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Stewardship in the Spirit

By Louise Dagner*

THE Word of God indicates that the spirit of the Christian steward is as important as the service rendered.

Regarding tithing, Jesus said to the Pharisees: "Ye tithe the mint and rue and all manner of herbs and pass over judgment (justice) and the love of God. These ought ye to have done and not to leave the other undone" (Luke 11:42). What they had done was outweighed by what they had not done. Their tithes, even to the smallest garden produce, did not mean anything to the Lord when their hearts were lacking in love toward God and man.

As the poet has said, "The gift, without the giver, is bare." In 2 Cor. 9:7 we are instructed to "give; not grudgingly, or of necessity; for God loveth a cheerful (hilarious) giver." Rom. 12:8, "He that giveth let him do it with simplicity." Matt. 6:3, "Let not thy left hand know what thy right hand doeth." These Scriptures call for more than money. Jesus pointed out as an example of such giving, not someone who had made a large contribution, but the poor widow who gave two mites willingly and sacrificially.

Other Christian duties are brought to our attention in Rom. 12:8, with emphasis on the manner in which they are to be performed. "He that ruleth (let him do it) with diligence; he that sheweth mercy, with cheerfulness." Gal. 2:9 calls some Christians "pillars" in the church. Pillars in a building stand year after year holding up the weight of the roof. On occasions, some of them may be adorned with flowers or greenery, but most of them are never decorated. Just so, God's pillars stand for twenty, thirty, forty years or more, carrying the responsibilities of the church, with little recognition for their service as far as man is concerned. Their work is done "heartily as to the Lord (however) and not unto men" (Col. 3:23).

On the other hand, laborers for the Lord may find themselves unexpectedly cut off from Christian service. The right spirit in such a time brings glory to God. For instance, Paul and Silas, when compelled to discontinue their preaching, and were cast into prison, prayed and sang praises to God. Suddenly an earthquake opened the prison doors! The keeper, thinking the prisoners had escaped, would have taken his life, but was restrained by Paul, whereupon he inquired regarding the way of salvation, and he and all his house were saved. If the Christian prisoners had repined instead of rejoiced, there would most likely have been no earthquake, and no conviction, and no salvation for this household.

Likewise, many years later John Bunyan was thrown into Bedford (England) jail for preaching the Word. He left this record: "I was happy in

jail, and for joy I sat me down and wrote and wrote and wrote." If he had sat disconsolately bemoaning his fate, there would have been no "Pilgrim's Progress" written.

Two young women had prepared for their respective missionary fields. To their regret, neither ever crossed the ocean. One of them found it necessary to care for an ill and aged father. She declared that God was unjust to keep her from her chosen work. The other, rejected because of her own poor health, was intensely disappointed, but insisted that God knew what was best. She who complained against God brought reproach to His name. She who committed herself to His will, grew in grace and became one of whom it can be truly said: She has "the tongue of the learned. . . (to) know how to speak a word in season to him that is weary" (Isa. 50:4).

How important it is to have the right heart attitude. God asks, not only for quantity (much giving and going), but for quality, as well. He wants not only the tithe, but loving hearted tithers; not only the gifts, but willing givers; not only the activities of church members, but patient and humble servants; not only the services of foreign missionaries, but yielded hearts; not only the prayers of shut-ins, but rejoicing spirits behind the prison bars of affliction.

The spirit of the steward counts with God as well as his work; and by being filled with the Holy Spirit and led of Him, the Christian will be able to maintain the right spirit.

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Operation Tent Evangelism

By Jack L. Willcuts

FIVE of us knelt together in prayer by candle-light. The next morning was to be launched the four-month series of gospel tent meetings in unevangelized areas of the highlands by the four national evangelists presented to the Junta Anual as the "first missionaries of the Bolivian Friends National Church".

Personnel

Mariano Bautista, 48, former president of the National Church and former pastor of the La Paz church, who the past months has pioneered in opening new points in the Yungas area, held his Bible close to the flickering candle at the foot of the bed. Tears were on his cheeks, and his voice trembled unnaturally as he spoke, "The Lord has given me a promise for this new work." His Bible was opened to Joshua 1, he read from verse 3, "Everyplace that the sole of your foot shall tread upon, that have I given you. . . I will be with thee. I will not fail thee, nor forsake thee. . . Be strong and of good courage."

Mariano, who had left a sick wife at home mentioned the possibilities of persecution and other problems, but reiterated his intention of following his call to the end.

Feliciano Sirpa, a veteran of the mission had hesitated to come because of ill health, and also the week before had suffered a tragic sorrow when it became necessary to expel his son from Bible School on a morals charge, leafed through his Bible to Acts 23:11, "And the night following the Lord stood by him, and said, Be of good cheer, Paul; for as thou hast testified of me in Jerusalem, so must thou bear witness also at Rome." He then spoke briefly of various occasions when God had led, protected, blessed and used him.

After singing, "There Is a Fountain Filled With Blood," we knelt as a group in prayer with many tears and "hallelujahs!"

Purpose

It is accepted that national evangelists can better reach their own people than others. The goal of the Mesa Directiva of the National Church is to penetrate the fringe and untouched areas of our field in a major attempt at mass evangelism.

Crossing the straits by ferry-boat and driving the 15 or 20 miles onto the peninsula, we arrived finally at the village of Parquipujio, right on the Peruvian border. The local officials were quite astonished at the sight of our equipage—a 40 by 60 foot tent, public address system, portable light plant, etc., but upon studying our government-issued authorizations for such meetings, they eventually offered us the local soccer field for pitching the tent. They even named a committee of local loafers to help us set it up! Less than 75 feet from the lake's edge, in the center of a little valley where dozens of Indian huts looked down upon this unprecedented performance, we erected the gospel tent.

Program

It was market day in Parquipujio. So, three of the evangelists took Bible picture rolls and an easel to the market plaza for open-air preaching. Printed announcements and tracts were given out.

Tension mounted as the hour drew near for the first service. Would the people come into the tent? If so, in what sort of mood might they be? Finally 7:30 p.m. arrived, and just as a few were coming in, the light plant motor coughed and died! Two of us rushed out to fix things, (cleaning a quantity of water from the gas line), while the others whipped out a gasoline lantern and began the service. When we returned there were well over 200 people in the tent, listening quietly and respectfully to Baltazar give his testimony. Mariano at the folding organ led in "He's the Lily of the Valley", and "What a Friend We Have in Jesus". Feliciano prayed. The crowd stood in an attitude of being ready to run out at a moment's notice if it seemed advisable. All left their hats on—but they stayed for two hours without a disturbance. Colored Bible slides were shown, the gospel explained, the workers gave their personal testimonies, and seekers were invited to pray. Sixteen remained for prayer. Probably less than 20 of the 200 plus had ever been in a gospel service before.

