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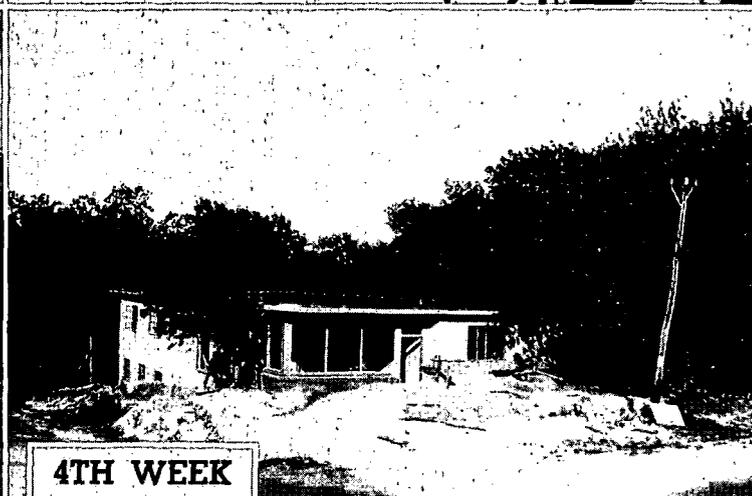
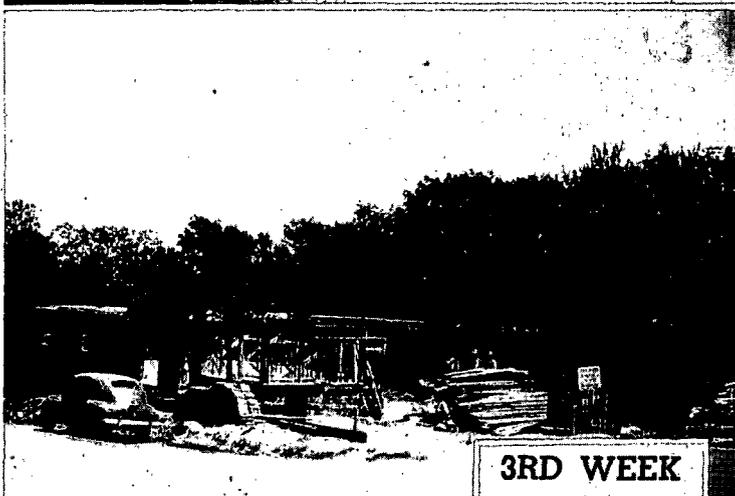
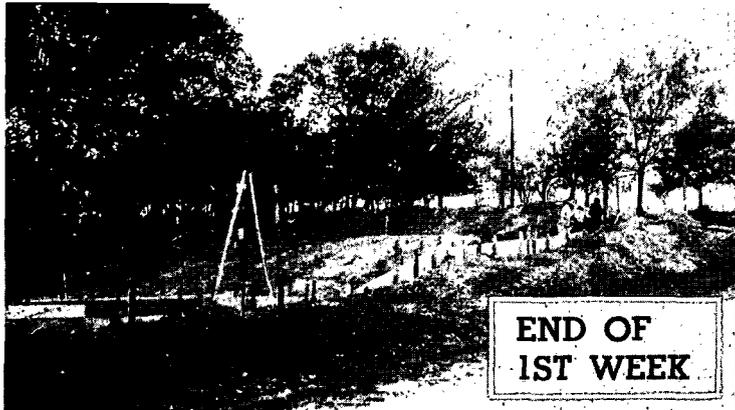
The Voice of Healing staff officially began its work June 2nd in the new offices in Dallas, Texas, located at 1600 Bonnie View Road. We are grateful to the Lord for this modern and spacious building in which we can better serve you, our subscribers.

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HOW GOD CALLED ME TO AFRICA

by William Branham

VALDEZ' MOVING STORY:

by A. C. Valdez, Jr.



The above photos show the progress of building of TVH offices in Dallas. Note the lovely shade trees. The picture on this month's cover is the artist's conception of the finished building, which with minor differences is a fair representation of the new structure. The front room is a book store. We expect to continually increase our stock, and in the course of time we expect to handle a complete line of gospel books. Friends in this area as well as visitors from a distance are invited to visit the offices at a date to be announced.

TVH MOVES TO DALLAS NEW OFFICES OPENED JUNE 1st

The staff of THE VOICE OF HEALING officially opened the doors of the new TVH offices in Dallas, June 1st. All mail should be sent to Box 8658, Dallas. Due to an unfortunate error in the June issue, the new Post Office Box number in Dallas was incorrect. The correct number is Box 8658.

We are proud of our new office in Dallas, which is located at 1600 Bonnie View Road, just ten minutes from the heart of Dallas. Total floor space available in the new building is nearly 7000 square feet, against 2800 in the office at Shreveport. We have installed for the convenience of our employees and for general office efficiency, a modern heating and air-conditioning system.

The editor with Brother Jack Moore's and Young Brown's assistance supervised the construction of the building, and as a result of getting much of the material wholesale we were able to build for a little over half the market value. This has necessitated the editor being away from the office much of the time. We have, however, done our best to answer all important correspondence, much of which had to be answered at night.

As we announced last month, with great regret we bid farewell to our efficient assistant editor, Miss Anna Jeanne Moore, who expects to leave for London with her parents on June 24. She will attend the World Conference in London, and during that week will be married to Rev. Don Price. The young couple will then spend their honeymoon in Europe, and afterwards will hold a series of gospel meetings on the continent. TVH wishes them happiness and God's richest blessings.

The editor also plans to attend the World Conference during the last week of June.

Many ministers from all parts of the world will be there. The officials in charge of the Conference have asked the editor to contribute an article for the conference brochure which will contain significant articles from writers in different parts of the world. We hope to have a supply of these books in stock by the time of the next issue of the magazine.

We hope to make the special tour to Palestine following the conference, which will give us an opportunity to study world conditions abroad. Naturally, we look forward with great anticipation to the time we shall visit the land where once trod the feet of the Master in bringing redemption to the human race.

Taking the place of Anna Jeanne Moore is Brother Emil Bunjes, who has studied journalism for several years, and who, we believe, will efficiently assist us in preparing for publication of the magazine which has now come to

be recognized as the voice of the world-wide salvation-healing revival.

Since withdrawing from active participation in the Branham revivals, we have had difficulty in securing reports of his campaigns. Brother Branham himself rarely writes, and those who labor with him often neglect to prepare reports. It was several months after the African meetings before we were able to get a full report and pictures of the African campaigns. Then a landslide of material came to us all at once. We now have good news to report. We have secured a considerable number of Branham's sermons, including his own report of his trip to Africa. The first installment appears in this issue, and others will follow. Moreover, with this issue, we are advertising the long-looked-for book of THE WILLIAM BRANHAM SERMONS. These should be ready for shipment in a few weeks. You may order now. (See Page 3)

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HOW GOD CALLED ME TO AFRICA

by William Branham

"I first felt the call to Africa when I was in Houston, Texas. Rev. Bosworth brought me Miss Florence Nightingale's picture. (Many of you saw that picture recently in **THE VOICE OF HEALING**.) I received a cablegram right after that asking me to come to Durban, South Africa. I laid the picture down on the floor, and with my wife and babies knelt around it and prayed, 'God, if you'll just heal that poor dear woman, I'll go to Africa and witness for you down there.' I committed it to the Lord, and little did I know that it would turn out that I should go to Africa.

"But when Brother Moore and Brother Lindsay and a group of us went to England, we had no sooner come off the plane, when they paged us. It was a call from some persons who had brought Florence Nightingale on a plane from Durban, Africa, and they asked that we should come and pray for her. How she knew that we were going to be there I don't know. We went to see her, and in the room where we were taken I saw a sight the like of which I had never before witnessed in my life.

"The woman was perhaps five feet eight inches tall, but her arms and limbs were so tiny and she had to be on her back continually. Tears were rolling down her cheeks and the nurses had to bend down to hear what she was saying. She said that she wanted me to ask God to let her die. She didn't want to live any longer. Well, after her praying and holding on to God so long, it was hard for me to ask God to let her die. So I prayed that she would get well. While I was praying one of the sweetest things happened. A little dove came fluttering through the bushes and sat near the window. He walked back and forth and cooed as he walked. Some of the ministers mentioned the dove, but before I could say anything, the angel of the Lord came near. The blessing of God came on the woman. She was told that she would live and not die. Friends, that woman weighs about 155 pounds now and is in perfect health.

THE CALL TO AFRICA!

"I had promised God that I would go to Africa if He would heal her. So, when the call came again I was ready to go. We went to New York and we had a marvelous meeting in the St. Nicholas Arena. The place was packed out on the second night.

"I had been told that no American subject would require a visa as long as he was going to British territory, nor would I need a typhus shot. However, when I was about to board the plane, they told me I had to have both.

"The plane pulled off leaving me standing on the runway. Brother Baxter shouted, 'Let me out of here. I'm afraid this thing will fall.' However, we told him to go on to Africa and we would get there as soon as we could.

"Some days later, we were permitted to leave for Africa and were about to land. There was a bad bank of fog and we had a broken instrument. For an hour we circled over the city. Everybody sat quiet. I was praying. When we hit the runway, everybody let out a big sigh. I said, 'Hallelujah!' I was really glad to be on the ground again. We were greeted in Johannesburg by many news reporters as well as about 30,000 people.

THE FIRST NIGHT

"That night we went to the place of meeting. As far as I could see, through the lights, there was a solid mass of suffering human-

Crowd at an airplane hanger of the South African Airline in Capetown, awaiting Brother Branham's party.

ity. I was very tired, being under the strain of travelling, but I had spoken for about five minutes when I looked down and saw a lady lying on a cot. Then the angel of the Lord came near. The woman was told that she had been in an accident two years before that and had broken her back, that it had been wired and that the doctors had given her no hope of ever walking again. Her mother sat there nodding her head that it was right. Then, in a vision, I saw the young lady get up and walk. I knew she was going to be healed. I said, 'Sister, in the Name of the Lord, you are healed.' Her mother said, 'Oh no, no! She can't get up, she'll die.' But the young girl raised right up off the cot, then screamed and threw up her hands. The mother fainted and dropped on the cot that her daughter had just left.

"Everybody began to look, but just then back in the audience I saw a vision of a boy, a young fellow about 16 walking, bent over. I said, 'Young man, haven't you a limb quite a bit shorter than the other?' He said, 'Yes Sir.' I then said, 'I have just noticed you in a vision. You've come a long way, haven't you?' He said, 'Yes Sir. I then saw in the vision a car that they had driven over in. Just then I saw him walking back, and this time he was just as normal as anyone could be. I said, 'Brother, in the name of the Lord you are normal now.' He had come from Durban and many people knew him. As soon as I had told him that God had healed him, he stood on his feet straight and came running down the aisle, with both legs exactly the same length. Well, that just set the place aglow.

"The next night I tried to explain to the people about Divine Healing. I told them that doctors don't heal people, nor do they claim to heal people. They are just able to aid nature in the person who is sick. Only God is a healer. The next morning an officer in the Medical Association of Africa called me up and wanted to take me out to dinner. I couldn't go because I have to fast when I am under the anointing in a healing meeting. So

they came down to the meeting and gave me the right hand of fellowship. My, the people that came! Looked as if they turned them all out of the hospitals so that they could come to the meeting.

"I want to tell you about two Dutch Reformed ministers who came to the meeting. One was for the services and the other against. The one who was against them said, 'He is a hypnotizer as sure as the world.' The other said, 'No, hypnotizers don't heal people.' Well then he is a spiritualist for sure. He must be of the devil, for how could he know those things that he is telling to the sick?"

THE HAND OF THE ANGEL

"The other minister who was taking up for me said, 'This is the day of visitation! If you do not believe, you are going to regret it. This is the last revival from the Lord before His Coming. I am going to pray for your soul.' He went out in the yard and knelt down under a peach tree. While he was praying, there stood in front of him the angel of the Lord, who said, 'Go speak to him again.' When the angel spoke those words, a hand was laid on his shoulder, and he felt as if fire went through him. He went back to his friend and told him that he had seen an angel and that a hand had been placed upon his back. Suddenly the other minister acted as though he had had a heart attack. There was a scorched place on the man's shirt which was just the image of a man's hand! The story came out in the headlines of the newspaper the next day. It showed the picture of a minister looking at the print of the hand of an angel on his shirt—scorched!

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AT LAST — — JUST WHAT YOU
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WILLIAM BRANHAM SERMONS

Edited and prepared by Gordon Lindsay

There has been a great demand for the WILLIAM BRANHAM SERMONS, but since Brother Branham does practically no writing himself, it has been difficult to secure any of his material. The editor therefore took a wire recorder into the meetings, and has recorded a number of his choice sermons for publication. We are thus able to present them as they were preached word for word.

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EVANG. RUSSELL PARK BENT BACK, NERVOUSNESS HEALED BY PRAYER

I am writing this testimony to let people know what God can do. When I was four years old I was afflicted by a high fever which left me in a weakened condition. I was left stooped and bent, my back and hips were stiff, and I was very nervous. Then at the age of thirteen, I suffered a stroke in one side and my eyes were left crossed.



On September 28, 1951, I went to the Union Tent Revival conducted by Bro. Russell Park in Trinity, Texas. He prayed for me and I was instantly touched by God. The next morning I noticed I was completely healed. My eyes are straight and, as you can see by the picture, I stand very straight now.

I can't praise the Lord enough for sending Brother and Sister Park our way. There is power in the blood of Jesus Christ.

Beatrice Gates
General Delivery, Trinity, Texas

EVANG. GAYLE JACKSON MIGRAINE HEADACHES 27 YEARS; NOW GONE



I suffered intensely with migraine headaches for 27 years. The pain extended down into my neck and shoulders as it grew worse. I was healed instantly in the Gayle Jackson revival, here, after prayer in the healing line. I praise and thank the Lord for healing me.

Dorothy Beuchler
3177 A Street,
San Diego,
California

EVANG. WILBUR HENRY "PERMANENT" INJURY HEALED IN MEETING

Six years ago I received a permanent injury of the spine. After several x-rays, the specialists told me that there was nothing they could do for me and sooner or later I would be a cripple from arthritis. For the past two years I have suffered much and my back was so stiff I could hardly bend over. Brother Henry prayed for me and the Lord instantly healed me. Praise His Name.



Lucy Miller
1828 Ellen Street,
Roseburg, Oregon

As Mrs. Lucy F. Miller's pastor, I wish to confirm the healing she received from the

Lord during Evangelist Wilbur Henry's meeting in Roseburg, Oregon, during January.
Rev. Vernon L. Klemir
Assembly of God, Roseburg, Oregon

EVANG. U. S. JAEGER MULTIPLE AFFLICTIONS DEFEATED BY FAITH

I want to praise the Lord for the miracle which He has performed in my body.

I have had berghers disease for nearly 7 years in my feet and legs. The American Medical Association told me that there was absolutely no cure for this disease. Thirty-two doctors, to whom I have gone, could do nothing for me. I have undergone seven operations, which resulted only in drawing up my hip and knee, so that just my toe touched the ground and I could walk only with the aid of crutches, and that with much pain. My feet and legs were black and swollen. I had not been able to wear shoes for years. I also suffered with a cerebral tumor which caused much agony. I was unable to raise my head; my back was crooked, and my hands were drawn up so I was unable to open and close them. I also had high blood pressure, and hardening of arteries to the extent that one eye was blind. I suffered excruciating pain continually.



