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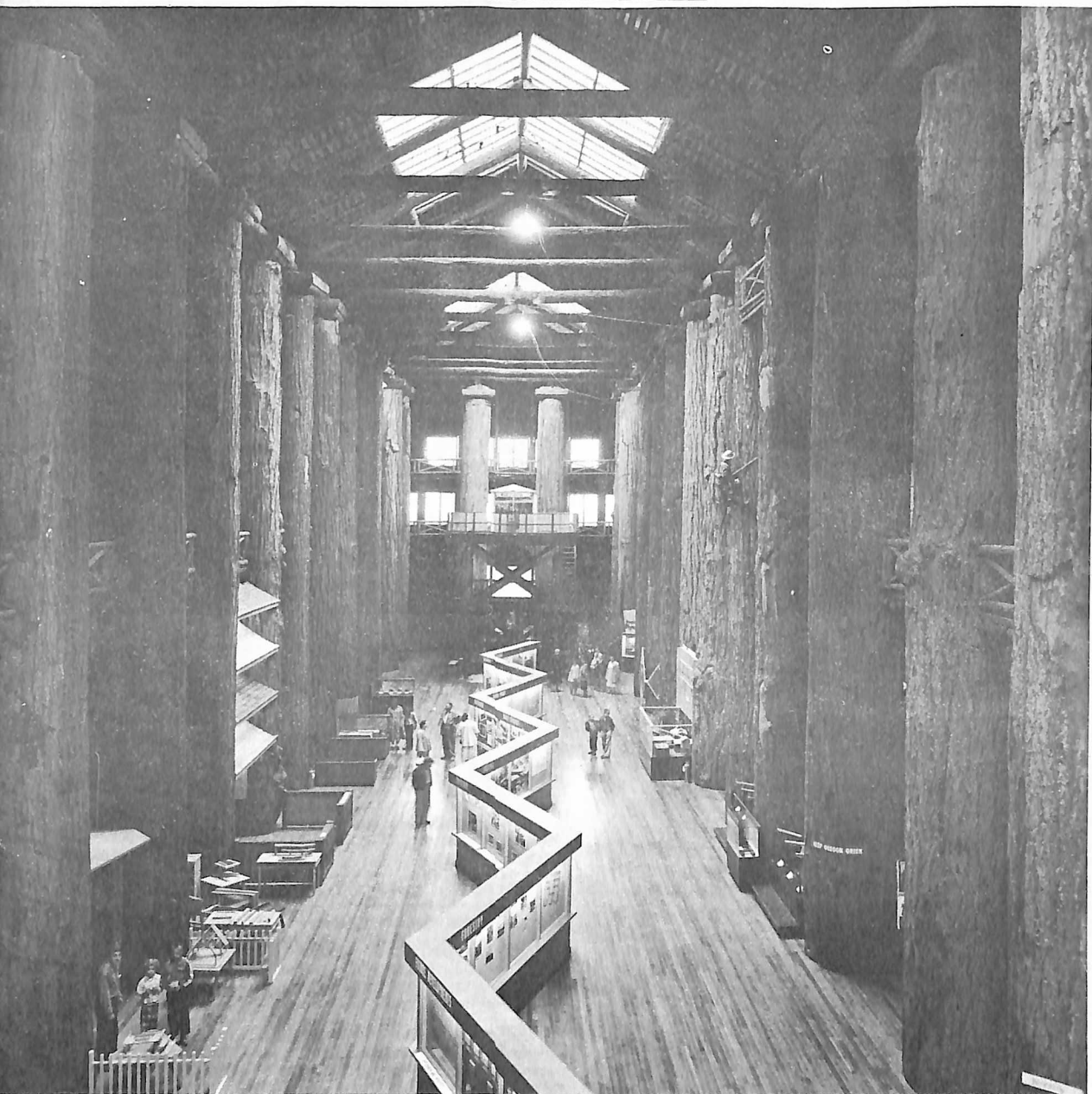
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FORESTRY BUILDING

This is the only building that remains of the World's Fair held in Portland in 1905. It has continued through the years to house a most unique forestry exhibit. Visitors to Portland would do well to pay it a visit. It is located on the hill across the street from Montgomery Ward.

PROGRAM FOR YEARLY MEETING

NEWBERG, OREGON
August 12-17, 1954

PRE-YEARLY MEETING EVENTS

TUESDAY - AUGUST 10

9:30 a.m. Executive Committee
1:00 p.m. Meeting of all Boards

WEDNESDAY - AUGUST 11

8:00 a.m. Continuation of board meetings
3:00 p.m. Ministry and Oversight
4:00 p.m. Executive Committee
6:30 p.m. W.M.U. banquet
—College dining hall
—Brotherhood banquet
—Newberg Methodist Church

Junior Yearly Meeting for all children three years old through the 8th grade, with age group divisions, each day 9:00 to 12:00 a.m., under the direction of Virginia Helm.

Yearly Meeting Program

THURSDAY - AUGUST 12

8:00 a.m. Morning Devotions
9:30 a.m. Opening session, Yearly Meeting
11:10 a.m. Announcements
11:20 a.m. Inspirational Message
—Merle A. Roe
1:00 p.m. Meeting of Representatives
Caretakers meet to organize
W.M.U. business meeting
2:00 p.m. Business
2:30 p.m. Board of Service
3:00 p.m. Announcements
Board Meetings
8:00 p.m. Evangelistic Service
—Merle A. Roe

FRIDAY - AUGUST 13

8:00 a.m. Morning Devotions
9:30 a.m. Business
10:00 a.m. Nat'l Ass'n of Evangelicals
10:20 a.m. Board of Christian Education
11:10 a.m. Announcements
11:20 a.m. Inspirational Message
—Merle A. Roe
2:00 p.m. Business
2:30 p.m. Report of General Superintendent
3:00 p.m. Friends Brotherhood
3:25 p.m. Women's Missionary Union
3:50 p.m. Announcements
7:30 p.m. George Fox College Corporation
8:00 p.m. Evangelistic Service
—Merle A. Roe

SATURDAY - AUGUST 14

8:00 a.m. Morning Devotions
9:30 a.m. Business
10:00 a.m. Western Evangelical Seminary

10:20 a.m. Board of Public Relations
11:10 a.m. Announcements
11:20 a.m. Inspirational Message
—Merle A. Roe
2:00 p.m. Business
2:30 p.m. Greenleaf Academy report
Report of George Fox College
3:20 p.m. Announcements
3:30 p.m. Ministerial Association
6:30-10:00 p.m. C.E. Banquet-Rally
7:30 p.m. George Fox College Board

SUNDAY - AUGUST 15

8:00 a.m. Morning Devotions
9:30-10:20 a.m. Bible School
10:30 a.m. Meeting for Worship
2:30 p.m. Mass Meeting
—Foreign Missions Challenge
6:30 p.m. Christian Endeavor
7:30 p.m. Evangelistic Service

MONDAY - AUGUST 16

8:00 a.m. Morning Devotions
9:30 a.m. Business
10:15 a.m. Board of Finance
10:45 a.m. Memorials
11:10 a.m. Announcements

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JUNTA ANUAL

IT WAS a Junta Anual to remember. During these intervening months since April we who attended those sessions of "Yearly Meeting" have felt a glow as we have remembered the evangelistic fervor of the meetings, the eagerness displayed in the classes, the large attendance that held steady from the first days through Sunday, and the good-natured acceptance of very crowded conditions. It was a thrill to many of the country Indians to be in such a large group of fellow-Christians—an encouragement to know that they "belonged".

The days were crowded to the brim as they usually are at these yearly conferences. Beginning before daybreak with prayer and devotional services led by the brethren, a scanty breakfast at 7:00 a.m., the schedule began at 8:00 a.m. with classes until 11:00 (classes for children, young people, the women, twice for the señoritas, a health class, as well as classes on holiness, stewardship, church history and discipline.) At 11:00 a.m. the evangelistic services began with Garnett Townsend, from the N.H.M.S. in Santa Cruz, as evangelist.

After a lunch of soup, augmented by whatever food the people might have in their bundles, there was a general music class, another class for the children in the tent, while the rest of the afternoon was given to reports and business matters for the grown-ups in the church building.

Beginning at 7:00 p.m. there was a "pre-special-singing-service" in which each group represented at Junta presented its two or three special songs.

After the eight o'clock evangelistic service, all were ready to get a little rest. It was a mystery where all the people could sleep. They filled the church auditorium, church basement, outside tent, school classrooms and tiny kitchen, huddling together on their bundles, under scanty home-woven bedcovers.

It was inspiring to see that large group of more than seven hundred raise their hands and shout "Alleluia." The chorus that we sang over and over with increasing fervor was "Santo Espiritu llena mi vida" ("Holy Spirit fill my Life"), sung to the tune of "Give Me Oil in My Lamp." It will be interesting to hear this chorus as it is sung

in the little churches out in the field after it has been taught and adapted by the representatives who went to Junta!

A high point in the sessions came Sunday afternoon when the Bible School students presented their long-practiced drama, "The Heavenly Gate." From the beginning its message gripped hearts, and during the invitation the whole congregation was on its knees praying and weeping. The Lord answered the prayer that had been made that the skit would be a means of bringing salvation and light to needy souls.

The Mesa Directiva proposed that in some way the church be enlarged (by adding a balcony at least) so that next year more of those attending can squeeze in.

Junta Anual was a high spot in the year for all of us. Now we are beginning the local conferences and are looking forward to more of these inspirational, soul-saving meetings throughout the field.



The gospel tent which Marshal Cavit brought to Bolivia five years ago has seen much service in our field, as well as in the work of some other missions. It has been in at least 30 soul-saving campaigns. This year it will have been used in at least six camp meetings. It has been pitched out in the center of needy communities, or beside a half-finished church, or taken to the regular conferences. The crowds are always good, never below 100, and usually 200-300. The Lord has saved many souls bowing under its olive-green canvas shelter. We thank the Lord for this big tent and His evident blessing over it as the missionaries take it with them on evangelistic trips.

REINFORCEMENTS

By Walter P. Lee
President Board of Missions

AN OVER-BURDENED staff of missionaries in Bolivia work on with renewed courage as the day approaches when reinforcements will arrive to accept some of the many responsibilities.

Jack and Geraldine Willcuts and Ralph and Marie Chapman with their families are busily preparing to leave for Bolivia the latter part of September. Both of these couples are seasoned missionaries and will be an invaluable addition to the staff.

Jack and Geraldine Willcuts spent one term of four years on our field in Bolivia, returning for furlough in 1951. An extended furlough became necessary to allow time for plastic surgery for their small daughter, Susan. During this time they have rendered outstanding service for the Lord as pastors of Second Friends church in Portland, Oregon. They have three children, the youngest having arrived during the extended furlough period. The Willcuts will close their pastoral work at Second Friends the first of September, and plan to leave for Bolivia by air soon after the middle of the month.

Ralph and Marie Chapman have spent two terms on our mission field, and are now nearing the end of their second furlough at home. They arrived in Bolivia for the first time in 1944, and of our present staff of active missionaries have seen the longest service. They have three children. It is their plan to return to Bolivia by boat. Since Bolivia is an inland country with no seaport, they will probably go to Arica, Chile, and then over the Andes to La Paz, Bolivia, by train. Their freight along with that of the Willcuts and any belonging to the mission, will accompany them.

Since Marshal and Catherine Cavit will be returning to the United States for furlough soon after the first of August, it is the plan for the Chapmans to go to the mission farm where they will assist in the Bible School, and the Willcuts will go to La Paz where they will assume the responsibility for the evangelistic work of the field and advice in the work of the National Church.

