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# Gregorys' Travel Diary

By Dean Gregory

**A**FTER taking our leave of the brethren and fellow missionaries in Bolivia, we made our way to our last mission visitation appointment, the beautiful tropical island of Jamaica in the British West Indies. This last foreign port for us, had many new experiences awaiting incoming visitors. Upon landing at the Kingston airport, the cabin of our plane was thoroughly sprayed with insecticide to insure against the Mediterranean fruit fly which has recently invaded Florida, and which would ruin the fruit industry of this tiny nation if it got started.

Upon entering immigration offices a nurse took our temperatures, and because we had just come from a restricted area of South America, the government health department kept close check on us the whole week we were in Jamaica. We were as glad as they were that our health remained normal during our week's stay.

The airport of Kingston was filled with negroes who were on their way to England. There is a considerable exodus of the Jamaican population to England, where they hope to find better living conditions, and more opportunities for work.

We were happy to meet Arthold and Catherine Latham, Friends from Iowa Yearly Meeting, who had driven in from the East end of the island to meet us. We found these young Friends to be fine, evangelical missionaries. Their great need seems to be similar to most mission fields. It is the pressing, urgent need for more workers. Their warm hospitality and friendship have meant a great deal to us, as we sum up our list of missionaries whom we visited on this journey.

While in Jamaica I had the opportunity to speak 6 or 7 times in Friends meetings and schools. We visited, and shared in the hospitality of two national pastors and their families; Zephaniah and Frances Cunningham, and Charles and Mabel Vincent, who welcomed us into their homes. We count them also among our treasured friends in Christ.

Our visit among Friends in Jamaica concluded our three months of missionary visitation, and after two weeks of rest and visiting with our people in the States, we have returned to our duties in Oregon Yearly Meeting. Homecoming is always a wonderful experience, and we thank God that He kept each member of our family during our long absence. We are especially grateful to the fine Christian families who invited our boys into their homes while we were gone.

A week after our arrival home, I gave a full report of our trip to the mission board. It will take a long time for Kathleen and me to tell all the story of our missionary venture. We have both spoken to many groups since coming home. Words cannot fully express our sincere thanks to the people of Oregon Yearly Meeting who were concerned to send us to view the field. Our

prayer is that we may be worthy of this investment, and that our ministry may contribute to a new spirit of evangelism at home to match the progress on our own field in Bolivia.

## FOUR FLATS, ADIEU

Four Flats, we'll miss you when you're gone,  
We'll miss the songs you sing;  
We'll miss your style and harmony,  
Sweet as the breath of spring.

You do not know, and never will,  
Until God lifts the veil  
That hides the future from our sight,  
How much your songs avail.

You've given strength to weakened souls,  
New vigor to the strong,  
And raised to new and greater heights  
The old time gospel song.

Your songs have helped men dispel cares;  
Forget their trials and strife;  
And silently, alone with God,  
Pray for a better life.

We'll miss you, Friends, when you are gone,  
But earnestly we'll pray  
That, always, God will walk with you  
Along the upward way.

We'll miss you on the radio;  
The songs sent out through space,  
To echo from our radio  
The anthems of God's grace.

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# A Child of God

By Scott T. Clark

**B**EHOLD, what manner of love the Father hath bestowed upon us, that we should be called the sons of God" (1 John 3:1). We stand amazed at the marvels of God's redemptive work. Our finite minds cannot fathom it all, yet we can enjoy its wonderful blessings. Great are our privileges as children of God; but great also are our responsibilities.

I. What does it mean to be a child of God? It means that we are in His family, with His children. We were in the devil's family, as Jesus told the Pharisees. We were "strangers from the covenants of promise, having no hope, and without God in the world" (Eph. 2:12). We were children of darkness. But now, through the shed blood of Jesus, we are "fellowcitizens with the saints, and of the household of God." We are "new creatures, old things are passed away; behold, all things are become new" (2 Cor. 5:17). God, by His great grace, has given us a different spirit. "We have received the Spirit of adoption, whereby we cry, Abba (our), Father." He makes us His children. What kind of love could do this for us?

II. How can one get into God's family? We use different terms to say that one has become a Christian. We say that we are saved. "Whosoever shall call upon the name of the Lord shall be saved" (Rom. 10:13). Every sinner is lost; he is not safe; his soul is in jeopardy. Jesus said, "I am come to seek and to save that which was lost." The sinner is lost now, and will be lost eternally unless he is saved—saved from the wrath to come.

Again we say that we have been converted. Convert means, to turn around. "Except ye be converted, and become as little children, ye shall not enter into the kingdom of heaven" (Matt. 18:3). "The law of the Lord is perfect, converting the soul" (Ps. 19:7). "Repent ye, therefore, and be converted, that your sins may be blotted out" (Acts 3:19). We turn from the broad road to destruction, to the narrow way that leads to heaven. We must act: repent, confess, believe. Jesus made the way, God calls, but we must do something about it.

Again we say that we are justified. This is a court term. We were guilty and condemned before the court of heaven. We have all sinned and were under condemnation (Rom. 3:19, 23). The wages of sin is death, but Jesus died for us, in our stead; so by faith in Him, God forgives our sins, cancels the sentence, and sets us free. "Therefore being justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ."

Again the Scriptures teach that we come into the family of God by being born again—regeneration. We were spiritually dead (Eph. 2:1). Even though we have keen intelligence and highly

trained minds, the soul is still in spiritual darkness (1 Cor. 2:14). Nicodemus was a teacher and religious leader of his people, yet Jesus told him that he must be born again—of the Spirit. The new birth is a miracle of God, who imparts to us spiritual life. Our part is repentance, confession, and faith in the shed blood of Jesus.

Other Scriptures further explain our entrance into the family of God by the analogy of adoption. "Ye have received the Spirit of adoption, whereby we cry, Abba (our) Father" (Rom. 8:15). Again, "God sent forth His Son . . . to redeem them that were under the law, that we might receive the adoption of sons" (Gal. 4:4, 5). The doctrine of the new birth is a vitally important doctrine of the Christian religion, but it does not give the full picture of coming into the family of God. The unborn infant does not have any choice of whether it shall enter this or that family, but the sinner must choose to leave his life of sin and to become a child of God. "Whosoever shall call upon the name of the Lord shall be saved" (Rom. 10:13). "Seek ye the Lord while He may be found, call ye upon Him while He is near" (Isa. 55:6, 7). "Come unto Me all ye that labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest" (Mt. 11:28). "Let him that is athirst come; and whosoever will, let him take the water of life freely" (Rev. 22:17). Hundreds of other Scriptures urge the unsaved to come to God and be one of His children. This is the very basis of evangelism and soul-winning. We are to go out into the highways and hedges and compel them to come in. This doctrine of adoption into God's family refutes the doctrine of eternal security. If we choose to come into God's family, we also still have that free moral choice to go out of His family (backslide) into the old life of sin.

III. The consequences of being a child of God. There are family resemblances in the household. We are to be like Him, not in physical appearance, but in traits of character. "As He is, so are we in this world" (1 John 4:17). Do others see Jesus in us? Jesus is to dwell in our hearts by faith, and from within to shine out through our countenance, words, and actions. "Beloved, now are we the sons of God . . . but we know that, when He shall appear, we shall be like Him; for we shall see Him as He is" (1 John 3:2). The Greeks came to Philip and said, "Sirs, we would see Jesus." Today, the only way that the world will see Jesus is through the lives of the children of God. How are we representing Him to sinners? Jesus, our elder brother, was pure, true, kind, sympathetic, compassionate, tender, faithful, strong, courageous, loving, heroic, forgiving, and when reviled He reviled not again. How is our family resemblance?

There are obligations for every member of the family. There must be harmony and cooperation.



"We are laborers together with God" (1 Cor. 3:9). Paul planted, Apollos watered, but God gave the increase. "So we, being many, are one body, and every one members one of another" (Rom. 8:5). There is no place for idleness, envy, or jealousy in God's family. Then, in every well regulated family there must be obedience. Jesus said, "I do always those things which please my Father." Paul said at the close of his life, "I was not disobedient to the heavenly vision." "If any man will come after me, let him deny himself, and take up his cross, and follow me." Can we say that we will be obedient to the voice of God, our Father? "I'll go where He wants me to go."

Finally, the best thing about being a child of God, is the pay—the rewards. While we serve Him because we love Him, yet the many promises to us, encourage us on the way through life. We cannot begin to enumerate the hundreds of promises that God has made to His faithful children, but may we mention a few? In this life—joy, peace, freedom from condemnation, the presence of Jesus, the indwelling of the precious Holy Spirit, fellowship of the saints, etc., etc. Praise the Lord! God is a compassionate loving Father, pouring out blessings upon us far beyond our deserts. "Count your many blessings, see what God hath done." "Like as a father pitieth his children, so the Lord pitieth them that fear him." Surely He opens the windows of heaven and pours out blessings more than we can contain.

Then the heavenly rewards are beyond description. Jesus said, "I go to prepare a place for you . . . that where I am, there ye may be also" (John 14:3). Jesus prayed, "Father, I will that they also, whom thou hast given Me, be with Me where I am; that they may behold My glory" (John 17:24). Oh, heaven will be a glorious place! I do not want to miss it. Then we are to have an inheritance over there, "incorruptible and undefiled, and that fadeth not away, reserved in heaven for you, who are kept by the power of God through faith unto salvation ready to be revealed in the last time" (1 Pet. 1:4, 5). Most of us will never have any inheritance here, but there is one awaiting me which I don't want to miss.

Then Paul said that God had a crown awaiting him, and also that there was one for every one of us who loves the appearing of the Lord. Well, I'm looking for Him. Other things awaiting the faithful children of God are—white raiment, new name, pillar in the temple, sitting on Christ's throne, eating of the tree of life, and hidden manna. "Oh, that will be glory for me!"

Dear friend, if you are not in the family of God, hasten to give your heart to Him, and become His child. It is a wonderful family. God is calling for you now. You will always be glad that you heeded His call. It is the best bargain you will ever find in life. Hope to see you in heaven, at home with the Lord. Amen.



## GREENLEAF ACADEMY

The week of May 27th was a busy but exciting and memorable week around Greenleaf Academy.

