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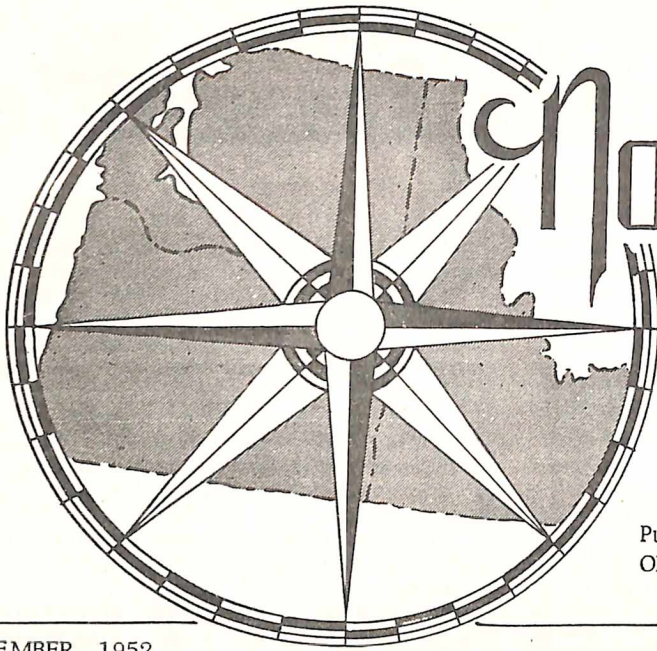
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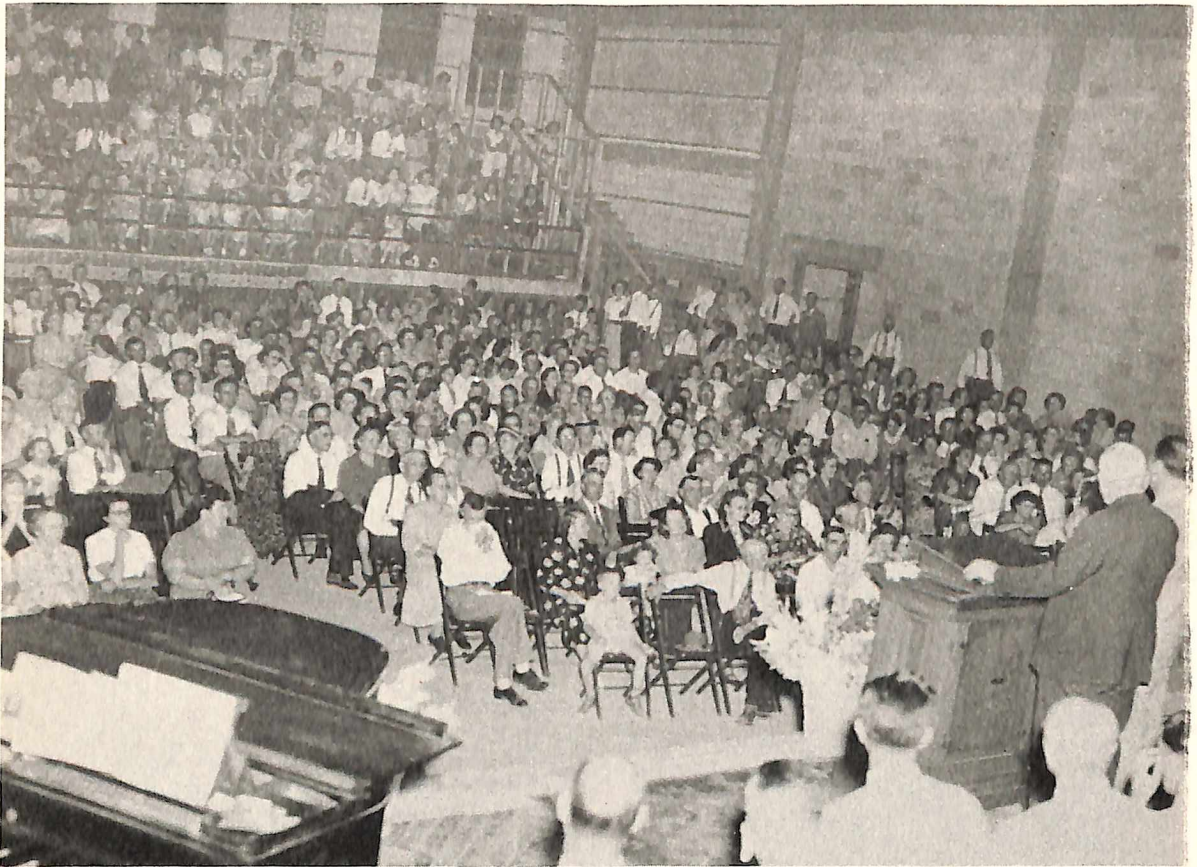


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## REPORT ON

# Klamath Indian Reservation

By Marlin Witt

IT IS impossible for one to understand the spiritual darkness of the Klamath Indian Reservation with any great degree of intelligence until one has spent some time there.

As one enters into the responsibility of the work, he feels as though he is entering into the "Valley of deep gloom." Even when the sun shines the brighter, one has a sense of apprehension, and the weight of spiritual darkness falls on his very being, exacting a heavy toll, both spiritual and physical.

It is impossible to compare the work there among the Indians with any field or work in Oregon Yearly Meeting. Only in dark Africa, South America, or other heathen lands, would one be able to make a comparison. The bear parties of Africa, the fiestas of Bolivia, the superstition of India, and conditions that exist on the foreign fields, are similar to conditions on the Klamath Indian Reservation.

Drinking parties are a continuous round-the-clock affair, with children suffering the awful results of broken homes, and being left alone for hours while mother or father, or both, lay drunk. A long list of the names of the more unfortunate ones that have been arrested and brought into court, fined, imprisoned, or both, for being drunk or similar crimes, appears in the daily paper. And with all this, the hot tempers that seem to characterize the Indians result in knifing, shooting, fist fights, car wrecks, and etc.

A looseness of morals and a high percentage of social disease is prevalent.

The social life of the reservation consists for the most part in drinking parties, dances, rodeos, moving picture shows, and gambling.

The following information was obtained from the Klamath Agency:

"The total tribal population as of November amounts to 1890 persons. Living on the reservation, mostly in or near the communities of Chiloquin, Sprague River and Beatty, are 419 families, or approximately 1100 people. Two hundred fifty families, or approximately 750 persons, live away from the reservation in various parts of the country. The average family consists of 3.06 persons.

"In the total population there are 36 males and 39 females over 65 years old. The blind on the reservation number 6, and of these, all except 1 are over 65 years old.

"Of the total number of families (650), there are 280 in which one or the other parent is not present. In 127 families there are step-parents. In other words, the children in 3/4 of the families are either now without the influence of both parents, or have been deprived of a parent.

"There are 17 girls and 12 boys who are either in reformatories, or are known to the law enforcement officers because of their delinquent behavior.

And there are 36 families whose behavior could very well contribute to the delinquency of 121 minors.

"There are 454 children between the ages of 6 and 18. Three hundred fifty-eight attend public schools; 17 are in non-reservation government boarding schools; 13 are in private boarding schools, and 29 are not attending school.

"Forty-four children make their homes with relatives other than their parents. Twenty-eight children are living in licensed boarding homes. Of this number 6 are living in boarding homes on the reservation."

The population on the Klamath Indian Reservation has increased over 70% in the past half century.

One should not get the idea that all the Indians are bad, or that all fall in line with the low moral condition that exists on the reservation. Some of the Indians are hard-working, and command the respect of the community. Some of the Indians are as fine a people as one would meet anywhere, with fine ranches and herds of cattle that a lot of white people would be proud to own. Some have nice homes, lawns, shrubbery, vegetable and flower gardens. A lot of the Indian women are good cooks and do beautiful handwork.

Perhaps a word should be said here about the Christians and the services of our mission. Some of the people cannot seem to get established, and are up and down in their experiences. Others are very faithful and steadfast. One lady who is past

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## 60th ANNIVERSARY SESSIONS OF

# Oregon Yearly Meeting

By Marjorie Crisman

MOMENTS from Yearly Meeting, 1952: The Greenleaf Academy gym packed on Sunday, "the great day of the feast" . . . Charles DeVol's warm, rich smile . . . Dick Cadd's fine choir in performance . . . Superintendent Dean Gregory presenting the challenge of the great Inland Empire . . . Harlow Ankeny's burden for George Fox College . . . Bolivian news flashes from Paul and Phyllis Cammack . . . the inimitable Four Flats spreading humor and inspiration . . . these and many more are memories of the 60th session of Oregon Yearly Meeting, held August 14 to 19 at Greenleaf, Idaho.

### SUPERB HOSTS

Proving themselves superb hosts, Greenleaf Monthly Meeting and the other meetings of southern Idaho provided for the physical comfort of Yearly Meeting attenders by graciously opening their homes, and spending long hours preparing and serving delicious meals with farm-fresh produce. The new academy building gave adequate dining hall facilities, with the huge new gymnasium serving as banquet room and assembly space for the evening and Sunday services.

### SPIRITUAL ATMOSPHERE

Many expressed the opinion that this was the

largest attended Yearly Meeting they could remember. Through each session there was a deeply spiritual atmosphere, with the close presence of the Lord made manifest again and again. Many were moved to tears during the George Fox College presentation; at the close of the inspirational hour Saturday there was a time of voluntary prayer and praise; following the message Tuesday morning the congregation moved out of the church singing, "We'll Work Till Jesus Comes."

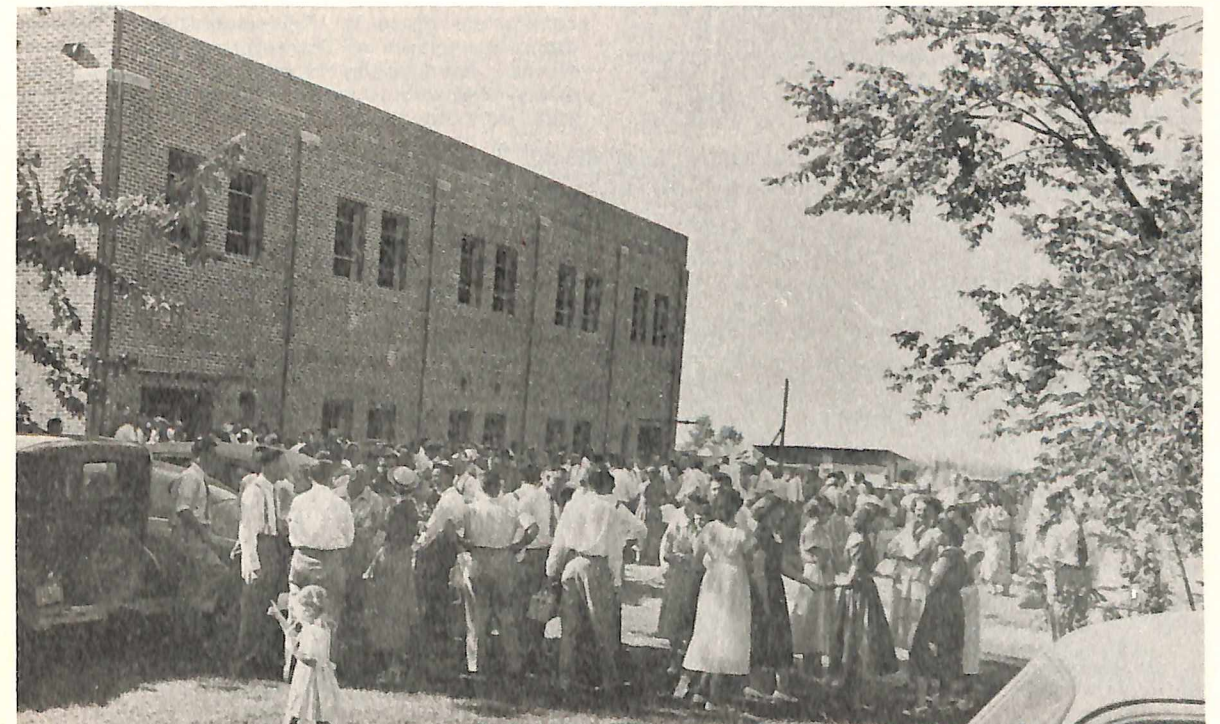
### DEVOTIONAL PERIODS

Dr. Charles DeVol, Yearly Meeting evangelist from Ohio Yearly Meeting, presented scriptural truth in a unique way, drawing illustrations from nature and from his experience as missionary in China.

The morning inspirational messages were based on the following themes:

Thursday. — "Add to your faith," 2 Pet. 1:1-11. Our faith is the foundation, without which virtue, knowledge, temperance, etc. are of no value. But our faith shows when we add to it these qualities. "Grace and peace be multiplied." We add; God multiplies.

Friday. — "God is Light," John 1:1-9. Light rays are of three lengths; we see only the medium



The crowd outside the gym following the Sunday afternoon service.



ones. God the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit are light; only God the Son is visible. Light either blinds or illuminates; if we look at it we are blinded, with it we can see. Light is necessary for life; so divine light is necessary for spiritual life.

Saturday.—Psalm 121. Chinese translation of the last verse: "You go out; you come in. God will protect you. Beginning today and going on forever." Charles DeVol told of his call to China and of the second call which came impelling him to return for the third time. About to leave from that term of service to join his wife and daughters in the states, he was stopped by the events of Pearl Harbor. Though hard to understand, this forced detainment was used of God. Internment came, during which God's protection was marvelously shown, and release two years later.

Monday.—"Water." Water's three forms, liquid, ice and vapor, are exactly the same, but exactly different! So with the Trinity: God the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. Water's two components are very different; God has two characteristics which are opposites—love for sinners, and hatred for sin. Water is beautiful; God made his children to be everyone perfect and everyone perfectly different. Water is not a luxury, but a necessity. It is one thing in this world that will satisfy everybody; "If any man thirst."

