our appreciation of the kindness of Portland Friends, but that we meet at the usual place, Newberg, in 1927.

A request to take pledges and offerings on Sabbath morning made by the Evangelistic Board, and the request for the privilege of taking an offering Saturday evening by the Christian Endeavor are recommended granted by the Representatives.

The meeting granted the requests.

38. The subject of Evangelistic and Church Extension Work claimed our attention at this hour.

39. The report of the Evangelistic Superintendent was read and approved and appears below. The statistical report is printed in the Appendix.

EVANGELISTIC SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

Again I am called upon for an annual report covering the activities and embodying the results of the department of Church Extension. How inadequate are words and sentences to incorporate and set forth eternal values and spiritual achievements. If the church was only a human organization dealing with finite agencies and interests; if her task was to inaugurate reform movements to produce social redemption and intellectual improvements; then the results might more easily be tabulated.

But this is not the case. The true church is a divinely created organism, Spirit indwelt, and functioning with the passion and assurance of a commissioned evangelism. The beautiful and favorite gospel images present the church as one body: Christ the Head, and each Christian a member; one Vine, Christ Jesus and Christians the branches; one building, Christ the foundation and Christian's the living stones; one army of evangelism, Christ the Captain and Christian's the soldiers. How delicate and intricate, then, are our mystic and spiritual relations. No marvel that if one member suffer the body must share it; if one branch fails to bear fruit, the harvest of the vine is reduced; if one living stone be removed, the building is impaired; or if one soldier becomes mutinous, the army will be weakened.

The prophet foresaw the church and with joyful anticipation of her glorious coming and victorious conquest exclaimed, "Who is she that looketh forth as the morning, fair as the moon, clear as the sun, and terrible as an army with banners." Evidently, God meant to impress the world by the contrast of the unworldliness of His church; that her life should be marked by separation from the world and not by partnership with it; that she should be the flaming evangel of the message of redeeming grace.

Our Savior was within the glow of that prophetic vision while in the garden of death's darkness and suffering, He prayed so earnestly for the church soon to become His commissioned agent, "That they all may be one: as thou, Father, art in me, and I in Thee, that they also may be one in us; that the world may believe that thou hast sent me."

The Day of Pentecost stands out as the great epochal event in the back ground of church organization and extension. Pentecost embodied the commission and responsibility of an evangelism beginning at home and extending unto the uttermost ends of the earth. Its organization was the product of its hidden inner life. Though crude in its beginnings and manned by officials and exponents who were without great learning, wealth, or political prestige, yet it campaigned, advanced and conquered, because its furnaces were fed by the truths of the Incarnation, Crucifixion, Resurrection, and by the reception of the Holy Spirit.

Pentecost foresaw and provided for action within a field of stubborn resistance. For its battles to be fought against doubters, rejectors and scoffers. It foretold, that, during the heat of the conflict there would be found within its own ranks deceivers, false teachers and apostates. But unto every soldier who fought true in the testing battles of an apostate age, it promised access unto the hidden manna; a crown of life; and white robes. For it declared, "The Lamb and His followers do have the victory."

The three great world powers: Judaism with her synagogues given over to legalized ritual, and to the denial of the Virgin birth and resurrection glory; Greece with her world famed Athens and Corinth, the seat of education, culture and refinement, worshipping the unknown God, while rejecting the message of Pentecost as foolishness; Rome with all her

military greatness and organized cruelty;—these combined powers could not smother the fervor nor quench the flames of Pentecostal Evangelism. Despite earth and hell the personnel of that heaven born movement possessed and maintained a unity of spirit, organized energies, and an invincible co-ordinating campaign, all aglow with the eloquence and power of a matchless Christ. No enemy power could divide their ranks. They knew no retreat. They never stacked arms. They lived, fought and died, believing the words of Christ, "Upon this rock will I build my church and the gates of hell shall not prevail."

Are we as a church marching within the noon day radiance of that prophetic vision, fair as the moon, clear as the sun, and terrible as an army with banners? Have we entered the depths and ascended into the heights of Christ's Gethsemane prayer? Are we so inoculated with its passion and enriched with its fullness that our oneness is a convincing testimony that Christ has sent us?

If we are a part of God's commissioned host and would win in the conflict we must maintain the witness of a separate and sanctified life and with it the tongue of fire. Our weapon must be the Sword of the Spirit, for the warfare involves a divine commission, infinitely more glorious than man-made-reform movements. Nor should we permit our ranks to become weakened and depleted by schisms and we part with divided forces, while millions in home and foreign fields held in chains of sin, hopefully await the coming of God's marshaled forces to set them free.

Church Extension

Following the reorganization of the Board preparatory to the work of the year, the advisability of undertaking extension work in one or two prospective centers was considered. It appeared to be the judgment of the Board that we should concentrate our attention and efforts to develop and more effectively establish the work undertaken the preceeding year, before assuming responsibility of added financial investment in other fields. Subsequent developments seemed to justify this decision. Extension work, as well as established meetings, has its reactions and reverses. Such has been the case to some extent with our work this year.

Early in the year it became necessary for the Board to grant Dillon Mills three months absence from the work at Kelso, because of the condition of his health. Owing to the temporary closing of opportunity for work in Kelso, most of those who had requested membership moved away. During the absence of the pastor, Archie Totten and David Delano had charge of the church services, each doing good work. Soon after the pastor's return some new lines of constructive work were undertaken for the young people. One or two families of Friends moved into the town and the field again appeared more encouraging.

The work at North East Tacoma in charge of Henry Richardson, seemed to make splendid growth during the first part of the year. Two new rooms were added to the rear of the church to accommodate the Bible school, which reached an attendance of from 40 to 60, with a corresponding growth in the other services. About mid winter contagions among the children and some contributing causes, contributed to a marked decrease in the attendance. However, the acceptance of Christ as a personal Saviour on the part of some

of the young people and a few heads of families, has given the work a more stable foundation and hopeful outlook.

A Church building 30 by 48 feet, costing about \$3,000.00 has been erected upon the church lot in Sprague River. This building, though unfinished, was occupied for the first service on Easter Sabbath. This field presents a most encouraging appeal and promises to become a real asset if properly cared for under wise and efficient direction. It has some grave problems and serious conditions which cannot be ignored, if the promising results are to be attained. You have perhaps read in the daily papers of the unsettled legal questions pertaining to the rights of the Indian and of the source of Governmental control to which he is amenable. These problems, and some others more directly related to our Mission work, have been brought to our attention. All these problems have received the very earnest solicitation of the Board, which has very kindly offered advice and assistance to the Missionaries in charge. We confidently commend the work at Sprague River to your consideration as possessing possibilities of splendid development.

Though not an extension work yet it seems good to mention the beautiful and modest Church building erected by the Second Friends Church of Portland. This building cost \$8,000.00 exclusive of the furnishings. Dedicatory services were attended by over 450 people. A splendid church and community spirit prevailed. All seemed to appreciate the united sacrificial services of the local congregation in making possible such a creditable foundation for more efficient services and extended influence.

About the first of January, Lindley A. Wells was granted a three months leave of absence for evangelistic work, by Rainier Heights Monthly meeting. This action was mutual on the part of the pastor and meeting. It appeared necessary owing to the inability of the meeting to meet its financial obligation on a basis that would enable the pastor to continue his work. The three months period was agreed upon as sufficient time for the meeting to meet its accumulated financial obligation and to arrange for the continued services of the pastor.

It appears from word received that soon after Mr. Wells left that some unusual innovations were introduced, and permitted to be continued, with the activities of the meeting. Something of the nature of the so-called Tongue Movement, as claimed to be associated with the Gift of the Holy Spirit. A very grave situation seemed to be developing. The Board was advised of the situation and offered advice and asked that such steps be taken as necessary to protect the church from seeming approval of the movement.

More than two years ago I called attention of the Executive committee to the situation in Seattle, and asked their co-operation in the direction of a union of the two meetings, as essential to the best interest and influence of Friends in the city and adjacent territory. With their united approval the Chairman of Indiana Yearly Meeting's Evangelistic Board, the Superintendent of Puget Sound Quarterly Meeting, and the Superintendent of the Home Mission Board of the Five Years Meeting, were advised of our attitude. Just recently the two meetings within their own rights have been considering uniting their forces upon a basis of their own proposing. With this proposed action our Board has expressed its approval.

I have thus frankly and without polish, reviewed the conditions of our recent Extension

congregations, giving as best I can the situation. That the Yearly Meeting might have a more intelligent conception of their needs, and be able to maintain a more helpful relation with them.

Evangelistic

J. Arthur Wollam, of California Yearly Meeting, conducted revival services for the following meetings: Melba, Boise, Greenleaf, Star, Newberg and South Salem. Owing to the condition of Mr. Wollam's health it was thought best for him to return home for needed rest, before his contemplated services were quite completed.

Fred Kennedy, an evangelist of the Methodist Episcopal Church, conducted the services for Entiat Meting.

J. Newton Walker held revival meetings for Tacoma, North East Tacoma, Springbrook and Chehalem meetings.

Calvin R. Choate held the revival for Scotts Mills.

Lindley A. Wells held a very successful revival at Highland, Salem.

I am sorry to say that some meetings did not receive evangelistic assistance this year.

Pastoral Work

No unusual developments have occurred in this department. It has been a year of service characterized by the ordinary toils and problems associated with pastoral ministration and ingathering.

The tabulated report under the several headings recording the definite results obtained will show a decrease, as compared with results reported last year, except in the number added to the church which shows a gain of 37 over last years report.

The reported attendance at the Sabbath services are practically the same, only a slight decrease in the numbers are shown.

It now appears that the following changes will occur within our pastoral forces. Carey Jessup, Lindley A. Wells and Carl F. Miller, are taking work within other Yearly Meetings. Edgar Potter, Abram Astleford, William J. Murphy, Paul Lewis and Everett E. Scotten are closing their present pastorates with this year. It is hoped that each of these will be available for work within the Yearly Meeting.

Respectfully submitted,

L. CLARKSON HINSHAW.

40. The following words of appreciation for the very efficient services of the Evangelistic Superintendent, L. Clarkson Hinshaw, were presented by the Evangelistic Board, was adopted with words of sincere appreciation by many friends, and because time was passing rapidly the remainder of the members arose, thus silently offering their appreciation.

At a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Evangelistic Board held April 1, 1926, a unanimous call was given to L. Clarkson Hinshaw to serve as Superintendent of Evangelistic and Church Extension work the coming year. Later he informed the committee that he felt that his work should close with us August 1st, 1926.

We wish to express our deep regret at losing him, and our earnest appreciation of the

steady, devoted work, both as an executive and in his ministerial capacity during his stay with us. His work through almost seven years has been most satisfactory and we can freely recommend him to any work he may accept.

CHESTER A. HADLEY, President.
MARIETTA LEWIS, Secretary.

L. Clarkson Hinshaw spoke a few words of counsel and benediction.

41. The following communication was received from the Evangelistic Board:

At a meeting of the Evangelistic Board held 6-10-1926, the Board is united in asking for an appropriation for this Department for the coming year of \$2700.00, which is a reduction of \$1000.00 from last year's asking, with the privilege of taking a collection at the Sunday morning service of this Yearly Meeting, and of taking collections at the different Meetings of the Yearly Meeting as the needs arise.

By direction of the Board,

CHESTER A. HADLEY, President
MARIETTA LEWIS, Secretary.

(a) That the request for an appropriation of \$2700.00 be referred to the Finance Committee.

(b) The privilege of taking a collection at the Sunday morning service was referred to the representatives.

(c) That collections be taken at the different meetings in the Yearly Meeting as needs arise.

This request was granted.

42. Meeting adjourned to meet at 10:00 a.m. Seventh Day.

SEVENTH DAY—10:00 A. M.

43. The meeting met according to adjournment, and a short period of devotion followed.

44. Minutes of previous session were read and approved.
Epistles were read from Baltimore, Wilmington and Ohio.

45. Edmund T. Campbell, having recently joined Friends, was introduced at this time.

46. The report of the Statistical Secretary was read, approved and appears in the appendix.

47. Edgar P. Sims made the following proposition which met with the

approval of the meeting: However at the request of the clerk a committee was appointed to have the matter in charge.

That the Clerk prepare and forward a letter to the Honorable American Consul and wife at Calcutta, India, expressing the appreciation of Oregon Yearly Meeting for the official and kind personal services toward Lois M. Cope, a member of this Yearly Meeting, during her illness and serious operation while on her way home from the Foreign Mission Field.

The committee was appointed as follows: Raymond S. Holding, Edgar P. Sims and Ezra G. Pearson.

48. The superintendent of Peace read the report of that Department. The report was approved and is printed below: He called our attention to some worth while books on the subject.

REPORT OF THE PEACE SUPERINTENDENT OF OREGON YEARLY MEETING

Ever since the days of George Fox, who lived, as did his associates, in that spirit which takes away the occasion of all wars, Friends have consistently borne testimony in their public utterances to the truth that all war is inconsistent with the teachings and the spirit of Christianity, and have, in theory, at least, been one people to whom the world could look as real exponents of love and good will and peace, both among themselves and toward all men.

One can certainly not be accused of exaggeration who declares that the cause of peace ought to mean more to Friends than it does. In the spirit of peace and international and interracial good will Friends have done great and notable service in various parts of the world. And there has come to us high honor and great appreciation from all classes of people. Even if the world should never raise the question as to whether or not we deserve all this honor and appreciation, we ourselves should certainly examine ourselves to know whether we are in the faith or no; Whether or no we are living in that spirit which takes away the occasion of all wars.