On Sunday evening baccalaureate was held for the graduating class in the church auditorium. Rev. Richard Cossel, pastor of the Caldwell church delivered a challenging message to the seniors. Rev. Oscar Brown gave the invocation, and Edward Baker pronounced the benediction. Special music was furnished by the students.

On Tuesday the 29th the first annual Homecoming Day was observed. This event was sponsored by the alumni association under alumni president Delmar Cloud. Approximately 500 people were in attendance throughout the day. Various classes and organizations in the academy as well as the alumni and faculty sponsored a float for the parade which took place at 9:30 a.m. Immediately following the parade Joy Farner of Melba was crowned queen of the day.

At 10:30 the final chapel of the year was held in the church auditorium. One of the seniors, Joe Vance, conducted devotions, after which outgoing student body president Dale Campbell inaugurated the newly elected president, Bob Brown. The new president then introduced the other student officers. Principal C. K. Smitherman and athletic directors Bob Cantonwine and Anna Mills presented a number of awards to different students.

Just before the delicious and bountiful dinner featuring barbecued beef with all the extras, a talent program was presented on the lawn in front of the dining hall. Bruce Bartlett acted as master of ceremonies and academy students furnished a program of varied and enjoyable numbers.

Following the lunch hour the alumni association held their annual business meeting, at which time Ladean Martin was elected president for the coming year.

At 3:00 o'clock the alumni played a game of baseball with the academy.

The final event of the day was the commencement exercises which took place in the church auditorium at 8:00 p.m. Dr. Arthur Roberts of George Fox College addressed the class using as his subject "Matching Mountains." Board chairman John Roberts presented diplomas to eighteen seniors. Valedictorian, Margaret Berry and Salutatorian Dale Campbell each presented words of appreciation for the sacrifices others had made to further the cause of Christian education. Scholarship awards were presented to the two honor students mentioned and also to Willis Green and Leola Comfort. Rev. Clare Willcuts gave the invocation and Rev. Oscar Brown prayed the closing benediction. Special music was furnished by Mrs. Bob Kayser of Wilder, and Mrs. Marie Howard played the processional and recessional.

All in all this year at Greenleaf Academy has been one of real significance. As the year closes we feel there has been evidence of Christian growth, development, stability and promise of future progress for the coming year.



# Yearly Meeting Program

TO BE HELD AT NEWBERG, OREGON, AUGUST 16-21

### PRE-YEARLY MEETING EVENTS

#### TUESDAY - August 14

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

#### WEDNESDAY - August 15

8:00 a.m. Continuation of board meetings  
2:00 p.m. Ministry and Oversight  
4:00 p.m. Executive Committee Meeting  
6:30 p.m. W.M.U. and Friends Brotherhood banquets. Iverna Hibbs and Kathleen Gregory will be the speakers for the W.M.U. banquet. Speaker for the Brotherhood banquet will be announced later.

#### THURSDAY - August 16

8:00 a.m. Morning Devotions  
9:30 a.m. Opening session, Yearly Meeting  
11:20 a.m. Announcements  
11:30 a.m. Inspirational Message  
—Arthur O. Roberts  
1:00 p.m. Meeting of Representatives, Caretakers.  
Meeting of W.M.U.  
2:15 p.m. Business  
2:45 p.m. Board of Service  
3:15 p.m. Announcements  
3:25 p.m. Board meetings  
8:00 p.m. Evangelistic Service  
—Gerald Dillon

#### FRIDAY - August 17

8:00 a.m. Morning Devotions  
9:30 a.m. Business  
10:10 a.m. National Association of Evangelicals  
10:20 a.m. Board of Christian Education  
11:20 a.m. Announcements  
11:30 a.m. Inspirational Message  
—Arthur O. Roberts  
1:00 p.m. Meeting of Representatives  
Meeting of W.M.U.  
2:15 p.m. Business Meeting  
2:45 p.m. Report of General Superintendent  
3:15 p.m. Report of Board of Missions  
4:15 p.m. Announcements  
8:00 p.m. Evangelistic Service  
—Gerald Dillon  
George Fox College Corporation

#### SATURDAY - August 18

8:00 a.m. Morning Devotions  
9:30 a.m. Business Meeting  
10:15 a.m. Board of Public Relations  
11:15 a.m. Announcements  
11:30 a.m. Inspirational Message  
—Arthur O. Roberts  
1:00 p.m. Meeting of Representatives

### Meeting of W.M.U.

#### Meeting of Ministers' Wives

2:15 p.m. Business Meeting  
3:00 p.m. Greenleaf Academy and George Fox College reports  
3:45 p.m. Announcements  
4:00 p.m. Ministerial Association  
6:30 p.m. C. E. Banquet and Rally  
8:00 p.m. Evangelistic Service

#### SUNDAY - August 19

8:00 a.m. Morning Devotions  
9:30 a.m. Bible School  
10:30 a.m. Meeting for Worship  
—Gerald Dillon  
2:30 p.m. Mass Meeting—Board of Evangelism in charge.  
—Charles Beals, speaker  
6:30 p.m. Christian Endeavor  
7:15 p.m. Quaker Hour Presentation  
8:00 p.m. Missionary Service  
—Dean Gregory

#### MONDAY - August 20

8:00 a.m. Morning Devotions  
9:30 a.m. Business Meeting  
10:20 a.m. Board of Finance  
10:50 a.m. Board of Stewardship  
11:20 a.m. Announcements  
11:30 a.m. Inspirational Message  
—Arthur O. Roberts  
1:00 p.m. Meeting of Representatives  
Meeting of W.M.U.  
2:15 p.m. Business Meeting  
3:00 p.m. Report of W.M.U.  
Report of Friends Brotherhood  
4:00 p.m. Announcements  
8:00 p.m. Evangelistic Service  
—Gerald Dillon

#### TUESDAY - August 21

8:00 a.m. Morning Devotions  
9:30 a.m. Business Meeting  
10:15 a.m. Board of Publication  
10:55 a.m. Memorials  
11:20 a.m. Announcements  
11:30 a.m. Inspirational Message  
—Arthur O. Roberts  
1:00 p.m. Meeting of Representatives  
Meeting of W.M.U.  
2:15 p.m. Business Meeting  
3:00 p.m. Board of Evangelism  
4:15 p.m. Closing Minute.

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# Great Conference Planned

By L. Dell Lamb  
Director of Promotion  
Fourth Conference of Evangelical Friends

**A** MOUNTING sense of expectancy and spiritual fervor is gripping a record breaking number of representatives throughout the nation as the attention of Quakers over the entire world is focused upon the beautiful new sanctuary of First Friends church, W. 46th and Eliot, Denver, Colo., scene of the Fourth Triennial Conference of Evangelical Friends, July 11 through 15.

A promotional campaign believed to be unsurpassed in the annals of Quaker development is under way for the Denver conference on a worldwide basis. The amazing promotional work is reaching 48 states, District of Columbia, Hawaii, Alaska and 18 foreign nations. Paramount interest comes from these yearly meetings: Oregon, Kansas, Ohio, Nebraska, Iowa, Indiana, Central, California and Wilmington. Particular concern is expressed from London, Kenya Colony, India and the Friends World Committee for Consultation.

A spokesman in Wilmington Yearly Meeting expresses an illustrative concern thus, "I am much concerned that Friends must return to the fervor of our forefathers and regain a sense of evangelism if present-day Quakerism is to meet the spiritual needs of the world—and Friends."

Hard working Lloyd Hinshaw, pastor of the host Denver Friends church, is the congenial host in charge of overseeing the housing of representatives. A staff of volunteer workers of his church are making arrangements to house as many guests as possible in church members' homes. The balance of attenders will probably be scheduled for nearby motels at a possible cost of \$2.00 each per night, or for other church people's homes at \$1.00 per night. Meals will be cafeteria style in the Friends church basement. The church office will be taken over by Dell Lamb as a press room where a staff of workers will process news through the Associated Press, United Press, INS and air mail to metropolitan dailies and Quaker publications around the world.

Gerald W. Dillon, chairman of the continuation committee, has completed principal arrangements for a busy schedule of business, informative addresses and spiritual messages. The Bible School Publication Board of Evangelical Friends will be first to meet, starting the activities on Wednesday, July 11, at 9:00 a.m. The official opening service will be on Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. when Everett L. Cattell, India, will give a tape recorded greeting. "The Fellowship of Evangelical Friends" will be the subject of the opening service by Chairman Dillon.

On Thursday, July 12th, the conference will discuss the proposed constitution and consider its adoption. Speakers will be Arthur O. Roberts, Newberg, "Significant Theological Trends Affecting Friends;" Byron Osborne, Cleveland, "Evan-

gelical Friends and Current Religious Movements;" Homer Cox, Pueblo, evening speaker.

Friday's speakers include the host pastor, Lloyd Hinshaw, "The Challenge of Evangelical Church Extension in America;" Chester G. Stanley, Ohio Missions head, "Evangelical Friends and Foreign Missions;" Chairman Dillon, Portland, "Objectives of the Association of Evangelical Friends" (a discussion); T. Eugene Coffin, Garden Grove, evening speaker.

Saturday's principals include Milo C. Ross, Newberg, "The Philosophy of Christian Education as Held by Friends;" Arthur O. Roberts, "Educational Needs of the Friends Church" (panel); youth leaders, "The Challenge of Youth Among Evangelical Friends;" Lowell E. Roberts, Wichita, evening speaker.

Sunday's schedule includes Owen W. Glassburn, Ohio Christian Education leader, "Revitalizing the Friends Sunday School;" Merle A. Roe, Kansas superintendent, worship service; Walter Williams, Ohio, presiding at a missionary rally, Ezra DeVol, India, and Dean Gregory, OYM superintendent; Harold B. Winn, Salem, Ohio, concluding speaker.

Roy P. Clark, head of the music department of Friends Bible College, Haviland, Kans., will direct the conference music. Reservations for the conference should be made at once with Lloyd Hinshaw, 4995 Newton street, Denver 11, Colo.

## YEARLY MEETING PROGRAM (General Information)

Dr. Arthur O. Roberts is professor of Religion and Philosophy at George Fox College.

Gerald Dillon is pastor of First Friends Church, Portland, Oregon.

Wayne Piersall, pastor of Eugene Friends Church, Eugene, Oregon, will be in charge of the music.