Tuesday.—The Church in Communist China. Charles DeVol told of the infiltration of the communists into China and how they squeezed out the missionaries a step at a time. The Chinese church will stand today not in union, but in individuals holding true. "A church that has something worth dying for won't die."

The 8:00 devotional hour each morning was a time of prayer, testimony, and exhortation, with the following speakers presenting timely messages: Frank Haskins, David Thomas, T. Clio Brown, Waldo Hicks, Clare Willcuts and Roy Dunagan.

#### SUNDAY

Sunday was Missionary Day, with three services stressing our home, foreign and worldwide missionary program. Milo Ross answered the question, "Why hasn't the Quaker Church grown?" and challenged to expansion in the northwest. Sunday afternoon our missionaries spoke, with Walter Lee giving an appeal for funds. The response totaled almost \$4000. In the evening special honor was



These Friends attended the first Yearly Meeting sixty years ago. They are Mabel Williams, Ber-nice Williams, Marion Cook and Halcyon Mills.

given to Marion Cook, who was present at the first session of Oregon Yearly Meeting 60 years ago. Five ladies stood, who were also present at that Yearly Meeting, though too young to remember. Charles DeVol summed up the missionary challenge with Jesus' command, "Ye shall be witnesses . . . both in Jerusalem, and in Samaria," etc. Some see only the home, others the foreign needs. Both are to be taken care of at the same time.

#### BOARDS

Thursday through Tuesday each of the boards gave a challenging presentation of their plans for the coming year. The Christian Education board project is to establish and strengthen family altars. A skit written by Melva Baker was presented Sunday during the Sunday school hour stressing this need. Three contestants in the Christian Endeavor speech contest spoke on the subject, "The greatest challenge of Christian youth today." Mac Corlett, Lents church, Portland, was winner. Dianne Payne, Cherry Grove, won the Scripture memorization contest.

Good literature was stressed by Dilla Tucker in the report of the Board of Public Relations, and stewardship emphasized by Kelsey Hinshaw.

The Board of Evangelism has a plan for expansion in the Inland Empire. Oscar Brown and Dean Gregory spoke of the growth in many of the outposts. Willa Piersall told of the opening of the church in Eugene, Ed Harmon of his call to open a church at Ashland, and Charles DeVol closed with fitting remarks, urging us to work as if the place we are is the most important place in the world, and not to fail to enter new doors.

The tenth annual report of the Board of Publication was given by Frederick Baker, covering the many phases of the printing work. Dorothy Barratt, Iowa Yearly Meeting, and Mahlon Macy, added enthusiastic comments, especially about Milo Ross' new book, "Outreach."

The closing session of Yearly Meeting was devoted to the challenging report of the Board of Missions. The Bolivian missionaries' reports read by various board members showed real progress in evangelism, farm work, and the Bible School. An Aymara scene was drawn in chalk by Geraldine Willcuts as Phyllis Cammack sang "Hark, the Voice of Jesus Calling." Mark Roberts, new missionary under appointment, spoke briefly, following which Jack Willcuts told of the ties which bind our missionaries together. Phyllis Cammack presented to the Women's Missionary Union a tari, made by Florentina de Sallerico, formerly Helen Cammack's "girl," who has taken the responsibility of establishing a WMU among the Bolivian women.

Finishing the presentation of the Board of Missions, Paul Cammack gave a graphic report of the recent revolution, the urgency of work now before the Communists take over Bolivia, and of the Spirit's work in the hearts of the Bible School students. Charles DeVol closed with a prayer of dedication for Mark and Wilma Roberts.

#### BANQUETS

Women of the Yearly Meeting participated in the program of the Women's Missionary Union, be-

ginning with the banquet which was served to over 450 men and women on the opening night of Yearly Meeting. The men adjourned from the banquet hall for a Friends Brotherhood program featuring the Four Flats and Dean Gregory. A medical theme was carried out by the women, both in decorations and program, and over \$500 was given for clinical supplies for Wilma Roberts in her nursing work in Bolivia. The women met again and voted financial aid from the surplus in the treasury as follows: Foreign—\$500 for mission jeep, \$100 to finish vacation cabin, \$300 for projector for missionaries' use, \$100 for missionary transportation; Home—\$150 to Helen Ross to help with surgery costs, \$150 to Paul and Martha Puckett for moving expense to Baker, \$100 to Brotherhood for Spokane work.

Another banquet of interest was sponsored by the Christian Endeavor with the theme, "Be Ye Doers." Beginning with a fun fest by Roy Clark and the Four Flats, toasts by Meredith Beals, Larry Ross, and Norval Hadley followed. Besides trophies to the winners of the speech contests, the following awards were made: Meadows C.E., picture for best table decorations; Greenleaf Intermediate C.E., plaque for winning contest; Mari-beth McCracken, trophy for outstanding Quarterly Meeting superintendent; Clifton Ralphs, past president's pin. Gene Hockett, new president, and other officers were installed, and Charles DeVol brought a timely message from "Let us run the race . . . looking unto Jesus."

#### EVENING SERVICES

Evening services were blessed by fine musical talent directed by Dick Cadd, with Charles DeVol's messages crowned each evening by seekers at the altar. At the final evening meeting an impressive dedication service was conducted by Dean Gregory. The following newly recorded ministers were introduced: Kenneth Williams, Charlotte Macy, David Fendall, Harold Ankeny, Lawrence Lehman,



The Cammacks are welcomed home from Bolivia

and George Hopper. Then all of the pastors and evangelists joined them at the front for prayer by the superintendent. At the close of the evening message, many seekers gathered about the altar and there was a time of consecration and prayer.

#### INTERESTING BUSINESS DISCUSSED

Interesting business items discussed during Yearly Meeting were: 1. A unified radio broadcast for the Yearly Meeting. 2. A plan for an Old People's Home. 3. Creation of a new Board of Stewardship. Dean Gregory was reappointed general superintendent, and Dorwin Smith is new Presiding Clerk. Over 600 shares are now held in the George Fox College \$25 Club.

Many visitors from other Yearly Meetings, and Christie Bundy from Japan, were present to contribute to the sessions.

There was a forward look and a sense of expectancy as Yearly Meeting 1952 came to its close.



THE C.E. BANQUET ON SATURDAY NIGHT



## ITEMS OF INTEREST

### W.M.U. AT YEARLY MEETING

The W. M. U. held its annual banquet Wednesday evening, August 13, at Greenleaf, Idaho, in the new academy gym. The clinical theme was carried out in the room and table decorations as well as the program. At each place setting was a white-clad nurse, and a black bag containing a swab, some candy pills, the menu and program. The nut cups contained more pills and capsules. The menu was written in medical terms and although most of us could not read it we enjoyed the fried chicken and other food that went with it. On the wall was a temperature chart showing the increase and decrease of membership in the different missionary unions. Around 275 women were served.

The program included four musical numbers by Winona Selby, Gertrude Ankeny, Delores Hanson, Iverna Lyda and Nancy Fuller; a play by the Whitney ladies; a reading by Mamie Tish; and talks by Geraldine Willcuts and Wilma Roberts. Large capsules, containing the needs for Roberts' outfitting, were presented to each quarterly meeting superintendent of missions. Pictures of the banquet at Newberg last year were shown.

The special project this year was to raise \$500 for medical work and clinical supplies for our Bolivian field. The offering amounted to over \$500.

The business meeting was held Friday during the noon hour. The new officers were elected. The foreign project this year will be the same as last year—the support of the teachers of the day schools in Bolivia. The home projects chosen were the remembering our outposts and Sprague River mission throughout the year, and helping out in the needs of our summer youth camps. If any union wishes to do more for their own church or parsonage besides this, they may.

The \$300 surplus in the home project funds was divided between two needs: \$150 was given to help in the building of the new church at Baker; and \$150 to help the Milo Ross family in their recent surgical expenses. \$100 of the surplus from the banquet expenses was given for the church building at Spokane, and the rest added to the clinical supplies project.

A new project this year is the suggested reading course for the missionary unions. More information will be sent on this later.

Devotional and program books are available again this year. If you do not have yours you may contact Hazel Macy, the treasurer. The price is 2 for \$1.00. The Greenleaf women wrote the devotions for this year and the programs are short biographies of Christians from the different mission fields over the world.

### Summary of FINANCIAL REPORTS of O.Y.M.

United Budget from all sources . . . . .	\$21,393.27
Bolivian Missions (special offerings) . . . . .	7,935.84
Other Missions . . . . .	2,979.13
Evangelism and Church Extension . . . . .	5,010.10
Yearly Meeting Fixed Expense . . . . .	9,239.01
Quarterly Meeting Fixed Expense . . . . .	1,318.73
George Fox College . . . . .	8,451.16
Women's Missionary Union (foreign) . . . . .	1,473.48
Women's Missionary Union (home) . . . . .	2,367.50
Friends Brotherhood . . . . .	1,240.46
Misc. gifts and offerings for above projects . . . . .	1,343.28
Local Expenditures—	
Bible School Maintenance . . . . .	12,689.98
Christian Endeavor & Youth Work . . . . .	4,015.00
Public Morals . . . . .	198.65
Stewardship . . . . .	22.67
Education inclusive of operating of Greenleaf Academy . . . . .	17,243.52
Literature . . . . .	273.83
Community Service . . . . .	1,408.29
National Service . . . . .	170.29
World Service . . . . .	189.73
Pastor's salary—Fifty reporting—	
Paid by local meeting . . . . .	77,077.16
Paid by Yearly Meeting . . . . .	2,295.00
Supply and Assistant pastor . . . . .	2,337.49
Pastor's travel and office expense . . . . .	4,283.11
Paid evangelist, singers, etc. . . . .	6,409.49
Local church current expense . . . . .	36,686.78
Church building and grounds expense . . . . .	46,498.48
Items not shown—including	
\$11,140.10 Greenleaf put into Academy and Gym this year . . . . .	22,296.08

This adds up to the grand total of \$296,847.51 which is some \$21,856.71 more than total of a year ago. God has surely blessed the members of Oregon Yearly Meeting this past year in providing the increase. The majority of our monthly meetings paid more into the United Budget than they had pledged. Fixed Expense was met just about one hundred per cent. May the Lord richly bless us each one as we have paid our tithes and offerings into our church program at home and for the spread of the gospel to those who have never heard. We are doing a great work for the Master, and so let us be encouraged. It takes only \$1.25 per member per month as active resident members to meet our share of our United Budget and Fixed Expense budget. May we give unto the Lord as He prospers us, and we have the promise that the Lord will "honor" us in seeing that all our needs are met.

Forrest Cammack  
Financial Secretary

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### THE ASHLAND STORY

For several years Edward and Lois Harmon felt that when they left the Highland meeting that God wanted them in outpost work. When it was decided that their work was through at Highland, they looked upon the field and asked, "Where Lord? Where?" While holding a four-day meeting at Medford church last spring, Edward Harmon went to Ashland with Clynton Crisman, and as they passed through a certain section of town with no church, the Lord whispered to Edward's inner consciousness, "This is it." All the calls and feelers were prayed over, but always there came the conviction that Ashland was the place—the center of God's will for the Harmons.

Edward Harmon was given opportunity to present his call at Oregon Yearly Meeting. Because of the help of the Evangelistic Board and the gracious gifts of friends, the Harmons were able to go to Ashland right after Yearly Meeting, before returning to Salem. In July the Harmons had looked at several houses in this part of town. Since this is a new section of Ashland all the houses are relatively new, too, and rather expensive. The one house in this school district which seemed suitable because of its size and location, being only a block and a half from school, was also the lowest in price. As the Harmons waited for the real estate man to return from seeing the owner they prayed, "Lord, if it is Thy will that we buy this house, make the owner accept the contract."

The down payment specified in the contract and the total amount were both much smaller than the original asking by the owner. The \$1,000 used for the down payment was loaned to the Harmons by a relative. Soon the real estate man returned, saying that the owner had signed the contract.

The house purchased is a one-story seven-room house with a large garage. The garage is lined, and it is here the Harmons expect soon to start the Ashland Friends Sunday school. As soon as possible land will be obtained for a church site. God has led in a marvelous way, and things have worked together for good.

The Harmons plan to move September 1st, and will be at home at 439 Lit Way, Ashland, to all their friends. They wish to thank again all who have contributed to make this possible, and the many friends who promised them at Yearly Meeting time to remember Ashland in their prayers. Please pray on. Any who would like to receive monthly news from Ashland, drop a card to the Harmons.

### QUAKER COVE CONFERENCE

The annual family conference held at Quaker Cove, on Fidalgo Island, Wash., the week-end of July 3-6, was filled with inspiration for all who came. The theme was chosen from the First Psalm: "He Shall be like a tree . . ." and typified the surrounding magnificent forest.

The leaders chosen by the conference committee, of which Lenna Sand, of Everett, was chairman, were: Cora Gregory, of Ontario,

Oregon; Ethelyn Shattuck, of Gresham, Oregon; and William Murphy, of Seattle, Wash. To these consecrated and spirit-filled leaders goes much credit for the outstanding success of the conference. Cora Gregory gave searching messages a 11:30 a.m. and at 7:30 p.m. each day, that made her listeners eager to return for more. Ethelyn Shattuck taught two classes each morning on "The Christ-centered Life," bringing to her listeners a depth of soul-searching and spiritual exercise that was new. William Murphy had two classes each morning on the "Life of Paul," in which he shed new light on the teachings of this first missionary. Richard Hendricks and others provided inspirational music for each day. Recreation in the afternoons took the form of swimming and games. Jack Tesberg, of Everett, and Eric Palmer, of Kirkland, were leaders of the rival teams the "Maples" and the "Pines."