One night I had a dream. Jesus sat at the end of my bed. He told me to go to the Normana Hall where Brother U. S. Jaeger was ministering to the sick, and that he would pray for me and I would be healed. On March 4th

EVANG. VERNON GRIGGS GLAND DISORDER CORRECTED IN PRAYER FOR BLESSING

Praise the Lord for what he has done! I had been going to the doctor regularly for monthly checks on my heart. I was overweight and was put on a strict diet, but didn't seem to lose weight as I should. On the night of January 23, 1952, I was standing with a group in prayer for spiritual things when God revealed to Brother Griggs that someone had been healed of gland trouble.

Since that time I have lost about 20 pounds. When I returned to the doctor on February 11, he found my heart in good condition. I had also been healed of rheumatic fever and arthritis. I don't have any pains in my body any more.

My husband was healed of arthritis also. The Lord has blessed us both, spiritually as well as physically.

Mrs. Isaac Hill
1018 W. Wishkah St., Aberdeen, Washington



1952, I was able to find someone who would take me. Brother Jaeger asked if there were any backsliders. I had been a backslider for 24 years. He was looking directly at me. I had to raise my hand and a gentleman helped me up to him. First Brother Jaeger prayed for my salvation and I experienced the joy of sins forgiven. Then he asked Jesus to heal me. He took my crutches, telling me to walk in the Name of Jesus. I was so frightened! But to my amazement my leg, back, head and hands were straight. I can now see with the formerly blind eye. All pain has gone. I was made whole again, from the top of my head to the bottom of my feet. I ran with joy all over the place.

I feel like the happiest woman on earth. My heart is filled with praises and thanksgiving for what my wonderful Lord has done for me. Truly, a new day has dawned in my life.

Mrs. E. C. Crawford
1301 Market, Tacoma, Washington

MIRACLE HEALINGS OCCUR WHEN TVH PLACED ON BODY Fever Broken

Dear Editor:

I have a testimony that should have been given some time ago . . . About one and one-half years ago, I was home alone with my four children, and I took a high fever of 101.2, and my skin broke out in big blotches that burned like fire, and was very itchy. Our local nurse told me it looked like hives or poison from weeds, and also told me how to care for it. But I did not do as she instructed me, for I was trusting the Lord to heal me. As it was bedtime, I went to bed and took the Voice of Healing, and as I read, I was blessed by the wonderful testimonies, etc., and the Spirit of the Lord caused me to pray in other tongues; and as I did, I put the Voice of Healing on my chest, and in a few minutes I got up to get a drink of water. I looked in a mirror, and there was hardly a mark to be seen. Jesus had healed me—the fever was gone! (All this happened in from 20 to 30 minutes.) I was thrilled, for I knew of others who had been afflicted with the same thing, and they had taken penicillin, and then developed another rash from the medicine.

May God bless your work! I know of a home where unsaved were blessed and prepared for salvation through reading The Voice of Healing, distributed by faithful readers. God saved a boy from that home. He was doped and sick in his mind from drink. He thought he had killed someone, but because he read many copies of the Voice of Healing, he was helped to receive faith for deliverance for his soul and body. He is now a member of our church.

Mrs. C. Mintz
Gooderham, Ont., Canada

Boil Opened

Last October I had a boil on the inside of the lower lid of my eye. It was very painful. I prayed, "Lord, you will have to open this boil, for nobody else can." As I prayed I laid The Voice of Healing magazine upon my cheek and prayed, "Dear Lord Jesus, these are your witnesses that you heal." The power of the Lord came upon me and when I got up off my knees, the boil opened. I got a cloth and wiped the drainage and as I did so the core came out. It has never hurt any more. I thank my Lord Jesus for His goodness to me, and also for your paper.

"Oh, give thanks unto the Lord for He is good; for His mercy endureth forever."

Mrs. Martisha Francis
387 W. 8th Street, Pomona, California

STARTLING INCIDENTS AND AMAZING ANSWERS TO PRAYER

HE WAS BURIED ALIVE; PRAYER BROUGHT HIM OUT

Several years ago while traveling in Chile, South America, I ascended a mountain range of the Andes, near the city of Tocopilla. The view was superb beyond description, mountains upon mountains and far below the distant Pacific. It was getting late and I was quickly descending over the huge boulders and crevices, when I noticed the opening of a long unused mine. My curiosity was aroused, and I entered the dimly lighted cave and advanced what seemed deep into the heart of the mountain, then suddenly I was plunging downward, falling several stories deep. Absolute blackness enveloped me and searing pain engulfed me. My right ankle seemed broken and my back and neck hurt terribly. Was I buried alive?

At this point my whole life passed before me as though on a screen. Since childhood I had trusted in God as my Savior and now I began in earnest to seek His face by praising and worshipping Him. Then a still small voice seemed to speak to me that I could not acceptably praise God with sin unconfessed on my heart. Startled, I sought forgiveness by the way of the Cross, and also confessed that only my own folly had brought me to this tragic end. I felt it was only a matter of time until I would die here, as it was humanly impossible to get out of this pit of blackness, so I resigned to the will of God. God seemed to whisper, "It is not My will". I answered, "Lord, if it is not Thy will that I perish here, then it must be Thy will that I come forth. What will you have me do?"

The voice whispered again, "You have matches."

In my shocked condition, it had not occurred to me before. I struck a match and surveyed my surroundings, and saw that I was standing on a narrow ledge just a few feet from the bottom of the shaft. The walls about me were straight, up to a point, where a shoulder of rock extended out sloping upward.

God's promise, "Call unto Me in the hour of trouble and I will deliver thee and thou shalt glorify Me", gave me absolute faith. Putting matches in my breast pocket for easy reaching, I struck one and held it with my teeth and so began scaling the wall. From that moment I felt no more pain, nor did I once slip or feel the strain of exertion. Successively spitting out burned matches, while holding on with one hand, I continued to light other matches with the free hand and place them in my mouth. Thus, I gradually climbed to the protruding shoulder. Again I faltered, as fear of falling backward gripped me, but God renewed my faith.

It was humanly impossible to scale that shaft alone, but I do know that I did ascend that perpendicular wall and surmount that shoulder. Surely the angel of God must have held me. Soon I was at the top, and had swung myself to the level surface of the cave where I could see, in the distance, light coming from the main entrance.

God did deliver in the hour of trouble as He promised in Psalm 50:15, and I humbly recount this to glorify Him.

Alfred F. Gerstmayr,
42 Anderson Street, St. Augustine, Florida

HAVE YOU HAD A STARTLING ANSWER TO PRAYER?

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MOTHER FOREWARNED OF CHILD'S DANGER

ONE day in the fall of 1933, just before time for school to be out, a great fear suddenly gripped my heart. Something tragic was about to happen. I knew that one of my children was in danger. This was a new experience for me as I had known only happiness since I had been saved. I realized this was a warning from God, so I began to pray. Relief came. A great calm came over me. I rose up, thanking the Lord.

When I saw my children running down the road, I stepped out of the gate and went to meet them. As they came near, one of the girls reported that our neighbor's little boy had been struck by a car.

Johnny, my little boy, came up with a puzzled expression on his face. He said, "Mother, that car would have gotten me, too, for we were crossing the road together, but it was going so fast that the wind from the car just picked me up and set me out of the road." I told him it was the hand of God that moved him from the path of danger.

Oh, how it thrills my heart to know this "WIND" that is all powerful and ever present, whose angel encampeth around about us to deliver us from the hand of the enemy.

Mrs. Celeste Powers
1129 Gladewater Rd.,
Longview, Texas

RAIN CLOUDS MOVED BY HAND OF GOD

The following incident of the prayer of President Finney for rain, and its immediate answer, is furnished by Professor Cowles, the intimate friend of President Finney:

"Somewhat more than twenty years ago, the village of Oberlin and its adjacent country along the lake shore, suffered severely through the hot season from a total failure of rain, for nearly three months. Clouds that seemed to promise rain were repelled from the heated dry atmosphere over the land, and attracted by the more moist atmosphere over the lake, to pour out their waters there. On one such occasion, the clouds had gathered dark, low, and heavy over the lakes, and lay there with no particular indication of rising. President Finney walked out with his eye on these clouds. I give the sequel in his own words, as they fell from his lips, less than three months since:

"In this walk I met Ralph, who turned sharply upon me. 'Mr. Finney, I should like to know what you mean in preaching that God is always wise and always good, when you see Him pouring out that great rain upon the lake, where it can do no good, and leaving us to suffer so terribly for the want of that wasted water?'"

"His words cut me to the heart; I turned, and ran home to my closet, fell on my knees, and told the Lord what Ralph had been saying about Him; and besought Him, for the honor of His great name, to confound this caviler, and show forth the glory of His power and the greatness of His love. I pleaded with Him that He had encouraged His people to pray for rain, and that now the time seemed to have come for Him to show His power in this thing, and His faithfulness as a hearer of prayer.

"Before I rose from my knees, there was a sound of a rushing, mighty wind. I looked out, and lo! the heavens were black; that cloud was rolling up, and soon the rain fell in torrents, two full hours'.

"The writer (Professor Cowles) himself remembers how that cloud lay over the lake; how it drove him, also, to his closet; and that soon and signally the prayers of that hour came back to us in mighty rain."

DAY OF PRAYER KILLS GRASSHOPPERS

In the year 1873 a plague of grasshoppers overran the state of Minnesota, ruining many farms. Next year, 1874, there were a thousand times as many grasshoppers—and as they passed on they left in their wake a desolate trail of trees, gardens and fields which had been stripped bare of everything eatable. In 1875 they laid waste no less than 32 counties, and in 1876 the state had to feed and clothe 6,000 people who had been ruined by the plague of the grasshoppers.

Conferences were held and speeches were made, and armies of experts scratched their heads, but no one could find out how to get rid of them. Strangely enough, for a long time no one seemed to think of the most obvious way. They all forgot about those

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Contact: Wm. Totman, 6562 Carrollton Road

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Union Tent Meeting

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Assemblies of God

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Toledo, Ohio June 18-July 6
Union Tent Revival
Location: Anthony Wayne Trail at South Ave.
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1084 Prospect

Richmond, Indiana July 14-27
Union Tent Revival
Location: U. S. Hy. 27 in city.
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Fort Wayne, Indiana July 30-Aug. 24
Union Tent Revival
Location: On California Rd. 1/2 Blk. East of June. 3 and 3 Blocks West of June. 27.

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Malvern, Ark. June 15
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H. E. HARDT

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Union Meeting
Location: Circus Grounds (Under steel clad tent)
Contact: Rev. Geo. L. Hubbard
5 Genessee Park

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City Wide Tent Meeting
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City Wide Tent Meeting

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Location: Tent Meeting—Kress Circus Grounds
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Bloomsburg, Penna. June 8-July
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Pastor: Lincoln D. Wyman

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Pastor: Rev. Ivan West

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Sponsored by Mesa Assembly of God Ch.
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Location: At Jack's Corner

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Union Tent Revival
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Chairman: Rev. Homer C. Cooper
Elmira Heights, N. Y. Aug. 3-31
Union Tent Meeting

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Chairman: Rev. A. Turton

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Location: Large Tent (Union Meeting)
Chairman: Rev. M. J. Johnson

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Tent Revival
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Pastor: Rev. Roy Nylin

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Pastor: Rev. Jackson

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Union Tent Revival

STARTLING INCIDENTS

And Amazing Answers

To Prayer — Cont. from p. 5

plagues in Egypt so long ago, and about the God who both sent them and was able to take them away.

Here's what happened:

State of Minnesota
Executive Department
Saint Paul,

April 9th, 1877

In view of the threatened continuation of the grasshoppers' scourage, I do hereby appoint Thursday, the twenty-sixth day of April instant to be observed as a Day of Fasting and Prayer.

J. S. Pillsbury,
Governor.

April 26th. A Day of Prayer according to the Governor's proclamation.

April 27th. A very hot day, so hot that young grasshoppers hatched out in millions—enough to destroy the crops of half-a-dozen states. Not much sign of a miracle yet!

A day or two more of warm weather! Was prayer any use?

Then, when the grasshopper nation was really flourishing, a sharp frost—which killed the whole lot! "And," said the Governor later, "we have never seen any grasshoppers since."

That was a miracle. You see, if the frost had come earlier, the grasshoppers would have been unaffected. If it had been much later, it would not have hurt them. What the experts couldn't do in four years, God did in a week in answer to the people's prayers. An area as big as the whole country of England was cleared of the plague in one master-stroke!

Contributed by Caroline Wright, Box 26, Pateros, Washington.

—From MODERN MIRACLES.

AN ARMY MIRACULOUSLY DELIVERED

(From an epistle of the Roman Emperor, Marcus Aurelius, born in the year 121, died 180. Volume II "Anti-Nicene Christian Library.")

The Emperor Caesar Marcus Aurelius Antonius, to the people of Rome, and to the sacred senate, greetings. I explain to you my grand design, and what advantages I gained on the confines of Germany, with much labor and suffering, in consequence of the circumstance that I was surrounded by the enemy; I myself being shut up in Carantum by seventy-four cohorts. The enemy being at hand, the scouts pointed out to us, and our general Pompeianus showed us, that there was close on us a mass of mixed multitude of 977,000 men, which, indeed we saw; and I was shut up by this vast host, having with me only a battalion composed of the first, tenth, double and marine legions. Having then examined my own position, and my host, with respect to the vast mass of barbarians and of the enemy, I quickly betook myself to prayer to the gods of my country. Being disregarded by them, I summoned those who among us go by the name of Christian. Having made inquiry, I discovered a great number and vast host of them, and raged against them, which was by no means becoming; for afterwards I learned their power. Wherefore they began the battle, not by preparing weapons, nor arms, nor bugles; for such preparation is hateful to them; on account of the God they bear in their conscience. For, having cast themselves on the ground, they prayed

not only for me, but also for the whole army as it stood, that they might be delivered from the present thirst and famine. For during five days we had got no water, because there was none; for we were in the heart of Germany, and in the enemy's territory. And simultaneously with their casting themselves on the ground, and praying to God (a God of whom I am ignorant) water poured from heaven upon us, most refreshingly cool but upon the enemies of Rome a withering hail. Immediately we recognized the presence of God following after the prayer—a God unconquerable and indestructible.

Sent in by Eldora Smith, 1415 Fairview, Dallas 10, Texas.

HOW GOD CALLED ME TO AFRICA

(Continued from page 3)

"God gave us a marvelous right-of-way there. Great signs and wonders took place. Brother Baxter came the next day and said, 'Brother Branham, we leave here in the morning.' I said, 'Leave here? We are having a wonderful meeting.' He said, 'Yes, they have us lined up to go to Kimberly.' And he mentioned some other towns. I said, 'Is that right? It looks like we ought to stay here. We have had such a great meeting. We are to be here for ten weeks you know.'