Junior Yearly Meeting for all children three years of age through the 8th grade, with age group divisions each day, 9:00 to 12:00 noon. Ruth Houston and Ruthanna Hampton will be in charge with other workers assisting.

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The harvest's ripe in broader fields;  
The laborers are few;  
And God needs workers for those fields—  
That's why He's calling you.

God knows you'll plow the furrows straight,  
And always keep on striving;  
He knows there'll be no looking back  
When it's the plow you're driving.

Each life a mission here fulfills,  
And only God can see the end;  
But following where His Spirit leads,  
Whatever's best for you He'll send.

—Chas. F. Smith

# MISSIONARY ECHOES

FROM THE BOARD OF MISSIONS

By Walter P. Lee, president  
Board of Missions

**T**HE Board of Missions met at First Friends Church in Portland on June 14 to consider several urgent matters of business and to hear Dean Gregory's report of his recent visit to Bolivia.

Plans were discussed for sending the Forrest Cammack family to the field this fall for a two-year term of service. The Cammack have offered to help on the mission farm and in the school for missionary children for the salary of one person and transportation expenses one way. The budget does not provide for this, so funds to meet this opportunity are solicited from all who are concerned.

The evangelistic work around Lake Titicaca is a great challenge, and more personnel is needed to develop this. At the board meeting a couple with a real concern for the lake work applied as candidates. The major barrier to making this appointment soon is the inability of the budget to care for it. Let us pray about this.

A new truck for the mission farm is essential, and should be sent to the field when the Hibbs return in September. It is estimated that this will cost about \$3000.00 delivered in Bolivia. Leland Hibbs has been presenting this project, but about \$1900.00 is needed yet. All who are interested and desire to help should send contributions to the Yearly Meeting treasurer.

There is always a need on the mission field for men's clothing and shoes. The clothing should be clean. Clothing for Bolivia to accompany the Hibbs freight should be sent to Isaac Smith, Newberg, Oregon, before July 15.

The crowd of 1100 Aymaras at the Bolivian Friends Annual Conference was too large for the facilities of the La Paz church. It is imperative that larger quarters be built before next conference. Upon recommendation of the Mission Council, the board approved the purchase of about one and three-quarters acres of land in Alto La Paz. The price is about \$1500.00. Marshal Cavit requested the privilege of raising the money for the building as a memorial to his father. He will solicit the money among his friends and those of his family. The board accepted this offer with much appreciation. Those wishing to assist in the purchase of the land should send contributions to the Yearly Meeting treasurer, Roger Minthorne, 3908 N.E. Maywood Place, Portland 20, Ore., either directly or through the local treasurer.

In view of the building program in La Paz, Marshal Cavit and family will be moving to the city following the close of the Bible School the first of August. It will be necessary to rent a residence for the family as the mission home in La Paz is not large enough to accommodate another missionary family besides the Willcuts family. Rent will not be less than \$40.00 per month and may range as high as \$60.00 to \$75.00

per month. This would make a good special project for some church.

The Roberts family will be returning home about the first of August for furlough and study preparatory to medical training for Mark. The Hibbs family will be stationed at the Bible School upon returning to Bolivia.

With three couples traveling to or from Bolivia this fall, the transportation fund needs reinforcing.

Dean Gregory's report of the visit which he and his wife, Kathleen, made to Bolivia was very fine. The Gregorys will be visiting the meetings of the Yearly Meeting and sharing their inspiration.

## WMU News

Dear Presidents:

I hope you will all read this message—the last for this year. This has been a good year and the Lord has blessed us. Now is the time to see that your report blanks are filled out and sent to your vice president. She will clip the departmental information and see that it gets to the right chairman. Be sure and send the names of all who completed the reading project by reading nine books. Betty Hockett has written about that.

Because of the work involved, and the fact that too many women were tired to begin Yearly Meeting after preparing, serving, and cleaning up the banquet, we are trying something new this year. Our banquet will be held at the Jennings Lodge Assembly Grounds near Portland. They will cook, serve, and clean up the meal for \$1.25 a plate. Get your ticket early, as they must know the number who will attend by August 9. Kathleen Gregory will tell of her recent trip to Bolivia, and Iverna Hibbs will give her farewell challenge and message to the women. I am sure none of the women will want to miss this evening.

If you possibly can, appoint some woman who is not a Yearly Meeting representative to attend the 1:00 o'clock meetings at Yearly Meeting. The annual business meeting, with the report of the nominating committee, will be Thursday. Again, we will vote on the Retreat and Workshop which is tentatively planned for Redmond, Ore., September 17-20.

The Hibbs want to get their packing finished before Yearly Meeting. If you have any loose packages, Christmas cards, or other things around, get them to Isaac Smith, Newberg, Oregon, at once.



Do not forget your Prayer Units during the summer months. Our missionaries need the protection and wall of prayer at all times. As I am writing this, the streets of La Paz are full of soldiers to guard against a political outbreak, the enemy is especially active in the Yungas trying to disturb and distract new converts, and the Missionary Board needs great wisdom in decisions they must make.

We will also vote on accepting Holly Park as our home mission project this year.

The chairman of the different Yearly Meeting committees, and the treasurer, will have mimeographed reports for you if they receive the material in time.

The Lord has blest me as He has helped you this year. May His love and peace enfold you!

—Marie Haines, president.

**ATTENTION LITERATURE CHAIRMEN!!** Since several have been asking if women who have read books in six of the seven special fields might receive certificates, we have decided to change our plans and give certificates to those who have completed at least six books in those special fields. That will give each woman the opportunity to eliminate one field in which she is not so interested. Please announce this to your women.

Report time is near, so please begin to count the total number of books read by your group in

the seven fields. That will be included on your report blank.

## BOARD OF STEWARDSHIP

It is a great privilege to be God's steward. Isaiah admonished, "Enlarge the place of thy tent, and let them stretch forth the curtains of thine habitation: spare not, lengthen thy cords, and strengthen thy stakes" (Isa. 54:2). God is blessing, and our work is enlarging. Yes, 1955-56 has been a good year in stewardship work in Oregon Yearly Meeting and in Bolivia. How thankful we are that our Yearly Meeting superintendent and wife have labored as faithful stewards in South America, and have been returned to us in safety.

By prayer and the spirit of sacrifice on the part of each one of us, 1956-57 can see greater things accomplished for God and for souls in the great work of the Kingdom. "As every man hath received the gift, even so minister the same one to another as good stewards of the manifold grace of God" (1 Pet. 4:10). Be faithful to get in your reports for the year.

—Grace Clark, president.

## Yearly Meeting Finances

From the Financial Secretary

### FIXED EXPENSE:

Quarterly Meeting	Rec'd in May	Total Receipts 1955-56	11 Months Quota	Q. M. Quota
Boise Valley	\$ 21.63	\$1020.07	\$1133.00	\$1236.00
Greenleaf	252.46	1379.06	1442.01	1573.10
Inland		25.13	230.40	251.34
Newberg	99.16	1329.35	1386.89	1512.97
Portland	39.38	1898.67	3048.45	3325.58
Puget Sound		240.06	715.59	780.64
Salem	121.63	920.76	1078.80	1176.87
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$534.26</b>	<b>\$6812.10</b>	<b>\$9035.14</b>	<b>\$9856.50</b>

### UNITED BUDGET:

Quarterly Meeting	Rec'd in May	Total Receipts 1955-56	Pledge for 11 Months	Q. M. Pledge 1955-56
Boise Valley	\$ 234.24	\$ 2904.95	\$4068.53	\$ 4438.39
Greenleaf	562.20	4176.02	4775.84	5210.00
Inland	165.05	640.39	838.75	915.00
Newberg	303.17	3278.46	3552.09	3875.00
Portland	852.82	9225.11	10861.82	12849.25
Puget Sound		915.63	944.17	1030.00
Salem	350.33	2875.20	3392.02	3700.38
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$2467.81</b>	<b>\$24015.76</b>	<b>\$28433.22</b>	<b>\$31018.02</b>

This is the last Financial Report until we receive the treasurer's report at Yearly Meeting. May I urge you once again to clear all of your books of all Yearly Meeting monies so that they may be included in the report for this year.

Please get your United Budget Pledges for 1956-57 to me as soon as possible so that we can get the report ready for Yearly Meeting.

Robert L. Morrill  
Financial Secretary

## FRIENDSVIEW MANOR

A HOME FOR RETIRED PEOPLE

### SECURITY, CARE, HAPPINESS



Are you interested in making life more secure, happy, and abundant when the years of retirement arrive? Would you like to live in the midst of natural beauty in a modern well-equipped Manor with fellow Christians where courtesy and kindness will be the watch words? Would you like the assurance that during the golden years of life you will not be dependent upon the care of friends or relatives, or live a lonely life? Most of all, have you hoped for a time when you could have these things, pay for them yourself, with the probability that you may pay for life care which will provide for your needs and comforts though you live to be a hundred and though you may have an expensive illness?

All this can be had for only a few thousand dollars, for a limited number of people. Even though you may be more than ten years from retirement, you can be one of the Founders of Friendsview Manor and be assured of an apartment when you are ready for retirement. There is no modern, well-managed Home in America that one can enter without being on a waiting list for several years. Once Friendsview Manor is opened, it will be filled and have a long waiting list. Planning for retirement must be the result of preparation and foresight. You buy life insurance and annuities looking toward the time of retirement; why not do the same regarding a place to live, thereby increasing your security for the remainder of your life?

### LOCATION

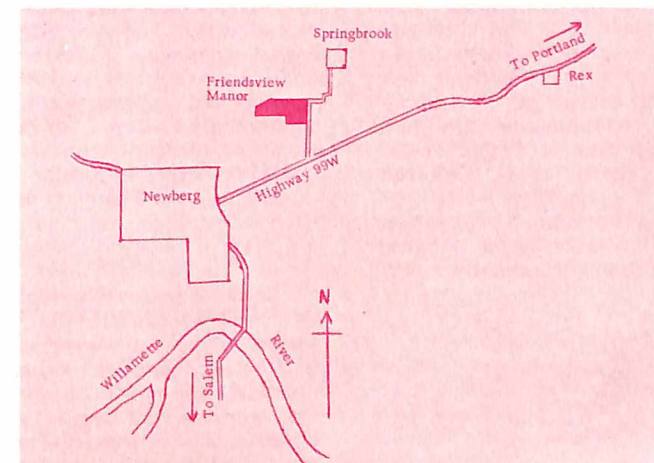
Friendsview Manor will be located on an ideal thirty-acre site one-half mile from the Springbrook Friends Church, one mile from the peaceful town of Newberg, home of George Fox College and Oregon Yearly Meeting of the Friends Church, one-fourth mile from highway 99W with a few minutes drive both to Portland and Salem with their department stores and cultural advantages. There is a regular Greyhound bus schedule between Portland and Salem on this highway. In quiet pastoral surroundings the Manor site offers an inspiring panoramic view of nearby Parrott, Rex, and Chehalis mountains and, in the distance, the Red Hills and the Coast Range.