In the morning, by 8:00 o'clock a gang of children were poking their heads under the tent flaps, so children's meetings were announced for 9:00 a.m. Two of the workers used flannel-graph lessons for this. The other two took a phonograph and gospel recordings, literature and Bibles as I hauled them up the road five miles or so where they began to walk back in house-to-house visitation. I continued on another ten miles to arrange for the next location for a tent meeting.

Saturday morning the Hibbs' family with Roscoe Knight motored in the mission launch across the lake with a group of Bible School students to assist in meetings over the weekend.

Problems

Just after the first night service had closed and the crowd had gone, three Peruvian officials crossed the border and marched into the tent demanding to know what was going on. One of them was quite drunk and insulting. He declared we had better not go further. We assured him we had no intention of crossing the border now. He raved and shouted awhile, making various extravagant threats, but was at last persuaded by his companions to leave, much to our relief, as he carried a gun.

Prayer

All our Bolivian churches are called to special prayer for this campaign, asking that it may spark the flames of a real, Holy Ghost revival that may sweep our field and all Bolivia. It is our confidence that you at home will join us too as we open Operation Tent Evangelism this year.

*Member of McKinley Avenue Friends church, Tacoma, Washington.

Yearly Meeting Finances

From the Financial Secretary

FIXED EXPENSE Quarterly Meeting

	Rec'd in April	Total Receipts for 1954-55	Q. M. Quota
Boise Valley	\$	\$ 922.22	\$1301.62
Greenleaf	118.95	1223.34	1584.80
Newberg	102.36	1005.08	1360.18
Portland	168.82	1909.44	3037.12
Puget Sound		416.30	1055.89
Salem	60.74	\$ 761.10	1259.39
Total	\$450.87	\$6237.48	\$9599.00

UNITED BUDGET Quarterly Meeting

	Rec'd in Apr.	Total Rec'ts	Pledge for 1954-55
Boise Valley	\$	\$2325.28	\$3030.00
Greenleaf	404.20	3282.56	4740.00
Newberg	263.03	2483.12	2800.00
Portland	1014.77	4973.15	7005.00
Puget Sound	4.37	1121.81	980.00
Salem	180.16	1644.36	2515.00
Total	\$1866.53	\$15830.28	\$21070.00

Remarks:

The monthly report of our Yearly Meeting treasurer shows a very critical condition in the Yearly Meeting finances. You will see what is happening when you realize that from a total income for United Budget of only \$1866.53 we must pay out over \$2200.00 in salaries alone, besides other expenses. As of May 1 there was only enough in the Mission Board general fund to pay two weeks' salaries to our missionaries, the Board of Evangelism is away in the red, and the Board of Publication is so desperately in need of money that it is having to cut down on the size of the Northwest Friend in order to conserve funds.

As we come to the close of the year, let's try to get in all of our United Budget pledges, and then go beyond to help these hard-pressed boards as they try to do a full-time job with only half-time finances. Remember, only a nickel a day from each resident active member more than meets the askings of the boards.

As we look into the next year it is only by faith that the boards can plan a full program. Faith in God and in the people of Oregon Yearly Meeting. A few pledges to the United Budget for 1955-56 have come in. These few are exactly the same as the ones from the same churches last year. I trust that this is not a definite trend, for if it is it can only mean one thing—THE WORK OF EACH OF THE BOARDS OF OREGON YEARLY MEETING WILL HAVE TO BE SEVERELY CURTAILED NEXT YEAR. It could well mean that some missionaries would have to be withdrawn from the field in the face of the greatest missionary opportunity that we have known in the 25 years of our work in Bolivia. It could well mean that some new churches could not be opened this year by the Board of Evangelism. It would mean that the Board of Publication would have to further curtail its work. We could go on down the list, but surely this is enough. If only you and You and YOU, the members of Oregon Yearly Meeting, could get a vision of the work, and pledge a minimum of 5¢ per day per resident active member, we would have a fully-pledged budget and money to spare. Surely God wants us to do that much for the expansion of His kingdom here on earth. I am firmly convinced that as we view the CHALLENGE before us as members of Oregon Yearly Meeting, that each meeting should pledge enough to the United Budget so that we will have to give sacrificially to meet it each month. May God bless you as you consider your responsibility in this matter.



W M U News

Some unions have been asking about sending things to Bolivia by the Cavits. Here is what Catherine Cavit says:

"I don't think we will have our packing done before we come west in August. We will be glad to take anything you care to send to the missionaries there in Bolivia. However, we may not have room in our car to bring everything back. You may mail them to us here, 306 N. Vance Street, Carey, Ohio, any time until September. We are not planning on packing anything until we return to Ohio in September. Feel free to send whatever you wish with us when we return to Bolivia."

It's time to think of reports again, especially on READING. All union presidents are requested to mail the names of those completing the reading schedule as soon as possible to Mildred H. Brown, Apt. 7, 1417 1/2 Division, Spokane 1, Wash., after July 1st. Thanks!

From the Board of CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

"PRESENTING MISSIONS IN THE SUNDAY SCHOOL", a new book by Esther Cammack Rand, published by the Boards of Missions and Christian Education, is now ready. These novel and effective ideas for an interesting presentation of missions have been worked out and used by Esther Rand, sister of Paul Cammack, in her position as Missionary Chairman of her own church. There are more than enough ideas for a full year of monthly missionary features in the Sunday school. Many of the ideas would be equally effective for use in Women's Missionary Union programs. Included in the book is a Sunday school Christmas program with a missionary theme.

The book, consisting of twenty-six mimeographed pages with an attractive printed cover, will sell for 50¢. Send your order to the Yearly Meeting office.

For Sale

Church building bonds by Eugene Friends church. Denominations of \$50 to \$500, paying 5% interest. Maturity dates from one to fourteen years. Write: Wayne Piersall, 1854 Arthur, Eugene, Oregon.