"The Lord then showed me in a vision that we should not make the move at that time. The Lord said, 'Do not take that itinerary that they want you to take. Stay here for a few weeks and then you can go on to Durban. The Committee had made promises to certain ministers and it was hard for them to turn them down. The meetings are set in order, and we will have to leave here in about two hours, they said. I got in the car but the Lord kept speaking to me not to go. I told the driver to stop the car that we must not go on, that we were getting out of the will of God; that whenever God speaks to me in this way, it never fails to lead to trouble if I do not obey His voice. But he said, 'We must go.' Brother Bosworth then said, 'Brother Branham, I believe that you are making a mistake.' I said, 'No, I am right, for God showed it to me.'

THE STORM

"I then said, 'Remember Paul of old when he said on board the ship, "You should not have loosed from Crete." If we go, we'll suffer for it.' We got back in the car and went on to Klerksdorp. There were about 15,000 people out on the hill, many of whom were to be prayed for. I felt condemned, for it was a menace to the little city to have so many there. Then, just about a half hour before the time to go to the meeting, there came up a tropical storm and almost drowned the great crowd of people there. At ten o'clock I still couldn't get out of the house, the wind was blowing so. You think that you have storms here. You ought to be in a tropical storm once. For hours it thunders and the lightning flashes constantly. When

the others came back from the meeting that night I said, 'I told you so.' (Those are great words—I told you so!).

THE PERMISSIVE WILL OF GOD

"A brother said to me, 'Oh, it will be all right. Tomorrow we will have a pretty day. We have those storms quite frequently this time of the year.'

"Billy, my son, and I went to bed and the next morning we awoke to a beautiful day. That night about half an hour before meeting there came a blizzard. There was no meeting. About two o'clock in the morning they were still up discussing what they should do about it. They said that hundreds of dollars of advertising were out, and they were bringing in the natives for hundreds of miles around. My boy and I knelt down to pray. After awhile Billy went to bed, but I kept on praying. Almost towards daylight, the angel came and said, 'You may go with them on their itinerary, but the whole party will suffer for it. This shall be the sign to you. They will come in a black car to pick you up, and you will be taken down a certain road. On that road there will be a native dressed in a native white suit with a stick in his hand, standing near a eucalyptus tree by a bridge. He'll be striking at another man and your son will call your attention to it.'

"When I came out of the vision I went to Billy and woke him and told him what the angel had said. When morning came they sent for us in a black car, and we went up the road watching the scenery as we went along. Suddenly Billy jumped and said, 'Daddy, look at that!' There was that native with a white suit standing near the eucalyptus tree preparing to strike a man. I said, 'You remember what I told you Billy.' The little fellow cried . . . to see it happen just like that. We had a good meeting that day.

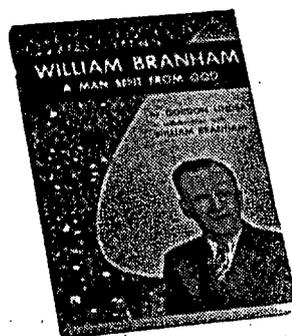
"In the next town the trouble started. Around twelve thousand people were in town and the local preacher wanted the meeting in his church which only seated a few hundred. They had to go down and get the race track to put the people in.

"But there was more trouble. We hadn't been told that we were supposed to boil our drinking water. One by one our party got sick, and we were really sick. I could hardly hold up my head and I just prayed.

"We finally got to Durban, the town where the Lord told us to go in the first place. I guess there were 30,000 people there and many Hindu Indians. Now in Durban they got the big race track and the people were seated for three city blocks. People were hungering and thirsting for God.

"Then Sunday afternoon was a great and marvelous day in my life. We walked out to the service. There was a storm coming over but the people never paid any attention to that. They just sat there and let the rain come on them, splashing their faces, but they never noticed. They were hungering and thirsting for that immortal life that God was giving them. Many strange things happened in that great crowd of about 100,000."

(Continued Next Month)



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MY story begins several years ago while I was pastoring a church in Phoenix, Arizona. I was greatly burdened in my soul, because I felt we were not seeing the results we should in the way of souls being saved and believers going on with God. I found out that all over America and throughout the world, many were falling by the wayside and spiritual stagnation was prevalent. The hearts of Christians were getting hard. Backsliders were going deeper into sin, and sinners were even more wicked than at any other period in the history of the world. Recent authenticated statistical reports uphold what I say, as to the degrading conditions of the world today. Surely there must be a way out in such a wicked, perverse generation of time. My heart was broken and crushed, and the burden for a lost and dying world gripped my soul.

One day while in prayer, with my Bible open before me, my eyes fell upon a Scripture that seemed to loom right up before me. The Scripture was Psalm 119:126, "It is time for thee, Lord, to work: for they have made void thy law." In my prayer I said, "Yes, dear God, the people have been so wicked and the Christians have grown so cold, and by their actions and deeds they have made void Thy law. Since they do not keep Thy commandments, it is time for Thee, Lord, to work." Precious friend, when man moves out of the way and God steps in to work, you will see more accomplished in five seconds than any man can do in five years.

Groanings and Travailings. Shortly after this, I was awakened out of my sleep one night with a very heavy burden gripping my soul. I went into the church prayer room and prayed until break of day. A few days later this same burden came upon me again. Once more I spent hours in groaning and travailing in the Spirit.

At the time I did not understand what this burden was for, but I felt I would die. All I could do was pray until relief would come. The burden would leave me for several days and then it would come back upon me. If this burden had remained upon me constantly, I have no doubt but that I would have died. It would be hard for anyone to appreciate how I felt or what I went through, unless one had gone through a similar experience.

This burden was upon me approximately two years, lifting from me for several days and then returning. At times I became desperate and fasted and prayed for hours at a time. Once I was convinced my time had come, and other times I felt possibly some member of my family was to be taken away.

Reflecting upon those days of fastings and waitings, I can now see the hand of Almighty God, as He was purifying me and preparing me for the ministry that was some day to cause thousands to come to Christ and many thousands to be healed.

A Message at Midnight. One night about midnight, I was awakened out of a deep slumber. I felt a presence enter my room that frightened me. Then I heard soft footsteps coming into my room and my heart stood still. A voice came out clear and distinct, saying, "Son!" I looked, but could see nothing but darkness. The voice spoke the second time, "Son!" This time I definitely knew God was speaking to me, and I trembled with fear.

I was not in the presence of a president or an earthly king with splendor and power, but I was in the presence of God Almighty, Creator of the heavens and the earth . . . One who speaks the word and worlds come into existence suddenly. Yes, I was in the presence of the King of kings! I trembled, realizing the fragility of poor humanity in the presence of God.

A Visit from Angels. Realizing my need of help in this momentous hour, I cried out to God to please give me the strength to take in this most glorious and supernatural event. Immediately, angels from heaven were dispatched to my bedside and began to minister to me. I felt something warm touch the top of my head and flow to the bottom of my feet. Divine strength came into me; and immediately I felt at ease and comforted and my entire body seemed to be in a glow of glory.

The Gift Is Given. The third time the voice said, "Son!" This time, with my ears tuned to heaven and my spirit under control, I listened with eagerness in that solemn hour. The voice said, "I am giving to you the gift of healing: power to open blind eyes; to unstop deaf ears; to cause the dumb to speak; the cripples to walk; power to curse cancers and tumors, and sicknesses and diseases of all kinds. I give unto you power and authority over demons, and I want you to tell the people I am coming soon!"

PART I

VALDEZ' MOVING STORY: *My Call to the Healing Ministry*

Prophecy. There were many other things the voice told. Some were prophetic, concerning my own life, which happened exactly as the voice of the Lord said they would. My wife and I have gone over some of these prophetic utterances and have marveled at the accuracy of the prophecies, a number of which have already been fulfilled to even the most minute details.

Miracles Take Place. Following this experience, I began to pray for the sick and afflicted, and many mighty miracles were performed in the Name of Jesus. True to the prophecy, blind eyes were opened; the deaf heard; the dumb spake; the cripples walked; cancers were healed, and many other divine cures too numerous to mention.

Two Things God Asked Me to Do. However, there were two things that God asked me to do that I resisted. The first was leave my church and take the message to the nation. The second was to acknowledge publicly that God had given to me the gift of healing. Those two things were difficult for me to do. I did not actually come out and tell God I would not do those two things, but I just kept putting God off.

I hated to leave my church. I was deeply attached to my flock. I loved them as I would my own children and many of them had been born into the faith through my ministry. I had pastored this congregation for approximately ten years in all, and I knew it would be difficult for me to break away from them.

The one thing I especially resisted was to publicly acknowledge the gift of healing. There is much criticism attached when one claims to have the gift of healing. In times past, and even now, there are those who claim to have the gift and do not possess it. Such a thing has brought reproach and much persecution to those who do have the genuine gift of healing. Any man who dares to claim he has the gift of healing is going to be persecuted and most of his persecution will come from lukewarm and backslidden church people, and, sad to say, some ministers.

Now my friend, when God tells you to do something, you had better do it, regardless of what the price may be. If you do not do what God tells you to do, you will suffer for your disobedience. This thing I learned from experience, which you will presently see.

God was blessing my ministry and hundreds were being healed. My congregation was overjoyed and grateful recipients of



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the wonderful new ministry given their pastor. Many were being saved and my church was experiencing a time of reviving. But I was not carrying out the order God had given me to leave my church. I was so absorbed in my new success and with plans and thoughts for the future of my church, that I had completely neglected to fulfill what God had commanded me to do. I had not acknowledged the gift! I had not left my church!

I was so intensely interested in my local efforts and in my own church affairs, that I had completely forgotten God's plan for me. After a few months, I noticed my ministry did not have the effect it formerly had. Fewer people were being healed. The power I once had seemed to be ebbing and becoming less and less every day, until finally I realized something was wrong somewhere. I prayed and sought God, but still to no avail.

Wife Becomes Ill. Then one day my wife became very ill and was confined to her bed. Her illness became more serious, and I began to pray and seek God in her behalf. Instead of getting better, she rather grew worse, and her condition became desperate. I knew something must be done. With the duties of my pastorate, and being up with my wife at all hours of the night, fasting and praying for God to heal her, and realizing the intense seriousness of my wife's illness, my spirit began to break. Apparently, all that I might do by fasting, praying, and hoping brought no relief. I felt like a little mouse who had been cornered by a hungry cat and there was no way out.

Wife's Condition Becomes More Critical. In desperation, when I saw that all I had done was to no avail, and my wife hopelessly sick and on the border of death, I cried unto God and said, "Dear Lord, I have prayed and fasted. I have wept until there are no more tears. My body is worn and my spirit is crushed. I know, dear Lord, this has come upon me for some disobedience on my part. I know it is my fault somewhere, dear Jesus, but my prayers are not answered and I have come to the end of myself. Please, dear Lord, forgive me for leaning on the arm of flesh, but I am not able to bear this anxiety any longer." When I said that prayer in desperation, I rushed my wife to the hospital and the best doctors in the land were immediately brought to her side.

(Next: A Fight for Her Life)

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Sept. 8-22, 1952

FULL GOSPEL HOME PROVIDES SPIRITUAL FOOD FOR CHILDREN

ONE of the most needed of things in the Full Gospel circles has been a home for homeless boys and girls who would otherwise go into worldly homes. This has been provided in the Jack Coe Children's Home. Last year the first units were built, and as soon as the home was opened, there was a flood of applications which showed how great the need was. It was a trying thing on Brother Coe, when a child was brought to the home and had to be turned away because there was not room.

As another step of faith, a few months ago the building of a new set of units was initiated. Means have come in thus far to bring the work halfway to completion. Upon completion, Brother Coe plans to receive an additional thirty children into the new buildings. (Note the new units to the left in the right hand picture below.)

A bus has been secured, which serves a double duty. During weekdays the children are taken to public school. On Sundays they are brought to church.

Those attending the camp meeting this summer will have an excellent opportunity to witness the splendid work that is being done for homeless children. In the meantime, why not send a box of canned goods to the home? (Box 8596, Dallas, Texas) (Factory canned goods only.)



BEAUTIFUL WOODED SLOPE SITE OF CAMP MEETING



GREENVILLE MEETING ENDS IN STORM

A report comes to us that one of the greatest meetings ever held on the east coast was the Jack Coe revival at Greenville, S. C. Readers will remember the immense audience that attended the Little Rock meeting. Some estimated that the crowds attending in Greenville were even larger.

Unfortunately, the tent was ruined in a terrible storm so that the campaign was brought to an early end. Providentially, the new tent will be far enough along to be used in the campaign at Winston-Salem, N. C. The sections already built will enclose a space 300x200. Another section not yet completed will be added later.

Many stirring miracles took place during the campaign. On "ambulance night" 42 cases were brought in. After being ministered to, all but 12 arose from their cots!

One woman, after prayer, spit up a cancer, which was placed in alcohol as a witness to the healing power of Christ. Below is a testimony of unusual character from the Springfield meeting.

ACTIVE FAITH BRINGS HEALING TO POLIO STRICKEN WOMAN

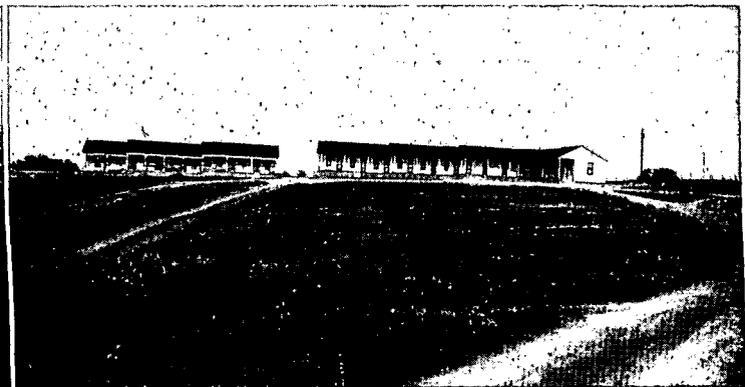
I was stricken down eighteen months ago with polio. I was taken to the Burge Hospital in Springfield, Mo. and was there five months. Dr. Yancey and Dr. Music put me in braces up to my hips on both limbs, sent me home and told me it would be a long time before I could ever walk without the braces, if ever.

I had to do all my work in my home by way of a wheel chair. Hearing of the Jack Coe Healing Revival in Springfield, I went, and God did for me in a few minutes what no one else could do. Bro. Coe prayed for me and instructed me to go take off the braces. I removed them and walked back in the services without them and have been walking ever since. I was so sure God would heal me that I even took my shoes to the meeting. I wore them home, praise God!

Mrs. Johnnie Sallee
710 S. Forest
Springfield, Mo.



JACK COE CHILDREN'S HOME NEW UNITS TO THE LEFT



HIGHLIGHTS OF THE CAMP MEETING

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Mildred Wicks

For further information write: Box 8596, Dallas, Texas.

NOTE: In the storm at Greenville many subscriptions were lost. If you subscribed to TVH and do not receive the magazine, notify Rev. Coe, Box 8596, Dallas, Texas.



W. H. OFFILER
Founder and President

W. W. PATTERSON
Pastor



BETHEL TEMPLE — SEATTLE, WASHINGTON

HOW A VISION AND A MIRACLE START A GREAT MISSIONARY WORK

Pastor W. H. OFFILER

THE year 1919 will long be remembered by the many hundreds and thousands of people who attended the Bethel Temple camp meeting, that was held on the shores of Green Lake, in Seattle. The camp meeting was held in a large tent, accommodating as many as one thousand people with many more standing on the outside. Surrounding the large tent were one hundred forty-five other tents for camping quarters of those who attended the meeting. There was a large dining tent and nearby were prayer tents for smaller meetings.