### ACCOMMODATIONS

The Manor, built to house approximately one-hundred guests, will be of modern design, completely fire proof, and so planned that each apartment will have outside light and a lovely view. The private living quarters will be homelike, beautiful, and convenient. Private bathroom facilities will be provided for each of the living units. There will be an infirmary which will provide nursing care. Nurses will be on duty around the clock. A doctor will be available when needed. There will be a spacious lounge and a scenic dining room.

### RECREATION

Already there are enough fir and oak trees on the site to offer picnic grounds and a bird and wild





flower sanctuary. Many fruit trees now add to the beauty. Further landscaping will include lawn furniture, wooded trails, croquet areas, horseshoe courts, and individual plots for gardening. In the Manor will be a recreation room for relaxing, social gatherings, shuffleboard, ping pong, and other entertaining games. A hobby and crafts room is in the planning.

## A CLUB FOR CHRISTIAN RETIRED PEOPLE



Friendsview Manor will not be an "Old People's Home" in the usual sense. The members will pay their own way and be independent. It could properly be called a club for Christian retired people. Guests will not be burdened

with rules and regulations but may plan their activities as they wish. This includes outside employment and participation in community affairs. Children and friends will be welcomed as visitors.

Inasmuch as this is in no way a charity institution, the cost of building and operation will be shared cooperatively by the residents of the Manor. Those wishing to live in the Manor will share in the construction cost of their own room or apartment by the payment of a Founder's Fee.

Founders will be limited to persons in good standing in a Friends church or some other Protestant church. To become a Founder one must be in reasonable health and be free from communicable, offensive, or malignant disease. In the event that a Founder shall become so ill mentally as to jeopardize the health and peace of other Founders, a transfer will be made to a hospital or other institution where suitable care and treatment can be provided.

## BE A FOUNDER

You have an opportunity to become one of the Founders of this great project. Being a Founder gives to you the privilege of living in the Manor for life. To become a Founder, you pay a Founder's Fee, which helps pay the construction costs. The size of the fee depends upon the size of the accommodations desired. The size and cost of apartments are shown on the next page. The fee is far below that of private housing because the Manor absorbs all taxes, fire insurance, heating, public utilities, maintenance and depreciation. You may become a Founder and enter the Manor when it opens, or a "Deferred Founder" and enter at a later time when you choose to retire. If you become a "Deferred Founder" the cost is substantially lower because your payment now earns interest, and the total pays your Founder's Fee.



## LIFE CARE



The cost of living in the Manor will be approximately \$70.00 per month per person. Through the years the cost will be adjusted to the prevailing cost of living. As jobs are available, a Founder may, if he so desires, join the petty payroll by performing some small chore or service each day. This part-time work, which will be purely voluntary, may pay up to \$10.00 per month.

Life care includes all meals, laundry service, and free access to all the benefits of the Manor. Cost of infirmary or nursing care will be additional, but we do not anticipate it to be in excess of \$135.00 per month for full care including board. Infirmary care does not include illness requiring surgery, or special treatments not ordinarily provided in a small infirmary.

## DEFERRED FOUNDERS PLAN

Many people above forty wish to guarantee their future security, contentment, and freedom from worry, but wish to move in at a future time. Under our Deferred Founder's Plan you may select and pay for the type of accommodation you desire while it is still available, by a pre-payment of a smaller sum which the Manor will put to work. The effect is to yield about 4% interest on your investment, greater than government bonds or bank savings accounts. This is with the understanding that you may claim your apartment five years from date of completion of the Manor, or as much later as you wish. The experience records of other Manors nationally is that all have long waiting lists, and applicants are unable to enter for several years. Friendsview Manor will be no exception. Therefore the time to obtain your future security is now, while space is being sold.

## AID TO MINISTERS AND MISSIONARIES

We are well aware that there may be many retired ministers and missionaries who have given their lives to Christian service with small monetary remuneration and who may be unable to pay the Founder's Fee. Therefore, we solicit churches and church laymen to contribute towards the payment of the construction costs of rooms or apartments to be reserved for retired ministers, or missionaries, or their widows. Other plans are under consideration for aiding these servants of the church to have Founders privileges.

## TERMS

Before construction begins: A deposit of \$100.00 will hold your reservation. All cash paid in before construction begins, except the first \$100.00, will be held in trust by the First National Bank of Portland and may be withdrawn upon demand. Construction will begin as soon as possible after approximately seventy-five persons have contracted to become Founders.

After construction begins: The balance of the Founder's Fee is payable during the construction period, which will probably end in the spring or summer of 1958. If death occurs before entrance, all money paid will be returned to your estate, minus \$100. If for good and sufficient reason, either before or after you enter the Manor, you should change your mind and decide not to enter, or leave it after entering, you may do so by transferring your apartment to any suitable person, and the Manor agrees to cooperate with you in securing a suitable replacement. Further, you may have the privilege of naming your successor to the use and occupancy of your apartment.

## ADMINISTRATION

Friendsview Manor will be under the control of a non-profit Corporation composed of members of the Friends (Quaker) Church. It is expected that the Founders will be represented on the Cor-

poration, as well as the Service Board of the Oregon Yearly Meeting of the Friends Church. Following are members of the existing provisional Friendsview Manor committee:

Charles Beals, Chrm.	Charlotte Macy
Louis Coffin, Sec.	Hal May
Floyd Watson, Treas.	Hubert Armstrong
Harold Aebischer	(of Portland)
Marie Haines	Frank Cole
Paul Mills	Bernhard Fedde
Elizabeth Aebischer	Wilbert Eichenberger
L. L. Hughes	Allen Hadley
Homer Nordyke	Donald Lindgren
Orpha Cammack	Webster Smith
John Fankhauser	Herbert Hathaway

## FOR FURTHER INFORMATION

You may use the coupon for requesting further information or for application for admission:

**FRIENDSVIEW MANOR**

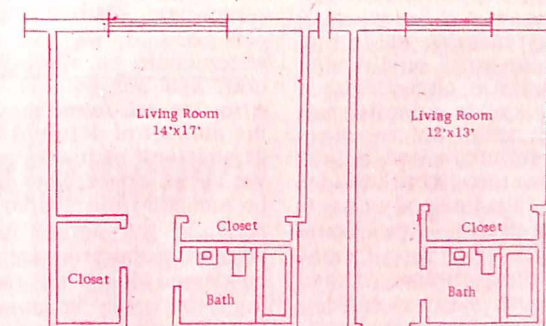
Charles Beals, 215 S. College, Newberg, Oregon

☐ I wish further information about Friendsview Manor

☐ I wish to apply for admission in the Manor

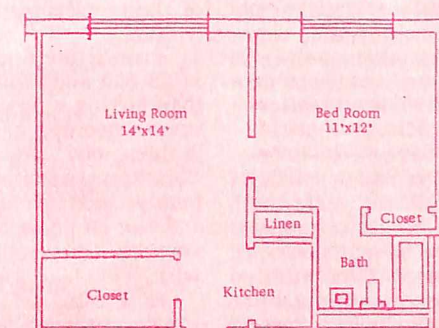
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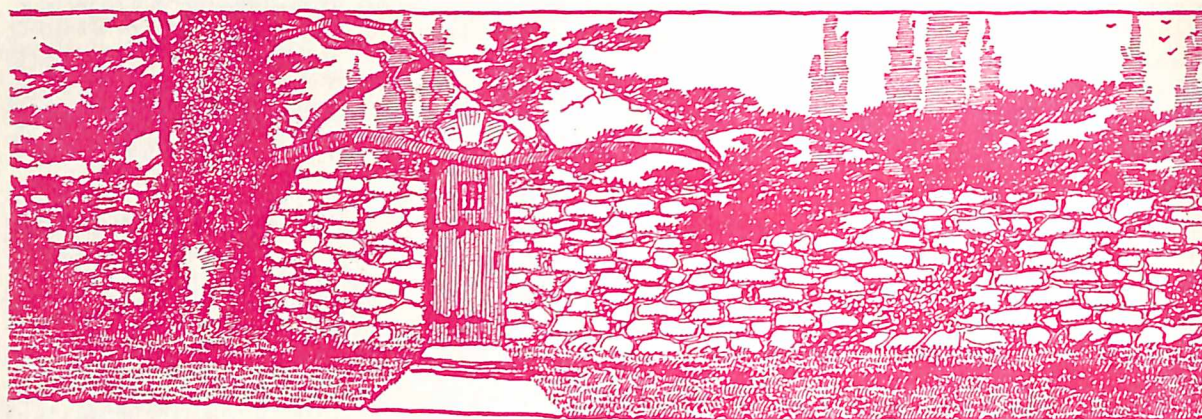
No. 1, 374 sq. ft.  
DOUBLE ROOM  
Tentative price, \$7,500

No. 2, 264 sq. ft.  
SINGLE ROOM  
Tentative price, \$5,000



No. 3, 550 sq. ft.  
APARTMENT  
Tentative price, \$11,000





# A Word of Explanation

FROM THE COMMITTEE

By Charles Beals, chairman

**W**E PRESENT herewith our Retirement Home plan. As a committee we feel that a word of explanation is due the readers of the Northwest Friend. From the start, your committee has made the subject a matter of earnest prayer. We have sought clear leadings from the Holy Spirit. We have sensed our responsibility to the senior citizens, both present and future, of our church. At our committee meeting on June 18th we were unanimous in our sense of divine leading, in approving both the site of the Perry D. Macy farm near Newberg, and in submitting the Retirement Home plan to you. Before this decision was reached, the committee and sub-committee made a study of nine retirement homes—six in Oregon—traveled hundreds of miles looking for a site, and met several times for prayer and discussion.