With the imminence of the return of these missionaries to the field, Oregon Yearly Meeting faced the definite responsibility of providing necessary transportation and freight costs. This will no doubt exceed \$4000.00, which will call for at least \$2000.00 more than we now have in this fund. While there is less than three months in which to raise this amount, the prospect need not be frightening when we realize that during this past church year we have paid the costs of bringing home the Chapmans and the Knights and have built the transportation fund back up to the present figure of about \$2000.00.

During the missionary conferences throughout this past winter many pledges were made for the

purpose of returning the Chapmans and Willcuts to the field. Those that have not yet been paid may be paid at any time to the Yearly Meeting treasurer, Roger Minthorne, 3908 S. E. Maywood Place, Portland 20, Oregon, with the designation that they are for the return of the missionaries to the field.

It will hardly be possible to provide the necessary funds solely by the birthday offerings in the next two and one-half months, but a special effort by all of us could easily meet the need. Let us work and pray.

Doors Swing Open

By Paul Cammack

SINCE Marshal Cavit, the evangelistic secretary, is off in a tent meeting, I want to write this in his behalf. Marshal and Leland Hibbs have just returned from an exploratory trip to the lower valleys of the yungas, and have come back with a vision of a great field for sowing the precious seed of the gospel in rural places. On their trip of study and inquiry they found that valley after valley has no gospel work, and literally thousands of Indians inhabit these valleys.

In the past years all have had a heightening burden for the lake work. The islands and shores of Lake Titicaca are the most thickly populated rural areas on the altiplano. Since having the use of our boat this year, and after having travelled more on the lake, the vision of the possibilities of work here has gripped all the missionaries on the field. "The fields truly are white unto harvest," but where will we get laborers?

The Bible School is making a mighty impact now. We hope at the end of school, August 1, to have fourteen or more students to put into active evangelization during vacation, and five as permanent pastors. We plan to put one Bible School student in charge of the lake work, with others stationed to help him.

At least six new churches are in the process of being built, or about to be started.

Here we have outlined a vision of two new fields, with thousands of souls waiting to hear the gospel for the first time. These fields are within, or contingent to, our present field.

What does this mean for Oregon Yearly Meeting if we answer the call? Thousands of dollars extra for additional missionaries, for small boats for national workers, and unsinkable aluminum boats for missionary use. It means a building program in addition.

The doors have swung open.

Bible School Memorial Building

By Phyllis Cammack

ON MAY 20, 1954, the cornerstone was laid for the new Bible School memorial building. A special service was held during the chapel hour that day at Copajira with the missionaries, Bible School students, and workers present. It was a time of blessing as we remembered the sacrificial gifts, the memorial funds, and the offerings that make this building possible. It was dedicated to the use of training workers for the Lord, and prayer was made that each student, present

and future, might be faithful to this trust, that each one entering its doors might give much in service to his brethren, having received so freely from the Lord and our brethren in the north.

The foundation of the building was all laid. The rock, taken from the hills behind Copajira, is over half cut to make the rock walls. The adobes for inner walls are made. The aluminum roofing was purchased from a providential shipment that came into La Paz, at an economical price. The laying of the cornerstone marks the beginning of putting up the walls.

We have hopes that this much needed building will be ready for use by the beginning of next school year, January 1955. It will include an office, library, five classrooms, three of which can be opened together to form a roomy assembly and chapel room. It will release two classrooms in the old Bible School building which will be used for dining and dormitory space. The building was planned with the consideration of being heated by the sun during the morning class hours. It is located near the front of the mission compound, with mock-olive trees growing near by. Plans for landscaping are being made, so that it will be very attractive. When it is finished, the plans are to have a bronze plaque at the entrance naming the building in memorial to the ones who left bequests to it, and to others who made gifts.

The students and teachers, in fact the whole mission, unite in giving thanks to the Lord for this added building which will enable us to take more students, train more workers, see more souls saved and sanctified, and thus enlarge the Kingdom of the Lord here in Bolivia.



THE LAYING OF THE CORNER STONE

CHUNAVI CONFERENCE

By Marshal Cavit

THE conference season began this year with the Chunavi conference the last few days of May. The conferences are always a blessing to all who attend, and all feel that the efforts are worthwhile as a time of real blessing and salvation.

The Chunavi conference was not quite so well attended this year as last, but it seemed that at least a few representatives came from more places. There were some 250 present on Sunday, and the blessing of the Lord was very real. During the conference there were several new people saved from the immediate area. We praise God for these victories. From early morning until late at night it was a time of spiritual feast. On Saturday night it seemed that they were going to sing all night. Finally they stopped singing, around eleven o'clock, but it was not for long. When I

was awakened by songs in the morning, I looked at my watch and found it to be four o'clock. Though much of the singing could hardly be thought of as music, yet it was definitely an evidence of joy and salvation from the Lord, and we were made to rejoice with them.

During the three days of the conference there were some ten different boys who came to talk of the Bible School, indicating that they were looking forward to coming this next year. We took three of our post graduate boys from here to do a good share of the preaching at the conference. We rejoice to see the spirit with which they enter into the work. Both morning and afternoon on Sunday the boys conducted a class for the children and also a class in the morning for the youth. The girls from the youth group met and organized their society separately, with some twenty or more

present. Definite request for prayer was made that some day the mission would be able to give some help for these girls in the way of classes or school. It is certainly a thing to challenge us when we see such a great need among them.

There were many souls who wept their way closer to the Lord and walked in the light of the Word. People went their way after the last service on Sunday and early Monday morning with new determination to be true and faithful to the Lord. We again gave thanks for the tent on Monday morning when we took it down, it having served again as a house of God for souls to find Him.

Pray for our people of the Chunavi area. Their problems are many and there is even a great deal of persecution, but God is blessing.

Qhitisa? Nayatwa!

(Found among the papers of the late Helen Cammack)

"SEE that Indian mama across the street knocking upon the outside door. Listen."

A voice from within calls out, "Qhitisa?" ("Who is it?")

The woman knocking answers, "Nayatwa." ("It is I.")

The door is opened by the woman within the patio and the visitor enters.

This scene is repeated daily and no one ever seems to feel anything incongruous about the answer always given. Perhaps the one inside can recognize various voices easily, and does not need the name in order to know who is there. The "costumbre" illustrates perfectly what happens when a foreigner tries to become acquainted with the Aymara Indian and his culture. The white person may approach him in all friendliness and sincerity and try to learn the Indian temperament, his ways of doing and thinking, in order to understand him better and work with him better. Thus the foreigner dramatizes his question, "Qhitisa? Who are you?" But unless persevering patience and sincere love be a part of him he will never learn very much, because the Indian's extremely conservative attitude toward a foreigner seems to say, "Nayatwa. It is I. That is enough for you to know. My secrets are my own." The Aymara is mistrustful, not only of foreigners but even of his own race.

The missionary faces this reticent, doubtful, fearful attitude of the people. He may long to minister to them and help them in their troubles, but he must work and wait patiently. During the first days of his contacts with them he must be helpful, must pray, and must preach persistently. He must be alert for little ways of showing the people his sincerity of purpose and true love for them. He must be tested thoroughly. He must be proved by the people, and will have to convince them that he has a consuming passion to help them find the way of redemption. Finally the day will come, if the missionary has worked successfully, when he has the joy of feeling that his Indian

brother is satisfied with his integrity and sincerity and has real confidence in him. The mask has finally fallen off and thenceforth the white missionary and his Indian friend can help each other.

The missionary who has thus entered into the confidence of his Indian friend finds that the apparently stoical Aymara has a jolly, fun-loving nature and that his joys and sorrows are common to mankind.

Children's Corner

Dear Boys and Girls:

Today is the important day that comes once a year—the end of school for me. I started in October, and am finishing on June the 11th. I am being promoted to the eighth grade. This day is also important because Leland Hibbs is finishing up spud harvest. You should see the piles of spuds out around the warehouse! The beardless barley and the common barley are all combined for the year now. All we lack is oats and rye. We are waiting for them to ripen up. I ran the header on the combine most of the time.



Here is a picture of me and my three rainbow trout. The biggest one weighed 15 pounds. He was 35 inches long. We went on a fishing trip to Tiquina Straits on Lake Titicaca. It was really pretty good fishing, and lots of fun! The hotel where we stayed for two nights was really a modern one. It didn't have any electricity or running water. We have been eating fish ever since that trip.

I have been trying to get some of our Indians on the farm here to come to church. Iluterio says that he is good enough already without the Lord. He is wrapping himself in his own self-righteousness. Old Tata Ticona says he is too bad for the Lord. He has asked us several times for medicine to take away his coca-habit. We told him God is the "medicine". He keeps saying he'll come "next Sunday". He has been hit by the "put-it-off" arrow of the devil. But I keep praying for them both. I want you to pray too.

Sincerely,
David Cammack

FARM SIDE

By Leland and Iverna Hibbs

THE potato harvest ended this Thursday, June 10, in a whirl of dust—in fact in several whirls of dust. It seems it is the custom of the Indians, when harvest is ended to give the owner and every man the women can catch a big whirl—several women to each arm and leg—and carry him to the edge of the field, Leland had two turns even when he declared he had brought them candy. So, also, did their own Indian boss and several others. One or two women were given the "turnings" by some of the men. Paul was loading the trailer when they took after him and he grabbed a handful of potatoes and climbed to the top of the cab of the truck. From that advantage he laughingly withstood them all. David Cammack and the school teacher who was driving the tractor took off on high for the trailer and tractor, with the entire crew of women after them. The women swarmed over the trailer until the teacher had no choice but to allow himself dragged off with the rest. David withstood the crowd quite a while, glued to the seat and wheel of the tractor, but he, too, finally succumbed. The fun lasted quite a while, but they were all smiles when the roll was called and bread and candy were given them.

To all of us it was another indication of the Lord's blessing, and that may make you wonder—but to us it showed how one man's wrath had been made to praise the Lord. "Even the wrath of man shall praise Him" has been ringing in our ears for several days. Our local chief of the farmers' "union" here decreed that the colonists should only harvest potatoes three days a week, and that seemed the last word. Then we sent out the word to the believers that if they wanted to come and work and help us harvest potatoes they would receive the regular wage. When outside help came the wrath of the chief and his local henchmen was not hard to describe. It was terrible. They wanted to take the men missionaries, to the judge; took the names of those outsiders who were working for us. They tried everything. Paul and Leland made an early trip one morning the fore part of this week and told them they were not to enter the field, and that we were taking our claims to the judge ourselves and accusing this Indian—the chief—of hindering harvest, a severe accusation in this reformation period.

It was done. The judge proceeded to inform them they could stay at home, but were not to molest anyone here, and the outcome was that there were over fifty men and women in the field working the next day, and from then on until the harvest was finished. They worked side by side with the outsiders, and their good will was felt by all when the work was done. In the meantime the "chief" was at home, plenty mad because his plans had been thwarted and the harvest was not being dug out and ruined.

Weeks ago, when the hard frost came so early,

the men passed a collective hand to a collective head and said the potatoes would be marbles, but that is a miracle in itself. The potatoes are as large as usual, but—more than that!—are almost entirely free of worms. There are approximately 190 tons of them in the warehouses and machine shed. Double blessing! Now the harvest is over and we are praising the Lord that one man's wrath just brought us another blessing!

A Birth

By Paul Cammack

I ATTENDED the birth of a baby the other night. Such exigencies seem to come when one is asleep and has to be awakened by raps on the bedroom window, or persistent calling by those outside.

The birth was normal. However, the questions asked by the husband, a Bible School student, were superstitious, making me realize that these people in ignorance of the normal processes of life, are still hampered by false ideas until somebody can teach them.

"You are just like a father to us," began Pablo, the husband. "Many of these things we do not know. Our parents, though Christian, still believe in these odd practices. Are they true? We have confidence in you."