More than one hundred and fifty persons received the Baptism of the Holy Spirit. Scores were saved and baptised in water. Some marvelous healings took place at that time. But we are not writing in particular concerning these things. We desire to tell you of the marvelous Spirit that was upon the people to pray, and to listen to the Voice of God as He called them to their different fields of labor for Him, for the salvation of men both near and far. Deep and holy consecrations were made. In that great camp meeting many men and women were mightily healed and called of God to serve Him in the places which He, Himself, had prepared for their ministry.

Among this company of consecrated ones were six ex-Salvation Army Officers. Four of them, two men and their wives, were definitely called of God to go to the Dutch East Indies (now Indonesia). By a marvelous vision He revealed to them that His will was for them to go to Java, and there establish a headquarters for the great work that God would do through them. The Groesbecks and the Van Klaverans, together with Jinnie and Corie, children of the Groesbecks came to Pastor Offiler and told him their vision. Preparations were immediately made for their sailing.

In the pages of Pentecostal Power we printed the story of their call. The people instantly responded until Pastor Offiler had \$1,700 in the missionary treasury. Then the incoming funds came to a full stop. Not one dollar was received for quite some time. We began to wonder just what had happened. We thought for a while that after all we might have made some mistake somewhere. Then we gave ourselves to prayer and waiting on God. While we were thus praying, the time for sailing drew near. Still no further funds were received. On Saturday evening we had a marvelous meeting in the old Bethel Temple. We felt that the clouds were about to break,



Mrs. Emily Malquist whose healing of a cancerous tumor played an important part in the beginning of a great missionary work in Indonesia.

and the Lord would undertake to supply the urgent need of finances.

We needed five hundred dollars! After the service was over, as my wife and I were sitting upon the altar bench, a lady came through the door, made her way to the altar. We saw that she was weeping and apparently was in great trouble. We said to her, "Sister what is your trouble?" Then she told me this story: "Pastor Offiler, for five years I have suffered with this tumor." She showed us a great lump on her side, that was as large as a football. "Today the doctor's told me that the tumor had become cancerous. He said that it must be removed within three days, or specialists would not operate at all. If the doctors did operate, they would not give to her one chance in a thousand of coming through the operation."

I said to her, "What do you want to do? Take the operation or trust the Lord?" She said, "I want to trust the Lord. Please pray for me." In a moment we began to pray for her. The Power of God came upon her. In a few minutes she said, "I will go home now, as I feel much better." She left the church and went to her home. Shortly afterward as

she was crossing the kitchen, the entire mass of cancerous tumor passed from her and fell on the floor. This mass weighed eighteen and one-half pounds. All her dresses had been built around it. After her healing she had to get the dressmaker to remake all her clothes. When she realized what had happened the Power of God swept down upon her. She knew that the Lord had made her every whit whole. She was well!

The next day she said in her prayer, "Lord, I will go once more to the specialists. If they pronounce me perfectly well, I will give Pastor Offiler Five Hundred Dollars." She went to the same specialists who had treated her for five years. They said, "What has happened to you?" She in turn told them the story of her visit to Bethel Temple, of the prayer that was made for her, and how God had delivered her in one moment of time. She said, "I wish to have one more examination to see if I am perfectly well." The surgeons examined her, and pronounced her absolutely well. They said, "You may get married tomorrow if you wish." In a short time she was married.

After she had left the doctor's office, she stopped at the bank and took out five hundred dollars. By and by she knocked upon my office door at the Temple. I was in prayer for the Lord to send me the last five hundred dollars necessary to get the missionaries on their way. Twenty-two hundred dollars was the fare. I had raised seventeen hundred. The Lord, by this great miracle, sent in the last five hundred dollars and the fares were complete!

Thus the work of God in Indonesia was financed by the Lord Himself. We had always known that God, who had done such wonderful things at its inception, would bless it abundantly over the years that would follow. The Lord of the harvest blessed the labors of the missionaries.

In conclusion may we say that in the last few months of 1951 it was our privilege to visit this wonderful country of Indonesia, and to see for ourselves the marvelous work that has been accomplished. It is beyond mere words to describe the vast and marvelous work we beheld. In one church, we ministered the Holy Communion to more than TWO THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED SAINTS IN ONE SERVICE. This is just a small part of that church of 600,000 people who are saved and filled with God, all as a result of the missionaries from Bethel Temple and their work in the Islands of the Sea.

"THIS IS SEATTLE'S HOUR" *writes* reporter of W. V. Grant Meeting

REPORTS TELL STORY OF UNUSUAL HEALINGS IN BETHEL TEMPLE

(By H. J. Glover, reporter for several newspapers and a chain newspaper)

Under the mighty anointing of the Holy Spirit, a quiet, almost timid little man from the brooding Ozark hills of Arkansas, who lays no claim to high academic attainments, but who, like Enoch of Bible days, walks and talks daily with God, is stirring the modernistic city of Seattle as this capitol of the Puget Sound area has never been spiritually shaken in its 100 years of existence.

Human derelicts from the Skidroad and the waterfront; clean-cut men and women from the metropolitan business areas, and fashionably clad citizenry whose general mien bespeaks Magnolia Bluff and Broadmoor are pouring every afternoon, nightly, and all day Sunday, into the great auditorium of Bethel Temple, Second at Lenora St., in downtown Seattle.

Let us tiptoe softly into the building. It is one of the most beautiful and conveniently arranged houses of worship in the United States, seating almost 2,000 people in roomy, upholstered pews. On the rostrum, behind and spreading away on both sides of the pulpit, is a great pipe organ, two pianos, an orchestra pit for 50, and a loft for a 100-voice choir.

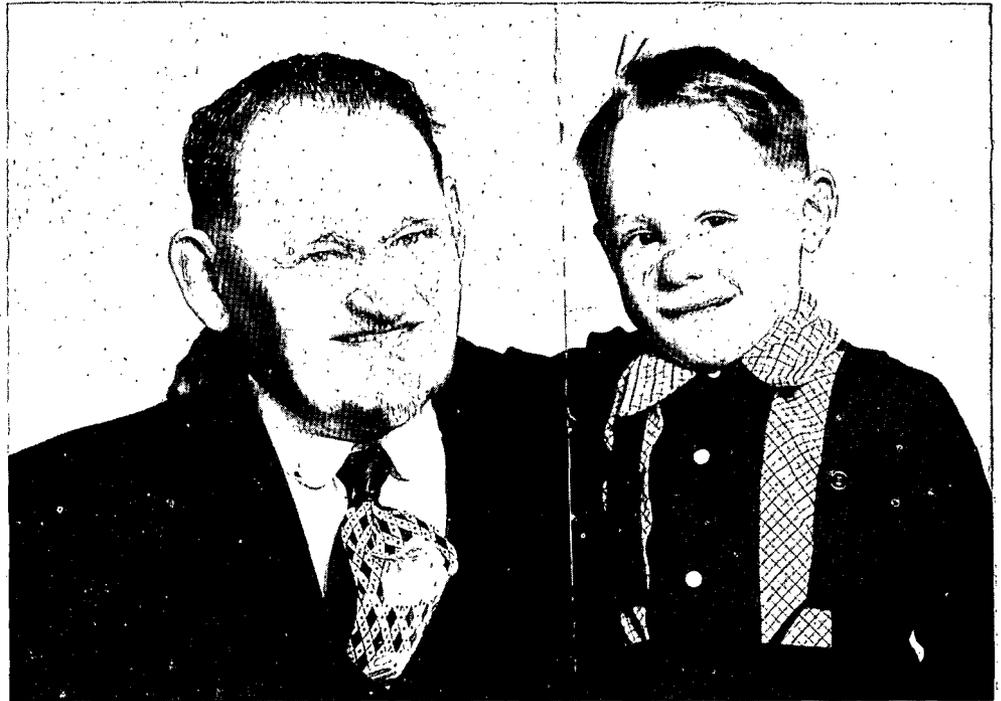
The man you hear making the announcements is the Pastor of Bethel Temple, Rev. W. W. Patterson. He is steeped in the deep truths of the Bible, and is universally beloved by his congregation. The handsome, husky young man sitting just to the right is the Assistant Pastor, Rev. C. Joe McKnight.

And the elderly old patriarch who sits there so calmly and so serenely? Well, in Christian circles that man's name is known around the world. He founded Bethel Temple in Seattle 38 years ago, and presently is its President. The missionary work which he started 31 years ago in Borneo, Indonesia and the islands of the sea, has gained momentum until today the converts number more than 600,000. He is the author of many books on the priceless hidden truths of the Bible, and his works are sought by peoples and governments of both the New and Old World. He is Rev. W. H. Offiler, grand old patriarch!

And now the congregational singing begins. The thundering overtones of "Nearer My God To Thee," the unspeakable agony and pathos of "The Old Rugged Cross," and the surge of hope it inspires in believers; the tender pleading, the humility and the assurance of "Rock of Ages." Sometimes the blended voice of the great congregation is like the mighty voice of the sea as it breaks white and thundering against a rockbound coast; at other moments it recedes until it is but a faint symphony of sound rising as an incense to the great dome of the church.

And with the preliminaries over, the timid little man from the Ozarks steps into the pulpit. He seems shy—like an overgrown school-boy facing an audience for the first time. He reads a few verses from the Bible, hesitates for long moments, and maybe throws out a few humorous words about his childhood—or perhaps about the times when he toiled 15 hours a day in the cotton fields and made only 50 cents.

But suddenly, Evangelist W. V. Grant is no longer the timid little man from Malvern, Ark-



Seattle, Washington, April 28, 1952

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

I examined Adolph Stroh, 4 1/2 years old, on the first of April, 1952, and found his physical condition to be as follows:

He was undernourished, and the bone construction was under-developed and lacking in calcium, the necessary material for the formation of healthy teeth. All of his teeth at the time of examination were soft, black, and rotten. The child had but recently been brought to America from Germany, where it was impossible at that time to secure the proper food.

On the sixteenth of April, 1952, he was prayed for by Rev. W. V. Grant, who was holding a healing campaign at Bethel Temple in Seattle. On the 19th of the same month, after another examination, I found that all the teeth were covered with a new enamel, perfectly white and normal in every respect.

Signed: W. L. MARTIN, San. Physician

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28TH day of April, 1952.

My commission expires DECEMBER 6, 1954.

C. H. CASE, Notary Public In and For the State of Washington

ansas. He steps down from the rostrum to the floor level of the auditorium. Around him are cots, wheelchairs and stretchers bearing their burdens of crippled and diseased humanity. The funeral homes of Seattle have sent their ambulances to transport the shut-ins to Bethel Temple on this night.

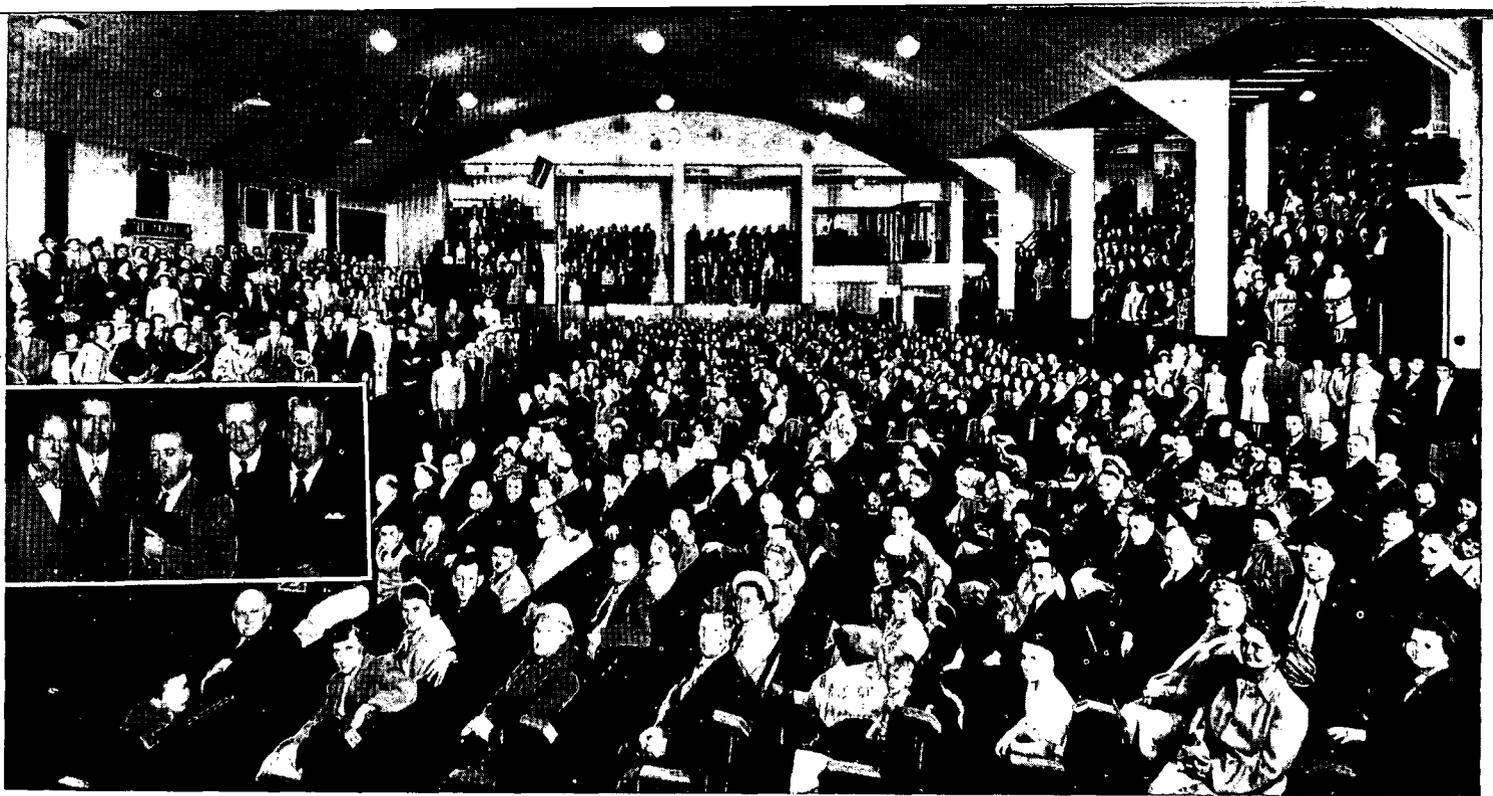
The very atmosphere of the church is surcharged with an electrical tension that causes the huge assemblage to sit hushed and reverent. A man stands in line who says he has been totally blind in one eye since birth. Evangelist Grant lays his hands on the man's eyes and prays. The miracle is performed! The sight of the eye is restored! The man leaps and shouts for sheer joy and praise. He now knows that the Stranger of Galilee is the same today as He was in the days of old.

A beautiful little girl of three is carried by her father. It is the third time Evangelist Grant has prayed for the child who has been totally blind from birth. The other two times the Evangelist prayed there were no results. The servant of God smiles thoughtfully at the young father and mother for a long minute. The couple are not Christians.

