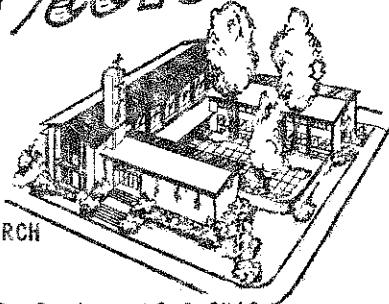


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## SHOCKING MORAL CONDITION INVOLVING CLERGY

Christian laymen in all denominations could not believe their eyes when they read extensive stories in both the San Francisco Examiner and the Chronicle of Jan. 3, 1965 concerning a dance for homosexuals sponsored by six protestant clergymen, which was broken up by the San Francisco police. "The ball was attended by nearly 600 homosexuals and their friends, and a dozen ministers, to raise funds to promote 'a dialogue between the church and the homosexual'", said the Chronicle. One of the leading ministers is Canon Robt. Cromey, a special assistant to Episcopal Bishop James A. Pike. Canon Cromey was arrested a few months ago by police for involvement in a "civil rights" street riot. Police had between 20 and 40 officers infiltrating the contemptible affair and arrested six persons including three attorneys. Police photographed most of the arriving guests. Two men were arrested for lewd conduct on the dance floor. The Examiner stated: "As for other guests, many males were in eye-dazzling evening gowns, and a policeman was heard to estimate that 'out of 100 women, half were the genuine article'." Christian leaders in the area feel that the hour has come to denounce this immorality being encouraged by these ecumenical leaders. Believers whose sense of morality is governed by the Scriptures, should write letters of encouragement to Police Chief Thomas Cahill San Francisco City Police Dept., and protest this outrageous affair. This is but one activity being promoted by the Council for Religion and Homosexuals headed by these Protestant ministers. In all of our more than 22 years in this area, this is the most shocking outrage of public decency.

## BAY AREA CBA ASSOCIATION FRIDAY

Bible prophecy will be the theme for the Bay Area CBA associational meeting, which will meet this Friday, Jan. 15 at Calvary Baptist Church, Fremont at 41354 Roberts Ave. Dr. Kenneth I. Smith is both host pastor and moderator. Divided sessions will be held at 9:30 a.m. for 45 minutes. Marvin Cowan, missionary to Mormons, will speak at 10:15 a.m., followed by a panel on prophecy at 11 a.m. with five professors in charge from the Seminary. (p. 2)

## SEMINARY CONVOCATION RALLY NEXT MONDAY

Missionary Timothy Pietsch of Tokyo, who will be arriving late this week from Japan for a limited furlough in this country, has been invited to be the speaker at the San Francisco Baptist Seminary Rally, Monday, Jan. 18 at 7:45 p.m. at the Hamilton Square Baptist Church. Brother Pietsch, whose extensive experience as a missionary for 25 years qualifies him to speak, will address the inter-church rally on the subject - "The Crisis of the Gospel in Japan". This will be especially appropriate in view of the many students the Seminary has from the Far East. Mr. Pietsch was reached by phone on Monday in Hawaii and consented to be present, since the previously announced speaker is unable to come. Refreshments will be served by the Bayshore Baptist Church ladies. A nursery will be provided for little ones. Music will be furnished by Candy Nunn, Western Baptist contralto and by Barbara Winkler, extraordinary violinist from Castro Valley Trinity Baptist Church. It is hoped that several carloads of our people will support this Rally.

## LITTLE LINDQUIST BABY WITH THE LORD

It is our sad responsibility to share with the many friends of Walter and Ida Lindquist, our pastor at Dublin First Baptist, the news of the loss of their little baby boy, born Monday at 1:45 p.m. at Alameda Hospital and whose earthly life was less than an hour in length. His name was Eric Raymond Lindquist. Death was due to some internal obstruction. Our Pastor has been asked to have brief services on Thursday at 11 a.m. at the Robinson Brothers Chapel, 1301 Fruitvale, with burial in the babyland section of the cemetery. The Lindquists, who served for several years as assistants in the Church, will be upheld in prayer by their many friends. We will ask that this sorrowful experience will be used of the Lord to bring glory to the Lord.

..Bill and Florence Hunter announced on Sunday that they were meeting with the CBEFMS Board this week in Wheaton with a view of returning to the foreign field. .."Tomorrow is God's secret - but today is yours to live."

LOCAL CHURCH DEVELOPMENTS

INTERCHURCH NEWS FOR CONSERVATIVES

..Decisions recently for Christ and church..Last Sunday Marshall Kendrick and Margaret Kendrick came forward for salvation. Mrs. Mary Cardozo by Letter from Baywood in Hayward. Mr. and Mrs. Dean Clark by Letter from First Baptist of Richland, Washington. Gene Strohallen by statement of experience.

..Read the Bible through..Gen. 1-16; Mat. 1-7.

..Missionary John Simmons of the WCBM indicated that 3/4 of their annual support is now in and are hoping that all will be in by June 1, 1965. WCBM leaders are hoping that this will be in so announcement can be made in Denver at Beth Eden Church in the national WCBM meeting.

Big youth rally Friday at Fremont Calvary Baptist Church, 41354 Roberts Ave. with Dean Wm. G. Bellshaw speaking on "Ready at the Rapture". Refreshments will be served by the host church. We are urging a massive attendance by our people of all ages to take the prize. Roger Lee says the church bus leaves the church at 6:30 p.m. We hope for at least a dozen cars.

..Contributions through the Church of recent date: Howard Robinson, Dean Wm. G. Bellshaw, Steve Pemberton, Hazel Williamson, Ann Mischnick, Edward Fortini Mrs. Bertha Corbett, John Lucy, Marjorie Mackenzie, Ted Jordan, I. Hauck, B. Taylor, J. E. Ashbrook, K. Shepard, Leota Mackenzie, C. McCullough, Wm. Goodman, E. Newton, E. Eison, Herb Vaupel, E. Gerig, B. Fain, W. M. Greene, H. Mobley, C. Dietrich, H. R. O'Hare, J. K. Hutcherson, W. H. Gilbert, H.R. Nelson, Ed Hall, H. Kerschner, K. Wilson, J. Howard, C. Wilensky.

..Democratic Assemblyman Jesse Unruh .. wrote to the Pastor last week: "If illegal activities continue, a complete and impartial investigation of the entire situation will be undertaken by a state legislative committee to determine the facts and recommend the necessary steps to restore the orderly function of the University."

..The difference between WCBM and CBEMS.. This is found in a document which may be secured from Dr. Virgil Arrowood, 706 E. Cedar St., Lamar, Colorado 81052.

..The difference between the "Hard Core" and the Soft Policy group is found in the current CBF Information Bulletin available from the Conservative Baptist Fellowship, 2561 North Clark St., Chicago 14, Ill.

..The difference between the three seminaries associated with the CBA and Denver Seminary has been detailed in a document by Chester Hallberg, which is available from Dr. Lee B. Long, 2561 North Clark St., Chicago 14, Ill.

..BAY AREA CBA ASSOCIATION CONT'D...Business and election of officers will be at 11:45 a.m., with Dr. La Vern Schafer's message on "The Return of Christ" at 12 Noon. Cafeteria-style lunch will be served by the ladies following the message. A nursery for infants and one for the pre-school children will be maintained. We urge an excellent attendance of our people. A youth rally will be held at 7:30 p.m.

..Has the GARB changed on the RSV? We are surprised beyond measure to find that the "Baptist Bulletin" for January 1965 contains a full-page ad on p. 27 involving the promotion of the Revised Standard Version of the National Council of Churches. The GARB leadership will undoubtedly be glad to supply a statement on: 1. How this slipped by the editor, or 2. Why the GARB has changed on the RSV.

..Wide margin Scofield Bibles are now available from Fowlers Christian Book Store, 113 Main St., Hamburg, N. Y.

..This filth book is available at Southern Baptist Convention book stores according to recent SBC youth materials. The Oakland Tribune AP dispatch for Jan. 10, 1965: "The Chicago city council's committee on schools voted 8 to 3 yesterday to recommend that the council ask the city's board of education to remove a controversial novel from a list of required reading at Wright Junior College. The novel, James Baldwin's 'Another Country', deals with homosexuality and interracial sex relations."

..Dr. Marion H. Reynolds, Jr., president of American Council of Christian Churches was listed as the speaker at the Jan. 4 meeting at the Bethany Baptist Church of Covina. The pastor is Dr. Lloyd T. Anderson, president of the Conservative Baptist Foreign Mission Society. (Bethany Call, 12-30-64).

..Bringing our facts up to date.. Since we had reported that San Francisco's Temple Baptist Church was part of the Swedish Conference, we are glad to quote a letter from a church official: "Temple Baptist voted January 17, 1964 to amend their constitution, and no longer maintain fellowship with the Baptist General Conference." Magnus Berhlundis pastor. Recently the deacons voted to have a sweeping investigation of the ABC, NCC, RSV, and other questionable matters.

..Friends of Dr. Ralph Wilson will be relieved to know that he decided to decline a desirable call to another large church to remain as pastor at Salinas Calvary Baptist Church. They are in their tenth year with more conversions, baptisms, and additions than ever before.

..Former Western Seminary professors now teaching at Bethel in St. Paul: Dr. Gary Collins, Dr. Walter Wessel, and Dr. Paul Finlay.

..We regret to hear that three of the strong Northern California churches are withdrawing from the state CBA youth camping program to have their own: Santa Cruz Twin Lakes, Seaside First and Los Altos First. Others are considering joining them.

..Denver Seminary graduate Wm. M. Howrey, son-in-law to CBEMS Administrator Dr. Lester Thompson, led his First Baptist Church of Powell, Wyoming to withdraw from the Inter-Mountain Conservative Baptist Fellowship and also resigned from the Board of this group. He vigorously led the unsuccessful opposition to a resolution condemning the RSV Bible of the NCC which was passed at the recent annual meeting of the Inter-Mountain Fellowship.

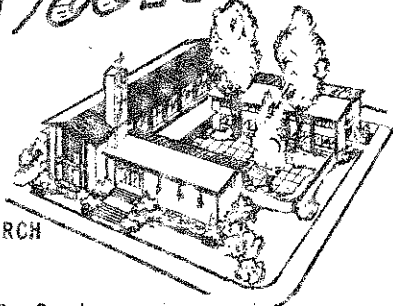
..Jorja Roxanne Jones was born on Dec to Bonnie and Bob Jones III at BJU.

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## PSR HONORS IDENTIFIED COMMUNIST WITH INVITATION TO ADDRESS PASTOR'S CONFERENCE

One of the big topics at the forthcoming Earl Lectures of the Pacific School of Religion in Berkeley February 23-25 will be "extremism". To deal with that subject PSR has invited extremist Robert Truehaft, whom HCUA described in their book "Communist Legal Subversion" (pp 68-69) as a member of the elite corps of the Communist Party. Last year they had Jessica Mitford, author of "American Way of Death" to address the pastors. This year they invite her husband. "Another evening will feature not only traditional folk songs and spirituals, but the freedom and protest songs arising out of the civil rights movement". The PSR bulletin for December 1964 states: "Robert Truehaft, a prominent attorney in the Bay Area, who has had a life-time concern with civil liberties and liberal political movements, will be one of the speakers at this Seminary. Most recently, his name has appeared in the news as attorney for the Free Speech movement at the University of California. His main theme will be 'As A Lawyer Sees Extremism', and the effect of extremism on the climate of opinion and democratic dialogue." No mention is made of his recent arrest in connection with the FSM movement riot on the UC Campus when the Communist infiltrated mob occupied the administration building for two days. Evidently this is nothing new for PSR. The HCUA booklet dated July 7, 1953, Part 6, "Communist Activities in the New York Area" states on p. 2130 about a Communist identified by Ben Gitlow under oath: "From 1943-45, he has taught as a visiting lecturer at the Pacific School of Religion in Berkeley, Calif." His name is Martin Hall.

..Does the Blu-Print make corrections? ..  
Certain pastor who want managed news have been circulating lies to the effect that the Blu-Print will not make a correction. As a responsible editor we lay down the following ground rules for any alleged error: 1. State date or number of the issue where error has been made. 2. State the error infact, with proof that it is an error. 3. State the correction. 4. Put this in writing. We are happy to correct any mistatements. We do not print lies.

..The best person to get even with is someone who has helped you.

## BISHOP PIKE HITS A BUZZ SAW IN TEXAS

When Bishop Pike stepped off the plane in Harlingen, Texas on Jan. 2 for a week's city-wide preaching mission in that city of 45,000 he had no idea that he was walking into a storm. His address before the High School student body on Jan. 5 was taped and reported extensively in the Valley Morning Star of Jan. 6, 1965 in Harlingen. The editorial of Jan. 6 scorched the Bishop: "It's one thing for a visiting preacher to sound off about the good guys in the Communist camp before his hosts - the church people - but its something else again when he gives with the same line before an audience of Harlingen High School students". Bishop Pike slapped back at the paper over a local TV program. The Valley Morning Star came out with another editorial criticizing Pike's anti-American address. On Jan. 7 a full-page ad was given over to 27 quotes from the Bishop showing him in a bad light. That morning he canceled his remaining engagements with the announcement that he had emergency matters in San Francisco. His meeting that night was picketed by a number of Baptist Bible Fellowship brethren under direction of Pastor Bill Hodges. Signs read: "Pike Doesn't Believe in Virgin Birth", "Pike is Soft on Communism". Copies of the full-page ad may be obtained free as well as copies of his High School address by writing to: R. E. Shackelford, 509 Lake Drive, Harlingen, Texas.

## AS NEW EVANGELICALISTS SEE IT

In the December "Christian Heritage" magazine Dr. Vernon C. Grounds, president of Denver Seminary, has an extensive four-page article, "The Biblical Renaissance in Roman Catholicism". His conclusion will raise eyebrows all over: "In view of this - and it is typical of the new Biblicism now emerging in country after country - no honest Protestant can any longer denounce Roman Catholicism as an enemy of the Bible, a subtle antagonist of Scripture which attempts to keep the liberating Truth from reaching the rank-and-file of the faithful. Today honesty compels protestantism to thank God that His saving Word is being studied by the laity as well as the intelligentsia of the Roman Church. Apparently a new hour has struck."

..Many people commented on the sermon by the Pastor Sunday evening dealing with cremation. The Pastor's outline: 1. The Practice of the Heathen. 2. The Pattern of Jesus' Burial. 3. The Position of God's People. 4. The Power of a Resurrection Testimony. 5. The Picture of Eternal Fire.

..A new CBA Association is planned by the Denver Seminary enthusiasts in Northern California to be known as the Central California Conservative Baptist Association. We understand that they had a constitution ready to adopt at their Jan. 7 meeting, but held off until after the Denver meetings.

..The Fred Arthur Oelschlagel Memorial will be unveiled next Sunday evening after the evening service at Singspiration in the Lower Auditorium. Gifts will still be received toward this through next Sunday. Donald Wickstrom is treasurer of the memorial.

..The World Conservative Baptist Mission celebrated its third birthday on Jan. 26, 1965, for it was three years ago that George Mensik was appointed as the first missionary in Chicago after the constitution was adopted provisionally and the organization was completed.

..Two choice youth from Fremont Calvary Baptist Church have filed application with the WCBM for service overseas for Christ. One is a graduate of WBBC and the other from Pillsbury. Both have Cal. State teacher's credentials.

..Missionary Dortha Onstott is spending January and part of February in Northern California Churches desiring to use her for church services, ladies meetings, youth rallies, luncheon groups, circle gatherings, and special speaker are asked to contact her at KELlog 6-5615; KELlog 2-1401; KELlog 4-5225.

..One of our best Christmas gifts was the big 333 page book by Dr. John Rice entitled, "742 Heart-warming Poems", available at \$5 at the Sword, Box 1099, Murfreesboro, Tenn. Most of our Christmas Eve was spent listening to the children read out of this treasure.

..Wilbur C. Granlund celebrated his 99th birthday last Saturday. Our Pastor dispatched a special delivery letter in behalf of the Church. He is not only a founder of Melrose Baptist Church 60 years ago, but came within being a charter member of our Church 75 years ago.

..Mr. Alex Lackey, former Pillsbury professor, spoke on Jan. 14 at Oakland's Hillview Baptist Church on the ministry of a Christian college, an often-neglected phase of missionary work. He and his wife brought special music. We presume he is available to speak in other churches on the same subject. His phones 657-2773; 656-5311.

..A precedent-shattering visit is the way the San Francisco Examiner reports on Roman Catholic Archbishop J. T. McGucken's appearance last Sunday evening at St. Mark's Lutheran Church in San Francisco in "Forum on the Christian Church Today". Pastor Ross F. Hidy, considered among the more spiritual and evangelistic among Lutherans, was a prominent member of the Graham evangelistic team after the 1958 Crusade.

..The College Avenue Presbyterian Church in Oakland voted 3 to 1 recently to repudiate the National Council of Churches, we understand. Unfortunately, that doesn't mean a thing, for they are still connected with it. The only way to disaffiliate from NCC, since it is composed of denominational groupings: Withdraw from the Presbyterian Church USA or have the Presbyterians withdraw from the NCC.

..Union Theological Seminary scandal.. It is time for the administration of Union to come forth with the facts about the rumors spreading throughout the country that a scandal of major proportions rocked the ecumenical movement's leading seminary that 25% of the students were found to be homosexuals, involving the faculty also.

..Prof. J. Richard Muntz at the Seminary is doing considerable work in evolution, and would make an excellent speaker on that subject before youth groups and churches.

..Goldengate professor in Catholic dialogue..The Chronicle for Jan. 16, 1965 tells about three public conversations at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Chinatown this week: "Father Frank Norris, S. S. professor of dogmatic theology and catechetics at St. Patrick's seminary, and Dr. James McLendon of Goldengate Baptist Seminary will take part in the final 'conversation'."

..For the first time a WCBM missionary addressed the San Francisco Bay Area Association of Churches last Tuesday at Fremont Calvary Baptist when Miss Dortha Onstott was introduced by Dr. Kenneth Smith, moderator. She gave her testimony which was greatly appreciated.

..It's hard to believe but true.. The Chronicle of Dec. 19, 1965: "Archbishop James Peter David of Santa Fe announced yesterday that the Santa Fe Archdiocese of the Roman Catholic Church will become a member of the New Mexico Council of Churches." This is composed of seven protestant denominations.

..Dr. Mitchell S. Seidler's "Norwood News" for January, reported on WCBM missionaries: "Garland and Uree Kincaid who will challenge us at our Watchnight service are praying for visas for New Guinea, West Irian, Indonesia. Pray much." Seidlers and Cedarholms leave on Feb. 1 for a preaching mission tour of Jamaica, Haiti and Puerto Rico.

..Latest news from Sodom..The San Francisco Examiner of Jan. 18, 1965 reports Glide Memorial Methodist Church's Rev. John V. Moore in his Sunday morning sermon on "Church Community and Homosexuality". He called for a change in homosexual laws "to delete references to sexual relations between competent and consenting adults in private." He was reported: "The role of the church and the community, he said, should be to accept such persons."

..Pastor Bruce Parker will host Dr. Billy James Hargis on Thursday, Jan. 28, 7:30 PM at Grace Baptist Church, 1347 Locust, Walnut Creek, in an "Operation-America, Awake" rally.

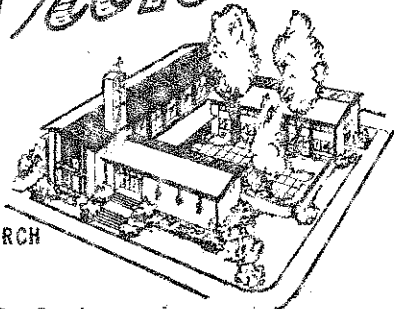
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## THE LECTURER ON "EXTREMISM" AT PACIFIC SCHOOL OF RELIGION'S PASTORAL CONFERENCE

The PSR "Bulletin" for December has the picture on page five of Attorney Robert Treuhaft, prominent Oakland attorney, who is scheduled to speak at the Earl Lectures Pastoral Conference of PSR at the First Congregational Church sometime on Feb. 23-25 on "As a Lawyer Sees Extremism". Available from the US Gov't. Printing Office in Washington is House Report No. 41, dated Feb. 16, 1959 entitled "Communist Legal Subversion" which states on p. 68, "Robert Treuhaft was identified as a member of the Communist Party in sworn testimony before the Committee on Un-American Activities on Dec. 2, 1953, by Dickson P. Hill and on Dec. 3, 1953, by Charles D. Blodgett. He was again identified in June 1957 by Dr. Jack Patten. Mr. Treuhaft appeared as a witness before this committee in 1953 and refused to answer questions concerning his Communist Party membership, basing his refusal on the protection of the fifth amendment. Mr. Treuhaft has as his law partner another identified Communist, Bertram Edises, whose record appears earlier in this report."

..Wheaton and the Ecumenical Movement .. The Wheaton College "Record" for Jan. 14, 1965, states in the big front page story: "Catholic students will participate in a discussion on the recent ecumenical council in a session planned by the campus National Student Association in upper MSC tonight at 7:15. According to Tim Will, NSA interchange co-chairman, schools besides Wheaton participating in this discussion will be Rosary College, a Catholic girls' school in River Forest; Maryknoll Seminary, a Catholic school for priests in Glen Ellyn, and North Park College, Evangelical Covenant School in Oak Park."

..Mass at Protestant altar..The S. F. Chronicle (1-20-65, p. 14) reported: "A rare religious event, the celebration of a Roman Catholic Mass at a Protestant altar, will highlight the 'Week of Prayer for Christian Unity', at the Pacific School of Religion, 1798 Scenic Avenue, Berkeley tomorrow." A Protestant communion service concluded the week on Friday.

..First 5 Training Leagues last Sunday : 1. High School, 2. Adults, 3. Young Adults, 4. Junior, 5. Homebuilders.

## INFORMATION ON PSR PASTORAL CONFERENCE

..Bishop Gerald H. Kennedy, Methodist leader of Los Angeles, is perhaps the outstanding member of the PSR Board of Trustees, which assumes responsibility for the operation of this Seminary. Bishop Kennedy, as a trustee of University of the Pacific, refused to block the lectures at UOP on Nov. 27-28, 1961 of Dr. Joseph Fletcher, identified under HCUA oath by Herbert Philbrick on July 6, 1953 as a member of the same Communist cell in Boston as he. Bishop Kennedy, who had a leading article in Billy Graham's "Decision" magazine in Feb. 1964, may be reached at his office: 5250 Santa Monica Blvd., Los Angeles 29, Calif.

..Lowell W. Berry, former president of the Northern California Council of Churches, is also a leading member of the PSR Board of Trustees, and must assume responsibility for the Pastoral Conference. He was pictured recently in "Decision" magazine in connection with his program of giving scholarships to seminary students to attend Graham's crusades. His address: 5401 Broadway Terrace, Oakland, California.

..Dr. Stuart Leroy Anderson, president of Pacific School of Religion, is listed as a member of the National Council for Civic Responsibility, which was founded to crack down on anti-communist groups operating among the churches.

..The subject is Extremism at the Pastor's Conference, by Attorney Treuhaft. Communist Gus Hall is quoted in the Worker of Nov. 1, 1964: "The Communist Party does not represent an extreme viewpoint. We are not extremists. If we are to be labeled, we are the Responsible Left. We are the revolutionary sector of such responsible forces. We are part of the democratic sweep in American political life. We fight for and join forces with those who defend our democratic institutions. We are Communists of the United States, are Americans who are convinced that socialism and Communism are the answer for the basic problems now developing from capitalism."

..A new evaluation of Christianity was demanded recently by the Kommunist, an official Soviet magazine, according to the Chronicle of Jan. 18, 1965. (p. 2)

## LOCAL CHURCH DEVELOPMENTS

..Kind remarks from a veteran..Dr. R. S. Beal of the great Tucson First Baptist wrote on Jan. 18: "Thank you for your fine expose of the Mormon cult concepts as appearing in the current issue of the Sword of the Lord...it was refreshing to read your article. I am sure it will be a blessing to many as it was to me ... Thanks again for taking time to expose so clearly this blighting system."

..Read the Bible through..Gen. 33 - 48; Matt. 15 - 21.

Musical Rally of the Leagues Sun. P.M.  
This Lord's Day we expect to present the largest number of young musical talent we have ever had at a League at 6 p.m. this coming Lord's Day, Jan. 31. The Pastor will be in charge. What a pleasant time we can have in the Lord's house this Sunday evening.

..The World Conservative Baptist Mission meeting in Chicago on Jan. 12 appointed two more veteran missionaries, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Hagen of Brainerd, Minnesota to continue work in Northern Hokkaido in Japan. They expect to sail about the middle of August. They already speak Japanese.

..The progress of the WCBM is steady, with 15 missionaries under appointment; two candidates pending, and several candidates anticipated soon. Four new fields appear to be opening, for which missionaries will be required. Last June the WCBM board prayed for ten new missionaries this year. Already seven have been appointed.

.."Blueprint for Church Order" is the title of the latest adult book from Baptist Publications, 1732 Welton, Denver 2, Colo. It has 13 lessons covering I Corinthians. It sells for \$1. Bob Mosier is to be congratulated on this splendid production, by Gerald L. Stover.

Roger R. Austin, son of Dr. and Mrs. Roy H. Austin of Calvary Baptist Church of San Francisco will take to himself a bride this Friday, Jan. 29 at 8 PM at Calvary Baptist Church. Roger is now a member of the Daly City Police Force. Roger is a graduate of Pillsbury Baptist College.

..Women's Mission Society monthly meeting Tuesday, Feb. 2 at 7:30 p.m. Lower Auditorium. Planned pot-luck supper. The men are invited. Pastor Herbert Hoover of Castlemont is the speaker. Music by Miss Candy Nunn of WBBC.

..The hospital front..Mrs. Mabel Harper - Peralta; Mrs. Jenny Carter - Moffatt, SF; S. M. Garrett - Fairmont; Mrs. Dean Alender - Highland; Mrs. Goldie Jordan soon to Merritt; Mrs. Harold Rollins - Doctors, S. L.

..Missionary Dortha Onstott is having a busy schedule this week, Jan. 24-29. Sunday - Sacramento and Yuba City areas; Mon. - Yuba City; Tues. - Chico; Wed. - Central Valley; Thurs. - Redding; Fri. - Adin; Sun - EL Sobrante and Danville. Those wishing to use her may phone: KE 6-5615; KE 2-1401; KE 4-5225. 32 churches in Northern California have already scheduled her. A few dates are still available.

Missionary Floyd McElveen, veteran missionary to Alaska will be speaking in our pulpit next Sunday evening.

## INTERCHURCH NEWS FOR CONSERVATIVES

..Bishop Pike makes big news..The Christian Beacon for Jan. 21, 1965 has seven pages devoted to Bishop Pike's troubles in Harlingen, Texas, the first week in January, and which was reported in the Blu-Print of last week. Copies of the Beacon are 10¢ each. Address: Box 36, Collingswood 7, N. J.

..The Conservative Baptist Ass'n. board meeting in Chicago last week voted to reaffirm the Portland Manifesto, which was rejected in Atlantic City. They also voted to appoint a "Reconciliation Committee" to meet with the newly formed "Committee of 21" who are studying the formation of a new national association. We hope this is a genuine movement to reach understanding and not an ecclesiastical farce that the previous "Reconciliation Committee" was, whose report in Atlantic City was totally ignored.

..The Wheaton's semi-weekly "Broadcaster" for Jan. 11, 1965 had this announcement: "Existentialism paper by Kip Landon will be read at Phi Sigma Tau philosophy honor society TONIGHT. Guests from Mary Knoll Seminary are invited."

..Dr. J. Lester Harnish, president of the American Baptist Convention was honored at an inter-faith "Presidential Rally" at the Tacoma First Baptist Church where Lynn E. Hodges is pastor. Among the speakers was Rev. Thomas J. Pitsch of St. Patrick's Roman Catholic church.

..Watch the devil squirm on Feb. 1-5 when Dr. Fred C. Schwarz holds the "Berkeley School of Anti-Communism", at Berkeley House, 920 University Ave., Berkeley, California YU 1-1893. We predict a near-riot as the Communists amass their strength. It has been reported that the Communist Party now controls both the City Council and Board of Education in Berkeley.

..Billy preaches the gospel to LBJ.. The Examiner of Jan. 21, 1965 reported Inaugural: "The President began the day by attending a special inter-faith prayer service at the National City Christian Church. Johnson's head was bowed during prayers by Catholic, Jewish and Protestant clergymen at the service ... 'So it is', Dr. Graham added. 'From this city you are already leading the nation to new heights of social justice and economic prosperity. You have also the opportunity to lead the nation to its greatest moral and spiritual heights.'"

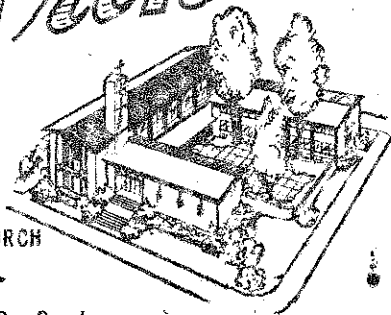
..The Denver Graham Crusade, scheduled for Aug. 27-Sept. 5, elected a noted Lutheran liberal as general crusade chm. - Dr. H. A. Noren, pastor of Augustana Lutheran Church. Dr. Elroy Shickles of the liberal First Baptist is vice-chairman.

..A NEW EVALUATION CONT'D.. "A movement or an activity cannot be classified as 'counter-revolutionary' simply because it appears among Christians". It stated that there are "movements of the mass, in spite of their religious appearance, are profoundly progressive ... The absence of the revolutionary role from religious ideology is no argument against close collaboration of Communists and believers in a common fight for progress and humanity". This close collaboration is now under way in Berkeley's PSR.

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## CBA OF A BOARD BEGINS PAINFUL SELF-EXAMINATION OF ITS DETERIORATED POSITION

Because of the lamentable policies of certain leaders favorable to the New Evangelicalism, the Conservative Baptist Association now finds it necessary to re-examine its own condition. They took time at the recent board meetings to evaluate some of the things happening to the CBA of A in the past three years: Growing centralization and conventionism, lost energy for church evangelism and church-planting, softness toward a-millennialism, growing scorn for pretribulationism, growing antagonism toward dispensationalism, the paralysis of a divided CBA board, loss of CBA autonomy to the mission boards, election of board members who oppose the CBA, clouded position of CBA before its constituency, contempt for the documents which have shaped the CBA from the start. We are now paying heavily for the election of opportunistic leaders who did not share the basic ideology and philosophy of the CBA when it was founded. The CBA of A is now being championed by men who have tried to destroy it through the years and cut off its support.

## LOCAL SOUTHERN BAPTIST SEMINARY DENIES THAT THE BIBLE IS THE REVELATION OF GOD

In "The California Southern Baptist" for Jan. 21, 1965, an article appears by Fred L. Fisher, professor of New Testament, at the Golden Gate Baptist Theological Seminary of Mill Valley, California. He states: "In the Bible we find a record of that revelation which preserves it for all time. The Bible is not a revelation of God; it is a record of that revelation. To say this, is not to belittle the Bible; it is only to recognize it for what it is." This is straight-line neo-orthodoxy, one of the most deceptive systems of human thought ever to curse the realm of religion. He states: "The usefulness and authority of the Bible depends on whether God uses it in our experience . . . This means that the Bible is a means to an end, not an end in itself . . . The Bible expresses God's authority, but God is the authority and it is authoratative only when God actually speaks to us through it." We utterly reject this unbelief. The Bible cannot be separated from God's Word, and it is the authoratative Word of God at (p. 2)

## FUNDAMENTALIST WITHDRAWS FROM ECUMENICAL EXPERIMENT WITH CATHOLIC PRIESTS

Separatist Baptists across America will be interested in the reasons for entering an extensive ecumenical dialogue, which a fundamentalist in New York state terminated the day following the highlighting of the experiment in the local press. Rev. George A. Carapelle is a trustee of Baptist Bible Seminary and president of the Alumni Association. The Binghamton Press for Jan. 12, 1965 reports: "A little bit of history was made last night in the cafeteria of a Roman Catholic school on Binghamton's South Side . . . It also reflected the ecumenical spirit that is growing among Catholic and Protestant clergymen of the South Side's seven churches . . . The pastors and assistants at the South Side churches have held luncheon meetings every six weeks since last May to discuss common problems and to get better acquainted . . . In addition to Mr. Kellerman, the pastors who have been attending the luncheons are: The Rev. Robert P. Driscoll, St. John's (Catholic); Rev. George M. Hurley, St. Andrew's Catholic Church; Rev. George A. Carapelle, Park Avenue Baptist Church." Pastor Carapelle's picture appeared at the top of the page along with three other priests and other protestant ministers. . . The Archbishop of Canterbury who conducted Churchill's funeral, Dr. Arthur Michael Ramsey will be Bishop Pike's house guest on Feb. 24 and speak at Grace Cathedral that night. Ramsey is quoted in the London Daily Mail (10-2-61) - "Heaven is also not a place to which we humans go in our present bodily state, nor is it a place for Christians only. Those who have led a good life on earth but found themselves unable to believe in God will not be debarred from heaven. I expect to meet some present-day atheists there." Dr. Ramsey will probably meet some atheists in eternity, but not in heaven since he scoffs at the blood by which lost sinners are made acceptable. . . Dr. Neils F.S. Ferre's address of Nov. 4, 1964 at the Annual Convocation of the School of Religion of Howard University, Washington, D. C. on the subject: "The Future: Christian Communism", is available soon from the University in their "Journal of Religious Thought". . . Travel the road He points out to you!

## LOCAL CHURCH DEVELOPMENTS

..Sunday School superintendent's meeting, Friday, Feb. 12, 7:30 p.m. at the home of the Pastor, 70 Crestmont Drive, one block off Skyline Boulevard.

..Read the Bible through..Gen. 49 - Ex. 14; Matt. 22 - 28.

..Recent additions to the Church Choir, according to Director Dave Morrison: Ruth Duckett, Cheri Black, Juanita Krauss, Joe Barnes, Norman Reece, Al Frank, Shirley Brown, Joel Crosby, Ronald Prang.

..The Berkeley School of anti-communism is being held this week, Mon. thru Fri., at Berkeley House, 920 University Avenue, Berkeley. Sessions: 8:30 a.m.; 1:30 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. Evening sessions free. FBI Counterspy Herb Philbrick moderator; Dr. Fred C. Schwarz, director. This is like holding an anti-gambling crusade in Las Vegas.

..Contributions through the Church: Finis Lyles, Bertha Corbett, John L. Lucy, J. Underwood, J. Suite, R. Schermerhorn, E. Quaintance, A. Paashaus, Herbert Philbrick, Wesley Potter, D. McCunn, J. Young, J. K. Hutcherson, W. Tumlinson, A. Coats, E. Fortini, F. Bartlett, Howard Rainey, S. Craddock.

..The basketball team wins a victory, defeating Dublin First Baptist 41-28, a rough team. Scoring: Steve Hallert 5; Roger Lee 6; Rod Bellis 2; Walter Fisher 14; Jim Rodrigues 14. Other supporters - Don Wickstrom and Larry Fisher. Next game Tuesday, Feb. 2, 9:15 p.m. at Roosevelt High against the First Spanish Baptist Church.

..WCBM missionaries coming to Northern California. Mr. and Mrs. Peter Slobodan, missionaries to the Slavic peoples of US, will be in the area March 7 thru April 7. Mr. and Mrs. Larry Hagen will be here April 4 thru May 5. Churches desiring them should contact Dr. Lee B. Long, 2561 North Clark St., Chicago 14, Illinois.

..A missionary orientation seminar will be conducted by WCBM leaders at Pillsbury College, May 10-12, designed as a briefing time for each missionary candidate, including wives.

..Missionary Wednesday evening for the entire Church next Wednesday at 7 p.m., Feb. 10, when Missionary Director Loren Eastman of the State CBA office will speak to our Church. On Feb. 14, we will have the pleasure of hearing Dr. Lee B. Long, WCBM leader in Chicago, at 11 a.m. At 7 p.m. the same day, Miss Dortha Onstott, a choice missionary to Uruguay, under WCBM.

..A warm-hearted letter comes from Dr. Wm. F. Kerr of Buffalo, N. Y., in which he writes about the Blu-Print: "I still appreciate receiving it. I have profited from much of the information which has been conveyed in the Blu-Print so if you do not mind, I would appreciate receiving it."

..SOUTHERN BAPTIST SEMINARY CONT'D.. all times and in all places whether we experience it or not. Copies of the issue may be ordered from Box 1231, 1405 Broadway, Fresno, California.

## INTERCHURCH NEWS FOR CONSERVATIVES

..Herbert A. Philbrick, TV star of the series "I Led Three Lives", writes: "Just another note to congratulate you for the continuing good work done through the news material in "The Blu-Print". I feel that it is most important for Christians to know of the cruel, evil and devious elements so clearly foretold (Acts 20: 28-30). I enclose a small contribution to aid your efforts ... Again - many thanks."

Reprints are available free..The outstanding editorial in the San Francisco Examiner for Jan. 18, 1965 entitled, "The Appalling Erosions of Moral Standards, may be had in quantity simply by writing to Publisher Charles L. Gould, The Examiner, 3rd and Market, San Francisco. The Pastor ordered 600 for distribution in the Church.

..Joint Presbyterian-Catholic worship .. The Dubuque Telegraph, Jan. 17, 1965 has an AP dispatch from Clinton Iowa: "Common worship will be held in the First United Presbyterian Church, Msgr. Ambrose J. Burke of St. Mary's Catholic Church will deliver the sermon. The next Sunday joint services will be held at St. Mary's Catholic Church. Dr. Richard Dempsey, pastor of the Presbyterian Church will give the sermon."

..A professor from a liberal seminary .. The "Bethel Focus" for Jan.-Feb., 1965: "The annual spring seminary lectures to be held Feb. 10-12, will feature Dr. Charles Whiston, professor of systematic theology at the Church Divinity School of the Pacific, Berkeley, Calif., and a director of the Lily Foundation." Bishop Pike is the dominating figure on CDSF's Board of Directors.

..Before Stanford law students forum .. The San Jose News Mercury, Jan. 19, 1965: "It's time for California to adopt 'humane' laws governing abortion and homosexuality, the Rt. Rev. James A. Pike, Episcopal Bishop of California, said Friday ... Homosexual acts between adults in private should not constitute a criminal offense, he said. 'The branch of my church in England has endorsed such a change' in the law, he noted."

..Spring thaw comes early to Denver..Hold your hat! The Exhibits Committee of the forthcoming national CBA meetings in Denver in May have invited the Conservative Baptist Fellowship to have space. This is the right and proper attitude. The belligerence of the Denver Seminary -soft policy crowd toward the CBF, WCBM and other groups is one of the most regrettable and indefensible developments of CBA history.

..Pastor James Nelson preached his last sermon on Jan. 25 at Denver's Trinity Baptist Church, considered by some as the "Seminary Church", to return to Santa Barbara.

..Five questions asked by newcomers when looking for a church, according to survey by Prof. Wm. Mathew, Penn State College: 1. Who is the minister and what's he like? How good is the Sunday School? Is the church conveniently located? What is its denomination and its theology? How good is the music? Moody Monthly, 8-55.

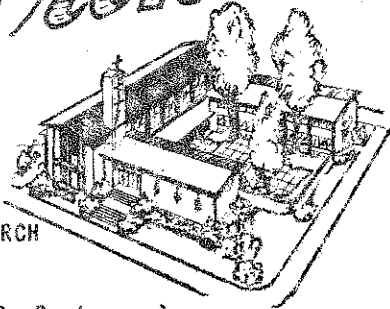


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## GRAND SERVICES NEXT LORD'S DAY WITH GUEST SPEAKERS EMPHASIZING MISSIONS

11 AM - DR. LEE B. LONG of Chicago, mission secretary of the world Conservative Baptist Mission, a new mission society free from the compromises of New Evangelicalism.

7 PM - MISS DORTHA ONSTOTT, missionary appointee to Uruguay in South America. Holds degrees of BA and MRE from Ft. Wayne Bible College and Western Baptist Seminary. Daughter of CBA pastor in Butte, Montana. - The Pastor will preside -

### EXTREMISM AT BAPTIST DIVINITY SCHOOL

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The paper "Baptist Freedom" of January 1965 published by the notoriously left-wing, liberal organization of the American Baptist Convention known as the Roger Williams Fellowship, has some interesting information on "extremism". "ANNUAL DINNER - San Francisco, Wednesday, May 9, with President Robert Arnott and faculty members from Berkeley Divinity School presenting an exciting program of discussion on 'The Theological Implications of Extremism in America'." Another lecture on "extremism" is being given at the Earl Lectures of the Pacific School of Religion at the First Congregational Church in Berkeley on Feb. 23-25 by the identified Communist lawyer Robert Treuhaft, on the subject: "As A Lawyer Sees Extremism". Robert Treuhaft's case history as an identified Communist appears on p. 26 of the HCUA book "Communist Legal Subversion". This is available at the U. S. Government Printing Office, Washington, DC. Listed on the same PSR program with Treuhaft is BBDS professor Dr. Ervin Y. P. Simpson. Anyone who has been wondering about the direction of Berkeley Divinity School might be able to make some evaluations with this information. We predict that Gus Hall's extremism will not be criticized. In the Communist "Worker" for Nov. 1, 1964, US Red leader Gus Hall is quoted: "The Communist Party does not represent an extreme viewpoint. We are not extremists. If we are to be labeled, we are the Responsible Left. We are the revolutionary sector of such responsible forces. We are part of the democratic sweep of American political life. We fight for and join forces with those who defend our democratic traditions. We are Communists of the United States, are Americans who are convinced that socialism and communism are the answer for the basic problems now developing from capitalism."

### WISE WORDS ON THE PRACTICE OF SEPARATION

Dr. Chester E. Tulga authored one of the best booklets available on the subject "The Doctrine of Separation in These Times", published by the CBA office, Box 265, Arlington Heights, Ill. This was written before Dr. Tulga felt led to separate from the CBA, identify himself with the American Council of Christian churches as a speaker, and remove his letter from a CBA church to a GARB church. On p. 61 he states: "Separatists must maintain the unity of true believers, but they are under no scriptural compulsions to follow true believers into compromising situations. One may love an erring brother while declining to be a party to his errors . . . It has been said that 'separation is separating evangelicals'. What kind of evangelicals? Is separation separating compromising evangelicals from uncompromising evangelicals? IT SHOULD. Is separation separating evangelicals who want to collaborate with the destroyers of the Christian faith, from those who refuse such unholy alliances? IT SHOULD. If this is what is implied by this pious but misleading slogan, then such evangelicals should be separated so that the true soldiers may be distinguished from the collaborator with the enemy. Why the objection to distinguishing evangelicals who fellowship and support modernism and evangelicals which refuse such fellowship and support? It is true that separation is separating evangelicals, because many evangelicals will not abandon those compromises which true evangelicals cannot embrace. It is not a new thing in church history for evangelicals to be divided into two groups: the one contending earnestly for the faith and the other willing to accept harmful compromises."

State CBA annual meeting, Niles First Baptist, March 8, 9. Dr. William W. Orr is main speaker.

## LOCAL CHURCH DEVELOPMENTS

..Sunday School Superintendent's Council, composed of supts. of all ten depts., will meet this coming Friday, Feb. 12 at the home of the Pastor and Mrs. Weniger, 70 Crestmont Drive, near Skyline Drive.

..Read the Bible through. Ex. 15-30; Mark 1-7.

..New shrubs at front of the Church .. Slender Italian cypress trees have replaced the two large trees, which in turn were transplanted, one at the corner of the Chapel, the other at the other end of the Church in a high planter box. We are indebted to Mr. and Mrs. C. Leroy Knotts, 2800 No. Atlantic Ave., Daytona Beach, Fla.

..Financial matters of interest.. Floyd McElveen offering last Sunday - \$87.80 ; WMS Love Offering for Pillsbury College - \$112. Blu-Print income from friends beyond the Church - \$117.

..Contributions through the Church.. Dean W. G. Bellshaw, E. A. Fortini, Howard Rainey, R.W. Bellis, Bernice L. Lee, M. Faulkes, J. Bliss, W. Hayes, T. Sjoberg, Rev. Edwards, A. Stiles, Howard Robinson, J. Bliss, H. Cedarholm.

..Miss Dortha Onstott is being invited by the Board of Christian Education to direct the Daily Vacation Bible School, which is set for June 14-25. Mrs. Ozellah Buckingham is appointed as Ass't. Director. It is hoped that all departmental supts. will be selected within a week. Miss Onstott is considering other DVBS invitations for Northern California. It will be grand to have a missionary conduct this.

..Our Church sympathy is extended to little Anna Mea Smith, age 10, a lovely Christian girl, who lost her father and brother last Wednesday when they were overcome with gas fumes in their Alameda home, 716 Central, Alameda, Calif. The Pastor conducted services this Monday at Grant Millers Chapel, with burial in Golden Gate Cemetary at San Bruno.

Missionary Director Loren Eastman from the State CBA office will be speaking in our Church for the first time since becoming our state leader, on Wednesday at 7 p.m., Feb. 10. Let's give him a warm and enthusiastic hearing. An offering for missions will be received.

..The Pastor's secretary, Marjorie Mackenzie, has indicated her desire to return to Toronto, after five years of faithful service. Her relationship will terminate Apr. 15. We hope we are able to make a replacement in the next couple of months. Let us pray earnestly about this. We are thankful to God for devoted service of one who has meant much to the Church.

..Bay Area S.S. Association, Feb. 11-13, Thurs. thru Sat., at Melrose Baptist Church. Leaders: Arvid Carlson, San Jose First Covenant; Charles E. Blair, Pentecostal Church in Denver; Dr. Gaines S. Dobbins of the Southern Baptist Seminary in Mill Valley.

..Snow trip to Dodge Ridge, Feb. 22, \$2 per person. Meet at the Church at 5 a.m. Bring sandwiches, fruit, drinks and snowboots. College and High School youth.

..Decisions last Lord's Day.. Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Stephens came forward by Letter from Hamilton Square Baptist Church. Mrs. Eleanor Moody for rededication and John Woodward to confess his Faith.

## INTERCHURCH NEWS FOR CONSERVATIVES

..Dr. George W. Dollar, distinguished professor of Church History at Dallas Theological Seminary will be the main speaker for the pre-convention Bible Conference of the Conservative Baptist Fellowship, May 28-31 at the Beth Eden Baptist Church in Denver. Dr. Dollar has been a lecturer at both San Francisco and Central Baptist Seminary in Minneapolis.

Bay Area CBA Minister's Fellowship .. will meet on Lincoln's Birthday, Friday, Feb. 12 at 12:15 Noon at the beautiful Lake Merritt dining room, 1800 Madison in Oakland. The speaker, according to President Eugene J. Peterson, is Dr. Lee B. Long of Chicago.

..Dr. Vance Webster is acting president of Western Baptist Seminary in Portland, according to our information, spending two days at the Seminary from his busy pastorate at Eugene First Baptist Church. Dr. Albert G. Johnson recently relinquished his duties as president which he has held for the past ten years. Dr. Webster is Western vice-president of CBA of A.

..The Baptist Bible Tribune of Springfield, Mo. (Box 106) is planning to highlight the absolutely unbelievable news of the formation in San Francisco by six Protestant ministers of "The Council on Religion and the Homosexual". This is an excellent paper produced by the Baptist Bible Fellowship. Dr. Noel Smith is the able editor.

..A new Southern Baptist Seminary has been started in Denver, according to the Denver Post for Jan. 30, 1965: "Registration for the new semester of the Denver Southern Baptist Seminary will be at 7 PM Monday in the Fellowship Hall of the Riverside Baptist Church ... The seminary extension is sponsored jointly by five Southern Baptist seminaries and is directed by the Seminary Extension Center at Nashville, Tenn."

..Two Conservative Baptists are honored (Jan. 31) by the American Baptist Convention Rocky Mountain Baptist Association in their 100th annual meeting at Harvey Park Baptist Church, according to the Denver Post of Jan. 30, 1965. "At 4:15 a recognition service will honor 12 retired Baptist ministers and missionaries. They are the Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Earl E. Brock, the Rev. Dr. Raymond B. Buker ... the Rev. Clifton McGlothlan." Others honored include modernists Dr. Erdmann Smith and Dr. Henry G. Smith. We hope this Dr. Buker is not the Dr. Buker of Denver Seminary.

..Our sympathy goes out to the family of Rev. George Meyer, who passed away recently in Monterey with funeral largely private. We regret no opportunity of expressing our affection and esteem for our friend who had been President of the CBA of Northern California.

..Pastor and Mrs. William F. Hunter of Alameda Calvary Baptist were recently appointed as missionaries under CBFMS, with their work to terminate Feb. 21.

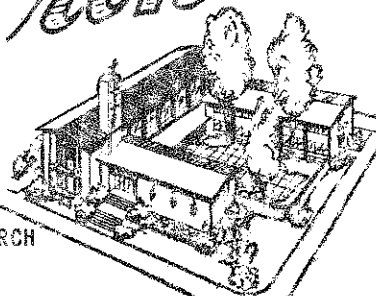
..I have no trouble believing in the deity of Jesus because no one but God could do for me what Jesus has done."

..I know there's a God. With the hand of prayer, I knocked at His door; and He opened it. ... P.M. Chapel Services

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METHODIST UNIVERSITY ENTERTAINS IDENTIFIED COMMUNIST WHO WAS REFUSED ANOTHER PLATFORM

Stockton is torn up over a recent cancellation of an engagement at Stockton Junior College by the noted identified Communist author Jessica Mitford, wife of prominent Oakland attorney, Robert Treuhaft who is also an identified Communist. The Chronicle of Feb. 11, 1965 stated that the California Teacher's Association has secured the auspices of the University of the Pacific, famous Methodist institution under Bishop Donald Tippett's jurisdiction. "The CTA and the Anderson YMCA Center at the University of Pacific in Stockton agreed to sponsor her talk." This is nothing new for UOP who have had Dr. Joseph Fletcher, Jack, McMichael, William Mandell and other identified Communists speak on campus. Jessica Mitford's husband is the center of another storm on another Methodist-approved campus as a result of the scheduling of Robert Treuhaft to speak on "Extremism" at the Pacific School of Religion's Earl Lectures Feb. 23-25 next week. The lecture will take place at the First Congregational Church of which Dr. Browne Barr is pastor. Bishop Gerald Kennedy is probably the most famous trustee of both institutions (PSR and UOP). It might be interesting to get Bishop Kennedy's defense for having Communist speakers on Methodist grounds. His office: 5250 Santa Monica Blvd., Los Angeles 29, Calif. Academic freedom is one thing, but academic treason is another.