I began to tell Pablo and his wife the process of giving birth. They had had two other babies but both died when very young. Many superstitions cling about the proper respect and final rites given to the after-birth. The Indians believe firmly that this should be kept and given various processes (one of these is to roll it in quinea flour) and guarded well through all the rigamarole of ceremony, or the mother will get post-partum infection!

It was a joy to help these young workers of the Lord dispel some more darkness and needless worries, and to have prayer with them. I prepared to leave the rather cold little mud cottage, leaving a new babe, swaddled in warm flannels sent from the W. M. U., and with a better chance at a good takeoff with hot-water bottles around it.

"We are so very grateful. We don't want anything to happen to this one," said Pablo as I stooped and walked out the low door at 4:00 a. m.



ITEMS OF INTEREST

PLANS FOR YEARLY MEETING

The entertainment committee, appointed by Newberg Quarterly Meeting, has met and made the plans for the coming Yearly Meeting.

We make the following announcement and suggestions:

All meals will be served in the college dining hall.

Transportation will be provided to and from the dining hall, at the noon hour.

Breakfast, .40¢; noon, .70¢; evening, .60¢, or . . .

Meal tickets for all regular attenders will be six dollars (\$6.00) for the six days. Pastor's children under 8 years, free; other children under 5 years, \$3.00.

Those who desire rooms in private homes, write to Mrs. Edna Mills, 300 So. Center, Newberg, Oregon. There will be beds at \$1.50 per person for the six days at both the dorms. Please bring sheets, covers and pillow slips, towels, etc., for your own use.

Those who are willing to help in the dining room, write to John Fankhauser.

—Isaac Smith, chairman,
912 E. Center, Newberg, Ore.

BROTHERHOOD BANQUET

The annual banquet of the Yearly Meeting Friends Brotherhood will be held 7:00 p. m. Wednesday evening, August 11, at the Methodist church in Newberg. It is hoped that every man who possibly can will be in attendance. The church is located at the corner of Howard and Hancock, one block north of the city hall.

Log of the "QUAKER HOUR"

Heard every Sunday on the following stations:

KFXD—Nampa, Idaho; 580 kc; 5,000 w, 9:00 a. m.

KMED—Medford, Ore.; 1440 kc; 1,000 w, 9:30 p. m.

KASH—Eugene, Ore.; 1600 kc; 1,000 w, 2:00 p. m.

KEX—Portland, Ore.; 1190 kc; 50,000 w, 9:00 a. m.

KTAC—Tacoma, Wash.; 850 kc; 5,000 w, 1:00 p. m.

KWSK—Pratt, Kansas; 1220 kc; 1,000 w, 1:30 p. m.

KLIR—Denver, Colo.; 990 kc; 1,000 w, 8:30 a. m.

KGHF—Pueblo, Colo.; 1350 kc; 3:00 p. m.

KVAN—Vancouver, Wash.; 910 kc; 10:30 p. m.

KJSK—Columbus, Nebr.; 990 kc; 1,000 w, 3:30 p. m.

The charge for the banquet will be \$1.50 per plate. The main speakers will be Dorwin Smith, clerk of the Yearly Meeting, and Howard Harmon, pastor at Holly Park. Music will be furnished by the Four Flats quartet; Orville Winters, trumpet soloist; Harlan Barnett, piano soloist; and Lansing Bulgin, vocal soloist.

Don't forget the place and time—Methodist church, 7:00 p. m., August 11.

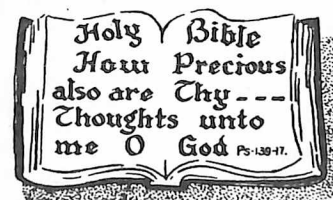
HOLLY PARK BURSTING SEAMS

Did you ever see a boy who had outgrown his clothes? His pants and sleeves are too short, and his coat is bursting at the seams. That reminds us of the Holly Park church in Seattle. Look at this paragraph culled from their news report this month and printed here on the Items of Interest page so that you may be sure to read it.

"There is a class in every room of the parsonage, three classes in the main chapel, one in the garage, one in a tent out on the lawn, one in a private home, and sometimes one in a car. It seems to be a rather unique situation, but we feel it is necessary to more or less LIMIT OUR S.S. ATTENDANCE! We cannot possibly do the job of adequately reaching those boys and girls with such great numbers on our hands. We do not expect to sit idly by, however. We intend to take this opportunity to improve our teaching methods and really work with these boys and girls the best we can with our limited facilities. The need is great. One boy said to his teacher, 'Last Sunday when I came here was the first time in my life I was ever in Sunday school'—and this boy is a fourth grader! Pray with us as we endeavor to make the gospel a living, real part of the lives of each of our presently-enrolled pupils."

THE LEES ARE COMING

Ernest and Temple Lee, who have been used of God in an unusual way as personal evangelists in Kansas Yearly Meeting, are coming to the northwest and will be in Oregon Yearly Meeting from October 30 to December 19th. The following meetings have asked for their services: Meadows, Chehalem Center, West Chehalem and Netarts. They will begin meetings at Meadows October 30. The dates for the other meetings have not yet been reported. It is possible they may have an open period during this time for one or two more churches.



HAVILAND BIBLE COLLEGE REUNION

Alumni, former students and friends, of Friends Bible College of Haviland, Kansas, enjoyed a delightful afternoon together at their annual meeting in the Mt. Scott community building, Mt. Scott Park, Portland, Oregon.

It was a special treat to have President Sheldon Jackson and family with us, as they are vacationing in Oregon and Washington. Also the presence of Roscoe and Tina Knight, missionaries to Bolivia and former students of Haviland Bible College, added much interest to the occasion.

President Jackson presented the main feature of the afternoon, showing color slides depicting recent developments and improvements of the campus and newly acquired buildings of the Haviland Bible College.

Past presidents in attendance were Rev. Scott Clark, of Newberg, and Charles Beals, pastor of First Friends Church in Portland. Former faculty members in attendance were Helen Willcuts, Newberg, Oregon; Mildred Shafer Pike, Portland, Oregon; Roy Knight, Rose Valley, Washington; Kelsey Hinshaw, Newberg, Oregon; Elizabeth Battin, Portland, Oregon; Naomi Lemmons, Newberg, Oregon; Roy Clark, Vancouver, Washington; Denver Headrick, Tigard, Oregon; Grace Clark, Newberg, Oregon; and Ludlow Corbin, Portland, Oregon.

Others in attendance were Ray and Ruth Houston and family, Lois Ann, James, Larry, and Donna Switzer, Hillsboro, Oregon. Newberg representatives were: Alice and Ned Wheeler; Rachel, Ruthellen, and Esther Mae Hinshaw; John, Ione, Marcelle, Ladonna, and Eloise Fankhauser; Marion Comfort; James, Mary, Beverly, Patricia, and David Meireis. Mrs. Roy Knight, Rose Valley, Washington; Ruth Clark and family, Vancouver, Washington; Ruth Corbin and family, Portland, Oregon; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer C. Lewis, Delmer and Gary, Sherwood, Oregon; Roscoe, Tina, Gary, Beverly, and Karen Knight, Portland, Oregon; and Ruth Headrick, Tigard, Oregon.



Another year has almost passed and it is time to prepare reports on missionary reading for Yearly Meeting.

The reading record closes with July 1. Total the number of pages read and divide by the membership of your society. The resulting score is to be reported to Mildred H. Brown by July 15th. A complete report will be given at the W.M.U. meeting at Yearly Meeting. Note report: (1) total number of pages read by the society, (2) the membership of the society, (3) the number of pages read divided by the enrollment of the society, or the reading score.

Will all librarians please return all books borrowed from the Y.M. library by July 15th Thank you.

First Friends Enjoys Special Meeting

More than fifty members and guests of the Portland First Friends W. M. U. enjoyed the gracious hospitality of Bertha Heacock in her lovely home on the evening of May 27. This was the occasion of the evening meeting that is planned once a year to make possible the attendance of women who cannot be present at the day meetings.

After a short business meeting conducted by the president, Beatrice Benham, a most interesting program was presented. Several musical numbers were sung by Roberta Field and played by Betty Eichenberger on her accordin. A most entertaining and amusing play, "Sardines", was ably enacted by five members of the Sunnyside P. T. A.

Following the play, refreshments were served from a beautifully appointed table at which Marie Haines and Ethol George, the newly elected president, presided.

Salem Q.M. Meets at Rosedale

The Women's Missionary Union for the Salem Quarterly Meeting sponsored a missionary rally at Rosedale May 4th. Men as well as women were invited, and about 75 attended. Three of our missionaries were present and gave interesting talks about Bolivia and our responsibility at home. Those who spoke were: Geraldine Willcuts, and Ralph and Marie Chapman.

Newberg Q.M. Rally

The Newberg Quarterly Meeting rally was held recently with over 100 women in attendance. Marie Chapman and Geraldine Willcuts were present and both spoke during the day. Twila Jones, who is going to Africa, was present and gave her testimony, which was very beautiful. During the afternoon session the young women of the Julia Pearson circle presented a very interesting and inspirational one-act play. They also had charge of the noon pot-luck lunch, the Newberg women serving hot drinks.

Portland Q.M. Rally

The spring rally of Portland Quarterly Meeting was held in Camas at the Oak Park church with the ladies from Forest Home as co-hostesses, on April 1.

After an inspiring song service, special music by Lorna Fertello of Oak Park, and prayer, the ladies present were blessed with the accounts of their calls to serve in foreign lands as given by Marie Chapman and Geraldine Willcuts. The many anxious days before they knew for certain the land of the Lord's choice for them, followed by the many delays before they reached the field, revealed the Lord's many precious providences in their lives.

Following a nice luncheon furnished by different groups, and topped by delicious lemon pie baked

by the Forest Home ladies, the group once more assembled in the sanctuary.

The afternoon service again was a time of inspiration as the music by a trio from Piedmont and a reading by Betty Lou Sargent, of Vancouver, were enjoyed. Then a time of "questions and answers" greatly added to our meager store of information about our field in Bolivia. Virginia Helm, Dorothy Morse, and Florence Snow assisted with assigning questions to the missionary ladies for answering.

A few tidbits of the answers were: (1) that the missionaries believe that their children receive better education through the Calvert correspondence course than in the public schools here; (2) that the problem of heating the missionary homes has been overcome. An offering was received for the missionaries at the close of the service.

FLASH! FLASH!

Julia Pearson, the Oregon Yearly Meeting W.M.U. president and her sister, Marie Haines, attended the missionary conference held in Whittier, during the early part of May.

A new EVENING circle is being organized at First Friends, Portland, we hear. Who are the new dignitaries we wonder?

BIRTHS

NELSON.—To Phelan and Marguerite Nelson, Medford, Oregon, a son, Basil Raymond, born May 20.
ANDRUS.—To Bob and Evelyn Andrus, Alton, Illinois, a son, David Wayne, born May 25.
MILLS.—To Preston and Nancy Mills, Salem, Oregon, a daughter, Paula Faith, born June 3.
STEPHENS.—To Ernest and Dorothy Stephens, Seattle, Washington, a daughter, Janelle Christine, born June 14.

MARRIAGES

TROTTER-TOFT.—Jane Toft, of Deer Flat, and Melvin Trotter were united in marriage at the Greenleaf Friends church, with the bride's uncle, Mahlon Macy of Piedmont, officiating.
OSTRIN-HOOVER.—Muriel Hoover, of Riverside, became the bride of Ernest Ostrim, at the Greenleaf Friends church with Mahlon Macy, uncle of the bride, officiating.
McCLANHAN-VOTH.—David Lee McClanhan, of Albany, and Eleanor Joyce Voth were united in marriage June 6th in the South Salem Friends church. Rev. Wesley J. Henkleman of Albany, Oregon, officiated.
PULSIFER-PENNINGTON.—Bertha May Pennington and Leon H. Pulsifer, were married June 11 at the Central Free Methodist church, Portland, Levi T. Pennington, father of the bride, officiated, assisted by Rev. James R. Stewart, pastor of the church.
AEBISCHER-JOHNSTON.—Joanne Johnston, daughter of Victor and Dorothy Johnston, and Delmar Aebischer, son of Harold and Alma Aebischer, were united in marriage at the Newberg Friends church, June 19, with Levi T. Pennington officiating.