It was a disappointment to the committee, and we know a disappointment to you, that we could not guarantee a lower Founder's Fee rate. In early conversations with you and with one another, we had talked in terms of a lower cost, but that seemed to be wishful thinking. With an architect and a construction man on our committee, we were brought face-to-face with the facts. Building costs are high and will be higher, and there is no cheap way to build a plant which would offer safety and satisfaction to the Founders. We could lower costs by eliminating the infirmary, laundry room, recreation room, and lounge, but a person retiring there would not want that done. A frame building would be cheaper, but fire hazards and expensive maintenance, as well as other factors, make that undesirable. For a two or three-story building with elevator, the state requires reinforced concrete—more expensive at the start, but with low maintenance costs, and fireproof. Founders, we are sure, would want the Manor to be a place where they would be proud to live, and to which they may invite family and friends without apology. Above all, they would not want it

classed a charity institution. The committee feels we are forced to a choice of a home at this price or none at all.

Our committee has a free option on fifty-four acres of land, twenty acres of which is ideal for subdivision. We expect to pay for the Manor site, the drilling of a well, and the sewage disposal system through the sale of lots. If enough lots can be sold, we can realize additional profits which could be applied to building construction which could be applied to the Founder's Fee. Also, we can lower the Founder's Fees in ratio to the number of deferred Founders who, as "second generation" residents, contribute to the program. We are in hopes, too, that the monthly fee can be reduced from \$70.00 to \$60.00. That will depend on the actual cost of operation. It was brought to the attention of the committee that if concerned individuals would remember the Manor in their wills, bequests, or through annuities, Founder's Fees might be lowered or waived for the individuals who could not otherwise afford to enter. Loved ones may be memorialized by the purchase of living units for ministers, missionaries, or their widows.

Even if the Founder's Fee rate should remain at \$5,000 and \$7500 respectively, it is still cheaper than buying a house, either new or old, and paying taxes, upkeep, depreciation, fire insurance, etc. Besides, one can be assured of fellowship with Christian contemporaries, where one will not be lonely, will not have to live with their children, and can be guaranteed a bed in a modern infirmary with Christian care in case the need should arise.

In closing, if anyone reading this feels that you do not have financial resources enough to pay the Founder's Fee, please contact us anyhow. We shall be glad to talk over your problem with you and try to work out some plan so that you can enter. If you have either questions or suggestions, we invite you to let us know them.

## ITEMS OF INTEREST

### YEARLY MEETING ENTERTAINMENT

The entertainment committee is busily making plans for your comfort and enjoyment for the sessions of Yearly Meeting. The following are the prices for room and meal tickets for this year:

Room, \$1.50 per person for the week.

Meal tickets for the entire session will be \$6.00 for regular attenders, and \$3.00 for pastors and representatives from a distance.

Those desiring rooms should bring sheets, covers and pillow slips, towels, etc. They will be furnished rooms in the dormitories of the college and these items will not be supplied.

Send your reservations to Maribeth McCracken, George Fox College, Newberg, Oregon.

### BIRTHS

DAVIS.—To Leroy and Martha Davis, Portland, Ore., a son, Nathan Rene, born May 28.

SMITH.—To Gene and Elvera Smith, Greenleaf, Idaho, a son, Rawlen Dean, born June 2.

BISHOP.—To James and Elizabeth Bishop, Salem, Ore., a son, Paul Thornton, born June 9.

VANCE.—To Ronald and Nancy Vance, Homedale, Idaho, a son, born June 11.

BROTHERTON.—To Harley and Mary Brotherton, Quilcene, Wash., a daughter, Barbara, born June 16.

## Log of the "QUAKER HOUR"

The Quaker Hour is now heard each Sunday afternoon on KRTV, Hillsboro, Oregon, from 3:30-4:00. It has been placed on this station through the efforts of Frederick B. Baker, pastor at Hillsboro, and his congregation.

The following is an up-to-date listing of Quaker Hour radio outlets. Tell your relatives and friends in these areas to listen each Sunday:

#### Oregon:

KMED, Medford, 1440 kc, 9:30 p. m.

KEX, Portland, 1190 kc, 9:00 a. m.

KRTV, Hillsboro, 1360 kc, 3:30 p. m.

#### Washington:

KTW, Seattle, 1250 kc, 8:30 a. m.

KWNW, Wenatchee, 1340 kc, 8:30 a. m.

#### Idaho:

KFXD, Nampa, 550 kc, 9:00 a. m.

#### California:

KTRB, Modesto, 860 kc, 2:00 p. m.

#### Colorado:

KLIR, Denver, 990 kc, 8:30 a. m.

#### Kansas:

KFBI, Wichita, 1330 kc, 7:30 a. m.

#### Alaska:

KSEW, Sitka, 1400 kc, 9:30 p. m.

JENSEN.—To Mr. and Mrs. Richard Jensen, Timber Rt., Vernonia, Ore., a son, Ricky Niels, born June 20.

### MARRIAGES

NELSON-VAN DERHOFF.—Bruce Nelson and Linda Van Derhoff were united in marriage at the home of the bride's grandmother, Mrs. Carrie Van Derhoff, May 4. Willard Kennon officiated. THORNOCH-KING.—Darrell Thornoch and Norma King were united in marriage at a double-ring service on May 5 at the Homedale Friends Community church. Willard Kennon officiated. CLARKSON-RUMISER.—Elvin Clarkson, of Melba, Idaho, and Patty Rumiser, of Meadows, Idaho, were united in marriage at a double-ring ceremony on May 28 at First Baptist church at New Plymouth, Idaho, with Marlin Witt officiating.

HUGHES-RENNY.—Evelyn Renny and Martin Hughes were married at the Evangelical Free church in Vancouver, Wash., on June 2nd.

ALBORN-JONES.—The marriage of Rita Jones and Russell Alborn of Astoria took place in the Chehalem Center Friends church on Sunday afternoon, June 10th.

BONNICI-DAVIS.—Glee Louise Davis and Joseph Neil Bonnici were united in marriage at the McKinley Avenue Friends church in Tacoma, Wash., on June 15, with William Murphy officiating and John Frazier assisting.

JONES-McGILL.—Bernice McGill, of Star, Idaho, and Ben Jones of Newberg, Ore., were united in marriage at the Harlan Jones home, Newberg, Saturday June 2. Charles Beals officiated.

MAGEE-DICKSON.—Margaret Dickson and Maurice Magee were united in marriage Sunday afternoon, June 10, in the Newberg Friends church, with Charles Beals officiating.

WEESNER-LARRANCE.—Marjorie Marie Larrance, and Harold Oliver Weesner were united in marriage Monday evening, June 18, in the Greenleaf Friends church, with Roy Dunagan and Oscar Brown officiating.

LEE-CURRYER.—Marilea Curryer and Arnold Lee were united in marriage at the Spokane First Friends church on Thursday evening, June 21, with A. Clark Smith officiating.

### DEATHS

DENNY.—Sarah Belle, born January 20, 1872, died May 25, 1956. She leaves one daughter, two grandchildren, and two great-grandchildren. The funeral was held at Second Friends church, burial at Willamette Cemetery. Grandma Denny had been a member of our church 27 years.

PIERCE.—Funeral services for E. Glen Pierce, 77, were held at Newberg Friends church, Friday, June 8, with Charles Beals and Levi T. Pennington officiating. He was born in LeMorie, Iowa, came

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# Christian Endeavor Doings



## SCOTT'S MILLS CE PRINT:

The Scotts Mills intermediate CE'ers traveled to South Salem Friends church one Sunday evening to hear evangelist Hubert Mardock.

Slides of the Friends mission work in Bolivia were shown to the junior CE by Fred Jarvill. The CE has been studying about the mission field.

Our youth nights have been well attended. They will continue every Saturday evening throughout the summer. The fellows are practicing softball. Rosedale's team upset our fellows in their first practice game; however, the Scotts Mills diamond crew battled to victory in the second contest.

## MEDFORD FRIENDS SENIOR CE NEWS:

Contest, contest, contest!! It was lots of fun and wonderful competition; the CE was divided into two sides; captains were Pat Leek and Ken Kumasawa; the goal was, "More CE members and new Christian young people." As a result of the contest, our Christian Endeavor has grown! Of course a prize was given, so the winning side enjoyed the tender steak, while the losing side ate beans. Recreation and devotions followed. It was wonderful fellowship.

Camp Sa-wa-li-nais is our next goal, and we are working and praying for a greater attendance and a spiritual refreshment in the camp. Talent and Medford young people are to have a picnic at the Dell State Park to emphasize camp. We are privileged this year to have as our evangelist, Dr. Arthur Roberts from Newberg. I'm sure it will be a joyous time for all.

## CHEHALEM CENTER CE:

Our senior CE won the April soul-winning contest sponsored by the Yearly Meeting CE.

The following are CE tithers: Carolyn Hess, Judy Hess, Yvonne Hess, Jackie Lysaught, Barbara Shires, Benetta Shires, Lois Shires, Carolyn Steele, Helen Walker, and Marvin Walker.

## NOTE FROM YOUR EDITOR:

Now that school is out, and work, relaxation and fun have begun to take up our time, there is a tendency to forget about turning in news for our page in the Northwest Friend. How about it, kids? Let's prove we are still thinking of the Christian Endeavors, and the needed work indicated by its title, and turn in our reports by the 20th of each month. This is important.

Thanks kids,  
Meredith Beals,  
CE editor

## SALEM QUARTERLY MEETING CE NEWS

A Twin Rocks banquet was recently held at Nohlgren's restaurant in Salem to promote enthusiasm for camp attendance and to reveal this year's camp workers. This was sponsored by the Salem Quarterly Meeting CE.

On the evening's agenda were Gerald Dillon, speaker; Charles Beals, who showed slides of camp views; the trumpet trio, who rendered special music for the occasion; and Hal May, emcee.

A travel team has visited Marion, Highland and Eugene Christian Endeavors. They will continue to visit various CE's throughout the remainder of the church year.

Some of the CE highlights of this year have been A CE Conquest at South Salem, a Valentine party in Southern Oregon, a backward party in Jarvill's barn on Silver Cliff, a banquet in Salem, travel team journeys, CE rallies, speech and memorization contests.