The registration was over sixty, making this conference the largest in the last four years. This conference has grown out of the Friend's Youth conference begun in the Puget Sound area in 1917, so that it has a long history. The influence of this year's conference will be as lasting as any, for all went home with a desire to live more truly in the steps of the Master, and with new spiritual strength for its realization.

### Boise Valley Quarterly Meeting

The Boise Valley Quarterly Meeting was called to order by Russel Stands, Quarterly Meeting superintendent, Saturday morning July 26.

Neil Pierson was asked to lead the song service, which was very inspirational, then an open session of prayer followed led by Richard Wiles. The meeting was then opened for testimony, which was praise to our Father for His mercies to us, the marvel of His salvation, and how we need the guidance of the great Jehovah.

La Verne Forney, of Melba, sang a special song.

Paul Barnett, the Boise pastor, was then introduced as the speaker of the morning. The text was John 16:13.

The message was an inspiration and a challenge. Jesus said, "I cannot tell you all things now," meaning we have to start at the beginning and grow so God through the Holy Spirit can teach us more and more, and we can be guided by Him. Paul Barnett has been asked to write this sermon to be published in the Northwest Friend.

The meeting was turned over to the clerks. Twenty-one representatives were present. There was a delegation from the new Cambridge meeting we were happy to see, although they did not stay for the fellowship dinner.

This session was closed with prayer by Nathan Pierson. The blessing on the bountiful meal which followed was also asked.

The afternoon session convened at 1:45 with singing "Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing." The Queries were then read by the reading clerk, followed by a time of meditation, and prayer by Richard Wiles. The State of Society was read

*It's later than you think!*



from the monthly meetings. There was a growth in most, in attendance and spirituality. Representatives to Yearly Meeting were appointed—eight representatives and four alternates.

Fraternal delegates were appointed to Greenleaf Quarterly Meeting to be held August 2.

We are changing the time of our Quarterly Meeting to the last Saturday in October, January, April and July.

Cambridge outpost meeting was taken in as an outpost of the Boise Valley Quarterly Meeting.

The reports for the year were read and accepted. Closed with prayer by Fred Harris.

## Portland Quarterly Meeting

The Saturday afternoon sessions of Portland Quarterly Meeting held at Piedmont Friends church, July 26th, opened at 2:30 p.m. with Adelaide Barker presiding in the absence of Superintendent Ray Carter. Mahlon Macy led in singing of hymns, with Roy Clark at the piano. This was followed by prayer and testimonies.

The message of the hour was given by Douglas Brown, the new pastor at Rosemere. He spoke from Heb. 11:6, on Faith. Three indispensable elements, faith, hope and love, are essential principles of the Christian life. These are the last times. Spiritual values are ebbing. The Christian needs to maintain a high spiritual level of life. Faith can remove great obstacles, God has the solution of every problem. The conversion of a sinner is still a great miracle. God is able to send great revivals in these last days, the very blessing He has for our times, not necessarily like what they had in times past. We still have the Faith once delivered to the saints.

At 4:00 p.m. we turned to the missionary program. Miss Lois Burnett, of Rosemere, sang, "Turn your eyes upon Jesus." Geneva Bolitho presented Walter P. Lee, Y.M. president of the Mission Board. He brought us news from Bolivia, reporting that there were no ill effects to our work from the revolution. The Bible School is closing the year with six graduates. Cammacks are due to come home in August. The wife of Mariano Baptista is much improved in response to many prayers for her health. The National Church is assuming responsibilities in a remarkable way. Our work is widely known and respected by many other missions. The work has doubled and new calls are coming. We need more National teachers and preachers. We are in big business for God and need more funds to care for our workers. The primary purpose of the church is its evangelization of the world.

In the third period, the work of the Friends Brotherhood was presented by Dave Pruitt and Wilbur Pressnall. They reported on the work at Spokane, and the activities of the gospel team of the Brotherhood. Only 90 men in this Quarter belong to the Brotherhood.

The fourth period was in charge of the Service Committee. Louis Haisch presiding, told what the committee had been doing this year. Bernhard Fedde spoke of the problems of the C. O. and

explained questions they meet on the draft forms. We must teach Quaker peace in Sunday school, church and home, else the church may be responsible for sending boys to prison, if our C. O.'s do not have the backing of the church. Minorities have changed history. "In all these things we are conquerors."

Then Eldon Helm told of things he had learned by visiting Indian reservations. The Quakers are in position to be of great help to American Indians if we can go in to share our teaching with them, rather than trying to show that their religion is all wrong and we alone are right.

Following this feast of good things came the fellowship dinner together, served by the ladies of the Piedmont church. The attendance was quite good for this time of the year.

## Newberg Quarterly Meeting

Newberg Quarterly Meeting met at Newberg on August 8, 9 and 10. Herman Macy spoke to the Ministry and Oversight meeting on Friday afternoon.

The Saturday morning service opened with prayer and testimony. Bernice Mardock brought a message in song. J. David Thomas was the speaker. His texts were from Acts 15 and Rev. 3:7, 9. He reported leadings of the Lord in Netarts.

The afternoon service opened with singing. After Paul Mills read each of the queries, members responded with verses of scripture that had the same thought. Merrill Coffin and Grace Todd gave reports of California Yearly Meeting, which they attended. Ferris Strait gave the treasurer's report and the financial secretary's report. The annual reports of the Quarterly Meeting were given. The meeting granted a minute of service to Levi and Rebecca Pennington, who plan to visit meetings in the eastern states. Memorials were read for Elwood Hodson and Clarence C. Elliott. The list of representatives to Yearly Meeting was approved. Merrill Coffin was concerned about the small number attending Quarterly Meeting, especially the small number of younger people. Levi T. Pennington gave some interesting applications to our lives from the story of the potter and the clay. The nominating committee presented names of officers and committees for the coming year after the congregation sang "To the Work."

Maribeth McCracken presided at the Sunday afternoon C.E. rally and business meeting. Marilyn Barnes led the singing of songs and choruses, with Carolann Moor at the piano. Maribeth McCracken read Col. 1:9-15. Myron James from First Friends, Portland, played some clarinet numbers and gave his testimony. Marilyn Barnes and Robert Byrd sang a duet. Carolann Moor gave a report of the Youth for Christ conference she attended at Winona Lake, Indiana. Carmen Parmenter brought a devotional message. He read 1 Tim. 4:12, "Let no man despise thy youth." Col. 3:14, charity is called "the bond of perfectness." Are we each one doing what we should be individually?

## BIRTHS

PURSLEY.—To Robert and Eva Pursley, Portland, a daughter, Gloria May, born July 19.  
BILES.—To Harold and Becke Biles, Salem, a daughter, Jan Lindsay, born July 20.  
FENDALL.—To Phillip and Faith Fendall, Mollala, Oregon, a daughter, Cheryl Jane, born July 28.  
HARRIMAN.—To Harold and Evelyn Harriman, Bolivia, S.A., a daughter, Melody Diane, born July 31.  
CRAWFORD.—To Mr. and Mrs. Donald Crawford, Medford, a daughter, Carole Anne, born August 3.  
FERTELLO.—To Pete and Lorna Fertello, Camas, a son, Mark Allen, born August 12.  
LUND.—To Clair and Dorothy Lund, Parkrose, a son, James Harold, born August 12.  
PERRY.—To Mr. and Mrs. Ray Perry, Marion, a son, born August 16.  
HAROLD.—To William and Mary Harold, Parkrose, a daughter, Mary Jean, born August 21.

## MARRIAGES

HAAG-CHAFFEE.—Bertha Chaffee and Marvin Haag, united in marriage at the Newberg Nazarene church, Sunday, June 1. Carl Byrd and Carl Marble officiated.  
MILLER-DRAKE.—Wilmer Miller and Patricia Drake were united in marriage Sunday afternoon, June 8, in the Quilcene Friends church. Wilmer is home on furlough from the army.  
FITCH-PORTER.—Bertha Porter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Porter, and Milton Fitch, of Greenleaf, were married in the Whitney Friends church Friday evening, June 20, with Richard Wiles reading the double ring ceremony.  
TURNER-GARNEY.—Mrs. Bertha Garney and Forrest D. Turner were married June 20 in Boise.  
TOMPKINS-GULLEY.—Lela Gulley was united in marriage to Barkley Tompkins at the Springbrook Friends church on June 12. Denver Headrick officiated. Her twin sister, Lena Kerns, was matron of honor.  
ENGLE-FARNER.—Miss Frances Farner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Farner, and Frank Engle, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Engle, were married June 10 at the Melba Friends Church. The ceremony was performed by Russel Stands.  
CLARKSON-SMITH.—Wanda Smith and Marion Clarkson were married the evening of July 19. The wedding was performed in the Medford Friends church.

## DEATHS

HODSON.—Esther S. Hodson, age 57, died August 15. Funeral was held in Newberg with Miller Porter officiating. She was a member of the Newberg Friends church.  
DAVIS.—Norris C. Davis was a member of First Friends of Portland for over forty years. He had been in poor health for some time, but bore a testimony for Christ to the end. He is survived by his wife Amelia and three children; Mrs. Mary

Chinn, John Davis, and Helen Harvey.  
GARDNER.—Lydia Cook Gardner was one of the founders, and the last of the thirty-one charter members to hold continuous membership in First Friends of Portland. She was a birthright Friend, born in Iowa June 17, 1860. In 1879 she married Samuel Gardner, and they came to Newberg in 1888, and to Portland in 1891. She went home July 4, 1952, after many years of illness. For many years, she was an elder in the church and active in all its departments, especially the missionary department. She leaves three children; Jay Gardner, Belle Badley, and Grace Hadley; eight grandchildren; fourteen great-grandchildren; and two great-great-grandchildren.  
FANNO.—Adah Fanno, born December 27, 1865, was the last of five children. She moved to Portland in 1872, and married Alonzo Fanno in 1886. She passed on to her heavenly home on June 26, 1952. In 1918, she joined First Friends, of Portland, and was active in the work of the church. She is survived by one son, Frank Fanno, and three grandchildren. For over thirty years, a niece, Gladys Stevens, made her home with the Fannos and cared for them to the end.

## EVANGELISTS

Gerald Dillon, University Park, Iowa.  
Hubert Mardock, Rt. 2, Caldwell, Idaho.  
Marlin Witt, Rt. 6, Nampa, Idaho.  
John and Dorothy Sinton (Irish Friends), 1611 S.E. 21st Ave., Portland 15, Oregon.  
Roy Dunagan, 1611 S.E. 21st Ave., Portland 15, Oregon.  
Fred Harris, 903 13th Ave. So., Nampa, Idaho.  
Walter P. Lee, Rt. 1, Eagle, Idaho.  
Reuben Cogswell, 1828 E. 12th, Spokane, Washington.  
Denver Headrick, Rt. 1, Box 462-A, Tigard, Oregon.  
Alden and Esther White, 900 - 23rd Ave. So., Seattle 44, Washington.  
Knight, Thornburg, Brown Party.  
Glen Rinard, 7600 Old Auburn Road, Citrus Heights, California.

## A CORRECTION

In the article entitled "How Shall They Preach?" in the July issue of the Northwest Friend the statement is made that the "annual field salary per missionary is \$620." This is a typographical error. It should read, "\$720." We are sorry for this error, which has caused some confusion.

## NOTICE

All who desire a free copy of the playlet on "The Family Altar" which was presented at Yearly Meeting, please get your requests in to the Yearly Meeting office soon.



## AROUND GEORGE FOX COLLEGE

### NEWS OF THE FACULTY

New faculty members for the coming year include Carl Reed, piano; Margaret Shattuck, English and speech; Scott Clark, Bible and Greek; Dr. Marcus Skarstedt, mathematics and physics.

CARL REED, former student at George Fox, graduate of Seattle Pacific College, and with an M.A. from University of Washington, is returning as piano instructor replacing Miss Barbara Jeanne Sill, who left the staff for further study toward an M.A. in musicology at the University of Washington. Reed is a member of Star Friends church, Star, Idaho.

MARGARET SHATTUCK, class of 1951, GFC, received her M.A. from Lewis and Clark College this year. Miss Shattuck, one of the top students ever to attend George Fox, has signed a contract to join the English and speech department. She is a member of First Friends, Portland.

SCOTT CLARK, former Bible instructor and dean at Friends Bible College, Haviland, Kansas, is joining the George Fox religion staff teaching Bible and Greek. Mr. Clark will be teaching on a part-time basis while pastoring the Chehalis Center Friends church. Mr. Clark, father of Lucy Clark Anderson and Roy P. Clark, former faculty members of GFC, fills the spot vacated by Dr. Gervas Carey who retired to Hawaii this summer.

DR. MARCUS SKARSTEDT, latest addition to the staff, comes to George Fox with a wealth of educational experience. Dr. Skarstedt has made his home for the past few years in Sebastopol, California. He has recently retired as vice-president of San Francisco City College. A native of Vancouver, Washington, Dr. and Mrs. Skarstedt plan to retire in Newberg. He is at present a member of Whittier Friends church. He has his A.B. and A.M. from Augustana College, Ohio; B.L.S. from University of Illinois; M.S. from University of Iowa; and Ph.D. from University of California. He has taught mathematics at Augustana, California Poly, Whittier, and has been librarian in the state of Illinois and at San Francisco Junior College.

Missing from the faculty this coming year will be Dr. George Kenny, former physics professor, now with the Socony-Vacuum Oil Company in Dallas, Texas, as research chemist; Robert Jordon, sociology, now teaching high school, Bakersfield, California; Miss Sill; Dr. Carey; and Oliver Weesner, who is retiring from the staff after over 43 years of invaluable service to George Fox College.

All the new instructors and returning faculty and staff members will become acquainted during the college's second annual pre-school faculty conference to be held at Jennings Lodge Assembly Grounds, September 8, 9, and 10. Organizational and business meetings, committee meetings and special discussion sessions will be held during the three-day conclave. Such topics as "Class Schedule" "Realizing Guidance Opportunities,"

"Training Students in Responsibility," "Training Students in Christian Character" and "Instructional Improvement and Classroom Practice" are included on the agenda.