FRIENDS BROTHERHOOD



Above is a scene at the close of the meeting for worship on a recent Sunday morning at Holly Park Friends church, Seattle—project of the Oregon Yearly Meeting of Friends Brotherhood. Meetings are being held in the crowded confines of this parsonage, in the garage, in cars and in neighboring homes.

To the right of the parsonage, across the side street, is the site of the proposed new Holly Park church. Men of the Yearly Meeting are asked to participate in the financial needs of this promising project. Above all else, PRAY for God's direction.



PORTLAND Q.M. BROTHERHOOD

Portland Friends Brotherhood met at Forest Home church on May 16 with 58 men uniting in a time of Christian fellowship around the dinner table. Walter Bolitho, vice-president, directed the meeting, said to be outstanding in spiritual blessing and interest.

Elected to serve the Portland area men through 1955-56 were: Walter King, Vancouver, president; Dell Lamb, Parkrose, vice-president; Dale Darling, Oak Park, secretary; Walter Bolitho, Maplewood, treasurer; Wilbur Pressnall, Piedmont, project chairman; and Dean Lindgren, Forest Home, promotion.

Wilmer Brown, Northwest NAE director, spoke on "Evangelical Men on the March for God." Wilmer played several hymns on his musical saws to the delight of the men.



ITEMS OF INTEREST

Notice

You have probably already noticed that the Northwest Friend this month is cut down in size to twelve pages. This has been made necessary by the acute financial situation in the Yearly Meeting. We hope this is only temporary, and that soon we can restore our paper to its normal size. Because of the limited number of pages, we are having to cut down the space allotted to each department. We are also having to limit all church news to not more than 200 words each.

—Editor.

ABOUT DIRECTIONAL SIGNS

Friends church directional signs will become a reality as soon as there are orders for at least 100 of them.

Orders for these directional signs are now coming in, and when orders and money for 100 of them have arrived, an order will be placed for the making of these directional signs.

For a more complete story of the church directional signs for the Friends church of Oregon Yearly Meeting, please read minutes 77, and 90, pages 45 and 50 in the 1954 Yearly Meeting minutes.

It is requested that money for the signs be sent along with the orders.

One hundred of these signs will cost \$475.00. If each church would send us \$5.00 for a sign, this would give us .25¢ per sign for mailing them out to our various churches.

On behalf of the Church Sign Committee,
Milo C. Ross, president.

Log of the "QUAKER HOUR"

Heard every Sunday on the following stations:

KFXD—Nampa, Idaho; 550 kc; 5,000 w, 9:00 a. m.

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

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

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

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

KSEW—Sitka, Alaska; 1400 kc; 9:30 p. m.

KWNW—Wenatchee, Washington; 1340 kc; 250 w, 8:30 a. m.

KTRB—Modesta, California; 860 kc; 10,000 w, 2:00 p. m.

KFBI—Wichita, Kansas.

EUGENE'S PLAN OF FINANCING

Eugene Friends are ready to build! The ground-breaking is scheduled for May 29th. We feel fortunate in having secured a beautiful wooded two-acre tract in west suburban Eugene in a rapidly growing residential area. Donald Edmundson has drawn the plans for our first unit. It is an economical practical plan that can be built largely by volunteer labor. The meeting has thoroughly investigated and adopted the "Broadway Plan" of church finance.

This plan has been used successfully by several Eugene churches of other denominations, and by some of our own Friends churches in other areas.

The first unit will cost approximately \$10,000 to erect, so that is the amount of bonds we hope to sell. The business will be transacted through the First National Bank of Portland, Eugene branch. The bonds are in denominations of \$500, \$250, \$100 and \$50 with 5% interest every six months. Interest coupons and bonds may be cashed at any bank when due. Our meeting is obligated to pay a prescribed amount to the bank each week to take care of interest and maturing bonds. The various bonds mature in one to fourteen years.

Through our local efforts, approximately \$2,000 of bonds have been sold. Are there those reading this article who have savings accounts or other money paying small returns who would like to earn 5% on their investment and help build a church at the same time?

For further information write, Wayne Piersall, 1854 Arthur, Eugene, Oregon.

DEATHS

SMITH.—Mrs. Charles Smith of Greenleaf, Idaho, passed away May 16 in a Caldwell hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Smith observed their 76th wedding anniversary April 13 at their home. Their children are Nellie Roberts, of Greenleaf; Anna Benstead, of South Sioux City, Nebr.; and Cloyd Smith, of Greenleaf.

HOSKINS.—Services for Mrs. Mary Kirkhart Hoskins, who passed away April 20, were held at Greenleaf, Idaho, April 23.

GARDINER.—Albert T. Gardiner, 82, member of Newberg meeting since 1948, passed away in Salem, April 24. A memorial service was held at Newberg Friends church in connection with prayer.

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Notice

A typographical error occurs on the back cover of the Yearly Meeting Minutes regarding the date of Yearly Meeting this year. The correct date for Yearly Meeting is August 18-23, and will be held at Greenleaf, Idaho. We are sorry for this error. Please make the correction on your calendar.

AROUND GEORGE FOX COLLEGE

WHAT ABOUT YOUR BLIND SPOT?

By Milo C. Ross

During the last several weeks, I have taken part in twenty-two of our Friends meetings across the Yearly Meeting, and in many of these appearances I have stated the claims of the college. I have been entertained graciously in many of your homes and have talked with prospective students and dozens of the spiritual leaders of our churches. Out of these conversations, a conviction has grown on me that many of us have a "blind-spot" in relation to Christian education in general and George Fox College in particular. May I illustrate?

To many, Christian education is very secondary to evangelism, or at least, we do not see the connection between initial evangelism and the educational processes. It has long been my belief that it is equally important in the work of the church to educate, develop and conserve the gains of evangelism as it is to bring a person to Christ for the first time. Jesus said in the Great Commission: "Go and teach all nations. . . ." True Christian education is an integral part of the total work of the church. We cannot disregard it, or eliminate it, except at our peril.

Christian education is a life-long project. We see the value of our Christian homes with their impact upon youth from the earliest years. We give our prayers and energies to our Sunday schools, beginning with the nursery and the cradle roll. We surround our children and youth with every advantage of Christian Endeavor societies, clubs, summer camps, singspirations, revival meetings, and even Christian grade and high schools. We are interested in placing those called to special full-time service in positions of church leadership. But right there we have a "blind-spot"! Do we see the value of the four years in their lives during which they must mature into young manhood and womanhood, pass through the period of doubt, learn to use the tools of modern living, perhaps accept the responsibilities of married life, coming back into our homes and churches better than when they left us? We carry our youth through all of their days up to college, and then expect them to come forth, full blown, at the age of twenty-two and ready to demonstrate the spirit of consecration, simplicity, holy zeal, modesty, etc.; but does our sustaining them continue through perhaps the most crucial period of their young lives?