## Young People's Yearly Meeting

### FRIDAY - August 17

10:20 a.m. Speech and Scripture Memorization contest finals, to be presented during time given for Christian Education Committee's report.

Picnic—time and place to be announced at the Yearly Meeting sessions.

### SATURDAY - August 18

1:30 to 3:30 p.m. Business Meeting  
6:30 p.m. Banquet and Rally

—Arthur O. Roberts, speaker

### SUNDAY - August 19

6:30 p.m. Christian Endeavor

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to Newberg from Kansas in 1919. His wife, Stella, preceded him in death in 1930. He passed away June 6. His daughter, Mary St. Marie, and one granddaughter, survive.

SWITZER.—Kenneth Switzer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kent Switzer, Caldwell, Idaho, passed away June 14 due to a car accident.



# 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.

## PUGET SOUND QUARTERLY MEETING

### BETHANY

Ethel Cowgill, pastor

Lula Harris, Dolly Schumitch of Port Angeles, Eva H Courtney of Seattle, charter members of the Agnew meeting, and Marion Cook who still lives in Agnew, were recent visitors at Bethany.

Rev. Wm. Bowman of Camden, N.J., who was in Seattle attending the American Baptist convention, was our guest speaker June 17th, and brought a very spiritual message.

Our SS is near the close of our Hilltop contest. So far the girls have outclimbed the boys in attendance, new members and offering.

Our church gave a program May 25th composed of songs and scripture to boost our building fund. Several outstanding musicians and singers entertained. Merle Green and H. O. Jacobson were our speakers.

We are hoping to start the basement for our new church as soon as funds are available to clear the property. Please keep praying for us.

Rayner and Lucile Heacock, Lenore Neer, and Marion Cook attended the golden wedding anniversary of Rayner's brother, Morris, and Lula Heacock in Portland. It was also the silver anniversary of their daughter Dorene and Don Larimer.

Word has just reached us that June Ellen Ochs had a fall and cut her arm badly on a glass door.

A recent visitor to the home of the pastor was Douglas Brown of Caldwell, Idaho.

### 'AGNEW

Peter Fertello, pastor

The May WMU met at the home of Mildred Wade.

The Walter Unruh family (of our meeting) were surprised with a going-away party at the James Waddell home with 32 attending. Our prayers and blessings go with them to California.

On June 6, our pastor and Marion and Evangeline Cook attended Puget Sound Quarterly Meeting.

Our pastor brought the message at the baccalaureate service in Sequim, June 3. He was also honored guest at the football banquet June 1.

Visitors at the parsonage recently were Peter Fertello's parents and brother David, Mr. and Mrs. Merle Green, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cadd. Visitors at church service were President and Mrs. Milo Ross, June 10; and at the Wilson Wade home, Mrs. Wade's sister, Mrs. Charles Sapon and Mrs. Ethel Bouine of Portland.

DVBS was well attended, a profitable week, with some yielding their hearts to the Lord.

Marion Cook went to Seattle June 13, going to Portland overnight for a silver and golden wedding anniversary, returning June 18.

We give praise for a conversion Sunday June 17.

Work is progressing in the new parsonage.

James Babcock has enlisted in the navy.

### MCKINLEY AVENUE

William Murphy, pastor

On the evening of May 24 the "Reds" in the building fund campaign sponsored a talent night which brought to light much talent among our own young people and featured a blind pianist as guest, Herman Hildreth, a cousin of Marlene West.

Our hearty congratulations are extended to our high school youth, Barbara Janson and Janice Pendergrast, on the occasion

of their graduation.

In June the young people had a very interesting and unusual service. Kenneth Peterson acted as moderator of a panel discussion on "Gambling," patterned after a Sunday evening CE service. Those taking part were Richard and Ray Wax, Marlene West, Patsy and Barbara Janson, Daisy Rarick, Carolyn Peterson, Dianne and Jerry Warner, Donald Liedke, and Warren Westgate. Darlene Sage played some numbers on her accordion.

We hear regularly from our missionary in Japan, Betty Byrd, who is in Tokyo. She is now in the midst of her study of the Japanese language, which is very difficult and unusual. Her experiments with their language and their experiments with ours have led to some interesting and amusing incidents.

### QUILCENE

Paul Puckett, pastor

The local VFW members attended our morning worship service on May 27.

A farewell picnic was held for Kathleen Woodman on May 31. Kathleen is now living in Seattle.

Our DVBS was held from June 4-15, with the program held on June 15. We enjoyed having Elsie Gehrke and Bernice Mardock in our services and we appreciated their work in the Bible school.

A pot-luck dinner was held at the Dunlap home on June 10. We enjoyed having Mr. and Mrs. Wills of Anacortes, and Mr. and Mrs. Hector Munn of Los Angeles, in our services.

We're happy to have Don Dunlap home from Seattle Pacific College for the summer.

### HOLLY PARK

Dillon Mills, pastor

An undercurrent of excitement is beginning to be felt as plans are starting to take definite shape for our new church building. It is good to think of "someday" coming closer and closer to reality. Keep praying that the Lord's will may be done, however, and most of all that His Spirit may have free reign in each heart. A new concern for reviving and growth is being felt among our members, for which we are thankful. God is here to answer prayer!

Family night brought an excellent turnout, with volleyball the main activity. Light refreshments were served.

Seventeen CE'ers with their advisors and the pastors journeyed to Wauna Mer for the Memorial Day cleanup. The trip included an overnight camp at the conference grounds, as well as lots of hard work by all.

A surprise pink-and-blue shower was held jointly in honor of Dorothy Stephens, Patsy Perisho and Pat Helland.

Promotion Day was held in the SS with a short program. Several parents of the SS pupils who do not usually attend were present.

WMU was held at Margaret Boede's. Nominations for officers were accepted, with Pat Helland as the new president.

Plans are under way for DVBS. It will be held in the evening, so the entire family can attend. There will be classes for all ages, and a nursery provided for small children and babies.

### SEATTLE MEMORIAL

L. Merle Green, pastor

Gertrude Hendricks made a trip to Wilmore, Ky., to see her daughter graduate from Asbury College. She and Jo have returned, accompanied by James Kennison. The meeting gets a real lift when our college students return for the summer. Lowell and Beverly Hurd are also gladly welcomed home from George Fox College.

One full week of DVBS is now in progress, with an increase in attendance. Teachers are Evelyn Flynn, Thelma Green, Leta Hockett, Ruth Palmer and Ruth Schlegel. "Champions for Christ" is the theme, and the closing program is planned for Sunday night, June 24th.

Charles Beck's fifth grade SS class enjoyed a party at the church Friday evening June 8th. Carolann Palmer has begun a series of challenging flannelgraph lessons during the SS hour depicting the Pilgrim's Progress story.

The WMU held its last meeting of the year at the home of Florence Welch in Juanita. The meetings will resume in the fall with Elsie Hadlock as president; Florence Welch, vice president; Evelyn Flynn, treasurer; and Carolann Palmer, secretary.

Father's Day was observed on the previous Thursday evening with a father and son banquet in the church, prepared by Elsie Hadlock and Gertrude Hendricks. About 20 were present. Sunday morning five fathers of the congregation were given opportunity to take part in the service.

## SALEM QUARTERLY MEETING

EUGENE

Wayne Piersall, pastor

Vacation time really hits our attendance here at Eugene as we have so many school teachers in our group. Vacationers this month include the Bob Armstrongs, Norman Winters, Harold Wilhites, Thelma Rose, Lois Burnett and Lenard Witts. We surely miss Don and Virginia Millage from our group as they have moved to Portland since his graduation from the university.

The pastor has announced a "work day" for any who can help paint the church on July 4th, with a pot-luck planned at noon.

Wanda Clarkson was honored by the ladies at a pink and blue shower held at the home of Pearl Pearson. Norma Beebe, Dorothy Wickwire and Elenita Bales were hostesses. We were happy that Mrs. Edwin Clarkson from Caldwell could be with us; also her daughter and family, Mrs. Dean Dillon from Boise.

Dean Gregory met with us in a called business meeting to discuss with us the calling of a pastor. We were glad to have a short glimpse of his Bolivian trip, and are looking forward to having him again for some "added details."

Willa Piersall made a short visit to Idaho recently. Wayne has been working in the woods for his father at Cave Junction.

MARION

Hal May, pastor

May 21 was 8th grade graduation with a class of 15, and 11 of these young people will be promoted to the high-school class of our SS.

We had ten attend the Twin Rocks Christian Endeavor banquet in Salem, May 25.

Our DVBS was held from June 4-9 under the direction of Thelma Rose. The first day there were 28 youngsters present and seven instructors. Our enrollment reached 36 with 33 taking part in the program Friday night.

The CE members enjoyed a party June 19 at the J. H. Smith home. Hal and June May were chaperons for the dozen young people present. They enjoyed a hamburger fry over an open fire and out-door games followed by devotionals led by Linda Smith.

HIGHLAND AVENUE

Paul Barnett, pastor

Attendance at all of the services of the church has been maintained in a commendable way through the spring and summer months. A young people's prayer meeting on Wednesday evening has been the means of spiritual strength to our youth.

We have been thankful to receive into membership ten new members, and two were transferred from associate to active members. Among these were several young people. We praise God for the faithfulness of all.

We welcome to Highland, Jim and Pat DeLapp, with their twin daughters, Ladine and Lorene. Jim has just completed a two-year term of service in the US Medical Corps in France.

DVBS was concluded with a closing program on June 20. Enthusiasm and regular attendance has made this a good school, with major emphasis on Bible and memorization of scripture.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ankeny were called to Long Beach, Calif., on June 14, because of the very serious illness of Roy's mother. Recently Mrs. Ankeny received word of the death of her brother, Leston Baker, of Sioux City, Iowa. Our sympathy and prayers are given in behalf of these faithful members of the church.

SOUTH SALEM

John Fankhauser, pastor

Forty young people attended the annual formal banquet held in honor of the graduates. Kenneth Williams, dean of George Fox College, was speaker.

SS open house was held May 20th. The film, "This Way to Heaven," was shown, following the fellowship time.

WMU met at the home of Adra Dearing. Mrs. George Simonka spoke of the work of the Salem Union Gospel Mission.