### STUDENT PROSPECTS GOOD

Prospects for a larger freshman class with other classes expecting to hold their own give encouragement to administrators at GFC as the new fall semester is soon to open. This, in view of the present draft situation and the reports from other schools, many of whom are expecting slight drops in enrollment, gives cause for thankfulness to God.

The scholastic quality of the incoming freshman class is very admirable. A total of 11 honor scholarships have been granted to freshmen so far. Most of these ranked in the upper 10% of their high school graduating class and some were valedictorians. Several other such scholarships are to be granted before the opening of school.

There is still time for interested students to enroll at George Fox for the fall semester. Simply write to the college signifying your desire to enter; or better yet, COME the day of registration.

The calendar for the opening days of school:

- September 8-10 Faculty pre-school conference.
- 12 Dormitories open to Freshmen.
- 12-15 Freshmen Orientation. (Required attendance by all incoming freshmen.)
- 16 Registration for all Classes.
- 17 Classes Convene.

### THE FINANCIAL PICTURE

The spiritual interest and financial response of Friends during the George Fox College report August 16 at the Oregon Yearly Meeting sessions was a most encouraging sight to see. The college staff wishes to express publicly its sincere thanks to God and to His faithful stewards.

The drive for 1000 shares in the \$25 Club Living Endowment program received a real boost that afternoon when 40 new shares were added to the club. This alone will bring in \$1000.00 more per year!

A few statistics may be interesting to each concerning the response to the \$25 Club drive in that Yearly Meeting session. The 40 new shares came from 34 people. Of these 34, 21 are new members of the \$25 Club; 13 took out additional shares. And here is an indication of the vital consecration of our Christian workers in the Yearly Meeting: Of the 34 people who signed \$25 Club pledge cards that afternoon, 14 are ministers in Oregon Yearly Meeting and 4 are considered full-time Christian workers, all on sacrificial salaries. These total more than one-half of the entire response. May this fact be a challenge to each of us as wage earners. (Continued on page 15.)

# SOUL CRY of THE AYMARA

## CONFERENCES

By Marshal Cavit

SINCE the last issue of the Soul Cry there have been three conferences held. Two of these were marked on your calendars, and you have remembered them in prayer, and no doubt are wondering about them. The other one is completely new, and you will be glad for this word of advancement in the work.

The Achachacala conference carried a much better spirit this year than last. We did have a good conference last year, and the Lord wonderfully blessed, but this place has for some time been a place of trouble and problems. Happenings during the year had changed the circumstances until there was a better feeling among the people. The crowds were not so large, but we had excellent services with much blessing of the Lord. This is one of the places where we are seeing the national church in action. The pastor's salary, formerly paid by the mission, ceased at Junta time. The people felt they couldn't pay a pastor's salary, so they have chosen four of their own members who take a month at a time serving as pastor. All seems to be moving along fine, with the attendance increasing and a fine spirit among the people. The day school in the community is also doing well. Most of the conference services and preaching was done by nationals. I gave three messages, besides the interpretations of the colored slides of the life of Christ each night. A goodly number wept their way closer to the Lord at an altar of prayer. We left on Monday morning, lifting our voices in thanks to God for His blessing, and with a feeling that there were better prospects for the future of the work there than we have felt for a long time.

Just a week later, July 25-27, was the date set for a new conference at Chunavi. This week has been an indigenous work from the beginning, and has been growing rapidly and spreading out to new areas. Vilaqui and Jacura are both outgrowths of this place. The 25th arrived and we were getting things arranged to go when there broke out an attempt at revolution. The trip had to be called off, but the next day our evangelistic superintendent walked out to Chunavi from La Paz,

arriving there at 6:00 o'clock in the evening. The conference was already in full swing with a good delegation from the surrounding area. Brother Perez announced the reason for our absence and then went right ahead and carried on the rest of the conference with the help of the visiting pastors. The attendance exceeded all expectations, reaching 314 on Sunday. They reported the blessing of the Lord to be unusual, with many seeking the Lord at the altar, and the brethren being helped and encouraged. When we saw how well things went without the presence of a missionary, we were greatly encouraged and gave thanks to God, for this is the very thing that we are working for, to see our national church more and more upon its own feet and carrying on the work of the Kingdom among their own people.

Our conference at Mina Fabulosa this year was a bit later than usual and turned out to be quite a help. Generally it is held over the 6th of August, which is one of the outstanding national holidays, and the miners are so given over to dancing and drinking that there is no chance of reaching them in any measure. With the later date this year we found things not by any means quiet, but at least much quieter than usual. On Saturday night the pastor counted some 65 present from the mining camp, besides the believers, to see the colored slides of the life of Christ. Then Sunday night was the largest crowd we have ever seen in the little church at Mina Fabulosa. There must have been nearly 150 crowded into the building. Every service of the conference was marked with the presence and unusual blessing of the Lord. Quite a number of new people were at the altar, besides many believers who walked in the light that God shed upon their pathway. There were some 15 or 20 who came from the churches at Suriquina, Paleoco, Vilaqui, and surrounding area. These people had walked some 30 miles, crossing the high mountain pass and over the glacier to be at the conference.

Two more of these conferences await us, one at Pucarani in September, and the mid-year conference at Amacari in the first week of November.



# The National Council

By Ralph Chapman

(This is the fifth of the series of articles placing special emphasis upon a particular phase of the mission work in Bolivia.)

**T**HROUGHOUT the years that the mission has been working here in Bolivia, it has been the adopted plan to work with the nationals in every way possible to advance the work. Naturally, the degree of responsibility placed upon national leadership has varied during the years, but the basic principle of working toward a National church has always been the goal.

In past years such terms as "National Field Council," "church representatives or delegates" were used in reference to that group of the brethren that occasionally met together to discuss field problems. In either case, the group was a composite of brethren from the various churches of our work, who, either officially or otherwise, represented their respective groups. It was the idea that through this group of representatives a better solution could be reached for the existing field problems. However desirous we may have been that the brethren feel that they were a part of the field management, the actual reaching of the goal was still ahead of us. It must be recognized that the Nationals will not exert themselves as long as they feel obstructed by that "final word" of the missionary. It can be said that this original field council definitely was a beginning step toward the organization that we now have. It was not an arrival at the goal, but rather the initial step toward it.

As we initiated more definite steps toward the formation of an indigenous work, we placed at the head of the society the usual officials, such as president, vice-president, secretary, and treasurer. These officers theoretically exercised the accepted duties of their respective offices. Another step was hereby taken in that increased responsibility and increased liberty were given to these officers to exercise more national authority in the work. The failure of our step lies in the fact that inadequate foundation had been laid for the nationals (laymen and pastors alike) to fully comprehend the goal toward which we were aiming. Consequently there arose an unhealthy contention between the missionaries and a few of the leaders who had their own ideas of the manner in which the organization should be managed. The only procedure left was to disorganize.

Failure in our first actual attempt to start an indigenous work did not mean a reversal in our thinking. With the passing of several months another step was taken, and once again an organization was set up. The group heading up this organization was composed of both missionaries and nationals, specifically two missionaries and three nationals. More responsibility was placed on the nationals, but as yet we were far from getting to the place where the nationals felt that they were realizing their own church. Conse-

quently their work manifested that lack of initiative that was desirable. After a couple of years in this manner, the Mesa Directiva, or executive committee of the National Society, was changed to contain seven members, of which one is a missionary advisor. This is the existing group that governs the National Church.

The Mesa Directiva, or executive committee, is composed of a president, vice-president, secretary, treasurer, secretary of evangelism, and secretary of education. These officers are elected for terms of three years. The terms are staggered so that only two changes in personnel are made each year. The president, perhaps more than any of the other members of the group, has the burden of attending to the evangelistic needs of the field. He is dependent upon the entire group for the decisions which constitute the actual dealing with the field problems, but most of the needs are presented to the group through him. The other member of the group, who dedicates most of his time to the church work, is the secretary of evangelism. He is constantly in journeys over the field, both by himself and with the missionary. Upon his shoulders falls the responsibility of helping encourage the brethren, and in teaching them the need for cooperation in the work of the National Church. The remaining members of the Mesa Directiva have their respective duties, and aid in the regular meetings in making the necessary decisions to attend to the business at hand. Of the group, the evangelistic secretary is the only one that does not have a pastorate or other work, for his constant travel over the field eliminates the possibility of outside work of any extent. Consequently, he is the only one that receives remuneration for his labors as a member of the Mesa Directiva.

Naturally our group changes every year. The members for this year are: Mariano Baptista, pastor of the La Paz church, president; Pedro Quanca, La Paz, vice-president; Maximo Loza, La Paz, secretary; Silas Casas, school teacher in La Paz and assistant director of schools, treasurer; Martin Perez, La Paz, evangelistic secretary; Martin Garnica, pastor at Pucarani, educational secretary. Along with the usual business of the church management, this group this year has the special task of formulating a National Church constitution and discipline, as well as initiating the action toward securing the governmental recognition of the new church.

We are much nearer our goal. The National Church has been officially organized, and many of the responsibilities that were entirely in the hands of the missionaries are now held by the nationals themselves. The Lord has richly blessed in the accomplishment of this forward step. The National Council, or Mesa Directiva, is a group that well deserves and equally desires your prayers. They have a double duty at this time,

# LAKE TRAVEL

By Tina Knight

**A**RE you really going, Senora?"  
"Oh, it will be too cold!"  
"And the children—will you take them, too?"  
"Be sure to take lots of clothing, for the night will be cold."

These are just a few of the remarks made by our school boys upon hearing that Gary, Beverly and I were going to the Ojje conference. Traveling to Ojje, by way of Lake Titicaca, is really not very exciting or adventurous for the Indian, but for a white woman with two children to undertake the adventure in the middle of winter—well, that was a new and interesting subject of conversation.

We dismissed school, and 36 students, wives, children, 2 puppies and 2 pigs, plus the Knight family, were loaded on to the farm wagon and trailer and transported to the Guaqui docks. After so much discussing as to which boat we were to use, we finally found ourselves being rowed out of the channel and into the calm, blue waters of Lake Titicaca. It was just 6:30 in the evening, but already the sun was sinking behind the high Andean range and reflecting in the water as a golden path between us and the mountains of Peru. Sailing in the golden path was another sail-boat with its big white sail billowing in the breeze—a beautiful picture for any artistic eye. All was calm, no wind, and the calm of the lake was broken only by the dip of our oars.

After eating a light snack we opened our sleeping bags, and Gary, Beverly and I soon found ourselves lulled to sleep by the lapping of the water and gentle roll of the boat. Perhaps it would be more truthful to say the children slept, but little sleep came to Roscoe or myself, since the school boys sang songs until wee hours. There were 30 passengers in our 31-foot boat, so you can see that we had very little room to spread out and sleep comfortably. Some of the boys sat up all night, and often I heard others say, "Get over, I don't have enough room."

The night was perfect for sailing—just enough wind—and sleeping under a starlite sky was invigorating. As the sun peeped over the eastern hills we docked at Ojje, glad for a place to get off and stretch our legs. When we got off the boat we noticed the cold (don't forget it is winter here now). The kiddies cried because of cold toes and empty stomachs, and the kind native pastor crowded us into his already overflowing bedroom and living-room combined, and hot coffee and bread never tasted better!! (Neither the children nor I are fond of coffee. Ha!)

The conference began on Sunday and closed on Tuesday. Each day we had classes, evangelistic services and children's meetings, all conducted by our pastors or students; with Roscoe showing pictures each evening. It was a conference blessed by the Lord, although there were no out-

standing services. It seemed strange but encouraging to see the natives take charge of so many of the services. It shows the growth and strength of the indigenous church, of which we praise the Lord!

We sailed for home on Wednesday, sailing in the daytime instead of at night, as the wind was blowing from the right direction. It was an uneventful trip but an enjoyable one. No one fell overboard, a few learned to row the boat and Roscoe shot two chocas. We were a tired, sunburned but happy bunch when we arrived back at Copajira, ready to take up the school work once again.

## Commencement Week

By Roscoe Knight

**A**NOTHER school year is history, and I'm sure you will be interested in all the details of the last week. As all last-weeks of school, it was a tiresome, busy and exciting week, and only the teachers rejoiced when the last student had taken his few possessions and started for home.

The two days of exams were "cramming" days for the boys, and we teachers soon learned that a few were just naturally smart, a few had to study, a few hadn't studied, and still a few weren't capable of learning. The close of exams was celebrated with an all-school picnic on Wednesday. The usual delicacies of chunos, tuntas, potatoes, soup, oranges, bread, tea and candy were enjoyed by all—including missionaries. On Thursday I gave a few remarks in the last chapel of the year, admonishing the boys to live and work for the Lord in their home churches during vacation time. Pray for them as they testify, preach and live before their own families and friends. We realize their influence will be great. Also in the last chapel, each received his grade card, certificate of promotion, Bible pictures and tracts.

Friday was the big day, at least for the graduates. Commencement exercises were held in the morning, with Mariano Baptista, president of the indigenous church, giving the address. He spoke from Mark 16:15, "Go ye into all the world, and preach the gospel to every creature." It was a very timely text for graduates of today. We realize that we have little time to "preach the gospel to every creature." A special chorus number was presented by the all-school choir, and also a triple-duo by the graduating class.

Six boys received diplomas this year—Pascual Poma, Antonio Mamani, Domingo Flores, Joaquin Mamani, Roberto Mamani and Eugenio Espinoza. They are all qualified for pastoring churches, and two are qualified for teaching in our grade schools.