Suddenly the tears are streaming down the cheeks of the couple and handing the child to the Evangelist they fall on their knees and accept Jesus as their Saviour. When they regain their composure they arise, their faces shining with an unearthly glory.

Then it is that the Evangelist kneels down on the floor and with the child cradled in his arms utters a simple prayer of faith. The great throng is so hushed and reverent that it seems all eternity is holding its breath. When the little man from the Ozarks arises he is holding a child who SEES, and the multitude shatters the stillness with a thunderous acclaim for the miracle that has transpired before their very eyes.

Endlessly the line moves by. Blind eyes, deaf ears, tumors, cancers, and all the diseases with which mankind is afflicted. Not all receive their healing, but the majority of them do. During the healing services hundreds come forward and surrender themselves to Christ and scores receive the Baptism of the Holy Ghost. This is Bethel Temple's hour! This is Seattle's hour! This is God's hour! This is YOUR hour!



AFTERNOON HEALING SERVICE, APRIL 13, BETHEL TEMPLE—Inset left foreground: L to R: Pastor W. H. Offiler, Pastor C. Joe McKnight, Evangelist W. V. Grant, Pastor W. W. Patterson and Evangelist J. S. Eaton.

TORN LIGAMENTS MEND

Two months ago I was in an automobile accident and the ligaments were torn loose in the top of my right foot. I wore a cast for six weeks, at the end of which period

my foot was weaker than it had been before.

On April 19, 1952, I came on crutches to Bethel Temple. Brother Grant said, "If you want your healing stand up and praise the Lord." I stood to my feet; the Spirit of the Lord was there mightily. Suddenly I realized that I was rocking back and forth from my heels to my toes. I thought, "I can't do this!" But then I said, "I know it is you, Lord, and I know that I'm healed."

I discarded my crutches and left them at the church. The crutches had made the joints in my hands, arms and shoulders sore, but I was also healed from the soreness!

Margaret Soper, BETHEL TEMPLE, Second & Lenore Sts. Seattle, Wash. (MISSIONARY)

TUMOR DISAPPEARS

For two years I have had a tumor on my body. The doctors wanted me to submit to surgery. But while I was sitting in the audience during the Grant Deliverance Meetings in Bethel Temple, Seattle, the Lord healed me. I RETURNED TO THE DOCTOR FOR FURTHER TREATMENT AND HE TOLD ME THAT HE FOUND NO SIGN OF THE TUMOR. Praise the Name of the Lord!

Ethel Choir, Mirror Lake, Washington.

TESTIMONIES FROM PEOPLE MIRACULOUSLY HEALED BY GOD

SIGHT RESTORED

I had been blind in my left eye all my life. The pupil was enlarged and the eye was swollen. I had fainting spells as a result of the terrible pains in the eye-ball. I had less than ten percent vision when I was born.

One night during his revival in Seattle, Brother Grant said, "Someone is here who is blind in the left eye." I went forward and after prayer the swelling left and the enlarged pupil was made normal. I can now see to read ordinary print with the eye. Hallelujah!

I was also healed of a painful cyst in my right wrist which I had had for one year, and a chronic pain in my left knee caused by falling on ice.

Evangelist Ruth Helgeson, Missionary to Formosa 107 W. 51st St., Seattle, Wash.

NURSE GETS HEALING

A hurting in my right shoulder and right lung crept down my right arm and settled in my fingers. Eventually it came down my left shoulder and settled in the muscle of my right arm. I went to a chiropractor and took five treatments which didn't help. I went to an M. D. and spent a day in his office taking X-Rays, fluoroscopes, and all kinds of tests. He said that the lower part of each lung was filled with moisture and was collecting in the cells of the lower part of the lungs, thus throwing my heart, which is very serious. I took medicine for a week and then went back. This condition had left my right arm and hand (from the elbow down), numb and stiff. I could not use them. . . . but when I attended the Grant Revival in Seattle, I was INSTANTLY HEALED. I can now raise my arm and hand and use my fingers, which I could not do before.

Bertha M. Cole (50 years a Nurse) 6516 - 32 Ave., N. W. Seattle 7, Wash.

CAST DISCARDED

I fell on January 13, 1952, and turned my ankle. I went to the hospital two days later with pains up into my hip. I was put in a walking cast and used two crutches. In February I suffered worse than at the beginning. I went back to the hospital and was booked for surgery. In order to take X-rays it was necessary to use an injection of local anesthesia. They told me that my ligaments were torn. I was put into another cast on April 6.

Before Brother Grant prayed for me at Bethel Temple in Seattle, the cast fit as perfectly as a glove, but as soon as I was prayed for it became so loose it was uncomfortable. I went to the doctor, who told me "they sure made a good job of it." He was amazed and would not be satisfied until he had taken four X-rays. He said, "As a precaution we will put another cast on for 4 weeks."

After waiting 48 hours for the cast to dry I went to church with that cast tight; but after prayer it swung loose. I went home, took a hammer, putty knife, and some hot water, chiseled the cast off, and brought it and the crutches to Brother Grant. I am completely well.

Annie Anderson, 911 Alder Ave., Apt. 787 Seattle 4, Washington.

HEMORRHAGE CEASES

I was healed of a hemorrhage of the head which I had had for one year. The hemorrhage had given me much pain until I was prayed for by Rev. W. V. Grant. Since Jesus has healed me, all the pain has left my head and the hemorrhage has ceased.

Jerry Kenum, G. D. Carnation, Wash.



OGILVIE PIONEERS WYOMING WITH HEALING MINISTRY

WYOMING CHURCHES BLESSED OF GOD AS WILBUR OGILVIE PREACHES MESSAGE OF DELIVERANCE



PASTOR E. D. BEARD

CASPER REJOICES AFTER SUCCESSFUL OGILVIE MEETING

It has been our pleasure to have Rev. Wilbur Ogilvie with us in the First Assembly of God Church, Casper, Wyoming, for the third time. Every time the Lord has brought Brother Ogilvie to Casper, we have had reason to be deeply grateful to the Lord. This last time, our ten-day meeting extended into seventeen, and many outstanding healings took place as Brother Ogilvie prayed for the sick. People were healed of blind eyes, deaf ears, and other serious illnesses. Each night many came forward for salvation, and thirty-three received the Baptism of the Holy Spirit.

The revival spirit still prevails in our church, as well as in the churches that cooperated in the Ogilvie meeting. Already

ON March 7, 1952, we began a meeting with Evangelist Wilbur Ogilvie, which was scheduled for three nights. By the end of the three nights, so much had been accomplished that we continued on for three weeks, and the services gained momentum to the last. Many people were attracted to the services because of the definite healings that took place. During the early part of the revival, a deaf man received his hearing, thus convincing many that the days of miracles are not over. A lady was healed of inward goiter and gall bladder trouble, others were healed of stomach ulcer, anemia, heart trouble, eye trouble, nervous disorders, foot trouble, partial deafness, hemorrhoids, and other afflictions.

The revival grew to such proportions that soon it was a topic of conversation everywhere—in shops, cafes, coal mines, etc., until people from other churches came to be prayed for. A Mormon lady, deaf in both ears and wearing a hearing aid, could hear instantly, after she was prayed for, and answered questions as Brother Ogilvie stood behind her to test her. He explained at various times during the revival that, after praying for the deaf, he stands in back of

people are asking, "When will Brother and Sister Ogilvie be with us in another campaign?"

E. D. Beard
Pastor, First Assembly of God
1614 East 2nd
Casper, Wyoming

them to talk, thus eliminating the possibility of unbelievers saying those who were being prayed for were reading his lips. There were two who received sight in a blind eye. Quite a number were delivered from the tobacco habit. There was such a move of the Holy Spirit, that several testified to being drawn to the services by the direct promptings of the Lord. Several entire families were saved, and approximately 35 received the Baptism of the Holy Spirit. The Evangelist reiterated time after time that the salvation of a soul is the greatest miracle that can take place, and conviction rested heavily upon the congregation, night after night, and scores of people made their way to the prayer room for salvation.

In the 22 years I have been a Christian, this has been the greatest revival I have ever witnessed. Truly the church has been strengthened and mightily blessed in every respect. We are looking forward to having Brother and Sister Ogilvie return for another meeting when our new church is completed.

R. G. McAllister
Pastor, Assembly of God Church
Rock Springs, Wyoming

HEARING RESTORED TO BOTH EARS OF WYOMING MAN

I had been deaf for about 10 years. Doctors told me they could do nothing for me. In December of 1950, I was examined for a hearing aid and, at that time, 54 percent of my hearing was gone in both ears. I purchased the hearing aid and wore it until March 13, 1952, when Brother Ogilvie prayed for me and God healed me. I removed my hearing aid at that time, and have not had it on since!

Now I can hear the telephone, the doorbell, and the bell at the Phillips "66" station, where I am manager. Praise God for what He has done for me!

Charles L. Oliver
Phillips "66" Station
On Highway 30
Green River, Wyoming



Picture left to right:

Rev. R. G. McAllister, Pastor Assembly of God Church, Rock Springs, Wyoming.
Charles L. Oliver, Manager, Phillips "66" Service Station. Evangelist Wilbur Ogilvie.

TESTIMONIES SHOW POWER OF GOD



MINE INSPECTOR HEALED

I have worked in the coal mines in Colorado and Wyoming for the past 30 years. My work as an examiner for explosive gases and loose rock or other danger, necessitated my walking almost continually for eight hours a day. In 1936, my feet became lame and, after consulting a chiropodist, I was fitted with arch braces for both cross and long arch. After having worn these braces for 16 years, I was healed after prayer by Rev. Wilbur Ogilvie. I attended the Ogilvie meetings in our church in Rock Springs, Wyoming, and was prayed for. My left ear, which had been deaf since 1943, was opened, and my feet were healed. I took the braces out of my shoes, and am walking better than I have for 20 years. The pain is gone, and my feet are getting stronger all the time. Praise the Lord!

Henry R. Williamson
Box 475
Rock Springs, Wyoming
(above)



INJURED EYE NOW SEES

On his fourth birthday, my son, Ronnie Dean, lost the sight of his left eye. He was very ill and in the hospital. They sent him home, saying nothing more could be done, that he was totally blind in that eye, and probably always would be.

We attended Brother Ogilvie's meeting in Casper, Wyoming; he prayed for Ronnie and, in a matter of minutes, his eye started clearing, the vision started clearing—and the vision returning. It is getting better every day, and I know that Jesus has touched him, Praise His wonderful name!

Mrs. Edith Maher
1025 N. Kimball
Casper, Wyoming

Above: Bro. Ogilvie stands with Mrs. Maher and little Ronnie Dean.



CROSSED-EYES HEALED

I truly thank the Lord for healing my eyes. For 12 years I had worn glasses. I was cross-eyed and farsighted and had terrible headaches if I took my glasses off for just a short time.

On March, 1950, Brother Ogilvie came to Cody, Wyoming. I was prayed for, and God instantly healed me. At the writing of this testimony, I have been healed 2 years, and during this time, I have never had to use the glasses once! Praise God for His healing power!

Mrs. Oliver Moore
523 Ave. G—Box 208
Powell, Wyoming
(above)

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Note:—

Brother Ogilvie and I saw this lady in March of this year. Her beautiful brown eyes are now straight, and before prayer they were so crossed that the color could hardly be seen.
Mrs. W. Ogilvie

Donald Gee Column

"THOU GOD SEEST ME"

Hagar had run away. Abram and Sarai do not show at all well in the story in Genesis 16. Their faith had wavered, and, as always happens in such a case, ideals had lowered. Abram was strangely ready to act upon his wife's humiliating suggestion. Hagar's very natural contempt for her mistress when the plan succeeded provoked Sarai to equally natural resentment, sharply edged with jealousy. The whole story depicts ageless human nature in the raw. Abram's cold indifference probably provided the last straw. Hagar ran away.

But the eye of the Eternal was upon them all. Here I confess that as a boy I always connected the text on the wall—"THOU GOD SEEST ME"—with warning, and fear and a bad conscience. Perhaps that was my condition! And I seem to remember sermons on the same line. But that was all wrong. Actually it was a revelation of comfort. Not to blame but to bless did the angel appear to the frightened, lonely, desperate Egyptian

slave-girl expecting motherhood. Hagar thought nobody cared. But to her amazement Jehovah Himself appeared. "Even here in the desert," she said to herself, "have I seen God, and lived after my vision" (Verse 13, Moffatt). "The well of the Living One, my beholder" they (literally) called the well ever after. Everything changed for Hagar after that meeting with God.

But the commandment of the Lord through the angel was perfectly clear—"Return to thy mistress, and submit thyself under her hands." The revelation, the voice, the comfort in no wise excused Hagar from the path of duty, exceptionally hard though it appeared at the moment. Sarai was still her mistress, and back to her mistress the maid was told to go. And, moreover, to *submission*. Sarai had temporarily failed in faith and hope and love, but still she was the destined mother of the Promised Seed. There must be no more impudence allowed from the ill-treated Hagar—"Humble thyself under her hands" (Young).

It seems safe to infer that the slave-girl's flight had taught Abram and Sarai a lesson. Perhaps it frightened them. The vision she was vouchsafed by the well evi-

dently became widely-known and talked about. Hagar found a changed and chastened atmosphere awaiting her. Her owners had been taught that she was not just a chattel but a person watched over and honoured by God. Her son was promised a divine blessing though never could he be accepted as the child of the promise.

Is there a message here for someone who has run away from their place of duty? Or is tempted to do so? God's loving eye is watching o'er you. "THOU GOD SEEST ME" you also can repeat. He will help, He will heal, He will bring you through. But there must be no compromise with the path of duty. To go back and submit to injustice and indifference may seem cruelly hard in anticipation. Yet a return may find a remarkable change in the situation, for God has been watching all the time, and He has been there first. And, if outward circumstances have not changed, there surely will have been the much more important change—the change in your own attitude towards it all. To consciously be living, and working, and even to be suffering for a while, under the all-seeing eye of God makes all the difference. "THOU GOD SEEST ME."



TOMMY HICKS

PORTERVILLE REPORTS SUCCESSFUL MEETING

THE Tommy Hicks Revival located on West Olive Street in Porterville which began April 10th, is now history, but only eternity can tell the sum of the many things that were accomplished in this great Revival Healing Campaign. I am still filled with wonder and amazement as I look back over the twenty-four days of marvelous visitation of spiritual power, in which literally scores were healed of all manner of diseases and afflictions, while countless numbers were saved, reclaimed and filled with the Holy Ghost.

Upon hearing that Evangelist Tommy Hicks was available, we, the full Gospel Pastors of Porterville, namely, W. M. Taylor, W. M. Lamar, W. L. Canter, C. A. Pollock, Carl Anderson, Harold Thompson, began laying plans to secure Bro. Hicks with his tent cathedral 107' by 220' for a city wide campaign. A meeting was called wherein we met with Bro. Hicks' campaign manager Bro. George Branch. Details were worked out and a date set, things moved right on schedule and the campaign was on. Rain and cool weather prevailed from the start but the people came, many bringing wraps, and from the first service on through the entire campaign in every service bodies were healed and souls saved and filled with the Holy Ghost.