Can we not see that these years should, if at all possible, be spent in a Christian atmosphere under the tutelage of a consecrated faculty? The convictions and experiences which come to us through grace, and especially the truths held precious from our Quaker heritage, cannot be accepted and learned in any environment as well as in a Quaker school true to the Faith.

The advantages gained in the earlier training may well be lost if the youth is set adrift too

soon. We pray for our pastors, missionaries, Sunday school workers, and others of whom we know, but do we pray for the teachers of our pastors, missionaries and Sunday school workers? We remember in our interest the several institutions of the church—summer camps, outpost churches, building projects, specific needs of the mission fields—all of them greatly in need of our interest and support—but do we have a genuine and deep concern for our Quaker college, which is the fountain-head of all these worthy works? We give of our tithes and offerings to support the local church, and then the United Budget and other benevolences; but how high is George Fox College on our list of necessities?

I recall as a boy, the first time one of our pastors advanced the claims of the grace of stewardship and tithing. Again, another one came through with a very convincing ministry on the second coming of Christ. Many of us recall the early days of our summer camp movement, which has been greatly honored of the Lord, but not without some initial misgivings and opposition. There was some hesitancy concerning our entering the Boliyan mission field. It was a difficult thing to launch the outpost program, what with a lack of vision and little finance. But who among us now holds back on any or all of these great areas of our interest and support? We not only carry them on in a commendable fashion to the glory of God and the upbuilding of the church, but we are happy and proud in the accomplishment! May we not extend ourselves increasingly into the important and vital support of our college!

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meeting on Wednesday evening, May 18, in charge of Charles Beals and John Fankhauser. Besides his wife, Myrtle, he is survived by a son in California, a daughter in Alabama, sister in New Orleans, La., three great-grandsons and one great-granddaughter.

BOLITHO.—Hattie M. Bolitho passed to her heavenly home at Melba, Idaho, May 5th, 1955 at the age of 84 years. She was a faithful member and tither of Melba Friends church.

CLOUD.—Patricia Ann, two and one-half year old daughter of Melvin and Donna Cloud, of Metolius, Oregon, went to be with her Maker, May 7, 1955, as the result of accidental body burns. Gene Hockett was in charge of the graveside services.

BIRTHS

STANSELL.—To Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stansell, Homedale, Idaho, a daughter, Connie Louise, born May 5, 1955.

MEREDITH.—To Jim and Susan Meredith, Seattle, Washington, a daughter, Barbara Jean, born May 14, 1955.

PERISHO.—To Arthur and Patsy Perisho, Caldwell, Idaho, a daughter, Priscilla Jean, born May 18, 1955.

AMONG THE CHURCHES

PORTLAND QUARTERLY MEETING

VANCOUVER FIRST FRIENDS Merrill Coffin, pastor

On Mother's Day Sunday morning our SS superintendent gave away four different plants to some of our mothers—Mrs. Normalee Meade, youngest mother; Mrs. Smith, oldest mother; Mrs. Frank Galloway, mother with the most children; Mrs. Ellen Hancuff, mother with next to the most children. In both SS and church services we enjoyed the message in song and flannelgraph from young people of Cascade College. The Mother's Day Sunday evening service was presented by our WMU. Guest speaker was Dr. Willard Aldridge, and guest soloist was Mrs. Olson.

The men of our church gave a mother and daughter banquet. The men cooked and served the delicious meal, and then did the dishes. After the meal Jesse Bacon led devotions, then we were entertained by two pictures; one about the atom and the other a scenic picture of Oklahoma.

We very much enjoyed the music of the choir of GFC when they presented a concert at our church on May 1st. We served a luncheon in the basement of the church after the concert.

The adult SS classes have been having their regular monthly business and social meetings.

SECOND FRIENDS (Portland) Kenneth Williams, pastor

Mrs. Etta Baker, mother of Ruth Baker, is in Portland Sanitarium where her condition is very serious.

Our own Grandma Denny in the Madison Rest Home seriously ill is somewhat improved.

Mrs. Nettie Littlefield, who is living with her daughter Violet, has been back in our services the past week.

The May WMU met at the church. After a short business session the meeting was turned over to the program committee. Following a reading and a duet, Helen Trachsel showed her slides, and told of her parents work in Formosa.

The girls club planned and served a dinner for their mothers May 16. The attendance was excellent, the food delicious, and the program by the girls was very good.

The senior CE enjoyed a progressive dinner last Friday evening. Shrimp cocktails were served at Nola Froemke's, the soup and salad at the Jim Meireis' home, the entree at Dale Lewis', and the dessert at Raymond Belles', where the group finished the evening watching TV.

OAK PARK J. Earl Geil, pastor

The Portland Quarterly Meeting was held here at our church this year, April 24, with a very good attendance. A ham dinner was served to about 177.

Sunday afternoon, April 25th, the Christian Endeavor rally was held. Paul Lund, Quarterly Meeting CE president, presided.

Professor Paul Mills, of George Fox College, was guest speaker April 25, in the absence of our pastor.

PIEDMONT Mahlon Macy, pastor

During the four nights of special visitation, the week of April 25, 80 homes were called on. The family night rally was well received, with special music from the choir, the quartet, and a solo, followed by a message from the pastor and a film.

Sunday, May 1, Bill Jackson, an outstanding tenor soloist, was with us for both SS and church.

A group went from Piedmont to Maplewood one Sunday evening recently to participate in the evening service. They provided the special music and the message of the evening.

A pink and blue shower was held for Mrs. Gene Hockett May 3 at the home of Florence Snow.

Kenneth Puckett and Miriam Henske announced their engagement the 15th of May by means of a telegram read

at dinner at Cascade College.

The church softball team got off to a good start with 23 boys out for the first practice. Plans are under way for both a junior and an adult team, so that more will be able to participate.

Wilmer Brown, regional director for the NAE spoke in a recent Sunday evening service.

TIMBER Harold Ankeny, pastor

"Enlarged Vision" has been the emphasis for the Timber Friends church the past six weeks. The SS contest has brought a 20% increase in the SS and renewed interest in the church in Timber. The contest between Hillsboro and Timber ends May 22nd. At this writing it seems Timber will win, for they have a substantial lead, but we are not discounting a victory for Hillsboro.