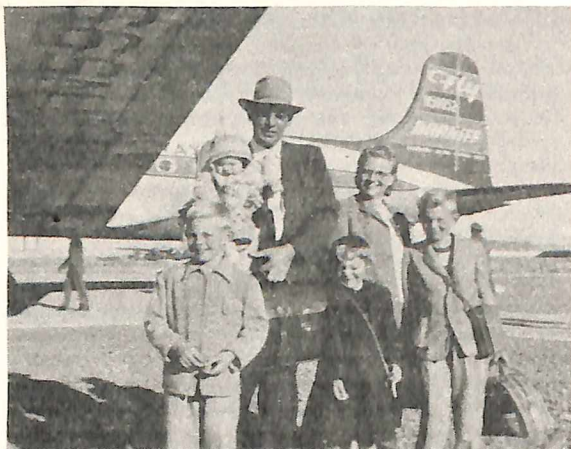


These boys need your prayers. Surely the Lord can use a consecrated, humble worker, but the devil never tires of discouraging the best. Pascual will teach school in his wife's home community. Antonio will pastor his home church at Calata. The other boys have no definite plans as yet, but I'm sure the Lord will use them if they are in His will. Pray for them!

## BON VOYAGE

By Marie Chapman

TO THOSE of us on the mission field, the biggest event since the last issue of the Soul Cry was the departure of Paul and Phyllis Cammack and their children for a well-earned furlough. Since the first of July and before, they had been making preparations—i.e., disposing of items no longer usable, packing in trunks and boxes those books, pictures and other things not needed, deciding what to take home, checking air-line schedules, securing proper papers for departure, buying souvenirs and gifts for loved ones at home, taking last minute pictures for depuration work, beside keeping up with the regular daily schedule of home-making, Bible School and



Cammack family ready to board plane for States.

## Soul Cry of the Aymara

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farm work. When the last good-bye was said to the Bible School boys, and the last colonist given his gift and word of farewell on August 1, the Cammack jeep headed toward La Paz.

The few days that remained here in town were busy ones, because two of them were holidays, and one was Sunday, so all business had to be done in the remaining days. On Sunday the La Paz church held a farewell service in the morning, and Paul preached a fine sermon exhorting the brethren to leave all their burdens and hindrances to their faith at the feet of Christ. The altar was more than full as the people wept and prayed.

Braniff Airways was scheduled to carry the six Cammacks homeward on August 6, but in good South American form the plane was delayed and the flight changed until 7:30 a.m. August 7. A staff picnic in the mission patio helped to pass the hours on Wednesday, and we all went to bed early so that we wouldn't be late in arriving at the airport.

The next morning while we awaited the arrival of the plane, which was one hour late, we passed the time taking pictures, trying to get Joseph to go to sleep, remembering all the last-minute greetings we wanted to send to home-folks, and in making sure that brief-case, camera, etc., weren't being left behind. Finally came the call, "Pasajeros abordo!", and we all rushed out as far as we dared, laughing together, but with the tears close to the surface, I am sure. I don't know how the rest of the family felt, but Mary Bel confessed, "I wish we were coming back in two weeks!"

As the giant bird sailed off toward Lake Titicaca and HOME we turned our jeeps back toward La Paz with a sense of loss of part of our family. However, we wish them a well-deserved year of rest, and an opportunity to inspire your hearts to more of a burden for Bolivia.

God bless them!

## Would You Like to Hear

YOUR MISSIONARIES IN BOLIVIA SPEAK TO  
YOU BY RADIO?

A test broadcast will be conducted by  
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with its beam directed to the United States and Canada on 31.56 meters, 9505 kilocycles.  
Mon., Sept. 15, 5:00-5:30 a.m., Atlantic time  
Tues., Sept. 16, 5:00-5:30 a.m., Atlantic time  
Wed., Sept. 17, 5:00-5:30 a.m., Atlantic time

This is 2:00-2:30 a.m. Mountain Standard time, and 1:00-1:30 a.m. Pacific Standard time.  
Thurs., Sept. 18, 10:00-10:30 a.m., Atlantic time  
Fri., Sept. 19, 10:00-10:30 a.m., Atlantic time  
Sat., Sept. 20, 10:00-10:30 a.m., Atlantic time

This means 7:00-7:30 a.m. Mountain Standard time, and 6:00-6:30 a.m. Pacific Standard time.  
On Saturday, September 20, Ralph Chapman will conduct the devotional from 10:20 a.m. to 10:30 a.m., Atlantic time.

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The college now has a total of 605 shares in the \$25 Club. We still need 395 shares to reach our 1000. This is possible! May each of us bear our share of the load to maintain this great work in our Yearly Meeting—a Bible-centered Liberal Arts education for our young people. (We would refer you to page 11 of the July issue of Northwest Friend for those who are eager to help in this work.)

## PROGRESS and IMPROVEMENT

The Administrative Committee and Board of Trustees are keeping in close contact with each other as progress is being made daily in various areas of the school.

During the past summer a complete new drainage system has been installed around Wood Mar Hall to prevent basement flooding during the rainy winter months. The Music Hall, Dining Hall, and Wood-Mar Hall have each been partially redecorated. As an economy measure, Hoover Hall will not be used this year. Edwards Hall will house men students; Canyon Hall, women, Vet Apts. may also be used for some students. A new room for the Bible department's office and classes is being readied in Wood-Mar Hall as a gift from the Newberg college auxiliary. A new faculty office room and lounge will soon be added to this building, also. Numerous other improvements have been made on other buildings.

Looking to the future, the Administrative Committee plans to give leadership to such projects as follows:

1. Extensive promotion and visitation on behalf of GFC.
2. Large scale student solicitation.
3. Improvement and standardization of academic and organizational procedures.
4. Continued redecoration and improvement of buildings during school year to bring about a higher plane of campus maintenance.
5. An extensive program to beautify the campus.
6. The reaching of 1000 members in the \$25 Club.
7. Providing financial assistance to needy students.



## Notice

Space does not permit the Northwest Friend to publish detailed reports of the president, treasurer and auxiliaries of George Fox College as given in the George Fox report, Saturday, August 16, at Oregon Yearly Meeting. Watch for your Yearly Meeting minutes for these. We urge you to read them at that time.

GEORGE FOX COLLEGE

## DAY of PRAYER

Wednesday, September 10

The George Fox College Board of Trustees has asked that Wednesday, September 10, be set aside on our calendars as a special day of prayer—and fasting, if so led—for George Fox College. Make a special effort to attend prayer meeting that evening. Pray for the college board, faculty, staff, students, that each might receive a new touch of God in their lives during this coming year. Pray for the college's financial, educational, student, and building needs. Pray for revival. Pray for a president for the college. PRAY! And continue to pray after September 10. Let's not forget to come to God "with thanksgiving" for what He has done!

—Harlow Ankeny



Edward's Hall, to be used as men's dorm. Hoover Hall will remain empty during the year.

## KLAMATH INDIAN RESERVATION (Continued from page 2.)

60 years old has read her Bible through 10 times. The services have a primitive Quaker atmosphere.

There is some 4-H club work in sewing and livestock being done among the young people.

The town of Chiloquin, which has the largest population of any town on the reservation, has four churches—Catholic, Methodist, Assembly of God, and Open Bible Standard. Sprague River, the next in size, has two churches—our own and an Open Bible Standard. The town of Beatty, on the eastern part of the reservation, has a Methodist church building, but no regular services are held there.

Without casting any reflection on any individual or any group, I feel a tragic mistake was made back in 1928 when the Yearly Meeting sold out to another denomination, and as a result of that mistake our work since 1942 has labored under a

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# Christian Endeavor Doings

## NEW THEME

"Be ye doers . . ." has been selected as the motto for this year. Let's take it to heart and truly be doers, and not hearers only. This year we want to be Christian Endeavorers in the literal sense of the word.

## YOUNG PEOPLE'S Y.M.

Business meetings, a banquet, and a picnic highlighted young people's Yearly Meeting which was held in connection with regular Yearly Meeting.

Carol Gossard and Laura Shook were in charge of plans for the young people's activities during the meetings.

Friday afternoon the first business meeting was held in the church basement. The executive committee recommended to the meeting that Laura's salary and travelling fund be raised in order to allow her to buy her own car. If she does so, the money in the car fund will be turned over to her. The meeting approved this recommendation. The treasurer reported that about \$300 above the budget had been raised throughout the year.

A nearby pasture was the scene of the picnic on Friday evening which was attended by nearly 70 young people.

Before the picnic, the CE's and pastors challenged each other to a ball game. The CE boys came out ahead in the final score.

Saturday afternoon at the business meeting new officers were elected. A list of these will appear elsewhere in the paper.

Roy Clark was master of ceremonies at the Saturday night banquet. Entertainment was furnished by the Four Flats with Meredith Beals, Norval Hadley and Larry Ross giving speeches. Charles DeVol was the main speaker. Before the new officers were installed, Laura Shook announced the awards winners. Mac Corlett, of Portland, received the cup as winner of the speech contest and Dianne Payne, of Cherry Grove, was the winner of the Scripture memorization contest. Meadows CE received a picture for the most clever table decorations at the banquet; Greenleaf Intermediate CE received a plaque for winning contest, and Maribeth McCracken won a trophy for outstanding Quarterly Meeting superintendent. A "past president's pin" was awarded to Cliff Ralphs.

## Treasurer's Report, 1951-52

Receipts . . . . .	\$2,561.42
Disbursements . . . . .	1,966.48
Cash on hand . . . . .	\$ 594.94

Gene Hockett, treasurer



MEADOWS.—The contest we had during the summer months ended August 3. The losing side gave the others an outdoor party August 11.

The young people from Meadows attended part of Yearly Meeting. Pat Nine, one of our group, entered the speech contest on Friday. We enjoyed decorating a table and were glad to win first place.

STAR.—New officers for the new year are as follows: President—Bradley McNichols, Vice-Pres.—Marilyn Lee, Sec. and Treas.—Margaret Berry. Committee chairmen were appointed and reporters for the Northwest Friend are Margaret Berry and Marilyn Lee.

About 15 members attended the Quarterly Meeting CE rally at Melba on August 1st.

Several of our young people attended the Yearly Meeting CE banquet at Greenleaf. They enjoyed the program very much and especially that provided by the Four Flats quartet. Our local CE meeting was dismissed to attend the Yearly Meeting CE on Sunday evening August 7.

## STOP . . LOOK . . LISTEN

Keep your CE reports coming! Remember, they must be in by the 20th of each month. Send them to Mrs. Gene Hockett (Betty Hockett), 4220 Jennings Ave., Portland 22, Oregon.

It's time to start planning to attend mid-winter CE convention! Plans are underway already, so plan to be there. You will enjoy it!!



## For Juniors Only!!

Hi, Juniors!! Have you had a good vacation? I hope you had a special service for reports from the camps your members attended.

It's time to begin a new year's work. Our new charts are ready. This year we are working on the same chart as the young people. However, before long there will be a special bulletin out for you with some special points in it. Be sure to figure out what your pledge will be and send the amount to the treasurer.

This would be a good time to have a "Back to school" lesson or social.

Let's learn a verse: "Whatsoever He saith unto you, do it." John 2:5.

BE YE DOERS!!!

## Laura's Diary

June 27.—This evening I arrived in Medford from Boise. I came with the intention of being on hand for camp Monday morning, but I find that camp will not start until Wednesday because of rainy weather. That's o.k. with me. It will give me more time to get prepared for classes I'm to have at other camps.

July 2-6.—Camp Sa-wa-li-nais. I truly did enjoy the camp. I didn't have any classes, so I was free to act like a camper and that's just what I did. Living out in the open is a real treat, even though you do have to search your bed each night for such items as dead frogs and fish heads!

July 7.—This morning 6 people, 6 sleeping bags, and about 10 suitcases (not to mention kleenex, cameras and other small items), packed themselves into Dean Gregory's "Chevey," and away we went to Quaker Hill. We did arrive! After knocking on the wrong cabin door I found the deans. We were each given a place to sleep through the remainder of the night.

July 8-13.—This week was Quaker Hill conference, and of course it's wonderful to me, because it's home. We did have an excellent camp. I taught a CE class, the best I've had so far.

July 14.—This a. m. all but one of us again packed ourselves into Dean's car. We left Quaker Hill and took a leisurely trip around the lake, which included a short boat ride up the river in Antrim's boat, piloted by Dick Cadd and Dean Campbell.

We arrived in Ontario in the late afternoon. We had a delicious dinner at Cora Gregory's, also, comfortable beds for the night.

July 15.—This a. m. we started on to Portland via Bend. There we left part of our cargo; namely, Rosemarie Hansen and Pat Schroeder.

This is my last trip with Dean Gregory, for which his son Ronnie is no doubt thankful. He's had a hard time getting used to the fact that I have four suitcases!

July 18.—About noon we were on our way from Portland to Wauna Mer in Harlow Ankeny's Ford. Fellow passengers were Lloyd Taylor, Roy Puckett, Walter Lee and Harlow.

We got as far as Vancouver when we had to have the car worked on; thus we failed to arrive at camp in time for the evening service.

July 19-25.—These days I've been at Wauna Mer youth conference. A most enjoyable week. It was a bit chilly part of the time, but mostly nice and filled with fellowship, inspiration and adventure. Most of the latter came from staying in the girls dorm!

We returned to Portland after the closing service Friday night. We arrived there about 3:30 a. m.

July 26.—The Gregory's left their door unlocked for me last night, then found out this morning there had been a prowler next door. What do you suppose would have happened if I had met him coming out!!!

July 27.—Today I attended services with the Gregorays. In the morning at Lents and Newberg in the evening.

July 28.—This morning I did my washing in Mrs. Harlan Jones' automatic washer. Also some ironing, mimeographing and other office work, and then to Twin Rocks with Harlow and Gertrude Ankeny.

July 29-August 3.—This week was spent out here on the coast at Twin Rocks conference. The weather was quite cool most of the week, but reports of heat in the valley kept coming, so we didn't mind.