It was sad enough and distressing to many of us to learn that some of our members entered military service during the great war; but while it may truly be said that the Quakers as a whole kept out of the war, it will be sad indeed if it has to be admitted that we have not been able to keep war out of the Quakers.

There has been the usual difficulty in securing reports from various meetings in the Yearly Meeting, on the subject of peace. Some Quarterly meeting superintendents have found it impossible to secure reports from various monthly meetings and have had to send in, though they waited to the very last, reports which they know to be incomplete and inadequate, reporting less than the actual work which has been done by their quarterly meetings.

Still worse, however, is the fact that in some quarters there seems to have been no work attempted so far as reports indicate. One quarterly meeting superintendent reported, "This meeting has not taken any action regarding the question of peace during the past

year." He may have been reporting only for his own particular meeting, but he is the quarterly meeting superintendent, and that is the only report the Yearly Meeting superintendent succeeded in getting from him.

Our time is full and many of us feel that the preaching of the gospel of individual salvation is so certainly the primary task of the church that we feel inclined to let other matters pass uncared for. But for a single Friends meeting to let a year go by without bringing, not only to its own members but in some measure at least to the world outside, the message of international and interracial peace and good will would seem in the judgment of the retiring superintendent of peace an inexcusable lapse and failure in its duty by any meeting calling itself by the name of Friend.

There are three outstanding things of great encouragement:

First, our pastors and other ministers are with little or no exception loyal to the Christian principle of peace as interpreted by Friends, and not only in special sermons but frequently in their messages in the regular meetings they have presented the cause of peace so that in most of our meetings at any rate our young people are having an opportunity to know something of the principle on which Friends stand in regard to war, the spirit of war, and the causes of war.

A second encouraging thing is that there are a few outstanding instances of great service in the cause of peace performed by those who are not thrilling public speakers, prolific writers, nor notable leaders of men—at least they would themselves disclaim any of these qualities. But with an equipment no greater than that which many of us possess, one individual Friend could be named who has probably done more to get the peace message known and understood, both among Friends and non-Friends, than some entire quarterly meetings. Without mentioning names it seems fitting that we should honor those who are thus whole-heartedly committed to and working for the cause of peace.

A third great cause for encouragement is the fact that in so large measure the work of peace which Friends have promoted has gone so far beyond the limits of our own denomination. Though this is true and we should rejoice in it, yet there never should be a time when Friends are not in the forefront of the war against war. Always we should be able and willing to provide leaders not only fit but fitted for high leadership in the cause of peace wherever the peace work is being carried on.

It is gratifying to know that we are furnishing many such leaders. The head of the National Council for the Prevention of War is a Friend; the authors of some of the most valuable and telling books, periodicals, and articles in the religious and secular press in the interests of peace are Friends; Friends are prominent in the management of the University Travel Association, a large part of the purpose of which is the promotion of international understanding, good will and peace; and in various visits of groups of Christian college students to other countries for the promotion of peace and understanding and good will among the races. One might mention other ways in which Friends are leading in the work of peace; and surely one ought to mention the fact that one of the best peace periodicals printed in the world is our own Quaker Messenger of Peace. Certainly it would be difficult if not impossible to name a peace periodical which has so loyally stood by the Christian principle of peace in the midst of stress, and when the maintenance of absolute loyalty to the peace principle was both difficult and dangerous.

Peace Plans for the Year

No meeting of the quarterly meeting superintendents of peace was attempted this year, but the effort was made to handle the work by correspondence.

The Yearly Meeting superintendent wrote to the various superintendents of peace and the pastors in the subordinate meetings, making suggestions as to plans for the year, offering a list of peace speakers who could be had for their expenses, and presenting various other suggestions for the work during the year. An effort was made to get at least one peace meeting in every local meeting, and if possible to have this meeting so arranged as to reach the largest possible number outside of Friends.

It was thought best that the work of the Yearly Meeting superintendent himself should not be included in the report of any local or quarterly meeting. The superintendent has during the past year given a score of addresses dealing specifically with the subject of peace, most of them outside of any immediate work of Friends. These include addresses before the Seabeck, Washington, Y.M.C.A. student conference a Fourth of July celebration at Dayton, Oregon; a Y.M.C.A. Sunday afternoon meeting at Everett, Washington; the Portland City Club of Portland, Oregon; the Epworth League district convention; the Yamhill County and Hood River County Teacher's Associations; an Armistice Day celebration at Forest Grove, Oregon; and other gatherings of various sorts. Platform lectures at Nehalem, Falls City, Bonanza, Malin, and Arlington, Oregon, and Shasta City, California; and peace sermons at Indianapolis, Indiana; Baltimore, Maryland; Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; and Newberg, Salem, and South Salem meetings of Oregon Yearly Meeting.

There is much opportunity for the presentation of the peace message. Many churches are open to the truth now that would have been closed to it a few years ago. Ministerial associations are willing and eager to listen to truths which would not have got a hearing during the days when the world was "war mad, hate crazed, blood drunk." The lyceum platform, the chautauqua platform, the religious and secular press are open to the peace message in a way which offers an opportunity and a challenge to every friend of peace.

And to those who are not qualified for work along any of these lines, there is always the opportunity for the distribution of literature, and of definite personal peace propaganda, face to face and man to man. Millions of men and women must be engaged in spreading the peace message in this way, if God is to have the chance through us to make wars to cease unto the ends of the earth.

In the matter of definite statistics asked for in the report blank which was sent out to the various meetings, only two meetings reported meetings of the local peace committee at the beginning of the year, and one of these stated that the work for the year was not planned at this meeting.

In the immediate interests of peace 12 meetings were held. Of these, three were in the nature of conferences, in two, peace sermons were preached, in six, peace addresses were given, and in one, peace orations. In all, 30 addresses and sermons are reported on some phase of the peace question, most of these in the regular church services rather than in special meetings in the interests of peace.

About 60 copies of the Messenger of Peace are taken by Oregon Friends so far as the reports indicated. All of these were reported from four local meetings.

Only two meetings reported money raised for the carrying on of peace work, one reporting \$1.00 and the other \$15.65.

Three members in one meeting participated in oratorical contests on the subject of peace during the year.

None of our members are reported as being engaged in active military service.

Over 40,000 pages of peace literature has been distributed, but it is noteworthy that 37,267 pages of this are reported by two meetings.

Quite as interesting as these statistics, are the reports made of work done which is not inquired after by the blanks sent out as suggestions for report.

Three meetings report the use of peace posters in their own meeting houses and in the public schools, and one has done the same service for another church or two. The Yearly Meeting Superintendent knows personally of five meetings in one quarterly meeting which had these posters.

One meeting reports a liberal contribution to a "New Testament for China" campaign, which they feel will help toward international peace.

One peace paper was read in the Woman's Christian Temperance Union.

The news letters for the World Alliance for International Friendship through the Churches is received by a number of our people.

Various periodicals are taken, in addition to the American Friend, which emphasize the peace message strongly. Among these are "The World Tomorrow," and the bulletin of the National Council for the Prevention of War, 20 copies of the latter of which are reported in two meetings.

Various resolutions have been sent by meetings to congress, the Secretary of War, the Secretary of the Navy, etc. Regular monthly peace messages have been given in at least two Sunday Schools. Peace items were furnished for one church bulletin, weekly, throughout the year.

Among the suggestions for the more effective peace work of Friends in local meetings, in the Yearly Meeting, and throughout Quakerdom are the following: A good peace paper with subscription price within the reach of all; systematic study; special and regular instruction in Bible Schools; more sermons and addresses before our regular meetings; a much greater distribution of peace literature; and a conference of the pastors of the Yearly Meeting for the purpose of agreeing on some plan or program which they might desire to put forward throughout the year.

In conclusion will the Yearly Meeting accept some definite suggestions from the retiring superintendent?

If we are to be Friends indeed we must be a people of peace, for without any question this is and always has been one of the cardinal teachings of the Society of Friends. Not only must we maintain in our own hearts and in our own midst the spirit of peace and love and good will, but we must do our whole duty in impressing this message upon the world. The seriousness of this task can hardly be overestimated. The next war waits just around the corner on the highway of the world. War is antagonistic to the Kingdom of God, and another world war would probably mean the loss of the souls of many millions, and a tremendous injury to the cause of Jesus Christ, from which the work of the Kingdom would

not recover for generations; indeed there are many who believe that another world war would not only threaten the civilization of the world but would actually threaten the existence of the human race. Surely those who work sincerely for the advancement of the Christian principle of peace are doing God's service.

One of our most effective means for the spreading of peace principles among our own circle is by working in the Sunday Schools. Germany made her people a military nation by working through the day schools. We can go far toward making our people lovers of peace by working with the children, too; and if we cannot do all we should like through the day schools, we can at least give the children in the Sunday Schools very definite peace instruction which will go far toward making them apostles of peace in later years.

Public meetings are a means for peace promotion open to all of us. Make these meetings as interesting as possible. Get good music as an additional attraction. Advertise the meeting. Get in as many outsiders as possible. But when the message is presented, do not dilute it. The world would rightly despise a Quaker who would give an anaemic peace message.

Make much of the printed word. There is a vast deal of excellent peace material available, both old and new.

Mention has already been made of some periodical literature. The Advocate of Peace, The Messenger of Peace, International Conciliation, the Bulletins of the National Council for the Prevention of War, of the World Alliance for International Friendship Through the Churches, of the World Peace Foundation and similar organizations and a host of periodicals which are not primarily peace papers but which have peace as a leading feature, all these are well worth reading.

In addition to the older books which ought to be read, there are several new books and booklets which ought to be read and studied by many of us.

Perhaps the best "campaign textbook" for the one who wishes to promote the cause of peace is "War on War," by Frederick J. Libby, head of the National Council for the Prevention of War. This organization has also published "Across Border Lines," in two volumes, which contains much very valuable material, and information as to where other material can be secured.

Will Irwin is the author of two thrilling books on the subject "The Next War," and "Christ or Mars?"

The Peace Education Committee of Philadelphia Yearly Meeting has issued an excellent little book, "A Gateway to Good Will."

"War as Viewed by Jesus and the Early Church," is a new booklet by Wilfred Wellock, of the "No More War" movement.

"Rebel Saints," by Mary Agnes Best tells early Quaker stories in a thrilling, romantic way that is gripping and interesting.

All these books can be secured through the Bookstore of the Friends Central Office, 101 South Eighth Street, Richmond, Indiana.

Pacific College has more than a "Five Foot Shelf" of books on various phases of the peace question and it would be to our great joy if we could keep these books in constant circulation.

If we have not been active in the work, for peace, let us arouse ourselves and work as

becomes those who bear the name of Friends; and if we have been doing much for this cause, let us do more.

Respectfully submitted,

LEVI T. PENNINGTON, Peace Superintendent.

An earnest appeal for peace was given by our young Friend, Rosa Aebischer, in an oration which had been given at the annual Peace Oratorical contest.

49. The report of the Peace Association of Friends in America with the treasurer's report, was received and directed printed in the minutes. This report appears in the Appendix.

50. The following committee was appointed to prepare and bring to a future session, resolutions pertaining to the subject of peace.

Raymond S. Holding, Charles I. Whitlock and Levi T. Pennington.

51. The nominating committee made the following report, which was adopted by the meeting:

(a) Referring to minute 18—On revision of discipline the following recommendation was made:

That Edward Mott, Marguerite P. Elliott and Clarence G. McClean be appointed to revise the discipline.

(b) Nominations for Superintendents of Departments.

The latter appears in the Appendix.

52. The superintendent of Bible School and Religious Education having removed from the limits of the Yearly Meeting, the Meeting requested that the Superintendent for the coming year prepare a summary of the reports from the Quarterly Meetings.

53. The meeting adjourned to meet at 2:00 p. m.

SEVENTH DAY—2:00 P. M.

54. The meeting met according to adjournment.

55. The minutes of the previous session were read and approved.

56. The following report of the Meeting on Ministry and Oversight was read and approved:

REPORT OF MEETING ON MINISTRY AND OVERSIGHT

Three meetings were held. We felt that God's presence was with us and were assured that amidst the storms that surround us, Jesus is always present to still the troubled waters.

He is not asleep. We were united in a concern that we need to pray more earnestly for one another. The business was conducted in a spirit of harmony, Christian sympathy and love.

MYRTLE M. RUSSELL, Clerk.

ELMA J. LULL, Assistant Clerk.

57. The clerk requested the privilege of placing the names of Doris Mann Tamplin and Archie J. Totten in the list of ministers in the minutes. They having been recorded since the reports were made at the close of the year. The meeting granted the request.

58. The committee appointed at the morning session to prepare and bring to this meeting, for its approval, a communication on the subject of peace, presented the following, which was acceptable to the meeting. It was signed and sent to the proper authorities.

JUNE 12, 1926

HONORABLE CALVIN COOLIDGE,
President of the United States,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

Oregon Yearly Meeting of Friends has noted with approval the attitude taken by you which prevented the turning of Armistice Day, on which peace should be emphasized, into an annual National Defense Test day.

We note with gratification that the attempt to institute an annual National Defense Test day is not being pushed for this year and we trust that it will be abandoned permanently, and that you will use your influence to this end, for we see no possible good that could come from this military gesture, either among our own people or in our relationship to the rest of the world.

We note with deep regret and concern the growth of compulsory military training in the high schools and institutions of higher education throughout the United States, and regret that the War Department of the United States government is co-operating in a form of military education which we fear will jeopardize the peace of the world not only by the development of militaristic ideals among our own people but by arousing the fears and suspicions of other peoples and tending to develop in them a militaristic spirit to meet the danger which our own war preparation causes them to suspect and fear.