CARLISLE-LINDSEY.—Charles Carlisle and Jean Lindsey were married on June 3 at the Lee House. Howard Harmon, pastor of Holly Park, officiated.
MERIDETH-HALL.—Jim Merideth and Susan Hall were united in marriage on June 13, at the home of the bride's mother.
DeLAPP-GARBER.—William DeLapp and Jo Anne Garber were united in marriage May 30, at the Highland Friends Church. They are temporarily residing in Denver where Bill is stationed, but expects to be discharged the middle of July.

DEATHS

HART.—Nettie Hart, 84, mother-in-law of Ben Jones, passed away at Harris Nursing Home, June 15, at Newberg. She was born in Iowa. She was a faithful member of Newberg church. John Fankhauser officiated at her funeral.
MILSTEAD.—Mary Irene Milstead, who had been a member of the Whitney Friends church for three years, passed to her heavenly home May 25.



FOR SALE.—Beautiful two bedroom home, corner lot, hardwood floors, fireplace. Eugene Friends Church, 1854 Arthur St., Eugene, Oregon, phone — 3-2625.



The new sign which has been placed on the new church property at Eugene. Shown standing by sign is Mrs. Marjorie Simmons, building committee chairman.

Christian Endeavor Doings



SPOKANE

The Spokane C.E. has decided to donate 50% of the offering to the brick fund for our new building.

On May 8 the members gave a shower for Della Rae and Mel Southern.

We are marvelling at the Spirit's turning of the whole church, as well as our own group, toward the subject of prayer. Our last two meetings were organized by Joan DeZell and Helen Clowes, respectively, who made their talks on prayer open to discussion.

In another meeting the assistant pastor, Albert Clark, presented a very striking picture of the life of Barnabas as he is portrayed in the scriptures.

Photography was used by the president in the presentation of an object lesson on another week.

MEADOWS

Gordon Nine, LeRoy Buchholz, Patty Rumiser, and Alice Wilson were the only young people from the Meadows C.E. that were privileged to attend the Quaker Hill banquet. Patty gave a talk on Quaker Hill.

The Meadows C.E. had a swimming party recently. Everyone had a good time.

None of the Meadows C.E. were able to attend Quarterly Meeting last time.

NEWBERG HIGH SCHOOL

If things don't seem to be going right then contact the Newberg high school C.E. and make them happen fast.

Recently under the leadership of Gene and Jean Smith they've been going to town in a big way. When the local high school planned the annual prom the church young people didn't want to be left in the cold, so they combined to sponsor the "prom party".

When the bills had to be paid the C.E.'ers needed a party fund, so the Newberg high school gang washed cars one Saturday. Their gate take was a little over \$50.00, but with the tithe and the expenses paid they netted only about \$35.00.

Next, the eager-beavers noticed that the church lawn needed a hair-cut. One of their members who had done it regularly had gotten behind in his work, so they turned out en masse with rakes, mowers and clippers to help him get the job done in style. But that's not all, the boys of the group went one step further to help their busy comrade get his other lawns mowed so that he could attend the Quarterly Meeting rally.

NEWBERG Q.M. NEWS

About 70 Newberg Quarterly Meeting C.E.'ers all agreed that their "Operation Netarts" was a big success. It all started when the executive committee invited themselves to plan the May rally for Netarts. (The Netarts church is so far away that their young people seldom can attend the rallies.)

About six passenger cars, a pick-up truck, and a limosine loaned by one of the Newberg businessmen, were loaded to the gills Saturday, May 16, at 12:00 noon when the cars left the valley for the beach.

Needless to say everyone got sand in his hair and even some C.E.'ers a little older than the juniors managed to get their feet wet. More than one came home a little pink from the sun.

About supper time the hungry gang gathered at the Netarts church for an early supper, pot-luck style. Next in line was a short business meeting where they made provision for a nominating committee. Gladys Turnidge was elected chairman.

Opening the evening's program was a trio from the host church's senior C.E. They were followed by a piano solo by Chehalem Center's representative. The Newberg juniors were responsible for a vocal solo, and a trumpet trio was the Netarts junior's contribution. Closing the music part of the program was a piano duet from West Chehalem and the girl's trio from Newberg's high schoolers.

The concluding feature of the evening was the film, "Beginning of the Rainbow."

DON'T FORGET

Did you observe DOLLAR DAY, June 13? That Sunday was a special C.E. emphasis day. Let's see those dollars rolling in for our budget. Send your money to Charlotte Passolt, George Fox College, or Lucille Lewis, Rt. 2, Newberg, Oregon.

Laura's Diary



May 12-16: These were pleasant days at Agnew. This is the first time I've visited Agnew when there wasn't rain. I spoke five different times while here—Wednesday at prayer meeting, Thursday at boys and girls club, Friday

day at a party, Sunday a.m. at the worship service, and Sunday p.m. at C.E. Also worked on lesson helps and watched them build a float to enter in the Irrigation Festival parade at Sequim.

It really was a very nice float and, as you read last month, it took first prize in the non-commercial division.

May 13: Another new adventure today—one that I trust doesn't happen again and one that I'm sure many of you have had. I drove from Agnew to Tacoma, stopping at Quilcene. Managed to get there just in time for dinner!—then on down around Hood Canal. It was a beautiful trip. I was thoroughly enjoying the scenery, and not paying enough attention to the running of my auto. Sooo, just beyond Port Orchard, Abraham ran out of gas!! It was about three blocks down the hill to a gas station and about a half mile back up with a can of gas!

On to Tacoma to stay overnight with the Morrills.

May 16: Drove from Tacoma to Everett this a. m. stopped there and had a little visit with John Frazier and his sister Cora Gregory. Then on over the mountains to Wenatchee. I don't believe that I've ever had a nicer trip across this part of the Cascades. The streams were bouncing high, everything was wonderfully green and pleasantly warm. God truly has painted a beautiful picture.

About ten miles out of Wenatchee I had troubles with the front brakes of my car. Ugh! What a horrible ten miles. Road under construction, too. I was worn to a frazzle by the time I got to Piersons.

Showed pictures and talked about C.E. to a group of young people at the parsonage.

May 19: After Abraham had his brakes taken care of we went on to Entiat for prayer meeting.

May 20: I enjoyed the day at the parsonage with Randall, Norma and Danny. In the evening I met with the C.E.'ers. Showed slides and talked C.E.

May 21: Back to Wenatchee this evening to continue my talk about C.E. (you can see that I never run out) and also showed some more pictures.

May 22: This evening the Entiat young people joined the Wenatchee group at a near-by park for some games and a wiener roast. A most enjoyable evening.

May 23: This a. m. I had the privilege of attending the East Wenatchee Friends Church. They have a very fine group and a wonderful building site for their church. I spoke briefly at Sunday school and the worship service.

In the evening I was back at Entiat—it's only eighteen miles up the river from Wenatchee, so you see I haven't been jumping around so much. I spoke at both C.E. and evening worship. (I think I'll let you take it for granted that I speak at these services then I won't have to mention it each time.)

May 24: Today Abraham and I journeyed over to Spokane. Talked with the Smiths and Cogswells and then on down to Cheney to stay over night with my brother.

May 26-29: These days I've been here in Spokane and enjoying the hospitality of the Curriers. Wednesday, I had a service with the young people previous to prayer meeting. Milo Ross brought a message to the prayer meeting group.

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Thursday evening we had a hilarious party and also looked at pictures. Friday evening I met with the juniors. I also spent some time with Joan DeZell. We browsed around Natatorium Park for a while then took a ride on the Octopus with some of her friends. Ugh, what a ride! We all got sick!

Saturday Joan and I took Abraham up Mt. Spokane. Poor Abraham was loaded as usual and it was a steep climb, so he got a vapor lock in his throat. We pushed him around and coasted down hill until it vanished then continued with our picnic. We had dinner with Clark and Elizabeth Smith and then another meeting with the young people.

May 30: This a. m. I went out to Hayden Lake for services. It was good to meet with these folks again. Lesta had left early this morning for Newberg to attend her sister Lucille's graduation. So, Derrol took me out to dinner and then on a tour of the North Couer d'Alene area where they hope to start a new church. It looks like there should be real possibilities for a church there. Derrol made an excellent host.

In the evening I was back at Spokane for C.E. and church.

May 31: Mardella Cogswell and I traveled in pouring rain to Moscow to have a little visit with Marjorie Minzel. She's graduating this year and plans to go on to medical school at the University of Utah.

June 1: Today is the first day of my vacation, guess what I did? I traveled! Yes, I traveled from Cheney, Washington, to Durkee, Oregon. There I stayed overnight with another brother. That's all, just two. It's sisters that I have so many of.

One of the first things on my vacation agenda is a visit to the dentist. Nothing like starting things off with a pain.

Goodbye. I trust I'll see most of you at summer camps and Yearly Meeting.

Your field secretary,
Laura

Young People's Y. M.

THURSDAY - AUGUST 12
4:30 p.m. Picnic

FRIDAY - AUGUST 13
1:00 p.m. Business
4:00 p.m. Ball game

SATURDAY - AUGUST 14
9:30 a.m. Business
6:30 p.m. Banquet and Rally

SUNDAY - AUGUST 15
6:30 p.m. Christian Endeavor



AMONG THE CHURCHES

NOTICE

All correspondents please take notice! No issue of this paper is printed for the month of August. Therefore your next news items will be for the September issue, and should reach us by the 20th of August.—Editor.

PORTLAND QUARTERLY MEETING

FIRST FRIENDS (Portland)
Charles A. Beals, pastor

A delegation from the Evangelistic Committee and the Ministry and Oversight went to the Madras area after church Sunday, May 23. They met with a group from the area at the home of Dwight and Marie Macy at Culver at 4:00 p. m. Dean Gregory led the service of music, testimonies and a short message followed by a social hour. This meeting was held to explore the possibilities of starting a new church in this place.

Sunday morning, June 13, Adelaide Barker, chairman of the Evangelistic Committee, gave a report of the meeting held at Culver and an offering was taken for the work. We are praying that the Lord will lay a concern on the heart of some minister to have charge of this challenging field of service.

The WMU had a social evening in the spacious and lovely home of Everett and Bertha Heacock May 27. After a short business meeting, a group from the Sunnyside school PTA presented a one-act comedy play, "Sardines", coached by Marguerite Eichenberger. Roberta Field sang, and Betty Eichenberger played some numbers on her accordian. Fifty women were present.

June 6 the SS hour was given over to promotion and graduation exercises. A fine program was given by the different departments with special musical numbers by the young people. Of special interest were the beautiful boats given by Lawrence Lovegren to some of the boys in his SS class as rewards for attendance, memory work, and other kindred works. Brian Beals, as high-point winner, was awarded a gasoline motor launch in miniature. Lawrence builds the boats himself.

The monthly meeting approved a report of the trustees to make extensive repairs on the parsonage. The kitchen will be completely remodeled and modernized. Roofing, painting and other repairs have been needed for some time.

Ernest Lamb, former superintendent of California Yearly Meeting, brought a powerful message on the Holy Spirit Sunday evening June 6.

Our pastor has been working on the shower-rooms at the Twin Rocks conference grounds. Some other men of the church have helped in this project. They hope to have the showers completed in time for boy's camp.

Our prayer meetings continue to be high lights in the week. Ray Carter and Orville Winters have been recent leaders.