Fred Baker was the evangelist, and all of his messages were refreshing and stirring.

Aug. 7.—This is a day I'll never forget. I experienced my first flight in a large airplane. Just think, one hour and twenty minutes from Portland to Boise! Next time I take the bus I'll really be impatient.

The summer has been full and interesting. Each camp could be a diary in itself, but we wouldn't want the Northwest Friend to go broke because of printing "Laura's Diary." So excuse me for being brief.

"Kind words are the music of the world" (F. W. Faber).—but, "A small unkindness is a great offence" (Hannah Moore).

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# AMONG THE CHURCHES

## Puget Sound Quarterly Meeting

MCKINLEY AVENUE  
William Murphy, pastor

We have had a busy, and profitable summer. God has blessed us.

June 19th, the Philadelphian SS class had a picnic at the Howard Harmon home, with about thirty present. After a bountiful meal the evening was spent in playing games, and seeing some comic films.

Conference at Wauna Mer was well attended, and most of our young folk were there. Several of our adults were workers—Myrtle Russell, Betty Byrd, and Howard Harmon, as teachers, and Maude Harmon as cook. Walter Lee's messages were inspiring to all.

Bethlin and Howard Harmon are the advisors for the CE. The CE is planning a dinner for the evening of the 25th of August. They are busy with their plans for an interesting evening. Judy Murphy is chairman of the food committee, Philip Harmon of the decorating, and Naoma Martin and Dick Jones are in charge of the program.

The young folk are meeting each Monday night for a prayer meeting. They also have a singspiration once a month after church, and then go to the parsonage for refreshments.

August 2nd was our SS picnic at Point Defiance Park. There was an abundance of food. Myrtle Byrd won the prize for the best cake, and Jenny Martin for the salad. A baseball game in the morning, planned by the sports committee headed by Beth Harmon and including Paul Martin, Chester Janson, James Barry, was thoroughly enjoyed. The well planned games of the afternoon kept every one busy. The ladies with their shoe race, and husband-calling contest amazed even themselves. The ice cream cones and candy bars helped make the picnic a success. The Philadelphian SS class had their evening meal at the park, and after a baseball game went to the home of Howard and Henrietta Harmon for the rest of the evening.

Beth Harmon's class of 5th grade girls painted their class-room, and are now in the midst of a contest.

Our SS has decided to enter the Christian Life contest.

We have been glad to have Jim Liedke at home for the summer from George Fox College. Betty Byrd too has been at home from Kings Garden school in Seattle where she is a teacher. She has helped us in many ways, as teacher, and with junior church. We will be sorry to have them leave.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Oksnes and family, of Cheyenne, Wyoming, were here for a visit with her parents and sisters, Mr. and Mrs. L. Byrd, and Betty and Mona Warner.

Bethlin and Howard Harmon welcomed her parents, the Frank Judds of Portland, who spent a few days with them.

Florence and James Simpson spent their vacation at Wauna, Wash.

AGNEW  
Harold Ankeny, pastor

The past two months have been very busy months. In July we began a Sunday school contest with Quilcene. This has proven to be an inspiration to us as we placed fourth in the Puget Sound contest, "Slap the Summer Slump."

Our pastor was the camp counsellor at junior camp at Wauna Mer. Gloria Miller attended junior camp, as well as Ryllis Mullen, who taught one of the classes. In the young people's camp we had no one who could be there all of the camp period. However, Milton Lynch took Dorothy and Jimmy Sampair down on one week-end and then once later in the week. Herb Kell, who is going to school at the Bremerton navy yard, also attended the evening services. God helped our young people because of the influence of this camp.

We have been very busy with various things. Yearly Meeting attendance was being planned in previous months, and we are glad to report that we had five of our people there. Marion and Evangeline Cook, Ryllis Mullen and our pastor and his family. Marion was honored on Sunday evening

of Yearly Meeting for his service to the Lord in the Yearly Meeting, and also said a few words regarding the first Yearly Meeting held in Newberg, Oregon, in which he served as a caretaker. This was an inspiration to all who attended that night.

We feel that we are much better prepared to carry on here at Agnew, and we appreciate so much the prayers of all of you throughout the Yearly Meeting who pray daily for us. May you through God see your prayers answered this year. God give us power!!!

The rest of August found us praying and attending the Discovery Bay camp meeting sponsored by the Clallam-Jefferson County Holiness Association. Mahlon Macy was one of the evangelists. Although as we write this the camp has not started, we expect God to richly bless our souls, and through the efforts of this camp bring many to Him in salvation and sanctification. God grant it!!!

BETHANY  
Ethel Cowgill, pastor

The summer is almost over, and the harvest is ripe. Workers are needed today. The 15th Psalm is a challenge to the churches. "Who shall abide," and so on through the Psalm.

Our Summer Slump did not come, as our SS kept up our average of 22.

Our pastor, Miss Cowgill, our superintendent and wife, Raynor and Lucile Heacock, went to Yearly Meeting, along with Marion and Evangeline Cook, of Agnew.

Isabelle Hendricks went with Esther and Alden White to the Conconnully camp meeting. They report many at the altar, and spiritual harmony was the best ever.

Mrs. Myrtle Bowden and husband spent a week-end at Vancouver, B.C. recently.

Roy and Helen Green spent a week-end in Portland not long ago.

A number of people are planning to attend the wedding of Lois White and Evan Jones, to be at the Piedmont Friends church in Portland August 23.

EVERETT  
John Frazier, pastor

At our June 4th WMU meeting, an installation service was conducted for the newly elected officers, and words of appreciation expressed for the outgoing officers. A plaque in loving remembrance for her splendid work was presented to the retiring president, Mrs. Pearl Tyner. Mrs. Irma Davis was welcomed as the new president who will lead the WMU forward this coming year.

Later in June a WMU meeting and workday was enjoyed at the home of Mrs. McClurg of Snohomish. Clothing for our Bolivian babies was made, and also used garments were made wearable for young children in Bolivia.

July 3rd through 6th, a splendid family conference at Quaker Cove was enjoyed, with eleven from Everett attending during the conference, and others visiting for the Sunday. Mrs. Cora Gregory was the main speaker; Ethelyn Shattuck and Will Murphy, teachers; and Dick Hendricks, recreational leader, assisted by Jack Tesberg and Erick Palmer. Deep appreciation was expressed for the fine work and planning of Lenna Sand, general chairman of the conference, who was unavoidably unable to attend.

About 70 children and adults attended the annual SS picnic at Forrest Park this summer. A bountiful picnic dinner was served, and free ice cream cones given out. Justin Sand and Gerald Pierce kept the children delighted with games in the afternoon.

The junior boys SS class was treated to an overnight outing by their teacher, Chet Tesberg. Mrs. Tyner's junior high girls enjoyed a swimming party and picnic at Lake Goodwin.

A picnic supper sponsored by the church choir at the home of William Philpott was thoroughly enjoyed. Irma Davis and Dorothy Roberts arranged for entertainment.

The Fraziers visited his sons and daughters in Bellingham and Tacoma during their vacation week, after which John Frazier drove to Yearly Meeting, taking several passengers from other churches with him.

The Ministry and Oversight body with Inez Warvel, acting chairman, arranged for the two Sunday services during the pastor's absence. Our lay members, Flora Jones as speaker, Lily Leakey and Alma Kines took charge of the service August 10th; and on August 17th, Ezra Knapp, lay minister, Inez Warvel, and Irma Davis, supplied the pulpit. The evident blessing of the Lord rested on both services and on the messages.

The minister is looking forward to a good year with the Everett church to which he was called for another year, and is praying for God's guidance and blessing. Cora Gregory is called to hold a revival meeting the first part of October.

Our new SS superintendent, Ida Harvey, and the Christian Education committee, are already formulating plans for the betterment of the SS and upbuilding of our Christian youth this coming year.

The average attendance of our SS last year was 76, and excluding summer months, 82. We thank the Lord for the steady increased attendance.

SPOKANE  
A. Clark Smith, pastor

The summer months have been busy ones at Spokane.

The DVBS was held following the close of school. A. Clark Smith, pastor, directed the work, assisted by 14 capable, and willing teachers and helpers. The 70 boys and girls enrolled thoroughly enjoyed their work, and the consistent attendance gave evidence of that fact. On Friday evening, June 20, the closing program was presented to a full house. Ladies of the congregation served refreshments to the many parents present following the service.

Six young people and the pastor enjoyed Wauna Mer conference. The week spent at camp was beneficial to the whole CE group.

At the close of the church year the annual reports showed definite progress. The average attendance for the SS was nearly doubled. The report of one year ago was 31 and for this year 59 1/2. At the same time 29 were recognized for perfect attendance for the year.

A guest speaker at the DVBS was Miss Edla Magney, parish worker for Grace Lutheran Church. Miss Magney had visited her brother, missionary to Africa for many years, this past winter and spring. She told the children and teachers many interesting facts about Africa, and especially about the mission schools. Those present thoroughly enjoyed her message.

Since our last report four men representing the Puget Sound Brotherhood were present on Sunday and had charge of the morning worship service. Their messages and special music brought blessing and challenge to all in attendance.

Also Robert and Eileen Nordyke, with their family, visited the meeting one Sunday. Robert Nordyke's message in song was a blessing to the service.

Clark and Elizabeth Smith, Lois Kooistra and Mildred Brown attended Yearly Meeting at Greenleaf from Spokane. All report a most interesting and inspiring session.

SEATTLE MEMORIAL  
Milo C. Ross, pastor

Helen Ross returned home from Vancouver, B.C., on Saturday, August 9. She is continuing to recuperate from a serious operation and shows gradual improvement. Prayers have been offered from all over the Quarterly Meeting on her behalf.

On the week-end of Quaker Cove conference the only regular service held was SS as most of the members were at conference. SS was well attended by neighborhood children and those unable to go to conference.

A new plan was inaugurated this year by our pastor to close the old fiscal year and begin the new one. On July 30 the regular monthly meeting was made into an annual meeting preceded by a fellowship dinner in the church basement. All annual reports were assembled into an attractive year-book, and each member present was given a copy. The clerk of the past year, Ernest Hadlock, presided during the first half of the meeting as these reports were read and approved. Then he turned the meeting to the new clerk, Wendell Woodward, who introduced the new officers and committee chairmen, and called for brief forecasts of the

coming year's plan from each chairman. The annual meeting was very well received and will probably be repeated.

The Women's Missionary and Aid society met at the home of Mrs. John Neumann on Wednesday, August 6, for a delicious luncheon, followed by the regular program and business meeting.

As our pastor, Milo Ross, was away attending Yearly Meeting on Sunday, August 17, Paul Seese, one of our members, ably brought the morning message on the subject, "What Do I Need To Do?" In the evening service a temperance film, "Public Enemy No. 1," was shown.

Those attending all or part of Yearly Meeting from here were Milo Ross, Larry Ross, Nancy Ross, Jo Hendricks, Virginia Peters, and Wendell Woodward.

Our pastor has begun a series of messages on "The Problem of Pain," which are bringing new thought on this subject and proving very worthwhile.

On August 14, the hostess-chairman Lillian Neumann, the program chairman Clara Neale, and the devotions chairman Vera York, of the Women's Missionary and Aid society, met at the home of the president Esther Woodward, for luncheon and to plan the meetings for the coming year. Much was accomplished and the women look forward to a year of progress.

The Wendell Woodwards greatly enjoyed brief visits with Ethelyn Shattuck, as she stayed in their home on her way to and from Quaker Cove conference.

The church has just received a large automatic water heater, the gift of Watt and Doris Fallis. This fine new heater will add materially to the convenience of the church and is deeply appreciated.

## HOLLY PARK

These last two months there have been several events, including our Sunday school picnic, which was held at Seward Park on Friday, August 8. Over 40 were present and all had an enjoyable time. As a side attraction we had the Seafair boat races which seemed to take up most of the college-age group's time. The younger group enjoyed splashing and playing on the swings.

Also the WMU had a picnic that week and seemed to have a very good time.

The group which attended Wauna Mer conference received a spiritual blessing. This included Willis Fritschle and his children Mitchell, Michael and Nora; Linda Kessner and Mary Bowden. These attended the whole week. Mr. and Mrs. Stephens and their son, Ernest, visited the grounds on Sunday afternoon. The meetings were a great blessing to all of us and it was good to see people we haven't seen for ages. We all had an enjoyable time.

The following week-end brought us face to face with Quarterly Meeting, which was held at Entiat. The CE executive committee held their installation August 1, and one of our group, Linda Kessner, was installed as secretary. She is also secretary of Sunday school here at Holly Park.

Hector Munn, from Quilcene, who has been attending our church, has been called into the army, and is at Ft. Lawton for a few weeks. We are praying that the Lord will be with him while he is absent from our group.

We have missed Mattie Stephens as she has been in Idaho attending Yearly Meeting.

One of our young people, Mary Bowden, is leaving in a few weeks for George Fox College.

Willis Fritschle has moved out to Kings' Garden with his family and is making his permanent living quarters there on the grounds.

HAYDEN LAKE  
Derrol Hockett, pastor

July 4 brought several families out to a picnic along Hayden Creek. The men fished, and several trout were caught, while the children played in the creek and the women just sat around and talked. There were 17 at the picnic. It was a nice sunny day, so everyone enjoyed themselves with the exception of Rickie Raml, who lost a shoe in the creek. It was soon recovered by his father, Pat Raml.

In the absence of our pastor we had the privilege of hearing William Thomas of Spokane preach. It was a challenging message aimed at each one of us. We had the Gideons of Coeur d'Alene speak July 20.

Four of our girls went to Wauna Mer conference.



Our contest is still going on, and we have increased our enrollment to 32, over the 30 we had in January. There is a challenge here to get new ones into the church. The field is large and we do need prayers for this work. There is an increasing interest in the church but there are problems too. We do appreciate the prayers that have gone up and are going up for this work.