Porterville Blessed By The "UNIQUE MINISTRY" Of Tommy Hicks

STRAIGHT FORWARD STYLE WINS ADMIRATION FROM CLERGYMEN AS GOD MOVES IN CALIFORNIA

Bro. Hicks has a very unique ministry. At the opportune time as the congregation stands, he quickly comes on the rostrum and leads in his theme song "From Sinking Sands He Lifted Me." After a clear reading of the word he lays aside his Bible, and in an extemporaneous, profound manner he delivers a dynamic and forceful message, usually about thirty minutes in length. Bro. Hicks believes in putting first things first, in that he makes a strong bid for sinners, and doesn't stop until he has exhausted every means to get them to respond. He prays for them as they stand before him, and then instructs them to go in the prayer tent and stay until they are saved, and then unite with a full gospel church and go to work for God. The healing line is then formed and he prays for all who come. He then follows to the prayer tent where he deals individually with every one who needs his service. As he lays hands on seekers many are immediately filled with the Holy Ghost and begin to speak with other tongues. It is marvelous how God gives this man strength to carry on, his burden for the unsaved and the afflicted is tremendous. He is truly one of God's men of the hour.

The 2:30 afternoon services where the healing cards were given out were a prominent feature in this campaign. Bro. Branch was in charge of these meetings and his very capable ministry was truly a faith builder.

We trust that the Tommy Hicks Evangelistic party may give us a return visit soon.

W. M. Taylor (Chairman) of
Full Gospel Fellowship

Below is pictured large tent cathedral where thousands gather for anointed Hicks Revival.

ON April the 10th the people of Porterville and vicinity, started gathering in the largest tent, for religious purposes, ever to be put up in Porterville.

Evangelist Tommy Hicks and party had come to town for a revival with effects to Savior. There are those that have come that be felt for many days to come.

Many have come to know Christ as their Savior. There are those that have come that would not go to the churches, but to the tent cathedral they would. Whole families have turned to God in this campaign, and will be a real blessing to the churches they attend. We do thank and praise the Lord for the victories that have been won. The preaching of the Word has been nightly Holy Ghost inspired and blessed with many signs following. Throngs have been filled with the Holy Ghost, many a "chronic seeker" has been filled, speaking in tongues as the Spirit giveth utterance.

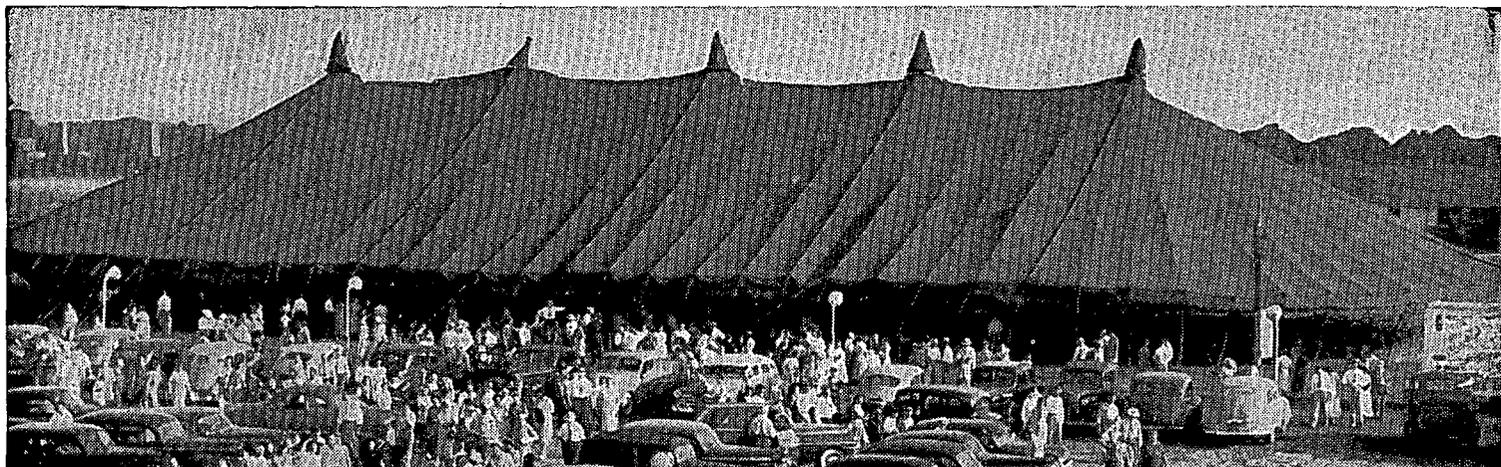
Evangelist Tommy Hicks is a very humble and consecrated servant and worker in partnership with God. He works to help the local pastors and the local flock.

Never have we seen an Evangelist work any harder in the service and in the prayer tent than Brother Hicks. The daily broadcast over Radio Station KTIP, Porterville, has been a blessing to many that was unable to be out. In spite of many days of bad and unseasonable weather the crowds have been good and many have been the blessings from the Lord.

The blind have seen, the deaf have heard, and the lame have walked. Sickness and diseases have fled away at the command of this man of God.

We hope in the future, as God sees fit, to see Brother Hicks pass this way again.

Rev. Carl O. Anderson
Pastor, Pentecostal Church of God
Locust and "A" Streets
Porterville, Calif.



TOMMY HICKS REVIVALS MARKED BY APOSTOLIC-BIBLE DAYS POWER



Curved Spine Straightened

Dear Brother Hicks:

I am praising God for healing me of a double curvature of the spine when you prayed for me in the city of Long Beach, Calif. I had an appointment with the doctor to be measured for a heavier brace, but instead Jesus delivered me of the one I was wearing!

Ruth Carpenter
5363 Olive Avenue
Long Beach, Calif.

Husband and Wife Healed

While Brother Tommy Hicks was in Grand Junction, my husband and myself were prayed for and my husband was healed of ulcers of the large intestine, and God wonderfully healed me of a goiter and hemorrhoids.

We do thank God for healing our bodies, and for Brother Hicks' ministry. We are so glad he came to our city.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Gould
Grand Junction, Colorado

Healed of Partial Blindness

I was waiting in the prayer line in one of Brother Tommy Hicks' meetings, but could not see to fill out the prayer card which has been given me. Another lady filled it out for me.

When Brother Hicks prayed for me I felt a coolness come into my eyes and I was wonderfully healed. Now I can see fine and have never even had my glasses on since that night, Thank God!

Miss Dileia Wiseman
1040 California Avenue
Long Beach, Calif.

We have just closed the greatest salvation healing Union campaign that has ever come to Porterville—with Tommy Hicks, Evangelist from Lancaster, Calif.

God's blessing and presence was in our midst in mighty healing and saving power—and such positive work was wrought in the baptizing of scores with the Holy Ghost.

People came from far and near to witness the working power of God in healing and delivering those afflicted with cancers, tumors, diabetics, arthritis, nervous disorders and all manner of diseases.

Even the deaf and dumb were healed. We give God all the glory for the many saved, healed, baptized with the Holy Ghost and otherwise blessed and helped.

Rev. Chas. A. Pollock
Pastor, Pentecostal Tabernacle
Porterville, Calif.

Healed of Tumor

During the month of March, I was taken very sick with severe pains low in my back, over the kidneys. These pains reached around the left side, ending with sharp knife-like pain in the bladder. I was very sore all through the abdomen. On Thursday evening, April 24, 1952, Bro. Tommy Hicks prayed for me, also he said I had inward infection. The following Saturday, April 26, I passed a pear-shaped tumor about the size of my fist, and passed smaller pieces for the next few days. I praise God that today I can testify to my complete healing. I give God the glory, and thank Him for the blessing that Bro. Tommy Hick's ministry has been to me.

Sincerely,
Mabel Geradian
138 Cloverleaf Ave.
Porterville, Calif.

Healed While Seated in the Audience

I had for many months suffered with a pressure around my heart and my blood circulation was affected in such a way as to cause me real concern.

While I was seated in the audience one night, Brother Tommy Hicks called me out, having discerned my sickness. At that moment I felt the healing power of God surge through my body and I am healed!

Alma Glaze, Box 284, Gridley, Calif.

Crossed Eyes Straightened

My daughter had been wearing glasses since 1950. One eye was completely turned in, but we knew that God could heal her. This was made a reality the night you prayed for her. She has not worn her glasses since and HER EYE IS STRAIGHT! Praise the Lord!

(Daughter's name: Merlene Miller, age 9.)

Mrs. Ned W. Miller
2275 Pasadena Avenue,
Long Beach, Calif. (mother)



Cancer Removed

In January of 1951 I was told by the doctors that they could do nothing more to help me. I was in great pain and my body had to be turned in bed most of the time. At times I could not even walk.

In June of that year I was able to attend Brother Tommy Hicks' revival in Long Beach. While bringing his message the Spirit of the Lord was mightily upon him; he turned and pointed to me and declared that I had an internal cancer and that it would pass from my body.

I felt the healing power of God flow through my body and what a thrill I experienced as I began to dance and sing in the spirit. I was free! I knew something had taken place. Later in the evening, Brother Hicks told me that within 24 hours the cancer would begin passing from my body. Rev. Hicks was a stranger to me; I had never seen him before.

The next day, according to his word, the cancer began to pass from my body... hundreds of pieces that looked like a great spider. This continued for several days. I was able to attend the remainder of the revival, sing in the choir and to help many find our blessed Christ.

It is wonderful to be well, to feel so good and most of all to have such a glorious Saviour! He is longing and waiting to deliver you.

Lora Weintraub, Marshalltown, Iowa

Healed and Delivered

I have been healed of a cancer infection and a tumor. I had taken shots for over a year, but to no avail. Since Brother Tommy Hicks prayed for me, God has healed me and made me completely whole again. My husband was also wonderfully healed of deafness and delivered from the smoking habit, which he had tried many times to stop, but could not.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Kirk III
68 Way, Long Beach, Calif.

THOUSANDS THROUG 'SPECIAL' NIGHTS IN THE A. A. ALLEN CAMPAIGNS



BETTY BAXTER NIGHT IN THE LAKELAND MEETING. THOUSANDS ATTENDED. MANY WERE SAVED AND FAITH REACHED A NEW HIGH IN THE HEARTS OF THE PEOPLE AS THEY LISTENED TO THE BAXTER STORY OF A MODERN DAY MIRACLE. MANY OUTSTANDING MIRACLES OF HEALING TOOK PLACE IN THE HEALING LINE ON THIS NIGHT.

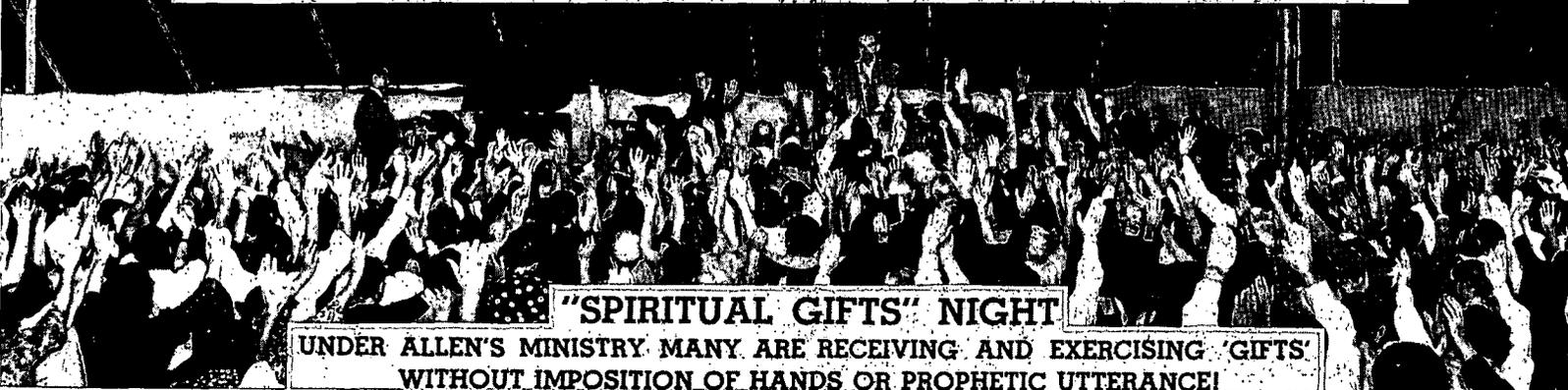


"HOLY GHOST" NIGHT

HUNDREDS ARE FILLED AS HANDS ARE LAID UPON THOSE SEEKING

Only for those who have received proper instruction and are willing to obey same. People are filled when in Jesus' name, the evangelist in faith lays hands upon those who in full faith receive the impartation. (Acts 8:14-17, 19:6).

THESE SIGNS SHALL FOLLOW THEM *that* BELIEVE



"SPIRITUAL GIFTS" NIGHT

UNDER ALLEN'S MINISTRY MANY ARE RECEIVING AND EXERCISING 'GIFTS' WITHOUT IMPOSITION OF HANDS OR PROPHETIC UTTERANCE!

A mighty revival that stirred all Central Florida came to a close in Lakeland, April 13. Thousands from many states and Canada attended. One lady coming all the way from El Salvador, C. A. for the meeting, testified to being healed of cancer during the meeting.

The special nights that are a feature in the Allen meetings and also being featured on this page this month, drew capacity attendance. In the very middle of the campaign it was necessary to move the tent from downtown Lakeland to a large acreage of ground outside the city to accommodate parking for the hundreds of cars. It was claimed that the many automobiles and their occupants constituted a parking nuisance. The big tent was down and up again without missing a single service.

Perhaps the greatest night of all was the night Allen prayed a special prayer for all

those desiring special faith for healing. Allen made a short exhortation on faith and declared that Christ was the Author and Finisher of our faith and that it is also given as a gift as well as a fruit. Hundreds stood as Allen prayed asking God to remove every hindrance to faith and give the people faith. All those who definitely had received faith as the result of this prayer remained standing while Allen prayed that God would heal them all on the spot. It was evident that many had received faith from the testimonies that followed. Many immediately marched across the big platform and testified to being healed instantly. Many testified to being healed of deafness, blindness, goiter, tumor, cancer, arthritis, and many other diseases. A lady who had her limb bandaged for six years with ulcerous sores, took off the bandages and held them up declaring God had healed her instantly.

It is reported that Allen is ordering a new and larger tent manufactured for the coming tent season.

CENTER—

Hundreds have been filled in a single service on this special night. Allen urges all seekers to read his booklet "RECEIVE YE THE HOLY GHOST" before entering the Holy Ghost line. This booklet builds faith for receiving instantly without tarrying. This booklet can be purchased from THE VOICE OF HEALING. See advertisement page 24.

BELOW—

Allen lays hands on no one, prophecies over no one in this service. One simple prayer is offered for hundreds that respond to the call. Allen declares that in this service, the channel through which the power of God flows and operates is opened.

WORLD'S CITRUS CAPITAL SHAKEN BY ALLEN REVIVAL

CAN CHRIST'S RETURN TO EARTH BE ABSOLUTELY PROVED?

Here is absolute proof with evidence that would stand up in a Court of Law that Jesus Christ will return to this world

by GORDON LINDSAY

TO the sophisticated, the proposition of Christ returning to the world the second time, is generally considered fantastic and incredible—a belief to be entertained only by the credulous and superstitious. Notwithstanding, the Second Coming of Christ is an event which is as certain to come as day follows night. This can be proved with evidence that would stand up in any court of law.