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WESLEY AND THE INSPIRATION OF THE BIBLE

John Wesley wrote: "I beg leave to propose a short, clear and strong argument to prove the Divine inspiration of the Holy Scriptures. The Bible must be the invention either of good men or angels, bad men or devils, or of God. 1. It could not be the invention of good men or angels, for they neither would nor could make a book and tell lies all the time they were writing it, saying, 'Thus saith the Lord', when it was their own invention. 2. It could not be the invention of bad men or devils, for they could not make a book which commands all duty, forbids all sins, and condemns their own souls to hell for all eternity. 3. Therefore, draw the conclusion that the Bible must be given by Divine inspiration."

..Circuit Riders, Inc. received notice from the Internal Revenue Bureau of the federal government indicating that they no longer consider them as educational and therefore not eligible for tax deductibility. But why just the anti-communist groups? How about the Presbyterian Church, Episcopal, National Council of Churches, etc.? Let's start screaming so that LBJ and his crowd in Washington will be fair and impartial with the people.

..Dr. Harland Hogue, professor of Homiletics, spoke at a conference at Berkeley Baptist Divinity School of the American Baptist Convention on Jan. 30, 1965, according to the BBDS bulletin for Jan. Speaking over Berkeley Radio KRE on Feb. 25, 1960 from the First Congrega-

YOUTH SNOW TRIP TO HIGH SIERRA MONDAY

The Youth Snow Trip will be held next Monday, Feb. 22 at Dodge Ridge, about 150 miles east of Oakland in the heart of the Sierra Nevada Mountains. The Church Bus will be driven by Dave Morrison with several additional vehicles required. Price is \$2 per person. Meet at the Church at 5 a.m. Bring toboggans, snow boots, skis. Those who have not made reservations should call Dave Morrison at 532-7837. No cars are allowed to make the trip without chains. Youth are asked to bring their lunches. Each one is cautioned to be careful, especially on toboggans, since legs have been broken before. All young people are to remember they bear the name of Christ and therefore Christian conduct should characterize everyone. No necking, smoking, dancing, profanity, or disorderly conduct is allowed on any function sponsored by this Church.

BERKELEY CHURCH TO BE PICKETED NEXT WEEK

Dr. Browne Barr, pastor at First Congregational Church in Berkeley, will find himself at the center of a controversy next week which may prove to be somewhat embarrassing, as a result of the scheduling of an identified Communist lawyer, Robert Treuhaft at his church in connection with the Earl Lectures of the Pacific School of Religion. Dr. Barr is a member of the faculty at PSR. We have heard reports that the church is likely to be picketed. Mr. Treuhaft is to speak on "As A Lawyer Sees Extremism". (p. 2)

..New fields of missionary endeavor have opened to the World Conservative Baptist Mission, according to Dr. Lee B. Long: France, Israel, Mexico, Philippines, Nigeria, and Japan. This is in addition to fields now held: Argentina, Uruguay, Slavic peoples in US, Prisons. Frumdam - mental Baptists of good will should rejoice everywhere that a new thrust is being made for the Great Commission.

..Read the Bible through..Ex. 31-Lev. 6 ; Mark 8-14.

..Brother Cy Fuller was injured when crossing Foothill Blvd. after Sunday services at about 9:30 p.m. He was struck by a car, leaving him with two broken bones in lower right leg. He is recovering in Herrick Hospital in Berkeley. He is the father of Dr. W. R. Fuller, Ass't. Dean of College of Science of Purdue, who has been studying in Berkeley for this year and who has brought his family to Church regularly for these months.

..Contributions through the Church.. Mark Bassir, Mr. and Mrs. Edward A. Fortini, T. McGraw, E. Britton, E. Greenwood, A. E. Stites, Ted McDaniel.

..DVBS Supts. met on Sunday evening with Miss Dortha Onstott to plan the Vacation Bible School, June 14-25. They are planning to meet this Tuesday evening to examine materials for the school. It will be thrilling to have a missionary lead our DVBS this year.

..Mrs. Ozellah Buckingham, assis. director of the DVBS, announced the following superintendents for DVBS departments of instruction: Jr. High - Dean Clark; Junior - Mrs. Nelly Lyles; Primary - Mrs. Dean Clark; Beginner - Mrs. Sally Sue McPherson; Nursery II - Mrs. Juanita Robinson; Nursery I - Miss Gertie Sinz. Registrar - Mrs. Buckingham.

..Our basketball team plays Castro Valley Baptist on Feb. 16, 6:45 p.m. at Sunset High; Manor Baptist of San Leandro on Feb. 23 at 6:45 p.m. at Sunset High; Concord Tabernacle Baptist on Mar. 2 at 9:15 p.m. at Roosevelt Jr. High, Oakland. They have won four and lost two. We are going to give Coach Walter Fisher a substantial raise in pay if he comes through with a contender this year!

..Foothill Blvd. defeated Huntwood on Feb. 9 with the following scoring: Walter Fisher - 15; Dave Morrison - 10; Dick Fuller - 7; Jim Rodriques - 6; Roger Lee - 5; Steve Hallert - 3; Don Wickstrom - 2. On Feb. 2, Foothill defeated First Spanish Baptist of Oakland.

THE PASTOR'S SUNDAY SERMON SUBJECTS

11 a.m. - "The Ideal Church Member"

Soloist: Miss Barbara Rollins

7 p.m. - "God's Final Call"

The Church Choir - Morrison Duet  
Soprano Soloist - Miss Cheri Black

9:45 a.m. - Ten Sunday School Depts.

6:00 p.m. - Eight Training Leagues

..DR. HOGUE CONT'D..tional Church as a part of the Earl Lectures of Pacific School of Religion, he defined sin this way: "Sin is the worship of the Bible itself; it is the worship of Jesus Himself (for there is a large cult of Jesus-olotry) in place of the one true God."

..The Bay Area CBA Minister's Fellowship elected officers at the meeting Thursday, with Dr. Eugene J. Petersen as president, and Pastor Keith Hammond of Bayshore Baptist as vice-president and secretary. Dr. Lee B. Long, administrator of the World Conservative Baptist Mission in Chicago, brought a message from the Word on "Spiritual Maturity" at the meeting held at the Lake Merritt Hotel in Oakland.

..Dr. Allan N. Williams begins his ministry next Lord's Day at the Grace Baptist Church, 2041 Palo Verde Ave., Long Beach, Calif., following his resignation from the First Baptist Church of Compton. His home address continues for the present at 12819 South Frailey Ave., Compton.

..A 72-year-old Episcopal priest in Phoenix has criticized Bishop Pike for changing slogans from "Ban the Bomb" to "Plug the Pill". Pike is one of the world's leading exponents of birth control. The Chronicle of Feb. 3, 1965: "The Rev. Brunton uses poetry as his form of criticism, his latest effort ending this way: 'O Bishop Pike, we'd be relieved, And give our thanks with heart and soul, If on the night you were conceived, Your folks had known of birth control'."

..Trends toward conventionism in the Southern California CBA is seen in the new constitutional amendment being suggested for their state meeting Mar. 4, 5 at Montebello First Baptist. Concerning the General Director: "The General Director shall serve on the Board of Directors and the executive committee with voting privilege. He shall also be a member of ex officio of all committees." We do not know of another state director who has reached for these powers.

A Cow Palace "Festival of Faith" is scheduled for Sunday, June 27, sponsored by the Council of Churches, celebrating the 20th Anniversary of the birth of the United Nations in San Francisco. This recalls the 1955 Festival of Faith involving representatives of Buddhists, Muslims, Judaists, Hindus, Modernists, and others, all arranged by Mrs. William Lister Rogers, who later in 1958 became a key member of the Graham Crusade at the Cow Palace.

..Do Southern Baptists ordain this way? The Pacific Tribune for Jan. 27, 1965 had this story: "Rev. James Neptune who has been preaching in Montara since Autumn 1963, will be ordained by Dr. Fisher of the Golden Gate Seminary on Sunday, Jan. 31 at 2:30 p.m. at the Bethany Baptist Church in Linda Mar." Dr. Fred L. Fisher wrote in the "California Southern Baptist" for Jan. 21, 1965: "The Bible is not a revelation of God; it is a record of that revelation ... The Bible expresses God's authority but God is the authority and it is authoratative only when God actually speaks to us through it." The Bible IS the revelation of God and is authoratative whether we have any experience of it or not.

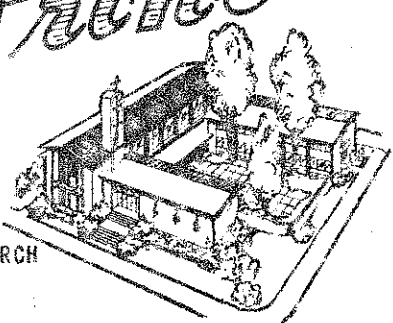
..BERKELEY CHURCH CONT'D..It has been suggested that Christian Americans write to Dr. Barr at 2345 Channing Way, Berkeley, Calif., and ask him what reasons he has for allowing an identified Communist to speak in his Church. The talks on extremism are scheduled 2-3:30 PM each afternoon Feb. 23-25.

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LATEST DENVER BAPTIST BIBLE COLLEGE NEWS

Dr. Earle E. Matteson of Denver was unanimously asked to become chairman of the board of the Baptist Bible College in Denver last Thursday at one of the most widely attended board meetings, with trustees from Wyoming, Nebraska, Colorado, Illinois and California present. He succeeds Dr. Verle Lewis who felt compelled to relinquish these responsibilities. Pastor James Warnock of Arvada First Baptist was elected vice-chairman succeeding Dr. Wm. Shea, who is assuming a Washington pastorate shortly. Dr. Shea presided when the motion was made to definitely stay in Denver, after reports were heard of invitations to move the college elsewhere in Colorado, Texas and California. Much time was spent on proposals to solve the school's critical financial situation. The board accepted President Glen Discoe's proposal to "go on the road" for the school, and then appointed an administrative committee (Matteson, Warnock and Gaylord) to direct daily affairs at the school. Dean Earl Bohnett and the faculty were given an enthusiastic vote of confidence. It is not inconceivable to have 100 students this coming fall. Denver is the center of a vast empire that woefully needs such a school. Friends are asked to pray about \$8,000 pressing needs for the school. The final motion of the day reaffirmed the position of the school as an independent Baptist college, but oriented in the direction of the "hard core" group of the Conservative Baptist movement.

"CAPITAL PUNISHMENT - CRIME OR COMMAND?"

This is the title of an attractive two-color folder of eight pages written by the distinguished young Dean of the faculty, Prof. Wm. G. Bellshaw, and published by the San Francisco Baptist Seminary by courtesy of the Scott Memorial Baptist Church of San Diego, where Dr. Tim La Haye is pastor. Prof. Bellshaw is a first-rate scholar whose writings are being published widely. This folder is now available in quantity for distribution to influential people in government, education, and religion as an important statement of the Word of God on a burning issue of our time.

WHEN DR. CHESTER TULGA SEPARATED FROM  
SOFT POLICY GROUP HE CHARGED "COMPROMISE"

Since the "soft policy" group has been circulating documents recently from the pen of Dr. Chester E. Tulga in support of their position, it might be good to publish a portion of a blistering letter which the former research secretary sent to the CBFMS board over ten years ago which reveals the true attitude of Dr. Tulga when he was in a more knowledgeable position. On May 3, 1954 he wrote: "You made it plain that you are not only ending our financial relationships, but our fraternal relationship as well. Therefore, we will no longer consider ourselves bound to approve, defend, or promote the interests of the CBFMS ... To me this is a relief. Because of your persistent compromise with the inclusive policy on the part of your board members, and your board's consistent support of the same policies in the Denver Seminary, any relationship to the CBFMS is becoming increasingly embarrassing ... the interests of the CBF will be better served by making this rupture which you have begun, a permanent matter ... The ten miracle years are over. The winning team is disbanded. We prefer a future of unyielding devotion to the Word of God, to a turbulent partnership with compromise ... As far as I am personally concerned, I would prefer that the CBF disband than to compromise our position by being forced to approve on any sense the policies now being pursued by the CBFMS Board and Denver Seminary." Copies of this letter may be secured from the CBF Office in Chicago.

Man had an animal ancestry says the visiting Archbishop of Canterbury A. M. Ramsey who speaks this Wednesday at Grace Cathedral. In his book "Introducing the Christian Faith" he states on pp. 26-27, "There is no need to suppose that primitive mankind was perfect. The 'fall' as Christians call the disaster, need not have been a crash from a primitive perfection; ... There has indeed been not only the emergence of our race from an animal ancestry, but the genuine moral and spiritual progress of our race."

Pastor Cecil Memmer completes 25 yrs. of significant pastoral ministry at the Centinella Baptist Church, 601 E. 99th St., Inglewood, California on Sunday, Mar. 28. We join with others in congratulations!

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## LOCAL CHURCH DEVELOPMENTS

..Taking cars on the snow trip, in addition to the church bus, were: Finis Lyles Mrs. Juanita Krauss, Dick Fuller, Dave Morrison and Roger Lee. The youth enjoyed a grand time on Washington's Birthday in the high mountains at Dodge Ridge, 150 miles east of Oakland.

..An English Judge told two drivers following an accident: "I wish to commend you two careless fellows for having run into each other instead of some innocent person. If this sort of thing can be encouraged, we may have hit upon the solution to a serious problem."

..The Holy Land pictures of Pastor W. Glen Roades are among the best we have seen. He showed his beautiful colored slides on Feb. 16 to a good sized group of ministers and their wives at an informal social honoring Dr. and Mrs. Lee B. Long at the Pastor's home. Pastor Roades phone: EL 1-0891. His address: 1850 Randy, San Leandro, Calif.

..The World Conservative Baptist Mission will double its income this year according to Dr. Lee B. Long, if the present trend continues. This is thrilling news of divine blessing to all men of good will. The unconscionable enmity of certain religious elements is expected to lessen, enabling the WCBM to become a strong force for missions both at home and abroad.

Ordinance of Baptism Sunday PM with the Pastor administering the rite in obedience to Christ. Our Church does not believe that baptism is essential to salvation, but that it is essential to Christian obedience of one who is saved. We locate salvation, not in water, but in the blood, as the Bible teaches.

..Contributions through the Church.. Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Mayo, Rt. 1, Iantha, Mo. Mrs. Patricia Harden, Mark Bassir, Susan Jacobs, Jo-Ann Bonjorno, W. Voit, M. M. Lindsay, Mrs. Ollie Oliver, Mr. and Mrs. Edward A. Fortini.

..Pastor and Mrs. David Donnell of the First Baptist Church of Ione worshipped with us last Lord's Day on their "Sunday off". It was a pleasure to have them and their three lovely children.

..Musical ensembles being developed include a College Girl's Trip: Ruth Duckett Barbara Rollins and Mary Lee Wickstrom. The Mixed Quartet: Barbara Rollins, Linda Morrison, Bob Mitchell and Dave Morrison. The Men's Quartet: Art Raske, Clarence Hallert, Don Wickstrom and Dave Morrison.

..Hatred for the Bible is voiced by a Southern Baptist, Dr. Samuel S. Hill, chm. of Dept. of Religion at U. of N.C., in a Washington DC address and reported in the Philippine Fundamental Baptist of Dec. 1964: "Despite all that is right in our being a people of the book, it becomes increasingly clear that the Bible, taken by itself, is an insufficient defining authority ... The raw Bible is rankly a dangerous authority."

..One of the men spoke: "I dug this hole where I was told to and began to put the dirt back like I was supposed to. But all the dirt won't go back in. What will I do?" For a long while the supervisor pondered the problem. Then: "I have it. There's only one thing to do. You'll have to dig the hole deeper."

## INTERCHURCH NEWS FOR CONSERVATIVES

..We extend sympathy to loved ones of Pastor David Tirrell, a member of the WCBM Board, who passed away Feb. 17, with burial last Saturday at First Baptist Church, Tipton, Indiana where he was pastor. He was still in his thirties, with a promising future.

..Keith Fredrickson of Denver wrote to officials of the World Conservative Baptist Mission recently in part: "Your request for exhibit space for WCBM was placed before the local committee at its regular meeting Jan. 25. By resolution the local committee voted not to approve exhibit space for WCBM. It would seem that as far as the Exhibits Committee is concerned it now becomes a closed matter." The local committees for the forthcoming CBA annual meeting are totally and completely controlled by Denver Seminary sympathizers.

..The CBA of a Reconciliation Committee recently appointed in Chicago at their January meetings might as well forget their objective unless they deal with the inexcusable, unBiblical, unChristian, indefensible attitude of these committees who legislate for the entire movement by arbitrarily refusing space to a fundamental Baptist mission society which is supported almost exclusively by CBA churches. We cannot understand the willingness of these Denver Seminary advocates who want to encourage ecumenical ties with non-Baptist, anti-Baptist, and liberal exhibitors, and who refuse a society staffed, supported, and sending forth missionaries from CBA churches.

..Bishop Pike gets rough on Texans who denounced him in Harlingen the first week of January. The Oakland Tribune for Feb. 12, 1965 quoted him in Concord on his Texas visit: "They are a humorless people. I have been in Belgrade under the Communist regime and in Madrid under a fascist dictator. I felt safer in either place." We wonder what the editors of the Valley Morning Star in Harlingen will say to this. Copies of the full page ad "exposing" Pike are available from R. E. Shackelford, 509 Lake Drive, Harlingen, Texas.

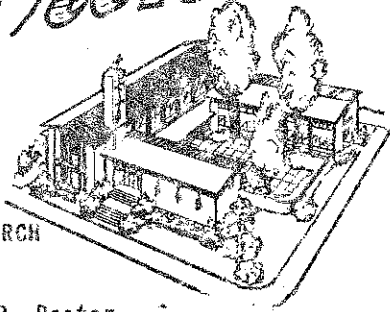
..A rash of sermons on sex are being delivered by liberals recently. Missouri Lutheran U.C. Campus Pastor Dr. Ralph L. Moellering published his Jan. 17 sermon on "Lust versus Love". His main authority was Dr. Joseph Fletcher's "Moral Philosophy of Sex". Fletcher was identified by FBI counterspy Herb Philbrick under oath on July 6, 1953 before HCUA as being a member of the Communist Party cell in Boston with which he was connected.

..Rev. Jan Marinissen, a ministerial graduate of Pacific School of Religion, preached on Feb. 14 at Dryden Phelp's former pulpit - The Fellowship of All Peoples in S. F. The Oakland Tribune of Feb. 16, 1965 indicated that he took the stand on Feb. 15 in Judge Geo. W. Phillips courtroom in defense of the French homosexual filth film "Un Chant d'Amour". Berkeley has banned the film as have UC authorities.

..Roman Catholic scholar Roland de Vaux spoke at Berkeley Baptist Divinity School chapel on Feb. 13, 1965.

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## LUTHERAN MISSOURI SYNOD SCHEDULE AN IDENTIFIED COMMUNIST FOR BIG YOUTH MEET

Who would ever think that the most "conservative" of the large Lutheran bodies would schedule an atheist for the international convention of the Walther League July 5-9, 1965 at Squaw Valley, California. The February 1965 "Spirit" states: "The first commitment we have received is for the appearance of Pete Seeger on the convention program. As you know, he is one of the world's best classical folk singers. LIFE magazine recently called him a 'minstrel with a mission'." He certainly does have a mission. The Annual Report of the HCUA for 1961 states: "The case of Pete Seeger, the folk singer offers another example of the type of assistance the U.S. Communist Party receives from abroad. Seeger, as mentioned before, has been identified as a member of the Communist Party and today, as for many years past, is an inveterate promoter of party fronts and the party line. After Seeger's conviction for contempt of Congress on March 29, 1961, an organization called the 'Friends of Pete Seeger' was set up." Since the Communist Party is the party of treason, and since Communists are committed to atheism, and since Missouri Synod Lutherans claim to be conservatives of a sort, we will have a first-class opportunity to see whether or not this is so. We'll have more about this right along.

## CHRISTIANITY TODAY PRAISE BISHOP PIKE IN BOOK REVIEW SECTION CONCERNING LATEST BOOK

Without comment we print the conclusion of the page and one-half lead book review by David A. Redding in Christianity Today for Jan. 1, 1965 on pp. 30-31: "Nonetheless, I believe Bishop Pike to be a great Christian leader of our time. If we can remember that other reformers got carried away also - Luther left the Book of James in the appendix of his Bible - and not expect to be always in leaden agreement with our colleagues, we can appreciate his reveille to a dynamic and unified Church. And whatever others may say, he feels, 'This book is at one with even the most conventional theologians in these essential things of the Catholic faith, the faith once and for all delivered to the saints'." The book is entitled "A Time for Christian Candor", in which Bishop Pike discards the orthodox faith.

## UNIQUE MISSIONARY COMING SUNDAY EVENING

Peter Slobodian, WCBM missionary to the Slavic-speaking people in metropolitan USA will speak from our pulpit this Sunday evening. This brother was born in Russian Ukraine of Catholic parents. He emigrated early to Argentina. His wife was born in Brazil of Russian parents. They met at the Argentine Bible Institute, from which both graduated. He has already founded two churches in Argentina. This brother is a graduate of Northwestern College and Central Baptist Seminary in Minneapolis, where he holds the ThM degree. While in Minneapolis he organized a Slavic Baptist Church. They have three children: Anna, 12; Samuel, 10; Deborah, 2. They were appointed under WCBM on Oct. 19, 1964. Our Church has the autonomous privilege of having missionaries of its own selection, without pressure from outside ecclesiastical sources.

## STATE CBA ANNUAL MEETING NEXT WEEK

Dr. Wm. W. Orr, noted Bible teacher from Southern California, is scheduled to bring four addresses next Monday and Tuesday, March 8 and 9 at First Baptist Church of Niles in Fremont at 280 Peralta Blvd. Sessions begin at 2 PM on Monday and extend through Tuesday evening. Missionary addresses will be brought by Ken Cummings and Richard Madsen. Other speakers will be Dr. Eugene J. Petersen and Director Loren Eastman. Annual election of officers is scheduled for 1:30 PM on Tuesday. It is not known whether those who have already drawn up plans for a new Central California CBA will participate. Many pastors have presumed that those who are anticipating assisting the formation of another state association will ethically disqualify themselves from the business sessions of this meeting. Since our pastor presided at the founding of the state CBA on Mar. 1, 1949 at Hamilton Square Baptist Church, and since we have no idea of withdrawing from the state CBA, we urge a strong representation from our Church to be present.

..Dr. Monroe Parker plans a campaign of evangelism July 18-25 at the Scott Memorial Baptist Church of San Diego. Dr. Tim La Haye is the pastor.

.. "The Bible does not need to be re-written, but re-read." "...desire the sincere milk of the Word that ye may grow..."

## LOCAL CHURCH DEVELOPMENTS

..The Ordinance of the Lord's Table will be observed next Lord's Day morning at the 11 o'clock worship hour, with the Pastor administering, assisted by the deacons. The Right Hand of Fellowship will be extended to new members.

The Annual Founder's Banquet of the San Francisco Baptist Seminary is set Friday April 9 at 7 PM at the Kaiser Center Garden Room in Oakland, with tickets at \$3. The speaker is the popular Dean of the Faculty, Prof. Wm. G. Bellshaw. Plenty of music including the massive four-manual organ. This has been the largest social gathering of the entire Bay Area for Conservative Baptists and their friends.

..Contributions through the Church Office: Mr. and Mrs. Finis Lyles, Mr. and Mrs. John Lucy, Mr. and Mrs. Martin U. Blake, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Fortini, Mrs. Nora Holley, D. E. Flower, L. M. Brenton.

..High School College youth film will be shown Sunday evening, 5:45 p.m. entitled, "Teen-Age Rock". It comes well recommended.

What about Footwashing? The Pastor will deal with this subject, God willing, next Lord's Day morning. What did Christ teach about foot-washing? Why, in the light of John 13:14,15, Bible-believers have not observed this rite, as some have done? Why has this not been elevated to the position of an ordinance? Read John 13 prayerfully in preparation.

..Grand gospel music Sunday PM.. Youthful soprano Cheri Black, and Bruce Strand and his violin. The Church Choir will sing under direction of Dave Morrison. The following Sunday, March 14, we will have the highly competent ladies trio from Western Baptist Bible College.

..The folder on "Capital Punishment" by Dean Wm. G. Bellshaw was published in full by the Lutheran News of Feb. 22, 1965. They said: "William G. Bellshaw, Dean of the Faculty and Professor of New Testament at San Francisco Conservative Baptist Theological Seminary, presents the Biblical and historic Christian attitude towards this question in the article 'Capital Punishment - Crime or Command' on p. 11. Copies can be ordered in quantity from the Seminary: 1225 Franklin St., S. F., 94109.

..If you want to keep abreast of modernism in the Lutheran denominational groups, we know of nothing finer than this splendid paper. \$2 per year. Box 168, New Haven, Mo. Those who find evidence of modernism in any Lutheran group in the USA might send it to the Lutheran News.

..Congratulations to Pastor Loh. The Oakland Tribune announced Saturday that Rev. Philip Loh of Chicago is the new pastor of the Oakland Chinese Independent Baptist Church, 823 Webster Street. He begins his ministry today. He is a native of Hong Kong and a former missionary to South Viet Nam. He is a choice friend. He is taking work at the San Francisco Baptist Seminary.

..We recommend Dr. John R. Rice in his forthright article in the Feb. 12, 1965 issue of the Sword of the Lord entitled, "'Life' Magazine Slanders Bible". This is a major defense of the Faith against a vicious attack on the inspiration of the Bible, the deity of Christ and the other doctrines of the historic Christian Faith.

## INTERCHURCH NEWS FOR CONSERVATIVES

..State Missionary Director Loren Eastman and his family have moved to: 700 Fargo Ave., Apt. 8, San Leandro, California, 351 8981. We welcome him into the area.

..A new book on the cults to be published by Baptist Publications in Denver, will soon be available. It contains 13 excellent chapters written by Dr. Earle E. Matteson of Beth Eden Baptist Church. We should be thankful to Bob Mosier for the splendid array of theological literature made available to the churches under his expert and competent direction.

..We regret to hear about the move to form a new association in the Bay Area, with pastors of six churches reportedly committed to its formation, including those of the Alameda churches, Melrose, San Leandro Grace and Huntwood. Pastor Harold Thomas, trustee of Denver Seminary is pushing the idea. This is a form of extreme separation which some would find difficult to justify from the Scriptures. They have already announced their withdrawal from the Bay Area CBA Minister's Alliance.

Lectures on the Gospel of Luke are scheduled for next Tuesday, at 10 AM for two hours each day, Tuesday thru Friday for two weeks through Mar. 19. Visitors will be allowed to audit these lectures at the San Francisco Baptist Seminary, with Dr. Charles C. Ryrie of Dallas Seminary as the visiting Bible teacher. So important are these lectures considered that Radio Station KEAR is transcribing them for later broadcast.

..A puzzling statement on the resurrection in the Pictorial Bible Dictionary (Zondervan), written by Dr. Vernon Grounds: "Is Durrwell's Roman Catholic exegesis too far-fetched? 'The Resurrection was not merely a coming back to life but a birth into a new life which Christ did not have in his bodily humanity ... Born of the Virgin into the life of a son of man, on Easter day he was reborn into the life of the Son of God. Paul is not afraid of the notion of Christ's having a second birth ...'. In any event, but virtue of His resurrection, Jesus became more than perfected Man, the prototype of glorified humanity...". Page 715 contains quotes from: Richard Niebuhr, McCheyne Edgar, Archbishop A.M. Ramsey, Wm. Hor- dern, Floyd Filson (2), and Durrwell (3).

..Protestant-Catholic reunion is not impossible, says Dr. Vernon Grounds in an extensive article in "Christian Heritage" magazine for Jan. 1965. He states: "Yes, the Bible is a bridge, the only bridge, whereon Catholics and Protestants, can ever hope to meet in the loving embrace of reunion ... Whether Catholics or Protestants, our understanding of Christianity must be profoundly Biblical if there is to be any reunion of Christendom

..As evangelicals we agree with Dr. Kung that Christian reunion is not an utterly hopeless cause, an unrealistic dream - it is impossible to exaggerate this qualification - God is allowed to illuminate all of us, judge all of us, and change all of us." Apparently the warm winds from the Vatican has thawed out this author.

..If you desire a deep interest in the cause of Christ, invest largely in it!

Read Matt. 6:21

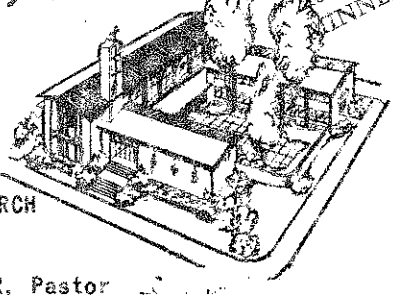


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CBFMS ANNOUNCES WORKING AGREEMENT WITH  
ATHEISTIC AND ANTI-CHRIST UNITED NATIONS

A recent document of two pages printed on pink paper entitled "Report from Congo" - "A special joint communique from your CBFMS missionaries" carried this unbelievable appeal concerning teachers: "Won't you pray us out at least three more teachers? (We could use ten effectively). As long as their lives and spiritual standards are of the right calibre, they don't even need to come as missionaries, but can work with us and be paid by the UN. For details and applications, write Dr. Milton Baker, CBFMS Box 5, Wheaton, Ill." Not only would this be a direct violation of the principle of separation of church and state which Baptists have historically cherished, but it constitutes approval of, and collaboration with, the atheistic and subversive United Nations. Everyone who has any concern about this should direct their protest to the president, Dr. Lloyd T. Anderson, pastor of the Bethany Baptist Church, 763 North Sunset Avenue, West Covina, California. Dr. Anderson is the radio Bible teacher for BIOLA. Conservative Baptists who resent the United Nations, had no idea that their support of this society would involve them directly or indirectly, with the United Nations. This deserves a complete explanation.

DR. CHARLES RYRIE SPEAKS HERE SUNDAY AM

Dr. Chas. Ryrie, dean of the Dallas Seminary graduate school, will deliver the sermon Sunday morning at 11 a.m. He is lecturing this week and next each morning at 10 a.m., Tuesday through Friday, in the Chapel of the San Francisco Baptist Seminary on the Gospel of Luke. This is open to the Christian public. KEAR is recording all lectures for rebroadcast. He is one of the world's leading evangelical theologians.

..Fuller Seminary has noted modernist give a series of lectures. The Los Angeles Times for Feb. 27, 1965 had an article about the noted Episcopalian liberal attorney, William Stringfellow. "He also will be the main speaker for a social ethics conference Tuesday through Thursday at Fuller Theological Seminary, 135 N. Oakland Ave., Pasadena."  
..Only let Him have a free hand!

BLASPHEMOUS FESTIVAL OF FAITH PLANNED BY  
ECUMENICAL CRUSADE LEADERS JUNE 27

A giant Cow Palace Festival of Faith is being planned for the 20th anniversary of the United Nations for Sunday, June 27, 1965 with invitations being issued by Dr. Carl G. Howie, co-chairman of the 1958 Graham Crusade, and Mrs. William Lister Rogers, who was co-chairman of the finance committee of the Graham Crusade. They have teamed up with Catholic Archbishop Jos. McGucken. Mrs. Rogers planned the 10th Anniversary Festival at the Cow Palace when prayers were said to various gods and scriptures of various religions were read in a common worship service, which must have been inspired from regions below. The recent letter to all the Bay Area clergy promoting this event was signed by Dr. Joseph G. Kennedy, president of the S.E. Council of Churches, who was the chairman of the Inquiry Committee in 1958 Graham Crusade. Among those who have accepted leadership in this rally are world leaders of Buddhism, Hinduism, Judaism.

CBFMS IS CHALLENGED TO REFUSE MISSION  
GIFTS FROM SEGREGATED CBA CHURCHES

The EPS for Jan. 14, 1965 had a dispatch from Champaign, Illinois concerning some eyebrow-raising statements made by a CBFMS missionary to Pakistan, at the Inter-Varsity Missionary Convention. "Missionary agencies were challenged to refuse financial support from segregated churches." The CBFMS missionary said, "It would be a tremendous assistance to missionaries. We would like to tell those to whom we preach that there is no racial discrimination practices in the churches which support us. It would carry a great deal of force." The missionary, who is a Fuller Seminary graduate affirmed: "Racial prejudice and Christian Missions are mutually exclusive." Since the overwhelming number of CBFMS churches are segregated, we wonder if this is official CBFMS policy. These statements were highlighted in the "International letter" of ICC leader, Dr. Ray F. Hamilton, 756 Haddon Ave., Collingswood, N. J. If all the segregated churches of the CBA did what the CBFMS missionary suggested, it would bring a screaming reversal in less than ten days from the finance-conscious CBFMS (P. 2)

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..The Advisory Board of the Church, consisting of all deacons, deaconesses, trustees, and chairmen of all standing committees will meet this Wednesday at 8:15 PM in the Chapel for a meeting that should not last more than 20 minutes, as a nominating committee is selected.

..Read the Bible through. Num. 12-27; Luke 13-19.

..Two forward for baptism Sunday evening at the Invitation: Bob Briley and Butch Roth. Baptism is scheduled for March 28.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Roy Anderson request the honor of your presence at the marriage of their daughter Lorna Lee to Ronald Thomas Prang on Saturday, Mar. 20, 1965 at the Faith Baptist Church on Rupert Road, in Anderson, California, at 1 PM. Reception following.

..The Right Hand of Fellowship was given by the Pastor to eleven people last Sunday morning at the Communion Service.

..Officers of the Women's Mission Society elected at the recent WMS meeting include Pres. - Mrs. Hazel Gillespie; First VP - Mrs. Nelly Lyles; Second VP - Mrs. Ila Pemberton; Rec. Sec. - Mrs. Florence Cunningham; Cor. Sec. - Mrs. Martin Rectoris; Treas. - Mrs. Myrtle Olson. We offer our congratulations!

..Improvements on the building. We hope our people will like the newly finished exterior steps leading down to the Lower Chapel, where the Primary Dept. meets. The B. and L. Construction Co. completed the job for the low price of \$185.

Ladies Trio next Sunday PM from Western Baptist Bible College: Kay Douglas of Pinole, Sue Riffle of Lynwood, Wash., Sharon Bonner of Fern Lake, Wash., with Ruth Edwards of Antioch accompanying. They are touring the Northwest this summer.

..Contributions through the Church this past week: Mr. and Mrs. Howard Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Herb Pemberton, Alma Rutter, Howard Rainey, Nettie Guiwits, Edith Harrell, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Fortini, Nile Fisher, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Knotts, Dr. Wm. Shea, Ruth Brydges, D. Robbins, V. Hanson.

..Do you know of any babies under two years, who should be enrolled in the Cradle Roll of the Sunday School? If so, contact Mrs. Ozellah Buckingham - LO 2-5214.

..The High School Training League plans a work day this coming Saturday at the Church, according to Dave Morrison, counselor. They are to bring their lunch.

Make plans now for the big banquet ... sponsored by the San Francisco Baptist Seminary, for Friday, Apr. 9 at 7 PM in the Garden Room of the Kaiser Center in Oakland. Tickets are \$3. We should have at least 75 of our people there.

..The Pastor spent two days in Chicago last week presiding over meetings of the Board of the Conservative Baptist Fellowship. Great meetings are being planned for the Beth Eden Baptist Church in Denver, May 28-31.

..CBFMS IS CHALLENGED CONT'D. leaders. It might be good to withhold all funds as the missionary suggested, until an official CBFMS statement is published.

..You are a lost man is you hope to escape drowning on any plank but Jesus Christ.

..A five-page document on Langston Hughes, the identified Communist Negro author, whose works are being made required reading in many of our public schools, is available from Educational Research Associates, 1030 Colusa Ave., Berkeley 7, California.

.."The Validity of Dispensationalism" is an excellent booklet by Dr. W.W. Eardollar at \$1 from the bookroom of the Baptist Bible Seminary, Johnson City, New York.

..Methodist Federation for Social Action Executive Lee H. Ball told about a recent visit to the former fundamental church, Glide Memorial Methodist in his Dec. 1964 "Social Questions Bulletin: "We met the minister to the homosexuals, who said that the church had to champion the civil liberties of the homosexuals, the least understood of our minorities. Such are the unconventional tactics in evangelism, as a city church seeks to be relevant to the throbbing and often tragic life which surrounds it. We are sure John Wesley would approve." II Peter 2: 18-19.

..Capital punishment to be abolished .. The Illinois House sent a controversial bill to the Senate by a vote of 97-69 to abolish the death penalty. Rep. Earl Eisenhower, brother of the former president, stood firm for capital punishment. Rep. Joseph Strenlaw brot a revolver into the emotion-packed debate, according to the Chicago Daily News of Mar. 2, 1965: "This gun was pointed to my guts." He was reported: "He said the man who threatened to kill him was disarmed and arrested. Strenlaw said that when the gunman was asked what kept him from pulling the trigger, he replied, 'I knew if I pulled it, I would fry'." The Pastor sent Dean Bellshaw's folder to both of these men.

..Only eight churches applied to the CBA this year as of the mid-winter board meetings of the CBA of A, we have just learned. More churches have withdrawn than have joined. This stands in sharp contrast to the yearly average of 100 churches during the first decade of existence. This is a tribute to the present take-over by the soft policy church leaders as represented by Robert Carlberg, Cedric Peterson, Samuel McDill. The CBA is now championed by men who tried to destroy it and cut off its support over the years.

..Does Dr. Fuller have a guilty conscience when he thinks how his fundamentalist dollars has provided a platform for a stream of Bible-denying modernists at Fuller Seminary, such as Bishop Gerald Kennedy, Oscar Cullman, Kenneth Scott Latourette, John A. Mackay, Helmut Thielicke, assorted rabbis and others?

..A big battle on baptism is stirring in the Anglican Church in England. The Living Church for Feb. 28, 1965 stated that with only one vote, the following resolution was passed at the Annual Conference of Parish and People: "The Church should adopt forms of baptismal services which show the meaning of this sacrament in better and more contemporary terms than the present services do." This is a picture of a burial - of His burial and of our identification with Him.

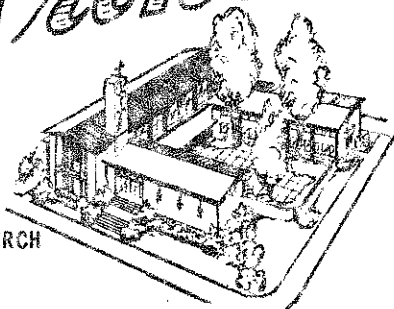
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## ANOTHER FULLER-APPROVED MODERNIST

Christianity Today's Editor Dr. Carl F. H. Henry has an extensive review of a significant book by German theologian Helmut Thielicke in the March 12, 1965 issue exposing the modernism of this speaker who was hailed as a great Christian at appearances at both Fuller Seminary and Mt. Hermon Bible Conference. The book entitled, "Between Heaven and Earth: Conversations with American Christians", deals with his recent trip through America where he was sponsored and hosted by Neo-Evangelicalists. Dr. Henry states: "In the subsequent dialogue he not only attacks biblical inerrancy and verbal inspiration and champions biblical criticism, but also hedges almost to the point of denial on the virgin birth of Jesus and faintly reflects other turning points of his own theological blend of liberal, neo-orthodox, and evangelical elements." The Blu-Print warned of his modernism when the German theologian came through the Bay Area last year and was honored by New Evangelicalists, but this was met with scoffing.

## THE GARBC "BAPTIST BULLETIN" CORRECTS AD

Since the Blu-Print of Jan. 12 had noted with surprise the full-page ad promoting the RSV Bible of the NCC which appeared in the "Baptist Bulletin" for Jan. 1965, we were pleased to find an editorial in the Bulletin of March, with these good words: "For the reassurance of all who wrote - and those who wondered, even though they did not write - the Bulletin and the GARBC have not changed position with respect to the RSV. We still reject it as being untrustworthy and inaccurate. In addition, with the copyright being held by the National Council of Churches, royalties from the sale of this version accrue to that organization and we have no desire to contribute to them." The ad which was full-page was inserted by the well known New Evangelical group known as "Christ's Mission", who publish the magazine Heritage which seems to be giving considerable aid and comfort to the New Evangelicalists. We are glad to see this correction of an error which caused many to painfully wonder.

## WISE WORDS FROM A KNOWLEDGEABLE VETERAN

One of the sound principles of Biblical separation is that God's message is to be separated from all other gospels. The basic Scripture is Galatians 1:6-9. Dr. Vance Hanver has a message entitled "The Forgotten Anathema", which closes with these penetrating words: "Paul's anathema needs to be recovered from the mothballs and brought into holy warfare . . . Contending for the faith is not easy. It is not pleasant business. It has many perils. It is a thankless job. And it is horribly unpopular in this age of moral fogs and spiritual twilights. It is a day of diplomats, not prophets. It is nicer to be an appeaser than an opposer. It is the day of Erasmus, not Luther; of Gamaliel, not Paul. But Paul never sat on the fence. When he opposed error, he opposed it. He did not appease it. God help us to follow him as he followed Christ." Sword of the Lord, Jan. 7, 1955, p. 8.

## THE MAINSTREAM OF THE CBA MOVEMENT

Dr. Chester E. Tulga was at one time deeply involved and knowledgeable in the Conservative Baptist movement before he separated from the CBA ten years ago and has been quite out of touch since then while he was in the GARB, the ACC, and then the American Baptist Association. His writings of the early fifties show a remarkable understanding of our affairs. In a document of five pages to the CBF board of May 6, 1955, he stated: "It is strong men who found movements; weak men mould them, eventually pervert them and then purge the original founders who will not compromise their convictions. This is seen in church history and also secular politics. It can happen to us. Today the men who visit the mission field as our representatives are not the men who founded the movement but the men who fought few if any battles in its behalf, or who belong to the theological fringe of the movement."

..Roman Catholic Archbishop J. T. McGucken spoke at the first ecumenical dinner on Friday, Mar. 12, at Calvary Presbyterian Church". Host pastor is Dr. Carl G. Howie, co-chairman of Graham Crusade in 1958 at the Cow Palace. Examiner, 3-6-65.

..Dean Wm. G. Bellshaw's new book has just been released by Baptist Publications in Denver. Entitled "Twelve Prophets Speak", it contains 13 chapters and is ideal as a study book for Sunday School, training union, mid-week service, extension classes, or adult vacation Bible School. It is on the Minor Prophets of the Old Testament. Publisher Robert L. Mosier is to be commended for a steady stream of theological literature which has blessed the churches. It may be ordered from: 1732 Welton St., Denver 2, Colo.

..The Pastor has accepted the invitation to meet with civic leaders at the city Police Dept. to discuss "the increasing disrespect for law and order, and the decline in moral and spiritual values." The Pastor might have a few embarrassing things to say about the way the left-wing clergy have encouraged the current wave of lawlessness and civil disobedience.

The finest music in Northern California will be presented at the annual spring Founder's Banquet of the San Francisco Baptist Seminary, April 9, 7 PM at the Kaiser Center Garden Room, when hundreds of fellow Baptists will be gathered for the big social event of the season. Tickets now available at \$3. for real western beef in Manning's style. Nelson Zarfes will be at the great organ.

..A three-room apartment for rent, \$80.00 per month, located at 2504 - 23rd Avenue. Contact Gertie Sinz at KE 2-5119.

..Mrs. Ida Lindquist, wife of Brother Walter Lindquist of our Dublin First Baptist Church, had very serious surgery on the brain Friday at U.C. Hospital in San Francisco, with a large benign tumor removed after 7 hours. Let us pray for her and this family at this time. Their address: 7636 Brighton Dr., Dublin, Calif.

..Contributions through the Church this past week: Mr. and Mrs. Earvin Whaley, A. Gollnick, Chas. Brimall, John B. Sharp, John Kemper, Sharon Martin, Dean and Mrs. W. G. Bellshaw, Mr. and Mrs. M.U. Blake, Florence Cunningham.

..Lorna Anderson-Ronald Prang wedding is scheduled for this Saturday at 1 PM at Faith Baptist Church, Anderson, Calif. with reception following. Several carloads of our people are making the trip in addition to the Church Bus with Roger Lee driving.

..The Nominating Committee of the Church was named Wednesday by the Advisory Board WMS - Mrs. Hazel Gillespie; Deacons - Don Wickstrom; Bd. Education - Ozellah Buckingham; Trustees - Edwin McPherson; SS - Kyle Pemberton; Youth - Roger Lee; At Large - Melvin Buckingham. Pray for this group.

..Top ten churches to State CBA general fund last year: Huntwood - \$921; Fremont First - \$909; San Francisco Calvary - \$802; Oakland Foothill - \$750; Sacramento Arcade - \$622.50; Yuba City First - \$600; Sacramento Central - \$600; Fresno Memorial - \$500; Castro Valley Trinity - \$394; San Jose Saratoga - \$380.

..Pike shouts defiance of the law.. On Sunday night at City Hall Rally steps, Bishop Pike stated (Examiner, 3-15), "If the court opposes us again, we must go anyhow and oppose the state troopers on our own. Our blood will be on the President's hands. We are going, Federal court order or not. If neither the courts or the President stand on the side of justice, then we must go on and on, wave after wave, thousands and thousands of us, until the arms of the storm-troopers are tired, their weapons weary, their whips worn out." We can just picture the Bishop riding off in a paddy wagon to where he belongs.

..Pastor Bob Lehn of North Highlands CBA church still carries on a daily broadcast over three stations in Minnesota, Iowa, and West Indies by way of tape messages.

..Negro Pastor Dr. F.D. Haynes, prominent American Baptist pastor of Third Baptist Church of S.F., spoke at a Rally sponsored by Harry Bridges and his ILWU Union at the Federal Building on Wed., Mar. 10, 1965, at which Bridges spoke also. Dr. Haynes was a member of the 1958 Graham Executive Committee. The Chronicle of Mar. 11 stated: "Two ministers spoke - Rev. F. D. Haynes, pastor of Third Baptist Church, and Rev. Don Ganoung, vicar of Episcopal churches in the Mission District, who had just returned after demonstrating for civil rights in Selma."

..Missouri Synod defends youth speaker who is an identified communist for their Squaw Valley Conference July 5-9 sponsored by the Walther League, with headquarters at 875 Dearborn St., Chicago 10. In a letter of Mar. 1, 1965 published in the Lutheran News for Mar. 8, Mr. Paul A. Schreivogel gives this defense of scheduled Pete Seeger: "Before Pete Seeger was scheduled to appear, we found that he does indeed speak from a background of integrity and has an important and timely message to the Church and its young people. We have also found that he is not and never has been a communist. His own testimony states, 'I have never in my life said, or supported, or sung anything in anyway subversive of my country'." This is absolutely incredible!

..The Calvary Baptist Church of El Sobrante recently completed a merger with the Harmony Baptist Church of San Pablo as of March 7, with Doyle Dewberry of Harmony being called as pastor of the United group. They are meeting on the old property on Appian Way, though they own property off Santa Rita Road and Sheldon Drive. Pastor Carl Martin resigned on Feb. 28 to take up missionary work in the Ozarks. Pastor Dewberry's address: 2926 Flannery Road, San Pablo 222-0158.

..Filth books urged to be read by Seminary President Dr. Theo. Gill of San Anselmo Presbyterian Seminary. Speaking before the Committee on Intellectual Freedom in Washington, he is reported in the Presbyterian Journal of Feb. 24, 1965 "The seminary president was open in his defense of such books as Tropic of Cancer, Catcher in the Rye and Candy. Any person who can appreciate their significance, regardless of age, should be able to read them, he suggested."

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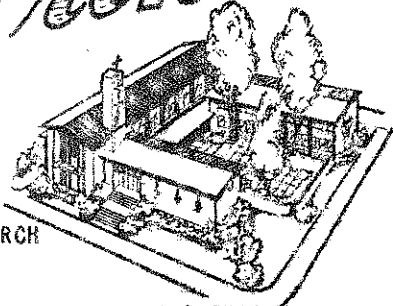
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## PASTOR NOT GOING TO SELMA THIS WEEK

The Pastor announces that he will be in his office each day this week dealing with moral and spiritual problems of this city. On Tuesday he is to meet with the Chief of Police along with other leaders to discuss "the increasing disrespect for law and order, and decline in moral and spiritual values". The Pastor does not have the consummate hypocrisy to suggest that he has anything to offer the Selma situation which Alabama religious leaders do not have. He has no intention of adding to the problem of our Alabama citizens, which have been tragically complicated by outside leftwing agitators. He wants no part in inflaming the hatred of our Negro friends who enjoy a higher per capita standard of living than white folk in other parts of the world. He refuses to jeopardize the freedom of this land which is enjoyed in higher degree by all groups than in any other country on the globe. He scorns taking part in a so-called "civil rights" movement which has been infiltrated heavily by Communist elements. He despises allowing his name as a minister to give moral and religious sanction to rioting, civil disobedience, and street fighting that can only benefit subversive forces. He has only contempt for the leftwing forces which have artificially stimulated this racial crisis through which the enemies of America seek to destroy this last great bastion of freedom.

## KEEP AN EYE ON THIS SOCIAL ENGINEER

Seminary professor Harvey Cox of Andover Newton, American Baptist Convention-approved seminary in the Boston area, is representative of the radical young leaders who love the street demonstrations approach. His leftwing record includes at least one arrest in the carpetbag operation in the south. In the ABC "Crusader" for March 1965, he wrote a letter to the editor as an attendant at the Communist-inspired Prague Peace Conference: "I would also differ somewhat from Dr. Loman's rejection of the idea that atheism is peripheral to communism. Many responsible western theologians... contend that atheism is not integral to communism but was included in it because of Marx's own experience with the reactionary churches of the 19th century. Italian communist leaders have recently (Cont'd p.2)

## WHAT BETHEL MEANS BY THE WORD OF GOD

In his inaugural address as Dean of Bethel Seminary of the Baptist General Conference, Gordon G. Johnson made this point, as quoted in the November 1964 issue of the Bethel Quarterly, "What do we mean by the Word of God? This is not an idle question. It must be squarely faced or we do not bring an adequate vertical dimension to the horizontal dimension of human experience. Is the Word the living Word? Is it the dynamic Word? Is it the preached Word? Is it the Word in the ordinances (or sacraments, as our friends in other communions call them)? Or is it the written Word? When we say "the Word of God", at times we may include all of these meanings. At other times we may be referring only to one, but in those moments we must be aware of the significance of that one in relation to the others. When we speak of the living Word, obviously we are referring to Jesus Christ who is the Word of God made flesh. When we talk of the dynamic Word, we refer to the Word from God that becomes transformingly meaningful to an individual, however the individual may have received it. The preached Word may also be a Word from God to people as a man fulfills his call as a herald of God's Word. Again, God's Word may be present and active in a tangible, non-verbal way in the ordinances of Baptism and the Lord's Supper, as the symbolism speaks its message. Finally, the written Word is clearly the biblical record that we possess.

..Bishop James A. Pike, speaking before students at Foothill College in Los Altos, was reported this way in the Palo Alto Times, Mar. 13, 1965 (p. 5), - "Pike Episcopal bishop of California, mentioned recent church efforts to aid Negroes and homosexuals as examples of stands he said it must take to fulfill its religious responsibility, even though both efforts have been criticized by some church members." We wonder how the Negroes like this association.