### Greenleaf Quarterly Meeting

CALDWELL

David Fendall, pastor

Several of our boys and girls and young people attended the summer conferences at Quaker Hill. They came home and gave very interesting reports, and also some gave testimonies of receiving definite help spiritually. Their reports and testimonies were a great blessing to all present.

On July 7 Ronald Crecelius had charge of our evening service. We appreciated having him with us, and his message on victorious living was very inspiring. Several of our young people found help at the altar at the close of the service.

The WMU held their July meeting in the park. The change was nice, and all who attended enjoyed every phase of the meeting. Nine of our women attended the women's missionary banquet at Yearly Meeting.

One evening last month the men of our church met to have work-night, and clean the church yard. We appreciated the help and cooperation of each one.

In spite of summer vacations we have been very pleased at the way our church attendance has held up this summer. We have averaged 60 during the month of July.

Riverside and Caldwell met recently at Caldwell for a game of softball. The score was 12 to 9 in favor of Riverside. Both teams enjoyed the time of fun and fellowship together.

Many of our people had the privilege of attending Yearly Meeting at Greenleaf this year.

HOMEDALE

Clare Willcuts, pastor

The regular meeting of the WMU was held at the home of Bessie Barnes on July 27 with Norene Arnold co-hostess. Officers for the new year were elected. They are: president, Lois Beeson; vice president, Mildred Kellom; secretary, Norene Arnold; treasurer, Bessie Barnes; devotions chr., Meta Rice; program chr., Edna Willcuts; work chr., Nellie Murphy; and prayer meeting chr., Elizabeth Pruitt.

Our pastors returned home from their vacation to Texas, Oklahoma and Kansas on July 3. Oral Tish, of Greenleaf, filled in during their absence.

Those attending young peoples camp from our church were Mardee Henderson and Sylvia Herman. Ralph Beebe, Russel Caldwell, Clare and Larry Willcuts spent several days there also.

Clayton Barnes was a counselor for boys camp. We are sorry to have to report that none of our boys attended.

The girls attending girls camp are: Raelene Barnes, Mary Ann Brown, Lois and Barbara Macy, Judy Stephans, Janice Vanderhoff and Lois Willcuts.

Several families from our church attended the 4th of July celebration at Greenleaf.

Mrs. Ralph Spencer, retired school teacher from the Philippines and world traveler, spoke in our worship service July 29.

A study of the Friends discipline has been the subject for prayer meeting recently.

On Sunday, July 6, the SS met together in the sanctuary and promotion exercises were conducted.

The regular business meeting followed prayer meeting on Wednesday evening, July 9.

We were happy to have Mr. and Mrs. Richard Beebe, Eugene, Oregon, in our services July 6, also Marilyn Barnes and Florene Price who are working in Newberg and Portland.

Other out of town guests in our services recently were Captain and Mrs. Phillip Barnes and family, Kansas City, Kansas; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Barnes and family, Madras, Oregon; and Mrs. B. J. Moore, of Coeur d'Alene, Idaho.

Charlotte Macy, Greenleaf, was our guest minister Sunday evening, July 20.

We are glad to have Avadna Peterson, a student at Corvallis, Oregon, and Delores Eachus, a student at Eugene,

Oregon, home for the summer and in our services again.

The Lucy Wright Guild served dinner for the Kiwanis on Wednesday noon July 30, due to the illness of the operators of the Cone Cafe.

Many from our church were able to attend most of the sessions of Yearly Meeting and expressed their appreciation of having it close enough that we could go.

### Newberg Quarterly Meeting

SHERWOOD

Merrill Coffin, pastor

The Newberg Friends CE and our CE enjoyed a wonderful time at Elsners park. All had a very enjoyable time boating and swimming. Before going home we had a watermelon feed and a devotional time.

Our pastors, Merrill and Anna Coffin, visited the California Yearly Meeting and stayed at the home of their son, Eugene Coffin.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Todd went with the pastors on this trip to California and spent some time with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Richard S. Johnson, of Whittier, Calif.

The teachers and officers of the SS met recently for the first of their monthly meetings. Paul Mills was the guest speaker and gave a very inspiring message to the teachers.

The Burden Bearer class had a pot-luck supper on the lawn of the Huger St. Onge home. Anna Coffin was hostess and everyone had a most enjoyable time.

Cluade Pike spoke Sunday morning, July 26. He brought a very interesting story for the children and is planning to hold the DVBS for our church this year.

Several young people went to Twin Rocks conference for the week and had a wonderful time. Many others went just for the week end.

The men of the church have been working on the church each Monday evening. We are very pleased to see so much interest and progress in this undertaking.

A SS picnic was held at Elsners park. Every one had a wonderful time playing games, swimming, and boating.

Robert Sanders, from Puget Sound College of the Bible, gave a story for the children on Sunday, August 10.

The music committee has been sponsoring a singspiration each Sunday night for everyone who likes to sing or can play a musical instrument. Everyone has been enjoying a wonderful time. Refreshments are always served at the close of the evening.

SPRINGBROOK

Waldo Hicks, pastor

Our church has been represented at the three conferences held at Twin Rocks this year. Bruce Hicks, Arden Butler and Johnny Jones attended the boys' camp. Waldo Hicks also attended and helped in the supervision of the dormitory.

Those attending the girls' conference were Gloria Peters, Marjorie and Mary Lou Peck, Sonia Lang, Elmina Wells, Joyce Banner and Cynthia Langly. Edna Peck taught a class.

Lila Newby and Margaret Morgan helped in the class work at the young people's conference. Others attended for short periods. Lila Newby was accompanied by her father, Ray Newby. All report good meetings.

Lenore Collins, of Santa Monica, Calif., visited for a short time with her father, Asa Butler, and family.

Our pastor and family, Halcyon Mills and Stella Hubbard attended Oregon Yearly Meeting, held this year at Greenleaf, Idaho. It was a wonderful time of inspiration, challenge and fellowship in the Lord.

Randall Emry's father from Greenleaf, Idaho, visited his son and wife in Newberg recently.

Mrs. Hicks' mother, Mrs. J. P. Schaefer, from Cleveland, Ohio, has been a guest at the parsonage. While she was here the family made a short vacation trip to Victoria, B. C.

Recent visitors at the Asa Butler home were his cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Moore Gordon, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Clack. The Gordons have just completed twenty years of pastoral work in Canada, and the Clacks are from Alma, Michigan, where he is a mathematics professor. Mr. and Mrs. Hugh P. Andrews, Portland, Oreg., joined them on Sunday recounting experiences in China, where he met the Gordons and Clacks and their mother, when they were missionaries there.

### Portland Quarterly Meeting

FIRST FRIENDS (Portland)

Charles A. Beals, pastor

The summer months have slipped away, full of activities, with visitors and vacations sandwiched in between. DVBS closed with a lively interesting program in June. This was followed by the Multnomah County Holiness camp meeting, a time of rich blessing for all who attended. Next came boys' camp, then girls' camp, held at Twin Rocks. Several of our young people and married folks were leaders and helpers at these camps. Twin Rocks conference found a greater group at the ocean side. Many of our people attended Yearly Meeting in August, and so the summer draws to a close.

Death has claimed several of our older members since last we wrote. Adah Fanno, Norris Davis, and Lydia Gardner all went home to glory within two weeks of each other. Obituaries will be found under "Death Notices."

During the absence of our pastor for Twin Rocks, Yearly Meeting, and vacation, we have had various pulpit supplies. Alison Rogers had the services one Sunday, the Gideons presented their message, and Iola Steen had charge still another service. George Haehlen led a prayer meeting, giving a personal testimony for the Public Morals department. Myron James also led a prayer meeting.

We are glad to have Linden Cole home for the summer vacation from Harvard University. He attended an inter-variety training camp for personal work in Canada for several weeks before returning home.

Billy Hutchens has been confined in Providence Hospital for over two months with a blood disease. He is still ill. We remember his parents, grandparents and little Billy himself daily before the Lord that they may have strength and help through these trying days.

Marietta Cope is still confined to her bed. She is cheerful and happy in the Lord. Emmor Hall and George Carr are also bedfast, and their conditions are about the same. Alma Ellis is able to be up about the house but unable to go outside. Although their active days of service are over, these friends are still a blessing in our midst.

HILLSBORO

Frederick B. Baker, pastor

There comes a time in the life of every outpost when it suddenly seems to "grow up." That time has arrived at Hillsboro Friends church. It is something difficult to explain, but it is very apparent to an outpost worker when this spiritual phenomena takes place.

This growing up process may evidence itself in various ways. It may happen during the morning worship service, in the evening evangelistic service, or the mid-week meeting for Bible study and prayer. It may breakout like measles in a meeting on ministry and oversight, a SS council, a meeting of the finance committee or even in a meeting of the nominating committee.

This welcomed sign of "growing pains" took place in June of 1952 at Hillsboro at the home of Miller and Hazel Porter when the nominating committee met with the pastors of the church to suggest names for officers for the coming year. After a time of fervent prayer in which the very atmosphere seemed charged with a sense of God's presence, the committee proceeded, for the first time, to name a rather complete list of officers for the church year, 1952-1953.

This feeling of "coming of age" has hovered about the Hillsboro Friends congregation ever since it first became apparent. It seemed augmented in the first monthly meeting for the new church year in July. Elated over this intangible something, the pastor of the church felt impressed to speak along the lines of "The Church" during July. Messages were as follows: "When the Church Comes of Age;" "When the Church Cooperates with God and with man;" "When the Church Takes Time Out" and "When the Church Gets Salty."

July, the first month of the new church year, was a very full one. There was an installation of officers and teachers on the first Sunday for the SS. There was a "Fourth of July" work bee on the church property in getting ready for the church building program. Another work bee was held on a following Saturday. Growth and advance was sounded from the pulpit for every service.

The church took "time out" on Sunday, August 3, and

closed down for Twin Rocks conference inasmuch as the church is one of the nearest to the Twin Rocks conference grounds. Then, too, the pastor of the church was conference evangelist.

The building committee of the church, consisting of Clair Huff, chairman; Everett Hendricks, secretary; George Newell, treasurer; Otto Strohmayr, Edwin Steiger, and Frederick Baker met twice in August, making final plans so that the church building can get under way in September. On "Labor day" the church purposes to "swarm" in on the church grounds and clear away the remaining obstacles to start digging the basement. Thousands of feet of lumber must be moved, brick must be cleaned and hauled to a corner of the property and grass, weeds and a tree or two, must be removed.

High point in August seemed to be the Sunday following Yearly Meeting in the morning worship service when the pastor gave a glowing report of Oregon Yearly Meeting held August 14-19 at Greenleaf, Idaho. Milo Ross spoke Sunday morning at Yearly Meeting time on the theme, "Possess Thou the West," Deut. 33:23. This theme was used as a background text for bringing Yearly Meeting back to "the grass roots."

Hillsboro Friends church enters the third month of the new church year thankful to have a part in "possessing the West," in the "Great Northwest" and in "Bolivia, South America."

PIEDMONT

Mahlon Macy, pastor

Esther White has been supplying with some heart-searching messages while our pastor is vacationing during the month of July.

Mrs. Inez Perry is visiting her two aunts in Helsingfors, Finland.

The Edmundson's are home again after their sight-seeing tour through some of the eastern states.

Troy and Floretta Lamb and son, Sydney Jr., who have been visiting his parents, Sydney and Della, and brothers for the past month have decided to spend the winter in Portland.

On July 17th, Earl Barker, in his humble, right-to-the-point way, brought a very helpful message.

Our Quarterly Meeting theme question was, What is your goal, or purpose for the year ahead? Our purpose here at Piedmont is to be like Gideon's army (Judges 7:21), "And they stood every man in his place round about the camp." If we do this, Christ will be honored, and souls will be won. On Sunday, August 3rd, our pulpit was supplied both morning and evening by Terrill Repp.

Our pastor, Herald Mickelson, and son Freddie, are home from their vacation, looking refreshed, and report a very pleasant and profitable time.

Arvilla and daughter Louise, spent their vacation part time in the work at Rose Valley, then in a trip to California.

Earnest petition was made at our Wednesday evening prayer meeting in behalf of the sick folks of Piedmont, and for our DVBS.

About 50% of our people attended Twin Rocks conference Sunday August 3rd.

July 28th Dell Lamb entered Good Samaritan Hospital, then on the 29th underwent a severe operation. And again on August 5th another operation. At present he seems to be slowly recovering.

On Sunday, August 17th our pastor being in attendance at Yearly Meeting, our pulpit was supplied at 11:00 a.m. by Martin Radcliff, and in the evening by George Palmer.

LENTS

Jack Willcuts, pastor

Several boys and girls from Lents Friends attended the camps this summer at Twin Rocks. Others helped out as leaders and all report a wonderful time.

James Raymond filled the pulpit on August 3, as our pastor was at Twin Rocks conference.

Over 100 people attended the annual SS picnic held at Hatten Beach on the Clackamas River August 9. Everyone enjoyed the games, food and fellowship.

Fourteen adults and nine children from our church attended Yearly Meeting at Greenleaf, Idaho, and came home with enthusiastic reports of every session.

Lucy Clark Anderson brought the messages on Yearly Meeting Sunday while the pastor was away.



The church auditorium has taken on a new look during the summer. A mothers room and a narthex have been added which are very nice.

A farewell was given after prayer meeting one Wednesday for our assistant pastor, Ronald Cecelius and family, as they are leaving us to take the pastorate at Forest Home. Our prayers go with Ronald and Divonna as they enter into the work to which God has called them.

Robert Geyer, missionary to Bolivia under NHMS, spoke to us on a recent Sunday evening. His message and pictures were challenging and interesting.

After a summer of rest, the Sky Pilots, our boys' club, began their fall program with an over-night outing on the Sandy River.