It seems especially unjust to us that the United States government should co-operate in any movement which requires that some of the young people of the United States either violate their conscience or forego the educational privileges of those very institutions which are supported by their own taxation.

We would also respectfully call your attention to the use of cancellation stamps by the Postoffice Department, which constantly call the attention not only of our own people but of the people of the other nations to our training camps, thereby, in our judgment, fostering a militaristic attitude on the part of our own people, keeping the thoughts of war-

fare too much before our minds, and tending to excite the suspicions and fears of peoples in other lands.

With sincere appreciation of those activities of yours which have tended toward the peace and prosperity not only of America but of the world, and with the earnest hope that you will use your influence for the correction of these things which we see as evils, and for the continued promotion of peace and good will throughout the world, we are

Sincerely your friends,

On behalf of Oregon Yearly Meeting of Friends,

held at Newberg, Oregon, June 10-14, 1926.

EDWARD MOTT, Clerk.

59. The final report of the representatives was read, approved and is printed below:

The representatives favor granting the following:

The Evangelistic Board asking for Church Extension work	\$2700.00
The expense of the 1924 Committee appointed to recommend our future relations with the Five Years Meeting	145.48
Five Years Meeting Assessment covering the period from 9-30-1925 to 3-31-1926	187.00
One-fourth of Five Years Meeting Assessment of \$370.37 covering period from 3-31-1926 to 3-31-1927	92.59
(If the Five Years Board does not consider that this amount covers our financial obligation to them the further obligation will be considered and satisfied at our next Yearly Meeting.)	
The Ministerial Association asking to defray traveling expenses to their association meetings	150.00
Pavement payment of	370.00
Printing and contingent expenses	300.00
Christian Endeavor	300.00
Peace	30.00
Christian Stewardship	25.00
Literature	20.00
Education	5.00
Temperance	10.00
Bible School	10.00
Janitor	15.00
For Entertainment	50.00
Total	\$4410 07

The representatives recommend that 850 copies of the Yearly Meeting Minutes be printed
The following report of the Finance Committee was adopted by the Representatives:

Ratios are recommended as follows:

Boise Valley	25%
Newberg	27%
Portland	26%
Salem	20%
Tacoma	5%

Oliver Weesner was nominated to serve the meeting as Treasurer for the coming year.

60. The epistles from Indiana and Western Yearly Meetings were read.

61. The Epistle Committee was instructed to prepare a communication to Vienna Friends, in answer to their communication to this meeting.

62. The subject of Education claimed the attention of the meeting at this hour. The report of the Superintendent of that department was read, approved, and appears below: The statistical report appears in the Appendix.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF EDUCATION

There have been several addresses on Christian education throughout the Yearly Meeting during this year. Springbrook Monthly Meeting reports one sermon on this subject. One session at Salem Quarterly Meeting and one at Portland Quarterly Meeting were devoted to the subject of Christian education.

There is a deep concern on the part of our pastors, our teachers, and generally throughout the membership that we guard carefully the education of our young people. We are thankful for our consecrated Christian teachers. Their's is indeed a great responsibility and a high privilege. We are conscious, too, of the need of constant vigilance in the employment of teachers in our public schools. We cannot be blameless if we allow the selection of teachers for our children whose character is unsound, or whose teaching is in any way hostile to the cause of Jesus Christ.

Respectfully submitted,

RUSSELL W. LEWIS, Yearly Meeting Superintendent.

63. The reports made by Pacific College Corporation, President and Treasurer were read, approved and are printed below:

NEWBERG, OREGON, June 11th, 1926.

TO OREGON YEARLY MEETING OF FRIENDS:

Dear Friends:

At the annual meeting of the Pacific College Corporation, the following nominations for members of the Board of Managers were approved and directed to the Yearly Meeting:
On nomination of the Premanent Board of Oregon Yearly Meeting, Anna B. Miles and Milo P. Elliott.

On nomination of the College Board of Managers, Evangeline Martin and Laura Hammer.

On nomination of the Alumni Association, Clarence J. Edwards.

Reports of the President and Treasurer of the College were read and referred to the Yearly Meeting.

The corporation voiced its hearty approval of the splendid work of President Pennington and his corps of teachers during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

J. H. REES, Vice President.

H. M. HOSKINS, Secretary.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE PRESIDENT OF PACIFIC COLLEGE

With a deep sense of gratitude to God for His blessings, and to all those who have contributed to the success of the work of Pacific College during the year just closed, I present this annual report closing the fifteenth year of my service as president. It has been a year of problems, of earnest activity, and of some successes for which Pacific College and its friends have long been striving.

Pacific College Standardized

The one outstanding feature of the year has been the successful achievement by the college of recognition as one of the standard colleges of Oregon. Most of the friends of the college are familiar with the situation which has faced us ever since the standardization law was passed more than fifteen years ago.

In order that the institution might be recognized and accredited by the United States Bureau of Education and the State Department of Public Instruction, certain conditions had to be met, the most difficult of which was the providing of \$200,000.00 of paid-in and invested endowment. There were other requirements of a scholastic nature, but all these the college met a considerable time ago. Not until last fall, however, was the college able to show a net paid-in and invested endowment sufficient to secure recognition.

Approximately a year before this recognition was achieved, Herbert Hoover had undertaken to influence certain Portland men in our behalf. As a result of his co-operation with the college authorities, a sum aggregating about \$40,000.00 was raised in Portland, \$25,000.00 of it being contributed by one person, the identity of whom the president of the college was not given the right to divulge.

As a result of this effort in Portland and of the help from various other quarters, including some very substantial contributions from eastern Friends, the college was able to show a net paid-in endowment of more than \$200,000.00, and the United States Bureau of Education and the State Department of Public Instruction placed Pacific College on the accredited list of standard colleges of Oregon, and our graduates are now licensed to teach in the high schools of the State, and are received into graduate schools and their work here credited in other institutions of higher learning on the same basis as the other standard colleges of the state.

The Next Step

It has been known to the college authorities and to most of the friends of the college for a considerable time that the requirements of standardization were to be advanced with the fall of 1926. Some of these advancing requirements have to do with equipment and other matters of an educational nature. All these requirements have been met except the

one calling for an increase in the library, and this is being cared for rapidly, and the required additions to the library will be completed before the new standards go into effect, Sept. 1.

In an effort to meet the new financial requirement, a campaign was put on in Portland, in an effort to bring the total raised in that city up to \$100,000.00. The campaign was given splendid support by the newspapers of the city, both in the news columns and editorially; Herbert Hoover consented to be honorary chairman of the campaign; and four of the most prominent leaders in the city, J. C. Ainsworth, president of the United States National Bank, W. B. Ayer, president of the Eastern and Western Lumber Company, Edgar B. Piper, editor of the Oregonian, and B. F. Irvine, editor of the Journal, became an advisory committee for the campaign.

A firm which makes a specialty of financial campaigns was employed, chiefly for the purpose of building a soliciting organization of Portland citizens. In this particular the campaign did not succeed, and the work of soliciting devolved almost entirely upon the president of the college. As he was an absolute stranger to most of the people who were to be solicited, the task of soliciting became a long and tedious one, conducted under great difficulties, and one that could be worked but slowly. This soliciting task is not yet completed, but there is no real reason for hope that the college will be able to raise a sum sufficient to bring the Portland total up to \$100,000.00.

It became clear to the board that unless unexpected help came quickly and in large amounts there was no likelihood that the campaign for the completion of \$300,000.00 would terminate successfully by the first of September, and that some other method of maintaining our standardization would need to be adopted. Conference was had with the United States Bureau of Education and an agreement was reached with Dr. A. J. Klein, specialist in higher education, who has charge of the standardization of colleges, that if the college could by the beginning of next year secure \$5,000.00 in cash to apply on the current budget of 1926-27, we should be able to maintain our standardization for another year. He would not promise that this recognition would be continued from year to year on the basis of pledges, but did give us such assurance that cash income will keep us on the standard list that the college is taking pledges for a term of five years in order that the institution may be assured of an income sufficient to maintain its standardization while the endowment is being completed, which will assure the permanence of the college on the list of accredited institutions.

It is hoped that the friends of the college will rally to this campaign. The changed relation of Oregon Yearly Meeting to the Friends of the Five Years Meeting will unquestionably cut off from the college some substantial sources of income unless the Yearly Meeting should demonstrate that it desires to maintain this Yearly Meeting institution of Christian higher education. Nothing would so quickly and so completely assure the continued help of eastern Friends as a quick and generous response to the college's present financial needs.

Religious Work

The students and faculty of the college have carried on the usual lines of Christian activity during the year. The Y.M.C.A. and Y.W.C.A. are the strongest organizations in Pacific College. Deputation work, Bible study, mission study, and other forms of

activity have been pushed as usual. Two students have worked regularly in one of the smaller meetings in Newberg Quarterly Meeting. In various Christian gatherings our students have made definite contributions and have wielded a very much worthwhile influence. An account of the religious work of the year would be far too long for a report of this kind.

The regular curricular Bible study of the year has been much appreciated by and very helpful to the students.

The students co-operated faithfully in the evangelistic meetings held in the Friends church by Arthur J. Wollam, and many were greatly helped by them. The assistance of Raymond S. Holding in the religious work of the college, and the help of other ministers in the Yearly Meeting and ministers of other denominations within and without the community has been greatly appreciated.

Scholastic Work of the Year

A successful year has passed in the scholastic work of the college. There were only two new members of the teaching force this year and both of these have fitted admirably into the work of the college, and with the rest of the faculty, some of whom have been on the teaching force for more than fifteen years, have given the institution splendid service both in the class room and out.

The following students were graduated at the commencement exercises June 9, each taking the degree of Bachelor of Arts; Edna Christie, Lucille Logston, Albert I. Reed, Harlan Rinard, Helen Nordyke Rinard, Frank D. Roberts, and Olive Terrell. The highest honors of the class went to Albert I. Reed.

The Junior prize was awarded to Edna Doree.

Two students received the commercial diploma, Elsie Reed and Mildred Frazer.

There were eleven members of the academy graduating class, Donald Crozer, Joanna Gerrits, Lela Guiley, Harold Hodson, Robert Holding, Ruth Holding, Elsie Reed, Hedwig Schaad, Winona Smith, Seth Oliver Terrell and Ralph Yergen. The faculty found two members of this class so nicely balanced in scholarship and character that they were unable to determine any difference in excellence on the basis of which to make an award of the Pacific College scholarship to one as against the other, and so the scholarship was divided between Joanna Gerrits and Elsie Reed.

Faculty Changes

An unusually large number of changes must be made in the faculty of the college the coming year, but all the vacancies have been filled, and it is felt that on the whole the force will be quite as strong as it has ever been.

Mary Eunice Lewis, professor of German, has been granted a year's leave of absence, which she will spend in advanced graduate study in Germany. The college has been fortunate in securing for this place for the coming year Eva L. Miles, a graduate of Pacific College in 1924, with graduate study in Europe in 1924-25, and just now completing a year of graduate work for her Master's degree in Willamette University.

Ella M. Dungan, professor of psychology and education, is, at her own request, terminating her work with the end of this year. This place will be filled by the return to the

faculty of Chase L. Conover, who held this position for two years, 1922-24, and who has since spent another full year of graduate work in education in the University of Iowa, and has had another year of teaching experience.

Mary C. Sutton, who has been teaching history and science in the preparatory department, has been granted a year's leave of absence for graduate study, and her place is to be taken by Hubert E. Armstrong, a graduate of 1925, who has just closed a successful year as instructor in history in Nebraska Central College. In addition to his class room work he will assist in the work of physical education.

Mary L. Johnson, who has been on a year's leave of absence for 1925-26, will return to her position as principal of the commercial department, relieving Pauline Terrell, who has done such satisfactory work as acting principal during the year just closed.

Dilla G. Tucker, who has been matron of the women's dormitory with some teaching work in the preparatory department, is terminating her work with this year, at her own request.

In addition to these changes Leona Watland, graduating this year from Penn College, has been chosen as librarian and matron of the women's dormitory.

Losses by Death

Of course, no year passes without death touching the college closely in some way. Two recent losses have caused great grief to the college community.

The first was the drowning of John Wilbut Elliott, a member of the Freshman class of the college, who had done his preparatory work here too, and had therefore been a member of the student body for nearly five years. This tragic death of one of their own number deeply affected the student body. A memorial service was held in the college, itself, and a later service was held in the church in which the student body participated. Testimonies to the Christian character and influence of the one who had gone so suddenly were given by many of his associates in the student body, the faculty, and the church.

The other death which has caused so much grief to all the friends of the college, and especially to those who have carried the heavier burdens of responsibility, was the home going of O. J. Sherman, for the past fifteen years a faithful and loyal member of the board and one of the most generous contributors to the college that the institution has ever had. His long illness had made it impossible for him to attend regularly the meetings of the board for some time, but his loyalty, his counsel, and his prayers were an invaluable asset to the college to the very last. No one except those who have been intimately associated with him can appreciate how great the loss will be to the college through his death.

Facing the Future

With faith in God, who has so signally blessed Pacific College, and the friends of the institution who have so loyally and generously supported it, we face the future, determined that it shall be better than the past has ever been.

Respectfully submitted.

LEVI T. PENNINGTON, President.