PIEDMONT
Mahlon Macy, pastor

During the month of June, Piedmont has had DVBS at the head of the "activity" list. Elizabeth Delano was the director of the school which was held June 14-25. Approximately 90 boys and girls were registered, and many received definite spiritual help. As theme was "pioneering with Christ", there was a large covered wagon in front of the church during these days. Indian head-dresses, complete with beads and feathers were also a main attraction for the handwork.

Recent special speakers at Piedmont have been Dr. Paul Petticord, president of Western Evangelical Seminary, and Milo Ross, George Fox College president. Dr. Petticord, who was here on May 23, showed pictures taken in Formosa when he was there last fall. Milo Ross spoke on May 30, in the evening.

Geraldine Custer, returned missionary from Africa, spoke

during the opening exercises of SS on June 6. Miss Custer also spoke and showed pictures to the WMU on June 11.

On Thursday, June 24, Piedmont was the host church for the Youth Invasion of North Portland, sponsored by Youth for Christ. The young people met at the church at 8:00 a. m. for their instruction; they canvassed the community until noon, and then continued in the afternoon. The church women served the evening meal, which preceded a rally at 7:30. It is hoped that this canvass will be beneficial to the church.

Mahlon and Hazel Macy and their family, spent one week in Idaho on vacation during June.

ROSE VALLEY
Roy Knight, pastor

Schools are out but we are glad to note our SS attendance has not dropped.

Thursday evenings are "play night". All young people and adults under 99 are having a time of baseball or horse shoe until dark, when they go inside for movies and refreshments.

Our pastor gave the address for the graduating eighth graders from Rose Valley school. There were 28, and these were extended an invitation to special services at the church in their honor May 23. New Testaments were given to each one.

We are glad to have Gerald Lemmons with us again after being in the armed service in Korea.

The WMU met June 10 at the church. The day was spent quilting. A very nice dinner was served at noon by the hostesses for the day, Goldie Lemmons and Pauline Whitaker. Tina Knight gave the devotionals and a talk about the mission field. It was very interesting hearing of the daily life of the Aymara Indian women. Several asked questions, and Tina made the problems of the Indian women very real to us. May God help us to have a deeper concern for them and to do more for them.

MAPLEWOOD
Denver Headrick, pastor

Memorial day was used by the men of the church as a time to clean up the grounds and to build a set of steps for the back door. We are glad for these improvements.

June 1st the WMU met at the home of Mrs. Marge Deieble for work day and business meeting. There were ten ladies and three children present. The ladies were kept busy tacking a quilt for the missionaries and also preparing large pictures to be used on the field. At the close of the meeting Geneva Bolitho was surprised with a silver gift offering for her 33rd wedding anniversary.

June 7th our DVBS started. We used the theme, "Pioneering with Christ." There were 33 present the first day. The average attendance was 50 for the first week, and 55 for the second week. Needless to say this far surpassed our greatest expectations, with a total of 75 enrolled. Our director, Elizabeth Delano, did an excellent job getting the Bible school started off, although she could only be with us one week, then return for the closing program Friday evening, June 18. The demonstration and program the last evening brought out 110 parents and children, which indicated our need of an expansion program. Pray that the contacts made during our Bible school may bear fruit.

The outstanding Pioneers were given awards for their achievements during the school. The outstanding Pioneer girl was Maryal Sue Gawley, and the Pioneer boy was Brian Bjorson.

We were glad to have Mr. and Mrs. Orthy May and Mrs. Bernice Taylor in our evening service, June 20th.

PUGET SOUND QUARTERLY MEETING

MCKINLEY AVENUE
William J. Murphy, pastor

On the evening of May 30 our young people presented a special service in memory of those faithful members of our

church who have gone on. One of the features of the evening was a youth choir under the direction of Phil Harmon.

We were especially happy to have Jack and Geraldine Willcuts with us on June 20 for a missionary rally. In the SS service Jack made a short talk in Spanish with Geraldine interpreting then while Jack talked of the Bolivian field, Geraldine portrayed a native hut with chalk against a background of rugged mountains.

Jack brought the morning message on John 1:29. Following the morning service we had a fellowship dinner in the church basement. The afternoon's service opened with a panel discussion with Naomi Martin and Phil Harmon asking questions of Jack and Geraldine and Howard Harmon as moderator. While Leota McNichols sang "Shall I Empty Handed Be", Geraldine made another chalk drawing. Then she gave her testimony and bits of news from the field. Jack spoke on the calls which come to him from the Bolivian field and from God.

On May 28 the young people presented an all musical program at the Tacoma Rescue Mission including congregational numbers selected by the men.

We are in the midst of our DVBS under the leadership of Betty Byrd. The highest attendance thus far has been 65 pioneers, cowboys, and Indian who are "Pioneering with Christ".

On June 4 we had a family night with a potluck dinner followed by a program celebrating the raising of our first \$500 on the SS building program contest. Carolyn Peterson and Renie Kyle played numbers on the piano, our youth choir sang, and a girls sextette also brought a number in song. Howard Harmon burned slips of colored paper representing goals reached by the five teams in our building campaign. The high-light of the evening was a down-to-earth message on every day living brought by E. Ernest Lamb, "Our Irish Friend".

Some men from our church attended the Quarterly Meeting brotherhood picnic in Seward Park in Seattle on June 18.

We are very proud of our "under 21" baseball team under the coaching of Phil Harmon and Jim Barry. We have hopes of coming in in second place in our Quarterly Meeting.

The WMU met at the home of Henrietta Harmon on May 24 with Gertrude Perry presiding. Mona Warner presented the devotions. For the afternoon program Myrtle Russell sang a solo and Leona Murphy told of the work of the Child Evangelism Fellowship.

We want to congratulate our high school graduates, Phil Harmon, Naomi Martin and Doris Burns; also Marian Perry and Jim Liedke who have just graduated from George Fox College.

HOLLY PARK

Howard Harmon, pastor

Though it is summer vacation for many, these are busy days at Holly Park. The WMU was in charge of the evening service on June 6. They had a varied program of music, missionary reports, and appropriate Scripture. The WMU is scheduled to be responsible for the service each first Sunday evening of the month. The WMU also reports progress on their project for the building fund. Each member was given a dollar some months ago, with the instructions to invest it and make it multiply. At the last WMU meeting, new officers were elected for the coming year, with Dorothy Stephens as the new president.

A delegation from the Holly Park SS journeyed to Northeast Tacoma on the evening of May 28th. The occasion was the "talent show" that Holly Park was to give to N.E. Tacoma as the loser in the recent inter-church SS attendance contest.

The regular dinner meeting of the SS teachers and officers was held at the church on June 12. The most pressing problem of the hour is our lack of space for our pupils.

A group of men from our church has been going to the Wauna Mer conference grounds nearly every week to work on the property.

Holly Park was undefeated in the baseball league! It has been a close race between N.E. Tacoma and McKinley Avenue for the second place slot, with Memorial trying hard to climb out of the basement. A get-together is planned for all four teams in the league, with a big final ball game, and lots of food. The trophy will be awarded to the winner.

Conference program committee met at the Holly Park parsonage on Monday evening, June 21.

The ladies were invited to accompany the men on their

regular trip to the Union Gospel Mission, Tuesday, June 22. Walter Gatterman was in charge of the meeting.

Each father who was present at SS on Fathers' Day had a gift portrait made of him and his children. In addition to the pictures, some appropriate poems were given by Lois Jones and one of her pupils, Robert Anderson.

The Brotherhood sponsored a family potluck picnic at Seward Park on June 18. The other churches of the area were invited, and there was an abundance of good food, and a ball game which didn't prove much except that it was a lot of fun!

The building committee is meeting regularly each week in order to expedite their business. Please pray that this committee may know the Lord's will in each important decision.

SEATTLE MEMORIAL

Merle Green, pastor

Our faithful and beloved member, Mrs. Minnie Myers, had the misfortune to fall while walking across the room and broke her hip. She is now in Harborview hospital.

The June WMU meeting was held across the lake at the lovely home of Mrs. Edyth Flynn in Bellevue. Twenty women were present. Mrs. Flynn and her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Robert Flynn, served a very delicious luncheon. Vera York directed the disclosure of the "mystery sisters" at the lunch table. In the afternoon Thelma Green sang a special number, and Mrs. Bernice Hartman of Wilmington Yearly Meeting gave a brief report of the conference at Whittier of United Friends Women.

Father's Day was appropriately remembered with a SS program planned by Wendell Woodward assisted by the teachers. A special new feature was a number by the junior choir under the direction of Thelma Green. Our pastor presented a goldfish to each child who brought his father to church. We were glad to see several new faces among the parents present.

Don and Margaret Kellogg are welcome additions to the congregation. We are glad they moved into our area.

Several of our members are on the sick list and our prayers are that they may be sustained and strengthened.

DVBS beginning June 21 will continue daily at the church for two weeks. Vera York is superintendent this year. Interest seems good and we hope for a successful school.

BETHANY

Ethel Cowgill, pastor

We are praising God for His wonderful blessings and tender mercies.

Messages on the Beatitudes by our evangelist, Esther White, have been a great blessing to us.

Val Lovell, a young man and a converted Catholic, is called to carry the gospel to Mexico. He speaks Spanish and can tell them he has found a better way. On a recent trip to Mexico he found many hungry for the gospel.

Mary Bowden Lynch recently led our prayer meeting, speaking of how Paul kept the standard of God up, and emphasizing the need of Godly young people for these times. Mrs. Bowden is home from the hospital although still in a wheel chair.

Our women recently organized a WMU with Loretta Sasseff as president and Ethel Cowgill as secretary-treasurer. There were 11 out to this first meeting.

We have been offered a 5-room house and lot, 100x100 ft. in the same block where we are located. Please pray with us that if this is God's will we can raise the necessary cash to get it. The vacant lot would be a good place for a chapel such as this neighborhood needs. We so need a larger better place.

May God's blessing be upon all of you during the summer.

EVERETT

John Frazier, pastor

We have appreciated having Mrs. VanCise and daughters, Valerie and Mary, come into the church as active members, and Donna as an associate member. They will be a spiritual asset to our church.

The WMU held its monthly "workday" in June at the home of Mrs. McClurg, of Snohomish.

Three of our young men graduated from high school—Jack Tesberg, Gene Pierce and Joe Cook; and the SS pre-

sented each one with a pocket size testament.

The church choir presented a sacred concert in the Bellingham Nazarene church, June 6th, which was a former pastorate of the minister. The singing was well received.

At the SS party June 11th, two films were shown—one a missionary picture, and the other a film showing the Tuna fish industry. An offering was taken for the "projector" fund. The SS has in its possession a wonderful projector and screen, practically new, which was purchased from a Christian man for \$200.00—the original price being over \$600.00.

The Youth for Christ singspiration group met in our church Sunday night at 9:00 p. m. June 13th and the auditorium was packed with people, mostly young folk.

The Blue side of the SS contest featuring an airplane trip to Bolivia, treated the winners to a trip to Woodland Park, Seattle, on Saturday. The unpredictable weather kept many away, but the ones who made the trip in the red truck and cars had a good time and lots of eats.

The parsonage has been blessed by having Cora Gregory here for 5 weeks, during which time Clara Frazier did work at the Court House on a part time basis. Mrs. Gregory is now making her home in Salem, Oregon.

GREENLEAF QUARTERLY MEETING

CALDWELL

Richard Cossell, pastor

Time rushes by at Caldwell with many activities to keep us busy. At the present time DVBS is in progress with Bernice Mardock and Elsie Gehrke in charge. We appreciate their work.

The WMU held a work day and pot-luck dinner at Audry Mardock's May 18th. The ladies sewed and cut all day getting many needed articles completed for the Harimans who are returning to Bolivia in July under the NHMS board. We have enjoyed their stay and fellowship with us here at Caldwell.