WHAT IS THE EVIDENCE THAT CHRIST WILL COME TO EARTH AGAIN?

The New Testament contains 318 references to the Second Coming of Christ while the Old Testament makes at least 25 major references to the First Coming of Christ. Were those of the Old Testament fulfilled? If they were not, then there may well be reason to doubt the certainty of a Second Coming. But if they were, then it would be rash indeed to deny that Christ will come again. We must remember the prophecies concerning Christ's first coming were made by various writers over a period of many centuries. If they were human prophecies they would have failed, or certainly partly failed. Who precisely can predict the course of events ten years from now, or a year from now, without inspired aid? How then could the prophets of the ages past predict unerringly the events of our Lord's life many centuries in advance? Or did they? Let us see.

THE PROPHET ISAIAH SAID CHRIST SHOULD BE BORN OF A VIRGIN

"... Behold, a virgin shall conceive, and bear a son, and shall call his name Immanuel." (God with us)

(Isaiah 7:14).

Did a virgin conceive and bear a son? Luke 1:26-35 tells the story. This very thing indeed happened—this Immanuel was none other than Jesus Christ, who was born a little over 1900 years ago, and from whose birth all time is reckoned, yea whose life has affected the world as that of no other person.

Luke goes into details explaining that the virgin birth of Christ fulfilled the prophecy of Isaiah.

THE PROPHET MICAH SAID THAT CHRIST WAS TO BE BORN IN BETHLEHEM.

"But thou, Bethlehem Ephrathah, though thou be little among the thousands of Judah, yet out of thee shall He come forth unto me that is to be ruler in Israel; whose goings forth have been from of old, from everlasting." (Micah 5:2)

This is a clear reference to Christ and the Incarnation—Of Him alone could it be said that His "goings forth have been of old" even "from everlasting." But was Jesus born in Bethlehem as prophesied by Micah six centuries earlier? The entire world knows the answer. Mary the mother of Jesus lived in Nazareth. When her child was about to be born, Emperor Augustus published an edict that the world should be taxed, and that all must register for the proposed tax in their own city, which in Joseph and Mary's case was Bethlehem.

With Mary about to give birth to a child it was a most inconvenient time to travel, but there was no other alternative, the king's edict must be obeyed, and incidentally the inexorable purposes of God fulfilled. While in Bethlehem, Jesus was born. The world at the time was quite unaware of the Event, but angels came down from heaven to proclaim it, not to the wise and the mighty but to some humble shepherds. (Luke 2:1-20).

MODERN VIEW OF BETHLEHEM

500 years before Christ, He was prophesied in Micah 5:2 to be born in Bethlehem. He has said He will come again, and we may be assured prophecy will not fail.

—WIDE-WORLD PHOTOS

THE PROPHET ISAIAH SAID CHRIST WAS TO HAVE A MINISTRY OF DELIVERANCE.

"The Spirit of the Lord God is upon me; because the Lord hath anointed me to preach good tidings unto the meek; he hath sent me to bind up the broken-hearted, to proclaim liberty to the captives, and the opening of the prison to them that are bound;

To proclaim the acceptable year of the Lord, and the day of vengeance of our God; to comfort all that mourn."

(Isaiah 61:1-2)

In the city of Nazareth Jesus stood in the synagogue one day and read this passage of Isaiah, declaring it to be fulfilled in Him. Was He right? Did His ministry conform to the prophecy? For three golden years Christ walked the shores of Galilee, and the hills of Judea, preaching the Gospel and speaking as no other man ever spoke. He healed the sick, cleansed the leper, raised the dead and cast out devils. He preached to the humble, He bound up the wounds of the broken hearted, He set the captives free, and opened the doors of the prison to those who were bound. He proclaimed the day of Grace. He did not, however, proclaim the day of vengeance of God. That was reserved for His Second Coming! As Christ came and fulfilled the ministry of His humiliation, so will He come again, this time in exaltation! (Luke 4:18).

THE PSALMIST DAVID AND THE PROPHET ZECHARIAH SAID THAT CHRIST WAS TO BE BETRAYED FOR THIRTY PIECES OF SILVER.

"Yea mine own familiar friend, in whom I trusted, which did eat of my bread, hath lifted up his heel against me."

(Psalms 41:9)

"And I said unto them, If ye think good, give me my price; and if not, forbear. So they weighed for my price thirty pieces of silver.

And the Lord said unto me, Cast it unto the potter: a goodly price that I was priced at of them." (Zech. 11:12,13.)

These Messianic prophecies declare that Christ for thirty pieces of silver was to be betrayed by a familiar friend. Were they fulfilled? Every Sunday School child knows that Judas Iscariot, one of the twelve disciples, betrayed Christ to the Jews for thirty pieces of silver. Later, in remorse, Judas flung the silver back into the hands of the chief priests, and went out and hung himself. The priests used the money to buy a potter's field, as indicated by the prophecy. (Matt. 27:3-10)

ISAIAH DECLARED THAT CHRIST WOULD BE SCOURGED AND MOCKED.

"I gave my back to the smiters, and my cheeks to them that plucked off the hair: I hid not my face from shame and spitting." (Isa. 50:6).

All who have heard the Gospel story know that Jesus was given to the scourgers by Pilate. Why did God permit it? Isaiah tells us in the 53rd chapter that "by His stripes

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CAN CHRIST'S RETURN BE PROVED?

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we are healed." God did not overlook anything in providing full redemption for the human race. Isaiah further prophesies of the sufferings of the Messiah.

"Surely he hath borne our griefs, and carried our sorrows: yet we did esteem him stricken, smitten of God, and afflicted.

But he was wounded for our transgressions, he was bruised for our iniquities: the chastisement of our peace was upon him; and with his stripes we are healed.

All we like sheep have gone astray; we have turned every one to his own way; and the Lord hath laid on him the iniquity of us all.

He was oppressed, and he was afflicted, yet he opened not his mouth: he is brought as a lamb to the slaughter, and as a sheep before her shearers is dumb, so he openeth not his mouth." (Isa. 53:4-7)

What an astonishing prophecy, made nearly seven centuries before the coming of the Messiah!

Still more amazing is its precise and perfect fulfillment in the sufferings of the Saviour. That Christ, in fulfillment of the Scriptures, came to earth the First Time assures us that He will certainly come the Second Time in fulfillment of the Scriptures.

MESSIANIC PROPHECIES DECLARED THAT CHRIST WOULD BE PUT TO DEATH BY CRUCIFIXION.

"For dogs have compassed me: the assembly of the wicked have enclosed me: they pierced my hands and my feet."

(Psalms 22:16)

"And one shall say unto him, what are these wounds in thy hands? Then he shall answer, Those with which I was wounded in the house of my friends." (Zech. 13:6) (See also Zech. 12:10)

In fulfillment, Christ was crucified on a cross between two thieves, there expiating the sins of the world. Today the Cross is a symbol of the devotion of the Savior in the giving of His life to provide redemption for a fallen race.

OTHER PROPHECIES CONCERNING CHRIST'S FIRST COMING ALL FULFILLED.

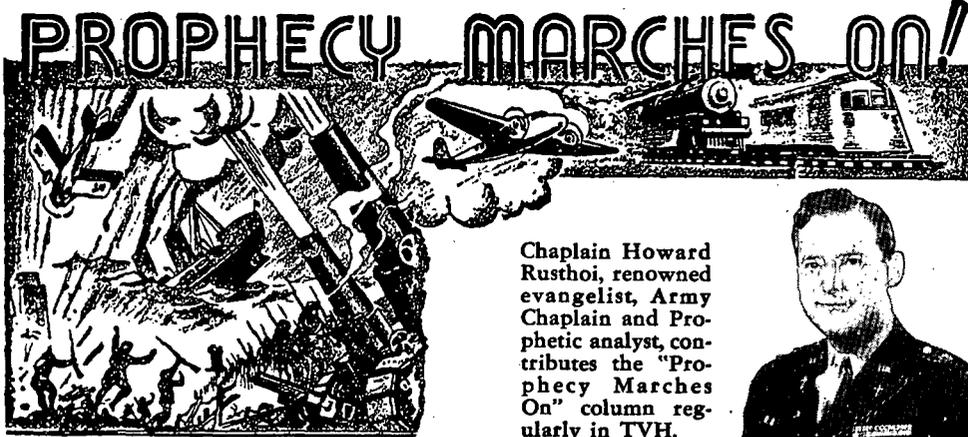
1. He was to be born of the seed of the woman. Gen. 3:14-15—Fulfilled Gal. 4:4
2. He would come of the line of David. Jer. 23:5-6—Fulfilled Matt. 1:1
3. He was to have a forerunner (John the Baptist)—Fulfilled Mal. 3:1-2; 4:5-6; Isa. 40:3; Mark 1:1-7
4. He was to ride into Jerusalem on a colt. Zech. 9:9-10—Fulfilled Matt. 21:1-9
5. He was to be given gall to drink in his suffering. Psalms 69:20-21—Fulfilled Matt. 27:33-34
6. His garments were to be divided. Psalms 22:18—Fulfilled John 19:23, 24
7. He was to die. Psalms 53:8—Fulfilled Luke 23:46
8. His death was with the wicked and the rich Isa. 53:8—Fulfilled Matt. 27:38; 27:57-60

THE PSALMIST DECLARES THAT CHRIST WAS TO RISE FROM THE DEAD.

"For thou wilt not leave my soul in hell; neither wilt thou suffer thine holy one to see corruption." (Psa. 16:10)

The greatest fact of history is that Jesus died and rose from the grave in fulfillment

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Chaplain Howard Rusthol, renowned evangelist, Army Chaplain and Prophetic analyst, contributes the "Prophecy Marches On" column regularly in TVH.



AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION INCREASING IN ISRAEL

4,185,079 boxes of oranges were exported from Israel during the 1950-51 season, compared to the 4,132,780 boxes shipped during the 1949-50 season. Sold for local consumption in Israel were 4,113,500 boxes bringing the total income of plantation owners to nearly ten million Israel Pounds. The total area of citrus plantations in Israel amounts to 123,623 dunams (30,000 acres).

Israel's output of vegetables has increased 220 per cent since the establishment of the State of Israel a little over four years ago, and all but 2 per cent of the population's vegetable needs are now supplied from local sources. This is a wonderful and remarkable fulfillment of Bible prophecy for the end-time revealed in Joel 2:26, "And ye shall eat in plenty, and be satisfied, and praise the name of the Lord your God, that hath dwelt wondrously with you."

SIGNS OF THE TIMES

According to Rev. Louis King, chaplain of the Bridewell prison in Chicago, there is only one church to every 75 taverns in the United States today. There are 126 barmaids and tavern waitresses to every girl that goes to college, and the population of our penal institutions has increased 122 per cent in the last 10 years. This deplorable situation is foretold as a sign of the last days and the second coming of Christ, in the 3rd chapter of 2nd Timothy.

ALCOHOLISM INCREASING

Alcoholism has hit a record high in the United States and there are 1,000,000 chronic alcohol addicts, excluding those persons never treated at a hospital, 4,000,000 heavy drinkers and over 40,000,000 social drinkers, according to Dr. Robert V. Seliger, chief psychiatrist of the Neuropsychiatric Institute of Baltimore, who pointed out "there is a decided increase of alcoholism in all groups and ages." He said mental illness, juvenile delinquency, criminality and alcoholism are on the increase because of the present social tensions. "We are entering an era which will probably be more chaotic, disruptive and emotionally disturbing than we have ever known," said Dr. Seliger.

I believe Jesus spoke plainly of these very conditions which are prevalent today. In Luke 21:34 He spoke of the increase in alcoholism as a sign of the last days, and in verse 26 He spoke of the increasing tensions and fears that would grip the hearts of men in the hour of His second coming.

FBI REPORT

The national crime rate continued upward in 1951, the FBI reported, with a 5.2 per cent increase in cities, and a 5 per cent increase in rural areas. Director J.

Edgar Hoover said in a commentary on the statistics received from police departments throughout the country that "a tragedy of our times is expressed in 1951's fingerprint statistics on youthful offenders. More persons aged 23 were arrested than any other age group. Arrests of persons under age 18 increased 7.7 per cent last year compared with the previous year."

The annual Uniform Crime Report, issued by the FBI, reveals that national auto thefts increased 15.3 per cent, larcenies 7.1 per cent, negligent manslaughter 3.4 per cent and criminal attacks 1.3 per cent in 1951 over 1950. The FBI estimated that there were a total of 1,882,160 serious offenses committed during 1951, an increase of 92,130 over the previous year. "An average day in 1951 saw 5157 major crimes—34 felonious homicides, 1115 burglaries, 143 robberies, 3064 larcenies, 46 criminal attacks, 540 auto thefts and 215 aggravated assaults," said Mr. Hoover. 2 Timothy 3:13 speaks of "evil men waxing worse and worse" in the last days as a sign of the second coming of Christ.

EARTHQUAKES

More than 1700 submarine earthquakes were recorded off the southeastern coast of Hawaii Island in ONE WEEK during last March, according to the Hawaiian Volcano Observatory. An increasing number of earthquakes in the "last days" are foretold by Jesus in Matthew 24:7.

SUICIDES INCREASING

A report from Copenhagen brings to light that Denmark is being swept by an unparalleled wave of suicidal attempts. Psychiatrists are trying to get at the reasons for this upsurge in the rate of suicides and believe it is due mainly to nerve pressure occasioned by the general uncertainty of the times.

A report from Tokyo reveals that the Japanese are committing suicide at a higher rate today than ever before. "Economic distress" is the reason for 70 per cent of the suicides, according to the metropolitan police. Prime Minister Shigeru Yoshida deplored the "wave of suicides and other criminal offenses" in Japan. The tensions throughout the world today are in keeping with the prophecies in the Bible for the end of this dispensation and the second coming of Christ.

THE VOICE OF HEALING

Mailing Address

BOX 8658

Dallas, Texas

WORLD-WIDE REVIVAL

Brief accounts of outstanding healing revivals here and there

REVIVAL FOLLOWS KINGSRITER SERVICE

For four weeks and two days it was our happy privilege to have Evangelist and Mrs. Orrin Kingsriter with us in the most outstanding revival this part of the western panhandle of Nebraska has seen. The response to the SALVATION AND HEALING message was great from the beginning to the conclusion of this revival, with God manifesting His power in a way that touched the hearts of everyone. There was a good response from the churches in Northwest Nebraska as well as Southwest South Dakota. Some drove great distances to be present at the meeting.

Brother Kingsriter's ministry was an encouragement to holy living, preaching against sin and wickedness. Many came forward for salvation and believers were filled with the Spirit. Many miracles of healing took place. One of the most outstanding miracles was that of Charlotte Summers, Chadron, Nebraska.

After the first week of the meeting her parents had her brought home from Omaha, Nebraska, to be prayed for, (a distance of 458 miles), where she was attending a school for the deaf. She was born totally deaf and is now 21 years of age.

She had never heard sound until she was prayed for by Brother Kingsriter. Her hearing was restored instantly and her healing has been verified by a medical doctor in Alliance, Nebraska. Her eyesight was also very impaired before and medical doctors in Omaha had pronounced that she was going blind. Since prayer she can now see to read very well without her glasses.