**PACIFIC COLLEGE SCHEDULE OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS
YEAR ENDING MAY 31, 1926**

General Fund

Cash Balance May 31, 1925 \$ 469.33

Receipts:

Tuition—Academy	\$ 3,196.07
College	3,728.61
Borrowed	5,500.00
Received from Endowment and Sustaining Fund	33,721.39
Interest	10,506.29
Rent	558.00
Dividends	177.00
Premiums on Bonds	305.00
Old Notes and Pledges	60.85
Return of Expense Money	3,887.77
Sundry Receipts	136.41

Total Receipts Operating Section	\$61,777.39
Chemistry Lab. Fees and Breakage Transfer	100.81
Physics Lab. Fees	68.00
Biology Lab. Fees	38.00
Domestic Science Lab. Fees	28.12
Bookstore	1,183.19
Breakage	63.00
Library Fees	539.50
Student Affairs Fees	520.00
Board	2,088.62
Rooms	1,073.44
Sinking Fund for Underwriting Notes, Interest	256.46

Total Receipts	
Total	\$67,736.53
	68,205.86

Disbursements

Operating:

Notes Payable	\$27,742.40
Salaries	19,748.75
General Expense	359.58
Interest	2,558.59
Requisition, Materials, Supplies, Equipments, etc.	4,883.55
Light, Heat, Water, etc.	813.13
Refunds	103.05

Advertising	104.35
Portland Campaign and Traveling Expenses	4,328.46
Taxes and Assessments for Improvements	478.14
Interest Accrued on Bonds Purchased	781.46
Insurance	137.40

\$62,038.86

Other Activities:

Chemistry Laboratory	247.46
Physics Laboratory	4.05
Biology Laboratory	15.95
Domestic Science Laboratory	19.65
Bookstore	1,057.63
Breakage, Refunds and Payments to Chemistry Laboratory ..	63.00
Library	359.97
Student Affairs	551.65
Board	2,661.35
Rooms	439.63

Total Disbursements	\$67,459.20
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Cash Balance May 31, 1926 746.66

Respectfully submitted,
OLIVER WEESNER, Treasurer Pacific College.

64. The Missionary Board made the following recommendations which became the action of the meeting:

Personal salary for Arthur Chilson	\$1200.00
Allowance for Chilson girls	400.00
Service for the Chilson family	150.00
Conveyance for the Chilson family	100.00
Education of Missionary children	175.00
Boys Training School	500.00
Sinking fund for Chilson furlough	215.00
Lois M. Cope's furlough salary	900.00

Total	\$3640.00
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Any surplus that can be raised, to apply on the Chilson furlough fund will be very acceptable to the Board.

FREDERICK J. COPE, Chairman.
J. HARLAN SMITH, Secretary.

65. The committee appointed in the morning session according to minute

47, presented to this meeting the following communication which was approved and the clerks were directed to sign and forward:

NEWBERG, OREGON, JULY 30, 1926.

J. G. LAY, ESQ.,
U. S. CONSUL GEN.
CALCUTTA, INDIA.

Dear Sir:

Miss Lois Cope, a missionary of the American Friends Board to Africa, has just recently returned to her home. At our Yearly Meeting, just recently held, Miss Cope recounted to the Missionary session something of her detention in your city, and how, you and your wife so kindly ministered to her needs, securing medical aid, hospital service and such other attention as was necessary.

This Conference wishes to extend to you the most hearty thanks for the service rendered, which reflects so creditably the spirit of the great nation which you represent.

Very cordially,

Secretary.

66. J. Harlan Smith expressed a concern that a message be sent to the Five Years Meeting Board of Foreign Missions, expressing the appreciation and return home of Lois M. Cope.

The Missionary Board was directed to prepare a proper communication and present to the next session of this Yearly Meeting.

67. Enos Presnall, Mary L. Stanton and Ethol R. George requested that they be excused from further attendance upon sessions of this Yearly Meeting. These requests were granted.

68. The presiding clerk requested a leave of absence from the evening session with the suggestion that the recording clerk act for the evening. The request was granted and the suggestion approved.

69. The meeting adjourned to meet at eight p.m.

SEVENTH DAY—8:00 P. M.

70. The meeting convened according to adjournment.

71. W. Lloyd Taylor led in prayer.

72. The Christian Endeavor Department made the following report. The statistical report appears in the Appendix.

REPORT OF CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR

Feeling that the Christian Endeavor has made progress in a great many lines this year

and realizing that the statistical report in no way shows what work has been accomplished we wish to submit a more comprehensive report of our work than has heretofore come to the Yearly Meeting.

Since the motto of Christian Endeavor is "For Christ and the Church" we have sought to make this motto a living reality in the Oregon Yearly Meeting Christian Endeavor Union. We do not wish to be considered a separate organization from the church for we have consistently borne to the church the relationship of the branch to the vine. We expect at all times to push with enthusiasm the church program.

Following is the report of the various phases of our program:

Society Organization. Four new societies have been organized this year in the Yearly Meeting. The C. E. has followed closely the church extension work in organizing Endeavor Societies.

About the middle of the year a society was organized at Sprague River. We are glad to welcome this society into our ranks and pray God's richest blessing upon it.

A few weeks ago the president, with others of the officers went to Kelso and organized a society with a goodly number of members.

Societies have been organized during the year at Boise and Middleton.

During the year, one of our members, has been teaching in Idaho, and has found time to organize a society at this outpost, which if properly cared for may mean an opening for church extension.

During the year a group of four Endeavors visited the Idaho societies and we feel that the result was a great feeling of unity and fellowship in Christ.

Missionary

The statistical report did not give an accurate report of the missionary money raised, since in so many societies it was given to the church without passing through the hands of the Christian Endeavor Treasurer. In the church report we noted that something over \$320 was reported. Some \$25.00 has been given to other sources, making a total of \$345.00 given to Missions.

One society bought a steamer trunk for Carroll and Doris Tamplin, two of our Endeavors who went to Central America, January 1st. Carroll Tamplin was one of our Quarterly Meeting Superintendents at the time he left, but we are glad he and his wife have found opportunity to give the gospel to those who have not heard it so many times as we.

Friendly Endeavor

We have found that this organ of the C.E. has been very instrumental in promoting fellowship, knowledge and love with one another. The atmosphere of unity in Christ, permeates the news which comes from the various societies. It is endeavored to present all the phases of our C. E. program in its columns, namely, plans for the work of the organization, Missionary interest and enthusiasm, and the Summer Conference.

Summer Conference

We, as the young people, have felt that the summer conferences are necessary to our growth and spiritual welfare, that as each year comes we look with greater enthusiasm to

the Conference at Twin Rocks. God has marvellously blessed the Conference in the past, so we look to Him in faith for blessing in the coming Conference.

The results of such a conference cannot be tabulated, for only eternity will reveal the decisions made for Christ at the altar in our meetings. The instruction in our classes also helps to establish the young people in the doctrines of the Church, and aids them in defining the things which they believe.

We seek to make all feel welcome, from the youngest to the oldest and hope through this part of our program to be able to aid the church in spreading the gospel of Christ.

Summary

As we look over the past year's work we thank God for the victories which have been won among the young people and we turn our faces to the future with hope and faith in God that the work may be enlarged to an even greater measure.

Offerings and Pledges taken amounted to \$70.25

WALTER LEE, President.

HELEN CAMMACK, Secretary.

The Nominating Committee's report was read, approved, and appears in the Directory.

73. Two pleasing solo's were rendered by Bess Owens Runyon and Lolita Hinshaw. L. Clarkson Hinshaw gave the address of the evening

74. The meeting adjourned to meet Second Day at 10:00 a.m.

SECOND DAY—10:00 A.M.

75. The meeting convened according to adjournment.

76. The Presiding Clerk led in prayer.

77. The minutes of the sessions held Seventh Day, afternoon and evening, were read and approved.

78. Epistles were read from Kansas, North Carolina and Iowa Yearly Meetings.

79. A Minute was read for Grace M. Elliott, a minister, and her husband Melborne Elliott and their daughter Elisabeth, signed by the clerk of Alda Monthly Meeting and endorsed by the Clerk of Platte Valley Quarterly Meeting, Nebraska Y. Meeting. The clerk expressed a welcome on behalf of the meeting.

80. The committee appointed according to Minute 66, presented the following communication which met with the approval of the meeting:

To THE AMERICAN FRIENDS BOARD OF FOREIGN MISSIONS:

We are hereby communicating to you the expression of appreciation of Oregon Yearly

Meeting as voted in open session, for your services on our behalf during the past year. We feel especially grateful for the timely assistance given Lois M. Cope during her illness and return home.

The clerks were directed to sign and forward the above communication.

81. The following report of the Trustees was read and adopted:

REPORT OF TRUSTEES

A loan from the building fund of four hundred and thirty-two dollars has been made to the trustees of the Second Friends Church of Portland, Oregon, they giving their note, dated October 26th, 1925, for five years, with interest at five percent after two years.

We have deposited in the United States National Bank of Newberg, Oregon, a contingent fund of \$29.96.

Signed on behalf of trustees,

ALPHEUS R. MILLS, Chairman.

82. The report of the Bible School and Religious Education Department was read, discussed, approved and is printed in the Appendix

83. The Recording Clerk was directed to send down to the Yearly Meeting and Quarterly Meeting superintendents notice of their appointments.

84. The report of the Superintendent of the Temperance Department was read, approved and appears below:

TEMPERANCE REPORT

Received of former Yearly Meeting Superintendent		\$3.45
Paid for stamps.....	\$.67	
Paid for telegrams to Washington, D. C.	2.65	3.32
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Leaving a balance in the Treasury of.....		.13

During the past year the question of prohibition has been prominently before all the people of the country. It has been more seriously discussed by more prominent people perhaps than ever before, and comes before us today a live question demanding earnest and prayerful consideration.

Your superintendent has sent out to the Quarterly Meetings 4800 pages of literature for distribution. A summary of the Quarterly Meetings reporting indicates considerable activity as follows:

Number of pages of temperance literature distributed	8,035
Number of temperance lectures.....	7
Number of temperance sermons.....	6
Number of temperance programs	16
Amount of money advanced Anti Saloon League and other organizations	\$60.60

Items of Interest

Telegrams in the form of night letters were sent to our representatives at Washington,

urging their support of all measures pending in Congress looking toward the better enforcement of prohibition

The following letter was also sent to the Hon. George Neuner federal prohibition official for Oregon. As directed at the meeting last year, according to minute 76, page 27 of 1925 Minutes.

PORTLAND, OREGON, April 19, 1926

TO THE HON. GEORGE NEUNER,
Federal Building,
Portland, Oregon.
Dear Sir:

On behalf of 3000 members of Oregon Yearly Meeting of Friends, and in harmony with church people generally in the Northwest, the undersigned wishes to commend the stand you are taking in connection with the drink question in the Klamath Indian Reservation, which has become so acute and alarming at the present time.

The Friends Church has had for some time two missionaries (Ivey C. Clark and wife) in that field, whose good work has been greatly hindered and whose trials greatly increased by the persistent activities of bootleggers and dance hall promoters among the Indians, and along the borders of the Reservation.

We want to urge you as a Federal official to bring to bear all the authority of the Government possible in solving this difficult problem and as you do so, we pledge our earnest support and fervent prayers.

Yours very truly,

WILLIAM REES, Supt. of Temperance
Oregon Yearly Meeting of Friends.

Now a few words as to temperance in the broad, true meaning of the word:
Self denial; moderation. Paul thought it important enough to be placed over against reveling and drunkenness and in that bright company of Christian virtues that he designates the fruit of the spirit.

It is greatly to be desired that every minister, every Sunday School teacher and every Christian Endeavor leader and every parent in Oregon Yearly Meeting be diligent in teaching the children the principles of temperance in all the varied activities of life.

Let us cultivate the field, keep out the weeds and faint not, so that in due time we may reap a good harvest.

WM. REES, Supt. of Temperance.

Sarah Lee Schimp gave a reading, splendid, both in content and rendition.
Raymond S. Holding gave an interesting address on the subject.

85. Joseph A. Taylor suggested that letters of commendation be prepared by the Temperance superintendent and forwarded to the proper authorities.

86. Annis J. Brady, Lemuel W. Heston and Emma J. Heston requested

that they be excused from further attendance on the sessions of this Yearly Meeting. These requests were granted.

87. The following summary of the State of Society was read and approved:

The spiritual condition of most of the members is good.

In general there is faithful attendance on the meetings for worship, which are regularly held, some reports note an increased interest and attendance.

Family worship is maintained by most of the membership.

With few exceptions the meetings report that unity and harmony prevail.

Evangelistic services, which were held in some of the meetings contributed much to the spiritual life and growth of the church.

The ministry of the Word is owned of the Lord in blessing to many.

Expression is made of the need of a more abundant prayer life throughout our meetings.

Many of our young people are preparing for definite Christian service. Also many are active in carrying forward the work of the church.

88. The meeting adjourned to meet at 2:00 p.m.

SECOND DAY—2:00 P.M.

89. The meeting met according to adjournment.

90. We were led in prayer by Edith M. Minchin.

91. The minutes of the previous session were read and approved.

92. Epistles were read from California and Nebraska Yearly Meetings.

93. The Nominating Committee made its final report which was read, approved and appears in the Directory.

94. The final report of the Statistical Secretary was read, approved and appears in the Directory.

95. The following report of the Permanent Board was read:

TO OREGON YEARLY MEETING:

We have passed upon this memorial to Mary Jane Newlin, and recommend that it be read and filed with Yearly Meeting documents.

On behalf of the Permanent Board,

ALLEN SMITH, Clerk.

The Memorial for Mary Jane Newlin, a minister, was read and directed printed in the minutes. It appears in the Appendix.

Many friends spoke in appreciation of her consecrated life and acceptable service. Raymond S. Holding was requested to convey to Milton Newlin

these expressions of appreciation of his beloved companion, with whom he had walked for more than sixty-seven years.