..Bishop Pike's Dept. of Social Relations recently sent out a request for signatures to all clergy of Northern California, including our Pastor, enclosing a resolution signed by 155 rectors and five bishops urging the California Legislature to liberalize abortion laws, allowing doctors to terminate life of a baby where there is "risk of grave physical or mental health impairment to mother (P. 2)

## LOCAL CHURCH DEVELOPMENTS

..Pillsbury Baptist College has just been provided with \$25 from the Women's Mission Society to be awarded at the May graduation exercises to the college Junior who achieves the highest scholarship in the field of New Testament Greek.

..The San Francisco Baptist Seminary has also been provided with an award of \$25 by the WMS to be given at the May 3 Graduation exercises to some worthy returning student achieving excellence in a certain field.

..Mrs. Darlene Rose, missionary to Borneo will bring the message at the Mother-and-Daughter banquet, scheduled for May 7 at 6:30 PM. She is regarded as one of the most dynamic women's speakers in this area. Tickets are \$1.50.

An office secretary to the Pastor.. This position is now open, requiring knowledge and experience in typing, mimeographing, and normal church office procedures. Commendable pay scale for church employment. Anyone interested is asked to please write, giving qualifications, training, experience, references and picture.

..An extensive study of John's Gospel will begin in the Men's Department next Lord's Day at 9:45 AM in the Chapel, with the Pastor as the teacher. Colorful copies of the Gospel of John will be distributed to everyone attending. This is a serious undertaking, with a warm welcome for men in this city, saved or unsaved, Baptist or not.

..The Ordinance of Believer's Baptism will be administered by the Pastor next Lord's Day evening, at 7 PM. Any believer wishing to obey the Son of God in this rite will be asked to respond to the Invitation next Sunday morning.

..Barbara Rollins is in Mexico City all this week on tour with the choir of California State College of Hayward. Barbara is one of our choice soprano soloists.

..Douglas Lee leaves for Korea on Friday from Travis Air Base and will be gone for better than a year. We shall hope to keep in active touch with this splendid young man.

..The Young Adult Training League is having a dinner social at one of the Bay Area's good restaurants, on Friday evening. Details from Alice Heilig (OL 5 - 5791).

..Major Edgar Bunday's schedule: Wed. - Hamilton Square Baptist Church, 7:30 p.m. Fri. and Sat., 8 p.m. - San Jose McCabe Hall; Mar. 29 - Redwood City Sequoia HS; Mar. 30 - Menlo Park Recreation Center, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Mrs. Ellen Bishop is in charge of tickets (\$3) for San Francisco Baptist Seminary banquet, Garden Room of Kaiser Center, Friday, Apr. 9, 7 p.m. Speaker Dean Wm. Bellshaw. Music will be superb. Nelson Zarfes at the great organ. We hope at least 100 of our people can attend.

..AN EYE ON SOCIAL ENGINEER CONT'D.. published articles suggesting that the atheistic component of communism is outdated and should be discarded. We should not allow our understanding of communism to become so dated and rigid that we cannot see what is going on in reality." The first point of communism is: There is no God.

## INTERCHURCH NEWS FOR CONSERVATIVES

..Can this be true? We would like Chicago friends to check on the Sunday schedule of the notoriously liberal "Sunday Evening Club" which meets at Orchestra Hall. The speaker recently was Dr. Martin Luther King, one of the most radical modernists ever produced from Cozer Seminary. The music was reportedly provided by Wheaton College Men's Glee Club.

..Supt. Stuart S. Phillips of the Oakland Board of Education, 1025 Second Ave., Oakland 94606, will undoubtedly want to hear from Oakland parents on his recent proposal to have elementary school libraries stocked with books of the identified communist Langston Hughes, famous Negro poet.

..The late Dr. Donald Grey Barnhouse condemned the Revised Standard Version this way in Revelation magazine, April 1946, after reading 200 chapters: "The modernistic leanings of the translators are seen in every part, and some of the renderings are plain sabotage of Christian theology, with violation of the Greek text to arrive at the translations given. Christ is whittled down wherever possible. The evidence will be presented in our study." Now Eternity magazine carries full-page ads of the RSV.

..The American Baptist Convention, which meets in San Francisco May 19-23, has announced addresses by Dr. Henry P. Van Dusen and Bishop Gerald Kennedy, two of the leading modernists in today's ecumenical world. L. Doward McBain of Phoenix is program chairman. Someone ought to write to Dr. Lester Harnish, ABC president at First Baptist in Portland, and ask for his justification in having these two unitarians on his program.

..Dr. Jitauo Morikawa, ABC Evangelism Director, stated before an NCC meeting: "The redemption of the world is not ultimately dependent upon the churches we build, the missionaries we send, and the souls we win to Jesus Christ. If this were so, then God has failed and there is no hope for the world, for during these two thousand years only a tiny minority has ever heard the gospel." This is the new type of modernism fostered by the ABC.

..This is the ecumenical dream.. David Soper in his book "The Spirit is Willing" states: The church "is the world of our churches, whether Greek, Russian, Roman, Lutheran, Calvinist, or Anglican (whether Hindu, Buddhist, Moslem or Jew)" p. 127. With all of this: "God is now creating one church, one fellowship, one brotherhood including all religions, all races, all philosophies, all sciences, all governments - a universal fellowship of love, a classless society, the image of God." p. 136.

..The First Baptist Church of San Clemente dedicated its new structure last Lord's Day. Congratulations to Pastor Sam Buckley on this successful operation.

..A new book "Dispensationalism Today" is due from Moody Press (860 No. La Salle, Chicago 10) on April 15. It is a 256 defense of dispensationalism by Dean Charles C. Ryrie, PhD, ThD, of Dallas Theological Seminary. It deals with the teaching, history and defense of this system of Biblical interpretation.

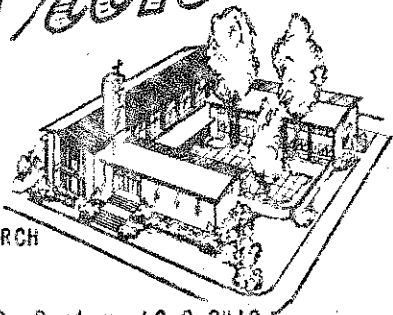
..BISHOP PIKE CONT'D..or child." We don't know who makes the infallible decision - maybe the bishop!

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## DR. CHARLES E. FULLER SHARES PLATFORM WITH APOSTATE METHODIST BISHOP KENNEDY

Biblical Christians are taking sad note of the picture in Decision magazine for April 1965 which shows Dr. Charles E. Fuller leading in a prayer of dedication of a plaque at the Los Angeles Memorial Coliseum. Underneath the picture these words: "Seated at right is Methodist Bishop Gerald Kennedy". Bishop Kennedy is plainly visible on the platform with director of the Old Fashioned Revival Hour. The Bible plainly teaches that there is guilt by association: II John 9-11; Deut. 22:9-11; Gal. 1:6-9; Acts 19:9. Since Decision magazine goes to more than 2 million people, we wonder what Dr. Fuller is trying to tell the world. It would be reasonable to assume from this that Bishop Kennedy is a religious leader who should be regarded as Christian, trustworthy, evangelical and worthy of honor and recognition by people who believe the Bible. In a taped address before Dallas Seminary students, another Crusade participant with Bishop Kennedy, Dr. J. Vernon McGee, was quite frank about his feelings about Kennedy as he recalls serving with him on the Executive Committee for the Los Angeles Crusade: "Now, I'm not going to fight that sort of thing; I didn't elect Bishop Kennedy; I voted against him; I am opposed to him; I disagree with him; he disagrees with me; I never met him. He sits on one side of the committee and I sit on the other side. He goes out that door; I go out this door. 'That's not brotherly', you say. Well, he's not my brother."

## BISHOP KENNEDY'S DENIAL OF THE DEITY OF THE LORD JESUS CHRIST AS GOD THE SON

In his book "God's Good News" (p. 125), he complains that the World Council of Churches "Basis" is too orthodox: "Its statement is that we must think of Jesus as God . . . I am frank to confess that the statement does not please me and it seems far from satisfactory. I would much prefer to have it say that God was in Christ, for I believe the testimony of the New Testament taken as a whole is against the doctrine of the deity of Jesus, although I think it bears overwhelming witness to the divinity of Jesus." In his book "The Christian and His America" he states on page (page 2.)

## CONCERNED CITIZENS PLAN MOTORCADE TO SACRAMENTO CONCERNING UC CAMPUS CRISIS

A Bay Area Motorcade of Concerned Citizens will travel to the state Capitol on Friday, April 2 to give support to two resolutions to be presented by Senator Jack Schrade before the Senate Rules Committee calling on the University of California to expell all students convicted of crimes in recent campus riots and also calling for the discharge of all professors and teaching assistants convicted of crimes relating thereto. These are known as Senate Resolutions No. 12 and No. 13. The hearing before Senator Hugh Burns' Committee will be held either in Room 3191 or Room 4203 at 10 AM. Massive citizen support will be required. Chief of Police Edward Toothman has approved Jack London Square as the staging area for the giant motorcade which is hoped will number at least 100 cars. This action is being sponsored by a score of Bay Area ministers with Bruce Parker, chairman, Box 1042, Walnut Creek. 932-2232. It is designed to impress the legislators of a mighty concern among citizens over the complete vacuum of leadership at the University, the breakdown of law and order, the extent of moral filth, and the triumph of subversive forces on the campus. Each interested citizen is asked to secure at least ten others to join the motorcade. Everyone comes at his own expense and risk. The letter of invitation states: "We do not want any unshaven, unwashed, long-haired characters from the beatnick world in this parade. We will ask that everyone wear shoes and dress up at least to resemble a civilized group." The hearing will terminate by noon. It is hoped that many will take the day off and show their concern - or else quit griping about the collapse of morals in this area.

## THE NEW TESTAMENT ON THE TRINITY

Since the doctrine of the Trinity is having rough going from certain bishops of the low church variety, we might remember that while the Old Testament emphasis upon the Godhead is upon Unity, the New Testament is upon the Trinity. "There are numerous passages in which the three persons are specified in one passage: Lu. 1:35; Mat. 3:16,17; Lu. 3:21,22; Mk. 12:36,37; Mat. 28:19; Jn. 3:34,35; 14:16,26; 15:26; 16:7-15; (p. 2)

## LOCAL CHURCH DEVELOPMENTS

..Missionary Mildred Craig, who led CBEMS forces into Japan in the forties but who since resigned, will be sailing for Japan this Wednesday, Mar. 31 aboard the Pacific and Orient Lines "S.S. Oronsay" at Pier 32 at 5 PM. She stayed at the Prophet's Chamber of Hamilton Square Baptist Church this week.

..Read the Bible through..Deut. 24- Josh. 5; John 2.

..Contributions through the Church .. Mr. and Mrs. Finis Lyles, Howard Rainey, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Fortini, Mr. and Mrs. John Lucy, Luella Edwards, T. Thomson, M. Moffatt, M. Faulkes.

..The recent "Come Alive" YFC "Revival" series of one week at the city auditorium in Oakland cost in excess of \$50,000. The campaign, which began on Feb. 22 is now \$26,000 in arrears. While the attendance was large, the decisions for Christ were almost negligible. Some close observers have termed the campaign disgusting. The evangelist, Alan Davis, is now touring the country.

Eight Distinguished Laymen from a three state area will be honored at the big Spring Seminary Banquet, Friday, Apr. 9 at 7 PM at the Kaiser Garden Room in Oakland. Tickets are \$3. Deadline is Apr. 5. The Seminary phone: PR.6-8082. Hundreds are expected for this lovely affair. It's the largest social gathering for fundamental Baptists in this area.

..Larry McNutt for the City Council.. One of the members of our Church, Lawrence McNutt, is running for the City Council in the upcoming municipal election, for District No. 2. It is good to see him in the congregation each Lord's Day.

..Missionary Nelda Boggan has a serious heart condition, which will require hospitalization on April 14 and possible surgery, before medical clearance can be secured for return to Brazil.

..A new athletic director for the Church was announced by the Board of Christian Education, with the appointment of Donald Wickstrom, with Roger Lee as the assistant. The softball season will be under way soon. We will need all the "bonus" players we can secure.

..The Citizens Committee for Common Sense in Public Schools; with Gerald Harden as chairman, has suggested the following for the Board of Education in the upcoming elections: Director No. 1 - Lorenzo N. Hoopes; # 2 - Sam Cook, Jr.; # 3 - Alan A. Lindsay; # 4 - Patricia M. Attoe; Auditor - Alan A. Brizee; City Council - Larry McNutt, Albert E. Lobello.

..BISHOP KENNEDY'S DENIAL CONT'D..40:"One of my favorite pulpits is a Unitarian church in Pennsylvania". In "His Word Through Preaching", he says on pp. 96,97: "Ours is not a religion based on a book, it is true, for the center of Christianity is the personality of Jesus". This is the rankest form of modernism. Bishop Kennedy will be one of the main speakers at the forthcoming American Baptist Convention in San Francisco May 19-23, with Dr. J. Lester Harrish as the presiding officer.

## INTERCHURCH NEWS FOR CONSERVATIVES

..Dr. Henry Pitney Van Dusen, one of the leading speakers at the ABC Convention here May 19-23, is a Presbyterian who wrote in "Liberal Theology" (p. 208) concerning the Chalcedon Creed which defined the nature and person of Christ: "To the logical mind it sounds like distilled nonsense.... There the phrases stand, side by side, in all their seeming contradiction and glorious incredibility: 'perfect in deity and perfect in humanity' -- 'God truly and man truly' -- 'begotten before the ages of the Father' ... 'In the last days born of Mary the virgin' ... It is as though the Fathers were determined to affirm their certainties at whatever humiliation to reason." Read I Cor. 2:14.

..John Brown University, which we have thought was a sound institution, recently conferred an honorary Doctor of Divinity degree upon former US Rep. Brooks Hays "for his religious and humanitarian work", according to the Canadian Baptist of Mar. 1, 1965.

..Dr. Edwin T. Dahlberg sent out a "loaded" card on Mar. 20 to clergymen throughout the country from the "Clergymen's Emergency Committee" of F.O.R., asking for signatures to a statement: "I would like the United States to initiate efforts now to negotiate peace in Vietnam." This means negotiation with the Communists. It's a pity that Dr. Dahlberg doesn't back up the free world in the crucial battle in Vietnam and stand behind our boys who are dying there for freedom. Dr. Dahlberg's record on behalf of Earl Browder, Morton Sobell, Harry Bridges and other pro-communist activities may be had by writing to the Conservative Baptist Fellowship, 2561 No. Clark St., Chicago 14, Illinois.

Chm. of Regents, Edward W. Carter, may be addressed at 600 So. Spring, Los Angeles, California 90014, for those who want to express themselves on the wisdom of the resignation of Clark Kerr in solving the UC campus crisis of morals and subversion. The Regents will appreciate hearing from the people.

..Bishop James A. Pike ran into trouble when he spoke recently at Chatham College, according to the Pittsburgh Post-Gazette of Mar. 19, 1965. Students entering the lecture were given copies of the full-page ad in a Harlingen, Tex. newspaper, containing 27 different quotations of Pike which have proved to be a little embarrassing to the Bishop. Copies of the ad may be secured from Box 731, Harlingen, Texas - free!

..The House Committee on Un-American Activities is planning a return trip to San Francisco in early May, according to the Daily Californian of Mar. 25. It will be held in a federal building in San Francisco this time, which may well bring out the Army this time.

..ON THE TRINITY CONT'D..Rom. 15:30; I Cor. 12:4-6; II Cor. 1:20-22; II Cor. 13:14; Eph. 2:18; 3:14-16; 4:4-6; I Tim. 3:16; Tit. 3:4-6; I Pet. 1:2; 3:18; I Jn. 3:21,24; 4:13,14; Jude 1:20,21; Rev.1:4.

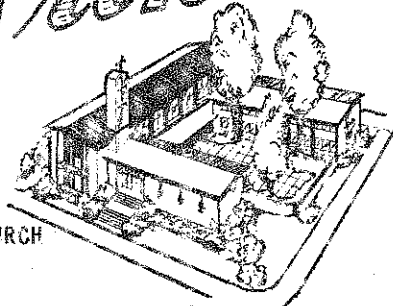


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## THE ECUMENICAL MESSAGE OF BILLY GRAHAM

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In a letter dated March 19, 1965 to a gentleman in South Carolina, the Rev. Cuthert E. Allen of the Catholic Belmont Abbey College wrote as follows: "Billy Graham gave an inspiring and theologically sound address that may have been given by Bishop Fulton J. Sheen or any other Catholic preacher. I have followed Billy Graham's career and I must emphasize that he has been more Catholic than otherwise, and I say this not in a partisan manner but as a matter of fact. Knowing the tremendous influence of Billy Graham among Protestants and now the realization and acknowledgement among Catholics of his devout and sincere appeal to the teachings of Christ which he alone teaches, I would state that he could bring Catholics and Protestants together in a healthy ecumenic spirit . . . I believe he will be invited by more Catholic colleges in the future than Protestant colleges. So I am well pleased then, to answer your question: Billy Graham is preaching a moral and evangelical theology most acceptable to Catholics."

## FULLER SEMINARY LEADERS PARTICIPATING MEMORIAL SERVICE FOR UNITARIAN PREACHER

The fantastic report is in a long two-column article with picture in the Pasadena Star-News of Mar. 15, 1965. The service for Unitarian minister James J. Reeb was held at the Pasadena First Baptist Church, of which Charles R. Bell, Jr. is pastor. "Among the congregation in the Baptist church were more than 100 Fuller Theological Seminary students and their friends who had staged a silent memorial march from the seminary on North Oakland Avenue to the church on North Marengo Avenue. The marchers, led by Roy Brewer, a senior and chairman of the student's Social Action Committee, walked the six blocks to the church carrying signs which read 'Fuller Seminary Calls for Racial Justice' . . . Other participants in the interdenominational and interracial service for Mr. Reeb were the Rev. Charles R. Bell, Jr. pastor of the host church; Dr. Paul King Jewett, a professor at Fuller . . ." First Baptist Church is and has been a liberal pulpit. Dr. Charles Bell's leftwing record is listed on p. 12 of the Circuit Rider's Book "658 Clergymen and Laymen" of the NCC. (At \$4 from this Church).

## THE RECENT DEVELOPMENTS AT SELMA

This is the social gospel at work.. Commenting on the Selma march, Christianity Today for Apr. 9, 1965 stated: "During the nightly encampments much of the hard work such as setting up tents and latrines was done by fifty students from San Francisco Theological Seminary accompanied by their president, Dr. Theodore Gill." Please note that this is NOT the S.F. Baptist Seminary, which holds to the gospel of the redeeming grace of God through the blood of Jesus Christ.

More on the March.. Christianity Today continues: "Still another evangelical marcher was Bruce Crapuchette, a student at Fuller Theological Seminary, who came with a letter from Dr. David Hubbard, Fuller president."

"Among the Pentecostal participants was Dr. J. Harry Fought, pastor of Danforth Gospel Temple in Toronto. Fought, executive secretary of the newly formed Evangelical Fellowship of Canada, said he was present to let people know that the evangelical conscience is sensitive to the issue of human dignity." We doubt whether any of these "evangelicals" identified one single communist among the many who were active in the march. What a colossal combination of inexcusable ignorance and pious social action.

Dr. Robert Munger mentioned.. "From Seattle came the minister of music and the minister to students at the strongly evangelical University Presbyterian Church where Dr. Robert Munger is pastor. Both men said they gained 'great respect for King's leadership'."

A godly leader wrote the Pastor from down that way, Mar. 28: "When police on horses had to be called out to remove demonstrators from Montgomery streets, they slashed and cut up the horses until it was awful. Veterinarians had to be called into Montgomery to attend the horses. Some Florida papers carried this item of horse brutality." Further: "Sex orgies were so horrible, that we understand the tents were removed in an attempt to improve the situation."

Chico Grace Baptist Church was picketed Sunday PM Mar. 28 by the Unitarian Church pastor and 30 of the beatnik crowd for preaching his sermon that morning on "Marching Ministers". He indicated such marches as the Selma march was "contrary to the scriptures, that it encourages lawlessness, provides Communists with propaganda material, and causes (p. 2 )

## LOCAL CHURCH DEVELOPMENTS

..The Annual Election of the Church is next Wednesday, April 14 at 7 PM. At this time, the Church will act on reports from the Nominating Committee and the Budget Committee. We are asking for the faithful attendance of all of our members.

..Three forward for baptism..On Sunday evening we were pleased to have Andy Murphy and Lucy Noe come forward to confess their personal faith in Christ as Saviour. Mrs. Patricia Pica came forward with a desire for believer's baptism.

..Offerings for last Sunday..Current - \$539.16; Missions - \$381.79; Building - \$180.50; Special - \$25.00. Total - \$1126.45.

..Contributions through the Church.. Miss Nettie Guiwits, Florence Cunningham, Mrs. Nora Holley, S. Barger.

..The Pastor and four High School boys .. had a big time in Sacramento Friday. They visited the beautiful chambers of the Senate and the Assembly, sat in on the important Rules Committee hearing on the Schrade Resolutions to expell criminal violators among UC students and faculty. The Pastor introduced Senator Hugh Burns and Senator Jack Schrade to Jerry Pember-ton, Steve Lyles, Don Lyles and Darrell Collard. It was highly educational.

The Pastor's secretary's final Sunday will be this coming Lord's Day. She will be the guest of honor at the Sing-spiration at 8:30 PM, in recognition of five years of faithful service in the cause of Christ. Her mother, Mrs. Charles Simms, arrived by plane from Toronto on Thursday evening to spend several weeks in the West.

..Pastor Wayne Van Gelderen of Durango wrote to the Pastor: "We had a great time on our trip - saw 21 countries and Hawaii. Also we surveyed 15 mission fields ... We had a great time with Loral Wosley in Manila. He had nearly 500 in Sunday School. Between Ed and I preaching three times for Wosley and once for his mission, we saw about 35 souls saved. Loral seems to be a great admirer of yours."

..Missionary Larry Hagen of Japan.. is scheduled to speak in our pulpit on Apr. 25, at the invitation of the Deacons. They are under appointment with WCBM. His schedule has several open dates. Missionary Peter Slobodian took a bus late Sunday night for Minneapolis after visiting churches here for a month.

..Easter lilies in memory of loved ones will be accepted at the Church Saturday afternoon, Apr. 17 for display on Easter Lord's Day. Please indicate in advance your willingness to make such an arrangement.

..The Easter project at the Church will be the carpeting of the stairways of the Church with a tough product to reduce the noise, improve looks and protect the stairs. The Berean Bible Class has already allocated \$75, according to Pres. Hazel Westfall. It will cost several hundreds of dollars.

The Pastor at Adult Training League .. For the next several Sunday evenings, the Pastor will be directing the discussions at 6 PM in the Main Auditorium on "Evangelical Violations of the Biblical Principle of Separation".

## INTERCHURCH NEWS FOR CONSERVATIVES

..Rev. Charles R. Bell, Jr. is quoted in the CBF Information Bulletin (June 1951) in a sermon he preached: "No, the simple truth is that not all of the Bible is the truth of God...The eroneous idea of the Bible is that it is free from error ... what these writers put down is their impression of that revelation. The Bible is the message passed on by men who witnessed the Revelation, but their message is not the revelation." Tragic unbelief.

Late tickets for Seminary banquet .. scheduled for THIS Friday, Apr. 9, at 7 PM at Oakland's Kaiser Center. Call Mrs. Bishop 535-1494 or the Seminary - PR 6-8082, at once, for possible late reservations. Speaker - Dean Wm. G. Bellshaw. Music: Violinist Barbara Winkler, Tenor Vic Hubbard, Organist Nelson Zarfes. Eight Baptist laymen to be honored.

..Chaplain Wm. Sloan Coffin, Jr. of Yale recently spoke at Southern Methodist University in Dallas. The Christian Century reporting this on Mar. 31, 1965 said of him: "As a veteran civil rights demonstrator with jail experiences in Montgomery in 1961, Baltimore in 1963 and St. Augustine in 1964, Coffin urged the students to become active in the civil rights struggle." I find that Paul was in jail in Jerusalem, Caesarea, Philippi, and Rome - but this was for the gospel of the blood of Christ, not for civil disobedience. Paul not only taught the importance of obeying the laws (Romans 13) but acknowledged the validity of the death penalty (Acts 25 : 11).

..Sloan Coffin's idea of pornography.... The Century reported further that while at SMU Coffin "argued that pictures showing police dogs being loosed on Negro citizens are far more pronographic and dangerous to viewers than is the sexual pornography in many contemporary movies and magazines." Quite a statement for one with perverted moral views.

..Rev. C. Fain Kyle, a brilliant minister of the colored race in Richmond, told the Pastor on Friday as they sat together at the Capitol that Martin Luther King is a multimillionaire and growing more wealthy by the hour on the civil rights struggle. For verification, write Bishop Kyle: Box 1366, Richmond, Calif.

..We commend Judge Robt. H. Kroninger who said upon sentencing three UC demonstrators, according to the Chicago Tribune, Dec. 24, 1964: "Resistance to the rule of law, whether active or passive, is intollerable, and to describe criminal conduct as civil disobedience is to make words meaningless."

..Rabbi Herbert Morris of Temple Judea was announced as speaker for this Monday at Simpson Bible College in San Francisco, a Christian and Missionary Alliance School, according to the Chronicle of April 3, 1965.

..CHICO GRACE CONT'D..general division in the United States." Enterprise-Record, 3-29-65.

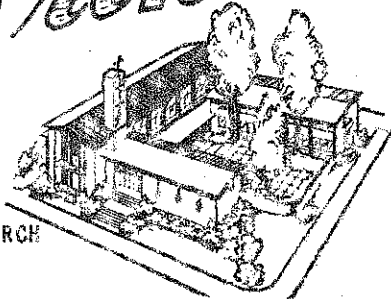
..Christianity isn't worth the snap of your finger if it doesn't straighten out your character."

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## THE UNBELIEVABLE PART OF THE NEWS

Mt. Hermon Bible Conference announces as head speaker for their July 18-24 Family Conference, in cooperation with Berkeley First Presbyterian Church, one of the leading ecumenical modernists of our day - Dr. John A. Mackay. He is regarded as one of the prominent leftwing theologians in America. His lengthy record of pro-Marxist activities is listed on pp. 97, 98, 99 of the Circuit Riders Book "658 Clergymen and Laymen" of the NCC. He has 43 listings in support of causes being vigorously championed by the Communist Party. Read it and instead of just weeping, write a letter to Director Wm. Gwinn, Mt. Hermon, Calif.

Barrington College Inauguration speaker on the elevation of Howard Ferrin as Chancellor on May 7 and 8 at 65th Anniversary Convocation - Dr. John A. Mackay, the noted Princeton neo-orthodox theologian who has a strong affinity for radical leftwing activities. What an affront to every fundamentalist dollar given to this school.

The Hartford Avenue Baptist Church honored a Communist speaker on Apr. 3, according to Detroit Free Press of Apr. 4, 1965. "Claude Lightfoot is a 55-year-old Chicago Negro who has spent his life in the Communist Party. He is one of the most widely known American communists". He said he is encouraged by the "new attitude" of the U.S. churches. The Shameful New Morality. The Minneapolis Star of Mar. 29, 1965: "A score of students from five Twin Cities' seminaries will make history tonight when they start a course together on 'the new morality'. The two-hour weekly course will be co-sponsored by Bethel Seminary (Baptist) ... and St. Paul Seminary (Roman Catholic)." Swedish Baptists should write Dr. Carl Lundquist, President of Bethel to find out Bethel's justification for cooperating in this kind of program. The New Morality is misnamed. It should be the "New Immorality".

To study expanded trade with Reds the President has recently appointed an all-member committee, whose chairman is J. Irwin Miller, former president of the National Council of Churches. Since the NCC is already on record for diplomatic recognition of Red China and China's admission to UN, the committee on favorable report is a foregone conclusion.

## THE GREATEST CBF PROGRAM IN YEARS

The Conservative Baptist Fellowship is sponsoring its annual national meeting at Beth Eden Baptist Church in Denver, May 28-31, 1965. The headline speaker with four significant addresses is Dr. George W. Dollar, a Baptist professor at Dallas Seminary. Also listed for main addresses: Dr. Monroe Parker, Dean Earl Bohnett, Dr. R.V. Clearwaters, Dr. Warren Vanhetloo, Missionary George Menzies, Dr. Bryce B. Augsburg, Dr. Earle E. Matteson, Dr. Arno Q. Weniger, Dr. M. James Hollowood, Dr. H. LaVern Schafer, Dr. G. Archer Weniger, Robert L. Mosier, and others. Giant Missionary Rally on Sunday, May 30 at 2 PM. CBF Banquet on May 31 at 5:30 PM. Dr. Lee B. Long will introduce a number of missionaries. Kyle Wilson will be song leader. At least 50 leaders will have some part on the program.

## MAGNIFICENT EASTER CHORAL CONCERT

On Easter Sunday evening at 7 PM our Church will have the musical pleasure of hearing the Bay Area concert of the Western Baptist Bible College Choir under the direction of Richard Caulkins, with Dave Morrison as assistant conductor. This 32-voice group has just completed an extensive tour thru the Pacific Northwest. The message of the evening will be by the new college president - Dr. Fred Brock. Let's have a large and enthusiastic crowd waiting upon their ministry.

..Dr. Paul H. A. Noren, pastor of Denver Augustana Lutheran Church and Chaplain to the Colorado State Senate, is quoted in the Denver Post of Mar. 20, 1965 on Capital Punishment: "I am unalterably opposed to it. I simply feel that this is not the answer, in a civilized society, to curbing crime. The basic problem, it seems to me, is a respect for life - even one that has gone wrong. We seek to redeem life rather than destroy it." Dr. Noren is chairman of the forthcoming Denver Graham Crusade. This is the typical modernist reaction to God's command for capital punishment.

..Brother Marvin Jones, graduate of Pillsbury College and San Francisco Baptist Seminary, will assume his new pastorate Sunday at the Neighborhood Baptist Church at Orangevale on Sunday.

..Only let Him have a free hand!

## LOCAL CHURCH DEVELOPMENTS

..The annual election of the Church will be held this Wednesday, April 14, along with the adoption of the financial budget for the year. All members concerned with the spiritual welfare of our Church should be there.

..Read the Bible through..Joshua 22 - Judges 13; Acts 3-9.

..Bring memorial Easter lilies to the Church on Saturday afternoon, April 17. Phone the Church Office (534-5225) well in advance to advise of the names of loved ones being remembered.

Good Friday service in Castro Valley at the Trinity Baptist Church, Somerset Road near Chabot, with offering going to the San Francisco Seminary. Speakers: Prof. J. Richard Muntz, Pastor W. Glen Roades, Dr. Eugene Petersen.

..Brother Evert Johnson has accepted the call to the Bellvue Community Church, four miles out of Santa Rosa on Todd Road, with plans to move his family up there in due course. We pray God's blessing upon these good people. Brother Johnson has served faithfully as a deacon of our Church.

..Citizen's Committee for Common Sense in public schools recommends for the Apr. 20 election: City Council - Larry McNutt and Albert E. Lobello. City Auditor - Alan Brizee, Schoolboard: Dunstan, Lindsay Hoopes, Atthowe.

..Irene Granlund Forsey piano students of advanced group will have an Easter recital this Friday, Apr. 16 at 7:30 PM at the home of Dr. and Mrs. G. Archer Weniger, 70 Crestmont Drive, Oakland. Open to parents of the students.

..Responding to the invitation last Sunday: Janice Hall by Letter; Peggy Williams to receive Christ as her Saviour. Rededication: Mrs. Shirley Powers and Miss Shirley Brown.

..Contributions through the Church: W. Murrell, Barbara Jones, Edward Fortini, Mrs. Nora Holley and Mrs. Florence Cunningham.

..A special Easter offering of 30 pieces of silver is being suggested in many churches across the land as that which is right and proper. Instead of using our money to betray the Saviour, we also encourage good stewardship by using our money at this season of the year in loving sacrifice and devotion to the cause nearest to His heart.

..The Easter offering project will be used for carpeting of seven stairs of the Church, which will cost several hundred dollars. Special Easter envelopes are provided in the pew holders at the Church for those interested.

..Fremont pastor, Noel Glover let it be known recently that he was not interested in forming a new area CB association when approached by another local pastor. Apparently the idea is dead for the moment with several denials being circulated, including an abusive letter by one pastor who gives the impression he never heard of the idea. The Blu-Print does not answer abusive letters.

..Deacon Kyle Pemberton was among eight distinguished Baptist laymen from a three state area honored with special Laymen Citations at the Seminary Spring Banquet.

## INTERCHURCH NEWS FOR CONSERVATIVES

..Biola Bible Conference, with Dr. Sam Sutherland, has scheduled Dr. Robt. Smith of the Bethel faculty as one of the main speakers for their Mt. Hermon Bible Conference August 8-14, along with Dr. Ralph Keiper of Eternity magazine.

..Dr. Arthur S. Bratrud, distinguished physician for 50 years and noted University of Minnesota medical school surgeon, has been in a critically weak condition in Riverside. His wife, Harriett, a noted CBA leader, has been staying at Massacre Canyon Inn, Gilman Hot Springs during this time.

.."The Death Penalty Commanded in the Bible" is the title of an excellent article by Dr. John R. Rice, in the Sword of the Lord, March 12, 1965. Copies of the paper are 10¢ each: Box 1099, Murfreesboro, Tennessee.

..Episcopal Rector David A. Edman, son of Wheaton College Chancellor V. R. Edman, has quite an article in the modernist Christian Century for Apr. 14, 1965 entitled "Prayermongering at the Public Library", in which he objects to prayer at American secular functions.

..The Commencement Address for Baptist Bible College of Denver will be given by Dr. George W. Dollar of Dallas Seminary, on Thursday, May 27.

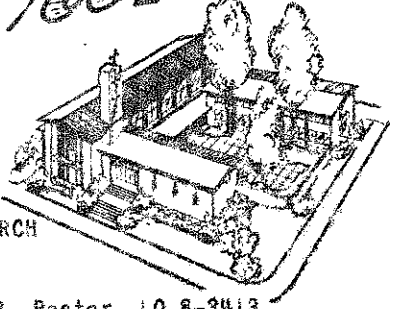
..What is the "Dialogue"? It's not contacting publicans as sinners, as Jesus did, with a view of winning them to Christ. "The Living Church" (Episcopal) for Mar. 14, 1965 quotes Rev. John H. Rodgers, Jr. of Virginia Theo. Seminary: "Dialogue is not silence, not polemics, not false irenics, not conversion", Dr. Rodgers said. "It is the overcoming of isolation that breaks us into power groups. It is trusting the other person to speak honestly and genuinely. It requires that we be informed of our own tradition and have a sincere desire actually to learn the other person's tradition. We must have a sense of repentance and a willingness to face the issues that separate us and those that join us."

..Rattlesnakes and modernists..The late Donald Grey Barnhouse wrote in Revelation magazine, June 1932 (p. 246) - "A rattlesnake is held in higher respect among western plainsmen than those other more deadly serpents which strike unannounced from a covert from which an unsuspecting hand thinks to draw a prairie flower. The respect we would give to an openly avowed Unitarian, agnostic or atheist is greater than that which we accord a liberal within the denomination. Modernists may not know it but they are dishonest and their ignorance is the only thing that saves them from the loathing of honest men. It is easy to forgive ignorance but honest men find it hard to forgive downright dishonesty."

..Immanuel Kant on the Bible.. "The Bible is the Book, the contents of which testify to its Divine origin. The greatness of the plan of salvation and its execution would disclose unto us the greatness of our guilt and the depth of our fall. The Bible is my greatest treasure: without it I should be miserable." "Listen! God Speaks", Gaebelain.

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WCBM MISSIONARY'S HOME DESTROYED BY KILLER TORNADOS IN INDIANA LAST WEEK

Conservative Baptists will be pleased to learn that WCBM missionaries Garland Kincaid and family are safe though the tornado of Sunday, April 11 leveled their home in the Kokomo, Indiana area. Two days prior to the tornado they had just announced their assurance from the Lord that they were to work in Mexico. Dr. Lee Long of the WCBM office in Chicago indicated in a letter of April 15 that the damages would probably be in the thousands of dollars. They had no insurance covering this contingency. Churches, classes, mission societies wishing to offer help at this time are urged to send their gifts to: Kincaid Emergency Fund, c/o World Conservative Baptist Mission, 2561 North Clark Street, Chicago, Illinois 60614.

WE NEVER EXPECTED ANYTHING LIKE THIS

The Roger Williams Fellowship is the rather small group of highly influential radical modernistic leaders who control the American Baptist Convention. The RWF paper "Baptist Freedom" for April 1965, which has gone nationwide, announces that they will hold their fellowship supper at the First Baptist Church of San Francisco, Market and Octavia, on Wednesday, May 19. At this time Dr. Robert Arnott of the Berkeley Divinity School, will lead a panel on "The Theological Implications of Extremism in America". One can imagine what an orgy of smear and inuendo this will become against every patriotic group and leader in the country who have taken an anti-communist position. It appears that this is taking advantage of the new pastor, Dr. John B. Streater, who is new to this pastorate having come recently from Florida. We have reason to believe that he loves the Faith which is denied by these liberal radicals and that he has strong patriotic ties to his nation not shared by these social gospel internationalists. We don't think he will appreciate giving this group privileged sanctuary while they tear conservatives to shreds. This is the church where CBFMS missionaries Dan Carr and family are members. Friends of the pastor might well write him a word of encouragement.

CONSERVATIVE BAPTIST FELLOWSHIP DENVER PROGRAM INVOLVES FOUR DAYS OF INSPIRATION

Detailed programs of the four days of fellowship of the forthcoming CBF annual national meetings in Denver's Beth Eden Baptist Church, 3241 Lowell Blvd., will be available soon at the national CBF office at 2561 North Clark Street, Chicago 14, Illinois. Host pastor is Dr. Earle E. Matteson. Song leader for the conference will be Kyle Wilson. Former CBF presidents invited to have part on the program include: Dr. J. Palmer Muntz, Dr. Wm. H. Murk, Dr. Sam Bradford, Dr. Richard Clearwaters, Presiding at key sessions will be: Dr. Roy H. Austin, Dr. Richard C. Weeks, Dr. Earle E. Matteson, Dr. Ernest Pickering, Dr. N.A. Weins, Dr. Bryce B. Augsburg; Dr. Warren Dafoe, Dr. Mitchell E. Seidler, and Dr. G. Archer Weniger. Schools being presented will include Baptist Bible College, Pillsbury Conservative Baptist College, Central Conservative Baptist Seminary, and San Francisco Conservative Baptist Seminary. Music is being supplied generously by the Beth Eden staff. Two of the movements finest Bible teachers will represent the two seminary faculties: Dr. Warren Vanhetloo and Dr. H. La Vern Schafer. Several state CBA leaders will participate including Dr. Felix Runquist, Dr. M. James Hollowood, Chester Hallberg. The WCBM annual business meeting will be May 29 at 9 AM. The annual business meeting of the CBF will be May 31 at 9 AM. The Committee of 21 exploring the wisdom of a new separatistic association will report on May 28 at 1:30 PM. A giant missionary rally of the WCBM will be held Sunday, May 30 at 2 PM. The final session at 7 PM on May 31 will include messages by Dr. George Dollar and Dr. R. V. Clearwaters. It may develop as the largest and most important gathering of the CBF since the 1946 sessions at the Grand Rapids Mel Trotter Mission when 1700 were registered. ..The shameless immorality on the Selma march to Montgomery is detailed in a speech by Representative Wm. L. Dickinson and contained in the Congressional Record for Mar. 30, 1965. Write him for copies for wide distribution. Remember the tents and latrines for this march were set up by 50 Presbyterian Seminary students under Dr. Theo. Gill. ..Measure all by the Cross!

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LOCAL CHURCH DEVELOPMENTS

..Missionary Larry Hagen of Japan will be in the pulpit at 7 PM this Sunday, during his present visit of several weeks to Northern California before returning to Japan in a few months with his family under appointment of the WCBM. We have offered our missionary apartment to him while here.

..Tickets are now available at \$1.50 for the Mother and Daughter Banquet on Friday May 7 at 6:30 PM. They may be purchased from your Circle chairmen: Nelly Lyles, Alma Rutter, Edna Thompson, Ollie Oliver, and Sonnely Dunwoody.

..Concerning the secretarial position .. As a result of a new development, the Pastor's secretary, Marjorie Mackenzie, has postponed her departure, during which time she will be available for assistance in the Church Office.

Officers and Teachers meeting Thursday at 7:30 PM in the Lower Auditorium, at which time Prof. J. Richard Muntz of the San Francisco Baptist Seminary will speak. All ten Supts. plus each teacher, secretary and substitute are urged to attend. Supt. Finis Lyles will preside. The Pastor will speak briefly.

..The WBBC Concert was superb..Our Church was treated to some of the most listenable acapella music ever given by a college choir in our Church last Sunday evening. The selections, production and spirit of this Choir was one of the best. We pay high tribute to Director Richard Caulkins. The brass trio was excellent. It was good to have President Fred R. Brock with us. We were proud to have presented them.

First ball game of the season this Friday, Apr. 23, 8:45 PM at McConnell Field 7921 Olive when we play Trinity Baptist Church of Castro Valley. Larry McNutt is Coach. Don Wickstrom is Athletic Director. Roger Lee, assistant.

..The Ordinance of Believer's Baptism .. will be administered Sunday evening by the Pastor with believers yielding to the Lordship of Christ in this act of obedience to the Christian life. Believers wishing to submit to this rite are asked to respond to the Invitation Sunday morning.

..Annual reports are requested no later than May 1 from all general officers, chairmen of all boards and standing committees of the Church, in addition to League counselors and presidents plus all auxiliary agencies within the life of the Church.

..Contributions through the Church.. P. Hackstedde, Mr. and Mrs. M. U. Blake, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Fortini, Mrs. Ollie Oliver, C. Cording, L. Silver, W. Murrell.

The Annual Church Dinner is scheduled for Wednesday, May 19 at 6:30 PM in the Lower Auditorium, with dinner being provided by our Social Committee. Tickets will go on sale soon at \$1.50 for adults and 75¢ for children. Mrs. Lucille Lambert and her Social Committee are supervising the dinner.

..Pastor Harold Thomas indicated recently that for reasons of health he has had to resign from the Denver Seminary Board. He is listed in the latest Seminary catalog, a copy of which we have in the office.

INTERCHURCH NEWS FOR CONSERVATIVES

..A widespread demand has developed for the Pastor's recent article in the Sword of the Lord for Mar. 26, 1965 entitled "The Direct Attack Upon the Son of God by American Baptists". It is hoped that the article will be reproduced by the thousands for distribution, either by the Sword of the Lord or the Conservative Baptist Fellowship.

..The perverted thinking of liberals is seen in the editorial of the Episcopalian "Living Church" for April 4, 1965 calling for the abolition of capital punishment, on two "specifically Christian arguments" that the convicted murderer needs time for repentance and that execution denies the "sacred dignity" of human beings. God's judgment on human nature is that man is a sinner through and through. God never speaks of the "sacred dignity" of the most moral man, leave alone a depraved murderer.

..Princely dignity in the courts of heaven..This editorial states of the murderer: "The Christian mind knows this person as not only a nuisance but also an immortal soul, God's dearly beloved child, who must be dealt with - and never disposed of - on the basis of this awful truth about him." Imagine saying that we must "regard the lowliest and least, even the most vicious and depraved, as a child of God whose name rings with a princely dignity in the courts of heaven". Is there any stronger argument against capital punishment than this, for Christians?"

..We note with sincere grief that Christian governors are taking the lead in abolishing capital punishment. The recent activities of Gov. Frank Clement in Tennessee in violating the will of God after he lost a narrow attempt to abolish capital punishment is deplored. The simple argument for Christians is that God has commanded it, not once, but in every book of the Pentateuch and elsewhere. Christians should distribute Dean Wm. G. Bellshaw's excellent folder on this burning issue of our time.

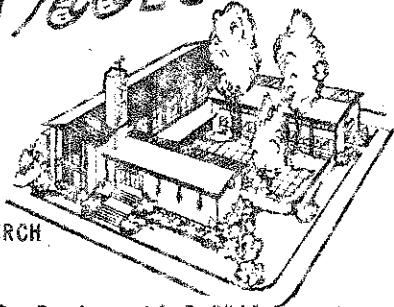
..Dr. Carl McIntire could not accept the Pastor's invitation to come to this area for a great Rally on Sunday, June 27 when another Cow Palace Inter-Faith Festival will be held commemorating the 20th anniversary of the UN. He will be in Miami for the Baptist World Alliance meeting at which time he will conduct a large protest meeting against the Russian Baptist agents at the WBA meeting.

..Mario Savio honored by L.A. Church .. The Oakland Tribune for April 14 carried the story about the development at the Los Angeles First Unitarian Church: "Mario Saviour, leader of the Free Speech Movement on the University of California Berkeley Campus, will be honored by a church unit here Friday for 'outstanding service in the field of social justice.'" What a disgrace!

..National Association of Evangelicals have endorsed the Revised Standard Version of the National Council of Churches in folders and ads by Christian Heritage magazine and Christ's Mission, Inc. promoting their new RC - RSV New Testament. These leaders: Dr. Clyde W. Taylor, Dr. Paul S. James, Dr. Frank E. Gaebelin.

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The San Francisco Baptist Seminary will hold its graduation exercises Monday, May 3 at 7:45 PM at the Hamilton Square Baptist Church, Geary and Franklin, San Francisco. Marching in the colorful procession in academic robes will be members of the faculty, trustees, administration, graduates and special guests. Fundamental Baptists from all over the West are expected to attend the service. The Seminary will confer degrees on its largest graduation class in its relatively short history - six BD degrees, one ThM degree, and one honorary doctorate. Some are expected to attend from 1500 miles distance. The address of the evening will be by Dr. Earle E. Matteson, pastor of Beth Eden Baptist Church of Denver and chairman of the board of the Baptist Bible College. The cause of Christ will be the richer because of these young men being sent into the pastorate and the mission fields. Pastors and friends from all over Northern California are urged to attend to show a deep interest in these young men who have "finished the course" and who will be honored at this time. This is a glad occasion. Every friend of the Seminary is urged to fill up the car with believers in Christ and enjoy a pleasant evening together. Refreshments afterward. Nursery provided for little ones.

## THE MODERNISM WHICH DR. MACKAY APPROVES

It is a matter of deep concern that Dr. John A. Mackay is being boldly announced by Mt. Hermon Bible Conference as main speaker for its Family Conference of July 18-24, 1965. The type of unbelief he approves is found in the Westminster Study Edition of the Holy Bible, a popular one-volume commentary published in 1948 by the Westminster Press. Dr. Mackay was one of eleven joint editors. Prof. R. Laird Harris in commenting on this volume said: "The book is quite definite in its denial of the precious truths of God's Word. It is not merely a commentary. It is an attack from the well-known direction of the higher criticism." The position of this book questioning the authorship of the books of Moses, the unity of Isaiah, the dating of Daniel, the miracles of the Old Testament, the truths of the (Cont'd 2)

## BISHOP PIKE AND HIS 400,000 MINISTERS

We have often wondered how many clergymen are in the United States. Now we know, because Bishop Pike is quoted in his "Pacific Churchman" for April 1965, when he declared about the South that "we must send wave upon wave of the clergy, of whom there are 400,000 in the United States, until the police have exhausted their tear gas on them, broken their cattle prods and dissipated their ammunition." We can't be sure he would be able to enlist all 400,000 in his civil disobedience campaign against constituted authority, but really it is a frightening possibility that he could influence any in his campaign. We find it hard to believe that Bishop Pike is, as some of his fellow Episcopalians believe, a Leninist plant inside their church. However, our interest in the 400,000 is along a different line. Fundamentalists can't forget the ministerial survey made by Opinion Research Corp. at a cost of \$20,000 to Christianity Today and published on pp. 27-28 of their Oct. 10, 1960 issue. "Of these, the pollsters designated two per cent of the ministers as communists, 10 per cent as socialist and 15 per cent as fellow-travellers in their economic outlook, these being predominately liberal and neo-orthodox in theological stance." Figure this out for yourself. On the basis of 400,000 ministers, this would make 8,000 communists; 40,000 socialists 60,000 fellow-travellers. This would make a total of 108,000 clergymen in the United States with a decided Marxist sympathy. Keep in mind that this is a scientific survey by independent professional experts in this field. Imagine how easy the communist revolution would be if the street-fighting were led by these radical, left-wing apostate ministers. Read II Cor. 11:13-15.

## HARRY IRONSIDE DEFENDS SCOFIELD BIBLE

"I always grieve to learn of petty attacks on this monumental work. When I find teachers going out of their way to cast aspersions on it, I feel certain something is radically wrong with their own theology. But the Scofield Bible will remain as a lasting memorial of ripe scholarship and spiritual exegesis long after these carping critics (P. 2)

..An anonymous letter was received by the Pastor this past week from some courageous soul who got timid at the last minute, and didn't sign his name. May we suggest that the writer identify himself and then we will be glad to send him a personal reply. We have to fight continually to keep from having contempt for such letters.

The weekly paper "Tocsin" must be supported at all costs. Every person who loves this country and hates Communism should sit right down and send "Tocsin" \$10 before the day is out. This paper is doing the most necessary, strategic, and truthful job on Communism of any paper in the West. 5765 Claremont Ave. Oakland 94618.

..Read the Bible through..I Sam. 5:20 - Acts 17-23.

..The Pastor sent an article on Capital Punishment to a certain lady in Michigan. She wrote this week: "I sent it along with several others, to a legislator in Tennessee a few weeks back - and he tells me the material I sent was what turned the tide and prevented the Tenn. legislature from passing a bill to abolish."

..Our Church softball team plays its second game of the CBA League schedule next Friday, Apr. 30 at 7 PM against the Fremont Comets at Castro Valley Community Center Field, 3683 Quail Ave. If they have plenty of rooters in the stands they can take the championship!

..Missionary Sharon Clark who made so many friends around our Church this past year, plans on sailing from New Orleans on Sept. 14, to Uruguay. She and Dortha Onstott are planning to go together, under appointment with the WCBM.

..Baccalaureate Services next Sunday afternoon at 3 PM for the San Francisco Baptist Seminary at Castro Valley Trinity Baptist Church with Dr. David J. Laurie as speaker. Nursery to be provided. It should be a highly profitable time at this Church, of which Dr. Eugene J. Peterson is pastor.

..A great missionary rally is scheduled for Sunday, May 30 at 3 PM at Beth Eden Baptist Church, with the address being brought by Dr. Bryce B. Augsburg. Dr. Lee Long will introduce a number of missionaries who, it is hoped, will have their support underwritten and ready for sailing right after Denver. This fall will see many WCBM missionaries thrust forth to the fields if the churches underwrite them soon.