#### CHERRY GROVE

Irwin P. Alger, pastor

Our new SS bus is a great improvement over the old one, and holds 40 to 50 children. While some indebtedness was assumed, part was earned during strawberry season transporting children to and from the fields.

#### FIRST FRIENDS (Vancouver)

Roy P. Clark, pastor

Pulpit guests during the summer have included Clem Brown of Newberg, Ludlow Corbin of Portland, Jack Hagelganz of Vancouver, and Scott and Grace Clark of Newberg. Their ministry has been a great blessing to the church.

Our pastor has been busy in Yearly Meeting activities during the summer, as counsellor at the boys' camp, song leader at Twin Rocks conference, and attendant at Yearly Meeting. He used his vacation period to hold a camp meeting at Haviland, Kansas, the first of September.

It seems so good to have Frances Walters back attending church after six months of illness.

Our church was well represented at Twin Rocks conference, as a total of 50 people from 15 families were in attendance on Sunday. We are glad to see our people take an active interest in their camp.

The fall program of the church includes a city-wide youth week sponsored by Youth for Christ, our participation in the Christian Life Sunday school contest, and a scheduled revival with Earl Geil. We are praying for and expecting a real outreach for souls here in the community.

#### PARKROSE

Dillon Mills, pastor

New officers in the WMU were elected at the Union's annual family picnic in June. Carroll Hannah is president; Doris Pressnall, secretary-treasurer; Fern Mills, vice-president; Pearl Pruitt, program chairman; and Lillian Bartol, work chairman.

John Reed was named president of the local organization of the Brotherhood, at a meeting held August 20.

Eight boys from this church attended Twin Rocks boys' camp; two girls went to girls' camp; a number of families were in attendance and took places of leadership at the young people's conference. Two families were able to attend Yearly Meeting.

Dillon and Fern Mills, pastors, left August 23 for a two weeks' vacation.

#### OAK PARK (Camas)

Earl Geil, pastor

We are entering a new church year and are looking forward to be of greater service for our Master. With humble and grateful hearts we recognize the many blessings that have come to us, not only in a material and physical way, but likewise in a spiritual growth.

More reverence in God's house, a hunger for deeper knowledge of His Word, and a desire for a closer walk with Him is very evident.

About eight boys and girls attended the camps at Twin Rocks, and about twenty adults were present at one or more meetings of the conference.

Reports on various classes and activities at Twin Rocks were given in SS by some of the group who had attended. Several of the young people with whom the Lord had been dealing made their decision for Christ.

A very delightful day was spent on Saturday, August 9th when about 80 people motored to Lewis Park for the annual SS picnic. Games for both young and old, swimming, a bounteous potluck dinner, and treats of ice cream and soft drinks were high lights of the day.

Our attendance during the summer months has kept up fairly well. While some members were absent on vacation trips, visitors from other churches worshipped with us.

Dorothy Barratt, who grew up with us, and is now serving a pastorate in Iowa, delivered a splendid message while home for a visit.

Lola Alder, one of the teachers in the primary department, is a patient at the Memorial Hospital.

#### Salem Quarterly Meeting

SOUTH SALEM

Frank Haskins, pastor

A number of boys and girls from our meeting attended this year's camp, and they reported a wonderful time, and a spiritual blessing was received by each one.

Several of the church families attended the week of conference—43 from our meeting attended on Sunday. We thank the Lord for this time of refreshing in spiritual things.

The July WMU met at the home of Myrtle Patton. Edna Williams and Geraldine Willcuts were guests. Geraldine gave an inspiring missionary talk. At this meeting new officers were installed.

The latter part of July Frank and Lois Haskins and children spent two weeks vacation with Lois' relatives in Long Beach, Calif.

We are very grateful for the faithful and earnest work of our pastors this past year, and the stirring messages from God's Word. We were happy to have Frank and Lois accept a three-years' call to serve as our pastors.

We are happy to have James Bishop and family back after a five weeks trip to Ft. Collins, Colo. James was awarded a scholarship which gave him a three weeks course in Methods in 4-H club work at the Colorado A. and M. On their trip they visited with old acquaintances, relatives and one day at Yearly Meeting, also scenic places.

A group of our young people held an afternoon service at one of the bean yards near Stayton Sunday, August 17th.

We are sorry to be losing several of our members. Harold and Marion Mills and daughter Ruth are moving to Seattle, where Harold will be teaching in the Kings Garden school. Ed and Dorothy Calahan have moved to Denair, Calif., to help on his brother's farm.

Hazel Lowe Whitte will be moving to her new home in Cottage Grove, Oregon.

Carol Stark will be living in Vancouver, Wash., this winter.

Frank Haskins, Homer and Mae Nordyke, Bob and Eilene Nordyke and children, attended Yearly Meeting.

Our prayers and sympathies go to our pastor and family in the loss of his father.

#### HIGHLAND AVENUE

Paul Barnett, pastor

In June the WMU met at the home of Dora Howard at which time the following officers were elected: Deva Armstrong, president; Erma DeLapp, secretary and treasurer; Geneva Biles, chairman of the program committee; and Ethel Griffith, chairman of the work committee. Nina DeLapp brought a very fine and helpful devotion about the Christian home and the wife's influence in the home. In July the WMU and their families had a picnic supper at the home of Wilson and Geneva Biles.

July 17th twenty-two parents and children enjoyed a picnic supper in the cool of the evening in the parsonage yard when the Homebuilders met. The key thought in the devotional message of Donna Randolph was that peace is found within your own heart in relationship to Christ, and not in your surroundings or possessions.

The week-end of August 10th Highland Avenue Friends church was the host church for Salem Quarterly Meeting. Saturday morning Frank Haskins, pastor of South Salem church, brought a thoughtful message on the subject of "Misplaced Fears," mentioning how useless and wrong are fears of men and fears concerning our future economic state,

and how we often forget how important it is that we do fear God and fear to quench the Spirit of God. The entertainment committee of the church served a delicious dinner to everyone in the basement.

Tuesday evening, August 5th, a group of friends and well-wishers gathered in the church basement to honor Diane Schaefer and Wesley DeLapp who were married Sunday afternoon, August 10th. Leona Lyda and Donna Randolph directed in the playing of a few games, after which Wesley and Diane opened their gifts and expressed words of appreciation. Before the refreshments Elmer Smith played several numbers on his mouth organ, which were enjoyed by all, and Clifton Ross extended to the young couple every good wish of the church and led in prayer.

Edward and Lois Harmon and daughters plan to leave September 1st for Ashland, Oregon, where they will live and begin a new Sunday school and church. Paul Barnett assumes the pastorate of the Highland church September 1st, and we say, "God bless him as he comes."

#### SCOTTS MILLS

Evert Tuning, pastor

Mary Myers Brougher, from Ketchikan, Alaska, and Irene Imel Livingston and family from near Poughkeepsie, N. Y., were visitors on June 29th. Mary and Irene were once our Sunday school girls. We were happy to find them interested in spiritual things.

Esther Coulson Bakker and family visited relatives here the last of June, spending one day at the beach in company with Worth and Nellie Coulson and Ethel Cox.

The presence of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Pressnall, from Portland, and Miss Audrey Comfort, was appreciated in a recent Sunday morning service.

The following group, relatives of Virena Tuning, were welcome visitors in our Sunday morning service on July 24th: Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Rinard, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Rinard, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur French, and their families, from Eugene. Mr. and Mrs. Granger Longstroth and family, from Nampa, Idaho, stayed over until Tuesday evening.

Alden and Esther White were also welcome visitors. Lloyd Mulkey and Larry Newton attended the Twin Rocks conference. A large number of our folks went for the Sunday services.

Phyllis and Elma Jean McCracken and Doris Tuning went to girls camp.

We were happy indeed to have Harold Magee home for a few days around the first of August. He is in the navy and expects to be shipped out very soon. Our prayers go with him.

It was a pleasure to have Lloyd and Florence Taylor with us August 3rd.

James and Olga Curnutt, who have been confined at home for many months, are now able to meet with us occasionally.

Barbara Thomas, Allen's step-daughter, is staying in the home of Will Magee and assisting in the bean harvest. We so appreciate her interest and help in our church services.

Word has just reached us of the sudden passing of Fred Haskins, Frank's father. Our love and sympathy go to the family.

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Our pastor has been blest in bringing messages suited to the needs of the congregation. The interest and attendance is increasing, we had a record attendance at our last prayer meeting. Our orchestra adds much to the music in our services. For all of these things we give thanks! God is so good to us.

#### MEDFORD

Clynton Crisman, pastor

We are happy that our SS now has a beautiful new slide projector, earned by the dime card project. Many of the small children helped in this.

Rose Marie Hansen and Pat Schroeder attended Quaker Hill conference as delegates from Camp Sawalainais. They report a wonderful time.

Dr. and Mrs. Wayne Roberts and small daughter, Andrea, have moved to Central Point from St. Louis, Mo. We welcome them into our services.

The Orrin Ogier family have also moved into our community and are helping in the church. He has had charge of services while our pastors attended Yearly Meeting.

It has been a pleasure to have Priscilla Doble, Gay Foley, and Margaret Dickson taking part in our services while they attended summer school at Southern Oregon College of Education in Ashland.

Those attending Yearly Meeting were the Deane Roberts, Dr. Alvin Roberts, and Clynton Crissman families. All have commented on the fine spirit in the sessions and how much they were enjoyed.

#### MARION

Gordon St. George, pastor

Nine boys attended boys camp from here. Our pastor accompanied the boys. Three girls went to girls camp.

Outside speakers for the last two months have been the Gideons, who were here for a Sunday morning service, and a group of young people under the direction of Roger Smith. Several of our group attended Quarterly Meeting.

The George Wilkinson home burned down the afternoon of July 8. A shower was given for them that evening. Our pastors are attending Yearly Meeting.

#### Boise Valley Quarterly Meeting

#### NAMPA

J. Harley Adams, pastor

Bible school was held this year August 4th through 8th. A train theme was carried out throughout the school, and the boys and girls who proved themselves good travelers were taken for a real train ride from Caldwell to Nampa.

We are still meeting in the KFXD auditorium for church services, but plan to be in our new building by October.

This summer the church has sponsored both a men's softball team and a women's team. These teams played in the city-sponsored church league.

There have been two showers this month (August). The first was in honor of Wilma Roberts. The other for Phyllis and Boyd, the adopted children of Wayne and Eleanor Antrim.

Paul Mills, a former pastor of our Nampa church, was guest speaker Sunday morning, August 17. Ed Harmon, our first pastor, was also present for this service.

#### MEADOWS

George Smith, pastor

We wish to thank the Boise Valley Quarterly Meeting and Melba Monthly Meeting for the financial aid they have given us toward the purchase of the church building from the Methodist conference. As funds continue to come in we hope to do some badly needed repair work on the porch and the foundation of the building, as well as a coat of paint on the outside. The interior is being redecorated at present.

Mrs. Marie Wilson has been taken in as a member.

Several of our young people attended the meetings at Quaker Hill. Among them were: George and Eleanor Smith, Patty and Gordon Nine, Patty and Betty Rumiser, Barbara Cole and Wayne Taknen. Also Louie and Jerry Flowers, who have recently moved to New Plymouth, Idaho.



Those attending the Women's Yearly Meeting banquet at Greenleaf were: Eleanor Smith, Kathleen Holmes and Geneva Brackett.

Mark Roberts and wife were with us one Sunday. He gave the morning message, which greatly inspired us to become more missionary minded.

Our annual SS picnic was held on the evening of August 22 among the pine trees near the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Holmes.

We are looking forward to a gracious revival from our Lord. We do not have an evangelist spoken for, but know the Lord will lay the burden on some one's heart for Meadows Valley and direct them our way. He is a prayer-answering God.

#### BOISE

Russel Stands, pastor

Our parsonage is being remodeled and redecorated in preparation for our new pastor, Russel Stands, and family.

The WMU held the August meeting in the park, with Ruby Newby and Letha Dillon as hostesses.

We are glad to have Rose Mary Couch in the services. She is staying with her sister, Mrs. Donald Moore. John and Wilma Gulley and family visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Gulley, recently.

Gordon and Colleen St. George and boys visited friends and relatives here during the week of August 10-17.

Dr. and Mrs. Wayne Roberts visited his mother, Alice Roberts, in July. They were on their way to Central Point, Oregon, where they are to make their home.

Deane and Ardys Roberts and family also visited Mrs. Roberts in August. Deane is teaching at Gold Hill, Oregon.

Several of our ladies attended the missionary banquet at Greenleaf August 13. They reported a very good banquet and a large attendance.

*I am not ashamed of the gospel of Christ: for it is the power of God unto salvation, to every one that believeth.—Romans 1:16.*

#### KLAMATH INDIAN RESERVATION (Concluded from page 15.)

severe handicap. And through many tears, heart-aches, wakeful nights, and disappointments, has had to work its way back again into the confidence of the Indian people—that confidence which they had, dating back to the beginning of Friends work at the Quapaw Agency in Oklahoma.

Because "white men" have exploited the Indians on every hand, it has taken many years of prayerful ground-work and much sacrifice on the part of the workers to bring the Indians to the place where they will be willing to accept the stewardship of the Gospel. I feel that because such a ground-work has been laid by the previous workers,

I have been able to present the challenge of stewardship to the Christians until they are willing to assume a share in the work.

During these two months the church people have bought enough wood to take care of the needs of the parsonage this winter. They have laid in enough hay to feed the cow, and have agreed to buy the grain for the cow. And they feel they can pay \$50.00 per month on the pastor's salary.

Our church and parsonage buildings are one of the best, if not the best on the reservation.

"Behold the Lord thy God hath set the land before thee; go up and possess it, as the Lord God of thy fathers hath said unto thee; fear not, neither be discouraged." Deut. 1:21.

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