96. The report of the organization of the Evangelistic and Church Extension Board was read and appears below:

ORGANIZATION OF EVANGELISTIC AND CHURCH EXTENSION BOARD

At a meeting of the Board held 6-12-1926, the officers were elected for the coming year, with Chester A. Hadley elected President. At a later meeting of the Board Chester A. Hadley resigned this office, and Oliver Weesner was elected to that position. Oliver Weesner at the previous meeting had been elected Vice-President and now tendered his resignation from that office, which was accepted, and the Board proceeded to elect I. G. Lee for Vice-President of the Board, making the Officers of the Board as follows:

President Oliver Weesner
Vice-President I. Gurney Lee
Secretary Marietta Lewis

The Board wishes to express its appreciation of the efficient work of Chester A. Hadley as President of the Board for the last five years.

Respectfully submitted
MARIETTA LEWIS, Secretary.

97. The following report of the Press Committee was read, approved, and appears below:

REPORT OF PRESS COMMITTEE

TO OREGON YEARLY MEETING OF FRIENDS:

Your Press Committee has sought to discharge its duties faithfully, furnishing daily news reports to three daily papers in Portland, two in Salem, and the local paper in Newberg.

On behalf of the Committee,
CARL F. MILLER, Chairman.

98. The following report of the committee on Returning Minutes was read and approved:

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON RETURNING MINUTES

We the committee appointed to prepare Returning Minutes for visiting Friends have prepared minutes for the following:

George L. Carr and wife, Arthur J. and Elizabeth Haldy, Grace M. and Melborne and Elisabeth Elliott, Rebecca Mills and Luella Welch.

On behalf of Committee,
LUCY D. JOHNSON, Chairman.

These Minutes were read and directed signed.

99. The following report from the Epistle Committee was read and approved:

REPORT OF EPISTLE COMMITTEE

TO OREGON YEARLY MEETING:

Your Epistle Committee presents for your consideration copies of Epistles prepared for London, Dublin, Germany and the American Yearly Meetings, also a reply to the communication from Friends in Vienna.

EMMA M. HODGIN, Chairman.

With a few changes suggested in the American Epistle, they were passed on favorably.

100. The report of the Printing Committee was read, approved, and appears below:

REPORT OF THE PRINTING COMMITTEE

TO OREGON YEARLY MEETING OF FRIENDS:

The Printing Committee have attended to the object of their appointment, and have had printed the minutes, the tentative report of the committee on relations to the Five Years Meeting, and blanks for reports of our various departments as requested.

Respectfully submitted,
LEVI T. PENNINGTON, Chairman.

101. The report of the Entertainment Committee was read, approved, and appears below: A vote of thanks was tendered this committee for its efficient and valuable service during this yearly meeting.

REPORT OF THE ENTERTAINMENT COMMITTEE

We have served twelve hundred and thirty-three meals; of this number eight hundred and ten were to guests of the Yearly Meeting.

We placed about sixty persons in homes in the community.

We appreciate the courtesy and co-operation of all those whom we have been able to serve.

On behalf of the Committee,
FRANK D. ROBERTS.

102. The report of the Home Mission and Social Service Department was read, approved, and is printed below:

REPORT OF HOME MISSIONS AND SOCIAL SERVICE

The report of the Home Missions department seems rather meager, but considering the limitations of the department perhaps not much more could be expected. We notice however an encouraging increase of interest and effort in both of the departments over last year. Blanks were provided this year which have been of much assistance in securing the necessary information. Each Quarterly Meeting contributed to the following report.

Number of sermons or addresses on Home Missions	16
Number of programs given	1
Number of talks in the Bible School	15

Home Mission Study classes.....	1
Amount of money given to this work.....	\$327.22

One Home Mission service in the C.E. is reported. Salem Quarter reports two visits made to the Indian Reservation by some of their members.

Number of sermons or addresses on Social Service	4
Number programs given.....	1
Talks in Sunday School.....	21
Services held in jails, industrial schools, public homes, etc?.....	50
Visits to those in jails, Industrial schools, public homes, etc.....	313
Calls (by lay members) on sick or needy.....	850
Drives or outings given	70
Bushels of vegetables given away and boxes of fresh fruit	87
Quarts of canned fruit, jelly or vegetables.....	1390
Pounds of dried fruit given.....	310

Other food stuff given, or value of same. 21 baskets food, 3 boxes groceries, chickens, eggs and honey.

Number of garments given, 298 and 15 pairs of shoes.	
Bouquets of flowers or plants given.....	389
Amount of money expended.....	\$961.92

It is evident that our meetings are doing much on behalf of the sick and needy. Some special Christmas donations have been made. Salem reports that gifts and clothing have been sent to Resuce home, and 200 Sunday School cards, 7 Picture Rolls and 18 scrap books given. No account kept of much of their work.

One Salem Meeting has erected a building at an expense of \$200 for the use of their activities in this work.

Newberg made a quilt and 4 comforters which were given away. Three large bundles of Sunday School and religious papers sent to logging camps; 15 scrap books and showers of post cards sent to shut in's. Some song and prayer services held in private homes, also some have cared for those who were sick.

Tacoma reports contributions of money, scrap books, balls and dolls sent to the Washington Children's Home.

Portland reports two loads of wood given to those in need. Three weeks time given by committee in sickness and death, 7 days spent at hospital, 20 letters written, 12 medical free calls, 1 quilt and 3 comforters, also good books given away. One C. E. held meetings twice a month at the jail.

Boise Valley has sent clothing and toys in Christmas box to Arkansas, and have done much in the line of Social Service of which no record has been kept.

Respectfully submitted,
EDITH M. MINCHIN, Superintendent

The meeting having defined the work of this department at a former Yearly Meeting, the committee felt that the restrictions thus placed had handi-

capped their usefulness. The meeting granted them the privilege of doing any Home Mission work within the limits of the Yearly Meeting, not expressly assigned to some other department.

Alice Clinton gave us an interesting insight into the work being done by Friends on the Klamath Indian Reservation. After which we listened with interest to Samuel Clinton, who gave an account of his work on the Reservation, followed by an acceptable exhortation.

103. The Caretakers not having a report on the table the clerk made the following minute:

REPORT OF CARETAKERS

The Caretakers have attended to their duties in a manner acceptable to the Meeting.

104. The Treasurer's report was read, approved, and appears below:

He requested that he be permitted to itemize the balance on hand and insert the statements on the delinquency from the Quarterly Meetings to the Yearly Meeting, and send same to the Recording Clerk to be printed with his report.

The request was granted.

REPORT OF TREASURER OF OREGON YEARLY MEETING, JUNE 6, 1925, TO JUNE 10, 1926

Receipts

Balance on hand June 6, 1925	\$2271.17
Newberg Quarterly Meeting	1899.45
Portland Quarterly Meeting.....	1541.00
Salem Quarterly Meeting.....	1209.13
Tacoma Quarterly Meeting.....	150.45
Boise Valley Quarterly Meeting.....	1126.91
For Evangelistic Board.....	594.46
For Klamath Indian Reservation building fund.....	113.10
For use of trays.....	.20
For Second Friends, Portland, building fund.....	223.05
For return and Hospital expenses of Lois Cope.....	769.52
Funds for various Boards on the Five Years Meeting.....	403.16
For Missionary work of Oregon Yearly Meeting.....	3523.52
Christmas gift for Chilsons and Lois Cope.....	12.00
Newberg Monthly Meeting for Sidewalk Assessment.....	12.51

Total Receipts

\$13,849.63

Disbursements

Evangelistic Board	\$5427.69
Balance on pledge for support of Arthur B. Chilson family on pledge of 1924-25	178.75
Support of Arthur B. Chilson and family on pledge 1925-26	1580.00
Support of Lois Cope, balance on pledge of 1924-25	435.00
Support of Lois Cope on pledge of 1925-26	560.00
Native Girls School, balance on pledge of 1924-25	132.65
Native Girls School and upkeep on pledge of 1925-26	1025.00
Correspondence Course for Missionary Girls	25.00
Note for expenses of Lois Cope	200.00
For return and hospital expenses of Lois Cope	740.74
Christmas Gift for Chilson and Cope	12.00
Funds for various boards of the Five Years Meeting	391.27
Literature Department appropriation of 1924-25	20.00
Literature Department appropriation of 1925-26	20.00
Klamath Indian Reservation building fund	113.10
Kelso Building fund	29.00
Typing	12.50
Printing	235.41
Postage and stationery	11.25
Second Friends, Portland, building fund	200.55
Christian Stewardship	25.00
Christian Endeavor	250.00
Balance, assessment of Five Years Meeting for 1923-24	200.00
Five Years Meeting assessment 1924-25	374.00
Janitor	15.00
Sidewalk and paving bonded assessment, Third Street	397.57
Total Disbursements	\$12,611.48
Balance on hand June 10th, 1926	1,238.15
	\$13,849.63

Respectfully submitted,
OLIVER WEESNER,
Treasurer of Oregon Yearly Meeting.

REPORT OF AUDITING COMMITTEE

We have examined these accounts and find them correct.

A. G. STREET.
EBEN C. SNOW
J. HARLAN SMITH.

This Report was adopted by the Meeting.

105. The chairman of the Auditing Committee proposed a vote of thanks to the Treasurer for his painstaking work for the Yearly Meeting during the past year, the meeting showed its appreciation by a standing vote.

106. B. Franklin Hinshaw, Oliver Kenworthy, Evangeline Martin, Anson Cox, Mary E. Roberts, Docia Macy, Hattie B. Coulson, and Mary Richie not being able to attend the Yearly Meeting on account of failing health, the committee on Letters to Aged Friends was requested to write letters to these Friends. The suggestion was made that names of other aged Friends, to whom letters might be addressed, be sent to Rebecca Pennington, chairman of the committee.

107. With the benediction of the Holy Spirit upon us and with a prayer that He continue His favor as we go to our home meetings, this meeting adjourned to meet in Newberg, Oregon, 6th month 9th, 1927.

EDWARD MOTT, Presiding Clerk.
MARGUERITE P. ELLIOTT, Recording Clerk.
W. LLOYD TAYLOR, Reading Clerk.

Appendix

FROM THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE FIVE YEARS MEETING OF THE FRIENDS IN AMERICA

Richmond, Indiana, June 2, 1926

TO OREGON YEARLY MEETING OF FRIENDS:

Dear Friends:

The Executive Committee of the Five Years Meeting, in its sessions recently held, has again been made conscious of the weight of responsibility placed upon it by the Church in entrusting to its care the administration of the many details of work which Friends collectively have undertaken to carry on.

Among other matters which have thus claimed the prayerful attention of the Executive Committee is the group of questions which was presented anew for consideration in the report of the special committee appointed by the Executive Committee last December to confer with the special committee appointed by you on the general subject of the relations of Oregon Yearly Meeting to the Five Years Meeting. The consideration of this report called forth expressions of love and esteem for Friends of Oregon Yearly Meeting, and expressions, too, of the hope that nothing may occur which will be allowed in the slightest degree to diminish a feeling of unity between Friends in different parts of the Five Years Meeting or to jeopardize that vital spiritual union between each individual Christian and Christ himself, without which spiritual life and therefore any real Christian service is impossible.

With the prayer that we all, each in our respective spheres and fields of activity, may continue to seek Divine wisdom as each new occasion for action presents itself, to the end that Christ may be glorified in all that we do, we are

Your friends,

THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE FIVE YEARS MEETING.

ALLEN D. HOLE, Chairman.

FIFTY-SEVENTH ANNUAL REPORT OF PEACE ASSOCIATION OF FRIENDS IN AMERICA

For the Year 1925-1926

TO OREGON YEARLY MEETING OF FRIENDS:

Dear Friends:

In keeping with the method which has been followed by the Peace Association of Friends in America for some years, the Annual Report deals briefly with two closely related topics, namely, (1) the trend of events as directly related to the peace question for the past year, and (2) a condensed statement of the principal lines of work which have been undertaken.

Significant Events

Within the past year two outstanding events should be mentioned which constitute a

demonstration of the power which the church possesses to influence national and international movements tending to the establishment of Christian principles in the conduct of human affairs. These two events are:

1. The decision of the Senate of the United States to adhere to the Permanent Court of Justice.
2. The decision of the War Department to abandon, for a year at least, the effort to establish permanently the observance of a National Defense Test Day.

There can be no question that the influence brought to bear by members of the Christian church, speaking both collectively by groups, and individually, was the decisive factor in bringing to realization these two advanced steps in this portion of the field of applied Christianity. Other constructive steps, similar in spirit and import could be mentioned, but these two are outstanding and moreover in the interest of brevity must suffice in this connection.

On the other hand, the past year holds record of other events equally significant, but significant in quite another way, that is, in the trend thus recorded which is directly away from the establishment of Christian principles in the conduct of human affairs. The outstanding event of this anti-Christian trend is the attack made upon the organized forces of the church as well as upon individuals charging these organizations and individuals with being either in conscious collusion with well-known groups bent on the overthrow of all government, or, if not in conscious collusion, with being ignorant and deluded as to the real significance of the activities in which they are engaged. Lack of space forbids the inclusion of details in this report, but the general facts here recounted are now common knowledge. This attack is concentrated especially on the effort to bring to an issue the question of compulsory military training in colleges and universities. The attack rests, of course, upon the implication that killing men must under certain conditions be carried on in wholesale fashion, and this in turn, implies that members of the Christian church must consent, and must also approve such a course.