..Mrs. Darlene Rose of Borneo will be the speaker at the Mothers and Daughters Banquet, Friday, May 7 at \$1.50 a ticket in the Lower Auditorium. She can draw on 27 years of fascinating experience of the miracles of God's grace. Get your ticket from: Nelly Lyles, Alma Rutter, Sonnelly Dunwoody, Ollie Oliver, Edna Thompson.

..Brother Roger Moore, son of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Moore of our Church, receives his degree on May 16 and has already accepted a call as youth director at the Grace Baptist Church in Walnut Creek. We wish Roger and Phyllis success in their new work.

..MODERNISM CONT'D..virgin birth, the resurrection, and the ascension show clearly the acceptance of higher critical views of the Bible by Dr. Mackay and friends.

..Correction..The Blu-Print of March 9, 1965 in a story on the upcoming Festival of Faith planned for June 27 at the Cow Palace on the UN 20th Anniversary indicated that Joseph G. Kennedy who sent out the letter of invitation, was chairman of the Inquiry Committee of the 1958 Crusade. We were in error, even though both Joseph Kennedy's have the same name. The chairman of the Inquiry Committee is Joseph Kennedy who is now one of Bishop Pike's priests serving in El Cerrito. Dr. Carl G. Howie, co-chairman of the 1958 Graham Crusade and Mrs. Wm. Lister Rogers, co-chairman of Graham finance committee are issuing the Festival of Faith invitation along with Roman Catholic Archbishop McGucken.

..Dr. Bob Jones Jr. has just announced that the Baccalaureate speaker at BJU graduating exercises on Sunday, May 30, 10:30 AM is Dr. Charles Poling, noted Presbyterian leader who recently separated from the Presbyterian Church.

..Bethel College Focus for Jan. - Feb. 1965 has an eight-inch book review in glowing praise of one of the books by Dr. Ralph Sockman, noted Methodist liberal. There is not one criticism of the book and not one intimation that Dr. Sockman denies the essentials of the Faith.

..Dr. Chester E. Tulga will bring one of the main addresses of the Conservative Baptist Home Mission Society in Denver at the Hilton Hotel, Thursday, June 3. Conservative Baptists are entitled to know the details of the arrangement by which Dr. Tulga got back into good graces of the CBHMS.

..CBHMS solidly supported this Resolution on Jan. 19, 1955, which severely censored Dr. Tulga: "WHEREAS, the Research Secretary of the CBF (Dr. Chester E. Tulga, Editor) has for many months bitterly and destructively criticized some of the Conservative Baptist agencies and leaders within our movement" etc. etc. The final paragraph: "RESOLVED, that unless the CBF Board can assure themselves that they can control their editorial policy, this representative body implore the CBF to discontinue the services of the present Research Secretary at the expiration of his present contract." We do not know when this has been retracted by CBHMS leaders. Either the CBHMS has changed or Dr. Tulga has changed.

..Dr. Lee B. Long of Chicago has just indicated that the Sword of the Lord article by Dr. Weniger entitled, "The Direct Attack on the Son of God by American Baptists", showing extensive denials of the deity of Christ, which appeared Mar. 26, 1965, will be made available at the CBF meetings in Denver, May 28-31.

.. "Christianity isn't worth the snap of your finger if it doesn't straighten out your character."

..HARRY IRONSIDE CONT'D..and their foolish objections have been forgotten. The Saviour's test, 'By their fruits ye shall know them', may be safely applied to books as well as to persons. The Scofield Bible has borne rich fruit in consecrated lives and Christ-like devotion to the cause of evangelism. It has thus the divine seal upon it." Revelation, March 1937 (p. 96).

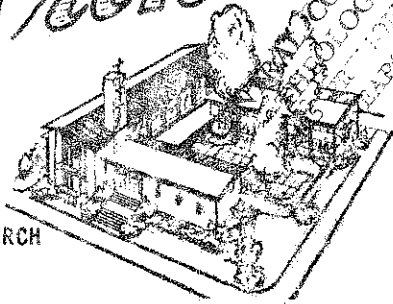


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## PILLSBURY ACCEPTS PARKER'S RESIGNATION

Dr. Monroe Parker "rocked" the Conservative Baptist movement with his announcement last week before Pillsbury Chapel of his resignation as president of Pillsbury College, a position which he had held with distinction since 1958. The Board voted to refuse his resignation last Friday, but he insisted that the pressure of evangelistic meetings all over the nation had forced him to this action. Dr. Parker has built Pillsbury from 104 students in 1958 to 500 students and he merits the gratitude of multitudes of Bible-believing people. Pray earnestly for the Board's selection of his successor. We wish him the best as he launches out in an intensive series of evangelistic meetings that may well help restore evangelism to its Biblical position in America. He is one of the best.

## NORTHWESTERN SCHOOL CLOSES DOORS

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Reports coming out of Minneapolis indicate that on April 27, 1965 Pres. Curtis Akenson went before the student body of less than 200 to announce that the Board was closing the school at the end of the semester, terminating in less than 20 years the tremendous lifework of Dr. W. B. Riley who founded Northwestern in 1902. When Dr. Riley died in 1947 he committed the three schools to Dr. Billy Graham who served until 1951 when his entire administration resigned after the general operating budget went into a \$130,000 deficit. Dr. Richard Elvee of the GARB Council of Fourteen was called as president. During his three-year administration he succeeded in closing the Seminary which had 72 students. Mrs. W. B. Riley then threw her weight behind Dr. Curtis Akenson who proceeded to eliminate the Bible institute and have an undergraduate liberal arts college with a strong neo-evangelicalist stamp. Latest report is that these valuable properties will be turned over to the Graham evangelistic association. Many Northwestern graduates of the Riley-type of fundamentalists believe that the school should be turned over to a completely new Board composed of Northwestern ministerial alumni who would continue the school in the fundamentalist direction of the founder.

## DECEPTIVE NEO-ORTHODOX MODERNISM OF MT. HERMON FAMILY CONFERENCE SPEAKER

Dr. John A. Mackay, the announced main speaker for the Mt. Hermon Family Conference for July 18-24, 1965, dishes up his modernism in almost imperceptible terminology. In "Theology Today" for Oct. 1956, however, he comes out into the open on the Bible. "How liberating it has been for Christian faith - mine and a multitude of others - that a high view of Holy Scriptures and the reality of Biblical authority is not bound up with the genetic or historical problem of the composition of the books. Barth has taught Christians in our generation that it is more important to listen to God in the Bible than it is to acquire all sorts of information about the Bible. Most important of all is the recognition that the Bible above all else bears witness to Jesus Christ - the Word made flesh, who is at once the core of the Biblical revelation and the clue to the interpretation of the Book." In other words, one can discard the virgin birth and hold to the higher critical views of the Bible and still claim a "high view" of the Bible. The neo-orthodoxmodernist believes that God speaks "thru" the Bible on occasion. The Bible is not the objective Word of God but "becomes" the Word when God sees fit to use it. This modernistic view is that the Bible is not itself the Word of God, but a "witness" to the Word. One will fail completely in properly interpreting the Bible unless he believes implicitly that the Bible is the verbally inspired Word of God as it is approached.

## BAPTIST PUBLISHER HONORED WITH DOCTORATE

The honorary degree of "Doctor of Literature" was conferred upon Robert Lee Mosier, president of Baptist Publications of Denver, by the San Francisco Baptist Seminary on Monday, May 3, 1965 at the graduation exercises in San Francisco. This was in recognition of the valuable contribution Mr. Mosier has made in an immense amount of theological literature made available to the churches through his firm. This marks the first time that a laymen was honored with a doctor's degree from the Seminary. This unusual honor has solid precedent in the area since two AATS (P. 2)

LOCAL CHURCH DEVELOPMENTS

..A glad day of decisions..Last Sunday our Church was blessed with the decision of Brother and Mrs. Norman Black and their daughter, Cheri, who come by Letter from the Community Baptist Church of Martinez. Brother Black is a gifted preacher and teacher.

..Read through the Bible..I Sam. 21 - II Sam. 5; Acts 25-Rom. 2.

..Our hearts go out to Marjo Johnson in the unexpected loss of her parents who were both killed in a lumber truck - car collision near Central Valley last Thursday. Her brother, Johnny, 14, lies in critical condition at Redding Memorial Hospital. The Pastor had the double services at Robinson's Chapel on Tuesday, with burial Friday in Cabool, Missouri.

Last minute tickets available for the Mothers and Daughters Banquet, Friday at 6:30 PM, with reservations at \$1.50. The Lower Auditorium will be decorated beautifully for the occasion. Mrs. Jerry (Darlene) Rose, a fascinating missionary speaker with many years in Borneo, will bring the message. Be sure to phone: Mrs. Finis Lyles KE 2-8929 or Estelle Stewart 535-0277.

..Our softball team plays the Fremont Crusaders this Friday, 8:45 PM at Castro Valley Community Center Field, 3683 Quail. They lost the game last Friday to the Calvary Comets.

..New officers of the Deacons.. Floyd Moore, Chm., First Vice-Chm. - Wm. G. Bellshaw; Second Vice-Chm. - Raymand Harper; Secretary - Donald Wickstrom; Baptismal Committee - Richard Rollins and J. W. Stephens.

..The Dead Sea Scrolls on exhibit.. The Christian Homebuilders Training League are meeting Saturday, May 8 at 2:30 PM at the home of Prof. and Mrs. Art Raske, 1118 A San Pablo Avenue in Albany, from which they will go to see the world-famous Dead Sea Scrolls at the UC Anthropology Bldg. This amazing archeological find of 2,000 years contains the Psalm scroll of 12 feet, the Deuteronomy scroll, the Ten Commandments, and other fragments which are expected to draw thousands of people.

..Dedication of parents and babies next Sunday - Mother's Day at 11 AM. Among babies to be presented by their parents: Neal David Fisher, Cynthia Harder, Jay Michael Allender, Charlotte Allender, Tina Marie Fisher, Tammy Patricia Fisher, Ronald Lester Powers.

The Pastor preaches on Sunday - 11 A.M. "Jesus and the Women" - the Pastor's Mothers Day message; 7 P.M. - "What About the Ordination of Women?"

..Congratulations to Dr. Fred Brock who was elevated last week by the Board as president of Western Baptist Bible College of El Cerrito. His inauguration will be Monday, May 31 at 6 p.m. as the third president. He succeeds Dr. H. O. Van Gilder. At commencement on June 1, the honorary doctor of divinity degree will be conferred on Harold L. Scholes of Seattle Gatewood Baptist.

..Newly elected choir officers: Pres. - Estelle Stewart; Soc. Chm. - Ila Pemberton; Robe Chm. - Juanita Krauss; Radio Chm. - Evelyn Moore; Sec-Treas. - Linda Morrison.

INTERCHURCH NEWS FOR CONSERVATIVES

..Our warmest congratulations to Prof. Charles A. Hauser, Jr. of the San Francisco Baptist Seminary faculty who emerged a startling winner as the top vote getter in the April 20 election for the school board in Pacifica. He soundly defeated the brother of White House pressman Pierre Sallinger, George Sallinger. Dr. Hauser was first in a field of nine. Sallinger ran seventh.

..Pastor Paul Peterson, has engaged the Leamington Hotel's Holiday Room for an Oakland rally on Friday, May 21 at 7:45 PM on the subject: "Why the National Council of Churches Sabotages Our War on Communism". Open to the public. No admission charge. Brother Peterson of the Burbank First Baptist Church is a graduate of Berkeley Baptist Divinity School. We warmly endorse this rally.

..Christian Heritage commends Barth.. In April 1963 this magazine which is oriented in the direction of New Evangelicalism had not one word of criticism in a lengthy review of Barth's "Evangelical Theology". The final paragraph: "Dr. Barth is to be commended for his staunch stand in maintaining that the Bible is the touchstone of all true theology, which 'can only exist and remain in vigorous motion when its eyes are fixed on the God of the gospel'." Dr. Barth does not believe the Bible as such to be the objective Word of the Living God. This is a misrepresentation of his unbelieving position.

..Governor Mark Hatfield, trustee of Western Baptist Seminary, addressed 700 on April 29 at the annual dinner of the Conference of Christians and Jews of Northern California at the Fairmont Hotel, according to the S.F. Examiner of April 30, 1965.

..The Bible is not authoratative nor trustworthy in all matters, says Dr. Jn. A. Mackay. In Presbyterian Life, Dec. 24, 1955, "Moreover, being a book about redemption, the Bible is authoratative only in its own particular sphere. As a document with a history, it is to be studied and investigated with the most rigorous and scientific criteria." In the light of Heb. 4:12, it takes a lot of nerve to sit in judgment upon the Bible. The Bible sits in judgment upon man.

..A distinguished Negro minister, Bishop C. Fain Kyle, delivered a radio address over 50,000 watt KFAX San Francisco on May 1, 1965, entitled "Is Martin Luther King the Anti-Christ or Man of Sin?" It may be secured by writing to him: Box 1366, Richmond, Calif. 94801.

..We just learned this about Bethel Seminary and College in St. Paul, that Dr. Nels F.S. Ferre spoke on the campus at two classes sometime ago. President Carl Lundquist reportedly defended him on the grounds that there were things to be gained from a man like Ferre. Bethel has had a long list of modernists speak to the students including: T. Adams B. Mays, L. Weigle, K. Latourette, etc.

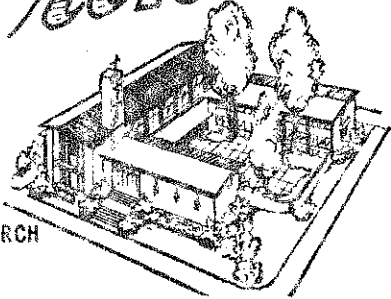
..BAPTIST PUBLISHER CONT'D.. seminaries had been granting this degree to laymen for several years.

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## MT. HERMON FAMILY CONFERENCE SPEAKER SAYS O.T. SETS FORTH GOD AS TRIBAL DEITY

Dr. John A. Mackay, famous ecumenical neo-orthodox theologian, is scheduled to be the main speaker for Mt. Hermon Family Conference July 18-24, 1965. His modernism comes to the surface in his book "Heritage and Destiny" in which he says (p. 17) concerning the Old Testament, "The narrative, taken as a whole, aims at conveying the idea that, first under the lowly form of a tribal deity, the one universal God, the 'god of the whole earth', manifested himself in the life of Israel." Dr. Mackay's idea of the God of the Old Testament being a "tribal deity" is not far from the "Dirty Bully" idea of Bishop B. Oxnam, or Dr. G. Buttrick's idea of a sacrifice-requiring God when he said, "Your God is my Devil." In "Theology Today" (October 1956) Dr. Mackay had a glowing article on Karl Barth entitled "A Lyrical Tribute to Karl Barth." Dr. Mackay states his own Barthian position in "The Journal of Religion", Jan. 1937 in an article entitled, "Historical and Superhistorical Elements in Christianity."

..Vicious attack on morals of Bible..The Wilkes-Barre Record of Apr. 29, had an unbelievable headline: "Bible Full of Smut, Rector Tells Censoring Mothers of America." Episcopal Rector L. J. James of Pittston, Pa. is quoted: "We would remind the Mothers of America that the Bible is full of smut, it could never pass the censor's test. There is sodomy, incest, rape, murder, castration, pillaging, witchcraft, and almost any perversion known to man. Let the Mothers of America read the Bible and ban it." It is a lie to accuse the Bible of smut. The Bible condemns liars. II Cor. 11:13-15.

..Negro Bishop C. Fain Kyle in an address over powerful KPAX on May 1 states that politicians "are passing the word along throughout this nation that the team for 1968, on the democratic ticket is to be Hubert H. Humphrey for President, and as if that wasn't bad enough, just listen to this: Martin Luther King is to be nominated for Vice-President of these United States come 1968, according to reports in circulation." (Copies available: Box 1366, Richmond, Calif.)

..You are a lost man if you hope to escape drowning on any plank but Jesus Christ."

## DEAD SEA SCROLLS ON EXHIBIT AT U.C.

A great opportunity for groups in the Church to see one of the greatest archaeological finds of this century is made available daily, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. thru Sunday, May 30. The main feature is a 14-foot Psalms Scroll. Other scrolls and fragments include: The Ten Commandments, Exodus, Leviticus, Deuteronomy, Samuel and another Psalm. The Scrolls were first discovered in 1947 by a shepherd lad in some caves near the Dead Sea. These fragments date back some where between 250 BC and 68 AD. It is one of the most thrilling developments in human history.

## DR. TULGA WRITES A LETTER IN 1963

The CBHMS is advertising Dr. Chester Tulga as one of their main speakers for Thursday, June 3 at the Denver Hilton. Fundamentalists who wish no part of neo-evangelicalism are hoping that Dr. Tulga has not been engaged to downgrade the new mission society (WCBM) or the proposed new national association of separatist Baptists. On March 2, 1963, Dr. Tulga wrote to a prominent Colorado separatist leader: "Dear Brother \_\_\_\_\_: Your good letter at hand. It is an event. After I published my editorial asking the CB movement to repudiate the Denver Seminary, no one in Colorado ever asked me to speak. My enemies would not and my friends were afraid to, on account of the enmity of the Seminary. As you know, at Detroit Whittemore and his Seminary and CBFMS friends tried to throw me out and failed ... From that time neither Clearwaters or myself supported the seminary ... I was asked to crucify Kerr on charges which I was not permitted to know or examine and I don't do business that way. That is more Russian than American. Cedric Peterson asked me to trust my brethren, but experience has taught me to be wary of some brethren. I called Clearwaters from Denver and told him the whole frame up smelled to high heaven. I pled with him to come to Denver. He did but he never went back ... I admire you fellows for your stand. For the sake of the CB movement, don't give in."

..Dr. Carl McIntire's broadcast may be heard over KPER, Gilroy, at 10:30 AM at 1290 on the dial.

..Decisions on Sunday..A husband and wife confessed their faith in Christ as Savior at the morning service - Mr. and Mrs. Phil Herman responding to the invitation.

..Read the Bible through..I Sam. 21- II Sam. 5; Acts 24 - Rom. 2.

Bay Area CBA Ministers' Fellowship will have a special meeting next Thursday at 10 a.m. on the steps of Koreber Hall, University of Calif., College Ave. and Bancroft Way, to tour the famous Dead Sea Scrolls exhibit at the Museum of Anthropology.

..We note with pleasure the Scott Memorial Baptist Church "Scott Reminder" of May 9, which indicated that in the Mission Budget for \$54,573, that the San Francisco Baptist Seminary is included for \$600 per year. Also \$1200 for WCEM missionaries Garland Kincaid. Dr. Tim La Haye is the pastor of this energetic San Diego Church.

..Dean Wm. G. Bellshaw will be speaking in the Adult League for the next few weeks - one of the eight training leagues which meets at 6:00 PM every Sunday in the Main Auditorium of the Church.

..Growth of our Pillsbury College under Dr. Monroe Parker's leadership: 1957-58 - 102 students; 1958-59 - 129 students; 1959-60 - 190 students; 1960-61 - 258 students; 1961-62 - 348 students; 1962-63 - 412 students. (North Star Baptist, May 1963).

..Messengers elected to Denver meetings.. of all national associations and societies including WCEM, CBF, CBFMS, CBHMS, CBA and any others; Mrs. Ollie Oliver, Mrs. Ellen Bishop, Dean W. G. Bellshaw, Dr. and Mrs. Weniger.

..Homebuilder Training League elected new officers to begin June 1: Pres. - Dean Clark; VP - Richard Rollins; Sec. - Treas. - Mrs. Juanita Krauss; Social Chm. Edwin and Sally Sue McPherson; Publicity Chm. - Mrs. Phyllis Clark. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Rollins are counselors.

..Contributions through the Church.. Mr. and Mrs. Howard Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Finis E. Lyles, Mrs. Leona Lombardo, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Fortini, Carolyn Hamilton, Grace Long, Mrs. O. Busch.

Free housing accommodations in Denver are being provided for messengers to the Conservative Baptist Fellowship annual meetings May 28-31 at Beth Eden Baptist Church, providing advance reservations are made with Dr. Earle E. Matteson, 3241 Lowell Blvd., Denver 11, Colo. Hundreds are expected for a grand occasion.

..Our softball team plays Friday, May 14 at 8:45 PM against Manor Baptist Church at McConnell Field, 7921 Olive, Oakland, just off Bancroft Parkway. Let's have a good attendance.

..CBA Bay Area skating party for the young people, next Monday, May 17, 7:30 PM at Rollarena.

..The Seminary graduation exercises filled the auditorium of the Hamilton Square Baptist Church last Monday, with one of the largest crowds we have ever had. Eight men received degrees, including an honorary Doctor of Literature to Robert L. Mosier of Denver. The WMS scholarship award of \$25 was won by K. Dale Johnson for the best paper in English Bible Dept.

..Pres. J. Lester Harnish of the American Baptist Convention, wired Martin Luther King: "We are proud of your calm, dedicated and able leadership. All of America owes to you a debt of gratitude for your Christian spirit of non-violence, brilliant strategy and unique role of Mediator and Deliverer." ABC Crusader, May 1965, p. 13.

..Radical leftwingers meet at St. Mark's Lutheran next Friday: "What it Meant to Me to Go to Selma". Catholic Priest Eugene Boyle, Methodist Andrew Juvinall, Episcopalian Charles Carroll, and a couple of Catholic sisters. Host Pastor Ross Hidy is a close associate of the Graham team and a sponsor of their forthcoming Evangelistic Congress.

..Dr. John A. Mackay's Barrington College series of lectures on May 7 and 8 leave us baffled. He speaks for Howard Ferrin's inauguration as Chancellor. Dr. Ferrin was for many years president of African Inland Mission (fundamental). Dr. Mackay was for years president of the International Missionary Council (modernist).

..Union is not necessarily good, nor is division necessarily bad. One leader in Christianity Today for Jan. 29, 1965 expressed a true statement: "We do not accept the ecumenical premise that denominationalism is the scandal of Christianity, wasteful, selfish, or sinful. The variety of churches produced by the Protestant Reformation has brought great vitality and strength to Christianity. Division has multiplied the Christian witness. Struggle, tension, and doctrinal debate have purified truth and have been beneficial rather than harmful. To abolish denominationalism would be to reverse the Reformation and turn the clock back to a medieval Catholicism."

..When a Seminary Risks It's Soul" This is the title of a startling article in the Presbyterian Journal of April 28, 1965 concerning shocking developments on sex, morals, and liberalism at San Francisco Presbyterian Seminary at San Anselmo. Copies are \$1 per doz. at Presbyterian Journal, Weaverville, S. C.

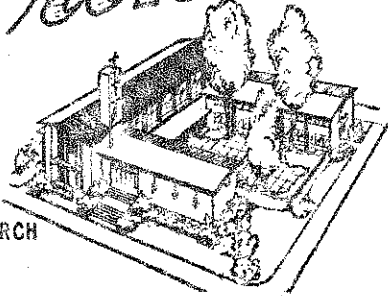
..Dr. Ernest Pickering recently submitted his resignation as Dean and Prof. of Theology at Central Baptist Seminary in Minneapolis.

The American Baptist Convention meets in San Francisco May 19-23. "An organization called 'American Baptist Laymen for Independence' has called for a pre-convention rally in First Baptist Church here May 18 at 7:45 PM. to discuss a proposal to withdraw the American Baptist Convention from the National Council of Churches and the World Council of Churches." L.C. Smith of San Diego is secretary. (News Call Bulletin, May 8, 1965).

..Identified Communist honored at Berkeley First Presbyterian Church. Tocsin for Apr. 29, 1965; "Identified Communist Frances Tandy of Oakland was among the persons receiving a certificate of appreciation from Dr. James Preston April 25 ... The certificates were presented at a ceremony at Berkeley's First Presbyterian Church ..." Dr. Harold Englund is pastor.

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GREAT LOYALTY TO CHRIST RALLY JUNE 27

Forty ministers have already indicated their willingness to serve on a "Sponsoring Committee of 100" for a great Loyalty to Christ Rally on Sunday, June 27 at 2:30 p.m. at the incomparably beautiful Masonic Auditorium, 1111 California Street, in San Francisco. This is directly across California Street from Bishop Pike's Grace Cathedral. The speaker will be the world-noted champion of freedom and the Christian faith, Dr. Carl McIntire of New Jersey. It will emphasize the uniqueness of our Lord Jesus Christ and the historic faith. It will be held at the same time that the Convocation of Religion is held at the Cow Palace. The auditorium seats 3200. We ask every minister who is sympathetic to send in a letter expressing support. Dr. G. Archer Weniger, who invited Dr. McIntire, indicated that the meeting would be under the auspices of the International Council of Christian Churches of which Dr. McIntire is the president. Because of the international significance of the 20th anniversary celebration of the United Nations on this date, with world leaders in San Francisco, the Rally becomes a stirring and historic witness to the Christian faith.

THE STRANGE CASE OF DR. CLAUDE WILLIAMS

The Rev. Claude Williams, who was unfrocked by the Presbyterians a decade ago, in a rare heresy trial, is back in business in Detroit according to the Detroit News of May 2, 1965. On May 7, 1965 he was scheduled to be ordained by a colored church in Detroit of which Charles A. Hill is the pastor. Hill said he was "proud and glad" to take Williams into the church and that he was a man who "always had the courage of his convictions." Claude Williams has been frequently identified under oath, as a member of the Communist Party. We can understand why this church, the Hartford Avenue Baptist, would ordain him. It takes eight pages to list the leftwing activities of Pastor Hill in the book "600 Baptist Clergymen", available at the CBF (2561 North Clark St., Chicago 14, Illinois - \$3). The Hartford Church had an interesting speaker on April 3, 1965, according to the Detroit Free Press of April 4: "Claude Lightfoot (2)

BARTHIANISM AT MT. HERMON CONFERENCE

A noted neo-orthodox ecumenical modernist has been engaged for Mt. Hermon Family Conference July 18-24, Dr. John Alexander Mackay, president emeritus of Princeton Seminary. Barthians, such as Dr. Mackay, do not accept the historical events of redemption - such as the virgin birth and the resurrection, as real events which occurred in history. Is this a fair charge against Dr. Mackay? Dr. Edwin H. Rian, in his book "The Presbyterian Conflict" (Eerdman's 1940), tells about Dr. Mackay's election as president of Princeton in 1940. "Dr. Mackay has carried the institution much more to the left. The professors who have been asked to serve at Princeton at his invitation have, for the most part, been men who hold to Barthianism in some form. In fact, Dr. Mackay himself embraces this theology." (p. 82). Dr. Rian states further: "The Barthian school of theology does not believe in the infallibility of Holy Scripture, while the old Princeton was noted for its insistence on this doctrine." Dr. Mackay brought the noted neo-orthodox scholar Emil Brunner to Princeton 1938-1939, as well as Dr. Joseph Hromadka. Conservative Baptists who serve on the Mt. Hermon Boards include: Dr. Clarence Sands, Dr. Woodrow Rood, Dr. Roy Kraft. We can look to these men for remedial action.

CONVOCAION OF RELIGION FOR WORLD PEACE

The metropolitan press on May 14, 1965 carried the formal news story and pictures of the newly named festival of faith to be held at the Cow Palace on June 27 while the United Nations will convene in San Francisco for 20th anniversary celebrations. The whole program is under the active leadership of Mrs. William Lister Rogers who is working out of her home at 37 Presidio Avenue in San Francisco. "A universal prayer for peace to be spoken in behalf of all mankind by the leaders of the five principal world religions - Christian, Jewish, Muslim, Hindu and Buddhist - will be offered in San Francisco on Sunday afternoon, June 27", reported the Chronicle. Principal speaker will be UN Secretary U Thant, a Buddhist. Also speaking will be His Reverence Sheik Hassan Ma'Amoon, titular worldhead of the Muslim faith from (p. 2)

..New property for a new church. We are cautiously announcing that property is now being made available to the new church we are "mothering" in Dublin - the First Baptist Church, on terms which appear possible. We may have from three to six acres. We will need a down payment of \$9,000. We will ask God's people to make loans available at 6% interest. This calls for a special effort since this is likely to be a church of metropolitan size.

..Read the Bible through. II Sam. 6 - 21 Rom. 3-9.

..Rev. and Mrs. Jeff G. Duckett request the honor of your presence at the marriage of their daughter Ruth Anne to Mr. Joseph Wayne Barnes, Jr. on Saturday, June 12, 1965 at 8 p.m. at the Faith Baptist Church, Anderson, Calif. Reception following ceremony.

..Walter Lindquist and his trombone will be featured at our Church on Sunday evening May 30 at 7 p.m. He will preach and give us latest information on the First Baptist Church of Dublin which we are "mothering".

..Chinese Bible Church dedication Sunday June 13 at 3 p.m. at 2555 E. 29th St. according to recent word from Pastor Sen Wong. Our heartiest congratulations. Brother Wong lives at 3810 Wisconsin in Oakland 19. 534-9227.

..Contributions through the Church. Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Gillespie, Mrs. Florence Cunningham, Mrs. Ollie Oliver, Mr. and Mrs. M. U. Blake, J. Maggingly, C. Garshwiler, V. Reece, M. J. Jespersen.

..Our softball team will play on Friday at 7 p.m. against Huntwood Baptist at McConnell Field, 7921 Olive St. Oakland.

..All DVBS Worker's Conference, this Thursday at the Church, 7:30 p.m. with a filmstrip to be shown covering the materials to be used. Materials will be distributed. All supts. teachers and assistants report please.

..Lifebuilder "High School" League elected officers last Sunday: Pres. - Steve Lyles; Commiss. of Records - Kathy Wong; Of the Flame - Dave Hallert; Publicity & Decorations - Terry Wickstrom; Program - Sonja Weniger.

Grand gospel music Sunday p.m. with Miss Candy Nunn from WBBC as soloist at the Church. The Church Choir under direction of Dave Morrison.

..The Pastor has consented to allow his name to be submitted for another three-year term on the Board of Regents of Baptist Bible College, Denver. The Pastor is hoping to arrive in Denver in time for graduation. May 27 at 3401 Bryant, Denver, at which time Dr. George Dollar will speak. Pastor James Warnock will be honored with a "DD" degree.

..DR. GLAUDE WILLIAMS CONT'D. is a 55-year-old Chicago Negro who has spent his life in the Communist Party. He is one of the most widely known American Communists."

..Dr. Ernest Pickering's church in north suburban Minneapolis miraculously escaped destruction in the recent tornadoes that struck with fury. Seven homes of his people were completely flattened, with many more seriously damaged.

..Pastor Paul Peterson of Burbank First Baptist Church, speaks at the Holiday Room of the Leamington Hotel in Oakland, Friday, May 21 at 7:45 p.m. on the subject: "Why the National Council of Churches Sabotages our War on Communism". No admission, Open to the public.

..We congratulate First Baptist Church of San Francisco for cancelling the Roger Williams Fellowship annual dinner on May 19. This radical liberal group planned to have Dr. Robert Arnott and a panel discuss: "The Theological Implications of Extremism in America." Let us thank Pastor John B. Streater for his courage.

..The American Baptist Convention holds their national meetings in San Francisco this week, with some of the most modernistic speakers available; Dr. H.P. Van Dusen of Union Seminary of New York; Dr. Gerald Kennedy, a deity-denying Methodist Bishop from Los Angeles; Dr. Gardner Taylor, leftwing Negro minister from Brooklyn and others.

..A move to disassociate the ABC from the National Council of Churches is being pushed this week by the "American Baptist Laymen for Independence", Box 4441, San Diego, Calif. 92104. They held a big rally May 18 at First Baptist in San Francisco, with James R. Taylor of Van Nuys as speaker. The only trouble is that some of the leading radicals in the NCC are American Baptist leaders as well.

..Dr. Paul F. Fung, MD, PhD, a prominent Buddhist leader of the area, "will be the pulpit guest at the Church For the Fellowship of All Peoples, 2041 Larkin St., tomorrow at the regular 11 a.m. service." Examiner 5-15-65. This is the church where Dryden Phelps was pastor.

..Pleading for a change in laws. The Archbishop of Canterbury, who believes there are atheists in heaven, is quoted in the Examiner of May 13, 1965: "I think the case for altering the law in respect of homosexual acts between consenting adults in private rests on reason and justice ... They live in shame if they restrain themselves and in fear if they practice homosexuality ... To punish in such circumstances is to persecute a minority as others have persecuted Jews and Negroes." How perverted can the modernist ministers get?

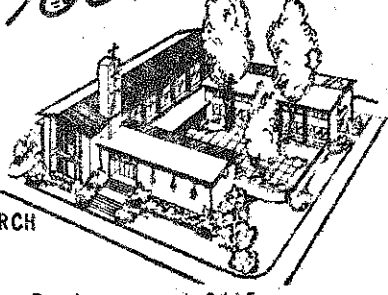
..A document by the Pastor on the present ABC program in San Francisco Convention entitled, "A Conservative Presides Over a Modernist Convention" is available in printed form at 20 copies for \$1 from the San Francisco Baptist Seminary, 1225 Franklin St., S. F. 9.

..We must have zip codes of all who want to receive the Blu-Print. Please examine your stenciled address on your Blu-Print. If the Zip code is not there, please tear off and return with the Zip code. By sending a gift along with it you can be fairly sure the Blu-Print will continue.

..CONVOCATION OF RELIGION CONT'D. Cairo. It is sponsored by the San Francisco Council of Churches. All this is embarrassing for ecumenical evangelism, since two of the three co-chairmen were leading figures in the 1958 Graham Cow Palace Crusade: Dr. Carl Howie, Calvary Presbyterian and Mrs. Rogers. The eyes of the religious world will be on S.F. June 27.

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AMERICAN BAPTIST CONVENTION NEWS FROM SAN FRANCISCO 1965

NCC protest fails dismally. The expected battle by laymen to take the ABC out of the NCC didn't materialize. ABC Pres. J. Lester Harnish may have pulled a fast one by not reading the resolutions when they were adopted. The Oakland Tribune for May 23, 1965: "As predicted by Baptist officials before the convention began on Wednesday, efforts to get the ABC to withdraw from the National Council of Churches failed to gain even a ripple of support." The Tribune stated that it was an overwhelming vote that the ABC "reaffirmed its decision to remain a member of the National Council of Churches". Pastor Elyot Johnson said about 30 hands were raised in opposition.

This is quite a statement. to make about a radical leftwing group like the NCC. Dr. L. Doward McBain, program chairman for this ABC was quoted in the Tribune: "The National Council of Churches is the closest thing to the Body of Christ - one body with many parts working together - that we have in America. We need to engage in cooperative Christianity to fulfill our mission as followers of Christ." McBain was former chairman of the trustees of Covina Seminary.

A tragic betrayal of morality. The Examiner for May 23, 1965 stated: "A resolution asking President Johnson to re-examine America's relationship with the Communist regimes of Mao Tse-tung and Fidel Castro was adopted yesterday by the American Baptist Convention." The Examiner stated that "Some 3,000 delegates ... voted for the resolution without a single voice raised in opposition." Laymen L. C. Smith said: "I couldn't get my forces together. I thought I had someone ready to move for reconsideration, but I guess he backed down."

Dr. J. Lester Harnish, in interpreting the resolution on Viet Nam, is quoted in the Chronicle for May 23, "This obviously means Communist countries. We want our government to open conversations and dialogues with any government we do not have diplomatic relations with. This includes Communist China and Cuba."

Some things are not debatable, but the ABC thinks differently. On May 20 at 3:30 PM, among four theological sideshows was this question: "The Fatherhood of God is not possible without the Saviourhood of Christ." Affirmative taken by E.B. Cole and J. J. McNeil. The negative by Dallas J. West and Nicholas Titus.

The recent ABC meeting in S.F. proves beyond any shadow of doubt that the forces of modernism and liberalism have solid control. A more radical set of resolutions could not have been imagined. The forces of conservatism were anemic and ineffective. Compromise has completely paralyzed any who have any conscience about the tragic theological state of affairs.

Methodist Robert W. Moon brought an address on Friday, May 21 at one of the "peace" sideshows at the Convention, sponsored by the Baptist Peace Fellowship. Moon scoffs at the virgin birth, resurrection, the trinity, the deity, and inspiration. He is regarded by conservative Methodists as a prominent pro-Soviet propagandist. Books by an identified Communist were being marketed in the exhibit area, as well as folders being given out. Honor is still being paid by ABC leaders to A. J. Muste, who has been identified under oath.

Resolution condemning extremism. The Examiner of May 23 reported that the ABC "Repudiate the methods of those who, in the name of patriotism and in their zeal to protect us against the threat of Communism, employ fear, intimidation and suspicion which divide and weaken the real strength of our democracy." It is action such as these resolutions that do much to divide and weaken our democracy.

Where was the resolution for freedom? Instead of calling for co-existence and collaboration with the enemies of the Faith and brutal Communist aggressors, why did they not pass a resolution condemning Castro for imprisoning and trying Baptist missionaries in Cuba? How about the Baptist preachers in Communist jails in Czechoslovakia, Hungary, Russia, and China? This failure to positionize themselves on the side of freedom renders the ABC unworthy of the loyalty and support of liberty-loving American Christians.

One of the most liberal array of speakers addressed the Convention sessions and sideshows including: Methodist Bishop Gerald Kennedy, Presbyterian H. P. Van Dusen, Negro Gardner Taylor, Methodist Robert Moon, Seminary professor Harvey Cox and others.

..Representing our Church in Denver this week at all meetings of Conservative Baptists are: Mrs. Ellen Bishop, Seminary ass't. librarian; Mrs. Ollie Oliver Mrs. Irene A. Weniger and the Pastor.

..Contributions through Church Office : Mr. and Mrs. John Lucy, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Olson, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Fortini; Children's Church, Ericson, P. Levin, C. Garshwiler, J. Mattingly, A. Chaney, D. Cundall, P. Hackstedde.

Preachers for next Lord's Day.. 11 AM Dr. Fred R. Brock, who is being inaugurated the following evening as the President of Western Baptist Bible College. Dr. Brock served for years as pastor of the First Baptist Church of Petaluma. 7 PM..Pastor Walter F. Lindquist of the First Baptist Church of Dublin. Brother Lindquist served many years on our staff and consequently his many friends will want to be present.

..Hearts were saddened here with news of the shockingly sudden passing of Mrs. Jeanette Balooof, whose services were conducted by the Pastor on Saturday at 2 p.m. at Grant Millers Chapel, with a large number of friends present. She confessed Christ on July 7, 1963 with the Pastor baptizing her on July 28 1963. We shall see her in the MORNING just inside the Eastern Gate.

..Response to the invitation. Mrs. Patricia Harden for baptism; Mrs. Sonia Litherland by statement of experience ; Mrs. A. F. Allen on statement of faith; Miss Cathy Waddell for counseling on the way of salvation.

..DVBS volunteers now being accepted .. Miss Susan Jacobs, our student at WBBC, has accepted the superintendency of the Nursery II Dept. for 2-3 year olds. Mrs. Wm. Fuller has accepted an assignment in the Jr. High Dept. Missionary Dortha Onstott, appointee to Uruguay, will direct the school June 14-25. Mrs. Ozellah Buckingham, registrar, is accepting volunteers. Her phone: 562-5214.

..Mrs. Kyle Pemberton's father, James Anders McDonald, 85, slipped away into the presence of Christ on May 18, just two days after her spending a week at his side in Wichita Falls, Texas. She came home by plane on May 16. Prayer is asked for her 78 year old mother. Our hearts go out to these friends.

..Let's keep this secret. A bridal shower is being arranged for Nurse Ruth Duckett this Saturday, May 29, at 7:30 PM at the home of Mrs. C. E. Prang, 1329 E. 27th St. Ruth has been a choice Christian girl in faithfulness here at the Church.

The WMS invites all the men to join the woman next Tuesday, June 1 at 7:30 p.m. in the Lower Auditorium to hear Mrs. Jerry Rose, dynamic missionary from New Guinea. This will be one of the last opportunities to hear this messenger of Christ who not only pioneered in this distant land, but also is one of the leading characters in the Harper's book "Canibal Valley".

..Grand gospel music this Sunday includes Walter Lindquist with his singing trombone, the College girl's trio as well as the Church Choir, under direction of Dave Morrison

..A 24 passenger Sunday School bus for sale. 1940 Dodge at \$300. Also a model 91 AB Dick mimeograph. Contact Pastor Herbert Hoover, 562-9414.

..Congratulations to Peter Mustric, pastor of the Rockford First Baptist Church upon receiving the honorary "DD" from Central Baptist Seminary at recent graduation exercises.

..Bishop Gerald Kennedy's appointment to another term on the State Board of Education was held up by the Senate Rules Committee in Sacramento by Democrat Senator Hugh Burns because of alleged attacks on the legislature in 1952, 1953 and 1961 speeches. It is presumed that Senator Hugh Burns at the State Capitol will appreciate hearing from citizens on this matter.

..Dr. Billy Graham endorses Kennedy. In a large full-page ad in the Shreveport, La. "Times" for Mar. 7, 1965 concerning a Methodist preaching mission was this telegram signed "Billy Graham and Team". It stated: "Congratulations on selecting Bishop Kennedy to conduct your evangelistic effort mission of love with Bill Mann leading the music. We know and respect these men very highly. May God give you a time of spiritual renewal."

..Bishop Kennedy denies the deity of our Lord Jesus Christ. In his book "God's Good News", Gerald Kennedy says, "I would much prefer to have it say that God was in Christ, for I believe the testimony of the New Testament taken as a whole is against the doctrine of the deity of Jesus ..."

..Would you find G. Campbell Morgan at the Cow Palace on June 27 at the Convocation of the world's five religions, if he were alive? In his book "The Heart and Holiness of God", p. 41 the famous Anglican divine said, "I have been asked if I would not go to some meeting at which representatives of other religions were to speak - Mohammedan and Jewish. No. I will respect the Mohammedan, and I will respect the Jewish rabbi, but I cannot stand on a religious platform with them. They are joined to false representations of God."

..Dr. Carl McIntire's broadcast is heard on Gilroy's station at 2190 on the dial at 10:30 a.m. Also heard in the Bay Area is KQVR in Lodi, at 1600 on the dial at 7:30 a.m.

..Bishop Pike scoffs at Police raids on "topless" night clubs. The Chronicle of May 18, 1965 reported: "He poked fun at Mayor John F. Shelley and the Police Department for staging the recent raids on the North Beach topless night spots. And speaking as a former practicing lawyer, he noted his approval of a recent court decision that resulted in wiping out of obscenity charges against some three dozen dancers and night club operators."

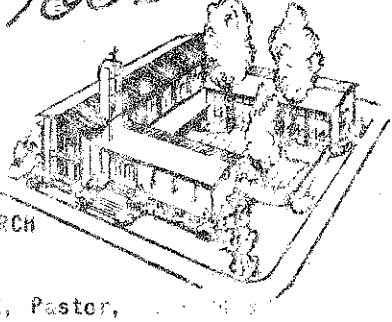
..Resolution on capital punishment passed recently by the Canadian Council of Evangelical Protestant Churches: "Since the Bible justifies capital punishment for premeditated murder, this Convention goes on record as being opposed to the trend which seeks to abolish capital punishment, and urges with all earnestness its retention."



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WHAT HERBERT PHILBRICK THINKS OF MACKAY

The noted FBI counter-spy in the Communist Party wrote in a letter of June 19, 1954 the following concerning the speaker whom Mt. Hermon Bible Conference has scheduled for July 18-24, 1965: "I was certainly shocked to read the Presbyterian Letter issued last October 1953, over the signature of Dr. Mackay, and to note that it supported not only the complete foreign policy program of the Soviet Union, but also contained all of the fundamental premises of Marxism, Leninism and Stalinism concerning class struggle, imperialism, force and violence, and revolution." (From "Collectivism in the Churches" - Bundy P. 250). Christians across the nation are stirred to real concern that Mt. Hermon would honor a left-wing ecumenicist with a thorough-going neo-orthodox theological position. Can it be that men like Mackay, Thieliicke and other popular modernists are to be given a platform at Mt. Hermon?

RADICAL THEOLOGY OF PRESBYTERIAN SEMINARY

The front page of the San Francisco Examiner for May 19, 1965 carried the whole story of an inside battle at the San Francisco Presbyterian Seminary at San Anselmo where Dr. Theo. Gill is president. Two students, a PhD and an MD, are giving the administration fits. Dr. Robt. L. Cleath, who calls himself "Balaam's Ass" is crusading against the modernism inside this wealthy seminary. He assails the seminaries humanistic emphasis in theology. "He is appalled, for example, by teachings that ... 'Jesus Christ is not the incarnate son of God to be worshipped, but a human ... prophet to be followed'. And he is dismayed by the views of 'certain professors' who claim, in his words, that 'the bodily resurrection did not take place' and that 'the mission of the church must now emphasize social concerns rather than proclamation of the word of God to evangelize the world'." Cleath said, "I have yet to hear cases for the virgin birth, the vicarious atonement, the bodily resurrection or the second coming of Christ - only a denial of refutation of them." We anticipate there will be plenty to be heard on this score yet.

... God is the same person yesterday, today and forever; but in the drama of the ages, He plays many parts.

-Bob Jones Sayings-

JUNE 27 WILL BE A GREAT DAY OF CHOICE

On that day Christians of Northern California will choose whether to attend the Convocation of the world's five leading religions at the Cow Palace to celebrate the 20th Anniversary of the United Nations or to attend the "Loyalty to Christ" rally at the Masonic Auditorium, across the street from Grace Cathedral at 1111 California Street, when Dr. Carl McIntire will be the honored speaker. A Sponsoring Committee of 100 ministers is handling local arrangements. Those who believe in collaboration with the heathen religions will go to the Cow Palace where Mrs. Wm. Lister Rogers will be the General Chairman. Those who believe in the absolute uniqueness of the Lord Jesus Christ as the only Mediator between God and man are invited to fill up the 3200 seats in the Masonic Auditorium. Dr. G. Archer Weniger is Gen. Chairman (534-5225). Publicity Chairman is Pastor Elyot Johnson (758-2751). Usher Chairman is Pastor George Schneckenberger (797 5618). Treasurer is Dr. Chas. A. Hauser Jr, 1212 Geary Street, S. F. 9, Calif. A Rally Choir of 200 voices will be directed by Dr. Fred Zarfes (837-4173). General Secretary is Pastor Don Lamberson of Petaluma (PO 2-9612).

DR. ROY H. LAURIN EXPOSES DR. JOHN MACKAY

In a sermon entitled "Are Communists Hiding in our Churches?" delivered at the Eagle Rock Baptist Church in Sept. 27, 1953 and published later in the NAE "Action", Dr. Roy L. Laurin stated: "Dr. John A. Mackay, president of Princeton Theological Seminary ... said at the meeting of the last General Assembly in Minneapolis, 'Anti-communism is just as dangerous as communism and sometimes even more so'. Coming from as responsible a leader as Dr. Mackay, this is a shocking and damaging statement ... He warned against our present 'anti-communist psychology ... No matter what we might think of the social and political aspects of communism the government now in control of China deserves our recognition' ... It is hard to believe that Christian leadership is so gullible, so lacking in perception and so devoid of Christian discernment as to advocate the inclusion of the Chinese communists ... It is time instead for Christian leaders to recognize communism as (p. 2)

## LOCAL CHURCH DEVELOPMENTS

..The Pastor will give his report of the Denver meetings at the mid-week service this next Wednesday, June 9. It is not known at this date whether he will have a written report available to the Church.

..Read the Bible through..I Kings 14 - II Kings 7; I Cor. 1 - 7.

..Those representing our Church this week in Denver..Mrs. Ollie Oliver plans to spend some time with her daughter and family - Ruth and Bob Fulton at the CBA church in Hot Springs, S. Dak. Mrs. Ellen Bishop, assistant librarian at the Seminary, will spend an extended vacation in the Chicago area. The Pastor and Mrs. Weniger will return by car this Saturday, the Lord willing.

..Mrs. Elvira Mason writes to the Church: "We wish to express our appreciation for sending the beautiful lavender and white stock spray. It made the service all the more lovelier. We also wish to thank you for your many kindnesses to Jaannette in the past years. She loved you all and spoke of you often. Yours in Christ, Elvira and Joellen Mason."

..Open Door Mission night with our Church in charge next Tuesday, June 8. Sterling Roberson, director. The men are invited to participate in this meeting.

Piano recital for the students of Mrs. Irene Granlund Forsey will be held at the Chapel of the Chimes, 4409 Piedmont, Oakland on Monday, June 7 at 7:00 PM. All are welcome to attend.

..June birthdays..Melvin Buckingham, Clara Moreland, Fredrick Stoffmeister (1); Kathy Wong (3); Kathleen Wong (5); Barbetta Graves, Ethel Sanderson (6); Randall Stoker (9); Clarence Lambert (11); Gary Connolly (14); Larry Fisher, Bobby Fulton, Jim Hattaway (16); Ray Harper, Jessie Collins (17); Edith Mallett, Gary Orrino, Annie Davis, Carol McNutt, Ernest Malloy (18); Mrs. Martin Blake (21); Dale Lambert (22); Justin Fulton, Jim Thompson, Ron Prang (24); June Hoffman (25); Margaret Martin, Norman Reese (27); Marcia Lowe, Jimmy Price (30).

..Dr. Fred R. Brock is President of WBBC with inauguration ceremonies last Monday with Dr. H. O. Van Gilder bringing the charge. Pastor H. A. Farrar, chm. of Trustees, presided. Dr. Harold Schols, who was honored with a DD on Tuesday, delivered the address. Our Church supports WBBC in the budget and is happy to extend congratulations.

..Miss Vara Mack expected appointment as a missionary under the World Conservative Baptist Mission this past week. The young people from Fremont Calvary Baptist Church provided \$165 for round trip train fare to Pillsbury College for an orientation conference and thence to the Denver WCBM meetings.

..Major League Pitcher Al Worthing of the Minnesota Twins was present at the First Baptist Church of So. St. Paul, Minn. for an "Autograph" night on May 20 at Boy's Brigade, according to the Pastor, Dr. Max Weniger.

..MACKAY CONT'D..the spirit of anti-Christ and start to mobilize the spiritual power of the Christian world to overthrow these forces of evil instead of making them colleagues until they can swallow us up in the greed of conquest." ... Dr. Mackay

## INTERCHURCH NEWS FOR CONSERVATIVES

..Congratulations to Manor Baptist in San Leandro with the news they have a \$65,000 loan approved at the bank at 6% over 15 years for their new auditorium on their 3 acre site on Lewelling Blvd. This will be the fourth building program at the same location under the outstanding leadership of Pastor W. Glen Roades. In many ways this is one of the most thrilling of all church ventures in the area.

..We solidly agree with this.. Regulations from the state CBA office on summer camp dress. "Any attitude of rebellion as seen as exhibited in disrespectful and un-Christian-like conduct or 'beatnik-type' dress will not be tolerated." No two-piece bathing suits allowed. We think it is shameful when Christians pattern their dress after the heathen round about them.