May 1st found Arthur Schnasse at our church with pictures of the work in Honduras in the morning service, and pictures of the work among the Mexicans during the summer of 1954 in Minnesota. He brought a real challenge of missions to us during these services.

On May 8th, 17 mothers were given carnation corsages for being present. Evelyn Roberts was given a double corsage for being youngest mother present, and Richard Jensen's mother, Mrs. Jensen, was given a "double" for being the oldest mother present. William Koenig from Portland was present for this service and brought the morning message. His two girls, Coleen and Sharon, sang two special numbers.

The George Fox College choir was present Sunday afternoon, May 15th. The concert was beautifully presented and the rather small crowd expressed its appreciation.

CHERRY GROVE Irwin P. Alger, pastor

We have recently had two weeks of very good meetings with Earl Geil as evangelist and Dick Cadd and Wayne Piersall as song leaders.

The WMU sponsored a mother and daughter event on May 10. Esther White was the speaker and was presented a gift.

The Junior-Intermediate CE enjoyed a skating party last week. About 30 attended. A devotional and social time followed in the church basement.

Irwin Alger is visiting southern Oregon with Dean Gregory. They attended Salem Quarterly Meeting at Medford, where Irwin spoke. He also spoke at Eugene for Wayne Piersall on his return trip.

ROSEMERE Alden and Esther White, pastors

April 15th a deputation team from George Fox College had charge of the evening service. Robert Storms brought the message.

An informal reception was held at the parsonage for Mr. and Mrs. Solomon Frazier, who were married recently. Mrs. Frazier was formerly Ada Heck.

Esther White's mother, Mrs. Hendricks, and sister, Isabelle, are visiting at the parsonage. Isabelle is to undergo surgery here.

We are increasing our number of prayer meetings in the prayer room, having one each day. The Lord is answering prayer, and we praise Him.

METOLIUS Gene Hockett, pastor

The Friends Community church of Metolius has now become a preparative meeting. On May 22, a group from First Friends in Portland visited the Metolius meeting, making the transaction official. In April the petition sent by the outpost was accepted by First Friends.

Plans for DVBS are nearing completion. The dates will be June 6 through 17. Local members will be the teachers and helpers; Leta Hockett will be music director and evangelist.

Remodeling of the parsonage has continued and it is hoped it will be finished within a short time. Many of the church men have given of their spare hours to help with the work.

During ministerial conference which was held in Redmond, just 20 miles from Metolius, many of the pastors and their wives visited Metolius on Wednesday afternoon. They looked through the parsonage and viewed prospective building sites for the church.

PARKROSE Dillon Mills, pastor

Dillon Mills, pastor of Parkrose Friends church, entered Emanuel hospital on May 16. Dillon was stricken with pneumonia during the Sunday morning worship hour. Considerable illness has hampered attendance at meetings for worship.

The men of the church entertained the mothers and daughters of the congregation with a dinner program on May 12 with James Raymond in charge.

Mildred Minthorne will direct the annual vacation Bible School at the church beginning June 13. Mrs. Esther White will be the children's evangelist.

PUGET SOUND QUARTERLY MEETING

McKINLEY AVENUE William Murphy, pastor

For our young people's night, on April 14, Daisy Rarick presided and Dianne Warner and her mother sang a duet. Those who had attended the CE retreat at Quaker Cove gave reports on the information and inspiration gained there. Reporting were Barbara Janson, Marlene West, Patsy Janson and Dianne Warner.

On Mother's Day we had a brief program in SS, including a play by a group of junior girls and a solo by Judy Murphy. We also honored our SS mother, Jennie King. The morning service was an unusual one presenting talks by Myrtle Byrd, a mother; Barbara Janson, a daughter; and Myrtle Russell, a grandmother; each of whom brought out the importance of having Christ in the home.

The evening service on May 8 was conducted by the music committee, and featured favorite songs of those in attendance, some of whom sang solos, read verses of favorite hymns, or associated certain passages of scripture with their favorites.

We were very happy to have Dean Gregory with us in our Quarterly Meeting session on May 14 and also in our evening service on May 15 at which time he brought the message.

ENTIA Randall Emry, pastor

We were delighted to have Milo Ross with us for a Sunday morning service and also for the Monthly Holiness Association in the afternoon.

After much labor the basement of the church was finished decorating in time for the reception and banquet given to the Entiat high school graduating class.

We were glad for the loan of a Hammond organ from Barnhart Music Co., of Wenatchee, for the banquet and the Mother's Day service. Dwane Hunsaker played it for the banquet, and Norma Emry for Sunday services.

Our Mother's Day service was different. Randall Emry arranged for three mothers to talk on different aspects of Christian motherhood—Norma Emry on the spiritual, Bertha Jones on the mental, and Lila Franklin on the social.

We are looking forward to a missionary conference, with Walter Lee, Dean Gregory and Ludlow Corbin. We are expecting some of the people of East Wenatchee and Quincy Friends churches to be with us for the conference and hoping that some from Spokane can come too. We are expecting great blessing at this time.

BETHANY Ethel Cowgill, pastor

We are glad to report our sick folk are recovering satisfactorily.

Isabelle Hendricks underwent a major operation a week ago in Vancouver, Wash. Dr. John Brougher is her physician. Lillie Hendricks, her mother, is staying with Alden and Esther White while Isabelle is convalescing.

Myrtle Bowden had a foot amputated about three weeks ago. She expects to be home in a month.

George Jones is much better after a stroke. Minta Neer had an operation about three weeks ago and is home again much improved in health.

Loretta Lasoff suffered a nervous break three weeks ago and is very much better.

We praise the Lord for answering prayer for these friends. We have missed them in our meeting.

Raynor Heacock attended a Gideon convention in eastern Washington last weekend.

We are still praying for a new church location. We are glad for the presence and help of Mary Taylor, a missionary from Japan, in our meeting and WMU meetings.

HOLLY PARK Howard Harmon, pastor

The CE conference at Quaker Cove was reported to be a big success by the nine who went from Holly Park.

Several attended the Wauna Merbanquetheld at McKinley Avenue church. A ladies quartet from Holly Park assisted with the program. Roc Caldwell very capably aided in announcing the workers for Wauna Mer.

Mr. Frank Harmon died at his home on April 23. He and his wife, though too ill to attend, have been friends of our church.