The June meeting of the Marion County Holiness Assn. was held at our church, with Paul Barnett, pastor of Highland Friends, the speaker.

Several from the church attended the work day at Twin Rocks Conference grounds Memorial Day.

We were privileged to have the Herschel Thornburg family here for services June 8, 9, and 10th. The chalk drawings, music, and preaching were a real blessing to all.

Our DVBS "Adventuring with Christ," is now in the second week, with 41 enrolled.

Quentin Nurdyke is in Entiat, Wash., where he is supplying for the pastor, Randall Emry.

MEDFORD

Clynton Crisman, pastor

We are glad to welcome Orville Winters who is serving as assistant pastor this summer.

Sunday evening June 3rd the combined adult and youth choirs presented a short sacred concert. This ended their appearance until next fall.

The largest DVBS ever in the history of our church was held June 11th to 22nd. At the end of the first week the average attendance was 172 with a total enrollment of 219. At the program given Friday night, June 22, the boys and girls sang, recited memory work and displayed their hand-work.

The CE'ers had a party Tuesday night, June 19th. The highlight of the party was announcements about Camp Sa-wa-li-nais which will be held July 3-9.

Deane and Ardys Roberts and family attended commencement at George Fox College.

We miss Avadna Peterson from our services, especially at the organ and piano, since she returned to her home at Homedale, Idaho, for the summer months.

Joyce Dillavou, niece of Mrs. Wayne Roberts, is here visiting Dr. and Mrs. Wayne Roberts. Joyce is a senior at Penn College, Oskaloosa, Iowa.

We are glad to welcome Phyllis Archibald and Pat Schroeder home from George Fox College.

ROSEDALE

Carl F. Miller, pastor

A new venture at Rosedale: Since we could not have Bernice Mardock and Elsie Gehrke for our DVBS at the regular time, we held the sessions at 4:00 o'clock each day of the last week of day school. The children came to the church by the school bus and were taken home by the workers at 6:30. It was in every way a success with many spiritual blessings reported.

On May 20th we were privileged to have Kenneth Williams bring the morning message in observance of George Fox College Day, a very fine discourse on Christian education.

On May 25th the entire community of Rosedale got together at the public school for a miscellaneous shower. Many very useful gifts were presented to the Forrest Cammack family for their sojourn in Bolivia.

The month of May also witnessed a record breaker for our SS when 112 were present one Sunday. The mothers of our church are very happy over the nursery which has been added to our auditorium. Thus enabling them to be in church with their babies, and at the same time see and hear the preacher.

SCOTT'S MILLS

Charlotte Macy, pastor

In May our pastors planned a youth retreat, which was held in a camp only a few miles from Silver Creek Falls. There were 40 in attendance, 30 of these were young people. God blessed in the gospel services, several knelt at an altar of prayer, returning home new creatures in Christ Jesus.

Our pastors, Ralph Hofstetter and Erma Lea Broyles attended Salem Q. M. held at Talent.

We are happy to have Kenneth Magee home and at service after spending a year in Germany. He and Jo Anne Tuning are to be married in the Friends church at Sprague River on June 23rd.

A number of us attended Maurice Magee's wedding at Newberg, June 10th.

We are glad to report a very successful "missionary" DVBS held May 28th to June 8th, under the leadership of Dorothy Barratt, assisted by a faithful group of teachers and helpers. In spite of the competition of berry fields, there was an enrollment of 58. The closing program was very splendid, enjoyed by a church full of parents and interested friends.

We were thrilled to see how much Scripture had been memorized, songs learned, and knowledge gained of our missionaries and the mission field.

## BOISE VALLEY QUARTERLY MEETING

MEADOWS VALLEY

Clair Lund, pastor

We had a very successful DVBS this year with 32 boys and girls registered. Our average each day was about 30. The theme this year was "Champions for Christ." Chemical object lessons were used, which kept the interest of the boys and girls. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lund, of Portland (our pastor's parents), were here, and Mrs. Lund taught a class while Mr. Lund finished putting the siding on our missionary cabin.

June 12th the WMU met at the home of Mae Wilson for a very enjoyable work day. Aprons and hankies were made.

June 15th the young people held a work party at Quaker Hill. Because of rain they could only work inside. They finished off with a weiner roast around the fireplace.

The week of June 25th our pastor and his family are planning a vacation trip to Yellowstone National Park.

WHITNEY

Walter P. Lee, pastor

The SS and church attendance for the month of June has not suffered seriously although some have been away on vacations. We have had several visitors. Some of our members have returned who have been away for some time.

Allen Olson and Corwin Hanson have finished their two years in the army medical corps overseas and have been heartily welcomed home. Allen used his leave time while overseas to tour Egypt, Palestine, Greece and Rome, taking a large number of color film pictures. Using some of his slides he gave a very inspirational travelogue through the Bible lands to the Quarterly Meeting Friends Brotherhood which met at Whitney on June 18.

On May 29 while Marilea Curryer was visiting here, the church had a shower for her and Arnold Lee in anticipation of their wedding on June 21 in Spokane, Wash. The couple plan to live in Boise for at least a year.

Word has been received that Lee Campbell of this church, who has been in naval service in Florida, was recently injured in a motorcycle accident, necessitating the amputation of one leg below the knee.

Phyllis Uptegrove of First Friends church in Portland is worshipping with us during the summer months while visiting relatives in Boise.

Delpha and Beverly Campbell, who moved with her parents to Cambridge, are back with us for a few weeks while working in Boise.

Marilyn Lee returned home on June 19 from a three weeks' tour of the middle west with the Northwest Nazarene College choir.

## GREENLEAF QUARTERLY MEETING

HOMEDALE

Willard Kennon, pastor

The boys club, organized the first of the year, had an over-night outing in the hills May 28, 29. Nine boys and the pastor attended.

The high school senior baseball team played four games locally and won three.

Our pastor arranged a special recognition service for eight high school, one college and four 8th-grade graduates May 20.

Mr. and Mrs. Quincy Fodge gave a program of music, poetry and inspirational messages one Sunday evening in May. Electric organ, vibra-harp, piano and voice were much enjoyed by all.

DVBS concluded June 15th at 8:00 p.m. with a program by the children. 107 were enrolled, 99 present one day, with average daily attendance of 95. There were 22 teachers and helpers. The entire primary department came to the altar and made decisions for Christ. Also 22 from junior and intermediate departments.

A pre-school picnic was had at the city park, which was well attended and much enjoyed.

Our pastor and helpers are conducting evangelistic services at the Mexican labor camp.

A new youth choir was recently organized by Bill Davidson. Their first number presented June 17 was well done and much enjoyed.

GREENLEAF

Oscar Brown, pastor

"Homecoming Day" was observed May 29 at the academy with a parade, closing chapel for the public, barbecue and talent program at noon, alumni business meeting, baseball game, riding club exhibit and commencement for 18 seniors, with Dr. Arthur Roberts as speaker. Baccalaureate was May 27 with Richard Cossel as speaker.

DVBS was held June 4-8 with a good attendance.

Don Lamm brought the evening message June 10. He received his degree from GFC. He, with his family, spent a few days vacation at home.

WMU met with Alice Gossard June 14.

A surprise quilting was held at the home of Nellie Ellis June 12 where we quilted a quilt for Iverna Hibbs. She was really surprised and happy.

Greenleaf ladies met in Friendship Hall for a bridal shower for Marjorie Larrance June 11.

CALDWELL

Richard Cossel, pastor

Richard Cossel has accepted the call to serve as pastor another year.

The country home of Zenas and Elma Perisho was the scene of the WMU "Family Night" pot-luck supper June 19, with plenty of home-made ice cream. Forty-six were in attendance in spite of the rain, which changed it from a "lawn party" to a "house party." Clair Howard led devotions. Several gifts were brought for the "Christmas in June" for our missionaries.

DVBS was held June 4-15 from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. The program was given the following Sunday night. Leona Baker was the superintendent.

Maynard Elmore and Loren Burton led prayer meetings while the pastor helped with Bible School.

Duane and Martha Emry took his mother to Entiat, Wash., upon receiving word of the serious logging accident of their son and brother, Randall.

Richard Cossel gave the baccalaureate message for Greenleaf Academy.

We miss Peggy Eidemiller from our services since she has gone to Seattle to work.

Members graduating from high school are Charles Howard, Geraldine Perisho, Peggy Eidemiller, and Donna Phillips.

## INLAND QUARTERLY MEETING

ENTIA T

Randall Emry

We, who were able to go, were much interested in the missionary workshop held in East Wenatchee for the three churches in this area, and a few more were able to attend the missionary rally on Wednesday evening, May 23.

The missionaries, the Hibbs, were at our church on Friday evening. Attendance was small on account of many conflicts, so they came back on Sunday evening to a much larger crowd. We were sorry that little Kenneth had the chicken pox so was unable to appear in public.

Our pastor has promised to come back for another year. We were so sorry for the serious accident that happened to our pastor. It has been a load on our hearts, and we know on many of yours, also. It has been very hard on his family. We report a slow recovery from the terrific bruising of his internal organs. Keep praying.



Reorganizing time is here and we are suffering from a lack of members for offices after having given up so many to East Wenatchee, Spokane, and other places. Wanted more members.

The WMU is meeting to pack things for Hibbs to take back to Bolivia with them. We met at Ellen Griffith's recently to tack a quilt and to help with other things.

#### SPOKANE FIRST FRIENDS

A. Clark Smith, pastor

This year's DVBS under the direction of Laura Shook saw many changes in procedure. Since a neighboring church, the Ridgeview Chapel Assembly of God, has no regular meeting place as yet, a combined Bible school was held in which there was a total of 209 students and workers registered from both churches. Of special interest this year was the junior high class under the leadership of A. Clark Smith. In the junior department the children were divided into classes, with special teachers for the Bible lessons, memory work, and missionary stories working in rotation. Laura Shook did an outstanding job in leading the worship services, using stories and interesting object lessons. Missionary offerings totaling \$18.44 were divided between the two churches. At the closing program the entire school sang this year's theme song, "Our Living Bible." The schedule was shortened to nine days because of the wedding at the church on June 20.

On that evening wedding ceremonies were held for Marilea Curryer and Arnold Lee, with A. Clark Smith officiating. A reception followed in the church basement.