..Dr. Robert Arnott, president of the Berkeley Baptist Divinity School, who led an RWF panel on "Extremism", was quoted in the Oakland Tribune for May 18, 1965: "He said the faculty varied in its beliefs from the middle-of-the-road line in both religious and political beliefs." Under his brief tenure BBDS has become far more modernistic, observers have noted.

..Prof. Herbert C. Jackson, of Union Seminary, was a prominent delegate at the ABC. When he was a professor at SBC Seminary in Louisville he delivered an address, later published in the Occasional Bulletin, Mar. 15, 1961: "...Christianity, if it hopes to 'stand' with the resurgent non-Christian religions, must ecumenicize its theology by drawing from the whole world and creating something entirely new, a system of Christian apprehension that will be intellectually respectable and appealing to the upper classes of people, and which can provide the foundations for new cultures that will evolve out of the contemporary world chaos."

..An excellent Examiner editorial again by Publisher Charles Gould appeared on May 19, 1965 entitled "Disruptions from the Left". We commend him and urge that friends write in for reprints. He was kind enough to provide 1,000 for the Pastor.

..The Reds want moral breakdown.. Identified by Herbert Philbrick as a member of his same Communist cell in Boston, Joseph Fletcher was a main speaker at the Harvard conference on "The New Morality". Time for Mar. 5, 1965 reported "Joseph Fletcher of the Episcopal Theological School in Cambridge thought that no sexual relationship should be absolutely condemned by the church, which at the least ought to be less scandalized about teen-age promiscuity in urban slums. The new morality, he said, would certainly approve of an Episcopal priest in New York who provides contraceptives for a gang of delinquents he attempts to serve." This is appalling. The 7th Commandment is still there.

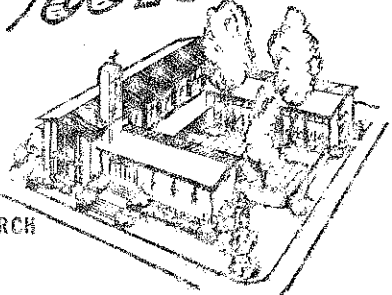
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THE PUBLIC ATTACK ON THE BIBLE BY THE  
RETIRING CHAPLAIN OF MILLS COLLEGE

Dr. George Hedley, Mills College professor and chaplain pronounced the benediction Sunday on his last commencement, for which we can be grateful in view of his expressed unbelief in the Oakland Tribune of June 4, 1965. In a booklet entitled "Religion and the Campus", he lists five causes of disbelief. He begins his attack by saying that "if American Protestant fundamentalism were the only expression of religion available to man, no man who is at once informed and intelligent could have anything to do with it." In this statement, Dr. Hedley shows his own ignorance for there happens to be multitudes of PhD's, scientists, and men of deep thought who hold to the historic Christian faith which this professor derides. We refer the scoffer to Christianity Today's ministerial survey (made by Opinion Research Corporation at a cost of \$20,000) indicated that 74 per cent of the Protestant clergy in the United States regard themselves as either fundamental or conservative in theology (with slightly more than half preferring to be called 'conservative' rather than 'fundamentalist'). Of the remainder, 14 per cent describe their theology as 'liberal' and 12 per cent as 'neo-orthodox'. The Tribune goes on: "He states that fundamentalism's essential characteristic is its insistence that the words of the Bible are inerrant and infallible, and that 'anything the Bible says whatsoever is necessarily and absolutely so.'" This is probably one of the few accurate remarks Dr. Hedley has made in theology in recent weeks, even tho he said it in derision. If our readers think we are somewhat severe on the distinguished chaplain, let it be said that we are incensed when any loud-mouthed intellectual attacks the Word of God and the Christian Faith.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL BEGINS MONDAY

The big day arrives next Monday when children and young people receiving the Blue-Print are invited to attend the Daily Vacation Bible School with Miss Dortha Onstott of Butte serving as our director. Sessions will be held each morning from 9 AM until Noon, Monday through Friday, with the demonstration program now scheduled for June 25. Six departments of instruction will be presenting the organized program entitled "Proclaiming Christ Our Peace". A dedication service for all supts., teachers and assistants will be held next Sunday morning at 11 a.m. in the Main Auditorium of the Church. Parents wishing to assist are asked to cooperate with transportation. Contributions toward the expenses of the DVBS may be made directly to the Church Office. Donations for refreshments to Mrs. Edna Thompson. We solicit the prayers of members and friends for the spiritual success of this endeavor.

BASIS FOR RECONCILIATION ADVANCED BY  
COMMITTEE OF 21 TO THE CBA OF A BOARD

A significant document was drafted by the Committee of 21 in Denver and given to the CBA of A Board in response to their overture that a meeting be held. The Committee of 21 indicated their glad willingness to enter discussions on the following basis, which was immediately filed by the CBA of A Board when it was received: 1. Repudiate the misnamed 'Unity' Resolution which calls for the CB Movement to reorganize under a General Conference type of polity. 2. Restore to the CBA of A its original sovereign place of planning its own annual and regional meetings (See 'First Steps Towards Conventionism' by Dr. George Carlson) which will include the messengers of the various CBA regionals setting up their own regionals and the rejection of all inter-board 'troika' arrangements. 3. Restore the previous 'Statement of Purpose' of the CBA of A as part of the CBA's expression of purpose. 4. Consistently reject any church which tolerates amillennialism among its membership including its pastor. 5. Disavow any sympathy for what is commonly known as the New Evangelicalism. 6. Disavow any sympathy for Kierkegaardian theology, the basis of Neo-Orthodox thought. 7. Disavow any sympathy for ecumenical evangelicalism because of its inclusivistic position and practice. 8. Disavow the philosophy that the CB Movement is essentially a foreign mission movement and rather reaffirm that it is essentially a separatistic Baptist local church movement. 9. Disavow the philosophy that only CBFMS and CBHMS can be considered 'official' mission agencies in the CB Movement.

..How many of us stop to think/Of music as a wondrous magic link/With God, taking sometimes the place of prayer... When words have failed us 'neath the weight of care./ Music that knows no country, race or creed/ But gives to each according to his need.

..General meeting of all DVBS workers is scheduled for this Wednesday June 9 at 8:15 p.m. in the Chapel, with all superintendents of six departments together with their teachers and assistants. Attending the meeting will be our DVBS Director, the Chairman of the Board of Christian Education and the Registrar.

..Read the Bible through..II Kings 8-23; I Cor. 8-14.

..Miss Dortha Onstott arrived from Denver to direct the Vacation Bible School in our Church, which begins this coming Monday. This is the first time we have had a missionary lead in this important function. She is an appointee under WCBM for Uruguay. She spoke Sunday at Dublin First Baptist Church. She plans a Sept. 14 departure for Uruguay. Everyone wishing to assist in her outgoing expense or help in annual support are asked to send gifts through the Church, designating to this objective.

We are thankful for the gifts being sent in by people receiving the Blu-Print, along with their zip numbers, since we have no subscription price on the Blu-Print. We would like to send the paper free to all who request but it is impossible.

..Contributions through the Church Office..Mr. and Mrs. Howard Robinson, Mrs. Nora Holley, Miss Nettie Guiwits, Howard Rainey, Dr. R. M. McLain, Mrs. Jean Silva, Mrs. Bertha Corbett, Mr. and Mrs. Edward A. Fortino. Others include: Mrs. Elizabeth Dunning, D. Howard, M. Christiansen, C. Starr, W. Molyneaux, Dr. R. Mann, G. Clemmer, W. Ashbrook, Dr. J. Stephen, A. MacPherson, A. Foss, D. Miller, E. Hall, A. Gilbert, L. Chrest, H. Lindstrom, H. Brady, A. Hamilton, H. Cedarholm, E. Coyle, H. Kuiters, B. Crippin, K. Robertson, A. Wrightson, P. Fosmark, C. Underwood, O. Gillan.

..Miss Vera Mack was appointed for Japan last week by the WCBM Board in Denver. She is a member of the Calvary Baptist Church of Fremont. Dr. Kenneth Smith is the pastor. She is available for deputation among the churches at: 2537 Washington Blvd., Fremont, 656-2681. She is a graduate of Pillsbury, with a teacher's credential from California State College.

..The Board of Trustees will meet this Wednesday, June 9 at 8:15 p.m. for a highly important meeting at which all members are requested to be present.

The Church Choir will meet Thursday at 7 p.m. in the Main Auditorium, with Dave Morrison directing. We are asking for the wholehearted, total, complete, enthusiastic, faithful and consistent cooperation of all choir members and singers during this summer time.

..One of the highlights of the Denver trip by the Pastor and his wife was the honor to speak at the South Sheridan Baptist Church of Denver where Dr. Edward J. Nelson is the esteemed pastor. It was a thrill to minister and see what God had wrought. "Ed" Nelson is one of our most successful evangelists.

..The Pastor's Report will be given orally this Wednesday at 7 p.m. He hopes to have a more extended written report available within a week.

..A papal mission to San Francisco Convocation of Religions, at the Cow Palace on June 27 celebrating 20th anniversary of the UN, according to the S.F. Examiner of June 4, 1965. "Virtually every major religion, Christian and non-Christian alike, will be represented at the Cow Palace event ... Speakers will include Jewish, Buddhist, Islam, Hindu, Protestant and Roman Catholic representatives."

..Christianity and paganism do not mix according to the Bible: Ex. 23:24, 25; Ex. 20:3-6; Psa. 81:9; Psa. 96:4-6; Isa. 37:20; Isa. 42:8; Hosea 13:4; John 4:24; John 14:6; I Cor. 8:4; I Tim. 2:5; Rev. 15:4; Deut. 6:4,5; Deut. 10:12; Deut. 11:16; Neh. 9:6.

A giant protest rally on June 27 will be held at 2:30 p.m. at the Masonic Auditorium, 1111 California Street, San Francisco (3200 seats), with Dr. Carl McIntire as main speaker. His text will be John 14:6. The subject: "Jesus Christ the Son of the Living God." This Rally will emphasize the absolute uniqueness and indispensability of Jesus Christ and the historic Christian Faith at the same hour when United Nations supporters will have spokesmen for various gods of heathen religions join in united worship at the Cow Palace.

..Bob Jones University conferred honorary doctorates at Commencement June 2 on: Missionary Fred V. Dabold of Uruguay, Congressman James B. Utt of California; Bishop James Parker Dees, Arthur Joseph Temple of Abilene, and Carl Franklin Hodges of Phoenix. In 1946 at the age of 44 years Dr. Dabold answered the Lord's call to mission service. No mission board would accept him. Today he heads the largest evangelical mission in that land.

..Our hearts go out to Mrs. Bratrud in the loss of her distinguished husband, Dr. Arthur F. Bratrud, on Sunday, May 31, with his funeral on June 1 at Fourth Baptist in Minneapolis with Dr. Ernest Pickering officiating. He was for 50 years one of the leading surgeons in the Northwest, serving on the medical faculty of the University of Minnesota. Mrs. Bratrud served on the CBFMS Board longer than any woman. News of her death was made to a large crowd on May 31 at the Beth Eden Baptist Church in Denver.

..Chinese Bible Church dedication next Sunday, June 13, 3 p.m., 2555 E. 29th St., Oakland. Enter only by Sheffield or 25th Avenues. Congratulations to these good friends!

..A new secretary is coming around July 1. Miss Jan Hart, a Pillsbury student, will be married on June 25 at Laurel, Montana First Baptist and then leave for Oakland. Her name will then change to Mrs. Chuck Baker, a Pillsbury graduate who plans to attend S.F. Baptist Seminary.

..Big wedding this Saturday, June 12 at 8 p.m. at Faith Baptist, Anderson, when Ruth Duckett becomes the bride of Joe Barnes, with her father, Pastor J. G. Duckett officiating. These are some choice young people attending our Church.

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DR. FRANK GAEBELEIN SPEAKS AT ECUMENICAL  
GATHERING OF COUNCIL OF CHURCHES MEET

We are not supposed to be surprised and shocked at anything in these days but sometimes we forget. The Northern California Council of Churches' monthly, "The Church at Work" for June 1965 carried the announcement of the annual meeting at the association of secretaries of the Councils of Churches across the land, June 21-26, sponsored by the NCC. "A good number of the secretaries from Northern California, including your executive director, will join the hundreds who come to meet with the executives of the National Council of Churches. The theme will be 'New Dimensions in the Ecumenical Movement'. Among the speakers will be Most Reverend John J. Wright, Bishop of the Catholic Diocese of Pittsburgh, Dr. Frank E. Gaebelein, co-editor of 'Christianity Today', Dr. Truman B. Douglass and Dr. R. H. Edwin Espy." It will be at Conference Point Camp on Lake Geneva, Wisconsin. We wonder what contribution will be made by this New Evangelical, as he sits there with these liberal and Roman prelates.

DR. CARL McINTIRE TO ADDRESS UNITED  
NATIONS PROTEST RALLY JUNE 27 IN S.F.

One hundred ministers are associating themselves as sponsors of a great "Loyalty to Christ Rally", on Sunday, June 27 at 2:30 p.m. at Masonic Auditorium, on Nob Hill across the street from Grace Cathedral with Dr. Carl McIntire, world-famous fundamentalist preacher as the main speaker. It will be a positive witness to the historic Christian Faith with the subject: "Jesus Christ the Son of the Living God". It will also protest the betrayal of Christ at the Convocation of heathen religions meeting at the same hour at the Cow Palace to honor the 20th anniversary of the United Nations. Dr. Fred C. Zarfes will direct the large choir which will assemble for rehearsal at 1:30 p.m. Every evangelical who values the Faith is urged to attend and add his testimony. This may well be the largest interchurch fundamentalist witness in 20 years in this area. Pastor Elyot Johnson of Pinole is Publicity Chairman (758-1515). Dr. G. Archer Weniger is General Chairman.

A THREAT TO DEFROCK PASTOR PAUL C. R.  
PETERSON FROM AMERICAN BAPTIST MINISTRY

An unbelievable letter has come to light which we never expected to see in this enlightened age in Baptist circles, but here it is, dated May 13, 1965, written by Pastor James E. Kilgore of Claremont First Baptist to Paul C. R. Peterson, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Burbank, who recently tried to lead the ABC out of the NCC: "I want you to have this straight. If you do not make an open and public admission of your divisive action and an apology to the American Baptist Convention, and specifically to the Southern California Baptist Convention through the office of Dr. George Downing on or before the 8th of June, I am going to make a motion before the Executive Committee of our State Convention that the necessary steps be taken to defrock you as a minister of the American Baptist Convention, and to notify the proper agencies of our convention and the United States government that we no longer recognize you in our fellowship. The ethics, the actions, and the charges that have been made against our convention by you both in printed form, on television, and on radio are despicable. You have written me on other occasions that you are sorry for the damage that you have done to a local church; yet you have continued the kinds of action. I for one can no longer tolerate this kind of inconsistency on your behalf. There are many precedents for the action that I wish to suggest to our Executive Committee, and I am willing to go to any length to protect the testimony of our American Baptist ministers and the witness of our convention."

..It is reported that at a CBA of A. Bd. meeting in Denver that Dr. Cedric Peterson moved that Dr. Myron Cedarholm be given six months notice to terminate his office as general director. The vote was 7 to 7, with Pres. Herbert Anderson voting to defeat the motion. The entire CBA in session gave a unanimous standing vote of appreciation to Dr. Cedarholm for his sacrificial work as "Mr. CBA" in building up the Association over the past 18 years of service. Dr. Peterson is a member of the Denver Seminary Board and considered a (See p. 2)

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LOCAL CHURCH DEVELOPMENTS

DVBS BUS OPERATING, Bancroft to 73rd Ave., returning Brookdale and E. 27 St.

..Ordinance of Believer's Baptism will be administered this coming Sunday evening at 7 p.m. with the Pastor officiating. Believers wishing to obey Christ in baptism are asked to respond to the invitation Sunday morning.

..Read the Bible through..II Kings 24 - I Chron. 14; I Cor. 15 - II Cor. 5.

..Contributions through the Church this week. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Olson, Mrs. Alma Rutter, Dr. Peter Mustric, Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Altis, Mrs. James Larson, Mrs. Ellen Bishop, Mrs. Florence Cunningham, C. Starr, Dr. Wm. Ashbrook, Dr. A. N. McPherson, Mrs. Elizabeth Dunning, B. Hortwig, Dr. J. K. Hutcherson, W. Webber, D. Hanna D. Howard, Rev. W. Molyneaux.

..The Church softball team will play at 7 p.m. this Friday at McConnell Field, 7921 Olive St., against Trinity Baptist in Castro Valley.

Dr. Carl McIntire will be at Foothill Blvd. Baptist Church on Sunday evening, June 27 at 7 p.m. It is a great honor to have this fearless champion of the Christian Faith to speak before he leaves immediately afterward for Miami.

..Miss Dortha Onstott will speak next Sunday morning at Calvary Baptist Church in Salinas, Dr. Ralph Wilson, pastor. The following Wednesday she will be at Castlemont Baptist Church, Herbert Hoover pastor. She spoke to the Templebuilder Training League this Sunday at 6 p.m. We are delighted that the Castlemont friends have made a commitment toward her support.

Daily Vacation Bible School now on .. Miss Dortha Onstott is directing the school with six departments of instruction each morning, 9 a.m. until Noon, for the next two weeks Monday through Friday. Departmental Supts. : Dean Clark, Mrs. Nelly Lyles, Mrs. Dean Clark, Sally Sue McPherson, Susan Jacobs and Gertie Sinz. Mrs. Edna Thompson - refreshments; Mrs. Ozellah Buckingham and Florence Cunningham - registrars. The theme: "Proclaiming Christ our Peace".

..The honor of your presence is requested for the wedding of Miss Barbara Terry to Mr. Douglas Simon to be held this Friday, June 18 at 8 p.m. in the Church, with the Pastor officiating. Reception following in the Lower Auditorium.

..Let's treat Dad good next Sunday since this is Father's Day. The Pastor's Father's Day message will be delivered at 11 a.m. Every father will be given a special welcome. The Men's Dept. is hoping to register an all-time high attendance. Be sure to get the fathers out and let him know that he has never had it so good.

..June wedding news..Glenn Collard is being married on June 25 to Miss Dianne Barnett at the Walnut Creek Evangelical Free Church. Mr. and Mrs. (Ruth Duckett) Barnes are promising to be at Church Sunday after their wedding June 12 and honeymoon. Terry Heilig took to himself a bride on June 5, Miss Anna Marino.

It is reported Cont'd. leading neo-evangelicalist supporter. Dr. Cedarholm has stood solidly against scrapping the original CBA documents and position.

INTERCHURCH NEWS FOR CONSERVATIVES

..Baptist Gov. Nelson A. Rockefeller recently signed a law in New York abolishing the death penalty for murderers of all, except for killing a peace officer or an inmate or guard in prison while under a life sentence. Why should a fellow inmate or an officer be considered more valuable than some poor man's wife and children? This is immoral, illogical unscriptural and inhumane.

..President L. B. Johnson arrives in San Francisco on Friday, June 25 for his Saturday speech at the UN 20th Anniversary celebrations. Dr. Carl McIntire arrives Sunday noon for a protest rally at the Masonic Auditorium, 1111 California St. across from Bishop James Pike's Cathedral. McIntire's subject: "Jesus Christ the Son of the Living God". Pres. Johnson will stay at the Fairmont Hotel just a block from the Masonic Auditorium.

..What Does the Bible Say about the Death Penalty? is the subject of an excellent folder by Dr. Carl McIntire, available in quantity from the Christian Beacon, Box 190, Collingswood, N.J. 08108.

..The American Baptist Convention Foreign Mission Society met on Mar. 11-15 at the First Baptist Church of Minneapolis. This is the church where our Pastor was ordained, but more than that it was the church made famous by the 46 year ministry of the greatest fundamentalist of the Century - Dr. W. B. Riley. In 1947, Dr. Riley wrote a letter to Dr. Ed T. Dahlberg in which he stated that he would be ashamed to die in the Northern Baptist Convention and forthwith resigned.

..Rev. Paul W. Kopp of South Gate was elected to the 1966 General Assembly of the National Council of Churches at the recent ABC Convention in San Francisco. We did not detect any other conservative-oriented individuals among the other 28 elected.

..Northwestern College in Minneapolis has decided to try it again this fall, but this time with a 5-term program enabling a BA degree to be granted in three years. The Graham forces toyed with the idea of taking over the schools but then withdrew. The President, Dr. Curtis Akenson is reported to have resigned.

..We highly recommend this book in paperback 2 copies for \$1, being published next month entitled, "Baal or God: Fantasy vs Truth" by Herman J. Otten, published by the Lutheran News, Box 168, New Haven, Mo. 63068. It has 16 chapters showing the difference between modern liberalism and historic Christianity. Brother Otten is a godly Lutheran who is a friend of the Pastor, though they have never met.

..Don't stop praying, but have more trust. Don't stop praying! for pray we must; Faith will banish a mount of care; Don't stop praying, God answers prayer.

Miss Dortha Onstott will speak Sunday at 7 p.m. in our Church. This will be her last time with us before she sails in September. We are asking our people to pray about a sacrificial offering toward her outgoing expense. Would \$200 be too much to consider? We should regard this a pleasure to be able to help such a choice appointee of the World Conservative Baptist Mission.

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DR. CARL McINTIRE SPEAKS SUNDAY EVENING AT FOOTHILL BLVD. BAPTIST CHURCH - 7 P.M.

The Pastor is anxious to be known by the friends he keeps and Carl McIntire, DD, Litt.D, FRGS, is his friend of many years. It is an honor to have this fearless fundamentalist leader in this pulpit. He has been pastor of the 1600 member Bible Presbyterian Church of Collingswood for 34 years. Dr. McIntire has circled the globe eight times as president of the International Council of Christian Churches. He received his education at Park College, Princeton Seminary, Westminster Seminary. He is president of the Board of Faith Seminary and Shelton College. He is the author of twelve stirring books on current religious issues. It is a part of your Christian education to hear this famous preacher.

TRAGIC BETRAYAL OF CHRISTIAN FAITH AT UN CONVOCATION OF RELIGIONS SUNDAY

Undoubtedly the most flagrant defiance of the living God of heaven in the 20th Century will take place at the Cow Palace on Sunday afternoon when seven religions will join in prayers to various gods in a festival of iniquity sponsored by the San Francisco Council of Religions. Mrs. Wm. Lister Rogers is the chief architect of this abomination, as she was in 1955 at the 10th Anniversary festival of faith. The chief speaker is a Buddhist, UN Gen. Sec. U Thant. No Christian who places any value on the Bible as the Word of God or who acknowledges the sovereignty and Lordship of Jesus Christ should have anything to do with this satanicly-inspired gathering. The eyes of the religious world will be upon this blasphemous gathering of Hindus, Moslems, Jews, Buddhists Catholics and apostate Christians.

..Pastor Paul C. R. Peterson of the First Baptist Church, 900 Glenoaks Blvd., Burbank, Calif. 91501, had the experience of seeing his church vote to disaffiliate from the American Baptist Convention, and thus from the NCC, by a vote of 4 to 1. Convention spokesman who showed up uninvited by the church were not allowed to speak. Congratulations!

..In an open letter at ABC Convention in S. F. in May, Pastor John B. Streater of the strategic First Baptist Church stated "Why sirs, did the keynote speaker not refer once to our ONE LORD? In the entire message of Dr. Van Dusen there was not a single mention of the name of Jesus Christ, nor the Bible, nor the Gospel as the answer to the world's need,"

..Pillsbury appoints new president.. Meeting in Minneapolis June 21, the Pillsbury Baptist College Board unanimously elected B. Myron Cedarholm, BA, BD, ThM, DD, LLD, as president succeeding Dr. Monroe Parker. This news will meet with widespread approval across the nation. Dr. Cedarholm resigned as Gen. Dir. of CBA of A. on June 21, 1965, upon his acceptance of the presidency of Pillsbury College. It is effective Aug. 31, with August as vacation.

"LOYALTY TO CHRIST" RALLY TO BE HELD SAME HOUR AT MASONIC AUDITORIUM IN S. F.

Never in our lifetime has it been more imperative for evangelical Christians who love our Lord Jesus Christ, the Son of the Living God, and the Bible as the Word of God, to lay aside differences and unite in this rally which exalts the Christian Faith as the only valid and authentic approach to God. Conservative Christians everywhere in the area are asked to help fill the 3500 seats of the Masonic Auditorium at 1111 California Street on San Francisco's Nob Hill this coming Sunday at 2:30 p.m. Ushers and singers report at 1:30 p.m. The speaker is Dr. Carl McIntire, one of the most influential and famous champions of the Christian Faith of our time. The rally is sponsored by a Committee of One Hundred Ministers, plus the ICCC and ACCC. Dr. Fred C. Zarfes will direct the choir. Dr. Paul Goercke will be at the huge organ. Dr. Chas. A. Hauser, Jr. will supervise finances. Pastor Elyot Johnson has handled publicity. Dr. G. Archer Weniger will preside. Mrs. Charlotte Zarfes will sing, as well as the chorus choir from various churches. Parking in the basement at cost. Not only is a clear choice offered to Christians who repudiate collaboration with the heathen religions, but a solemn responsibility devolves upon them to support this Rally. This rally stands in fundamental contradistinction to the ecumenical movement and holds to the spiritual unity of all believers rather than favoring a visible world church merger.

.."God's biddings are His enablings".

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## LOCAL CHURCH DEVELOPMENTS

..Graduation exercises for Sunday School are scheduled for next Sunday at 10 a.m. in the auditorium, with Supt. Finis Lyles and the Pastor in charge. Promotional certificates will be awarded to graduates in six depts. of instruction. Each department will meet at 9:45 a.m. in their own rooms for opening exercises.

..New WCBM missionary available. We are thrilled that Miss Vera Mack of Fremont Calvary Baptist Church is available for deputation to the churches. Her address 2537 Washington Blvd., Fremont, 656 - 2681. She is a graduate of Pillsbury and holds credentials from Calif. State College. She plans to major in children's work in Japan.

..Missionary Dortha Onstott, appointee for World Conservative Baptist Mission, brought an excellent message Sunday evening at our Church. The missionary offering toward her outgoing expense missed \$200.00 by \$3.10. Somebody didn't obey the Lord. Gifts may be designated for this objective. She leaves for Uruguay on Sept. 14 with Sharon Clark.

..Men are needed as ushers for the great "Loyalty to Christ" Rally next Sunday afternoon at 2:30 p.m. at the Masonic Auditorium in San Francisco. Those interested call Head Usher George Schneckenger at 797-5618 in Fremont and report at the Auditorium at 1111 Calif - ornia St. at 1:30 p.m. this coming Sunday afternoon.

Singers are needed for the Choir coming up Sunday for the big Rally to be addressed by Dr. Carl McIntire in San Francisco. Choir members are asked by Dr. Fred C. Zarfes to report at 1:30 p.m. for rehearsal on the following hymns: "God of Our Fathers", "Mine Eyes Have Seen the Glory", "Loyalty to Christ", and "Stand Up for Jesus".

..An Ordination Council is called for this Thursday, June 24 at 2 p.m. at First Baptist Church of Niles, Peralta Blvd. to hear the testimony of Brother Ray Neal. Our brother is a recent graduate of the S.F. Baptist Seminary.

..Missionary prospect Gene Mumford, ass't at Fremont Calvary, is about to take to himself a bride on July 10 in Illinois. He is considering foreign service under WCBM. He is an excellent student at the S. F. Baptist Seminary.

..The Multnomah "Singing Ambassadors" of Portland will present a full program of sacred music at the Church on Sunday, July 4 at 7 p.m. The ensemble consists of Brian Gerards, Patricia Flood, Marv Hiebert, Gary Neilsen, Frank Eaton and Karlene Eaton. They are on an 8-week tour of California.

Demonstration Program of DVBS this Friday at 7:30 p.m. in the Lower Auditorium with Miss Dortha Onstott directing. Parents and friends of the children and young folk are invited to attend the program and see the exhibits. Certificates will be awarded. The Pastor will speak briefly.

..The WMS voted to purchase two tables. Our banquet tables which have served 25 years are in need of replacement. A committee is at work to standardize a table which can be purchased by our people. They will cost about \$35 each. We should have 25 tables.

## INTERCHURCH NEWS FOR CONSERVATIVES

..West Valley Baptist Church is the name of the new church which decided on May 28 to meet May 31 for first services in the Saratoga area, with 101 at A.M. and 110 at the P.M. services with about \$ 450 in offerings. The second Sunday found 179 in A.M. and 139 in the P.M., with \$550 offerings. Charter membership reported 89 on the second week. These are people from the Saratoga Avenue Baptist Church.

..On a new CBFMS General Director. The New Jersey State CBA paper "Light" for June, 1965, edited by Horace Taylor wrote: "Dr. Roy Kraft of Santa Cruz, California is considering a call to become director of CBFMS."

..A new church in Concord was formed very recently with about ten families by Pastor Louie Rhoden, who terminated his work at Pleasant Hills First Baptist. It is known as the Central Baptist Church of Concord.

..Six boxes of books to BBC. The San Francisco Baptist Seminary recently shipped six boxes of books to the Baptist Bible College library of Denver. We were pleased with the library at BBC which we saw again recently.

..A Ministers' Retreat in September is being sponsored by the Denver Seminary sympathizers in this state. This is not to be confused with the state pastor's retreat usually held at Meteor Ranch in the spring.

..A new secretary is needed at the S. F. Baptist Seminary, 1225 Franklin, S. F. 9. This might be an excellent opening for the wife of some seminary student who is anticipating studying at the Seminary.

..The CBF messages of Dr. Geo. Dollar, four tremendous addresses delivered at the recent Denver meetings, are available at \$14.50 for the four tapes at Central Baptist Seminary, 2105 Fremont Ave., Minneapolis 11, Minn. They are worth every cent of this.

.."The Challenge of Creation" is the title of an excellent book of six chapters by six distinguished scientists who state the case for Creation and against evolution. "Mutations and Evolution" - W. E. Lammerts, PhD; "Science and the Bible" - Prof. Wilbert Rusch; "Geology and the Bible" - Prof. Clifford Burdick; "God Created Plants" - Geo. How, PhD; "Evidences of God in Nature" - Bolton Davidheiser, PhD; "Genesis One and Two" - Prof. Walter Lang. We do not know the price. Bible-Science Ass'n., Box 1028, Caldwell, Idaho.

.."Peter Seeger and the Lutherans" is a 28-page extensive document just published by Church League of America, 422 No. Prospect St., Wheaton, Ill. 60187. It is a 35¢ each or \$30 for 100. Seeger, many times identified as a Communist Party member, has been engaged as a youth speaker by the Missouri Synod Walther League for their international convention next month at Squaw Valley. The Lutherans are having a stormy time.

..Russell J. Marshall, president of the S. F. Chapter of Choral Conductor's Guild sent out publicity on June 9 promoting the choir rehearsals for the UN Celebration at the Cow Palace Convocation of Religions on June 27, 1965. Prof. Marshall is a teacher at Simpson Bible Coll.



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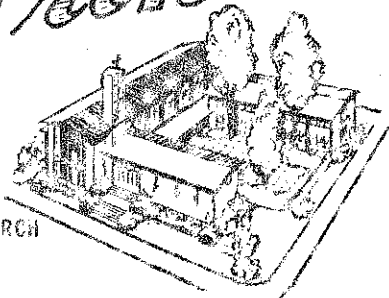
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## FATHER OF SIX MINISTERS WITH THE LORD

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Fredrick William Weniger, distinguished minister with 55 years service for Christ, entered the Palace on Wednesday, June 23, 1965 at the age of 96 years with services held on Tuesday, June 29 at the First Baptist Church of Yuba City California. Dr. Roy H. Austin of the San Francisco Calvary Baptist Church, an old friend of the family, ministered at the memorial services at the Church and at nearby Sutter Cemetary. His six foot three-inch frame was laid to rest beside that of his wife, Alice, to whom he had been married for 53 wonderful years. His six children bore his body to the final resting place to await the First Resurrection. Attending services were all surviving children: Arno Q. Weniger, DD of the Hamilton Square Baptist Church in San Francisco; Ortiz W. Weniger, DD, of the First Baptist Church of Yuba City; G. Archer Weniger, DD, of the Foothill Blvd. Baptist Church of Oakland; Max W. Weniger, DD, of the First Baptist Church of So. St. Paul, Minnesota. The only daughter, Missionary Helen Naomi Cedarholm of El Salvador, attended with her husband, Missionary Jason Cedarholm of Santa Ana. The oldest son, Dwight F. Weniger, after a significant evangelistic ministry, went to be with the Lord in 1931. Paul I. Weniger, the second oldest son, is a business man from Chicago. Born on Dec. 28, 1869, he was converted in Feb. 1894. On Jan. 18, 1900 he was married and ordained on Nov. 22, 1911. On Jan. 18, 1950 they celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary and he was absent from the body and present with the Lord in an instant on June 23, 1965 at 7 a.m.

## A MISSIONARY CHECKS IN AT GRAND CENTRAL

F. W. Weniger was a missionary at heart. After thorough training at the first graduate of Dr. T. C. Horton's Northwestern Bible Institute in St. Paul and at Moody Bible Institute in Chicago while Dwight L. Moody was still an instructor, he then answered the call of God for missionary service in the interior of Venezuela at the close of the last century. While there, his sweat-heart joined him in South America and they were married at Caracas. The groom's attendant was a Roman Catholic priest, his first convert on foreign soil. After serving through five government revolutions and severe religious persecution, ill health forced his return. Upon returning to America, they purchased and operated a houseboat between St. Paul and St. Louis on the Mississippi River. This enabled them to minister to the neglected river towns who could not afford a resident minister. Expenses were made by fishing and pearl hunting during the day. When the children came, the missionary turned his eyes to the land and sought out the neglected towns where the need was great. He soon pushed into the heart of the Minnesota northland to start a work and establish a church. This was where the Pastor was born - in La Porte, Minnesota. Nearly every Sunday in early morning and again in the afternoon, Dad would be ministering in some out-station in some neglected area. Dad had some grand friends of another era. He was personally acquainted with Dr. Wm. B. Riley, Dwight L. Moody, Billy Sunday, William Edward Biederwolf, Dr. T. C. Horton and other giants of the cross.

## THE PASTOR PAYS TRIBUTE TO HIS FATHER

The Pastor stated publicly on Sunday morning as he preached on the subject of heaven: "I would be less than honest if I did not acknowledge a rich spiritual heritage, vouchsafed by a godly father. My thoughts on this day are understandably on the subject of heaven. I dedicate this message to the memory of my father and to the glory of our Lord Jesus Christ." Dad was strictly of the old school. He reached 65 years long before there was anything like social security. Dad set up his own poverty program and somehow managed to raise seven children and sent them all on to higher education while drawing a salary that probably averaged not more than \$800 per year for 55 years. By his life he taught his children the importance of personal responsibility, individual initiative, financial honesty, spiritual sacrifice, family order, and a host of wholesome principles that have stood them all in good stead. He had the privilege of baptizing all of his children when they reached the age of accountability. Moreover, he officiated at most of their weddings and preached their ordination sermons with one exception.

## LOCAL CHURCH DEVELOPMENTS

..Missionary Timothy Pietsch of Tokyo will speak this Wednesday, June 30, at 7 p. m. at the Church, to give us the latest information on that needy land of Japan. Brother Pietsch will be leaving from San Francisco for Tokyo this week.

..Read the Bible through..II Chron. 2-17 ; II Cor. 13 - Gal. 6.

The Multnomah College "Singing Ambassadors" will be with us next Lord's day evening July 4 at 7 p.m. for an entire evening of music. This ensemble of six student and faculty representatives are on an eight-week tour of California churches. They will also speak to a combined youth meeting at 6 p.m. Estelle Stewart is in charge of housing. Let us treat them royally and cordially.

..The outgoing expense offering for Miss Dortha Onstott, World Conservative Baptist Missionary, who leaves on Sept. 14 for Uruguay amounted to \$201.90. We asked the Lord for \$200. In addition, the DVBS missionary offering was \$44.87 for a grand total to date of \$246.77. She will need much more.

..Contributions through the Church.. John Ballentine, Allan Williams, E. Fosmark, G. F. Hodges, Evelyn Wahrer, Mr. and Mrs. Jn. Lucy, Ann Mischnick, W. H. Gilbert, Ron Storz, Dr. Art Allen, Charles Williams, John Dowdle, D. A. Waite.

..We welcome Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Baker into our midst this week. These young people from Pillsbury College were married Friday night at Laurel, Montana with Dr. A. W. Allen officiating. Mr. Baker is enrolled at the Seminary for this fall. We hope Mrs. Baker can work in the Church Office. We ask that our people open their hearts to these splendid youth as they make their adjustments in our city.

..Full house greeted Dr. Carl McIntire .. Our Sunday evening service was a thrill as visitors from many points came to hear a grand message exalting the Word of God by Dr. Carl McIntire of New Jersey.

..Our thanks to our Chinese friends at the Chinese Bible Church for the use of their bus during our vacation Bible School. These Christians are choice friends and it is always a pleasure to work together with them.

..A magnificent Protest Rally was held Sunday at the Masonic Auditorium. The Chronicle of June 28 stated: "The crowd reached a peak of 1500 during the lengthy hymn-singing meeting." An offering of \$2274 was received to more than cover the costs of the rally and send a substantial missionary gift to Bishop Matthew Ajuoga who was present from Kenya.

..Our Church heard Bishop Matthew Ajuoga, youthful leader of 300 churches in central Africa, who was brought to Union Seminary in New York on WCC ecumenical funds, but who got his eyes opened to the modernism and socialism and joined forces with Dr. McIntire in recent weeks. He spoke from our platform for a few brief minutes Sunday evening. What a thrill it was.

..Some July birthdays..(1) Harold Ring ; (5) Danny Martin; (7) George Sanderson; (8) Mark Fulton, John Johnson, Sharon Lambert; (10) Carl Hanson, Judy Grump; (13) Beverly Stoker; (14) Martin Blake, Amelia Bindt; (15) Marion Wilson; (17) Ann Fisher

## INTERCHURCH NEWS FOR CONSERVATIVES

..Dr. Theodore A. Gill, president of the S. F. Presbyterian Seminary at San Anselmo, was one of the pastoral hosts at a meeting with the Soviet delegate to the UN on Sunday noon. The unbelievable three-column Examiner story for June 28, 1965 had this caption: "Red Envoy, Pastors Dine at Cliff House". The story read: "Russian U. N. Ambassador Nikolai Federenko, a communist and an atheist, spent the noon hour here yesterday happily breaking bread at the Cliff House with a group of Presbyterian church leaders."

..The Presbyterian hosts to the Red 'said the dinner table conversation was non-political, non-international, and non-controversial.'" Federenko was quoted: "It is not a question of faith ... I have my ideas and they have theirs. But we have something in common in the U.N."

..The ordination statement of Brother Raymond Neal on June 24 at Niles First Baptist was one of the most comprehensive and well reasoned statements of doctrine we have ever heard. This young man has one of the best grasps of the Christian Faith in our state.

..The famous Oberlin Seminary, one of the nations eight interdenominational seminaries, is closing, according to the Examiner of June 26, 1965. Founded in 1835, its enrollment has been declining for 20 years and is now down to 58 full-time students. Cost of maintaining the school is prohibitive.

..Identified Communist Jack McMichael recently received his PhD degree from Union Seminary in New York, according to the MFSA "Social Questions Bulletin" for May 1965. "In September he begins teaching philosophy and religion at Centre College, Danville, Kentucky."

..The Pastor's friend, Senator Nelson S. Dilworth of Hemet died on June 21 at 74 years of age. He was one of the greatest and most responsible legislators Sacramento ever saw. He was a warm friend of the Pastor and an admirer of the Blu-Print.

..Bishop Pike's deaconess thrown out on the street, according to the Examiner of June 26, 1965. She was among a group of seven sit-iners in the plush executive offices of Crown-Zellerbach building, protesting the company's hiring policies at Boalusa, La. At 6:15 p.m. the police moved in and carried five of them bodily into elevators and deposited in the plaza outside. Mrs. Edwards walked out under her own power.

..The Mid-Week Reminder of the First Baptist Church of Van Nuys, Calif. for May 5, 1965 carried the unbelievable announcement of the noted left-winger: "Steve Allen, a noted T.V. comedian and pianist, will perform some of his familiar routines, including interviews of those attending the program." We are sorry to see this,

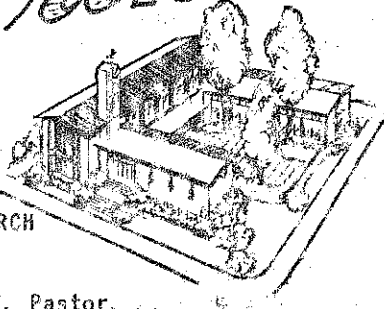
..Bob Jones University Banquet for the Bay Area and Northern California will be on Thurs. July 15, at 7:15 p.m. at Luther Hall, 2317 Buena Vista Ave., Walnut Creek, with Dr. Bob Jones III as speaker. Reservations must be made with Gail Moder, 26 Young Drive, Salinas. 424-9003.

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A QUESTION FOR THE PRESIDENT OF THE CBA

In an article in Christianity Today for Jan. 29, 1965 (p. 39), Dr. J. Lester Harnish of Portland, writing as president of the American Baptist Convention, stated: "I am in active contact with the presidents of the Conservative Baptist Association of America, the Southern Baptist Convention, and the North American Baptist General Conference." The article was entitled "Keep Those Windows Open" and expressed pleasure over his contacts with Roman Catholics and that the Mass was now in the vernacular. Since the article constituted a strong plea for the ecumenical movement, we believe that Dr. Herbert Anderson of the Hinson Church of Portland should reveal to the CBA churches at once the extent and nature of the discussions in which he has been involved. The CBA and the ABC have been at war for 20 years. There has never been any truce declared. The CBA was organized specifically as a protest against the inclusivism of the ABC and the ecumenical movement as declared so clearly in the Preamble. Never before in the history of the CBA has a president been involved with an ABC president in such conferences. Since the direct implication in the article is that the discussions have continued over a period of time and since it is also implied that the discussions were entered into freely by both parties, and since the CBA has been and is professedly solidly opposed to all forms of inclusivism, and since the CBA at their recent meeting at Denver passed a resolution condemning the ecumenical movement, and since the CBA has officially and historically by its very existence branded the ABC as apostate, we believe that the President of the CBA should delay no longer in revealing the character of his conferences with the ABC leader. Dr. Anderson is an honorable man and will not hesitate in clearing up the confusion and uncertainty which has been spread by this statement in one of the most widely read periodicals in the religious world. Moreover, since Dr. Harnish indicated in a recent ABC Crusader that he was joining Southern Baptists in bringing an ecumenical evangelistic crusade to Portland, we hope this dialogue does not mean that the CBA President has been involved in this kind of ecumenical activity.

THIS IS A TIME FOR MINISTERIAL HONESTY

With a widespread layman reaction against the National Council of Churches rising in many churches in various parts of the nation, some pastors are trying to keep the boat from rocking by employing a form of deception by passing a resolution of repudiation of the NCC while still retaining affiliation in a denominational grouping identified with the NCC. This changes nothing essentially except temporarily quieting the storm. When the deception is discovered it means loss of confidence and the last stage is worse than the first. This often means an explosion with the Church tragically split and sometimes the pastor is given the "bounce" for failure to provide decisive leadership. The NCC is not composed of local churches, but consists of denominational groupings of churches. The ONLY WAY OUT of the NCC is for a church to disassociate itself from the group connected with the NCC. The hour has come for men in the ministry to be scrupulously honest with their people on this hot issue of the NCC. A pastor is blinding his people by repudiating the NCC but still accepting affiliation with the American Baptist Convention, for example, which is just as radical in its modernism and socialism as is the NCC. May God give wisdom to pastors of those large churches of influence who find themselves locked in an ideological struggle in relation to the ecumenical movement. So many love to do that which is right in the sight of the Lord, but dread the pain that comes with the required surgery.

EPISCOPAL PRIEST MAKES SHOCKING SUGGESTION FOR A NEW MORAL CODE

We cannot avoid the responsibility of severely denouncing the shameful idea of a new moral code advanced by a Salinas priest under the jurisdiction of Bishop James Pike, Vicar Lester Kinsolving of Holy Spirit Episcopal Church. He is quoted on the front page of the Examiner for June 26, 1965: "When and if science is able to eliminate any possibility of venereal disease or extramarital conception...there must be a revised sexual morality adopted by the Church-unless the Church is to continue being identified with needless and obstinate repression." (Con't. P. 2.)

## LOCAL CHURCH DEVELOPMENTS

.. Bob Jones University Banquet, Thurs., July 15, at Luther Hall, 2317 Buena Vista Ave., Walnut Creek, near First Baptist Church. Speaker: Dr. Bob Jones, III. Make reservations at once with: Miss Fail Moder, 26 Young Drive, Salinas. 424-9003. We hope that pastors, prospects, alumni, students everywhere and friends will attend.

.. Read the Bible through. II Chron. 18 - 33; Ephesians 1; Philippians 1.

.. Master Thomas John Hallcock arrived on June 25, 1965, weighing in at 6 lbs. and 8½ oz., born to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hallcock, proprietor of Robinson Brothers Mortuary.

.. Mrs. Marjorie Mackenzie, who has served so faithfully as the Pastor's secretary for over five years, leaves on Thursday for Toronto. She has kindly remained over to acquaint our new secretary with some of the office procedures. We hope to make an interesting announcement concerning her future plans soon.

.. The Pastor's new secretary in the Church Office, is Mrs. Charles Baker (Jan) Baker. Her husband is enrolled at the San Francisco Baptist Seminary for this Fall. These young people are products of Pillsbury College.

.. The Pastor and his family are grateful for the flowers, cards, letters and prayers of our people in the recent passing of his father, F. W. Weniger.

.. A Memorial Fund has been established for the late Fredrick William Weniger as a result of gifts sent in by friends and loved ones. This will be used in connection with the purchase of needed equipment at the San Francisco Baptist Seminary, in which he maintained such interest. Those interested in this may give directly to the Seminary or to the Pastor, so designated.

.. The Pastor began 24 years of service with the Church last Lord's Day. It was on the first Sunday in July, 1942 when this present pastoral relationship began. It has been a joy to be identified with this company of people in the case of Christ.

.. Our next special missionary opportunity will come in August when we expect to have Mr. and Mrs. Larry Hagan who will then leave for Japan to serve in Northern Hokkaido. We want our people to plan now for a healthy offering toward their outgoing expense.

.. Missionary appointee Vera Mack of Fremont, recent appointee of the WCBM, was pledged \$1,000 of annual support by her home Church, Calvary Baptist. She left last week for a 7-week deputation trip thru Montana, Wisconsin, Minnesota, and South Dakota.

.. The Pastor has been invited to deliver a major address at the next World Congress of Fundamental Baptists, scheduled for 1966 at Grand Rapids, Michigan.

.. Contributions through the Church are very important, especially in the summertime, for those who cannot come. This week: Howard Robinsons, Dr. R.M. McLain, Howard Rainey, Mrs. Hazel Williamson, Dean Clarks, Fortinis, P.R. Hackstedde, D. Cundall, J.V. Luck, A. Chaney, R.J. Miller, Lee Wahrer.

## INTERCHURCH NEWS FOR CONSERVATIVES

.. A motion was made in Denver on June 4 by Timothy Pietsch of Japan that CBFMS go on record as opposing any RSV-type ecumenical version of the Bible anywhere in the world. President Loyd T. Anderson abused Mr. Pietsch for bringing this up and called upon Missionary Jim Webber to speak, who then took ten minutes to make a personal attack upon Tim Pietsch. Dr. Roy Kraft then stated that this motion would greatly embarrass their missionaries in Japan. A substitute motion was then passed expressing confidence in the CBFMS missionaries in Japan.

.. A defense of the RSV Bible. Dr. Ray C. Stedman in a letter of Jan. 21, 1961 to a missionary stated: "My personal opinion is that the tempest made over the RSV was a tempest in a teapot. I have used the RSV herein my church for the last three years or so and find it a very helpful and trustworthy version... I find it a far better tool to use in the modern day America than the King James version".

.. Pastor R.F. "Mac" McIlnay, formerly of Minneapolis Powderhorn Park Baptist Church, has been called and is already on the field at Watsonville First Baptist Church. He has been known as Pastor "Mac" for many years.

.. A Prophetic Bible Conference, sponsored by the S. F. Baptist Seminary, will be held Aug. 2-7 at Camp Eden, 30 miles out of Denver at 7,500 ft, overlooking the Continental Divide. Drs. H. La Vern Schafer and Chas. A. Hauser, Jr. will teach along with Dean Wm. G. Bellshaw, with Dr. Arno Q. Weniger. Individual or family rates. Family of two for cabins and meals is \$33.00.

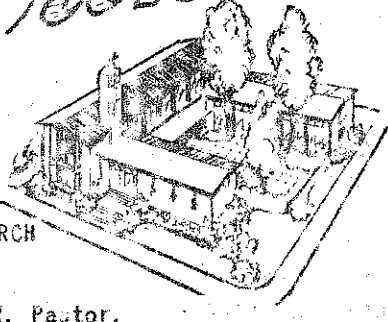
.. Communist Anti-American Propaganda Songs now have a new twist in Viet Nam. The words are straight communist propaganda, but music is known to any churchgoer. Among the tunes: Praise God from whom All Blessings Flow, What Can Wash Away my Sin?, and When I Survey the Wondrous Cross.

.. Local minister arrested in Jackson, Miss. The Examiner of Wed., June 30, 1965 stated, "Among the six white ministers arrested was the Rev. Thomas P. Weir, 44, of Alameda, California". Mr. Weir is pastor of the First Christian Church of Oakland. He was involved in civil rights demonstrations.

EPISCOPAL PRIEST CONTINUED. . . But sir, God's standard has not changed. "Thou shalt not commit adultery". The current communist goals were listed in the Congressional Record for Jan. 10, 1963. "24. Eliminate all laws governing obscenity by calling them 'censorship' and a violation of free speech and free press. 25. Break down cultural standards of morality by promoting pornography and obscenity in books, magazines, motion pictures, radio, and TV. Present homosexuality, degeneracy and promiscuity, as 'normal, natural, healthy'". This is an unbelievably tragic hour we have reached when ministers of religion will help accomplish the goals of the Communist Party in promoting immorality among the people. I Thess. 4:3 says, "That ye should abstain from fornication!"

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UNSPEAKABLY WICKED RELIGIOUS PERSECUTION

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Recently the First Baptist Church of Burbank, by a vote of more than 4 to 1 disaffiliated from the American Baptist Convention and thereby disassociated itself from the National Council of Churches. After exercising this democratic and Baptist right of a church to determine its own affiliations, the courageous pastor, Brother Paul C.R. Peterson, received this astounding resolution: "Inasmuch as the First Baptist Church of Burbank has voted to sever its connections with the American Baptist Convention and INASMUCH as Mr. Paul Peterson has concurred with and approved of this action of his church, BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED by the Executive Committee of the Foothill Association that Mr. Peterson's ordination papers be called for and in event of failure to return same that they are hereby declared invalid and his name removed from the list of accredited ministers of the American Baptist Convention". This is an example of the most contemptible type of ecclesiastical intimidation. Brother Peterson's address: 900 No. Glenoaks Blvd., Burbank, Calif. 91501.