A representative from the Washington Temperance Association spoke in the evening service recently.

Ernie Ostrin was the speaker at the Union Gospel Mission where a group from the church has charge of the service once every month.

The junior girls all went skating on Saturday afternoon, accompanied by their teacher, Beth Harmon and Nedra Hadlock.

WMU meeting was held at Dorothy Stephens' home. Brotherhood had a spaghetti and homemade ice cream feed at the home of Evan Jones. Clyde Hadlock was elected as the new president.

The SS party was held at the church. A variety of games and films were enjoyed by the youngsters.

Fifteen or sixteen boys are regularly turning out for ball practice. Enthusiasm is running high, with the first game in sight. Last season, Holly Park won the trophy.

QUILCENE Paul Puckett, pastor

The CE met on Monday, May 2, for their regular monthly business meeting, followed by refreshments.

Mr. and Mrs. Garrett returned from their two-month tour of European cities the last of April.

Martha and Paul Puckett, Rod Dalgardno, and Don Dunlap attended the May Day festivities at GFC on May 7.

Friends gathered at the Mead Dunlap home on May 9 to honor their 25th wedding anniversary.

A farewell party was given for Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Wills, on May 18, at the parsonage. The Wills will spend some time in Seattle before locating a new home.

SPOKANE Clark Smith, pastor

We have been working hard to get into our new church the past few weeks. It is beginning to look good. The front of the church is finished and looks really beautiful. We are hoping that someone from other churches in the Yearly Meeting will have an opportunity to visit Spokane and see how the work is coming along. Just the past week or two several of the church have turned out to help, and have accomplished much. Mr. Chapman has now finished the hanging of the doors and they look fine. Folding chairs have been purchased for the classrooms, so there will be places for folks to sit when they come. The pews have nearly all been pledged when they come. The pews have nearly all been pledged for, and quite a little has been paid in on these pledges already. We are anticipating moving in the 5th of June, and will leave our old location that morning, and form a cavalcade to the new building. Your prayers are coveted for this time. We feel that it is very important that we make the best possible impression on the community into which we are moving.

At the last meeting of the WMU Mrs. King and Mrs. Simonson were hostesses.

Walter and Kathryn Wilhite were called to Star, Idaho,

because of the illness of his father recently.

We do earnestly seek the prayers of the Yearly Meeting for the next few weeks especially. This can be a very important time in the establishment of the church here in Spokane and we do not want to relax our vigilance now when it seems the time is so near for moving into our new building. So don't forget us now.

SALEM QUARTERLY MEETING

SCOTT'S MILLS

Charlotte Macy, pastor

Our pastor has recently organized an intermediate and junior CE. The youngsters are taking quite an interest. A group of young people enjoyed "youth night" the evening of May 6, at the church and parsonage.

Our pastor was hostess to the Quarterly Meeting pastors on April 26. It is a real joy to have Edith Heater back in our services. James and Olga Curnutt are "shut in" much of the time because of her ill health. E. Worth Coulson is critically ill in a Portland hospital. Your prayers would be appreciated.

Our last WMU meeting was held at Edith Magees. Nadine Mulkey led the devotions and Flodene Jarvill presented the program.

A mother-daughter tea was sponsored by our SS. The tea was held at the home of Docia Trescott. The response of the ladies and their daughters was very gratifying.

A very fine "Mother's Day" program was rendered Sunday morning at the latter part of the SS hour. Following the program our pastor brought a very impressive and timely message for mothers.

We greatly appreciate the untiring efforts and faithful ministry of our pastors. We rejoice for the assurance that God is in our midst, and the Holy Spirit is faithfully dealing with precious souls.

SOUTH SALEM

Frank Haskins, pastor

Our midweek and Sunday evening services were dismissed so that the members could attend the Dr. Torrey Johnson meetings. Those attending were wonderfully blest, and a number of our young people were saved at the altar of prayer.

The April meeting of the WMU was held at the home of Mrs. Forrest Smith. Elizabeth Aebischer showed slides and told of the mission work in Alaska.

A group from George Fox College met with the senior high students of this area the evening of April 28 in our church. A buffet supper was furnished by Highland and South Salem.

Two new members were recently taken into our meeting—Wanda Stickly by request, and Betty Griffith by transfer of membership.

One of our senior high girls, Janice Bishop, the daughter of James and Elizabeth Bishop, has been awarded two scholarships, one to Oregon College of Education and the other to Oregon State College.

Emma Aebischer has been confined at home because of illness.

The May family night was held in the church basement with plenty to eat, after which every one enjoyed slides of former and present pastors, church families and SS parties. Devotions were given by our pastor.

MEDFORD

Clynton Crisman, pastor

The SS missionary offering for May went to the Fritschles in India.

"The Stones Cry Out", a color film produced by the Moody Institute of Science, was shown in our church the evening of May 6.

A church pot-luck dinner was held on May 12. Harmony Hall was decorated with various curios from other countries. A program of skits and music carried out the missionary theme.

Betty Jo Wolk-Laniewski was dedicated in the morning service on Mother's Day. The cradle roll mothers present were recognized and presented with corsages. There were also gift corsages for the oldest and youngest mothers, the mother with the youngest child, and the mother with the largest family present.

Mrs. Alice Roberts was here for Mother's Day, visiting her sons, Deane and Wayne. She will remain for some time, living in one of Deane and Ardys' apartments. Other mothers present were Mrs. Witte and Mrs. Eckerson, visiting their daughters, Ilene Ogier and Betty Clauss.

A bridal shower for Esther Mae Moor was held at the home of Estele Smith the evening of May 3.

The ditch in front of the church and parsonage has been tilled. This improves our property in several ways—sanitation, appearance and more parking space.

At this writing we are looking forward to the Quarterly Meeting sessions which are to be held in our church May 20 and 21. The opening event will be the Camp Sa-wa-li-nais banquet, with Milo Ross as speaker. Dean Gregory is to speak at the worship service on Saturday morning.

BOISE VALLEY QUARTERLY MEETING

STAR

Dorwin Smith, pastor

Mrs. Fern McCown is recovering from injuries suffered in an automobile accident.

Mrs. Elizabeth Berry is convalescing from major surgery. On the evening of May 3, the missionary meeting combined with the girls club in a mother-daughter tea honoring the mothers of the girls. A program was given in the auditorium, then the group retired to the basement for a lovely tea.