We are glad that Alvin Piatt, who suffered a head injury, is again able to be among us.

#### NEWBERG QUARTERLY MEETING

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Charles A. Beals, pastor

Our church choir, under the direction of Priscilla Doble, presented the oratorio, "The Holy City," on Sunday afternoon, May 27.

Our church joined with other churches in attending the baccalaureate for the high school seniors in the high school auditorium, Sunday evening, May 27.

The DVBS of the Free Methodist, Nazarene, and Friends churches was held in our church, June 4 to 15. The evening program was on Thursday evening, June 14.

The baccalaureate for George Fox College was held Sunday morning, June 3, in our church. Lloyd S. Cressman, president of Friends University, a former pastor of this meeting, brought the message.

Carl Byrd, pastor at Lynnville, Iowa, and former pastor of this meeting, brought the message on Sunday morning, June 10. Ella Byrd gave a message in song. They attended their son's college graduation here.

##### CHEHALEM CENTER

Scott and Grace Clark, pastors

On May 20th the Newberg Quarterly Meeting CE held its speech and memorization contest and rally in our church. There were more than 100 present. Yvonne Hess of our CE won the speech contest.

Among this year's graduates are Barbara Shires from Newberg High School and Dorothy Hawkins and Cheril Farmer from the 8th grade.

DVBS was held for one week June 4-8 with classes both morning and afternoon. There was a fairly good and regular attendance in spite of strawberry picking. Edna Peck was our evangelist and Betty Lou Sargent our superintendent. The closing program Sunday evening, June 10, was well received.

We are happy that our pastors have accepted the call of the church to remain for another year.

The Leroy Neifert family of Talent was present in our meeting June 10th and brought the morning message.

"Enter into His gates with Thanksgiving and into His courts with praise" is the theme of our choir, which, directed by Robert Fiscus, starts singing before SS is dismissed, and continues as we gather for morning worship.

##### SPRINGBROOK

Howard E. Harmon, pastor

May 20 was GFC Sunday and two students who have been helping us had charge of the services. David Wing brought

the morning message, and Darwin Grim spoke in the evening. Three young people came to the altar.

We are happy to have David and Pat Wing and Robert and Pat Smith remain with us through the summer. We shall greatly miss other college students who faithfully helped us through the year.

Asa and Mary Butler and Arden were welcomed back to our services after spending five months at Cottonwood, Ariz.

June 10, seemed to be "Visitor's Day." About 20 visitors from Washington, Oregon and Idaho were present.

Bethlin Harmon is spending two weeks in Portland helping in the DVBS at Second Friends. The children are with her.

Sunday evening, June 10, Fred Newkirk brought the message. He has resigned as our assistant pastor as he is to be away most of the summer working for GFC. We have appreciated his faithfulness as our assistant pastor.

We were blessed in having Dean Gregory and family with us Sunday morning, June 17. He told us how the work of the church was progressing on the Bolivian field.

##### WEST CHEHALEM

Herman Macy, pastor

The WMU met at the parsonage in May for the last meeting of the season. Marie Haines was our guest speaker and brought news from both the home and foreign mission work. We have several boxes of articles we have made during the winter to send to our missionaries in Bolivia—articles such as: comforters, kits filled with toilet articles for the Bible School boys, pillow cases, tea towels and other small gifts make up the assortment.

Our SS went to an all-time high of 91 on June 10, for a regular Sunday with no program attraction. We are feeling the need of more room, both in our auditorium and class rooms. Two classes have been meeting for some time in the parsonage. Some preliminary steps have been taken, with a building fund started, toward building more SS rooms. Some whole families who have never come before are now attending regularly.

Father's Day came in for some special observance in our SS with recognition of the oldest and youngest fathers present and those with the most children. Readings and special music also were features.

Attendance and interest is growing in our SS and morning church services. Several boys were saved recently during class period.

We are glad to be having the Macys with us for another year.

#### PORTLAND QUARTERLY MEETING

##### PIEDMONT

Myron Goldsmith, pastor

An average of 67 children are in daily attendance at DVBS at Piedmont. The theme of "Adventuring with Christ" is being carried throughout the departments by an excellent teaching staff. This year a nursery class is being kept for children of the workers. Pearl Pruitt is directing the session.

A time of fellowship in music, fun, and food was enjoyed Sunday evening June 3 in the church basement. Donald Edmundson's inspirational song leading enlivened the evening of music.

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The church extends its congratulations to three of our number who received their A. B. degrees from Cascade College June 9. Those graduated were Mardee Henderson, Mary Lou Palmer, and Roy Hiebert.

We were privileged to have Dean and Kathleen Gregory and family in a recent prayer meeting service. Dean told about their trip to the Bolivian field and some of the Christian natives and their work and burden for the people. Kathleen spoke of the trip from her view, and asked that church members pray earnestly for our missionaries.

A bridal shower was given Elizabeth Delano at the home of Eleanor Frazier June 21. Elizabeth is now directing several Bible schools in local churches before her August marriage to Wesley Bertrand.

New members received into church membership recently were Christine Patzer and sons, Dennis and James; Mr. and Mrs. Edward Whilden; Mary Lou Berning. Linda Slocum was received into associate membership.

##### SECOND FRIENDS

J. Russel Stands, pastor

We are indeed glad to welcome home Dean and Kathleen Gregory. Dean spoke in the evening service June 10. It was wonderful to hear the latest news from our own mission field and missionaries.

Our WMU met at the church June 14. After the business and devotions by Jane Laughlin, Kathleen gave us a report on their trip to the World Gospel Mission in the jungles. It was a very interesting and profitable evening.

Our DVBS started June 11 with Bethlin Harmon as evangelist. The attendance has been very good, and the program for parents and friends will be held Friday evening.

We are looking forward to the Multnomah County Holiness Association Camp Meeting which will be held June 28 to July 8. Saturdays are work days at camp to ready it for camp meeting.

Mrs. Nancy Long, after many months in nursing homes, is now in her own home at 9912 S.E. Ellis.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Thomas are in a nursing home at Bridelvale, Ore.

Memorial Day the church picnic was held at Mt. Scott Park in spite of inclement weather.

##### METOLIUS

M. Gene Hockett, pastor

DVBS for 1956 at Metolius is just a memory now, as the school was held for five days, beginning June 4. The total enrollment was 85, with 70 being the average attendance. The Lord helped in many ways, and the teachers felt that much was accomplished in the classes and worship services. Several boys and girls made decisions for Christ. The program was given on Friday evening, June 8.

Construction on the church building is continuing, and it is hoped that services can be held there within a few weeks.

On June 21 the WMU met for a Christmas party. Each woman took a Christmas gift to be given to one of the missionaries. The meeting was held at the home of Elaine Henderson.

Several of the church families participated in a picnic on Sunday, June 3, at the home of Carol and Esther Rhoads. Following the meal, Gene Hockett was presented with a lovely Pendleton wool jacket as a graduation gift from the church.

In the absence of the pastor on Sunday, May 27, Ray Carter brought the message in the morning. Gene and Betty Hockett were in Portland to attend Gene's graduation from Western Evangelical Seminary.

##### ROSEMERE

Alden and Esther White, pastors

A group from Rosemere has been receiving real blessing lately. They are holding services once a month at Peniel Mission in Portland.

The Rosemere Royal Rangers Club held their final picnic at Leverich Park, Saturday, June 2nd. Good food, and a good time was reported by the youngsters.

Rayma Cogswell and Nina Palmer, from the Spokane church, were guests at the James Clifton home overnight on June 5th. They came to take Mardella Cogswell and Betty Curryer home from George Fox College.

Bernice and Lucille Hughes started to church last Sunday, June 19th, but was unable to get through the flood waters

that had surrounded their home.

Four of our young people graduated from high school this spring. They are Wanda Minnick, Delbert Russum, Barbara Peterson, and Edwin Hughes.

##### TIMBER

Harold Ankeny, pastor

Miracles will happen, in 1956! This was the theme of at least one sermon of our pastor during the last month, and it certainly is borne out in the progress and financial support in our new building program.

By the time you read this we hope to have the windows almost in and the outside doors installed. In our "bi-monthly paper" we invited the people to give \$10.00 for one window. This was just for the glass. Two hours after the paper was in the mail, five windows were pledged, beside another gift of \$80.00. The "middle" two weeks of June was just like that throughout. We thank God! This will assure us of enough money to get into the church, but we are in need of getting some inside wall partition materials for our classrooms. We are confident that these finances will come in.

SS has skidded! Fifteen of our regulars have been absent via the great American tradition of "moving." Included in this number was our SS superintendent, SS secretary, three teachers and three church officers. So you see we are temporarily groggy, but will soon recover and again press the enemy's territory.

Visit us any time, especially if you are on your way to the Coast via the Sunset highway. Just three miles west of the tunnel and three miles south. We would be most happy to have you share our joy in our building and the work in general.

##### OAK PARK

J. Earl Geil, pastor

Our two CE's enjoyed the youth rally of the Southwestern Washington Friends Churches held at Forest Home church, May 20. A large group was in attendance. Walter Cook of Forest Home brought the message.

The men's organization of Portland Quarterly Meeting met in the Oak Park church Monday, May 21. A fellowship dinner was enjoyed by all, followed by an interesting program.

The June 3rd evening service of our church was held at Forest Home due to the high water which was filling the basement of our church.

Our WMU met June 14 for an all-day meeting. Cleaning the church basement was the job for the day as the water had left it in a very bad state.

The DVBS began Monday, June 18. It was delayed on account of the high water in the church basement. Mrs. Louise Delano will be in charge.

#### NEW CHURCH AT KLAMATH FALLS (?)

On the night of June 15 a group of interested Friends met in Klamath Falls to discuss the possibility of starting a Friends church in that city.

While the local response was not as much as hoped for, it was reported that there is a new section of the city without a church, and that the schools are planning on 500 new families to move in with the building of a new jet air base and coming of a Johns Manville factory.

Truly here is a place Friends should have a church. Pray that the Lord of the harvest will send forth workers.

Those attending the meeting were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Passolt and Charlotte, Mr. and Mrs. Evert Tuning, Mr. and Mrs. Ross McIntyre and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clynton Crisman, Orville Winters, Christine Childs, Thelma Rose, and Milo Ross, who brought the message.



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