Others were healed of arthritis, cancer, blindness, deafness, stomach ulcers, gallbladder trouble and many other sicknesses and diseases. Many also testified of having been delivered from the tobacco habit, also of receiving spiritual blessings and the light of the Full Gospel.

Surely God is manifesting His power today through those who dare to trust Him as in Bible Days.

E. M. Herrman, Pastor
ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH
Chadron, Nebraska

JAY MINISTRY BLESSES CUT BANK

We have just concluded a meeting here in Cut Bank, Montana, with Brother Ferdie C. Jay, one of the best meetings that we have had for many years. God met with souls in a precious way. Sick bodies were healed, several saved, and filled with the Holy Spirit.

A man of this congregation who had suffered with a severe back injury was wonderfully healed of every effect and is now rejoicing in God's blessing of healing. One woman of 76 years of age received the Baptism of the Holy Ghost after more than 16 years of seeking. Loved ones prayed for for many years were saved.

We rejoice in God's goodness to us in sending Brother Jay to us. He was a stranger to all of us here before coming to Cut Bank, but we feel that we have known him for years now. I can heartily recommend his ministry to any church where hearts are open to the anointed preaching of the Word of God.

Brother Jay pours the anointed Word upon hungry hearts in such a way and so freely that something has to happen. We feel that there is left here now something solid upon which to build. May God bless Brother Jay as he continues to preach the unsearchable riches of Christ.

Yours in God's service,
William R. McNutt
Box 1281
Cut Bank, Montana

RUSSELL PARK MEETING BRINGS REVIVAL TO COLORADO

Five and a half years ago I moved to Western Colorado. I soon found that it was the hardest place to do church work that I had ever been. A burden to see a revival in this section of the country became a heavy weight in my life.

About two years ago I began to preach that a great revival was coming and I began to look forward to the time when it would come. Prayer meetings were held at six o'clock in the morning for a time and we began to get ready for this revival because we knew it would come.

In November I was in Conference where Brother Russell B. Park was also in attendance. I felt that he was the one that God would have conduct this revival campaign.

On January 13, 1952 Brother Park began the revival in Olathe, a small town in western Colorado. People drove for over a hundred miles over snow-packed mountain passes to attend these services. We saw God come down in a way that western Colorado had not seen. People of all churches attended this meeting. It soon outgrew our building and the Presbyterian church opened its doors to this great Pentecostal Revival. Seventy-three answered the call for salvation. We saw many miracles of healing, deaf ears were healed, even some that doctors had said had no ear drums, crossed and almost completely blinded eyes were opened and straightened, many were healed of arthritis and almost every other known disease.

This campaign lasted for three weeks and then moved to Montrose, Colorado only ten miles away. No church in Montrose was open for this meeting so one of the theatre buildings was rented. The spirit of God continued here and once again God blessed in a mighty way. Here eighty-one came forward to the prayer rooms for salvation. The miracles of healing were as great here as they had been in Olathe. People all over western Colorado said that it was the first time that this section of the country had ever seen a revival that touched the people of the communities. Of the eighty-one who answered the call for salvation in Montrose twenty-seven of them were Catholics. God moved in a great way and is still moving in Western Colorado. These connecting revivals brought over 150 people to Christ in our small communities and church leaders witness it as being the largest response in the Uncompahgre Valley in 25 years. I praise God for sending this revival. I also want to thank the Lord for sending Brother Park to our part of Colorado.

Rev. Ralph A. Durham, Pastor
Apostolic Faith Church in Olathe,
Address: Box 22,
Montrose, Colorado.

OUTSTANDING HEALINGS IN KAROL CAMPAIGN

This is a report of the Karol Healing Campaign conducted in Williamsport, Maryland, during the month of March 1952.

This has been one of the greatest meetings ever conducted in our town. The crippled walked—as clipping from one of our local newspapers will prove. Mrs. Irene Myers, crippled for over a year, was carried into the church and after prayer she danced in the Spirit and walked out after the services in her own power.

The sick were healed and the afflicted found deliverance as they believed God. Many were healed while seated in the audience.

One man had a hernia for 8½ years, but was healed instantly. A Church of God woman was baptized and healed at the same time. Another woman who was so weak that she could barely come to church, after prayer painted a whole room. Asthma, deafness, arthritis, and many other diseases and afflictions all left in answer to prayer.

There were many conversions with the definite proof of real old-time religion. One man and his wife who had been coming for 7 years were born again. The evidence of salvation and healing was everywhere. Many were baptized with the Holy Spirit.

Truly Williamsport has had a great 20th Century move of God. We saw God deliver many as our evangelist, Brother Stanley W. Karol, prayed for the people. We heartily recommend Brother Karol to anyone wanting an evangelist on fire for God and His glory.

Yours for deliverance,
Rev. V. W. Miles, Pastor

P. S. During this revival we broke the Sunday School record two Sundays in a row with 309 and 310 respectively.

CALVARY TABERNACLE STIRRED BY LEONARD

One of the greatest revivals has been concluded in Calvary Tabernacle in Wellsboro, Pennsylvania, March 1952, with Evangelist Herbert H. Leonard of Waco, Texas.

This is the first Healing Revival that Wellsboro has been privileged to have in which a number have testified to being definitely healed of various ailments and afflictions.

A few of the more outstanding healings are as follows: A woman who suffered great pains due to arthritis testified that all pains had left her and that she was able to walk unaided.

A man was prayed for who had a tumorous growth over his eye. As he was about to sit down again in the audience he took off his glasses and found that the growth had disappeared.

One man who drove 190 miles to attend the meetings was healed of a misplaced vertebrae.

Several deaf ears were opened, of which two in particular were outstanding. Their ear drums had been punctured in the process of having them lanced for abscess. One was deaf for 20 years in one ear. Both cases could hear perfectly after prayer.

Others were healed of heart ailments, ulcers, nervousness, low and high blood pressure, sugar diabetes and many other ailments.

Another outstanding feature of the revival was the spiritual awakening that came as a direct result of the meeting. A number were saved and filled with the Holy Ghost and others were reclaimed.

We are looking forward to more deliverance meetings, should Jesus tarry.

Pastor Peter Bedzyk
CALVARY TABERNACLE
Wellsboro, Pennsylvania

CHRIST'S RETURN

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of the prophecies. Peter showed how the above prophecy was fulfilled in the glorious resurrection of Christ, thus fulfilling in every detail the Divine plan of redemption. (Acts 2:23-28)

WHEN WILL CHRIST COME? THE PROPHET DANIEL TOLD WHEN CHRIST WOULD COME!

Perhaps the most remarkable of all the prophecies of Christ's First Coming is found in Daniel 9, where the very time of the Saviour's advent was revealed. This is the famous Seventy Weeks Prophecy. We quote the 25-26th verses:

"Know therefore and, that from the going forth of the commandment to restore and to build Jerusalem unto Messiah the prince, shall be seven weeks, and threescore and two weeks; the street shall be built again, and the wall, even in troublous times. And after threescore and two weeks shall the Messiah be cut off; but not for himself; and the people of the prince that shall come shall destroy the city and the sanctuary; and the end therefore shall be with a flood, and unto the end of the war desolations are determined." Dan. 9:25-26

In this memorable prophecy, 69 weeks of years were to elapse from the going forth of the commandment to restore and rebuild the city of Jerusalem which had been destroyed by Nebuchadnessar, at the time the Jews were taken into captivity.

Now a "week" in prophecy stands for seven years. (Gen. 29:27)—a day for a year. Daniel's prophecy declares that the Messiah should be "cut off" or crucified 69 weeks or 483 years after the commandment went forth to rebuild Jerusalem. Secular chronologies vary a few years with each other during this period; but those that vary the most, show that the 483 years ran out about 30 A. D.—the year of the crucifixion of Christ. This prophecy is staggering in significance and is an amazing proof of the Divine Inspiration of prophecy. Think of it, over 500 years before Christ was born the year of his crucifixion was given in a prophecy that has been on record since that time.

THE BIBLE ALSO DECLARES THAT HE WILL COME AGAIN.

A review of these prophecies and their amazing fulfillments should have a solemn effect on every thinking man or woman. Could any man have made all these predictions and caused them to be so marvelously fulfilled long centuries after? The answer is that it would be utterly impossible. The only explanation is that the prophecies were inspired of God.

But note: The same Bible also declares that Christ will come again—this time in triumph, in victory, and to execute judgment on the earth. Jesus himself said He would come again. As he was about to bid farewell to his disciples, speaking to them at the Last Supper, He said, "In my father's house are many mansions: if it were not so I would have told you. I go to prepare a place for you. And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again, and receive you unto myself; that where I am there you may be also." John 14:2-3.

Christ will come again, to raise the dead and translate the living. The apostle Paul graphically related this in I Thes. 4:13-17.

"But I would not have you to be ignorant, brethren, concerning them which are asleep, that ye sorrow not, even as others which have no hope."

"For if we believe that Jesus died and

rose again, even so them also which sleep in Jesus will God bring with him." "For this we say unto you by the word of the Lord, that we which are alive and remain unto the coming of the Lord shall not prevent them which are asleep." For the Lord himself shall descend from heaven with a shout, with the voice of the archangel, and with the trump of God: and the dead in Christ shall rise first." "Then we which are alive and remain shall be caught up together with them in the clouds, to meet the Lord in the air; and so shall we ever be with the Lord."

For those who are looking for him, Christ will come again. The inspired writer speaks of the Second Coming when he says in Hebrews 9:27-28.

"So Christ was once offered to bear the sins of many (First Coming); And unto them that look for him shall he appear the SECOND TIME without sin unto salvation." (Second Coming) Heb. 9:28.

With such a marvelous fulfillment of the prophecies of the First Coming of Christ, how could any refuse to believe the prophecies of the Second Coming? Shall they not be just as precisely fulfilled? We are told, however, that many will disbelieve; and of these the apostle Paul reveals that Christ is coming in judgment, "in flaming fire to take vengeance on them that know not God."

"And to you who are troubled rest with us, when the Lord Jesus shall be

revealed from heaven with his mighty angels." "In flaming fire taking vengeance on them that know not God, and that obey not the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ." Who shall be punished with everlasting destruction from the presence of the Lord, and from the glory of his power;" When he shall come to be glorified in his saints, and to be admired in all them that believe (because our testimony among you was believed) in that day."

WHEN WILL CHRIST COME AGAIN?

There are many signs showing that the time of the Second Coming is at hand. We have not space to discuss these here, save to mention one which Christ called attention to when asked concerning the time of His coming (Matt. 24:3). He said, "And the gospel of the kingdom shall be preached in all the world as a witness unto all nations and then shall the end come. Matt. 24:14. Truly this great salvation-healing revival which is now spreading over the world and fulfilling Christ's command in the Great Commission, and which is unprecedented in history, is prophetically significant of the soon coming of Christ.

You who are unprepared, what then are you going to do about the matter as we see the great climax of the ages about to unfold before us? The Jews missed their visitation to their great and eternal loss. (Luke 19:41-44). May God grant that none who read these pages shall repeat their sad error.

Raymond T. Richey Column

A CALL TO PRAYER IGNORED



On April 4, 1936 (sixteen years ago), I called at the White House, carrying with me large packages containing 101,729 petitions signed by Bible-believing Christians, requesting that a Special Day of Prayer be called.

Mr. Roosevelt was President at the time. I delivered to him a covering letter, with the petitions, which said in part:

"As Chairman of the Richey Evangelistic Association, I have the honor of laying before you today 101,729 signed petitions requesting you to call a special Day of Prayer, in the near future, when our citizens everywhere shall be asked to prostrate themselves before God in humility, imploring Divine Help and guidance through the present crisis.

"During other crises in American history, Chief Executives have designated certain days of special prayer. An ever increasing number of God fearing people feel that such a Call on your part is needed at this particular time, to precipitate the great spiritual awakening which must come sooner or later, if our Christian ideals and Christian institutions are to survive the attack of Atheism, Socialism and Communism.

"In this connection we are reminded of II Chronicles 7:14, 'If my people, which are called by my name, shall humble themselves, and pray, and seek my face, and turn from their wicked ways; then will I hear from heaven, and will forgive their sin, and will heal their land.'"

The White House failed utterly to appreciate the importance of our appeal. I was finally told by one of Mr. Roosevelt's secretaries that a day of prayer might have a disturbing effect on the stock market.

Looking back upon that experience, I have often thought how different conditions might have been in our country during these intervening years, had the White House done as we suggested.

I confess that this experience has caused me to understand the imperative need of Christian leadership and statesmanship in the high circles of national government.

I feel that we should pray for General MacArthur. He is doing much to probe the conscience of the American people and rebuild the nation's sagging character. The Church life of our Country stands to derive lasting benefit from the service he is rendering.

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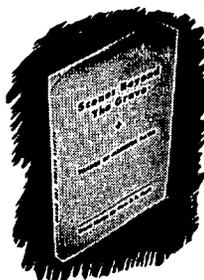
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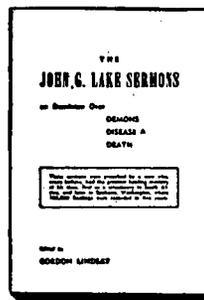
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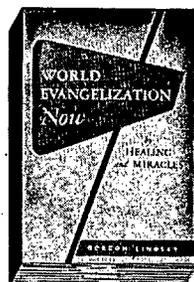
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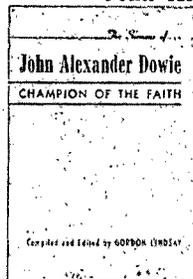
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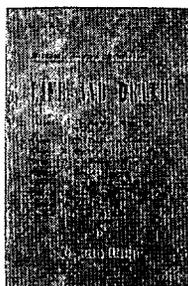
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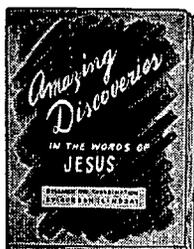
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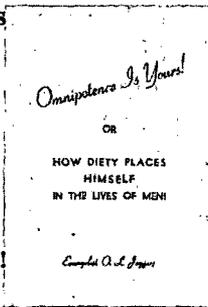
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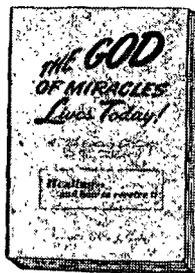
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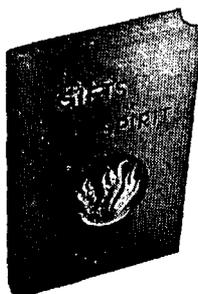


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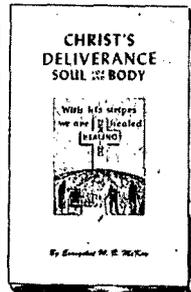


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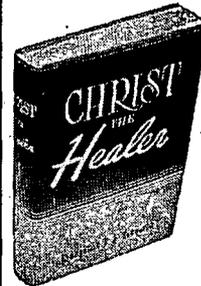
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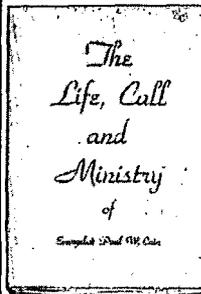
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