May 28th a "get-together" of the Idaho alumni and families of George Fox College was held at the church. It consisted of a lovely basket supper (mostly fried chicken with the trimmings and ice cream). A business meeting and message followed with Milo Ross as speaker and challenger.

The senior C.E. had charge of the evening worship service June 6. Patsy Eidemiller, Stanley Perisho, and Charles Howard each brought sermonettes, with the choir furnishing special music for the evening.

Our pastor was commencement speaker for the Sunny Slope School May 21st.

Visitors at the parsonage have been: Milo Ross; Gerald and Alice Dillon and family of University Park, Iowa; Rev. and Mrs. Donald Varce and children of Jennings Lodge, Ore. Our pastor's wife's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Millard Mills of Colorado Springs, Colo., have also been parsonage guests. They took David Cossell back to Colorado to spend the summer with his grandparents in Pueblo.

June 10th was set aside to honor our Quaker Maids which have been organized for one year. A lawn party was planned, but because of rain it turned into a basement party. The girls displayed their hand craft and served refreshments of cookies and punch. The cookies were baked by the girls. All have earned at least one additional pin with Peggy Eidemiller as a Silver Star Quaker Maid.

Esther Cossell has been helping Nampa with their DVBS. She has been bringing the morning messages, and reports God's blessing on the Bible school, with the altar filled with children.

August and Rose Koch and Apphia left the last of May for New York to sail on the Queen Mary to visit his mother and relatives in Germany. Their travels also include visiting points of interest in Europe.

Kenton Allen was our only graduate this year. He was the salutatorian for his class at Greenleaf Academy.

We are very glad to have Mr. and Mrs. Robert Root and children with us. Mrs. Root is the daughter of Tom and Lela Settle. Mr. Root will report shortly to Georgia for further military training, while Mrs. Root and children will spend the summer here. They were formerly stationed in Germany.

Mrs. Lela Hull and girls are also spending the summer here. Calvin is completing a pastorate in Iowa, then will join his family to take the church at Agnew.

We feel we are able to report that we will make and possibly exceed our gain of 1/4 more in '54. Our attendance has been good and steady. The average for the past 8 weeks

for Sunday morning worship was 82, Sunday evening 81 and senior CE 21. Hand a challenge to the young people and they will not bury it.

Two trees have been planted on the parsonage ground. Thanks to Milo Ross for this gift.

On Sunday evenings we are privileged to have Quincy and Eileen Fodge help with the music.

We are glad to accept Patsy and Peggy Eidemiller as members. We are grateful for such consecrated young people and workers. Several have found help at the altar these past few months. Thanks to the inspiring messages from our pastor.

GREENLEAF

Oscar N. Brown, pastor

DVBS has been well attended the past two weeks. With Mrs. Cornelia Holmes as leader the theme was "Pioneering for Christ." There were over 100 enrolled. They gave a very interesting program Friday evening.

Mrs. Virgie Watson, who made an extended visit with old friends and relatives in Oklahoma and Kansas, and attended commencement at Hays, Kansas, also at Haviland, where her daughter Grace was a graduate, has returned home. Grace accompanied her. They will spend the summer in Greenleaf.

Rev. and Mrs. Marion Lyon and family, of Sealing, Okla., have moved to Greenleaf and are living in the W. E. Williams property. We are glad to have this fine family settle in our midst.

Mrs. Grace Roberts, who is quite ill and has been in the Caldwell hospital, was able to return home the first of the week.

Mrs. Gladys Rhoads went to Culver, Oregon, to visit her daughter and family, the Dwight Macys. She was accompanied as far as Bend by Robert Brown who went to visit his aunt and family, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Hirtzel.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Hockett spent their vacation visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Buel Hockett, and other relatives. While here Gene gave a very challenging message on Sunday evening, June 6th.

We were very sorry that Mrs. Myron Holton fell breaking her ankle while out choring.

We were sorry to have the Lee Sharp family move from our community. They moved to Weiser, Idaho, where Mr. Sharp and Don have work.

HOMEDALE

Clare Willcuts, pastor

The Lucy Wright Guild met on June 4 with Mae Beam, and on June 18 with Esther Brown.

The children's Day was observed on Sunday, June 13, with an exceptionally fine program. The church was beautifully decorated with a small white picket fence across the platform, and another on the floor in front of it. The multi-colored snapdragons and red roses entwined in the fence depicted a garden scene in carrying out the theme "Summer Festival of Praise". All the children of the SS were used in the program. Several parents were present who do not regularly attend. Mary Dell Peterson, who is our program chairman, is to be commended on this fine program. She is especially gifted along this line, in writing new parts for skits, changing songs to fit into the occasion, etc. We appreciate her fine work.

The Upstreamers SS class sponsored a household shower for the Melvin Berry family whose house burned a few weeks ago. They lost nearly all their household furnishings. The shower was held Monday evening, June 14, in the church basement.

Two carloads of girls and mothers attended the girls camp picnic at Nampa on Tuesday afternoon, June 15. Because of the rain the "picnic" was held in the Nampa Friends church basement. The girls are looking forward to camp.

The C. E. had a swimming party and wiener roast at Givens Hot Springs Tuesday evening, June 15.

About a dozen 4-H club members made up the choir for SS on May 23 in observance of Rural Life Sunday. All of these girls are members of our SS. For the church service Mary Brown and Barbara Macy played a saxophone duet.

The prayer meeting group has been studying the book of Acts under the leadership of the pastor.

Our eighth grade graduates this year are Lois Macy, Judy Stephens, Linda Vanderhoff, Nancy Parker and Bryce Peterson.

The guild served the installation banquet for the Business and Professional Women's Club on Tuesday evening, May 25. The WMU met with Lois Vanderhoff on Friday, May 28. Roll call was answered with a poem about Mother.

A carload from our church attended the boys camp picnic at Lake Lowell on Friday, June 4.

Olive Mitchell received her degree from the College of Idaho on June 5. Ralph Beebe and Marilyn Barnes were our graduates at George Fox College. We are proud of these people and their achievements.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Barnes and Glen Beebe went to Newberg for the graduation. Mr. and Mrs. Barnes also went to hear Marilyn's recital the week before. They were accompanied by Mrs. Clayton Barnes and three daughters.

RIVERSIDE

Robert Morse, pastor

Following the morning service on May 16, a fellowship dinner was held on the church lawn. The event was in honor of our former pastors, Marvin Mardock, and family. The Mardocks will be in Kansas this coming year. The farewell gathering also honored Muriel Hoover, whose approaching marriage will take her away from our community.

On May 18, a bridal shower for Muriel was held at the Hoover home. A large gathering of relatives and friends presented her with many lovely gifts.

The Riverside DVBS opened May 26. "Pioneering with Christ" was our theme. All workers were local. We had a good attendance and profitable sessions. The school closed June 4, with a very good, and well attended program.

Alice Phillips, and son Billy and daughter Margaret, were with us May 30, for the SS and worship service. Mrs. Phillips was our SS superintendent before the family moved to Oregon. They were enroute to California, where they will make their home.

Many friends from Riverside attended the wedding of Muriel Hoover and Ernest Ostrim, at the Greenleaf church, June 14. The couple will make their home in Seattle, Wash. We wish them God's best. Muriel will be greatly missed in our services here, especially for her work with the young people, and in the SS.

We are glad to have Joyce Hoover back at Riverside again, after another year at GFC.

NEWBERG QUARTERLY MEETING

NEWBERG

John Fankhauser, pastor

A very successful DVBS closed with a program Friday evening, June 18. The Friends, Nazarene and Free Methodist churches joined in this two-weeks school held in the Friends church. Mrs. Elmer Gardner was director and had a good staff of teachers and workers. The enrollment was 197 and the average attendance was 135.

We were very glad to have Lloyd and Bertha Cressman in our services Sunday, June 6. Lloyd Cressman brought the morning message that day.

Donald McNichols spoke on the subject, "Talents: Buried or Invested?" to the graduating class of George Fox College at the baccalaureate exercises in our church, Sunday afternoon, May 30. Lloyd S. Cressman, president of Friends

University, delivered the commencement address at George Fox College, Friday morning, June 4, on the subject, "Education: Academic and Prophetic."

The Julia Pearson Missionary Society presented a play about Ann Judson to the SS May 30.

Mr. and Mrs. Sumner Mills from Philadelphia visited our services May 23. Sumner Mills brought a peace message to our SS.

The Ladies Aid has been meeting Tuesday afternoons with Edna Mills.

The WMU met in the fireplace room of the church June 17 with Jack Willcuts as guest speaker.

The Julia Pearson Missionary Society met with Mary Sandoz for a work night Tuesday evening, June 15.

Clark Smith presented the Spokane work at prayer meeting, June 23.

The boys and girls clubs are meeting every Thursday evening.

The high school Endeavorers are an active group under the sponsorship of Gene and Jean Smith. One Saturday they washed cars to raise funds for their work. One Thursday evening they mowed the church lawn.

Our sympathy is extended to Olive Elliott because of the death of her son, Meade G. Elliott, of Yakima, Wash.

Our prayers are with the many who are sick. Jessie Miles is in the Providence Hospital in Portland. Martha Green has been ill at her home for many weeks.

CHEHALEM CENTER

Scott and Grace Clark, pastors

"The fruit of the Righteous is a tree of life; but he that winneth souls is wise." Prov. 11:30.

Our church has received a new coat of paint, and we are very grateful for it.

Ferris Strait, who has been sick for some weeks, is able to be out again. The Lord has definitely undertaken, and we are encouraged.

Clem Brown will be leading the singing at the Idaho State Camp Meeting held at Star, Idaho, June 18-27.

Carol Ann Moor is planning to attend the Evangelical Friends Conference at Oskaloosa, Iowa, June 30-July 4th.

Our pastors will be teaching classes at the Quaker Hill C.E. camp in Idaho, July 9-16.

Larry and Anna Smith have gone to California to visit, and they may make that their home there.

We miss the students from George Fox College in our services.

SPRINGBROOK

Waldo Hicks, pastor

We are indeed happy to have our pastor remain with us the coming year. We appreciate the help of the family in our church and neighborhood. Bruce Hicks is now a sophomore in high school and David is a junior in Cascade College in Portland. During the summer David will continue his work in the laboratory at Emanuel Hospital. We pray God's blessing on the family as they work with us this year.

The WMU met at the home of Ruth Mills for their June meeting. Lela Tompkins read an interesting account of missionary aviation. Frances Hicks gave some inspiring items about our mission field in Bolivia.

Sunday evening, May 30th Cub Grimm from George Fox College led the C.E. He was accompanied by his wife and four other young people from the college. The group remained for the evening service and were a blessing in the meeting. Mrs. Grimm played two special numbers on the accordion.

June 11th, the C.E. sponsored a family night at the church. The junior and senior groups furnished music and Adah Peters gave a reading. The main feature on the program was a chalk talk by Laura Cook of Cascade College, Portland. Waldo Hicks sang "He Was Not Willing" during the drawing. Miss Cook was accompanied by Marilyn Burbank, also from Cascade. After the program a social time was enjoyed and refreshments were served. We thank the C.E. groups for a profitable evening.

Following prayer meeting June 16th a social time was held to honor Margaret Morgan who left the last of the week to attend a summer linguistic session at Caronport, Saskatchewan, Canada. She was given birthday cards and gifts to help her on her trip. Our prayers and best wishes go with Margaret.

At our Fathers' Day service the message was brought by Frank Higgins who is 87 years old and has been a minister

for 59 years. Preceding the message Charles Morgan paid tribute to this long life of Christian service. Frank Higgins, Waldo Hicks and Asa Butler sang "The Blessed Bible". We were happy to have Calvin and Melvin Wilkins and their children in our service, also Katherine Brown and two boys, and Dorothea and John Woods and baby daughter. Jodie and Ruth Eggers were also present. These were all former members or attenders of our church but have moved away.