For the follower of Christ, the issue is therefore now squarely drawn; the alternative are these, namely, (1) Approve the continuation of compulsory military training in such state or denominational institutions as the individual Christian is in part directly responsible for; or, (2) Protest continuously and vigorously against the continuation of such a condition, and give substantial moral and financial support to those who are leaders in the present agitation against the practice.

The Peace Association of Friends in America is one of the organizations which is committed to the policy of assisting in every possible right way to bring about the elimination of compulsory military training from all educational institutions. Do Friends of this Yearly Meeting approve this course?

The Messenger of Peace

Since our last annual report was presented, the year's experiment in publishing a 96-page issue of the "Messenger of Peace" every three months has been concluded. Briefly stated, the result of the year's experiment is as follows:

1. The year was closed without a deficit chiefly because precaution had been taken

to accumulate a sufficiently large sum in advance to cover the unusual expense to be incurred.

2. The words of appreciation which this experiment elicited were most encouraging, both because they expressed a practically unanimous judgment that a periodical of the kind proposed is much needed, and also because the estimate placed on the results achieved in the issues sent out was so uniformly high.

3. The additions to the subscription list are likewise encouraging in number when it is remembered that no solicitation could be made except by mail. The number is too small, however, to yield a sufficient sum to pay all expenses of the enlarged publication program from subscription fees alone.

The net result of the experiment is, therefore, the approval of the enlarged publication plan in principle, but on the other hand, the decision to issue only so many of the 96-page issues each year as the financial resources on hand justify, thus consistently avoiding the creation of a deficit.

The appeal is therefore made to all who understand the absolute necessity of continuous educational work which emphasizes the fundamental Christian principles upon which alone enduring peace can be built, to give assistance both by subscriptions to the paper and by generous contributions to the treasury of the Association, in order that this most important means of maintaining and extending our work may be kept in successful operation.

Other Activities

Aside from the work already referred to, many other lines of activity have also received consideration. There has been the usual large volume of correspondence relating to such matters as requests for literature, arranging for speakers on phases of the peace question, promotion of interest in contests, especially the Intercollegiate Oratorical Peace Contest in colleges within the limits of the Five Years Meeting, co-operative work with the American Friends Service Committee, the World Alliance of Churches and similar organizations, etc. Many lines of work, however, which should by all means be developed if possible have not been taken up because of lack of funds; as for example, the organization of conferences for the discussion of special phases of the peace question, and the encouragement of a larger amount of personal work in the form of exchange of visits between different groups and different sections of our country.

The receipts and expenditures for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1926, are shown on the accompanying report of the Treasurer of the Association.

Respectfully submitted,

ALLEN D. HOLE, President.

REPORT OF THE TREASURER OF PEACE ASSOCIATION OF FRIENDS IN AMERICA

For the Fiscal Year Ending March 31, 1926

GENERAL FUND

Receipts

Balance on hand April 1, 1925:		
In Bank	\$1889.20	
Petty Cash	25.00	
		\$1914.20
Messenger of Peace		725.00
Literature		197.78
United Budget		1868.54
Five Years Meeting (Administrative Expenses)		266.65
Special Contributions		125.00
Interest on Savings Account		24.91
Total Receipts		\$5122.08

Disbursements

Messenger of Peace	\$3493.69	
Literature	234.50	
Postage and Stationery	188.84	
Clerical Work	538.27	
Editorial Services	200.00	
Contributed Articles	242.00	
Prizes for Peace Oratorical Contests in Friend's Colleges	125.00	
Miscellaneous	38.12	
Total Disbursements	\$5060.42	
Balance on hand March 31, 1926:		
In Bank	\$36.66	
Petty Cash	25.00	61.66
		\$5122.08

DESIGNATED FUNDS

Received for World Alliance for International Friendship	\$ 175.00
Paid for World Alliance for International Friendship	175.00

Respectfully submitted,

E. G. CRAWFORD, Treasurer.

Examined May 14, 1926 and found correct.

F. A. WRIGHT, Auditor.

REPORT OF THE AMERICAN FRIENDS BOARD OF FOREIGN MISSIONS FOR YEAR ENDING MARCH 31, 1926

Dear Friends:

It is with deep joy and abounding gratitude that we write to you of the work which you have helped in accomplishing abroad during the past twelve months. There are many evidences of the love and devotion on the part of the home church toward her foreign missionary task. The income of the Board for current expenses was better than for several years past. A total of \$95,071.88 was received. Of this amount more than \$25,000.00 was contributed during the month of March. It is our earnest hope that the coming year will witness a more generous giving each month. A monthly average of from \$9,000.00 to \$10,000.00 would enable the Board to meet its obligations regularly. One cannot but wonder whether the time has not come for each Yearly Meeting to guarantee its share of the Foreign Board's budget and instruct the Yearly Meeting treasurer to pay one twelfth of it each month.

Another evidence of the loyalty of Friends to their foreign work is to be found in the number of people who have pledged themselves to pray daily for the cause. All over the Five Years Meeting are to be found missionary intercessors. From many Friends have come requests for information and missionary education plans. We believe that local meeting missionary leaders are more alert and eager to educate the church in missions than for some years past. We are clearly past the period of war time drives and our work now rests solidly on a constructive program of expanding education and carefully planned promotion.

Foreign missions have been challenged of late as never before. Peoples of other lands have seen so much of hate, greed, lust for power, imperialism and warfare in Western civilization that they have openly questioned the validity of a religion which comes from the West. But most mission bodies have been quick to admit that Western lands are not Christian and that there is a vast difference between Western civilization and Christianity. With increasing clearness have missionary leaders been seeing the necessity for introducing people to Christ and then leaving them with Him to work out His way of life in their midst. Quakerism with its emphasis on love, good will and a religion of the Spirit and experience, has much to contribute to the world at this time. And the reports which have come to hand indicate that Quakerism is rooting deeply into the life of Africa, Cuba, Jamaica, Mexico, Palestine and West China, as the years go by.

Africa

"There are under way in Kavirondo," reports Emory J. Rees, "very important movements in the direction of race consciousness. For better or worse the native is beginning to express himself in no uncertain way. He is certain to make many mistakes and he may be helped by unwise urging forward to make more than he otherwise would. The native is born with a natural aptitude for discussion and agitation. These are useful traits if tempered by wisdom, and are capable of much mischief if out of bounds. This movement has already taken a secure hold on Maragoli and is beginning to influence considerably the course of affairs in and out of the church. Several of the leading boys of the district have

been drawn into the Kavirondo Welfare Association which is dominated by Church Missionary Society influences. Several leading boys, generally the same as are in the Welfare Association, are also members of the District Council recently organized by the Government and given a measure of legislative power in local affairs.

"The agitator can find an outlet through the Associations, the Statesman (?) through the District Native Councils and the Financier through trade as represented in mills, stores and other enterprises that are coming into being. Altogether spiritual character and Christian service will be put to a severe test during the next decade."

Between this rapidly onrushing stream of new ideas and the thousands of black folk who live in the Reserve stands the missionary. He attempts to help the native to see and reject the baser elements in this ever surging stream and to take from it those better elements which will help to make him a free man.

In thinking over the events of the past one missionary wrote, "Our minds run back ten years when two of us rode little Abyssinian mules across the country, following native trails and fording the rivers that we might attend the Annual Meeting of the Mission at Kitosh. Then we were impressed by the walled villages which were fast being abandoned, by the wild game, the cooing of the wild pigeon, the cry of the hyena, the scarcity of the natives and the absence of Christians. How different the scene today! Where once native goat trails led one winding ways, today automobiles speed along at the gait of the modern driver. Where wild game formerly roamed at will, thirty five schools command the attention of interested ones who may pass by. Where once only raw, rough, unclad natives stood at a distance to watch the peculiar white man, today the teachers, with approximately 3,000 school children, sing the songs of redemption and tell out the glad story of Jesus and His love."

Education has continued to occupy a large place in the program of the Mission. In the Kitosh area nine new school houses have been built and an average attendance of 2,159 pupils is reported. In each of the other districts new school buildings have been erected. Manual Training has been offered to a dozen regular pupils. The making of chairs, boxes, tables, blackboards, benches, window panes, doors and smaller objects, has been required.

The hospital has been completed and new beds installed. A large number of in-patients and out-patients have received relief from physical pain and disability. One class each week has been held for hospital assistants and they have also been taught considerable practical work in wards and dispensary. Religious services are held daily with all patients.

The press reports 11,000 booklets totaling over 1,000,000 pages printed during 1925. A total of 2,197 Vernacular Scriptures and 119 Swahili Scriptures were sold; 156,000 Scripture lesson sheets were distributed free.

A movement toward Christ on the part of the elderly people is reported in the Maragoli district. Under the leadership of a few old men some 500 people have been gathered together for worship. Only a few are members of the church but all have professed faith in Christ as Savior. Commendable progress in self-support has been made by all of the meetings and a considerable part of the educational work is supported from native funds.

Cuba

Cuban Friends have made decided progress in self-support, self-propagation and self-

government. The five Monthly Meeting in Oriente have contributed \$3,268.52 to the support of their work, an average of \$13.85 per member. This total is \$1,087.45 more than last year. An increase in membership of 80% over the gain of the year previous is reported. All of the monthly meetings except one are served by Cuban pastors and the work of the Monthly Meetings is almost entirely in the hands of the Cubans. All departments of the church are aggressive in spreading the Christian message. Even the little children talk with their elders about Christianity and urge them to attend the church services. At Gibara a young peoples' temperance committee has done some effective education in the harmful effects of tobacco.

The school work has been eminently satisfactory. At Gibara, Banes and Velasco, Cuban teachers have entire charge of the schools. At Puerto Padre, Emma Martinez has a splendid school that is self-supporting. The Holguin school is the key to the future of Friends' work in Cuba. At present it is being conducted as a day school. Bible is taught in each of the ten grades and a splendid group of pupils come into daily contact with practical Christianity. But a boarding school is urgently needed in order that the future leaders in the churches and schools may be given a better training. If the church is to build constructively and solidly for the future we must provide for the adequate education of its leadership. This can be done successfully only in a boarding school where the students can live all the time in a Christian atmosphere.

Jamaica

The outstanding event of the year at Seaside was the completion and dedication of the Mission home. In 1917, the old home was completely destroyed by a devastating hurricane. From then on until last year the missionaries in charge had to live in temporary quarters. The Jamaicans gave 100 pounds in free labor and pledged 100 pounds in money. Every one in the community had some shares in the erection of the house and it was a gala day when, on August 3, 1925, the house was formally received from the builders and opened with prayer and other suitable exercises.

All of the meetings report additions in membership and increase in contributions for the work of the church. Highgate Meeting with only thirty nine adults gave \$920. Three new Monthly Meetings were set up during the year. The Lyndale and Swift Industrial Homes have continued their character building ministrations to the girls and boys committed to their care.

Mexico

A great variety of reports have come out of Mexico during the past twelve months. Rumors of revolution, intervention, the closing of all Protestant schools and other unpleasant things have made good newspaper filler, but, like many such reports, they have had little basis in fact. Friends' work has gone on without interruption and a year of achievement is reported. At San Fernando is the youngest Mexican Monthly Meeting. It is nearly self-supporting and has an aggressive program of evangelism for the surrounding territory.

Penn Institute enjoyed a year of perhaps more attention than usual on the part of the general public. In June were graduated four young women from the Normal Department, following all the rules and regulations of the State for such procedure and receiving full

official recognition. A tither's band at Victoria has proven to be the financial backbone of the support of the meeting and is largely responsible for the fact that the church has not asked for any aid from the Mission.

A hundred and forty-five children were enrolled in the Matehuala school. The church has gone steadily forward as a positive factor for good in the community. Services for the prisoners in the jail, family visiting, regular meetings of the church and Sunday School have been channels through which Christianity has been carried to the people. Senor Isabel Morales has been employed by the Quarterly Meeting as evangelistic worker. He has sold Bibles, distributed Scripture portions and tracts, and held many meetings among the towns and ranches.

Palestine

The Palestine Mission is rejoicing over the completion of two building projects—an addition to the Girls' School Building and the erection of a superintendent's home. The addition to the Girls' School building enables the school to receive a total of one-hundred girls. In June, 1925, an unusually fine class of girls graduated. One went on to Beirut for further preparation. Another accepted a position as teacher on one of the village schools, the third is teaching in Haifa. One is studying dressmaking and two have spent the year at home.

The Boys' School opened in October (1925) with an enrollment of ninety three boys. Thirty of the members were from Moslem homes. The school plans to celebrate its 25th anniversary at Commencement time.

The village schools have continued to shed their light among the people. At Deir Ghazani sixty-five girls enrolled. Some were small while others were grown young women. All learned with exceptional rapidity. In Attara three Moslem men have made the work exceedingly difficult but the teacher has shown a fine Christian spirit, and eighteen children have had the courage to attend the school. The school at Taiybeh has grown so large that two teachers will have to be employed next year.

Nahmie Shahla, the Bible woman, has visited in twenty-one different villages. Her meetings are usually held in the houses or outside in the sunshine. In this way she meets small groups and deals very personally and helpfully with them.

Palestine is changing in many ways and Friends are called to give the people a message of peace and goodwill. In many hearts there is a longing for something better, and the knowledge of Christ as a personal Friend and Savior can meet that need. The Government schools are constantly giving an improved secular education but have nothing to offer to satisfy the heart hunger of the students. It is the desire of the Friends' Mission to give not only the mental equipment needed but also the spiritual food which will build up to everlasting life.

China

Nationalism has burst forth all over China. Intense bitterness has been manifest against the Western nations because of the unjust concessions which they have wrung from the Chinese in times past. The missionary forces have been compelled to decide whether their dependence is to be based ultimately on material or upon spiritual forces. The internal political situation leaves much to be desired. Warfare, graft, and selfish plotting

have run rampant and the poor people have to submit to the tyranny of a few unscrupulous over-lords.