The boys club and some of their dads went to see the Boise Braves play Pocatella, Tuesday night, May 17. Of course the Braves won.

The men of the Brotherhood went to Nampa Monday night, May 9, to meet with the Greenleaf Meeting Brotherhood.

The two Quarterly Meeting preachers met at Ontario Heights Monday, May 16. Our pastors attended.

MELBA

Sheldon Newkirk, pastor

Marvin Clarkson was host for the local Brotherhood this month.

The missionary women met at the home of Laverne Forney. A basket dinner was held for the graduating classes, after church services, in their honor. There were 15 graduating from the eighth grade and seven from high school.

The young people's class and their teacher, Gladys Newkirk, enjoyed a miniature golf party at Boise.

Virginia Reininger and her two children have gone to Washington to be with her family while her brother from the east is visiting there.

Plans are well under way for a union Bible school to be sponsored by the Baptist and Friends SS. The Bible school is to begin the 23rd of May and to be held in both church buildings. Arrangements have been made to use the high school building the night of the program.

We all miss Mrs. Bolitho and her cheery smile since her leaving for her heavenly home.

NAMPA

Clare Willcuts, pastor

Our pastor is preaching a series of prayer meeting sermons on the topic, "What Friends Believe." Prayer meeting attendance is being stressed, especially this month.

Mrs. Anna Davis is now home after spending several weeks in Mercy Hospital with a fractured hip.

More than 100 persons signed the guest book at the open house for Mr. McIntyre at the observance of his 80th birthday.

The Willcuts entertained the preachers and wives of Boise Valley and Greenleaf Quarterly Meetings on April 25. Earl Antrim spoke to the group about his Confederate stamp collection.

The Whosoever class was entertained at a party in the home of Fred and Ruth Reynolds on May 6.

Our intermediate CE's were honored twice at the CE rally in Boise on May 1st. Their scrap book took first place, winning them a ping pong set, and they also received the attendance banner.

Genevieve Armstrong was able to return home from the hospital following major surgery.

Meda Swanz left May 14, on an extended trip to Iowa, Kansas and Oklahoma.

The church basement was the scene of a mother-daughter banquet on April 21, sponsored by the Hermananaca and Wilma Roberts Missionary societies. It was based on the theme: "The Wizard of Oz".

WHITNEY

Walter Lee, pastor

On May 1st we had our homecoming in recognition of our 100th monthly meeting, May 4th. It was a time of rich and gracious Christian fellowship, and feasting on good things from the Lord. There were services a. m., p. m., and evening, with potluck dinner at noon. Among visitors present were Dillon and Fern Mills, and daughter Faith; and Preston, Nancy, and daughter. Dillon preached for us in both the afternoon and evening services, his evening message being one of the most heartsearching and challenging we have ever heard. We were happy to have these Friends from Oregon with us.

All our representatives for both the Quarterly Meeting M. and O. and business meeting were present, at Boise Friends, April 29th and 30th.

Our DVBS is to start May 31st, continuing two weeks. We are trusting for a large attendance, with much of the Lord's blessing.

Two of our girls, Marilyn Lee and Barbara Washburn, graduate from Greenleaf Academy; and Kay Sheirbon from Meridian high school.

BOISE

Russel Stands, pastor

Sunday evening April 17th Frances Stands gave a report on the ministers' conference which she and Russel attended at Redmond, Ore., the week before. She reported that the program committee had a well planned program, and the entire meeting was a deep inspiration to them.

Quaker Hill reunion was held Friday evening, April 22nd, at Melba. There were games, music, skits, devotions and announcements regarding camp this year.

Graduation exercises promoting children from the cradle roll to the primary class were held Sunday morning April 24th. Smartly designed caps and gowns were made by Dorothy Rodine and Letha Dillon for this occasion.

The television program Sunday afternoon May 1st was directed by our church. The music was furnished by the mixed quartet, Letha Dillon, Lucille Mylander, Clarence Rodine and Charlie Hickerson.

Visitors in the Sunday morning service May 1st included Alice Roberts, the Don Moore family from Nampa, and Nancy and Preston Mills from Salem, Ore. Preston brought the message at the evening service.

The WMU met Thursday May 5th with Evelyn Hickerson. Dorothy Rodine was co-hostess.

Charlotte Cheeley Lien from Missoula, Mont., visited friends and relatives in Boise week beginning May 8th.

NEWBERG QUARTERLY MEETING

SPRINGBROOK

Waldo Hicks, pastor

Sunday morning May 1, a dedication service for babies was held. Those dedicated were Wayne Keith Orr, Judy and Peggy Jones, Charles Dennis Mills and Eyvonne Howell. Thelma Green sang a solo and our pastor brought a message on "Our Eternal Home".

The scripture memorization contest was won by Keith Drahn, who will compete with others in the Quarterly Meeting.

Monday evening May 2, the Wallace Bell Ringers played for a very appreciative audience at the church. The group was composed of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace and Fred Clark. Several from other places in the Q. M. attended.

A "Search for Talent" program was given at the close of SS recently. Four girls—Geraldine Johns, Mary Orr, Luella Kuhns and Elmina Wells—sang, Ruth Hockett played a piano solo, and a trumpet trio from George Fox College played. They were Fred Newkirk, Janet Hight and Bob Fiscus.

We welcomed Mr. and Mrs. Almon White of Jennings Lodge and Jim Armstrong of Portland to our Sunday evening service on May 8.

Our pastor gave a splendid Mother's Day message on

"Motherhood's Basic Foundation".

Sunday morning May 15, Rev. and Mrs. Wilmer Brown were in our services. He spoke on behalf of the work of the NAE.

CHEHALEM CENTER

Scott and Grace Clark, pastors

A few of our people went out to Netarts to Newberg Quarterly Meeting May 13 and 14. The Quarterly Meeting was well attended, and every one enjoyed meeting the good group there, and seeing their nice new church. About a dozen young people went from Chehalem Center to the CE rally. They won the prize—a nice camera—for the best scrap book; and Barbara Shires won the speech contest.

Grace Clark attended Greenleaf Quarterly Meeting May 6 and 7, at Ontario Heights, in the interest of stewardship. She preached at some of the other churches while there.

Grace Clark spoke to the class on Evangelism at WES, Jennings Lodge, Tuesday, May 24. Dr. Eldon Fuhrman is teacher of the class.

The pastors at Chehalem Center are called for another year.