"WHAT'S RIGHT WITH THE AMERICAN BAPTIST CONVENTION" BY DR. J. LESTER HARNISH,

writing as the President of the ABC in the Baptist Leader for June 1965, the noted Portland ecumenical leader states: "Our Convention avowedly is inclusive in theological concepts... Our leaders of youth try to develop a language and forms of Christian activity that the young people will understand. The guitar-playing folk singer, for example, whose song carries the Christian word for today, is the counterpart of the gospel song writer of the Moody-Sankey era, who put the gospel in the popular music of the period. The action programs designed to bring changes in communities, such as the civil rights movements, represent Christian activities of young people as valid as and far more vital than the old church sociable that served another generation". He revealed that they have "550 workers in our national offices at Valley Forge". It is tragic that this former conservative will try to put all this pious lather over the folk-singing movement and the civil rights movement as expressions of the Christian faith, when in fact the Communist conspiracy is deeply involved in both.

FULLER SEMINARY SOCIAL ETHICS LECTURER ADVOCATES IMMORALITY IN EPISCOPAL BOOK

We were shocked at quotes from a book, "Instead of Death", published by Seabury Press (95¢) "prepared under the auspices of the Department of Christian Education, Protestant Episcopal Church", by New York Attorney Wm. Stringfellow, a prominent layman in the ecumenical movement. These quotes were sent by Bishop James P. Dees. The book came to light in a youth conference of a mixed group between ages 15 and 18 years. An example of the filth is found on page 30: "On the other hand, if two unmarried adults in good health, with sensible precautions, in the privacy of a home, by mutual consent spend a night together, the consequences of such an encounter that can be foreseen are so personal and private, pertain so exclusively to the two involved, that society's interest in their conduct should not be asserted to invade their privacy or to censor or curtail their conduct or- least of all- to judge or punish it". So what- what difference does it make if this noted NCC layman and theologian wants to hold such views? Just this. The Los Angeles Times for Feb. 27, 1965, carried this caption: "William Stringfellow, Lay Leader, To Speak". The article stated: "He also will be the main speaker for a social ethics conference Tuesday through Thursday at Fuller Theological Seminary, 135 N. Oakland Ave., Pasadena". These lectures were from Mar. 2 through 4. Fuller Theological Seminary, founded by Fundamentalists, has had a string of modernists including: John A. Mackay, Kenneth Scott Latourette, Bishop Gerald Kennedy, Oscar Cullman, Helmut Thielicke, and Wm. Stringfellow.

COMMUNIST PERVERSION OF THE FAITH

has been classically demonstrated by Prague Seminary professor Joseph L. Hromadka, vice-president of the World Presbyterian Alliance. In an article entitled, "On the Threshold of the Dialogue Between Christians and Marxists", he states: "Only a fundamentally false interpretation of Christian faith can equate it with the concern for a life beyond this one. Without a doubt Christians and their churches are themselves responsible for the emergence and spread of such a false interpretation of Christian faith."

..DR. BOB JONES III, Vice-President of Bob Jones University, speaks this Thursday at 7:15 p.m. at BJU area Banquet, at Luther Hall, 2317 Buena Vista, Walnut Creek. Tickets: \$2.50. Reservations MUST be made in advance by phone: Gail Moder, Salinas 424-9003.

..Read the Bible through.. II Chron. 34 Neh. 3; Phil. 2; Col. 4

..ZIP CODES ARE BEING REQUIRED by the federal government to facilitate mailing of the Blu-Print. If the Blu-Print is considered worthy, the Trustees are suggesting that a \$5 gift be considered. We have no subscription at the present time. Anyone who does not care to receive the Blu-Print will do us a favor by informing us, please.

..THE BJU MUSICAL ENSEMBLE from the World's Most Unusual University, is scheduled to be with us on Tues., Aug. 3 at 7:30 p.m. This group will feature one of the snappiest trumpet trios touring the nation today. They will have a variety of vocal and instrumental numbers.

..COLORED PICTURES SUNDAY NIGHT at the Singspiration Fellowship at 8:30 p.m. in the Lower Auditorium. These excellent pictures by Sterling Roberson, taken of the SS Graduation and other activities, will be shown by the Pastor. Don't miss this.

..PEGGY TERRY AND GENE MUMFORD, who met at Pillsbury College, were married Saturday in Prospect Heights (Ill.) Baptist Church. They are planning to go to the mission field, probably under WCBM, and probably France. Gene is a student at the S.F. Baptist Seminary.

..PRIME MINISTER MOISE TSCHOMBE of the Congo is a Christian man, according to Missionary Glen Lawrence. He loves the Lord and preaches the Gospel every Sunday. No wonder he is the target of satanic attack by every liberal and communist in the world.

..THE PASTOR'S SISTER, Mrs. Helen Cedarholm, leaves this week with her husband, Jason, by air, S.F. for El Salvador where they are missionaries. They must leave their two young sons, Jack and Bill in this country. Bill will live with Dr. and Mrs. Myron Cedarholm on the Pillsbury campus.

..MISSIONARY TIMOTHY PIETSCH left for Tokyo, Japan last Saturday from the S.F. International Airport. His son, Kelsey, has enrolled in the San Francisco Baptist Seminary.

..OUR SISTER CHURCH IN SAN LEANDRO, Manor Baptist, begins construction this week on their immense new auditorium, with John Davies as the Contractor, according to Pastor W. Glen Roades. This Church is one of the remarkable stories of our times.

..A YOUNG MARRIED LADIES CHORUS is being planned by Music Director Dave Morrison with their first rehearsal scheduled for next Sunday afternoon, 5 p.m. at the Church, with the group slated to sing this Sunday evening. All ladies under 30 years are invited to come.

..CONTRIBUTIONS THROUGH THE CHURCH this week: Mrs. Ollie Oliver, Mrs. Florence Cunningham, Miss Nettie Guiwits, Mrs. Sallie Louie, E.L. Wilson, H. Raske, R.C. Klook, Purcell Baptist Church, B.M. Lotz,

..DR. J. LESTER HARNISH endorsed the NCC and WCC in a letter to American Baptist Convention pastors dated May 7, 1965 and reproduced photographically in the Christian Beacon of June 17, 1965: "At the same time, let it be said that we have been and are in accord with the present and consistently held policy of our Convention to be affiliated with these Councils..."

..THE PASTOR WAS RE-ELECTED TO THE BOARD of Bob Jones University on June 1, 1965, along with Dr. Chas. Woodbridge, Senator Frank Carlson, Dr. Dallas Billington, Congressman Wm. Jennings, Bryan Dorn, Dr. Jack Hyles, Dr. David Laurie, Dr. Charles Poling, Dr. Phil Shuler, Dr. Robert Sumner, Senator Strom Thurmond, Dr. John Rice, Dr. Ford Porter, Dr. Monroe Parker, Dr. Horace Dean, Dr. Tom Malone and others.

..BOB JONES UNIVERSITY has refused to sign a federal compliance agreement with the US Gov't. to the civil rights law, because they refuse to turn property and policies over to the government. They will obey the law, but this refusal to sign a special compliance deprives them of surplus property rights enjoyed by other schools and government loans to students. Reading the annual trustee report is thrilling to see God's unprecedented blessing upon enrollment, finances, expansion and every phase. It is a miracle that BJU succeeds without help from the foundations, denominations, or the government. We urge support of their present three million dollar expansion program.

..OUR SYMPATHY TO BAPTIST PUBLICATIONS in Denver, source of our S.S. literature, who experienced considerable damage in the recent flash flood that struck the downtown Denver area with the overflow from the South Platte River.

..DR. RALPH MOELLERING, Missouri Synod Lutheran campus pastor at UC in Berkeley defended identified communist Pete Seeger before the national annual convention in Detroit recently for his scheduled appearance at a Lutheran youth convention this month at Squaw Valley. The Detroit News for June 20 said that Pete Seeger got a standing ovation and endorsement in absentia.

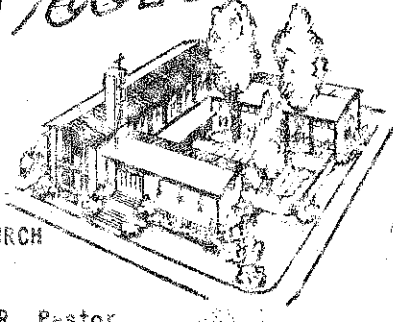
..A LETTER FROM DR. BOB JONES, JR.: "I am just back and find your recent material including a letter to Dr. Paul Peterson from James E. Kilgore. Kilgore is not a graduate of Bob Jones University. He was expelled from this institution for violating the rules and encouraging others to do so". Kilgore threatened to push "defrocking" proceedings against Peterson.

..THE WEST VALLEY BAPTIST CHURCH in the Santa Clara Valley closed its Charter Membership recently at 159 members. What a tremendous development.

..PASTOR RAY AMES, 3417-4th Street, South Salem, Ore., is in the hospital after serious surgery on July 5 with 80% of his stomach removed due to cancer. His wife is very weak after serious heart surgery. His friends from around the nation can remember him at this time.

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CBA OF A. URGES COMPLETE INTEGRATION  
OF MEMBERSHIP AT DENVER MEETING

The social actionists among the New Evangelicalist supporters easily pushed through a resolution at the annual sessions of the CBA of A at the Hilton Hotel which calls for integration of the membership of the CBA churches. It stated that the churches "be equally concerned to welcome to the hearing of the gospel in our churches people of every racial and ethnic background in our midst". The final paragraph stated: "BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that in keeping with New Testament principles, membership in the local church be based upon faith, not race, upon personal relationship to Christ not color, so that all who are 'in Christ' can participate fully in the worship and witness of the church at home and abroad, to the glory of God, without regard to race or ethnic origin". A similar motion was defeated by simply tabling the matter at Denver in 1958. The CBA has changed drastically in recent years and the next logical step will be to pronounce the benediction on interracial marriages of young people within these interracial churches whose romances flower in the local church. Since these brethren are presumed to be sincere in what they are doing, are we to conclude that the following city churches will be strenuously evangelizing among the colored peoples to bring them into such churches as: The Hinson Church of Portland of which Dr. Herbert Anderson is pastor; Bethel Baptist Church of Denver of which Dr. Russell Pavy is pastor; Central Baptist Church of Sacramento of which John Berentschot is pastor; the Norwood Baptist Church of Chicago of which Woodrow Finger is pastor, the Baptist Temple of Brooklyn of which Dr. Robt. Carlberg is pastor; the Cazenovia Park Baptist of Buffalo of which Dr. Wm. F. Kerr is pastor; the Central Baptist Church of Manhattan of which Dr. Theo. Taylor is pastor; and a host of others? The city churches of the CBA should take steps at once to honor this resolution by opening their memberships enthusiastically to the colored brethren or else cease their hypocrisy by striking it from the books. If they mean what this resolution says, why did Galilee Baptist Church flee from the colored people in Denver and build in the suburbs? Why did

INVITATION TO DR. JOHN MACKAY WITHDRAWN

Widespread objection to the scheduling of Dr. John A. Mackay, noted ecumenical modernist, for the Family Conference at Mt. Hermon this week as announced in the Spring 1965 "Mt. Hermon Log", resulted in an apparent withdrawal of the invitation, though no public announcement was made. The Summer "Log" had this announcement of Board action: "Approved Rev. Gerrit ten Zythoff of the Netherlands to serve as speaker for the July 18-24 Family Conference as Dr. John Mackay's replacement". Bible-believing elements would hope that Mt. Hermon board would see the value of issuing a word of explanation showing that this replacement is not simply due to pressure from dissatisfied constituents, but that it represents a genuine regret that a modernist was scheduled.

THE ECUMENICAL MOVEMENT IS SWORN ENEMY  
OF FREEDOM OF RELIGION TO EVANGELIZE  
THE WORLD

A World Council of Churches leader, L. A. Zander in his work "Vision and Action. The Problem of Ecumenism" discusses the "rules of conduct which must be followed if ecumenical communion is to be possible at all". He states: "The basic rule of ecumenical work is abstention from proselytizing, that is, from the striving to convert Christians from other denominations to one's own church". This Greek Orthodox leader stated further: "In accepting ecumenism we renounce attempts to convert others to our own view, hard as this may be for us. And in so far as we consider ecumenism important, useful and desirable, we not only abstain from proselytism but struggle against it wherever and in whatever form we find it. This is demanded by the principle of mutuality apart from which no ecumenical work is possible...abstention from proselytizing is the constitutive principle of ecumenical work".

THE PASTOR'S SUNDAY SERMON SUBJECTS:  
11:00 a.m... "The Armour of Light"  
7:00 p.m... "Playing a Losing Game with Sin"  
9:45 a.m... Ten Sunday School Departments  
7:00 p.m... Eight Training Leagues

the Lorimer Church escape from the colored people in Chicago and move to the suburbs?

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## LOCAL CHURCH DEVELOPMENTS

..MISS RUTH EDWARDS, senior music major at WBBC, will be the soprano soloist Sunday evening and the play the grand piano for the song service. She has just returned from a 6 weeks tour of the Pacific Northwest as accompanist and soloist with the WBBC Girl's Trio.

..Read the Bible through...Nehemiah 4-Esther 6; I Thess. 1-2 Thess. 2.

..CONTRIBUTIONS THROUGH THE CHURCH Office: Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Gillespie, Dr. R.M. McLain, Mr. and Mrs. MU Blake, Mrs. Ollie Oliver, Dean and Mrs. Wm. G. Bellshaw, Jim Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Roy H. McMillen, Jack Suite, Mr. and Mrs. Harland Peterson.

..ALL CHURCH PICNIC is scheduled for Saturday, July 31 at 10:30 a.m. in the Oakland Hills at the place called "The Meadow", a beautiful glen, located exactly at the corner of Joaquin Miller Road and Robinson and Sanborn drives at the Woodminster theatre sign. Each family is asked to supply lunch for themselves and their guests. The Social Committee with Mrs. Lucille Lambert as chairman, will provide coffee, punch, and ice cream.

..LEAGUE BASEBALL PARTY this Friday night, sponsored by the Men's Dept., meeting at the Church at 6:30 p.m. to leave for Candlestick Park where the Giants and the Milwaukee Braves play. Open to members and friends. No reserved seats. Tickets-\$1.50. Norman Black is president.

..AN EXCELLENT TRUMPETER and music leader desires appointment either on full-time or part-time basis with a church. Check with the Pastor.

.. "LARRY HAGEN DAY" will be observed on Sunday, Aug. 8, when this outstanding young veteran missionary from Hokkaido will be at our Church. Since his outgoing expense is a critical item, we are hoping that our people will rise to the occasion with a grand offering. WCBM missionary Hagen will be in the area for the week of Aug. 1-8. Those interested might contact Dr. Roy H. Austin, S.F. Ju. 5-4123.

..COMBINED YOUTH OUTING for H.S. and college youth on Aug. 10, 1965 at 6p.m. at the Golden Tee Miniature Golf Course in Castro Valley. Price 50¢. The youth of Calvary Baptist of San Francisco are invited. Bring unsaved friends. Larry Chappell will be the evangelist.

..AN EXCELLENT JR. AND JR. HIGH summer camp is being sponsored by the Castle-mont Baptist Church at Camp Chabot, Aug. 30 to Sept. 4 with Rev. John S. Taylor director. Our Church is invited to cooperate. The camp is in the secluded Oakland Hills beyond the Chabot Golf Course. Cost for the week- \$15. Reservations should be made soon with Dave Morrison at \$2 each.

..TWO OF OUR BEST GIRLS WILL GRADUATE from Highland Nurses School on Aug. 27, when Lorna Prang and Elaine Sinclair receive their coveted "RN" degrees. Our Church is proud of them.

..BEAUTIFUL COLORED PICTURES of Bob Jones University will be shown by the BJU ensemble on Tues. Aug. 3, after the presentation of their evening of music and testimony. The program begins at 7:30 p.m.

## INTERCHURCH NEWS FOR CONSERVATIVES

..THE BRUTAL DEATH STORY of recent Congo killings by leftist forces has been before us for several days, waiting for the liberal interested in justice to have some demonstrations about this. Strange that 31 Roman priests can be slashed with knives and thrown into the river and not a whimper from the leftwing ministers. But let a degenerate, like Chessman, get sentenced to the gas chamber, and these perverted heretics in the ministry will bawl like babies. What a tragedy.

..BISHOP JAMES A. PIKE LEAVES...The surprise announcement in the big front-page article of the Oakland Tribune for Sun., July 11, 1965 that Bishop James Pike is taking a six-months leave of absence in Europe has aroused speculation that he is being eased out of his job. His fellow heretics, in the House of Bishops, are continuously embarrassed by headlines he makes regularly.

..PIKE SAYS HE'S OUT ON A LIMB...The Tribune reported him: "I've reached the point in my religious thinking," he explained, "where I'm sort of out on a limb. The unbelievers predict I'll go further. The conservatives warn that I must go back or fall off the limb. I have to decide the direction myself". He leaves after the Sept. 7-10 meeting of the Bishops at Glacier Park.

..AN AMERICAN BAPTIST CONVENTION SHOCKER The Oakland Tribune of July 12, 1965 carried a picture of a Roman priest and said this: "FIRST PRIEST- The Rev. John McKenzie, 54, is scheduled to become first Catholic teacher at University of Chicago divinity school when he assumes chair of Catholic Theology at Protestant theological seminary". This seminary is one of the ABC approved, ABC-related, and ABC-supported seminaries affiliated with the ABC Board of Education.

.. "THE BILLY GRAHAM MISSION AT HARVARD in February of 1964 produced an interesting problem when a number of students 'of Roman Catholic tradition' confessed the Lord Jesus Christ. Since the Harvard Christian Fellowship, which sponsored Graham's mission, had sought the cooperation of all those groups at Harvard and Radcliffe claiming to be Christians, 'follow-up' for these Roman Catholic decisions was given to Roman Catholics. This took place with the knowledge and approval of Dr. Graham, and it accentuated a problem which always arises when the gospel of salvation is preached among Roman Catholics". This is from an article by S.P. Garver in the Western Voice, July 1, 1965.

..THIS IS NOT GENERALLY KNOWN..Of the 38 CBHMS Deputation Representatives listed in the annual report, over half of them are from three states: California, Arizona and Oregon.

..COMPLETE REPORTS OF THE DENVER meeting of Conservative Baptists are being compiled by the CBF in Chicago. Since many choose to suppress much of the information of developments at the annual meeting, this report should be helpful. Dr. Richard Weeks and Dr. Lee Long will edit the material. A gift for the CBF should be included with any requests.

..BR. ROY KRAFT INDICATED recently that he is not now a member of the Mt. Hermon Board and does not approve of Dr. Mackay. We are glad to make this correction.



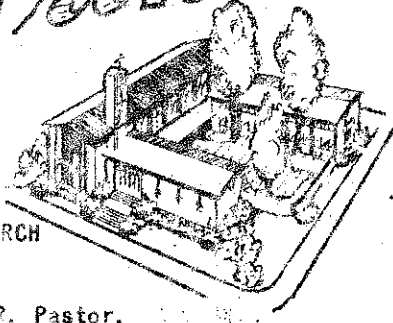
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## PORTLAND HEATS UP ENTHUSIASM FOR AN ECUMENICAL EVANGELISTIC CRUSADE in 1966

Six Conservative Baptist pastors were among the list of 25 leaders named on an ecumenical committee read off by Chairman Dr. Lester Harnish at a Graham meeting on Tuesday, July 13 at the Benson Hotel with 599 selected guests. Dr. Wm. C. Cate, executive secretary of the Portland Council of Churches, gave the benediction to the affair. Dr. Paul S. Wright, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, was a member of the committee. Dr. Wright is considered a radical modernist, whose extensive left-wing record is found in the Circuit Rider's book "614 Presbyterian Clergymen". (\$2, 110 Gov't Place, Cincinnati 2, Ohio). He is frequently cited approvingly in the Daily Worker and the People's World. The Committee also includes Dwight S. Dodson, executive secretary of the American Baptists in Oregon. Dr. Harnish is one of the leading officials of the ABC. Significantly absent from the committee are such figures as Dr. Earl Radmacher of Western Seminary, Dr. John Mitchell of Central Bible Church, and Dr. Willard Alldinch of Multnomah School of the Bible. A question that is being raised all over the country is this: How can any Conservative Baptist leader associate himself with Virgin Birth-denying modernists and left wing socialists without betraying the Conservative Baptist Manifesto which was adopted in 1953 by the CBA of A in annual session at the Hinson Memorial Baptist Church? Conservative Baptists are split down the center right now.

### ALL CHURCH PICNIC THIS SATURDAY

Members and friends are invited to attend the picnic scheduled at 10:30 am at "The Meadow" in Joquin Miller Park in the Oakland Hills, a beautiful glen at the corner of Joaquin Miller Rd. and Sanborn at the Woodminister theatre sign. Each family bring lunch for themselves and their guests. The Social Committee will provide ice cream, punch and coffee. Howard Robinson will bring the devotional. Dave Morrison will supervise the recreation. Let's invite our friends to a grand fellowship.

A CONGREGATIONALIST TO TEACH at the Berkeley Baptist Divinity School 1965-66. Dr. Browne Barr, pastor of First Congregational Church, Berkeley has been ap-

## BENJAMIN GITLOW, FORMER RED, DIES AT 74

America owes a great debt of gratitude to citizens who had courage to wash their hands of Communism and make their knowledge available to their country in its mortal struggle against this godless conspiracy, such as Negro Manning Johnson, Paul Crouch, Joseph Zack Kornfedder, and Ben Gitlow, who died July 19. In July 1953 he gave testimony under oath, recorded in HCUA booklet "Investigations of Communist Activities in the New York City Area" pp. 2084-85: "The inner hard core of the Methodist Federation consisted, up to the time Jack R. McMichael, a member and leader of the Young Communist League was elected its executive secretary, after Dr. Ward had relinquished his post, of a communist cell headed by Ward, which functioned under the direction of the Communist Party... MR. KUNZIG: Who were the principle individuals involved in the communist infiltration of the Methodist Church? -MR. GITLOW: The principle individuals involved in the communist conspiracy to subvert the Methodist Church for Communist purposes are: Dr. Harry F. Ward, Rev. Jack R. McMichael, Rev. Charles C. Webber, Rev. Alson J. Smith, Dr. Willard Uphaus, Margareth Forsyth, Rev. Lee H. Ball... MR. KUNZIG: What organization, in your opinion, played a most important part in the communist infiltration of religion? MR. GITLOW: In my opinion the Methodist Federation for Social Action."

## NELS FERRE IS FOR A CHRISTIAN COMMUNISM

After reading his article in "The Journal of Religious Thought" (Vol. 22, No.1) published by Howard University, we felt that Dr. Nels F.S. Ferre was like a skipper at sea without rudder or compass, but still doggedly thinking he was master of the situation. He states "I propose that the Christian faith express true communism... Christianity can either live authentically as Christ-community, or die a traitor to the people". p. 62. He continues: "Therefore Christ-community or true communism is Christian in the full and real sense of that term. Marxism and Christianity are mortal enemies but communism and Christianity belong together. What we need is Christ-community". p. 63.

pointed, according to the Examiner of July 10, 1965. This is the host church to the noted liberal Earl lectures by PSR each February

## LOCAL CHURCH DEVELOPMENTS

..BUCKINGHAM APPRECIATION DAY will be observed next Lord's Day, recognizing 19 years of faithful service as key members of our Church—Melvin and Ozellah. Mr. Buckingham, chariman of the Trustees for years and holding a responsible government position, has been transferred to Vallejo. This is NOT a farewell, but an APPRECIATION day.

..Read the Bible through.. Esther 7, Job 12; II Thessalonians 3 - I Timothy 6.

..ONE OF THE MOST OUTSTANDING MUSICAL ensembles touring the U.S. today will be with us next Tuesday, Aug. 3, when the Bob Jones University western group of four youth will present a full evening of vocal and instrumental music. They feature a trumpet trio which is excellent. Colored pictures of student life at BJU will be shown afterward. Everyone is invited. Christians who see the peril today to God and Country should support this school as never before.

..MRS. BERNICE ROLLINS, 16129 Carolyn St., San Leandro, returned late Sunday from Bend, Oregon where she attended the funeral services Saturday for her father, Ernest E. Loy who died last Wednesday at the age of 86 years. Our Church extends sympathy to these faithful members of our Church.

..WE CANNOT WITHOLD THIS GOOD NEWS any longer. One of our grand families of our Church has just made possible the purchase of a new set of banquet tables for the Church, as a gift to the Lord's work. These tables will be 30 by 96 inch high grade plastic top in gold-flecked beige color, with metal folding pedestal legs. With this gift we hope to secure 20 of these banquet tables.

..CONTRIBUTIONS THROUGH THE CHURCH Office recently: Mrs. Hazel Westfall, Dr. R.M. McLain, Mr. and Mrs. John Lucy, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Fortini, Mrs. Bertha Hartwig, George S. Fichter, Z.G. McDonnell, Kay Kirn, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Moore.

..AN EVANGELISTIC YOUTH OUTING for high college age youth is being planned for Aug. 10 at 6 p.m. at the Golden Tee Miniature Golf Course in Castro Valley. The price is 50¢. The youth of Calvary Baptist Church or San Francisco are invited. Bring unsaved friends. Larry Chappell will be the evangelist.

..SPEAKERS FOR SUNDAY, AUG. 8 11 a.m. - Dr. Max W. Weniger of South St. Paul, Minn. 7 p.m. - Missionary Larry Hagen from Japan. A missionary offering will be received for Larry Hagen enabling him to leave in August for Japan. We are asking God for \$300. The Pastor will preside at both services.

..PRESBYTERIAN MINISTER DUNBAR H. OGDEN was quoted in the Daily California at U C on July 16, 1965: "The United States has never really been the melting pot that we have boasted of, and it never will be until there is a complete merging of the races, the Rev. Dunbar H. Ogden said in an interview with the Daily Californian on Wednesday...Ogden will be speaking at the three morning services at St. John's Presbyterian Church in Berkeley this Sunday".

..THE BAPTIST WORLD ALLIANCE is an excellent folder describing this modernistic alliance, produced by the Church League of America, 422 N. Prospect St., Wheaton, Ill. 60187. 35¢ each.

## INTERCHURCH NEWS FOR CONSERVATIVES

..DR. AND MRS. B. MYRON CEDARHOLM will be honored at a recognition dinner on Fri., Aug. 13, 1965 at the Sheraton O'Hare Hotel, 6810 Mannheim Rd., Des Plaines, Ill., near the Chicago Airport, with laymen and pastors invited to show appreciation for 18 years of service. Our Pastor had the pleasure of making the motion on the CBA Board in Boston in 1950 elevating Dr. Cedarholm to General Director.

..THE NEW PRESIDENT OF PILLSBURY COLLEGE will be installed on Sept. 10 at Watonna, when Dr. Myron Cedarholm becomes the third President of the largest school of higher education which has been identified with the CBA.

..A LOVE GIFT FOR THE CEDARHOLMS for 18 years of service with the CBA is being received, from Conservative Baptists everywhere at CBA headquarters, P.O. Box 265, Arlington Heights, Ill. up until Aug. 10, according to word received from Dr. Herbert E. Anderson, president of the CBA.

..THE REAL GOAL OF THE INTEGRATIONISTS... The Chronicle of July 14, 1965 stated, "The real test of whether a man is for racial equality is his attitude toward marriages between Negroes and whites, a Stanford University research professor declared here yesterday. 'Marriage is a critical measure of one's deep feelings,' Dr. Robert D. Russell told a San Francisco State College student meeting. 'When we allow—even encourage interracial marriage, it will be a significant evidence that we really do accept others as equals'."

..THE TWENTIETH CENTURY'S MIGHTIEST PEN.. The writings of Dr. John R. Rice has reached the fantastic circulation of 25 million copies. If you were to combine the writings of any three of the most popular Fundamental Christian authors today, you would find their total sales do not equal the distribution of Dr. Rice's books.

..PASTOR RAY AMES IS HOME from the Hospital after critical surgery in which the cancer was completely removed, it is confidently hoped. His address is: 3417 - 4 Ave. So., Salem, Oregon. 97302

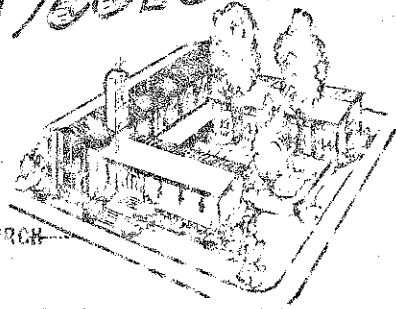
..ONE OF THE MOST SIGNIFICANT BOOKS in our generation is the 350 page paperback "Baal or God", by Herman Otten, BA, MA, STM. It is available at 75¢ from Lutheran News, Box 168, New Haven, Mo. 63068. It is loaded with 16 chapters of documentation exposing modern unbelief in the churches as it relates to: the Trinity, Deity of Christ, Vicarious Sacrifice, Justification, The Virgin Birth, Resurrection, Revelation, Inspiration, Inerrancy, Creation, Missions, Communism. We hope someday to meet this dear brother, a youthful Lutheran who is giving the Missouri Synod "fits" in its present drift toward apostasy.

..REP. ADAM CLAYTON POWELL, pastor of the largest colored Baptist Church in the world in Harlem, has been assured that Congress will not investigate the salary which his wife gets as a member of his staff, even though she lives in Puerto Rico. She gets \$18,000 from the federal government while living down there.

..CONGRATULATIONS TO DR. JOOST SLUIS, who was elevated on July 1, 1965 from clinical instructor to Assn't. Pro. of Orthopedic Surgery at the U of California Medical Center at San Francisco.

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## THE HERESY OF FULLER SEMINARY LECTURER

The Episcopal lawyer, William Stringfellow, was the main speaker for a social ethics conference at Fuller Seminary on Mar. 2-4, 1965. Since Fuller considers him a specialist on social ethics he ought to have a Biblical idea of sin. However, his very latest book, "Instead of Death", published by the Episcopalian Seabury Press has this paragraph on page 9: "For one thing, death is not the consequence of either evil or sin, nor is death some punishment for evil or sin. Nor is there any such thing as objective evil, that is, some knowledge or idea or principle of evil which men can learn or discover or discern and then, by their own will, do evil or good. If men knew or could know what is good and what is evil in that sense, then they would be like God Himself". God warned our first parents in the Garden of Eden: "Ye shall not eat of it, neither shall ye touch it, lest ye die". Gen. 3:3. Satan's lie followed: "And the serpent said unto the woman, Ye shall not surely die". Gen. 5:5 states that Adam died. One of the most shocking statements advocating immorality is found on page. 30.

## EVANGELISTIC YOUTH OUTING AUGUST 10

Youth from both the high school and college age groups will be hosts to the youth of the Calvary Baptist Church of San Francisco on Tuesday, Aug. 10, for a combined social with unsaved friends being invited. Meet at the Church at 6:15 p.m. or at 7 p.m. at the Golden Tee Miniature Golf course at 2533 Castro Valley Blvd., in Castro Valley. 75¢ for golfing, 50¢ for gas in the bus, but the food will be free. Prizes for the three highest scores and three lowest scores. Larry Chappell will bring the message after the feed.

## THE BIG ECUMENICAL CRUSADE IN PORTLAND

On July 13, 1965 an ecumenical dinner was held at the Benson Hotel attended by 599 selected guests. Dr. Russell Shive, a member of the Billy Graham Exploratory Committee, was the "ticket taker" at this affair. Six CBA leaders were members of this committee. The Oregon Journal for July 10, 1965 stated, "Harnish pointed out that the advisory committee represents almost all religious viewpoints in the area from liberal to fundamentalists". Dr.

## MISSIONARY SUNDAY WITH LARRY HAGEN

Next Lord's Day will be a big time in the house of the Lord when we hear Missionary Larry Hagen for the last time before he leaves for Japan under the World Conservative Baptist Mission. He will speak at both services. A special outgoing offering will be received at the close of the evening service, which will be used exclusively for getting him to the field. We are asking God's people for \$300. Let each one pray about his part over and above all other considerations. He is a veteran with one term in Northern Hokkaido since 1961. He was converted while a Marine in Korea. He organized a church at Quantico and was called to foreign service in 1956. The Hagen's were married in Japan in 1961 and have three children: Ruthanna, Jonathan and Amy Rebecca. Their field of labor is only 26 miles from Soviet territory. Let's have a grand response on the Lord's Day. They are scheduled to leave for Japan on Pan American Aug. 20.

J. Lester Harnish, former Pres. of the American Baptist Convention, is the chairman. Other members of the Committee are: Dwight S. Dodson, ABC secretary; Dr. Wm. C. Cate of the Portland Council of Churches, and Dr. Paul Petticord, former NAE President who is reported to have said, "Fundamentalism is dead". Perhaps the leading liberal is Dr. Paul S. Wright. One of the first things the Evangelist said when he got up to speak: "I saw Dr. Paul Wright a few moments ago". He mentioned a recent private breakfast with Walter Reuther and said he spoke to his committee later (AFL-CIO). He implied approval of the recent Selma march. Arguing for cooperation he said, "I think I would support almost anybody if they would just preach Christ". However, G. Campbell Morgan in "Acts" (p.385) states: "We are to refuse the patronage of hell, when it attempts to tell the truth about our Christ. Alliance with evil is the most subtle peril that confronts the Church at any time". He states further: Admit the devil into the fellowship of this propaganda of the Gospel, and ere long he will twist his fingers around the Gospel and distort it, until it becomes a deadly and damnable heresy".

..Election this Wednesday..Brother Morgan Graves has been nominated by both the Trustees and the Deacons to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Melvin Buckingham.

..Read the Bible through..Job 13-28;2Timothy 1 - Titus 3.

..Templebuilder Youth Elects new officers: Pres. Bob Mitchell; Vice-Pres. Roger Lee; Sec-Treasurer. Mary Lee Wiskstrom; Song Leader. Barbara Rollins; Social Chairman-Dick Fuller. Counselors: Mr. and Mrs. Kyle Pemberton.

..Clarence Lambert elected chairman of the Trustees on Wednesday, succeeding Melvin Buckingham who resigned effective Aug. 1. Brother Kyle Pemberton was elected Vice-chairman. We are thankful for these dedicated officers of the Church.

..Church Choir party in Lafayette, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Morrison, 3368 Victoria. Husbands and wives are invited. Hamburger barbeque, Saturday, 5:30 p.m., Aug. 7. Go through the tunnel, take Lafayette turnoff, proceed to stop light, right to Moraga Blvd., left one mile to Victoria. Everyone MUST report to the Church on Sunday

..We are all invited to the wedding..On Friday, Aug. 6 at 8 p.m. at Calvary Baptist Church, San Francisco. Miss Cathy Austin will become the bride of Robert Crummett, with Dr. Roy Austin officiating, assisted by Charles Austin of Salem. Reception following. Mr. Crummett will then take his bride to his new assignment as Youth Pastor at the Billy Sunday Tabernacle, Sioux City, Iowa.

..Youth Choir rehearsal is scheduled for Aug. 8 and 22 at 5:45 p.m., with Dave Morrison leading. This is for all high school and college age youth. Please report by next Sunday.

..For family worship each day..One of the best available is known as "Our Daily Bread", by Dr. M.R. DeHaan, distributed free by the Radio Bible Class, Box 22, Grand Rapids, Michigan.

..The "Dad" Weniger Memorial Fund was increased by \$10 with a gift from the Berean Bible Class of our Church, according to Mrs. Hazel Westfall. Mrs. J.W. Stephens is the teacher of this group. The fund is being administered by the four minister sons for equipment for the San Francisco Seminary.

..Mr. Dennis L. Weniger, the Pastor's nephew, is to take to himself a bride on Friday, Aug. 20, 1965 at First Baptist Church of Stewartville, Minnesota. Her name is Miss Kathryn Ann Bardwell Dwight Weniger is serving as an usher for the happy occasion. Denny is a graduate of Pillsbury and is preparing for the ministry of the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ.

..This coming Lord's Day is the final Sunday for Dr. and Mrs. W.R. Fuller and family before leaving for Indiana where he takes up his work as Ass't. Dean of College of Science at Purdue University. These good people have been a distinct blessing to our Church during this year of sabbatical study at U.C. Dr. Fuller is a PhD in mathematics.

..Training League attendance last Sunday 1. Adults, 2. Homebuilders, 3. Young Adults, 4. High school, 5. Juniors and Nursery tied.

.."ABC violates Baptist tradition" is the name of a 15-page document giving documentary evidence of the present fraudulent attempt of American Baptist Convention officials to "defrock" Pastor Paul C.R. Peterson and declare his ordination papers invalid because he led a battle to take the ABC out of the National Council of Churches and, having failed, his Church then withdrew from the ABC. His address: 900 N. Glenoaks Blvd., Burbank, California 91501.

..A remarkable article just out came to our desk from our good colored friend, Bishop C. Fain Klye, Box 1366, Richmond, California. It is entitled: "I Believe the South has been good to the Negro". It sets forth a devastating case. Brother Kyle's insights should be heeded.

.."Should fundamentalists support the Billy Graham Crusades" is an excellent 35 page booklet whose demand is so heavy that repeated reprints have been made available at \$15 per 100 from Dr. Ernest Pickering, 6800 Plaza Curve No. Minneapolis, Minnesota 55432.

..Hume Lake Conference is sponsoring a college conference August 28 through September 4 with two noted Neo-Evangelicalists: Dr. W. Robert Smith, reportedly an amillennialist from Bethel College, and Dr. Vernon C. Grounds, a post-tribulationist from Denver Seminary.

..Identified Red gets standing ovation.. 4,500 Lutheran youth crowded Squaw Valley's Blythe Arena on July 5 to hear Identified Communist Pete Seeger. Among the listeners was Dr. Oliver Harms, president of the Missouri Synod. Seeger was defended after months of intense opposition failed to dislodge him as a main attraction at the international convention. The sad spiritual conditions in the Missouri Synod is reflected in this unbelievable action.

..Folk-singer Pete Seeger, who was convicted of contempt of Congress on Mar. 29, 1961, told the youth: "I like to show people what a big world this is and what wonderful people there are in this world and how we can all love each other as Jesus told us to do". Dr. Harms described the convention as "a magnificent thing". Lutheran Witness, July 25, 1965.

..HCUA annual report 1961 (p. 43)- "The case of Pete Seeger, the folk singer, offers another example of the type of assistance the U. S. Communist Party receives from abroad. Seeger, as mentioned before, has been identified as a member of the Communist Party and today, as for many years past, is an inveterate promoter of party fronts and the party line".

..Contributions through the Church Office Mr. and Mrs. Howard Robinson, Mr. Howard Rainey, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Fortini, M.T. Faulkes, C. Dietrich, J. Kallin, Dr. Otis Holmes, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Wickstrom, Estelle Stewart, Mrs. Leona Lombardo, Mrs. Bertha Corbett, Mrs. Eleanor Gregg, Hazel Westfall.

..We are thankful for the food being brought in this week to stock our Prophet's Chamber so that our missionaries will not want for anything. Mrs. Allegra Prang is the supervisor of this enormously successful and blessed facility of the Church.

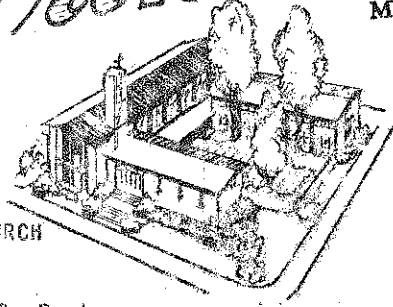
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## OLD FASHIONED MISSIONARY SEND-OFF

Interested churches of the area are urged to consider participating in the farewell send-off of Missionary's Larry and Edith Hagen, who will leave for Japan under the WCBM on Friday, August 20, from the San Francisco Airport, aboard Pan Am Flight No. 845. The plane will arrive at 1:45pm and the Hagen's will be with us at the Pan Am Terminal for 30 minutes before they board for a 2:45 p.m. take-off for the 9½ hour non-stop flight to Tokyo. The Pan Am concourse is at the new terminal just to your right as you come into the airport grounds. Go early for parking. It will be an unforgettable experience for the children, young people and big folk to see real live missionaries leave America for a distant land to obey the Great Commission of our Savior. People from out of town might want to take in the Giants-Dodger classic that same evening at Candlestick Park. The Hagen's need \$300 yet on their new car in Japan and \$2400 annual support. Plenty of pictures will be taken of this event.

## CHRISTIANITY MUST GO, SAYS DR. FERRE

In a shocking article in the Journal of Religious Thought (Vol. 22, No. 1), Dr. Nels F.S. Ferre, an ABC Baptist Seminary professor, states: "The Christian faith can no longer take for granted either its primitive historic basis or its obviously crude and sometimes even immoral doctrinal development. Its Grand Myth (that Christ is God-ed.) and its demonic eschatologies must go. Christianity must also plunge into a thorough housecleaning, boldly discarding the outmoded furniture of Jewish and Oriental myths and of Greek and other philosophies that vitiate and distort the truth. Traditionalistic Christianity ought to be a forbidden export, for its sins against both trust and human dignity". We have not read any comparable literature today from atheistic sources more vocal in demanding the destruction of the Christian faith than this article by Dr. Ferre. NEWSWEEK magazine selected Dr. Ferre as one of the ten most influential ministers in America.

Mrs. Corrine Baker with the Lord... Our Pastor will conduct memorial services on Thursday at 2pm at Grant D. Miller's for Mrs. Corrine Baker, who passed into the presence of the Lord on Mon., 5pm in Hayward.

## THE WORD OF GOD IN MARX AND TROTSKY

Every concerned Christian leader should write to Mr. James M. Taylor of the Christian Laymen, Inc. (Box 285, Woodland Hills, Calif.) for Publication No. 139 which reproduces an article by Dan L. Thrapp from the L.A. Times, July 10, 1965. It has extensive quotes of a leading ecumenical leader, Dr. Truman B. Douglass, which shows how perverted ecumenical thinking has become on the Word of God. Having forsaken the Bible, this is what we can expect: "He finds the Word of God in these rough and rugged years of swift and ruthless change coming from many sources besides the Gospel. 'The Word of God for us is sometimes in the writings of Marx and Trotsky', he said. 'It is very much in the unrecorded annuals of the poor'... 'I believe', he said, at last, 'there was more of the Word of God for us in the words of this Negro than in the words of Scripture read earlier in the service. That is because we have schooled ourselves to deflect the Scripture's radical, revolutionary meaning and have turned it into calls to piety and fairy stories and allegories and tales of something that happened long ago. The gospel begins with the truth. From truth it moves to revolution- the smashing of worn-out forms that negate the truth. From revolution it moves to an approximation of justice. Love, prematurely introduced, is an illusion. It is anti-truth, anti-Christ". Dr. Douglass teaches a course in Union Theological Seminary. Jesus describes him in Matt. 7:15-20. Paul has three verses about such ministers in II Cor. 11.

### THE PASTOR'S SUNDAY SERMON SUBJECTS

11 a.m. "The Revelation of God"

This will be a major statement of Biblical Doctrine which each member should be sure to hear.

7 p.m. "Our God-Given Task"

The indisputable responsibility each of us must discharge and for which we will answer at the Judgement Seat.

Dr. John F. Walvoord states: "We should beware of those who seize upon some old term and affix the word neo in front of it as if they have some new insight. We do not need a new fundamentalism or a new orthodoxy. What we need is biblical Christianity. If Christians had failed to believe it or failed to live it, we should go back to the old faith which is quite sufficient. Nothing new is needed except fresh application of the truth"

## LOCAL CHURCH DEVELOPMENTS

..All praise to the Lord..We asked the Lord in prayer to touch the hearts of His people for a special missionary offering for Mr. and Mrs. Larry Hagen for \$300. The Trustees informed the Pastor at Sing-  
spiration after the evening service that the total was \$500. This was thrilling in every way for everyone who attended on Sunday.

..Read the Bible through..Job 29-Psalm 2; Philemon 1 - Hebrews 6.

..Mrs. Phyllis Clark is the new Supt. of the Beginner Dept. of the Sunday School, succeeding Mrs. Sally Sue McPherson who found it necessary to resign. Let us thank God for these dedicated works and pray for a solid advance all through the Sunday School.

..Our youth leave for Hume Lake early Sat. morning at 6 a.m. from the Church, under the direction of Dave Morrison, youth director. The bus will need a new set of tires this week.

..Dr. and Mrs. Wm. R. Fuller and family were honored on Sunday at the Sing-  
spiration along with the families of Dr. and Mrs. Max W. Weniger, Al Richards, E. J. Witham, and Missionary Larry Hagen. The Fuller's leave soon after a year of study at Berkeley to resume their post on the faculty of Purdue University. Their home address: 924 Carrolton Blvd., West Lafayette, Indiana 47906.

..The Fidelis Sunday School class will have Brother J.W. Stephens as their teacher for an interim period. They meet at 9:45 a.m. each Lord's Day. He succeeds Mrs. Alice Heilig who becomes Cradle Roll Supt.

..Training League attendance..1.High School, 2. Adults and Nursery tied, 3.Homebuilders, 4. Templebuilder College group, 5. Young Adults.

..Hear Julia Brown, Thurs., Aug. 26, 8pm. at Hotel Leamington, Oakland on the subject, "To Tell All My People". \$1.50 donation at the door. This outstanding colored lady joined the Communist Party USA to help the Negro, but found that the CPUSA was a conspiracy to destroy her country. She then became a secret FBI agent within the party for 9 years. She has the story on the Reds in the Civil rights movement.

..Contributions through the Church office: Mrs. LaVerne F. Rushworth, Leona Kelley, Miss Nettie Guiwits, Florence Cunningham, Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Stephens, R.N. Spencer, Virginia Soldwell, C. Dietrich, M.T. Faulkes, Dr. Herbert Anderson.

..The Blu-Print gets around..From Madison, Georgia: "My wife's brother-in-law, who is a missionary to Chile receives the Blu-Print. It is mailed to my mother-in-law and she sends it on to Chile". Blu-Print readers are asked to send in their zip codes if they want to receive the paper, and we do not refuse gifts toward its maintenance. The Trustees suggest a gift of \$5.00.

..World Series fever has gripped the Men's Dept. to some extent with the Giants only one game out of first place and the crucial Giants-Dodgers series coming up. The Men are sponsoring another Big League party on Friday, Aug. 20. See Norman Black for reservations.

He is still one of the most active Pacific Communist in the United States"

## INTERCHURCH NEWS FOR CONSERVATIVES

.."Has Communism infiltrated the Field of Religion" was the subject of Dr. Weniger's address last Thursday before the combined meeting of the URCC in Berkeley.

..Dr. William F. Kerr was extended a call on July 28 to become pastor of the Evangel Baptist Church of Portland. He has been pastor of the Cazenovia Park Baptist Church of Buffalo since 1962.

..Dr. Willis Alfores of the Hayden Heights Baptist Church of St. Paul recently accepted the pastorate of the Calvary Baptist Church of Alameda, taking up his work around Oct. 1.

..Dr. Monroe Parker has purchased a home at 1560 South Fenton St., Denver, Colo. 80226 and plans to move Aug. 31. The Pastor was invited to become a member of the Cooperating Council of the Monroe Parker Evangelistic Association. He is without a doubt one of the most gifted evangelists of our time.

..Dr. B. Myron Cedarholm will be honored this Friday, Aug. 13 at a recognition dinner at the Sheraton O'Hare Hotel, 6810 Manheim Rd., Des Plaines, Ill. for his 18 years of significant service as General Director of the CBA. Our Pastor had the pleasure of making the motion on the CBA Board around 1950 elevating Dr. Cedarholm to this position. Our Church sent in a gift to express our appreciation to this noble man of God.

..The Communists are interested in legalizing cremation within the city limits of San Francisco. Attorney Doris Brin Walker, identified on p. 71 of the HCUA book "Communist Legal Subversion", is pressing the action for the San Francisco Funeral Service who want to "install two crematory ovens on its premises".

..Dr. Ernest Pickering, President of the Minnesota Baptist Convention, resigned as pastor of the Woodcrest Baptist Church in suburban Minneapolis to become pastor of the thriving Bible Baptist Church of Kokomo, Indiana, beginning there on Sept 19. He served as a high officer of the CBF, WCBM, and as Dean of Central Seminary. He is a tremendously gifted young scholar and leader.

..Dr. Richard C. Weeks resigned his pastorate in Oaklawn, Ill. on Aug. 4 to accept a position on the faculty at Pillsbury Baptist Bible College. He is Vice-president of the CBF and also Editor of the Information Bulletin. Twelve churches are open in Illinois at the present time.

.."Church growth and group conversion" is a book by Donald McGavran, Christian Board of Publications, Box 179, St. Louis Mo. which is causing deep concern within Christian and Missionary Alliance circles since the principles of this book are being required by the mission leaders of all missionaries. We'll have more on this.

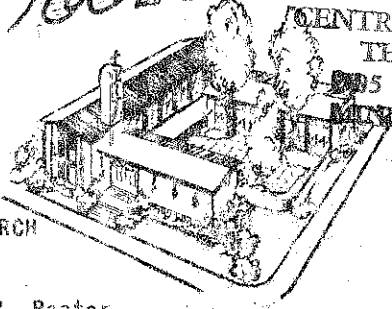
..An old picketeer at the White House... Rev. A.J. Muste, an old hand at picketing in behalf of pro-communist causes, was identified under oath by Dr. J.B. Matthews on Nov. 18 and 19, 1959 at the Mississippi Legislative Investigating Committee: "Muste was for some years the Executive Secretary of the Fellowship Secretary of the Fellowship of Reconciliation (opposite column)"

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LATEST ECUMENICAL DEVELOPMENT INVOLVES  
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The leading editorial of "The Catholic World" for June 1965 is entitled "Dialogue with Evangelicals like Billy Graham" by John B. Sheerin, C.S.P. We reproduce it in part without comment. "Why is it that we American Catholics pay so little attention to conservative evangelicals like Billy Graham?... Billy Graham is, however, a conservative Protestant who is responsive to new ideas and movements, anxious to make the word of God relevant to 1965. We can divide conservative evangelicals into fundamentalists and 'new evangelicals', the latter being more ecumenically minded. With these new evangelicals, Roman Catholics can engage in fruitful dialogue... We have neglected conservative evangelicals and it is time that we made a sincere effort to cultivate better relations with them. We have much in common with them and there is every reason we should be friendly. Catholic mission preachers have often remarked that Billy Graham's sermons are very similar in content to Catholic mission sermons... These evangelicals share with us a profound respect for traditional Christianity... The new evangelicals seem to reject form criticism of the Scriptures but they are much closer to Catholics than are the fundamentalists in their concept of the inerrancy of the Bible... The new evangelicals believe strongly in regeneration through baptism, insisting on the absolute need for baptismal rebirth and representing the experience of being saved through baptism as an emotional and spiritual experience that shakes the convert to the roots of his personality... Undoubtedly the vigor of the new evangelicals can be attributed in a certain degree to sociological factors... Billy Graham is often mislabeled a fundamentalist... There are among them, innumerable responsible and deeply thoughtful Christians who do have a real concern for the unity of Christians and who want to break down dividing walls... Our contacts will have to be personal and unofficial and with an awareness of an anti-Romanism that tends to cloud the heritage they share with us. Our primary concern in dealing with them should be to assure them that we are more concerned about Christian truth than about Christian unity and that we would make no concession on essentials in order to achieve unity".