In the midst of this seething, boiling mass stand Robert and Margaret Simkin. In the school and church work, they are teaching their pupils a better way of life. Many are eager for the truth and are seeking for a way out of their difficulties.

Board Actions

With one exception all of the Yearly Meetings were represented at the sessions of the Foreign Board held in May. A spirit of fine optimism prevailed. The treasurer's report, which showed a decrease in the Board's operating deficit, was heartily received. Gratitude and joy were manifest over the splendid work which has been done by our missionaries and the Friends' churches on the field. Elizabeth Haviland, a Wilmington College graduate who has taught at Calhoun Colored School in the South, was accepted for service abroad.

After facing the financial needs of the various fields, the Board adopted a working budget of \$96,603.54. This represents the actual amount which must be spent if the work is to continue on its present basis. Because of the most generous support given to foreign missions by the church last year, the Board faced the coming year with the firm confidence that Friends would continue to care for their work abroad. Reports from different parts of the Five Years Meeting indicated that a number of meetings are paying one twelfth of their share of the budget each month. The Board felt this a decided step in the right direction and hopes that other meetings will soon adopt the same custom.

The office at 101 South Eighth Street, Richmond, Indiana, stands ready to be of any assistance possible to missionary leaders.

With a word of warm appreciation to all who have co-operated so splendidly in sharings the Gospel with other peoples, and with the confident hope that the Lord will lead His church into yet richer fields of service, we are your friends,

THE AMERICAN FRIENDS BOARD OF FOREIGN MISSIONS

Signed: THEODORE FOXWORTHY, President.
B. WILLIS BEEDE, General Secretary.

AMERICAN FRIENDS BOARD OF FOREIGN MISSIONS

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS FOR YEAR ENDING MARCH 31, 1926

GENERAL FUND

Receipts:

From Yearly Meetings Direct	\$41,971.64	
United Budget Distribution	46,957.63	
Other Contributors	669.19	
Bequests	20.00	
Interest Earned	3,953.42	
Five Years Meeting Appropriation	1,600.00	\$95,071.88
Bank Borrowings		6,000.00
		<u>\$101,071.88</u>

Disbursements:

Field Expenses — Africa	\$24,421.66	
Cuba	8,483.75	
Jamaica	16,394.28	
Mexico	20,652.71	
Palestine	9,348.83	\$79,301.23
Administration	6,521.83	
Education	3,447.93	
Interest on Bank Loans	954.00	
Interest to Annuitants	1,840.00	
Emergency	344.06	
	<u>\$92,409.05</u>	
Bank Loans Repaid	6,000.00	\$ 98,409.05
Excess Receipts over Disbursements		<u>2,662.83</u>
Overdraft from Special Funds 3-31-25	\$ 2,736.57	
Excess Receipts for year	2,662.83	
Overdraft from Special Funds 3-31-26		73.74
Notes Payable at Dickinson Trust Company		10,000.00
		<u>10,073.74</u>
Total indebtedness March 31, 1925, General Fund		

SPECIAL FUNDS

Balance on hand March 31, 1925	\$ 7115.52	
Receipts during the year	31,625.22	\$38,740.74
Disbursements during the year		30,526.49
Balance on hand March 31, 1926 as follows:		
Cash in Savings Account	\$ 7,422.86	
Cash in Bank	717.65	
Overdraft from General Funds	73.74	\$ 8,214.25
		<u>7,000.00</u>
Notes Payable, S. J. Swift, loan		1,214.25
Net Balance		<u></u>

INVESTMENT FUNDS

Balance on hand March 31, 1925	\$66,168.82	
Received during the year	527.84	
Total Investment funds March 31, 1926		<u>\$ 66,696.66</u>

AMERICAN FRIENDS SERVICE COMMITTEE

Philadelphia, Pa., May 20, 1926

OREGON YEARLY MEETING OF FRIENDS:

Dear Friends:

During the past year, the American Friends Service Committee has changed from an emergency wartime relief organization to a permanent committee interested in applying the principles and teachings of Jesus to the social and political conditions throughout the world in times of peace. From the time of the founding of our Society, there have been those who were interested in preaching the Christ way of life throughout the world. After the Society became established, more or less attention was given to the strengthening of individual groups. Now for the first time since Friends began to migrate to the new world, they have come together for united action on conditions that affect the social well-being of their fellowmen. Many individuals such as Elizabeth Fry and John Woolman have emphasized these principles, but the group as a whole did not take an active interest in such movements. Through the action of the representatives of the various Yearly Meetings of Friends throughout the United States, and in co-operation with your own appointed representatives, the Service Committee has undertaken to forward such work as is of common interest to the whole group in all kinds of social work.

The Committee is now definitely organized in four sections, although no clear line of demarcation exists between them. They are grouped in such a way, however, that each particular section gives its major attention to one problem.

1. **The Foreign Service Section** maintains centers of goodwill in Paris, Geneva, Vienna, Berlin, Warsaw, and Moscow. The work is a direct outgrowth of the relief work during and after the war, and is an effort to keep in touch with the European situation so that we can work toward a warless world. For instance, our representatives have just held a second conference between representative Poles and Germans. This conference considered the question of the minorities of Poles in Germany and Germans in Poland. Similar unofficial conferences are being planned for the Austrian and Italians, Poles and Lithuanians, French and Germans.

The representatives of our Committee in the foreign fields are:

France: Paris—Alfred and Grace Lowry.

Chalons—Lydia G. Forsythe and Mary Van Giesen.

Geneva: Harriet Newman.

Austria: Vienna—Emma Cadbury, Jr.

Germany: Berlin—Gilbert L. MacMaster.

Poland: Warsaw—Henry Harris.

Russia: Moscow—Anna J. Haines.

Totskoe—Nancy Babb.

Sorochinskoye—Alice Davis and Mrs. Danilevski.

2. **Home Service.** In this we are challenging young people, especially those who are more or less associated with us in our colleges, to render service of national importance in times of peace. We know that when war comes, our young people are accused of being

slackers. We feel it quite necessary, therefore, to open up ways whereby they may definitely demonstrate their loyalty to their country and their desire to be of service to their fellowmen.

The experiment of maintaining a center of goodwill for foreign students in this country has been carried on under the leadership of Susan Hoagland and Mabel Crouch for the past two years. This has opened up a very definite form of service, and we trust that it may be developed to a greater extent in years to come. At the present time, 17 young people are rendering service under this section.

3. **Interracial Section.** This section endeavors to study and promote a better understanding between races throughout the world. In our own country, this includes a study of the relationship of our people to Indians, Mexicans, Negroes, Jews and foreign students. The biggest piece of work under this section at the present time is the collecting of funds and the making of arrangements to bring over a small number of Japanese students who can eventually go back to their own country as exponents of goodwill. The immigration act excluded only 100 Japanese. We feel that this is one good way to get the people of America to see that it was not a question of keeping the American labor market from being flooded with cheap labor, but race discrimination.

4. **Peace Section.** In this section, an active interest is being taken in combatting military training in schools and colleges. At the present time, there are 82 colleges and universities and 23 high schools where military training is compulsory. In co-operation with a volunteer committee in New York City, of which J. Nevin Sayre is Chairman, efforts have been made to do away with the compulsory feature of military training in all state schools. The next step, of course, will be the abolition of military training.

Some literature on Peace work is being published. Regional peace committees are being organized, with the responsibility for the detail work resting upon local Yearly Meetings. Groups are now working in New England, Ohio, Iowa, and plans are under way to have committees formed in other sections of the United States.

China. On account of conditions in China, the Committee was led to consider its responsibilities there through William and Margaret Augur, of Canton, China. As a result of the concern, we asked Lloyd Balderston, of Wilmington, Delaware, to go to China and spend three months investigating conditions on our behalf. As a result of his findings, the Committee is convinced that Friends have an opportunity to be of great service in China. If definite work is undertaken, we bespeak the hearty co-operation of every individual member of your Yearly Meeting.

Finances. The matter of financing the work of the Friends Service Committee has given us great concern. During the war when appeals were being made for all kinds of service abroad, it was comparatively easy to get what money we needed. It is difficult, however, to now secure the funds that are needed to carry on the work. If we are going to maintain one individual worker in strategic points in France, Germany, Poland, Russia and China, it can readily be seen that a minimum amount must be available. Also the responsibility for developing peace sentiment throughout the United States, the challenging of our people to think more kindly of the varied nationalities who are resident in our country, and the opening up of ways for our young people to be of greater service calls for additional sums.

STATISTICAL TABLE NO. 2—FOR YEAR ENDING MARCH 31, 1926
THIRD MONTH 31, 1926

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DEPARTMENT OF PASTORAL, EVANGELISTIC AND CHURCH EXTENSION WORK

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DEPARTMENT OF PASTORAL, EVANGELISTIC AND CHURCH EXTENSION WORK—Continued

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MINUTES OF OREGON YEARLY

	Average Sunday attendance	Average Prayer Meeting at dance	Average M.M. attendance	Pastoral calls on members	Pastoral calls on non-members	Series Meetings	Sessions	Conversions	Renewals	Sanctified	Added Church	Paid Evangelists	Paid Pastors	Churches repd	Cost of same	Parsonages rpd.	Cost of same
Marion	36	7	8	128	93	.....	.....	5	8	.....	.....	.....	223.89	.....	.....	1	\$ 28.38
Rosedale	42	28	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Salem	55	36	26	22	23	1	19	5	13	.....	.....	100.00	235.00	.....	.....	1	20.90
South Salem	42	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Scotts Mills	42	36	36	69	33	2	54	14	29	6	8	200.00	1200.00	.....	.....	.....	.....
SSprague River	71	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
South Salem	82	21	22	227	113	1	16	.....	.....	.....	10	100.00	1500.00	1	290.00	.....	.....
Scotts Mills	37	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
SSprague River	57	33	23	168	85	1	27	3	16	7	1	92.22	840.00	.....	.....	1	90.50
SSprague River	68	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
SSprague River	41	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
SSprague River	54	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
SSprague River	37	27	.....	525	550	1	28	24	1	.....	.....	50.00	600.00	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total Salem Q.M.	364	160	115	1139	897	6	144	41	67	13	19	542.22	4598.89	1	290.00	3	139.78
First Church	237	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
First Church	301	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Second Church	165	35	40	175	125	.....	.....	14	2	4	11	110.00	1800.00	.....	.....	.....	.....
Second Church	128	46	47	235	143	.....	.....	6	12	5	8	.....	1518.50	.....	.....	1	572.05
West Piedmont	92	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
West Piedmont	70	37	37	147	82	1	22	15	30	16	29	148.00	1440.00	1	65.00	.....	.....
West Piedmont	81	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
West Piedmont	100	37	37	147	82	1	22	15	30	16	29	148.00	1440.00	1	65.00	.....	.....
Total Portland Q.M.	351	118	124	557	350	1	22	25	44	25	48	258.00	4758.50	1	65.00	1	572.05
Total Portland Q.M.	240
Total Portland Q.M.	299

MEETING OF FRIENDS CHURCH

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	Average Sunday attendance	Average Prayer Meeting at dance	Average M.M. attendance	Pastoral calls on members	Pastoral calls on non-members	Series Meetings	Sessions	Conversions	Renewals	Sanctified	Added Church	Paid Evangelists	Paid Pastors	Churches repd	Cost of same	Parsonages rpd.	Cost of same
Chehalum Center	44	22	21	15	30	1	15	2	7	4	8	40.00	388.00	1	24.10	.....	.....
Middleton	33	10	10	25	35	1	14	.....	3	1	1	17.21	121.32	1	33.50	1	61.65
Newberg	39	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Newberg	20	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Newberg	22	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Newberg	21	39	34	767	95	2	40	41	7	1	32	259.00	2000.00	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rex	129	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rex	189	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rex	10	6	5	35	40	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	1	.....	79.39	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sherwood	43	15	12	146	91	1	25	.....	11	6	11	24.45	425.00	.....	.....	1	37.14
Springbrook	37	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Springbrook	40	23	25	111	210	1	21	.....	10	1	.....	49.32	774.66	1	227.20	.....	.....
Springbrook	71	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Springbrook	40	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Springbrook	56	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total Newberg Q.M.	437	115	107	1099	401	6	115	43	40	13	53	389.98	3988.37	3	284.80	2	98.79
Entaiat	261	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Entaiat	345	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Entaiat	44	14	13	120	105	1	20	7	9	6	2	127.00	900.00	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rainier Heights	37	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rainier Heights	41	6	7	58	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Tacoma	26	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Tacoma	16	16	14	280	145	1	23	5	15	10	11	91.00	900.00	.....	.....	.....	.....
Quilcene	56	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Quilcene	43	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Quilcene	50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Quilcene	21	16	13	112	49	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	212.25	.....	.....	.....	.....
Quilcene	19	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Quilcene	20	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total Tacoma Q.M.	147	52	47	570	299	2	43	12	27	16	13	218.00	2512.25	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total Tacoma Q.M.	115	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total Tacoma Q.M.	132	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total for Y.M.	1736	586	474	3906	2332	20	430	142	222	74	177	1940.10	19438.01	5	639.80	7	865.62
Total for Y.M.	1756	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total for Y.M.	1413	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

No. Churches Built: Sprague River 1—\$3000.00; Second Church, Portland, 1—\$8008.00; Total—\$11,008.00