NEWBERG

Charles Beals, pastor

Our SS attendance contest is progressing. Prizes are given to the winners of the junior, young people, and adult groups. We are still working toward our goal of 300 in attendance. We had 288 on May 8.

The junior CE scripture memorization contest was held in the evening service, May 1. Participants were Carolyn and Mary Alice Hampton, Mary and Margaret Church, and Esther Mae Hinshaw. Mary Church was winner. She also won the Quarterly Meeting contest at Netarts.

The Julia Pearson Missionary Union sponsored Paul Shen, of Formosa, as guest speaker for the prayer meeting service April 27. He brought us a challenging message of what the Lord is doing there.

The Newberg WCTU was hostess to a county institute in our church on Wednesday, April 27.

The Newberg Women's Choral Society sponsored a concert by the Little Chamber Orchestra with Boris Sirpo as conductor, from Portland, at the high school auditorium, April 24, for the benefit of Newberg Memorial Hospital. The Women's Choral Society gave a Mother's Day concert at Wood-Mar Hall, George Fox College, also for the benefit of the hospital fund.

We have enjoyed further messages by our pastor from the book of Hebrews on Sunday evenings.

SHERWOOD

Gordon St. George, pastor

On the afternoon of April 30 the losing side in the recent SS attendance contest furnished ice cream and cookies for everyone, and we journeyed to Champoege Park for a ball game and ice cream feed. Only a few drops of rain spoiled an otherwise enjoyable afternoon.

We had a short but excellent program for Mother's Day in the SS hour, and every mother present was presented with a beautiful pansy plant.

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The George Fox a cappella choir presented their excellent concert on the evening of May 8th, to a large audience, and the choir was served punch and cookies at the close of their concert.

Our May WMU meeting was held at the home of Esther Olsen. Several short book reports were given by various members, on different types of books, since the WMU is stressing reading in five different categories of books this past year.

At our family night on the second Tuesday in May we were privileged to have Milo Ross speak to us concerning our college and its opportunities and present needs. We also had a shower for Phil Harmon and Velda Leach, who have worked so faithfully with our intermediate CE this last year. They were also presented with a beautiful blanket from the church. We pray God's richest blessing on their future together.

Our VBS got off to a good start on the morning of May 23, with 60 enrolled.

GREENLEAF QUARTERLY MEETING

RIVERSIDE

Robert Morse, pastor

On Easter Sunday we broke our SS record with an attendance of 72. Interest in the SS is increasing and we are praying for the working of the Holy Spirit in the hearts of all who attend.

The academy choir and their instructor, Roy Knight, were in charge of our Sunday evening service recently. Their songs and testimonies brought blessing to all.

Our pastors attended the ministers' conference and brought back some tape recordings of special songs.

Mr. T. L. McCord underwent surgery in Portland on May 2nd. He is at home again now and doing well.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Dymoke were recent visitors at the home of Mrs. Dymoke's father, Arthur Birch.

Grace Clark was with us in the evening of May 5th, bringing us a great message on Stewardship.

The Riverside Community Circle held its regular meeting at the parsonage on May 13th. The point of interest to all was a surprise shower for Lela Morse, of articles to be used in her newly remodeled kitchen.

Our DVBS is scheduled to open on June 6th, with Mrs. Douglas Brown in charge. Pray with us for these sessions that they may bring lasting results to each child and to the community.

HOMEDALE

Willard Kennon, pastor

The airplane ride was a thrilling climax to the contest between the two sides of the Junior Endeavor. Over 40 children went to Boise to ride the airliner.

The Good Friday service was well attended with our pastor bringing a fine message on "The Seven Last Utterances of Christ".

Janice Kennon and Raelene Barnes were the angels at the cross at the community Lizzard Butte sunrise service. Afterward the high school class enjoyed a breakfast at the home of their teachers, Dallas and Faye Dillon.

Five babies were dedicated at the Easter service and five persons became new members of our church with five girls transferred from associate to active membership and four

children received as associate members.

Our SS attendance grew steadily until we had 214 present for Easter Sunday. Our average attendance for January, February and March has raised 33 1/2% in that period. We feel that the Friday morning prayer meetings are bearing fruit, also that the interest and attendance of our teachers at the SS convention at Boise and at our own Quarterly Meeting workshops.

Grace Clark gave challenging Mother's Day message on being a Christian mother and one worthy to be honored.

GREENLEAF

Oscar Brown, pastor

We are most happy to have Leon Jeffery home from Korea. WCTU met May 5 at the home of Mabel Williams. There were 22 present.

WMU met May 12 at the home of Evelyn Lyon, with about 20 in attendance. We enjoyed news from Bolivia which Crittie Knight, Marie Hirst and Ethel Hibbs shared with us.

We are busy here at Greenleaf in preparing the basement of the old academy building as a dining hall and kitchen. You see, we are looking for you to be with us at Yearly Meeting time.

Anna Mills and Roy Knight directed the play, "The Perfect Idiot", which was presented in the gym April 29.

Of recent interest was the Greenleaf 8th grade class night and play at the gym May 10, and graduation at the church May 12.

Our new SS superintendent is Cecil Binford. We have appreciated the fine leadership of Bob Armstrong the past year as he has led us, and pray God's richest blessing on them as they go to Oregon. May 15, following church service, we gathered in the home ec rooms and enjoyed a pot-luck dinner honoring the Armstrongs. They were presented with a Sunbeam fryer.

CALDWELL

Richard Cossel, pastor

Six babies were dedicated in our church on Easter Sunday. April was the 6th anniversary of our SS. We had contests between classes, and special features throughout the month, and a dinner on the last Sunday.

Caldwell has started a building fund. It has been placed in a savings account and will be added to each month. Our building is getting too small.

Grace Clark had the evening service on Mother's Day in our church.

RECEIVED TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

FRIENDS MEMORIAL CHURCH (Seattle)

All the SS classes are racing to Bolivia. Merle Green's class is well ahead of the rest. It is good to see this growth in the junior high school boys' class. Total attendance in SS is steadily increasing.

A tape recording of the George Fox College choir, made during their recent concert in our church, is to be released over KTW, Seattle, on Sunday May 29, at 8:30 a.m.

A group of 18 attended the junior hi boys and junior girls classes' wiener roast at Golden Gardens on Friday evening, May 20. After the games and refreshments the pastor talked on the theme of Paul's appeal to Timothy to "be a good soldier of the cross".

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