TWO DOCUMENTS ON THE AMERICAN NEGRO

The noted Negro president of the 5 million member National Baptist Convention is Dr. J.H. Jackson (3101 South Parkway, Chicago, Ill. 60616), who sent a document to the Pastor this week entitled "Cooling the Long Hot Summer of Malcontent with Justice and Goodwill". It consists of resolutions passed on June 16, 1965 in Tulsa by this Negro convention. It is a splendid statement that calls for reason and judgement and constitutes a rebuke to those elements of religious leadership which in effect have incited the colored friends to lawlessness. This document brought the wrath of the Christian Century down upon Dr. Jackson in a recent editorial. Also, we recommend the large 16 page folder, "Moscow and the American Negro" from the Church League of America, 422 Nor. Prospect St., Wheaton, Ill. 60187. 35¢ each.

THE PASTOR'S SUNDAY SERMON SUBJECTS  
11 a.m. "The Miracle of the Axehead"  
7 p.m. "Detection of False Religion"  
Grand Gospel Music. Church Choir - Dave Morrison, director.

A common bond with Communism... Dr. Robert Scharlemann, Missouri-Synod theologian in an official denominational pamphlet "Communism and the Christian Faith" (Concordia, 1963) states, "In calling Communism a Christian heresy (the word should perhaps be put in quotation marks) we mean first that some of its basic motives are derived, directly or indirectly, from Biblical religion. Two convictions in particular are shared by Biblical Christianity and communism... The second common concern is the passion for social justice. Communism shares this passion especially with the Old Testament prophets" pp7-9. With teaching such as this in their official Seminary, it is not surprising that Missouri Synod Lutherans would honor Pete Seeger, an identified Red, as their speaker in July at International youth convention at Squaw Valley.

RABBI URGES RETURN OF DEATH PENALTY

The Presb. Journal, 8-4-65 had this dispatch from Detroit (RNS)-A Police Department report citing heavy increases in crime has spurred a Detroit Rabbi to call for a return of capital punishment in Michigan. Rabbi Noah Gamze of the Downtown Synagogue also suggested that flogging be considered as suitable punishment in some cases.

## LOCAL CHURCH DEVELOPMENTS

..The Men's Dept. of the S.S. will sponsor a Big League Baseball Party at Candlestick Park this Friday, when the Giants play the Dodgers, with the League lead at stake. Tickets are \$2.50 reserved. Leaving from the Church no later than 6:15 p.m.

..Read the Bible through..Psalm 3-18; Hebrews 7-13.

..Contributions through the Church this past week: Mr. and Mrs. Thom Barber, Mr. and Mrs. Randy Allender, Dean and Mrs. W. G. Bellshaw, Dr. R.M. McLain, Mr. LaVerne Rushworth, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Fortini, Mrs. Sally Louie, Mr. and Mrs. T.J. Thompson, Keith Kindall, Morris Bender, Mrs. Mildred Pietsch, Leona M. Kelley, Mrs. Eleanor Mayo, Mr. Charles Long, Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Peterson, Mr. C.D. Rial, Mr. C.S. Poorman, Mr. Wilbur Sanford.

..Information about Herbert Armstrong... and "The World Tomorrow Broadcast", Ambassador College and "Plain Truth" magazine: 1. Noel Smith's book-"Herbert W. Armstrong and his World Tomorrow", Box 106, Springfield, Mo. \$1.00; Dr. Robt. L. Sumner's booklet-"Herbert W. Armstrong"-10¢, Box 1099, Murfreesboro, Tenn.; Roger F. Campbell's booklet-"Herbert W. Armstrong", 5¢ each, from Back to the Bible Broadcast, Lincoln 1, Nebr. "The Discerner" Magazine (Vol. IV, No.1) at 20¢ per copy from Religion Analysis Service, Inc., 902 Hennepin Ave., Minneapolis 3, Minn.

..Brother Calvin Prang has transferred his custodian responsibilities, which he has so graciously held since December, to Charles "Chuck" Baker. Mr. Prang has been of inestimable value to the cause of Christ with the completion of so many projects beyond the call of duty.

..Two new tires for the youth bus were installed this past week as a gift from Kyle and Herbert Pemberton, owners of the Brake and Wheel Center, 1805 Washington Ave., San Leandro. 483-4575. These men give professional attention to auto brakes, shocks, mufflers, front end work, wheel alignment, balancing, etc.

..The Ordinance of Believer's Baptism will be administered this coming Lord's Day evening at 7 p.m. with the Pastor officiating. The Church should be present in good numbers to witness this dramatic visual presentation of the Gospel.

..Hume Lake echoes next Sunday evening with our young people returning from the summer youth camp. Dave Morrison has been the commanding officer of this expeditionary force.

..Dr. Lee Long of the Chicago office of the WCBM, who phoned the Pastor last week, was thrilled to hear about the \$500 missionary offering of Aug. 8 for Missionary Larry Hagen and his family. We are still whistling with joy over this development and praising the Lord for it.

..WCBM Missionary Dortha Onstott will be commissioned for foreign service by the Bible Baptist Church, 3215 Hannibal St., Butte, Montana on Thurs. Aug. 26 at 7:30 pm. She leaves for Uruguay on Sept. 14.

..WCBM Missionary John Simmons has his annual support underwritten and over half of outgoing expense. They leave the last week of Aug. to enroll in the University of the Americas at Mexico City for language study. Pastor Ed Cooper built them a house trailer for the trip.

\*\*\* We agree with the Governor- Martin Luther King should stay out \*\*\*

## INTERCHURCH NEWS FOR CONSERVATIVES

..Dr. La Vern Schafer, Prof. of Theology at San Francisco Baptist Seminary, has been spending the summer in research and writing a new book on the subject of Dispensationalism, which will surely be considered as a major statement on the subject. It is hoped that a Spring publication can be realized. Already the first 1,000 books have been purchased.

..The CBFMS is having difficulties finding a General Director for the society. The latest to decline an official approach was Dr. Roy Kraft, according to widely circulated reports. Others considered were Dr. Cedric Peterson, Dr. Theo. Anderson. No one seems in sight to succeed Dr. Vincent Brushwyler.

.. "The Babbling Brook" is the title of an editorial in the Laurel, (Montana) Outlook for July 7, 1965. It concerns Bishop James A. Pike: "The Episcopal church, like the Church of England, is a most peculiar church. It will tolerate, without approving, the most outrageous behavior on the part of some of its prelates ... Bishop Pike used to be a Roman Catholic. Most Episcopalians would like to see him become one again, and confine his activities to sweeping a monk's cell".

..Beth Eden Baptist Church of Denver owns 160 acres of magnificent camping property 35 miles away up Coal Creek Canyon at 7,500 ft. level over looking the Great Divide. "This year we are planning for the construction of the new lodge on a very dramatic setting opposite Carey Rock. The Dining Commons will serve 110 campers and 30 staff". This one building will probably cost \$50,000.

.. "The true Selma story", with a subtitle of "Sex and Civil Rights" is a large 35 page booklet by newspaperman and former pilot Albert C. Persons. It contains five chapters and sells for \$1.00 It is published by Esco Publishers, Inc., Birmingham, Alabama. It is loaded with pictures and documentation. It is shocking to the last degree.

..Dr. J. Lester Harnish's Ecumenism ... The Portland "Oregonian" of July 30, 1965, pp.22, "First Baptist Church, Portland has offered use of its facilities to First Unitarian Church, whose building was damaged by an arsonist".

..A \$200,000 loss was SUSTAINED by Judson Baptist College in Portland on Sunday, Aug. 8 when fire destroyed a large unoccupied building, Judson plans selling its Rocky Butte campus and relocating 30 miles south of Portland on a site near Woodburn.

..Tongues movement spreading..In a recent Full Gospel Business Men's Fellowship magazine we see that one of the main speakers for a forthcoming convention at the American Baptist Convention assembly grounds at Green Lake, Wisc. in Sept. 23-24 is Mr. Gene Dalton, who has been a member of independent Grace Baptist Church of Mankato.

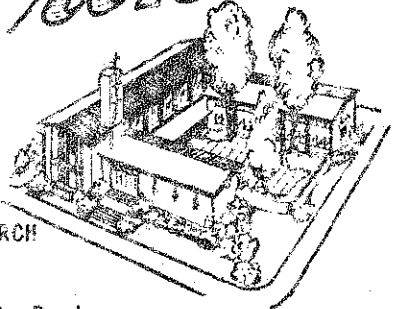
.. "Problems of the CBA of America"-A solution, by a document published by the CBF, 2561 No. Clark St., Chicago 14, Ill. 3 for \$1.00. It is for concerned people within the CBA. It consists of the extensive analysis of the tragic situation within the CBA and measures that must be taken. Presented by Dr. Cedarholm to the CBA Board in Denver.



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## REV. MARTIN LUTHER KING AND L.A. RIOTS

The Chronicle of Aug. 18, 1965 stated : "Dr. King was greeted at the Los Angeles International Airport by Bayard Rustin, New York civil rights leader and unofficial chairman of the board of the 'shadow civil rights' cabinet that follows Dr. King everywhere". The only trouble is that Rustin was in Los Angeles before Dr. King. We wonder why he was in the city during the riots. Rustin's communist connections and criminal record were published in the Congressional Record for Aug. 13, 1963 in connection with a speech by Senator Strom Thurmond. Police Chief W.H. Parker charged that King's demand for his resignation was a "diversionary tactic to draw attention away from the lawlessness of Los Angeles rioters and looters". (Trib. 8-22-65). Mayor Sa, Yorty stated: "Well, Dr. King should not have come here. He came and talked with too few people, then tried to find something that he could say that he had accomplished". (Examiner, 8-23-65). Governor Brown had urged King to stay out of the state. Meanwhile, Negro Bishop C. Fain Kyle issued a news release in which he charged Dr. King as "directly or indirectly responsible for the chaos, anarchy, insurrection and rebellion brought about through demonstrations and rioting throughout the United States in recent years, months and weeks and days". He suggested that Dr. King be "shorn of his power and imprisoned for his criminal acts and deeds for defying the courts of the land". The street fighting and riot problem will not be solved until federal charges of insurrection are pressed against civil rights leaders who continue to incite the negroes to mob action in a calculated program of Communist terrorists to take over the U.S. It is strange that violence follows everywhere Martin Luther King carries his deceptive "non-violent" program. (Copies of Bishop Kyle's release - Box 1366, Richmond, California.)

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Guess who spoke these inflammatory words?  
You'll never guess what revolutionary leader screamed these pre-riot incitements on Aug. 5, 1965: "As it was 189 years ago, so today the cause of America is a revolutionary cause. And I am proud this morning to salute you as fellow revolutionaries. Neither you nor I are willing to accept the tyranny of pverty,

## BISHOP JAMES PIKE FACES NEW HERESY CHARGES FILED BY 14 ARIZONA EPISCOPAL CLERGYMEN

The 200 Episcopal bishops who will gather on Sept. 7 at East Glacier Park in Montana will hear charges forwarded by Arizona Bishop Joseph M. Harte and drawn by Rector Paul B. Urbane of Phoenix in company with other priests. It states that Pike "may unquestionably be a man of high moral character; but a Christian he is not". They stated that "the faith of the church is a precious heritage and they are weary of seeing the sheep dispersed by one of their own shepherds". Immediately on Aug. 18, 1965, the liberal Chronicle came to Pike's defense with a prominent editorial. He branded his accusers as conservatives who are associated with "the radical right and segregation". He was assured that the bishops would exonerate him in September by dismissing the charges. The Examiner of Aug. 18 stated, "I would like it remembered that the only official doctrinal material was put out by me and the Rev. W. Norman Pitenger". The ironic thing is that if he is ever brought to trial, the official Episcopalian yardstick of orthodoxy by which he would be measured is a book written by himself entitled, "The Faith of the Church", according to Pike. He is known as a fierce fighter for his cause and he doesn't seem to fear the ponderous program of regal red tape that would be required to have him branded as a heretic. The last Episcopal Bishop deposed as a heretic was Wm. M. Brown in 1920. Unless there are unseen developments which have not come to the surface the Bishop really has nothing to fear since the House of Bishops is riddled with heresy and leftwing socialism as rank as his, if not as outspoken. However, friends of the Bishop cannot conceal their concern over the haggard appearance he has been giving lately. There are those who believe that following his six months leave this September, that he will not return to Grace Cathedral but be eased out of his job by his superiors in a quiet back-stage operation. He may fool them, however.

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nor the dictatorship of ignorance, nor the despotism of ill health, nor the oppression of bias and prejudice and bigotry. We want progress. We want it both abroad and at home and we aim to get it". This was not Gus Hall, Archie Brown, or Mickey Lima. Give up? (LBJ).

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..Sunday night is farewell for youth who will be going away to schools of higher training. Among these will be Ron and Lorna Prang, Don Lyles, (and who else?)

..Read the Bible through..Psalm 19-34 ; James 1-I Peter 2.

..The missionary send-off for the Hagen's last Friday, Aug. 20 was an unforgettable experience for those who were present. Seven ministers and their families were present in addition to friends from several churches, nearly forty people, as this earnest missionary family boarded the Pan American "Yankee Clipper" for the 9½ hr. non-stop flight to Tokyo. A brief service was held, led by Dr. Roy H. Austin in the boarding area. This was an historic occasion since this was the first such send-off of the WCBM in this area and their first missionaries to Japan.

..Fascinating film at League rally this coming Sunday at 5:30 p.m. in the Chapel, with Dave Morrison in charge, when the full-length film, "Preacher's Kid" will be shown. Let's have all the Leaguers and friends present.

..Be sure to hear Mrs. Julia Brown, Thur., Aug. 26 at 8 p.m. at the Leamington Hotel in Oakland. Adult donation-\$1.50. This outstanding Negro lady will speak on "Civil Rights and the Communist Party". She served as an undercover agent for the FBI for nine years inside the CP and was a star witness before the HCUA in 1962. Her testimony was given on June 4-7, 1962.

..WCBM missionary Vera Mack served at Camp Joy in Wisconsin, and after presenting her burden for Japan, aided by use of slides, 39 young people responded to the invitation to yield their lives for missionary service. She is from Calvary Baptist in Fremont. Her phone is 656-2681.

..Beautiful wedding pictures will be shown this coming Sunday evening at Sing-spiration fellowship with Ron Prang giving the "play-by-play" account of march up the aisle. Also some unusual pictures of a deadly battle between their parakeet and their little kitten.

..Contributions through the Church Office this past week: Mr. and Mrs. Richard Silva, Mr. and Mrs. Walton Breed, Bob Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Olson, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon Craddock, Mr. and Mrs. M.U. Blake, Dr. W.J. Tumlinson, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Andrews, Ray R. Neal, M.G. Gardner.

..The biggest bargain in summer camps is offered Aug. 30-Sept. 4 at Camp Chabot in the Oakland Hills, for Jr. and Jr. Highers at \$15 for the week. Already reserved are: Anna Smith, Martin Briley, Bob Briley, Darlene Bogart, Linda Mickolich, Jim Murphy, Danny Heilig, Sheri Nielsen, Bobby Krause, Bernice Hogue, Jannet Ann Pemberton. Anyone interested in sponsoring some worthy underprivileged youth for this week, call the Pastor. Ke 4-5225 or Ke. 1-0860.

..Congratulations to choice youth: Lorna Prang and Elaine Sinclair receive their "R.N." degrees this Friday night. Jerry Dunwoody received his M.A. degree at San Francisco State on Aug. 14.

..First five S.S. Depts..1. Women, 2. Jr. 3. Men, 4. Primary, 5. Nursery II.

..Training League leaders among the eight groups at 6 pm. 1. YA, 2. HS, 3. HB, 4. Adults, 5. Jr.

..To understand the Negro problem of "civil rights", be sure to read the book "Color, Communism, and Common Sense" by that brilliant Christian Negro, the late Manning Johnson. This book can be secured for 50¢ at the Book Store, 478 Lakepark Ave., Oakland, Calif. Johnson spent ten years as a high official in the Communist Party before he broke and renounced it.

..Did you read the full-page ad in the Oakland Tribune of Aug. 22 on P. 28-C7, entitled, "What's Wrong with Civil Rights?" It stated: "For the civil rights movement in the United States...has not been infiltrated by the Communists, as you now frequently hear. It has been deliberately and almost wholly created by the Communists, patiently building up to this present stage for more than forty years". The doubters should read the Communist pamphlet of 1928 called "American Negro Problem", and you will see how everything that has happened has been according to this Communist program.

..Bishop Pike on marijuana...Among the thousands of subjects covered by James A. Pike in the public press, we had not seen anything yet on this, but the Tribune for Aug. 20, 1965 reported: "Episcopal Bishop James A. Pike declared yesterday that laws against marijuana should be taken off the books if it is found marijuana is no more harmful than alcohol"...he was for 'more freedom' for people in their personal habits. 'Just as long', he said, 'as they do not harm other people'". Come to think of it, the Bishop wants a number of laws changed--on abortion, capital punishment, mercy killing. His known habits include chain-smoking on stage and screen. Personal habits, we believe, can be dangerous to others. One Bishop is reported to have fallen down a stairs while drunk and could have hit someone on his way down. Another time a Bishop was arrested for drunken driving around 4 a.m. on a bridge. That can be mighty dangerous to others too, but he got off the hook somehow.

..Rev. Charles R. Bell, Jr., the Pasadena First Baptist pastor called for Paul C.R. Peterson's ordination papers, demonstrates a lot of nerve in view of his rejection of the Word of God. The CBF Information Bulletin of June 1951 quotes him: "No, the simple truth is that not all of the Bible is the truth of God...The erroneous idea of the Bible is that it is free from error...what these writers put down is their impression of that revelation. The Bible is the message passed on by men who witnessed the Revelation, but their message is not the revelation". Tragic unbelief, however pious it may sound.

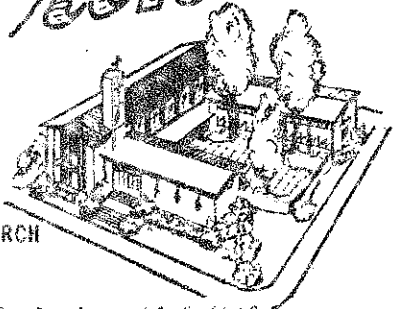
..The San Francisco Baptist Seminary would like to have a new anti-communist film available for showings among the churches. This one is entitled "Appeasement- Ally of RedChina", a 28 minute 16 mm sound documentary that costs \$125. If anyone wishes to make a gift of this to the Seminary, please contact Pastor. ..Congratulations to R.E. Shackelford, (509 Lake Drive, Harlingen, Texas) for another series of magnificent full-page ads in the Valley Morning Star beginning Aug. 18 espousing the NCC. Secured free.

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## CAN A MAN WHO DENIES THE VIRGIN BIRTH HAVE SAVING FAITH IN JESUS CHRIST?

The Presbyterian Survey for May 1965 had the following answer by Dr. Ben Lacy Rose, prof. of pastoral theology at Union Seminary in Richmond: "I do know that the Bible teaches the Virgin Birth, but nowhere does the Bible specifically make belief in the Virgin Birth a condition of salvation. And it would be the height of presumption for me or any other man to make anything a condition of salvation which the Bible itself does not specify. The Bible declares that Jesus was born of a virgin, but nowhere makes belief in this an essential element in saving faith. If I had said, 'A man who does not believe in the Virgin Birth may not be saved,' I would have been making something which I had selected a condition of eternal salvation, and I could hardly do a more dangerous thing. Whenever we allow men to select certain doctrines and make acceptance of them essential to salvation when the Scriptures nowhere specifically make them such, we have placed men and men's logic above the Scriptures. If one says, 'No Virgin Birth, no Incarnation', I acknowledge his logic; but when we are talking about the conditions of eternal salvation, our authority is not human logic, but the Word of God alone". This is a piece of deceptive writing. The Bible has set the conditions of salvation: Faith in the Virgin Born Savior revealed in the Scriptures and through no other savior. "Neither is there salvation in any other". Acts 4:12. On the basis of the Word of God, one who refuses belief in the Virgin Birth CANNOT be saved. Any other position is dangerous and deceitful.

## THE PALM-LINED GHETTO KNOWN AS WATTS

In order that people around the nation may know the truth of the situation in face of propoganda being handed out by civil rights clergymen, we copy this from Human Events for Aug. 28, 1965, "City officials estimate the median family income is between \$3,500 and \$4,500 in the Watts area where the outburst began, \$500 to \$1,500 above the poverty mark set by Sargent Shriver's eager anti-poverty warriors. Ghettos? The New York TIMES reported L.A. Negroes 'live in neighborhoods that would represent a dream of suburban bliss to Harlem Negroes.' Lack of voting rights? The Watts area is represented by two colored assemblymen and

## WHAT CONSUMMATE ECCLESIASTICAL ARROGANCE

Pastor Paul C.R. Peterson, whose Burbank First Baptist Church recently voted out of the ABC and thus out of the NCC, received a letter on June 22 from Moderator John K. Mallonee of the Alhambra church: "I am writing to you as Moderator of the Foothill Association of American Baptist Churches requesting your ordination papers. Will you please return them to me at the address below my signature". Brother Peterson responded on July 8, 1965 with a classic letter in pastoral courage: "...I am happy to inform you that I was not ordained to the Baptist ministry by an Association or a Convention neither has any other Baptist minister... I was ordained 26 years ago on July 30, 1939 by the First Baptist Church of Burbank that had invited '20 messengers from 10 other Baptist churches' to advise on my ordination. Neither the Foothill Association nor the American Baptist Convention are mentioned on my Ordination Certificate. It was signed only by the Moderator of the church, the church clerk and officers of the church. It was a true ordination according to the best Baptist tradition. I was not asked to uphold the American Baptist Convention, right or wrong, but to defend the Gospel". Let us uphold Brother Peterson in prayer as he battles this ecclesiastical wickedness.

We Applaud this Wise Resolution by the directors of the National Baptist Convention meeting in Tulsa, June 16. This is the largest group of colored Baptists in the USA. While the Christian Century was grumbling that they had been stabbed in the back, we support them. "While we support the American right to meet and to state a grievance, freedom of assembly and the freedom to protest a wrong, we seriously question all unlawful demonstrations that tend to do the following: (a) Disrespect government officials as well as fair law enforcement officers and the just laws of the land. (b) Substitute demonstrations as the only method of correcting the evils of society and the errors in government. (c) Disregard the rights of others and seek to punish the innocent while attempting revenge on the guilty".

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a colored congressman. Lack of opportunity? A Johnson Democrat, a social worker in the area, tells Human Events any Negro with a high school education can earn a very livable income in Los Angeles".

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## LOCAL CHURCH DEVELOPMENTS

..Colored pictures at singspiration next Sunday evening at 8:30 p.m. in the Lower Auditorium. We will show a number of slides of the missionary send-off at the S.F. Airport for Mr. and Mrs. Larry Hagen and family. Don't miss this.

..Read the Bible through..Psalm 35-50; I Peter 3 - I John 1.

..One of our missionary interests is Baptist Bible College of Denver. A letter of Aug. 24 indicates that a President Committee has been appointed consisting of: Dr. James Warnock, Dr. Allan Williams, Dr. Virgil Arrowood, Pastor Lavern Gaylord, and Dr. Earle E. Matteson. The Board meets Oct. 10 and 11 in Denver.

.."Science, Scripture and Salvation" is the title for the latest study book of 13 chapters, designed as an adult quarterly, by Henry M. Morris, PhD and published by Baptist Publications, 2500 W. Second Ave. Denver, Colo. 80219. It is a commentary on Genesis 1-11. The teacher's manual is \$1.00; student \$.50. We regard it as one of the most important study books ever published. We congratulate Dr. Bob Mosier, publisher. Here is a book on creationism written by a Godly scientist.

..New Evangelicalism and evolution... We have before us an editorial in "The Good News Broadcaster" for May 1963 entitled, "Undermining Genesis" which expresses deep concern over inroads of evolution in the Neo-Evangelicalist "American Scientific Affiliation", which was infiltrating our Christian schools with evolution. The editorial quoted the ASA President: "Thus, in fifteen years we have seen develop in the A.S.A. a spectrum of belief in evolution that would have shocked all of us at the inception of our organization".

..On their way to Pillsbury College .... State CBA Director Loren Eastman leaves Sept. 1 to take his son, Mike back to enroll at Pillsbury. Bob Oelschlagel wrote from Seattle that he will not attend this first semester. Don Lyles takes the train Thurs. Lorna and Ron Prang left Monday to drive through. Mike and John Phyllaier leave Pleasant Hills, Ohio on Sept. 3. Many more leave from the Bay Area.

..Dr. Fred Schwarz and Herb Philbrick will speak Thurs., Sept. 2 at the Jack Tar Hotel at 8 p.m. in San Francisco on two terrific topics. Philbrick: "Communism on the Campus". Schwarz: "Reds, Race, Riots and Revolution". The analysis will be accurate. Janet Greene, TV singer will participate. Admission free.

..Contributions through the Church...Mr. and Mrs. John Lucy, Mr. and Mrs. Edward A Fortini, Mrs. Grace Long, Roland Andrews, R.H. Hunt, Joseph Wood.

.."The story of Selma" is a document of 25 pages which will be sent free to religious leaders across the country by addressing the Selma Chamber of Commerce, Selma, Ala. It is loaded with evidence of the most sordid and unbelievable conduct by leftwing religious leaders during the recent demonstrations and marches.

..Seminary Fall Convocation Rally, Mon. Sept. 13, 7:45 p.m. with Dr. Bernard E. Northrop as main speaker. Dr. Northrop has just returned from a summer of study

## INTERCHURCH NEWS FOR CONSERVATIVES

..Bethel College and Seminary Fall Convocation speaker on Sept. 17 and Seminary Fall Series Lecturer is Dr. George Beasley-Murray, noted Baptist modernist of Britian. He is the principal of Spurgeon's College, which has long since departed from Spurgeon's doctrine. Other noted modernists previously invited to Bethel: Martin Luther King, Dr. Benjamin Mays, Dr. Theo. Adams, Dr. K.S. Latourette, Dr. Edwin Dahlberg, Dr. Luther Weigle and many others!

..The Los Angeles Race Riots and the Church's Responsibility" is the title of an address by Pastor Geo. W. Fineke, Jr., President of the American Council of Christian Churches of California. Copies are available from: 610 Glendale Ave., Glendale, Calif. 91206. 246-7385

..Bishop Pike engages Duke Ellington "to compose holy music" for a rare orchestra concert in Grace Cathedral on Sept. 16. This noted jazz artist comes with good ecumenical background. "When I was a child, I had to go first to my mother's church, which was Baptist, and then to my father's church, which was Methodist", Ellington said. "I say my prayers regularly, I believe in them and I believe I am helped". When the news conference got interesting, Dean Bartlett broke in: "The fact Mr. Ellington is going to give this concert and has said it is his greatest opportunity testifies that he is a religious man". Tribune. 8-27-65.

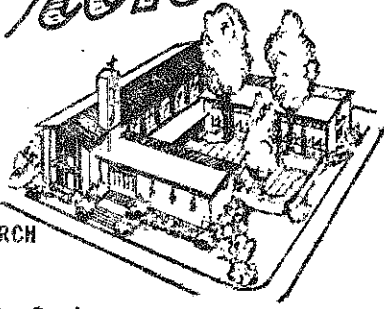
..A copy will be sent free from our Office. To everyone who sends in a gift to the Blu-Print for operating costs, we will be glad to send a copy of the amazing editorial in the Catholic World for June 1965 entitled, "Dialogue with Evangelicals Like Billy Graham".

..A leading Negro United Presbyterian clergyman, Dr. Gayraud S. Wilmore warns of dire consequences if Negro hoodlum and criminals are blamed for the mass violence in Watts that took 33 lives and destroyed millions in private property. The Denver Post of Aug. 21, 1965 (Religion Section) quotes him that the riots were "punitive action on the part of the Negro poor against the white people they consider to be their enemies- white store owners and white people who exercise economic control in the Watts ghetto". The cause of the riots, he said, was "unwise and imprudent police action and delay on the part of the white power structure in meeting the demands of the grass roots leadership of the Negro ghetto". This is a monumental piece of deception.

..Perverted social gospel ministers...The liberal ministers of Chicago made no protest when James Baldwin's filthy book on immorality and perversion was made required reading in a tax supported school. But when the American Opinion was announced for opening in a Chicago suburb, no less than 13 Chicago pulpits erupted in nine Chicago suburbs with loud blasts. In addition, a statement signed by 15 Protestant ministers, a Roman priest, and a Rabbi deplored and opposed the opening of this bookshop. Real liberal tolerance in the Holy Land where he has gleaned some fascinating information and evidence. He will show colored pictures.

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THE SOVEREIGN RIGHTS OF A LOCAL CHURCH

No one is worthy of the name Baptist who does not recognize the autonomous and sovereign rights of a local church. Periodically people have to be reminded of these basic rights, especially people of interdenominational backgrounds who are elected to positions of Baptist responsibility on interchurch boards. Among these incontestable and undebatable rights are :

1. Right to select its own pastoral leadership,
2. Right to own its own property,
3. Right to receive and dismiss members,
4. Right to ordain its own leadership,
5. Right to select its own missionary program and agencies,
6. Right to choose its own ecclesiastical affiliations,
7. Right to determine its own faith according to the Scriptures,
8. Right to be free to obey the Will of Christ as it is understood,
9. Right to govern its own affairs without dictation from any outside church organization or person, no matter how powerful,
10. Right of freedom of press in its own publications.

The force of hierarchical ecclesiasticism have always been strong for suppression of news and views which are critical of the established machines. No Baptist, who is committed to freedom, would put his name to any document, petition, or resolution which would limit the rights of any local church. This must be jealously guarded.

SCHWEITZER- FORERUNNER OF ANTICHRIST

The liberal religious world has lost its Ghandi and Kagawa, and on Saturday, Sept. 4, 1965, Albert Schweitzer, genius in the realm of music, literature, medicine, and theology, died at the age of 90 years. His adulation in death will be matched only by the soon passing of Harry Emerson Fosdick. With all of the lavish praise believers should remember the words of Donald Grey Barnhouse in the lead editorial of Eternity magazine of Feb. 1959, "But despite his greatness in the eyes of the world, Albert Schweitzer is possibly the foremost anti-Christian figure in the world today. Many people think that Antichrist will be a Caesar, a Napoleon, a Hitler. Actually, Antichrist will be much more like Schweitzer. He is in apostolic succession with Gandhi as a forerunner. The philosophical world is being prepared by such men for the future Antichrist who will arise as a counterfeit Christ. In his student days, Schweitzer showed his antagonism for Jesus Christ. He wrote a thesis setting forth that Jesus Christ must be explained as an epileptic. He has never withdrawn that thesis."

BIBLICAL COMMAND AND SUPPORT OF CAPITAL PUNISHMENT

"Q. Recently I served on a jury where a man was tried for murder. Although I was convinced that he was guilty, I voted against capital punishment, because I could not see such a course to be in harmony with Christian principles. Was I right? "A. No; you were not. You were very wrong. You were seriously wrong. The law of capital punishment was not first a part of the Jewish law. It antedated the Law of Moses by 1,000 years. It was one of God's fundamental, governmental laws, as recorded in Genesis 9:6, 'Whoso sheddeth man's blood, by man shall his blood be shed: for in the image of God made he man.' The law has never been modified or abrogated. Moreover, it is plainly reiterated in the thirteenth chapter of Romans, where God is speaking of the responsibility of rulers. The state not only has a right to put a murderer to death, it has no right to let him live. God put government in the world to restrain sin." (The King's Business, August, 1965.)

SEMINARY FALL CONVOCATION RALLY MONDAY

The San Francisco Baptist Seminary opened its 8th year of instruction this past week which will be formally recognized in an attractive interchurch Rally next Monday, Sept. 13 at 7:45 p.m. at the Hamilton Square Baptist Church, Geary and Franklin Streets. In addition to testimonies of students from several foreign lands, the speaker will be Dr. Bernard E. Northrop who has just returned from a summer's study in the Holy Land. His subject: "Problem's in Israel's Return". This will be illustrated by beautiful and original colored slides. David Drullinger will be at the Pipe Organ and Nelson Zarfes at the piano. Hamilton Square ladies will provide refreshments for the reception that follows. Pastors will be recognized. Conservative friends everywhere are invited to attend and support this school.

.. "Tocsin" continues to be the leading, authoritative, document anti-communist weekly in the West. A six month subscription is \$5. (5765 Claremont Ave., Oakland 94618. There is no paper that gives such a week-by-week report of Communist conspiracy.

## LOCAL CHURCH DEVELOPMENTS

..An excellent summer camp was conducted at Camp Chabot in Oakland last week sponsored by Castlemont Baptist Church which invited our youth to share. John Taylor was Director. Herbert Hoover was Camp Pastor. Andrew Tully was Camp Evangelist. Mrs. Eva. J. Hoover was Camp Nurse. Mrs. Clara Mary Taylor- handcraft. Mrs. Wilson and Mrs. Flannigan were in charge of the kitchen. It is hoped that two weeks may be secured for next year.

..The Police Department deserves the unqualified support of the churches of this city. Police Chief Edward Toothman of Oakland has the Pastor's complete backing in opposing the idea of a Civilian Review Board, which is one of the pressing demands of the Communist Party in every major US city in its program to break down confidence in law enforcement officials. Mayor John C. Houlihan is to be commended in rejecting the demand of radical minority elements for a police review board. The Examiner is to be commended for its splendid editorial of Sept. 2, 1965 entitled, "The Police Brutality Cry". This cry is a standard Communist weapon in the class war. Every Oakland Pastor should write the Mayor in support.

..Open Door Mission Next Tuesday at 8pm Dave Morrison will speak, according to Director Sterling Roberson. Linda, Dave, and Barbara will provide a trio. Barbara Rollins will sing a solo. Alice Heilig will play the piano. Everyone welcome.

..Our Church bus will pick up students at Western Baptist Bible College, Hill and Elm Streets in El Cerrito each Sunday morning at 9:15 am to bring them to our Church for Sunday School and Morning Worship. Dave Morrison will drive the first two Sundays beginning Sept. 19.

..Birthdays for rest of September: Don Wickstrom (8), David Hallert, Mrs. Walton Breed (10), Ellen Bishop (11), Stephen Bellshaw, Terry Wickstrom (14), Bernice Rollins, Diane Thompson, Roger Lee, (19), Chuck Baker, Ivy McDougall (21), Nelly Lyles (22), Andrew Wilson (23), Linda Loyd, Loren Spooner (29), Marilyn Pool, John Prince (30).

..Missionary sailing next Tuesday, Sept. 14, when Dortha Onstott and Sharon Clark, missionaries under the World Conservative Baptist Mission leave the USA for Uruguay for a thrilling term of service. These young people have won a multitude of friends in our Church.

..Read the Bible through..Psalm 51-66; I John 2-Jude 1.

..Contributions through the Church.. Mrs. Hazel Williamson, Mr. and Mrs. Randy Allender, Leonard Robinson, Dr. R.O. Weed, Dean and Mrs. W.G. Bellshaw, Dr. R.M. McLain, Howard Rainey, Mr. and Mrs. E. Fortini, Evelyn Moore, Mrs. Nora Holley, Mrs. Florence Cunningham, Mr. and Mrs. Kyle Pemberton, Allan Chinn, Joseph Wood, Clark Belden, C.J. Wheeler.

..A new missionary film from the WCBM ... 2561 No. Clark St., Chicago 14. was made available to the churches, entitled, "The Soul of Quebec". With eight more missionaries on their fields in Japan, Mexico, and Uruguay by Sept. 15, the only ones available for deputation are Vera Mack, and Peter Slobodian.

## INTERCHURCH NEWS FOR CONSERVATIVES

..The new evangelical dialogue...Christianity Today for Aug. 27, 1965 carried a letter to the editor from Dale Francis, editor of Our Sunday Visitor. He stated: "As a Roman Catholic, I sincerely hope for an increase in dialogue between the evangelicals and our church. We hold so many important things in common that it would be wrong for us not to communicate with one another. In Christian love we may discover that many barriers that seem to exist do not really exist, and with charity we may discover that barriers that do exist may not be as insurmountable as they now seem".

..CBHMS joins the dialogue..In Eternity magazine for Sept. 1965, CBHMS Missionary Vergil Gerber tells about the thrilling experience he had when he responded to Catholic ecumenical invitation in Mexico. "A personal invitation to attend was extended to the members of the VERBO magazine staff by the Bishop of Cuernavaca himself". VERBO is published with CBHMS funds.

..Dr. John A. Mackay, whose invitation to speak at Mt. Hermon Conference this summer was reluctantly withdrawn under pressure, stated: "It is evident that Marxist communism has certain affinities with Christianity,- for example, in its criticism of the capitalist system, in its passion for social justice and its aspirations for a better world". Presbyterian Life, July 15, 1961. This is lying propaganda. There are no affinities with Christianity. How can there be any "passion for social justice" in the most murderous and brutal system of slavery man has ever known?

..Rufus Shackelford does it again...Full-size tear sheets of the full-page ad in the Valley Morning News of Harlingen, Texas Aug. 30, 1965 are available from Mr. Shackelford, 509 Lake Drive, Harlingen, Texas. It is a masterpiece of research in tying the whole Watts rebellion, civil rights program, and religious liberals all together in one neat package.

..University Chaplain attacks the Fundamentalist position. Ben Smillie of Saskatchewan let loose a barrage in the Toronto Telegram of Aug. 11, 1965 (sent by Marjorie Mackenzie): "Their plan of salvation emphasizes individual skin-saving that leaves a truncated gospel and fails to do justice to the corporate nature of salvation...They underline the importance of saving people out of the world to join an ecclesiastical ghetto- the church".

..Attacking the Graham message..this United Church minister says: "Nothing is said about the Bible being composed partly of legend and myth and allegory, and so Christians continue to hear the word of God ignorantly. They go on believing in clay-made man, a floating zoo, an amphibious-footed Jesus, a son of God who demonstrated his divinity as a home brew artist by turning water into wine and topped it with an ascension that looks like a Cape Kennedy blast off". It is casting pearls before swine to ask for support of men like this as is done in ecumenical evangelism.

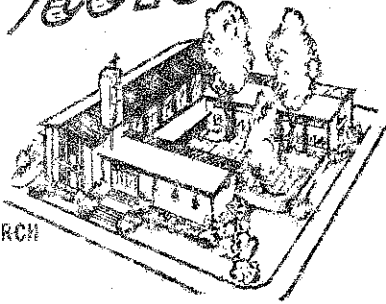
..The new president of Pillsbury College at Owatonna, Minn., is our warm friend, Dr. B. Myron Cedarholm. His installation is this Friday, Sept. 10

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## PROGRAM TO SWALLOW UP CBA IN CENTRALIZED CONVENTION ORGANIZATION NOW PLANNED

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The 18 year objective by the enemies by the CBA to destroy the Association may soon be achieved with the startling developments of recent weeks. Sometime ago rumors spread of a "secret" meeting in the study of CBFMS President Lloyd T. Anderson in West Covina on Aug. 10-12, 1965. Present, according to best information, were CBHMS President Russell Pavy, CBHMS Gen. Director Rufus Jones, CBA Executive Secretary Sam Scales, CBA President Herbert Anderson, plus Southern California leaders. The purpose was to discuss merger plans of all three groups (CBFMS, CBHMS, CBA,) into one convention set-up modeled apparently along the lines of the Swedish Baptist General Conference. Working with speed, the plan was then set before the CBFMS executive committee the following week in Wheaton on Aug. 17, 1965. Action was taken there to push "the re-organizational of our work, looking toward our three CB agencies working together under one organization". Selection of a New General Director of the CBFMS was delayed with a hope this new organization can be set up. It is interesting that the swallowing of the CBA should be planned in Southern California, which steadfastly refused to organize its own CBA from 1947 to 1954- seven years after the CBA was brought into being. CBFMS leaders down there saw no need of a CBA. It is also noteworthy that CBFMS President Anderson was nominated for the CBA of A presidency in Atlantic City in 1963, but this had to be withdrawn when it was revealed that neither he nor his church supported the CBA of A. When asked why he did not support the CBA, he indicated he was simply not in favor of it.

### IS HUMAN SOCIETY BASICALLY WICKED?

The unqualified testimony of the Bible is that man is a sinner and human society is under the judgement of God. This is hotly disputed by a liberal in this area, a noted Presbyterian leader, Dr. Jesse H. Baird. In his book "They Who Are Called Christians" he stated on page 143: "... an old concept that human society is basically and irredeemably wicked and that Christian redemption consists merely of the salvation of individual human souls as brands plucked from the burning is not the message of the prophets, nor, we believe, is it the message of Jesus in the N.T.

## THE INSANITY OF LUTHERAN BLASPHEMY

The depths of blasphemy were reached when the Negro 'civil rights' worker Louis Lomax was invited to address 12,000 Lutheran youth in Detroit on Aug. 20, 1964, according to the Lutheran News which recently came to our attention. Lomax told the Luther League convention of ALC youth: "I couldn't care less if you call Jesus by name, or if you are baptized, or if you are converted; all I want to know is whether you love your neighbor as yourself". The convention theme was "Jesus is Lord". Lomax is quoted further: "I dare you to follow Jesus and to rebel as Jesus rebelled in the temple... I dare you to flirt with a 'woman at the well' like Jesus did, only this time the woman is a Negro. I don't believe you've got the guts to do it". On inter-racial marriage, Lomax told the 12,000 youth: "But if you are convinced that your love motives are pure then go face the consequences, go full steam ahead". One of the most sacred events in the life of the Savior was His winning the sinful woman of Samaria to a saving knowledge of Himself. He gave to her faith, not a flirtation. What despicable depths of perverted thinking to suggest to youth that Jesus' actions here were an invitation to interracial marriage. This outrage by the American Lutheran Church is exceeded only by the Missouri Synod Lutherans in having identified Communist Pete Seeger address their international youth convention at Squaw Valley in July 1965.

evangelist". Here is a clear rejection of the basic fact of the Gospel of the New Testament and a bold statement of the modernist doctrine of the social gospel. For 20 years Dr. Baird was president of the San Francisco Presbyterian Seminary in San Anselmo, a noted center of higher criticism and neo-orthodoxy. Dr. Baird was one of the 1,274 signers of the Auburn Confession which declared in January 1924 that belief in the "five fundamentals" of the Faith was not essential to serving in the Presbyterian ministry as enunciated by the 1923 General Assembly. In the intensive doctrinal struggles of the 1920's, the Auburn liberals gained total and complete control of the great Presbyterian denomination in the USA and have completely enthroned the anti-Christian social gospel. Dr. Baird served on the General Crusade Committee of the 1958 Graham Crusade at the Cow Palace and opened the evening service in prayer.

## LOCAL CHURCH DEVELOPMENTS

..A Chinese Choir Concert will be given in our Church on Sunday evening, Sept. 26 at 7 p.m. when the choir of the Chinese Baptist Church of Oakland will be present. Philip Loh is the Pastor. The Church recently bought a 75 x 125 ft. lot at Harrison and 8th Street for \$30,000- all paid. The estimated cost of building and furnishings is \$115,000. They have worshipped for 50 years at 823 Webster St. ..Read the Bible through... Psalm 67-82 ; Rev. 1-7.

..Contributions through the Church Office; Inez Fordyce, David Johanson, Ann Gilbert, D.R. Pershing, A.L. Nelson, Dr. R.M. McLain, Miss Nettie Guitwits, Mrs. A.F. McAllen, Frank Kisner, Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Peterson.

..Colored pictures next Sunday at 8:30pm at Singspiration of Barbara Simon's wedding, Don Lyles' departure, and the Pastor's recent vacation. Don't miss them.

..Sunday School officers and teachers, plus every secretary and worker, will meet Friday, Sept. 17, 7:30 p.m. in the Lower Auditorium for conference. Dave Morrison will speak. The Pastor will bring a devotional word. Finis Lyles will preside. Departmental sessions. Roll call of each worker by Mrs. Gillespie.

..The Church bus will begin next Sunday on its run over to Western Baptist Bible College at 9:15 a.m. to bring young people to the Sunday School and worship services. They will return after the morning worship at noon.

..Missinary Larry Hagen's address in Japan is: P.O. Box 29, Wakkanai, Hokkaido, Japan. They had an unexpected fuel stop over in Anchorage, Alaska, so instead of 9½ hrs., it took 12½ hrs. to Tokyo from San Francisco. They are having difficulty getting their barrels of goods.

..The truth on police brutality ... FBI sources reveal that 57 policemen were murdered in 1964 by criminals; 197 in the past four years. The number of murdered policemen has doubled annually since 1960. 124 policemen killed in accidents in past four years. A total of 18,000 were assaulted in 1964. 7,738 policemen were injured in these criminal assaults.

..100% Sunday School classes Three teachers in the Primary Dept.: Mrs. Anna Lawlyes, Mrs. Gene Strohallen, Mrs. Louise Hetzler, Mrs. Lucille Lambert's Nursery II Department was 100%. Mrs. Harold Ring's Beginner Class, Mrs. Nora Holley's Jr. girls; Mrs. Jan Baker's Jr. High girls; Estelle Stewart's 11th Grade Sr. High.

..First five S.S. Departments.. 1. Women, 2. Primary, 3. Jr., 4. Men, 5. Nursery II.

..Liability of a church... A woman, while playing bingo in a church, was injured when a metal chair collapsed as she was sitting down on it. She brought suit against the church for damages and received a judgment. The church appealed on the ground that it could not be sued for negligence since it was a religious and charitable institution. The appellate court held, in affirming the judgment, that the church by conducting on its premises a game for substantial profit, had lost its charitable character and was amenable to this suit. (Blankenship v. Alter-(Ohio 1960) 167 N.E. 2d 922)

## INTERCHURCH NEWS FOR CONSERVATIVES

..An embarrassing historic statement which needs to be remembered in a day when arrogant ecclesiastical boards feel they must interfere with local church sovereignty and involve themselves in suppression of news and curtail the freedom of the press. It was found in a CBFMS folder entitled, "The Answer", with such names attached as Dr. Ted Taylor, Dr. Carey Thomas, Dr. Clarence Roddy: "We will never surrender our right to criticize our societies and their work. If we must abandon our conscience and yield to the status quo to be cooperative, then the price is too high".

..An outstanding document for Baptists .. that was sent recently is Dr. Robt. Ketcham's 10-page mimeograph on "The Right of a Baptist Church to Withdraw from the American Baptist Convention". It is a masterpiece and consists of solid documentation from choice historical sources that should be studied by anyone interested in the matter of the affiliation of a church. We do not know the price, but probably available from GARBC, 1800 Oakton Blvd., Des Plaines, Ill.

..Our sympathy is extended to Brother James Taylor, chm. of the Committee of Christian Laymen of Woodland Hills, Calif. In a serious auto accident on Sept. 4, 1965 he lost his wife and son. His daughter-in-law, three grandchildren, and Mr. Taylor were all hospitalized. He was at West Park Community Hospital, 22141 Roscoe, Canoga Park, California.

.."Demonstrating Clergy" is the title of a large 16-page folder available from Church League of America, 422 No. Prospect St., Wheaton, Ill. 60187. 35¢ or \$30.00 per 100. The greatest strength for the civil disobedience and pro-communist civil rights program comes from the liberal clergy.

.."The Record of the National Council of Churches", is the title of a new 144 page book on this radical leftwing ecumenical transmission belt. \$3.00 per copy from Church League of America.

..The significant "Catholic World" editorial on "Dialogue with Evangelicals Like Billy Graham" will be sent to those who request and send a gift to cover the cost of the Blu-Print.

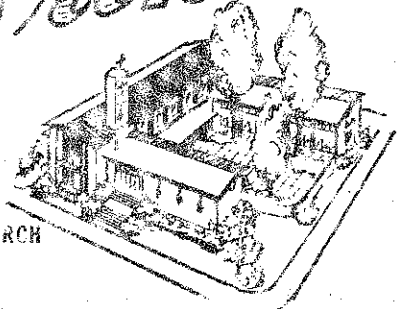
..Is capital punishment a deterrent? Dr. Donald Grey Barnhouse stated in an editorial in Eternity magazine, May 1956, "This law has never been abrogated, and nothing but woe can come from any attempt to do away with it. One of the forty-eight states in the United States has abandoned the death penalty - Michigan. A few years ago a man was arrested for murder in that state. He had driven with his victim from another state and had killed within the boundaries of Michigan. He had confessed that he had come to Michigan with deliberate intention of murder. He could have done his deed in his home state, but he came there because there was no death penalty. Such a confession is reason enough to retain the death penalty. But a far higher reason exists- God has commanded it".

..Dr. Ernest Pickering's booklet- "Should Fundamentalists Support the Billy Graham Crusades?" is available at 25¢ each, or \$15 per 100 from Central Seminary, 2105 Fremont Ave., Minneapolis 11, Minnesota.



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THE WAY OF SALVATION TO A PANTHEIST

Dr. Albert Schweitzer, who stated in his book "The Psychiatric Study of Jesus" that if he had to accept the Fourth Gospel he could not defend the sanity of Jesus, was a pantheist. He did not believe in a God who is transcendent above the affairs of men and nations but was an impersonal force- the soul of the universe. In the Atlantic Monthly of November 1958 in an article, "The Evolution of Ethics" he stated: "By having reverence for life we enter into a spiritual relation with the world. The absolute is so abstract that we can have no communion with it. It is not given to us to serve the creative will, infinite and unfathomable, by comprehending its nature and its intentions. But we come into spiritual contact with it by the feeling of the mystery of life and by devoting ourselves to all the living beings whom we are able to serve".

Dr. Donald Grey Barnhouse countered by saying, "We come into contact with Him not by adopting a feeling of reverence for ants and snakes but by being born again through faith in the redemptive work which the Savior accomplished for us when He poured out His life on the cross in order to make us partakers of the divine nature".