SALEM QUARTERLY MEETING

MEDFORD

Clynton Crisman, pastor

The SS missionary offering for June was set aside for a home mission project, that of supplying bus transportation for the DVBS, making it possible for many children to attend who could not otherwise. Just before the Bible school started the church was contacted about a bus which was for sale at a reasonable price, so it was decided to purchase the bus rather than rent one. It will be used for SS, camp and many other activities where group transportation is needed.

A dedication service for the DVBS workers was held during the church service on June 13. At this writing, the school is half over and the highest attendance so far was 124.

Charlotte Macy has arrived to take up her duties as assistant to the pastor for two months this summer. Her first job has been to help in the DVBS as a teacher and giving object lessons each day.

The choir gave a short concert on Sunday evening, May 30, as a climax to the choir season.

Milo Ross was present and brought the morning message on June 6.

R. Ernest Lamb, a Friend of California Yearly Meeting, spoke on Wednesday evening, June 9.

The new SS rooms have all been painted and blackboards installed in each one. Following "Operation Paint" on Memorial Day, a potluck supper was enjoyed and two films, "London Crusade" about Billy Graham's campaign, and one about safe driving were shown.

The ladies gave a surprise birthday party for Marjorie Crisman on Monday evening, May 24th.

The Intermediate C.E. gave a party honoring the fathers on Friday evening, June 11. After a brief program, the party turned into a surprise birthday party for Clynton Crisman.

Esther Mae Moor's class of 7th and 8th grade girls had a swimming party and picnic at Ashland May 27.

Orrin Ogier's class of boys entertained Clynton Crisman's class at a swimming party in Ashland June 15, as a climax to a contest.

The high school group were invited to a birthday party for the Smith twins, Lary and Gary, on Friday evening, June 19.

Anna Mills and children and Wilma Williams have visited relatives and friends in Idaho recently.

EUGENE

Wayne Piersall, pastor

Greetings from your Friends in Eugene. We feel the Lord has been blessing our group in a wonderful way. Although several have been on vacation, etc., our services have been really good.

Dorothy Wickwire recently returned from Colorado where she spent her vacation with her family.

Lillian Frazier spent her vacation in California with friends and relatives.

Right at the present time, the Neumanns and the McCanns, minus the husbands, are away visiting relatives.

What, with Thelma Rose spending the summer in Sprague River, we have felt a slight summer slump, but are looking forward to when we will all be together again.

Recently we had the film, "Riot in Berlin". How our hearts ached for the people under communistic rule. It determined us to pray that communism may never reach our own country.

Our congratulations go to Doris Pearson upon graduating from Eugene high school in the upper 5% of the class. Doris is working at Millers Dept. store this summer, and plans to attend George Fox College this fall.

Did you know we have an "operation house"? Made possible by donation help, the Eugene Friends church will soon have a beautiful two-bedroom house for sale on Acorn

Park St., just off W. 18th. July 4th has been set as the finish date. It's going to take cooperation to achieve this goal, but that is "us" all over. The women have furnished hot meals on Saturdays for all who donate work.

June 18th saw a good crowd turn out for the SS picnic, held at Richardson's State Park. Horseshoes, soft ball, and plenty to eat lent a hand to the good time reported by everyone who attended.

We would like to take this means of saying thank you to all who are making the "Quaker Hour" possible over KASH in Eugene. It is with grateful hearts that we turn our radios on each Sunday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock. May the Lord reward each one of you.

The paint for the parsonage has been purchased, and before too long things will be having a new look.

We would like to thank the First Friends Church in Portland for sending our pastor some very helpful study books recently. This was very much appreciated by all of us.

Things are buzzing among our young people! June 25 and 26 is underlined in red. This is the date set for an all-night outing to the coast. The big question now is what to take—suntan lotion, or an umbrella and boots!

Our pastors were happy to have Earl and Ruth Crosse as their guests June 13th. Of interest to everyone was the fact they came clear from Cherry Grove, Wash., and still were on time for SS in Eugene. We appreciated these friends and their children in our services.

We are looking forward to having the George Bales family in our group very soon. George plans on attending the University of Oregon for his doctor's degree.

Several from our group are planning to attend camp Sa-wa-li-nais. Whether you come or not, let's pray that many of our young people will become anchored in their Christian experiences, in our summer camps.

Are you praying for the work in Eugene?

MARION

Hal May, pastor

The junior CE enjoyed a party on May 21st in the SS annex.

The young adult SS class met at the home of Morris and Edna Coulson for a social on May 28th.

On June 4th some of our members attended the George Fox College commencement at Newberg. Lea Wilkinson was one of the graduating class.

June 7-11 was our DVBS under the direction of Leta Hockett. Our theme was "Pioneering with Christ", and we covered two lessons each day. Our total enrollment was 64 and our average attendance was 53. A good group attended the demonstration program on Friday night.

Sunday the 13th we were privileged to have Dean Gregory bring the morning message. It was a real blessing to each of us.

On Wednesday night, the 16th, Beverly Lewis from the NHMS brought us a message concerning the work of the Mexican Border mission.

The WMU met for their regular meeting June 17th. The officers for the following year will be: president, Ethel Kindred; vice president, Portia Mardock; secretary-treasurer, Doris Sherwood. Lucy Hall had charge of the program for the day, and we tied a baby quilt for Bolivia following the program.

HIGHLAND AVENUE

Paul Barnett, pastor

The WMU held its monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Emma Lemon on May 27. Laura Brown brought the devotions and Nancy Mills presented the program on Child Evangelism. The group is working on quilt blocks at the present time. At the close of the meeting lovely refreshments were served by the hostess and her co-hostess, Mrs. Geneva Biles.

An adult Bible study class under the leadership of Paul Barnett has been organized for the summer months and are studying the book of Revelation.

DVBS is now in its second week (at this writing) with sessions each day from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon. The school will be climaxed by a program and exhibit of work accomplished on Friday, June 25, to which parents of the children and the entire church group are invited.

We are welcoming home our college young people for the summer months and appreciate their contribution to the worship services of the church.

The Ambassador SS class met for a potluck dinner and social time honoring the graduates on Thursday, June 17, in

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the church basement. A short business meeting followed the program of the evening.

Pray much for Highland that God's will may be done in everything and that individuals may come to a closer relationship with Him, thereby strengthening the church as a whole.

ASHLAND

Edward Harmon, pastor

DVBS of the Ashland Friends church was from June 3rd to June 12th. By having school Saturdays we were able to have nine days. This was done so as to have it before summer school started for the teachers and students. Enrollment was 60 with 51 being the highest attendance and 44 the average. This really made a houseful. For the first week teachers were Donna Hadley, Lois and Ed Harmon, and for the second week Lloyd and Leona Lyda and Lois and Ed Harmon. Through the DVBS we reached many new homes, and again the community was made aware of the church and its service to the community.

June has been a month when many of our people have been afflicted with sickness and accidents cutting down our attendance. We are in the process of refinancing our building so as to make the monthly payments smaller. Also it is hoped soon to put hide-a-way beds in the bedrooms so they can be folded up to make more room for SS classes.

This summer Lois is attending summer school while Ed cares for the children and studies for next year.

If any of you come this way be sure and stop and spend the night with us.

Please continue to remember Ashland in your prayers.

SCOTTS MILLS

Evert Tuning, pastor

Doris Tuning completed her 8th grade work this spring, and Merlin Hofstetter graduated from the Silverton high school with high honors, winning a scholarship amounting to around \$600 to Willamette University.

We appreciated the presence and testimony of Ella Hadley from First Friends church in Portland in a recent service. While here she was a guest in the Ralph Trescott and Ralph Mulkey homes.

The Gene Mulkey family have been called to Idaho because of a serious accident in which Nadine's father was involved.

On June 6, we had the pleasure of having Miss Geraldine Custer, R.N., with us. She is on furlough from Kivimba, Belgian Congo, Africa. Her message, accompanied with some very fine colored slides, was a great inspiration and blessing.

A carload attended the Brotherhood meeting held in Eugene the evening of June 11.

We appreciate a number of visitors in our services in the past few weeks. Margaret Longstroth, from Greenleaf, a sister of Virena Tuning, recently spent a week end at the parsonage.

The Will Magee family motored to Netarts June 13 in time for the morning service.

Our Yearly Meeting superintendent, Dean Gregory, called on us the evening of June 13 in the interest of our pastoral need; he also stayed for the service and brought great blessing and encouragement to us by his message in sermon and the song, "Grace Enough for Me."

Flodene and Connie Jarvill and Thelma Mulkey are assisting in a DVBS at Victor Point.

DVBS here at Scotts Mills was held May 31 to June 10, the first week of school being held in the mornings and the second week in the evenings because of the beginning of strawberry picking. However, we had a good Bible school and the children were very responsive to all the classes and also to the evangelistic messages. There was a good attendance of the parents for the closing evening.

Our church recently received a carton of 20 Bibles, a gift from an absent member, L. Earl Deans, of Cleveland, Ohio. We do thank the Lord and the donor. Our others were badly worn.

SOUTH SALEM

Frank Haskins, pastor

We were happy to have attend our evening services recently Milo Ross, Lowell Hurd, Kenneth and Edna Williams and two children, also Mr. and Mrs. Williams from Green-

leaf, Idaho, and their two grandchildren, whom they were visiting here in Salem.

We were blest by the message in song by Kenneth and the message from Acts 1 brought to us by Milo Ross.

The May WMU met in the home of Mrs. Adria Dearing. Mrs. Drinkwater, a missionary to the deaf, gave an interesting account of her work.

June 1st a banquet was given in our church basement by the young people in honor of our junior and senior hi graduates. Roger Smith, pastor at Pringle, gave the devotions. The speeches and musical numbers were given by the young people.

Our splendid seven-weeks "Loyalty Campaign" came to a close June 6th. We averaged 138 in our SS with 71 who came all seven Sundays.

May 27-28 the high school group of our church sponsored the evening services, with Dean Gregory bringing the messages, which were "God's Call to the Young People" and "Opportunity for Service in Oregon Yearly Meeting."

The Sunday morning and evening services of May 30 our Yearly Meeting superintendent brought the messages which were a blessing and inspiration to us.

The ladies of the church enjoyed giving a miscellaneous shower to Joyce Voth, a June bride, at the home of Mae Nordyke.

A week of DVBS was held June 7-11. The teachers were encouraged with the work and the blessing the children received.

Elizabeth Aebischer recently made an eight-day tour sponsored by the Board of Missions of Alaska. The group visited the churches, schools and missions sponsored by this board.

At the close of school Geneva Nordyke enjoyed a ten-day trip to Colorado with her sister Sandra, Klane and Lavelle Robison.

We are happy to have Helen Trachsel with us again this summer. She is living in the James Bishop home while working here in Salem.

At the close of the evening services, May 30, the 25th wedding anniversary of Mae and Homer Nordyke was observed. After a short program a "Silver Tree" was presented to the bride and groom. The silver was to be used to buy the present which they would most enjoy. Refreshments were served and we wished Mae and Homer many more happy years together.

BOISE VALLEY QUARTERLY MEETING

NAMPA

Marlin Witt, pastor

Did you ever hear the Greenleaf Academy choir sing? We very much enjoyed having them give us their final concert of the year, May 16. Seven of our own local young people were singing in this choir. Everett Craven, Jr., is the capable director.

About 100 people gathered at Lakeview Park House on Saturday night for a farewell reception and linen shower for the Harley Adams family. Harley's last piece of important labor in Nampa was the remodeling of our parsonage. It is now a three-bedroom house with an entirely new bathroom and a modernized front. Quite a bit of finishing work is yet to be done before it will be ready for our pastor in the fall.