Parsonages Built—Star, 1—\$2500.00

*Morning; †Evening; ‡Average; §Extension Congregation

STATISTICAL REPORT OF BIBLE SCHOOLS AND RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Number resident members in Yearly Meeting.....	2052
Bible Schools.....	15
Teachers and Officers.....	306
Classes.....	170
Total enrollment (with Cradle Roll and Home Department)...	2655
Average attendance.....	1569

Elementary Division

Number on Cradle Roll.....	167
Beginners (Ages 4 to 5).....	174
Primary (Ages 6 to 8).....	178
Juniors (Ages 9 to 12).....	242

Secondary Division

Number Intermediates (Ages 13 to 16).....	234
Seniors (Ages 17 to 20).....	205

Adult Division

Number in Adult Department.....	546
In Home Department.....	125
Pupils members of Friends.....	541
Pupils received into Church membership.....	16
Schools making special effort to lead pupils to Christ.....	15
Classes taking international lessons.....	36
Organized Intermediate classes holding Int'nl Certificate..	
Organized Adult classes holding Int'nl Certificates.....	2
Taking Teacher Training.....	0
Schools giving special instruction in Missions.....	10 (and "some")
Schools giving special instruction in Temperance.....	8
Schools giving special instruction in Peace.....	8
Schools holding Teacher's Meetings or Councils regularly..	2
Amount given to missions.....	\$1484.75
Amount given to County and State work.....	51.55
Amount given to Denominational work.....	209.39
Number using Friends lesson helps.....	5 (and "not many")

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR STATISTICAL REPORT

	Act. Members this Year	Act. Members last Year	Taking Friendly Endeavor	Missionary Money raised	Other Money raised	Junior Members	Honorary and Alumni members	Associate members	Intermediate Members	Total Membership
Salem.....	27	20		\$ 49.74	\$ 32.72		3	2		32
South Salem.....	8	12						4		12
Scotts Mills.....	43	43					2	6		51
Rosedale.....	7	9			3.25					7
Total for Salem Q.M.....	85	84		49.74	35.97		5	12		102
Newberg.....	34	28		2.00	50.80	25	10	1	25	85
Springbrook.....	24	39		30.00	20.00			2		26
Sherwood.....										
Chehalam Center.....	17	14				14		5		36
Middleton.....	25							13		38
Total for Newberg Q.M.....	100	81		32.00	70.80	39	10	21	25	185
Boise.....	18				21.29			13		31
Star.....	19	17		18.00	12.50	19		2		40
Greenleaf.....	27	22			35.00	32	22	8	20	125
Melba.....	22	27		20.00	35.00	16		2		24
Total Boise Valley Q. M.....	86	66		38.75	103.79	67	22	25	20	220
First Friends.....	31	41			65.00		2			33
Second Friends.....	34	34			27.34			2		36
West Piedmont.....	29	24			27.00			15		44
Total Portland Q. M.....	94	99			119.34		2	17		113
Entiat.....	32	30		12.00	25.00			6		38
Tacoma.....	18	23		18.00	17.69			13		31
Quilcene.....										
Rainier Heights.....										
Total Tacoma Q. M.....	50	53		30.00	42.69			19		69
Total for Yearly Meeting.....	415	383	550	150.49	372.59	106	39	94	45	699

EDUCATIONAL REPORT

Number of Friends children between six and twenty-one years of age.....	775
Number in school during the past year	694
Number in attendance beyond the grammar grade.....	240
Number graduating from high schools or academies.....	33
Number graduating from colleges.....	14
Number in college last year.....	62
Number graduating from professional Schools.....	3
Number of Friends engaged in teaching the past year.....	77
Number in Bible training schools.....	20

RUSSELL W. LEWIS, Y. M. Superintendent.

REPORT OF MISSIONARY BOARD

	Money raised for Oregon Yearly Meeting Missionary work	Money raised for Other Friends Missionary work	Missionary Money Raised by Sunday School	Missionary Money Raised by Christian Endeavor	Missionary money raised by Church	Missionary Sermons	Public Missionary Programs
Newberg	\$ 945.34	\$ 42.50	\$ 158.32	\$ 2.00	\$ 827.52	6	4
Sherwood	43.00	11.00		67.00		1	
Chehalem Center	101.28		101.28			4	1
Springbrook	175.68		63.11	30.00	82.57	2	1
Rex	8.18		8.18				
Middleton	35.00	5.00	62.82		45.00	1	1
Total for Newberg Q. M.	1308.48	58.50	393.71	99.00	955.09	14	7
Salem	209.85	62.00	20.00	17.00	192.85	1	1
South Salem	284.16		184.06		61.70	2	6
Scotts Mills	168.96	140.00	99.90	81.72	175.21	3	
Rosedale	104.44		19.66		69.18	3	1
Marion	6.00						
Total for Salem Q. M.	773.41	202.00	323.62	98.72	498.94	9	8
Boise	67.58		39.58		28.00	1	
Valley Mound	64.54	12.50				2	
Melba	115.88		62.53	20.00	33.35	4	
Greenleaf	466.64		26.83	39.45	400.36		
Star	223.63	135.00	24.92	18.00	180.71	3	2
Total for Boise Valley Q. M.	938.27	147.50	153.86	77.45	642.42	10	2
Tacoma	18.00	183.44	168.94	18.00	4.50		1
Quilcene			28.00			2	
Entiat	119.07		54.02	12.00	63.05	1	
Total Tacoma Q. M.	137.07	183.44	250.96	30.00	67.55	3	1
First Church	750.00	365.38	270.00		555.20	3	2
Second Church	280.54	41.89	149.72		172.71	8	
West Piedmont		227.00	15.00	15.00	212.00	3	
Total Portland Q. M.	1030.54	634.27	434.72	15.00	939.91	14	2
Total Yearly Meeting	\$4187.77	\$1225.71	\$1556.87	\$ 320.17	\$3103.91	50	20

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Salem Quarterly Meeting

ROSEDALE:

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Boise Valley Quarterly Meeting

STAR:

Carey Jessup, Star, Idaho.
William L. Hadley, Star, Idaho.
Mary E. Roberts, Star, Idaho.

BOISE:

Ezra G. Pearson, Star, Idaho.
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Wm. J. Murphy, Entiat, Washington.
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QUILCENE:

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Nathan Swabb

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CHEHALEM CENTER—Edith L. Walton, R. 3, Newberg, Oregon.

SPRINGBROOK—Lucy H. Rees, Springbrook, Oregon.

STAR—J. W. Jones, R. 1, Middleton, Idaho.

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VALLEY MOUND—J. Lawrence Roberts, R. 1, Caldwell, Idaho.

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Charles I. Whitlock	Newberg, Oregon	Chehalem
	Sherwood, Oregon	Sherwood
Lewis C. Russell	Sherwood, Oregon	Middleton
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Salem Quarterly Meeting

Edgar P. Sims	2445 Maple Ave., Salem, Oregon	Salem
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William E. Allen	Scotts Mills, Oregon	Scotts Mills
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Portland Quarterly Meeting

Chester A. Hadley	229 E. 35th St., Portland, Oregon	First Church
Frederick J. Cope	5728 91st St., S.E. Portland, Oregon	Second Church
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Dillon Mills	Kelso, Washington	Kelso (extension)

Boise Valley Quarterly Meeting

NAME	ADDRESS	MEETING
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Calvin R. Choate	Greenleaf, Idaho	Greenleaf
	Melba, Idaho	Melba
Herman Macy	Huston, Idaho	Valley Mound
Ezra G. Pearson	Star, Idaho	Star

Tacoma Quarterly Meeting

	812 E. 48th St., Tacoma, Washington ..	Tacoma
Everett E. Scotten	Entiat, Washington	Entiat
	Quilcene, Washington	Quilcene
Henry Richardson	Tacoma, Washington	N. E. Tacoma

QUARTERLY AND MONTHLY MEETINGS

Newberg Quarterly Meeting—Held the second Seventh day of Second, Fifth, Eighth and Eleventh months, at 10:30 a.m.

Clerk—Frank D. Roberts, Newberg, Oregon

NEWBERG MONTHLY MEETING:

Held the first Fourth day of each month, at 7:30 p.m., Winter; 8:00 p.m. Summer.

CHEHALEM CENTER MONTHLY MEETING:

Held the fourth Seventh day of each month at 2:00 p.m.

SPRINGBROOK MONTHLY MEETING:

Held the first Fourth day of each month at 8:00 p.m.

REX MONTHLY MEETING:

Held the last Fifth day of each month, 7:30 p.m. Winter; 8:00 p.m. Summer.

SHERWOOD MONTHLY MEETING:

Held the fourth Third day of each month at 7:30 p.m.

MIDDLETON MONTHLY MEETING:

Held the third Fourth day evening of each month.

Salem Quarterly Meeting—Held the third Seventh day of Second, Fifth, Eighth and Eleventh months at 10:30 a.m.

Clerk—E. Worth Coulson, Scotts Mills, Oregon.

SALEM MONTHLY MEETING:

Held the first Fifth day following first Seventh day of each month, 7:30 p.m.

SOUTH SALEM MONTHLY MEETING:

Held the first Fifth day of each month at 7:30 p.m., Winter; 8:00 p.m., Summer.

SCOTTS MILLS MONTHLY MEETING:

Held the first Fourth day of each month at 7:30 p.m.

ROSEDALE MONTHLY MEETING:

Held the first Fifth day of each month at 8:00 p.m.

MARION MONTHLY MEETING:

Held the Fourth day following first Seventh day of each month at 2:00 p.m.

Boise Valley Quarterly Meeting—Held on the fourth Seventh day of Second, Fifth, Eighth and Eleventh months at 10:30 a.m.

Clerk—J. Allen Dunbar, Caldwell, Idaho.

BOISE MONTHLY MEETING:

Held the third Fifth day of each month at 7:00 p.m. Winter; 8: p.m. Summer.

GREENLEAF MONTHLY MEETING:

Held the third Seventh day of each month at 2:30 p.m.

STAR MONTHLY MEETING:

Held the first Fifth day of each month at 8:00 p.m.

VALLEY MOUND MONTHLY MEETING:

Held on Fourth day before the second Seventh day of each month.

MELBA MONTHLY MEETING:

Held in the evening of the Second Fourth day of each month.

Portland Quarterly Meeting—Held the first Sixth day after the first Fifth day of Third, Sixth, Ninth and Twelfth months at 7:30 p.m.

Clerk—Emmor W. Hall, 4213 57th St., Portland, Oregon.

FIRST FRIENDS CHURCH MONTHLY MEETING—

Held at 35th and Main Streets, the first Fifth day of each month at 7:30 p.m.

SECOND FRIENDS CHURCH MONTHLY MEETING:

Held the first Fifth day of each month at 7:30 p.m.

WEST PIEDMONT MONTHLY MEETING:

Held the last Fifth day of each month at 7:30 p.m.

Tacoma Quarterly Meeting—Held the fourth Seventh day of Second, Fifth, Eighth and Eleventh months at 10:00 a.m. Held at Ranier Heights, Tacoma, Quilcene and Entiat in order named.

Clerk—William H. Brown, Clay City, via Eatonville, Washington.

RANIER HEIGHTS MONTHLY MEETING:

Held at 24th Ave., S., and Lane St., Seattle, first Second day of each month, 7:30 p.m.

TACOMA MONTHLY MEETING:

Held third Fifth day of each month.

QUILCENE MONTHLY MEETING:

Held at Quilcene the first Fifth day of each month at 7:30 p.m.

ENTIAT MONTHLY MEETING:

Held the fourth Fifth day of each month at 7:30 p.m.

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Provisional Program for 1927

FOURTH DAY, SIXTH MONTH EIGHTH

Meeting on Ministry and Oversight	3:00 P.M.
Meeting for Prayer	8:00 P.M.

FIFTH DAY, SIXTH MONTH NINTH

Meeting for Worship	8:00 A.M.
Opening of Yearly Meeting	10:00 A.M.
Meeting of Representatives and Caretakers	1:00 P.M.
Business	2:00 P.M.
Christian Stewardship	2:30 P.M.
Literature	3:15 P.M.
Meeting of Permanent Board	7:00 P.M.
Meeting for Worship	8:00 P.M.

SIXTH DAY, SIXTH MONTH TENTH

Meeting for Worship	8:00 A.M.
Business	10:00 A.M.
Foreign Missions	10:30 A.M.
Business	2:00 P.M.
Evangelistic and Church Extension	2:30 P.M.
Pacific College Corporation Meeting at Wood-Mar Hall	8:00 P.M.
Meeting for Worship	8:00 P.M.

SEVENTH DAY, SIXTH MONTH ELEVENTH

Meeting for Worship	8:00 A.M.
Business	10:00 A.M.
Peace and Arbitration (with Report Y.M. Service Committee) ..	10:30 A.M.
Business	2:00 P.M.
Education	2:30 P.M.
Christian Endeavor Business Meeting	4:00 P.M.
Christian Endeavor Rally—Business	8:00 P.M.

FIRST DAY, SIXTH MONTH TWELFTH

Meeting for Worship	8:00 A.M. 11:00 A.M., 3:00 P.M., 8:00 P.M.
Bible School	9:45 A.M.

SECOND DAY, SIXTH MONTH THIRTEENTH

Meeting for Worship	8:00 A.M.
Business	10:00 A.M.
Bible Schools	10:30 A.M.
Temperance	11:15 A.M.
Business	2:00 P.M.
Home Missions and Social Service	3:00 P.M.
Meeting for Worship	8:00 P.M.

THIRD DAY, SIXTH MONTH FOURTEENTH

(IF NECESSARY)

Meeting for Worship	8:00 A.M.
Business	10:00 A.M.