Harvey Campbell was the capable superintendent of our DVBS June 1-11. The complete attendance, pupils and teachers, went as high as 137 on one day, but the average attendance of boys and girls was about 109. The daily offering taken at the assembly amounted to \$16.05, and was for the Bolivia Bible School. The theme was Pioneers for Christ. Esther Cossell came from Caldwell each day to give the chapel message. Many of the boys and girls sought the Lord at the altar.

MELBA

Sheldon Newkirk, pastor

We were favored with a musical evening presented by the Academy choir recently. After the program refreshments of cupcakes and punch were served to the choir members.

The local Brotherhood met this month at the John Farnar home. After the meeting refreshments were served by the host.

Louise Clarkson opened her home for the WMU meeting. Work continued on aprons for the Bolivian field. Refresh-

ments were enjoyed after the work.

On Mother's Day Mrs. Bolitho was honored as the eldest mother present. Also honored were Wanda Clarkson as the youngest mother and Mrs. Peck, Mrs. Small and Mrs. Govom as mothers with the most children present.

The boys camp picnic was well attended at Lake Lowell. The girls camp picnic was held in the Nampa Friends church basement.

Recreation nights in the new Educational Unit are being enjoyed by the Jr. CE and young people's CE group. Ping pong, badminton, shuffleboard, and basketball are among the most popular games.

DVBS was a time of growth and new spiritual achievement for the boys and girls of Melba, with definite victories. There was an average attendance of over 100.

Among the classes enjoying parties given by their teachers this summer have been Mrs. Phillip's class, Dorothy Cotner's, Raymond Newkirk's and Tom Cotner's.

As this is written a surprise party is being planned by the young people for their teacher, Katherine Burton. At this time they intend to present her with a gift in appreciation for her years of service and devotion.

Sunday night the visit of the Ralph Chapman family proved to be a time of inspiration.

Those who know Melba's former record as a baseball team may be surprised and interested to hear of a victory won the other night over the town girl's team.

Among those ill in the hospital are Hattie Bolitho and Bonnie Stokes, sister of Carl Bloomer.

WHITNEY

Walter Lee, pastor

Even though you haven't heard from us for several months, we have been very busy, and the Lord has been most richly and graciously helping, blessing, and encouraging us in our ministry for Him and in His name.

We feel the Lord was indeed good to us in enabling us to secure Walter Lee as our pastor, when our beloved pastor, Richard Wiles, passed away at midyear. He preached under the anointing of the Spirit, and his messages are a help and blessing to all of us. He is also leading us in a study of the book of Romans during our prayer meeting, and all who miss these Bible studies are missing a time of rich spiritual feasting.

The Willis Fritschle family have been worshipping with us for 2 or 3 months, and we are trusting that they will soon be coming in with us as members. Willis is now sponsoring the junior C.E.

Mr. Ben Porter, father of two of our younger members, Mrs. Bertha Fitch and Miss Hope Porter, has been in an iron lung for at least 15 weeks. But we are happy to report that in answer to a volume of believing prayer he is now slowly recovering. Though he is lying in the iron lung he has such a rich experience in the Lord, that he is a real benediction and blessing to all who visit him.

Two of our older members are ill. Mrs. Viola Neider is in a Sanitarium at Gooding, Idaho, but is recovering and we trust she will soon be able to be with us again. Mrs. Eva Downing is ill in her home, and we are praying for her speedy recovery.

Our WMU recently helped a family that was burned out, with clothing and bedding. They held their last meeting in the home of Hazel Murphy June 3rd, at which time officers for next year were chosen. Mrs. Beula Marks was elected the new president.

Our young people are attending both the Sunday a. m. and evening services in a group. They had charge of the evening service May 30th, at which time our new church orchestra, under the direction of Allan Olson, made its first appearance. This was a very different and also a most rich and gracious service.

Our young people are assuming more and more of the responsibility of the leadership of our church. Milton Fitch and Edward Oswald were chosen as the two head ushers for next year. Allan Olson was chosen as chorister; and Marvin Sheirbon was chosen as assistant-superintendent, under our very efficient superintendent, Beula Marks. A number of our young men and women are teaching classes in our SS. Marvin Sheirbon and Robert Marks have been appointed as ushers for SS.

We were happy to have Fred Harris, from Greenleaf, worship with us Sunday a. m. June 6th.

We dismissed our evening service June 6th so that all who wished could attend Boise First Church and hear the a cappella

choir from Cascade College.

During May we had 2 work nights during which the men and women gathered and spent the evening painting the benches in the primary department of our SS, and doing other work in our new basement.

Mrs. Mary Wardle, and small daughter Judy, left June 10th to spend the summer in Alaska with Mr. Wardle.

We are happy to have Wendell and Hazel Murphy back with us again, after spending the winter in California.

The week of June 21st being work week at Quaker Hill, the Elvin Moon family plan to spend that week there, she to help with the cooking, and he to be in charge of putting a new concrete floor in the dining hall.

Our DVBS started June 7th to continue through the 18th. Floy Campbell, superintendent, reported that the attendance was very good the first week, and our pastor who is assisting, reported that the children have been very faithful in attendance. The theme of the DVBS being "Pioneering with Christ", a pioneer picnic for both pupils and parents is planned for the close of the school June 18. Then June 20th being "Father's Day", immediately following the opening exercises of SS, the DVBS program is to be presented, after which there will be a short service in honor of the fathers of our community. We are trusting that not only the fathers of our church, but also many of the fathers of the children attending DVBS will be in attendance.

WOODLAND

William Harold, pastor

DVBS closed Friday, June 18, with a very interesting and well presented program given at 8:00 p. m. The teachers, helpers and boys and girls all agreed that it was a very profitable two weeks. Many were drawn closer to the Lord. Several definite decisions were made to serve the Lord better.

Many blessings have been received during the two weeks revival meetings which will close Sunday June 20. Dorwin Smith, of Star, Idaho, was our evangelist. Marieta and the children, Charles and Marian, accompanied Dorwin and were guests at the home of Arden and Hazel George.

Lydia George returned from visiting her daughters, bringing her granddaughter, Elizabeth Carrick, home with her for a visit.

We are happy to have some of our college young people, Jean Foley, and Jennie and John Adams, home for the summer. Jean Foley graduated from GFC on June 4, John Adams completed his sophomore year at GFC, while Jennie Adams completed her junior year at O. T. L., Oretech, Ore.

Pope and Pearl Adams, John and Miriam, and William Myers went to Portland Friday, June 11, to attend the graduation exercises at the University of Oregon School of Nursing. Betty Adams graduated from that school on June 11. Jennie Adams returned home with them on Monday, June 14.

Fred and Lefa Williams went to Greenleaf, on May 28 to attend the graduation exercises at NNC and to be at the wedding of their daughter, Georgia Mae Williams graduated from NNC on May 31. Her marriage to Phillip Lamm, of Greenleaf, took place the evening of June 1. We all wish this young couple God's richest blessing upon their lives.

John Williams, accompanied by a friend, returned with his parents, Fred and Lefa Williams, for a short visit.

Gay Foley was home for a week the last of May. A friend, Margaret Dickson, of Drain, Oregon, came with her for a visit. When Gay and Margaret returned (Gay to enter summer school and Margaret to her home), Wayne Foley went with them. They all attended the graduation exercises at GFC. Jean Foley came home with her father, Wayne, on June 6.

BOISE

Russel Stands, pastor

The Gideons had charge of the evening service on May 23rd. Mr. E. S. Travis spoke and presented a picture of their work. We feel that this is a channel of the Spirit's power to be poured out on the world.

We were happy to have the following visitors in the Sunday morning service May 30th: Mr. and Mrs. Bill Newby (Gladys Shook), Mrs. Vaughn Anderson, daughter of Mrs. Lula Van Horn, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Martin and Mrs. Mattie Martin, Frances Stands' mother and brother and sister-in-law and Mrs. Grace Neff's son Everett.

The young adult SS class held a box social at the home of Dumas and Ruth Freeman on Thursday evening May 20th.

The evening service on Sunday May 30th was sponsored by the CE. Lois True, from the Nazarene church in Coburn, Colorado, brought the message. Special music was furnished by Miss True's co-workers.

Leaving soon to make their home in the Willamette valley are Don and Josephine Moore and family. A farewell party was given them after prayer meeting June 2nd. A gift was presented to them from the members of the church.

The WMU met Thursday, June 3rd, in the church basement, with Frances Stands and Lucille Mylander as hostesses. A handkerchief shower was given to Josephine Moore.

Boys' camp picnic was held Friday, June 4th, at Lake Lowell near Nampa. This was for all boys between the ages of 9 and 14, also for the fathers and sponsors. The girls' camp picnic was Tuesday, June 15th, at the Lakeview Park in Nampa.

Visiting friends and relatives in Boise Valley this month were Everett and Tamson Craven from Ramona, Calif.

The a cappella choir of Cascade College, from Portland, presented a sacred concert here Sunday evening June 6th. We thank God for the influence of Christian colleges. We know that they help to make our nation Christian.

YEARLY MEETING PROGRAM (Concluded from page 2)

- 11:20 a.m. Inspirational Message
—Merle A. Roe
- 2:00 p.m. Business
- 2:50 p.m. Board of Evangelism
- 4:00 p.m. Announcements
- 8:00 p.m. Ministers Recognition Service
Evangelistic Service
—Merle A. Roe

TUESDAY - AUGUST 17

- 8:00 a.m. Morning Devotions
- 9:30 a.m. Business
- 10:00 a.m. Board of Publication
- 11:10 a.m. Announcements
- 11:20 a.m. Inspirational Message
—Merle A. Roe
- 2:00 p.m. Business
- 2:50 p.m. Board of Missions
- 4:00 p.m. Closing Minutes

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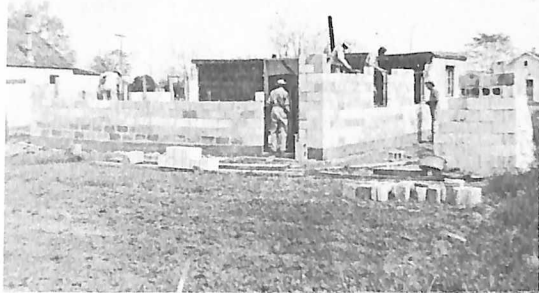
BROTHERHOOD PRESIDENT

It is nearing time for Yearly Meeting, so it is time to remember what has been accomplished, and yet make plans for coming events. I will have a detailed report to present at Yearly Meeting, but this will be in addition. The thing that has taken much of our thinking and planning is the construction of the church building in Spokane, Washington. We have reason to believe that the job is getting much nearer done than it was the first of the year. Clark Smith has been in Portland quarter with moving pictures showing how the building is progressing. The overhead beams are in place, and the roof is on, with only the shingles lacking. Money for the brick which is to be used as veneer started coming in when some of the boys started giving their bicycle money. One little fellow in particular who is seven years old started the ball rolling in this way. Enough has come in to pay for over 1000 bricks, and more is coming in all of the time. It will take 8000 brick to do the job, so there is yet some money to be raised.

As this is the last year they are expecting help from the Brotherhood, per statement from Clark Smith last fall, it is very essential that we do our best to see the building in condition to insure their occupancy by September when the school house where they are now meeting will no longer be available. One gift of \$1000 has been given quite recently with the hope that others will see the vision of a church building where the people of Spokane will be happy to invite those in the neighborhood to come in with them to worship.

Plans for the Brotherhood banquet are shaping up. The speaker is to be Dorwin Smith. He is pastor at Star, Idaho, and is clerk of the Yearly Meeting. There is to be special music, both vocal and instrumental, and a business meeting which we hope will not be too long. There is business that needs to be taken care of though, so we'll try to get it over with as early as possible. More details of the evening's program will be available prior to Yearly Meeting so every man who is coming will be informed of all necessary details.

—David Pruitt.



New addition to the Friends church at Cambridge, Idaho. Picture taken May 15.

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