..Congratulations to Niles First Baptist, who will be celebrating the 16th anniversary of their first services on Sept. 30. It was on Sunday, Sept. 30, 1949 that our Church launched services for this new testimony. The big story for the Blu-Print of Sept. 25, 1949: "23rd Ave. LAUNCHES NEW CHURCH IN NILES". The first services were held at 3 p.m. at 151 "I" Street, with Mr. Wm. F. Hunter, one of the preacher boys of our congregation. Bob Hakes, who was Supt. of our S.S. played the trumpet and was song leader. Our organist, Helen Sobaje, was at the piano. Our Male quartet sang. While founding the Church, the Hunter's were given use of the apartment at our Church. Brother Noel Glover, who also served as the first pastor of the El Cerrito Trinity Baptist which we mothered, has served the Niles Church for many years. Noel Glover was a deacon in our Church at this time. Our Pastor rented the Church building with a \$50 check from our Church. Brother Noel Glover has done an excellent job of pastoral leadership in building up a large church.

Seminary Student Body Officers.....Pres.-

GRAND OLD MAN OF THE GOSPEL CHECKS IN AT GRAND CENTRAL STATION IN HEAVEN

Fundamentalists everywhere have been solemnly grateful to God for the life and ministry of dear old Dr. Robert (Fighting Bob) Schuler, who entered the Palace on Saturday, Sept. 11 at a ranch near Cambria at the age of 85 years. Funeral services were held on Wednesday, Sept. 15 at Trinity Methodist Church, which he had built to over 3,000 members. He entered the ministry in 1903. He served Trinity Church from 1920 to retirement in 1953. He was delegate to six of Methodism's General Conferences and was one of the most powerful voices for evangelism in the church. He edited his own paper "The Methodist Challenge" which went to 18,000 ministers in every state. He rebuked the apostasy and repudiated the socialism widespread thru Methodism. He leaves his wife, two daughters, and four sons. He left three preacher boys: Bob Jr., Phil, and Jack (deceased). Churches everywhere who love the old fashioned Gospel have felt the influence of this heart-warming preacher and this fearless crusader for righteousness and truth. What a thrill it will be to see him again at the First Resurrection.

CHINESE CHOIR CONCERT SUNDAY EVENING

We hope that the Christian public will heartily support the musical program to be presented in our Church next Lord's Day evening when the Chinese Baptist Church choir of this city will give their concert. They come at the invitation of our Board of Deacons. This is done in recognition of their courageous effort to step out in faith to erect a new \$115,000 Church at 8th and Harrison. This fundamental testimony is under the leadership of our Brother Philip Loh.

RALLY DAY NEXT LORD'S DAY HERE

All ten departments of the Sunday School will meet in their own assemblies at 9:45 a.m. for preliminary records and activities and then file into the main auditorium at 10 a.m. Supt. Finis Lyles will preside. The Pastor will bring greetings. The speaker will be Dean Wm. G. Bellshaw of our Seminary. Special guests of the day will be parents of the SS students. A beautiful pen will be awarded every student who brings both parents. A special section will be reserved for them. Eugene Mumford; Vice-Pres.- Alfred Franklin; Sec-Tres.- Charles Cassity. A splendid selection.

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..The largest Seminary Rally in our history occurred last Monday night when the balcony was three fourths filled, with the main level packed. More than 30 churches represented and dozens of ministers. The offering was \$837. Pray for the more than \$100 which must come in each day.

..Read the Bible through..Psalm 83-98 ; Revelation 8-14.

..Decisions last Lord's Day... Darlene Prevatt came forward to be baptized as a believer in Christ. Miss Julie Morrison came forward to unite by Letter from a Baptist Church in Hayward. Frank Dewitt came for baptism.

..Big League Baseball Party, Friday, Oct. 1 when the Giants and Cincinnati play, sponsored by the Men's Dept. Tickerts are \$2.60. A large group from the Church is going.

..Congratulations to Dave Morrison who is president of the student body at WBBC.

..The College Department in the S.S. had 34 last Sunday. We had some mighty choice youth from WBBC. Our bus leaves WBBC each Sunday at 9:15 a.m.

..The first five S.S. Depts. for last Sunday: 1. Women, 2. College, 3. Men, 4. Jr., 5. Primary.

..Contributions through the Church Office Dean and Mrs. W.G. Bellshaw, Mr. and Mrs. Edward A. Fortini, Mrs. Isabel Hauck, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Morrison, Ezra Gerig, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Blake, Mrs. Ollie Oliver, Mrs. E.G. Edson, Aubrey Nelson, Victor Sears, Mrs. D.R. Pershing, Ann Gilbert, Dr. and Mrs. Howard Bonebrake, Dr. W.J. Tumlinson, Dr. Horace Dean

..Last week's most pleasant experience for the Pastor was in hearing and meeting the new Pastor at Richmond's Metropolitan Baptist Church- Brother Jose Mandorlao who has already baptized 24 new members. He was converted in the Philippines, was graduated from Doane Bible Institute, Baptist Bible Seminary and taught there for two years. He holds a BD degree from Faith Seminary, ThM degree from Golden Gate Seminary, and is a part-time teacher at WBBC. His wife holds the Master in Music degree from Golden Gate. He is an excellent speaker. His plans are ultimately to return to his land as a missionary. He's a solid separatist.

..Mark Allen Richards, weighed in at 9 lbs. and 5 oz. on Sept. 6, 1965, bringing much joy to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Al Richards in San Leandro. Al in chm. of the Building Program at Manor Baptist.

..Church Choir social event, Fri., 7:45 p.m. at the home of Pastor and Mrs. Weniger, 70 Crestmont Drive. Members and prospects of the Choir are invited to attend. For details, contact Dave Morrison.

..Tri-Church Youth Retreat, with a complete missions emphasis, Fri. and Sat., Oct. 1, 2 at our Church. Cost- \$3.50 for food (three meals). Cruise on Lake Merritt, Recreation at Roberts Area Pool. Banquet- Saturday night. Speakers- Stan Best, veteran missionary to Brazil; Rick Thompson of Sacramento and his dummy Danny. Loads of special music. Gen. manager- Dave Morrison. Gastlemont and Galvary youth are coming.

..Area Youth Rally coming Oct. 8 at Huntwood Baptist Church, Hayward at 7:30.

..The noted Will Herberg, writing in National Review for Sept. 7, 1965, and quoted in the Christian Century in disgust, says this of the L. A. riots: "Shall we wreak our wrath upon such 'punks' and 'hoodlums', the actual rioters, and allow those ultimately responsible, the Martin Luther Kings, the inciters to law-defiance in the name of 'conscience', to go immune in their self-righteousness?... But isn't it all the handiwork of the demons they themselves raised?"

..Catholic premission to attend Graham ecumenical services granted. Our Sunday Visitor for Sept. 5, 1965 stated: "The Commission for Christian Unity of the Galveston-Houston diocese has stated that Catholics can attend services conducted by evangelist Billy Graham under certain circumstances". The statement said of Catholics: "They should first of all bear in mind that talks by Dr. Graham show a wholesome fidelity to God's word. They should, therefore, avoid any kind of negative attitude of antagonism toward him. Such an attitude would be a violation of charity".

..Graham's new film- "The Restless Ones" will be shown in San Diego several times in early October, according to the Evening Tribune of Sept. 11, 1965. "Tickets for the performance here are on sale at.. the Council of Churches office in Mission Valley and Billy Graham's San Diego Film Preview Office".

Congratulations Senator Robt. Byrd... The Baptist Bible Tribune carried a RNS dispatch on Sept. 17, 1965: "U.S. Sen. Robert C. Byrd (D.-W.Va.) suggested here that riots such as those which occurred in Los Angeles, Chicago and Springfield, Mass., may be a 'logical outgrowth in part' of civil disobedience exerised by clergymen 'It is shocking that some church leaders have endorsed such a program.' said Sen. Byrd in a speech on the Senate floor. He referred to the actions of clergymen, 'who have stated a belief that it is appropriate and even desirable, to disobey what they arbitrarily consider to be 'bad' laws and to obey only those laws which they label 'good' laws".

..California legislator to be commended.. Assemblymen Don Mulford of Oakland for a new law which went into effect Friday stiffening penalties on those attacking a policemen. Anyone who commits battery faces a prison term up to 10 years. The penalty for assaulting an officer with a deadly weapon will be up to 15 years, with even longer terms for ex-convicts.

..Dr. W.H. Bueermann, MD, chairman of trustees, has just announced the election of Dr. Earl Radmacher as the 6th President of Western Baptist Seminary. He is a very young scholar with tremendous capabilities

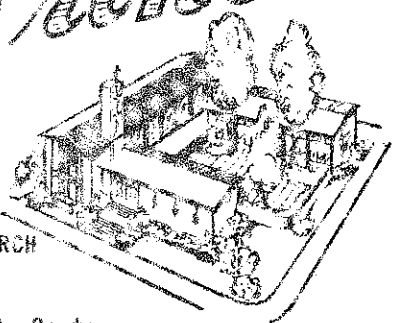
..U.C. Prof. John R. Searie, the leading faculty defender of the 1960 student communist-led rioters in San Francisco at HCUA Hearings, has been appointed as "Special assistant on student organizations" to the new U.C. Chancellor. The rioters should be riotously happy. Dr. Searle's riot analysis comprises the most of the National Council of Churches' yellow book entitled "Operation Abolition". Fulton Lewis Jr. said of this booklet: "This is one of the most fraudulent, slanted and intellectually dishonest presentations I have ever seen on any subject".

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CBA OF N.C. BOARD INVITES SPLIT IN STATE

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An unbending majority of the State CBA Board on Sept. 16, 1965 passed a regrettable statement of purpose in which it invited the churches of the "hard core" to leave their fellowship. It was not by any means a unanimous vote (11 to 5) hence it is limited in its authority and effectiveness, but represents a low point in ecclesiastical honesty. The CBA of N.C. was begun on Mar. 1, 1949 by churches who demanded to be free. Dr. Weniger presided at the founding meeting of the CBA of N.C. when we entered into a solemn covenant with the twelve autonomous churches represented as it is stated in Sec. 2 of Article II: "The Association shall not infringe in any way upon the autonomy of any local church". It is 16 years too late to pass an action which would now force these churches to comply with a condition which was not a part of the original contract. This document imposes a new condition on the churches to maintain standing in the state CBA. To force such an action by this illegal instrument is dishonesty in relation to these churches, and represents an indifference toward a precious distinctive which Baptists historically have held. To arrogantly vote for an unworthy document such as this which strips local churches of their freedom of action and still remain within the CBA of N.C. is indefensible on the part of anyone who claims to be a Baptist. The document states: "We are determined to stand on the side of truth and righteousness as the Bible declares it". Such a document, however, represents a low form of ecclesiastical ethics when it breaks faith with the churches who were invited to join on the grounds that they were free in every respect. For these eleven men to ask their "hard core" brethren to leave the Fellowship is not only a confession of a backslidden spiritual state, but also a reprehensible form of ingratitude since none of these eleven experienced any of the sacrifice and ecclesiastical suffering to bring the CBA of N.C. into being. We do not know of a single new church which the eleven men have founded in Northern California CBA. Our Churches have always been welcome into the CBA apart from any national affiliation. The national affiliation was always considered a local church affair, since the state and the national organization were two distinct bodies. It is strange that the "hard core" brethren have always been for the national CBA, but the GBFMS oriented group were in many cases antagonistic toward the CBA of N.C.

SEMINARY DEPLORES STATE BOARD ACTION

At one of the largest Seminary Board meetings in its 7 year history on September 21, 1965, the San Francisco Baptist Seminary considered the impact and implications of the state CBA Board document and after two hours of discussion moved the following: "After due consideration of the Northern California statement of purposes of Sept. 17, 1965, and since this document appears to strike at the heart of this Seminary and since we believe that they acted unwisely going beyond the bounds of the authority granted by the constitution under which they operate, we deplore the action taken and the sentiments expressed, and be it further understood that we reaffirm the original Biblical, separatist, fundamental, dispensational premillennial position of this Seminary as opposed to the generally accepted soft-policy position as embraced by some Conservative Baptists". The action was unanimous except for the vote of Brother Harry Twining who sat on the state board for the state board document. One other board member who had voted for the state board document sent in his resignation from the board. The Board made it very clear in the discussion that this document not only struck at the heart of the Seminary, but also at the ideology which the Seminary was founded to perpetuate, and the friends who have so loyally supported this Seminary since its inception. It is eight years too late to discuss the direction and position of this Seminary. The document is contradictory since it claims to adhere to the original stand and purpose of the CBA of A, but repudiates the "hard core" ideology which is based on the CBA Declaration of Purpose and the Portland Manifesto which have since been rejected by the soft-policy group. One of the most serious aspects is that the state Board by this power play is committing the churches of the state to the support of a body external to itself. This is exactly the principle involved when the General Council of the ABC committed the ABC churches to affiliation with the National Council of Churches apart from a vote and permission of the local churches. A motion to table the matter was defeated. It would have been a blessing to bury this thing deep in an ecclesiastical garbage can. It is ambiguous in language, presumptuous in authority, dangerous in direction, unBaptistic in content. It is the kind of action one could expect from a gathering of men blinded by prejudice, vindictive in attitude, and lacking in (con't on back)

## LOCAL CHURCH DEVELOPMENTS

..Decisions last Lord's Day. Miss Darlene Bogart, 1740 35th Ave. came forward confessing her faith, desiring baptism. She was saved at summer camp at Camp Chabot. Miss Lorraine Osckel came forward to be saved and a desire to be baptized.

..Read the Bible through. Psalm 99-114 ; Revelation 15-21.

..The Ordinance of Believer's Baptism will be administered next Sunday evening at 7 p.m. with the Pastor officiating. Believers wishing to obey the Savior in this act are asked to respond to the invitation next Lord's Day morning. Waiting for baptism: Darlene Bogart, Linda Micholich, Darlene Prevatt, Frank DeWitt.

..Contributions through the Church. Mr. and Mrs. Finis Lyles, Dean and Mrs. W. G. Bellshaw, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Fortini, Mrs. N.E. Arbuthnot, Mr. and Mrs. John Lucy, Dr. Ezra Gerig, Mrs. Isabel Hauck.

..The Pastor will be speaking at Pillsbury College this week after attending board meetings of the Conservative Baptist Fellowship in Chicago, of which he is the national president.

..The Sunday School contest is on. Big prizes for everyone who is faithful and brings someone else to visit, and then becomes a member of the Sunday School. Details next Sunday for everyone.

..The new banquet tables have arrived. A shipment of 20 tables are now on the premises, as a gift of one of our loyal families. The Pastor is excited about this useful addition to the property.

..One of the delightful occasions for the ladies of the Church and former members, is the Fall Tea, Tuesday, Oct. 5 from 1-3 p.m. in the Lower Auditorium, with the Circle chairman as hostesses. Tickets are 50¢ each from circle chairmen. Mrs. Hazel Gillespie, president of the WMS will preside. The speaker will be Mrs. J. Richard Muntz, according to Program chairman Ila Pemberton. Nursery will be provided. Former members may secure tickets through Mrs. Edith Mallett 632-1882.

..Final Big League Baseball Party of this year will be sponsored by the Men's Dept. of the Sunday School, on Friday, Oct. 1 when the Giants play Cincinnati. We leave the Church no later than 6:15 p.m.

..The Memorial for F.W. "Dad" Weniger, to be administered by the Seminary for needed office equipment now totals \$381, with \$25 being sent in from Dr. J. Palmer Muntz of Valley Forge and \$15 from the Men's Dept. and \$10 from the Berean Bible Class of women. We are thankful.

..Bay Area CBA Youth Rally, Fri., Oct. 8, 1965, Huntwood Baptist Church, with Larry Chappell as speaker. Refreshments after the evening service. Bay Area Ass'n. same day in the morning at the Calvary Baptist Church, 2645 Alameda de las Pulgas, San Mateo. Speakers: J. Richard Muntz, Missionary Jet Turner, and Loren Eastman.

..Our Church invited by Bayshore Baptist Church to hear J. Allen Peterson of Omaha from Oct. 3-10 at 7:30 p.m. each evening, 198 Acacia St., near the Cow Palace. Keith Hammond is the Pastor.

..Colored pictures at Singspiration of Central America next Sunday at 8:30 p.m., with Art Raske showing a selection from his latest field trip.

## INTERCHURCH NEWS FOR CONSERVATIVES

..State CBA Board statement of direction. The main section of a five-paragraph statement adopted by vote of 11-5 on Sept. 16, 1965 declares: "It is our serious intent to move along lines of cooperation with and support of our three national agencies of CBA (CBA of A, CBFMS, and CBHMS). We do not find ourselves in sympathy with the so-called 'hard-core' philosophy (as expressed by disdain for the name 'Conservative Baptist' and that which is in accord with the ideology and position of the New Testament Association of Baptist Churches) and its varied expressions in our movement. While recognizing that all categories are inadequate at points to determine our stands individually, we are speaking of this position as it has taken form in our fellowship". They frankly state in paragraph one: "All others will more happily find their fellowship elsewhere".

..When the CBA folds in the merger, already outlined by mission agency leaders, what statement of faith will be adopted? Will it be the premillennial statement of the CBA or the non-premillennial statement of the mission agencies? And will the new Convention organization allow for the CBFMS missionaries who are members of NCC churches in the American Baptist Convention?

..What will happen to the CBA property in Arlington Heights, Ill. when the CBA goes out of business and merges into the new CBA convention which will be completed in 1½ years if CBFMS leaders have their way? Everything is likely to be concentrated in Wheaton.

..What is the explanation of the end of the CBA in such an inglorious way? The answer is simple: The CBA invited its enemies to be the speakers at its annual gatherings, elected its enemies to positions of control, recognized its enemies with honorary degrees, so no wonder they have announced its funeral plans for Phoenix.

..The state CBA has been notified by Hume Lake Conference that they will be restricted to one week next year, due to several factors: low attendance, CBA toying with the idea of its own grounds, and Hume Lake plans to staff its own conferences. An era is ending and new plans for youth camps will have to be formulated by the churches.

.."50 facts about UNICEF" is the title of a remarkable 6 page folder, available at 10 for \$1 or 100 for \$7 from Washington Summary, 317 First West, Seattle, Wash.

..Presidential assassin Lee Oswald had a baptismal certificate signed by a Lutheran pastor of New Orleans. It is now being offered for sale at \$200.

(CBA of N.C. con't.) spiritual discernment in relation to the simplest matters on Baptist polity and practice. The statement was largely the work of CBHMS Board member Lee Toms, with Ken Gage and Warren Conrad assisting. It enjoyed the urging and support of State Director Loren Eastman, and was vigorously supported by Pastors Marvin Jost, Roy Nelson, and John Berentschot, and others.

..The Baha'i cult of the area held a public meeting on Sept. 18, 1965 at First Baptist Church of Hayward, according to the Alameda Times-Star of Sept. 18

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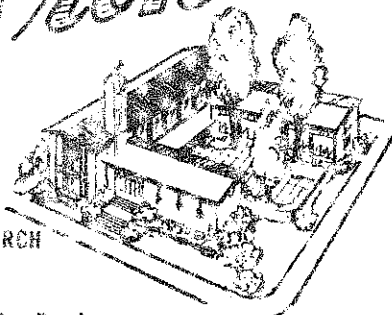
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## THE TIME SCHEDULE FOR CBA FUNERAL

From the time the CBA of A was proposed in 1947 we had opposition from leaders of the CBFMS. The General Director of the CBFMS openly urged churches not to affiliate with the CBA, according to reports. In the light of this historic antagonism, it is no wonder that the CBFMS Executive Committee on Aug. 17, 1964 in Wheaton drew up the following schedule to swallow up the CBA and bring all the groups together into one convention organization. The minutes read: "After further discussion, a suggested program for progress toward reorganization was present. The steps would be as follows: (1) A meeting of the Joint Executive Committee of the three agencies. (2) A presentation and full discussion of the matter to the individual boards. (3) Share the idea with smaller groups of pastors across the entire country. (4) Present the idea at the regionals in 1966. (5) Present the idea to the total constituency, Phoenix, 1967". President Lloyd T. Anderson of Covina presided at this sad session. The whole scheme was "cooked up" in an informal meeting at the Covina office of Dr. Lloyd T. Anderson, along with Dr. Rufus Jones, Dr. Russell Pavy, Dr. Herbert Anderson, and Southern California leaders. We do not see any courageous leadership on the horizon with sufficient nerver to oppose this and save the CBA from complete oblivion.

DR. ROBERT MOON ON RADIO TV SERIES...The Northern California Council of Churches proudly announces through its monthly paper "The Church At Work" for Oct. 1965, that Dr. Robert W. Moon of the Fresno First Methodist Church has been selected to speak on "Faith and Life" series sponsored by the Council beginning in Oct. It is aired over ten stations in the West. In a mimeographed sermon delivered on Jan. 14, 1962, Dr. Moon said: "In the Bible no one ever treated Jesus as if he were born in a different way ... If Jesus were some kind of weird being born of an earthly mother but with no earthly father, I could excuse myself from responding to his call to 'Come follow me'". In a sermon of Jan. 28, 1962 he said: "So the trinity is not a New Testament doctrine. The idea developed during the third and fourth and fifth centuries. Jesus and Paul and the apostles never heard of it... Thus I think of myself as a multinarian and not a trinitarian. The

## DR. H.H. SAVAGE BEGGED US 10 YRS. AGO

We reprint three paragraphs from a letter written in 1955 by Dr. H.H. Savage, who was then President of the CBFMS as we recall, and which was co-signed by 48 leaders generally associated with the "soft policy" group who like to refer to themselves as the "mainstream". The names include Dr. Theo. Anderson, Carlberg, Flynn, Hart, Horn, Houser, Hubbard, Macy, Pherson, McBeth, Donald McDonald, Ribbe, Mulholland, Robinson, Theo. Taylor, Wm. Thomas, Vouga, Webster, Wiens, Whitemore. "Our beginning also provided an escape for those who desired to get away from any unBaptistic regimentation: A regimentation that discriminated against those who desired to be free to follow the dictates of their own conscience as they felt led of the Holy Spirit. This escape, however, was predicated upon the fact that such desires were within the framework of Baptist usage and tradition, and true to a willing acceptance of our Statement of Faith. Only by granting such freedom could we be true to our boasted Baptist ideology of the absolute autonomy of the local Church, and the sovereignty of the individual soul. We went so far as to say that an unalterable principle in our fellowship would be a refusal to demand support of Conservative Baptist agencies as a basis of testing good and regular standing. It is our conviction that the seal of God's approval upon our position has been manifested by His blessing upon our movement. Since that is true, let us not jeopardize these blessings by constantly presenting new tests as criteria whereby we can continue to "walk together in love." Having escaped organizational dictatorship, and legalistic bondage, why consider any measure of return to the bitterness engendered by such emphases in the past? Why allow tensions and pressures to be added to the sweet fellowship we enjoyed several years ago, and to thus endanger our spiritual and numerical growth in the future?"

doctrine of the trinity takes three of the most important ways in which God can be seen and holds them before us as reminders that this is what God is like. It says to us that God is great, God is good, and God is near". In a sermon on Jan. 21, 1962, he declared: "First off, if we believe in the kind of a God that Jesus revealed, then we cannot (con't on back)

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## LOCAL CHURCH DEVELOPMENTS

..Baptized last Lord's Day evening with the Pastor administering the blessed Ordinance: Darlene Bogart, Mrs. Joyce Crosby, Darlene Prevatt, Lorraine Osckel, Linda Mickolich.

..Read the Bible through..Psalm 115-126 ; Revelation 22.

..Robert L. Bell graciously arranged transportation for the Pastor on the world famous "Hiawatha" streamliner from Chicago to St. Paul last Thursday. Mr. Bell, an official of the Milwaukee railroad, is a former trustee of our Church.

..The Pastor spoke three times at Pillsbury Baptist College in Owatonna last week at the invitation of President B. Myron Cedarholm. It is an exciting experience to visit Pillsbury's million dollar campus. The Pastor took a large number of pictures and hopes to have them developed soon. It is a sight to see the Chapel services filled with young people from all over the USA.

..Larry Chappell, who spoke at our youth retreat this past weekend, has resigned as assistant at Calvary Baptist in San Francisco to become pastor of Calvary Baptist in Avenal. He is a gifted young evangelistic preacher who will merit our prayers.

..The Sunday School Contest is on... It runs for 8 weeks. 20 pts. for memorizing the Scripture Matt. 5:14-16; 10 pts. for perfect record and staying for church. 25 pts. for bringing a SS member who has not been here for 5 weeks. 20 pts. for bringing a visitor. 30 pts. if that one becomes a member. Every 100 pt. winner gets a new, special ball-point pen. The big prizes: Scofield Bible, Instamatic Camera, Timex wristwatch.

..Contributions through the Church Office this past week: Dean and Mrs. Wm. G. Bellshaw, Mrs. Nora Holley, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Olson, Dave Morrison, Mrs. Sally Louie, Howard Rainey, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Fortini, James Williams, Winifred Davidson, Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Stephens, S.T. Turnipseed, Jr., Elenah Maiden, George Samaduroff, George Moore, H.E. Cedarholm, Oscar Gillan, Mrs. Carl Gertz.

..God bless these ladies who helped in the kitchen detail for the recent youth retreat: Mrs. Edith Mallett, Mrs. Myrtle Olson, Mrs. Ila Pemberton, Mrs. Nelly Lyles, Mrs. Allegra Prang, Mrs. Eleanor Gregg, Mrs. Florence Cunningham, Mrs. Nora Holley, Estelle Stewart, Carolee Alexander, Mrs. Hazel Gillespie, Mrs. Mildred Wickstrom, Mrs. Irene Weniger, Sonnely Dunwoody, June Hoffman, Jo Ann Bonjorno, Mrs. Jan Baker, Mrs. Juanita Krauss.

..New Basketball uniforms are needed for our team. The cost is \$7 each, with twelve more required. Speak to the Pastor or Dave

..Bay Area Youth Rally, Fri., Oct. 8 at 7:30 pm at Huntwood Baptist Church, Harder and Gadding Roads in Hayward. Larry Chappell is the speaker. All of our young people of Jr. High, High School and college age are urged to attend.

..Bay Area CBA Association, Fri. morning at Calvary Baptist Church, San Mateo. Speakers: Loren Eastman, Jet Turner, J. Richard Muntz.

..Gospel Trumpeter Sunday evening.. Mr. Paul Jackson, outstanding trumpeter of WBBC will play Sunday evening at 7 pm. He was a member of WBBC Trumpet Trio.

..Building Fund Offering for the Chinese Baptist Church amounted to \$133.28.

## INTERCHURCH NEWS FOR CONSERVATIVES

..A new document by the Pastor has been printed by the San Francisco Baptist Seminary entitled, "The Perverted RSV- A Digest of Comments", with about 25 comments by leading evangelicals condemning this NCC Bible, whose sale is enriching the coffers of the NCC. It is available at 20 for \$1 from SFBTS, 1225 Franklin St., San Francisco 9.

..A correction in the Blu-Print for last week. We incorrectly stated that the Baha'i cult held a meeting on Sept. 18 at First Baptist Church of Hayward. It was First Methodist Church of Hayward. We apologize to our good friends at First Baptist and ask everyone to please take note. First Baptist would never be guilty of holding a meeting like this.

..Will the non-Baptist pastors of Baptist churches who sit on ecclesiastical boards and vote to restrict liberties of other churches, please note Dr. Merrill C. Tenney's article in NAE "Action" magazine for Jan. 1961 entitled "In Defense of Intolerance". He states: "To advocate the suppression of minority groups because their beliefs and way of life do not accord with the prevailing ecclesiastical dogma or social usages would be similar to championing a return to the Dark Ages when differences were settled by the sword rather than by agreement to live and let live".

..Dr. E. Stanley Jones preached all last week at the Park Avenue Methodist Church in Minneapolis according to a Minneapolis Star of Sept. 30 which the Pastor picked up in Minneapolis on Thurs. Park Avenue was historically a sound, fundamental Methodist pulpit for decades. One of the Pastor's former teachers in Bible school was George Valentine, a warm friend of Dr. Riley who was a pastor at this church. Times have changed.

..Pillsbury Baptist College needs football uniforms. 42 men reported for the team this Fall, with only 22 uniforms. Groups who might want to help provide a uniform for the school should write to the President, Owatonna, Minnesota.

..WCBM Missionary Dortha Onstott sent a letter on Sept. 25 from the SS Del Sud and mailed it on Sept. 26 at San Juan, P. R. They were to arrive this Mon. in Montevideo, to be met by the Wesley Hansen's and Wilbur Sanford's. She and Sharon Clark will stay with the Hansen's, Casilla de Sorreo 1771, Montevideo, Uruguay.

(Dr. Robert Moon, con't. believe in a place of everlasting punishment for sinners... If there is a place of eternal punishment, then God is either defeated and not almighty or he is a fiend and not a Father... Surely the God Jesus revealed is not going to condemn some of his children to endless torment after death. That would make him into a devil... We may believe in hell if we want to, but we may not, at the same time, believe in the God revealed by Jesus Christ... It will surprise some of you to hear that there is no doctrine of hell in the Bible... The orthodox concept of hell as a place of eternal torment for the wicked is a figment of fiction.

..Capital punishment is supported in an excellent sermon by Dr. H.C. Slade, in "The Gospel Witness", at 15¢ a copy, 130 Gerrard St., East Toronto 2, Canada.

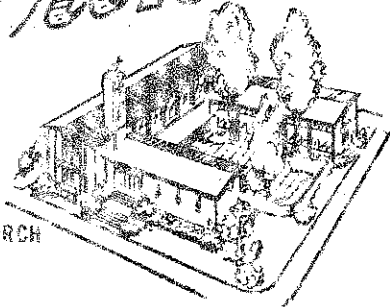
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## A CHRISTIAN COMMUNIST MOVEMENT LAUNCHED

The National Guardian, a pro-communist newspaper, for Sept. 4, 1965 carried a big advertisement entitled "The Apostles of Christ were Communists". They quoted Acts 2: 44,45, and then added a choice conviction of Karl Marx- "From each according to his ability, to each according to his need". The main part of the ad reads: "God is pro-communist. Otherwise he would not have provided the Apostles with the power to perform miracles while they and thousands of converts practiced Communism. A new force is needed to counteract the anti-Communist hysteria emanating from HUAC, the Birchites, and other extremist Right Wing groups. Contributions are needed to launch a Christian Communist movement. Richard Hildebrandt, 13685 Glenwood Ave., Detroit, Michigan". This takes an unlimited amount of gaul for communists who do not believe in God, to ask Christians to donate funds to support a movement designed to destroy Christianity. But this is the goal of Communists: to take over this country through the help of non-communists.

## CENTRAL AREA RALLY PROGRAM IN CHICAGO

The Ravenswood Baptist Church, 4455 Seeley Avenue in Chicago has invited all churches in Central area, interested in a new national association of churches, to meet on Thurs., Oct. 21, 1965. At 11 a.m. Pastor Art.B. Neuenschwander of Indiana will speak on "Dangers of Conventionism". At 2 p.m. a Forum discussion led by the incorporaters of the new association: Dr. Bryce Augsburg, Dr. Peter Mustrie, Dr. R.V. Clearwaters, Dr. Warren Defoe, and Dr. Chester McCullough. 4p.m.- Summary Message by Dr. R.V. Clearwaters. 7 p.m. Dr. Felix Runquist, the CBA State Director for Indiana: "In the Light of the Changing National Picture". 8 p.m.- Dr. B. Myron Cedarholm: "The Remnant- God's Means to Perpetuate and Preserve the Truth". This should be an enlightening session. Many churches will be looking in this direction for a new national association in view of the CBFMS pressure to eliminate the CBA through merger plans. We believe in giving our Church the benefit of all this important news. Suppression of this sort of information serves no useful purpose to free churches.  
..Christ sends none away empty but those that are full of themselves.

## WOULD DR. RILEY TURN OVER IN HIS GRAVE?

Northwestern College, the last of three great schools founded by Dr. W.B. Riley, America's leading Fundamentalist champion of the 20th Century, recently published a pamphlet with these words: "Northwestern College is a community made up of persons- students as well as faculty-- who profess to be committed to Christ. The assets of this kind of community are then among the advantages Northwestern offers you. By Christian community, I do not mean a denominationally homogeneous community. You will find at Northwestern students with a wide variety of church backgrounds. The resulting interdenominational emphasis commends itself to those who value a more ecumenical approach to the consideration of the evangelical Christian faith".

..On the gift of tongues..The Minnesota Baptist Convention (conservatives) meeting Aug. 23-29 at Lake Koronis amended their statement of faith: "We believe that the gift of tongues was among those temporary spiritual gifts bestowed by God upon His churches in apostolic times. When its purpose was completed, the gift ceased. It was never the required outward demonstration of either the baptism or the filling of the Spirit. (Acts 2:8; I Cor. 12:13; Eph. 5:18 ff; I Cor. 12:30; I Cor. 13:8)".

..On the Ecumenical Movement..The Minnesota Baptist Convention also passed this resolution: "Be it resolved, that the Minnesota Baptist Convention go on record as opposing and denouncing the Ecumenical church as Satan's church, that pastors be encouraged to fully inform their congregations, that lay people be encouraged to faithfully bear a testimony in all their contacts, and that the churches of the MBC give themselves offensively in these last days to soul-winning, church planting, missionary work challenging young people for Christian service and defense of the faith".

..Pillsbury Baptist College needs good musical instruments for their band and orchestra. Far more students are reporting than available equipment. Anyone wishing to give a good instrument to the college is asked to write Dr. B. Myron Cedarholm, PBBC, Owatonna, Minnesota 55060.

.. "Capital Punishment- To Kill or Not to Kill" is the title of an extensive article by Dr. Paul B. Smith, The People's Church, Toronto. Box 5515, Kansas City, Mo. 64109. 20¢ a copy.

LOCAL CHURCH DEVELOPMENTS

..Superintendent's council of the S. S. will meet this Friday, Oct. 15 at 7:30 p.m. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Finis E. Lyles.

..Read the Bible through..Psalm 127-149

..College Age Fellowship Hour. Something new in food, fun and fellowship will be set up for this coming Sunday afternoon, with plenty of food, a good Christian film and grand fellowship when our Templebuilders Youth group will be host to scores of college age students . Lower Auditorium- 4 p.m.

..The ecumenical character of YFC can be seen in the recent announcement that the 21st Anniversary Banquet is being held on Sat., Nov. 20 in the First Baptist Church of Oakland. It would not be unfair to state that this church is oriented in the direction of liberalism.

..WCBM Missionary Garland Kincaid's address, according to the Scott Memorial Baptist Church "Reminder" of San Diego, is: Apdo 1477, Guadalajara, Jalisco, Mexico

..Miss Shawna Lou McPherson was born on Oct. 9, 1965 at 2:47 a.m. in Walnut Creek, weighing in at 6 lbs. 9 1/2 oz. with a bumper-to-bumper measurement of 20 inches. Sally Sue and Edwin Wayne McPherson are happy beyond measure.

..WCBM Missionary John Simmons new address is: Universidad de las Americas; Km. 16, Carretera Mexico- Toluca, Mexico 10, D.F. Mexico.

..First Annual Faculty Recital at WBBC Friday, Oct. 15 featuring the music of Bob Wittaker, Carroll True, Vic Hubbard and Dave Morrison.

..The Annual Meetings of the CBF have been tentatively set for the period of June 8 - 10, 1966 in Indianapolis. It is expected that the WCBM and the new association will meet at the same time.

..A pre-session meeting of the CBF is scheduled for Philadelphia on June 1, 1966, with the CBA meeting June 2-7.

..Wedding pictures this Sunday evening. The Pastor's secretary, Mrs. Jan Baker, is all smiles about slides of her wedding on June 25 to a young man attending the San Francisco Baptist Seminary, Charles Baker.

..The Visitation Program of the Church resumes on a twice-monthly basis, on the second and fourth Thursday's of the month, with Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Stephens as directors. Cards will be available at 7 p.m. with report hour at 9 p.m. followed by refreshments in the Lower Auditorium.

..Dr. Monroe Parker has been invited by the Church to conduct a brief evangelistic series of meetings in our Church on Jan. 16-23, with an invitation going out to eight sister churches in the area. Let us begin NOW to pray earnestly for the success of the meetings.

..The Pastor visited Alameda Calvary Baptist Church last Friday for the reception honoring their new pastor, Dr. and Mrs. Willis Alfors of St. Paul. It was a joy to meet our former members: Mrs. Laura DuBose, Mr. and Mrs. Thayne Wilder and family, Mr. and Mrs. Waggoner, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Bowen, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Dorchester, Mr. Bob Dorchester, Mr and Mrs. Gay Walton, and former workers, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Bowman.

..Missionary Stan Best, is an excellent missionary who served 3 terms under Baptist Mid-Missions.

INTERCHURCH NEWS FOR CONSERVATIVES

..Dr. Monroe Parker has accepted the invitation to be the speaker at the Convocation Rally opening the second semester of the San Francisco Baptist Seminary on Jan. 17. This means some high grade preaching. The Board voted unanimously to ask him on Sept. 21.

..CBFMS interracial appointments. The Board passed the following: "CBFMS will continue its consistent practice of appointing missionaries who meet the spiritual, educational, and general qualifications of the Society without regard to racial origin".

..Mr. and Mrs. Gerry Rose, missionaries to New Guinea, resigned from the Christian and Missionary Alliance because they refused to sign a required statement indicating approval of the missionary vies of Dr. Donald McGavran in relation to "group conversion". They recently returned to the mission field as independents.

..Dr. Donald McGavran was lecturer for a five day Institute attended by 39 CBFMS leaders, along with 131 people from 33 agencies. Dr. Edwin Jacques, CBFMS foreign secretary, was the coordinator of this Institute at Winona Lake, according to a CBFMS official communication for October 1965.

..Missionary Gilbert Zinkie has resigned from CBFMS after serving several terms in the land of Japan. They are expecting "to make new contacts for returning to Japan without too much delay".

..Dr. Chester E. Tulga is reportedly interim pastor of Maplewood Baptist of Chicago. This church recently withdrew all connections with CBA nationally, locally, and statewide.

..Pastor Orville Williams, CBFMS Board member who recently left Yakima, has been called to Trinity Baptist of Denver, according to a CBFMS official. He succeeds Dr. James Nelson.

..Dr. Lee B. Long, Mission Secretary of the World Conservative Baptist Mission, asked to be relieved of all responsibilities as Office Administrator of CBF in order that he might give his whole time to the expansion of the WCBM which is already operating above \$100,000 income. Dr. Long has given valuable service.

..Dr. Sam Bradford, one of the great leaders in our movement for many years, who served both as president of the CBA and CBF, has accepted the pastorate of First Baptist Church of Springfield, Colorado.

..Dr. and Mrs. B. Myron Cedarholm now have two "children". They are caring for their nephew, Bill Cedarholm, whose parents are serving in Central America as missionaries. Recently they agreed to take into their home on the Pillsbury campus, their five year old niece, whose mother was recently buried. They will not be cramped because the presidential mansion has five rooms.

..Atheist Madalyn Murray wrote to Lester L. Buttram: "The Modernist seems to attack Atheism only to screen or hide their own unbelief. No better proof of our contention that the church is losing ground can be given than that the Modernists are now in control of all the larger Protestant denominations and, working from the inside, discredit the basic teachings of Christianity...thus Christianity slowly dissolves. But the works of the modernists only aids the work of the Atheists".

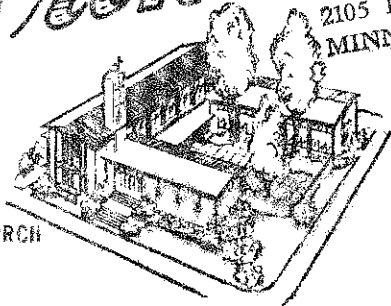


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## COMMON SENSE TALK FOR ALL BAPTISTS

Dr. John W. Bradbury wrote a two-page editorial for the Watchman-Examiner for Aug. 26, 1948 entitled "For What Is a Baptist Convention?" The editorial said in part: "But for the Convention to assume a right it does not have and its charter never allows- to assign the affiliations, associations, and loyalties of its constituent churches, which the Convention does not and cannot control- has already produced something of a revolution, alienating churches and discouraging many more... The vital issue- and it is most vital- is whether a Baptist convention- inferior in authority to that of the local church- has any right whatever to so vote as to assign its constituent churches to any body external to itself. The Baptists have never conferred any such right on their conventions... It is a dangerous trend if we admit that the conventions created by Baptist churches are to assume that they have power to direct the destinies of these churches. To the degree that this is done we are losing our distinctive tenets and character as Baptists and are becoming something else. Whether or not we are imitating Presbyterianism or Methodism, or some other ecclesiastical form, we are certainly yielding up that great religious freedom which characterizes an independent Baptist Church... When will leaders arise who will interpret our Baptist tenets in such positive fashion as to build confidence that there will be no more attempts to transform advisory conventions of free and independent churches into bodies of corporate authoritarian control of the churches"... These classic words take on significance in the light of the wholly inexcusable and unbaptistic resolution of the State CBA Board of Sept. 16 in which they, by a 11-5 vote, assign the affiliations and support of the churches to bodies external to the churches. For a state board, which is created by the churches and inferior to the churches, to even suggest that they can decide any issue relating to local church affiliations or loyalties is to be guilty of arrogance of the most flagrant sort. -----

The Eastern Regional Conference passed a resolution against Dr. Lloyd Anderson's plan to swallow up the CBA in a convention organization. One of the leading eastern regional speakers was a Presbyterian, Dr. James Forrester of Gordon Divinity School- a school oriented in the direction of Neo-evangelicalism. -----

## THE LATEST NEWS ON SOME CBA AFFAIRS

Dr. Richard V. Clearwaters, member of the CBFMS Board, recently led the Fourth Baptist Church of Minneapolis out of affiliation with the CBA of A. Dr. Clearwaters was a former President of the CBA as well as President of Central Conservative Baptist Seminary which he heads.

Two higher educational institutions have taken steps to delete the name "Conservative" from their title: Central Conservative Baptist Theological Seminary and Pillsbury Conservative Baptist Bible College.

Dr. B. Myron Cedarholm is no longer identified with the CBA of A, since the church of which he is identified, in fact both CB churches in Owatonna, have disaffiliated from CBA.

Last Week's Central Regional Conference in Norwood Baptist Church of Chicago was very poorly attended. Formerly the largest of the three regional conferences, the spirit and numbers were gone. Even the "soft policy" group failed to attend. One business session of the CBHMS cast only 74 votes. The heart is gone. One of the largest churches in Illinois is reported to be withdrawing fellowship from the CBA of A next.

Pastor Woodrow Finger of the Norwood Park Baptist Church of Chicago was reportedly unhappy with the Regional program featuring Dr. Mitchell Seidler on "The Dangers of Conventionaism" and Brother Sam Scales on "The Future Ministry of the CBA". He even threatened to withdraw the invitation to the CBA and have only CBFMS and CBHMS sessions, but the Central Area CBA board members stood firm.

An Outstanding Document has been published in the Hamilton Square Baptist Church Newsletter of Oct. 21, 1965 over the signature of Dr. Charles A. Hauser, Jr., Chairman of the Deacons. Addressed to the State CBA Board, it strongly protests the recent unbaptistic and unconstitutional action of the Board in which they arrogantly assign the churches of the state to support and affiliation of agencies external to the churches and apart from their individual action. This newsletter, which can be presumably secured by writing to the Church, should be in the hands of every church officer. It contains a copy of the state board resolution, which was passed by an 11-5 vote and constitutes an offensive document to every autonomous Baptist church. The CBA of Nor. Calif. was born on Mar. 1, 1965 in this very church.

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..Musical Rally of the Training Leagues, next Sunday at 6 pm in the Main Auditorium. Those wishing to participate are asked to contact Brother Dave Morrison. The purpose is to discover and develop musical talent. We hope to have some guest artists as well.

..Read the Bible through..Psalm 150 - Proverbs 22.

..The First Baptist Church of Dublin, which had a record of 84 in attendance on Oct. 17 will be meeting for the first time in the public school beginning Sunday, Oct. 31. We congratulate Pastor Walter Lindquist on this major step forward.

..All Departments are now working on the Sunday School Christmas Program scheduled for Wed., Dec. 22 at the Church. The High School department will conclude the program with their own play.

..Seminarian Dwight Allen has been engaged as a part-time assistant to the Pastor to work among college age youth. Let us give him every assistance. He attends the S.F. Baptist Seminary.

..Pastor Paul C.R. Peterson of the Burbank First Baptist Church will speak Thurs., Nov. 4 at 7:45 pm at the Leamington Hotel (Holiday Room) in Oakland on "The Apostasy and the Conspiracy".

..The San Francisco Baptist Seminary, according to the Treasurer's report for Sept. 1965 showed receipts and balance on Oct. 1 of \$6,085.13, which together with designated funds show a grand total of \$8899.78. Expenditures were \$6995.42. God's people are urged to give generously as the needs are great.

..The Chinese Baptist Church of Oakland wishes to have a Baptismal service in our Church on Sunday evening, Nov. 14.

..Contributions through the Church Office Mrs. Florence Cunningham, Mr. and Mrs. Finis Lyles, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Fortini, Howard Rainey, Miriam A. Brown, David C. Innes, M.I, Burnett, H.O. Van Gilder, Harold Brady, Mr. and Mrs. M.U. Blake. Training League Attendance for the first five: 1. Adults, 2. Templebuilders and Young Adults, 3. High School, 4. Jr. 5. Homebuilders and Jr. High.

..An Excellent Gift Suggestion..If you want to produce a thankful appreciation in the heart of a friend, give the book: "Dr. Rice, Here is My Question", a 368 page book of 24 chapters, containing spiritual answers to 294 Bible questions by one of the most influential Christians of this century. \$3.95. (Box 1099, Murfreesboro, Tennessee.)

..A Baptist edits Catholic Paper... An AP dispatch from St. Louis in the Hayward Daily Review of Oct. 9, 1965: "The Catholic Homiletic Society has launched a new magazine, 'Preaching' with a Baptist, the Rev. Dr. William D. Thompson, of Eastern Baptist Theological Seminary, as associate editor".

..Fuller Seminary President, Dr. David Hubbard, was the main speaker at Inter-University Christian Fellowship conference of collegians at Mission Springs, Oct. 22-24, according to publicity from Staffer James E. Berney. The theme: "Is God's Obituary Premature".

..The Pentecostal Full Gospel Business Men's international convention in London

..The New Testament Association Rally at Ravenswood Baptist, Chicago on Oct. 21 was larger than the Central Regional, with such outstanding speakers as: Dr. Myron Cedarholm, Dr. Mitchell Seidler, Dr. R.V. Clearwaters, Pastor Art Neuenchwander and others.

..Prof. William H. Hamilton of the American Baptist Convention-related Colgate Rochester Seminary was listed by the Chronicle of Oct. 25, 1965 as one of the leaders among the radical young group of atheistic theologians known by the name of the "Death of God" movement. Drs. Thos. J.J. Altizer and Paul Van Buren are the other two Seminary professors listed as leaders.

..The Methodist Book Store in Pittsburgh wrote to a protesting soul: "Baldwin's ANOTHER COUNTRY is the November selection for a monthly book club composed entirely of Methodist ministers located in Pittsburgh and the surrounding area... No book is evil in and of itself. The only basis of judgement that an individual has is the use to which such a book is put". This book, by Negro Baldwin, is one of the most degrading books of filth ever conceived.

..Congratulatinns to James A. Poulter, 13174 Riker Rd., Chelsea, Mich. for his Ann Arbor ad offering to pay one way expenses to any peace demonstrator dissatisfied with the USA, so they might enjoy peace and freedom in North Viet Nam or Communist China.

..This is the Social Gospel..Dean Elmer B. Usher of Trinity Episcopal Cathedral in Phoenix in defending Bishop Pike's theology was quoted in the Oakland Tribune on Aug. 22, 1965: "The great task facing the Christian church today is not the articulation of precise, clear and deadly orthodoxy, but the Christlike ethical judgements of the things of this world as they relate to the sociological patterns involving race, housing, hunger, sex, war, and peace".

..A Man Complained to Police in Nashville, Tenn. in July that his 12 year old granddaughter was permitted to buy a copy of the pornographic novel (James Baldwin's "Another Country") from the Cokesbury Book Store, which is owned by the Methodist Publishing House. The bookstore manager defended the book by stating that it is 'required reading for students at the divinity school', according to the Christian Challenge.

..Robert V. Finley, president of International Students, Inc., has gone into Pentecostalism with much enthusiasm. He had a leading article in the Oct. 1965 FGBMFI "Voice" entitled, "Introduction to Life in the Spirit", which explains his "baptism of the Holy Ghost" and conversion to Pentecostalism.

..A liberal Catholic addresses ABC meeting next Sunday, as Rev. Eugene J. Boyle, Director of the Archdiocesan Commission on Social Justice, joins ABC Pres. Robt. J. Torbet and Dr. Geo. H. Armacost at the first combined convention of the American Baptist Churches of Northern California at Sunnyvale First Baptist Church.

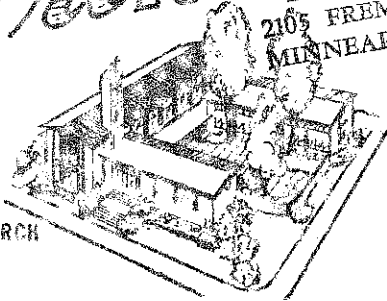
is featuring a meeting in Metropolitan Tabernacle on Nov. 26. This was Spurgeon's Church.

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We are being advised to meet this age on its own terms, talk its language, if we are to gain for our message a favorable hearing. We are reminded that this generation of rebels against God must be handled very carefully. They are smart, clever, sophisticated, we are told, and old-fashioned revival meeting methods are 'out'. Well, we have listened to some of these agnostics. We are of the conviction that a man is not a sinner because he is a skeptic, but that he is a skeptic because he is a sinner, and when his sin-problem is dealt with, his skepticism will be gone. He needs to be told in love that what he needs to do is to give up his rebellion and submit to God, who will not answer his questions but remove them. 'To those who believe, no explanation is necessary; to those who will not believe, no explanation can satisfy'. Let us be done with dancing to the world's music and letting it call the tune. Our message is foolishness to the world, and it will never be anything else until men become fools that they may be wise. Why not go ahead and preach it just as it is? They must square with it just as it is and just as they are, anyway". Dr. Vance Havner. (Watchman-Examiner, Aug. 12, 1948. p. 839).

### A JESUIT EVALUATION OF GRAHAM'S BOOK

The Roman Catholic priest, Arthur McGilivray of Boston College had a review in the Catholic "Best Sellers" for Oct. 15, 1965 published by the University of Stratton of Dr. Billy Graham's latest book "World Aflame". In glowing terms he states: "Before reviewing this 'message' book, one can only kneel down, pray to God that what one says is as cogent as what the author says, and then allow God's grace to come over the reader... In other words, his book is hard-hitting, against the reprobate, and winsomely delicate for the electors who have chosen Jesus Christ as their personal Savior. An added note: directors of retreats will not go wrong in using this material for talks or discussions or recommending this 'evangelistic' book to anyone who wants to be even slightly uplifted. Billy Graham is a man of God".

### IN DEFENSE OF NEO-ORTHODOX THEOLOGIANS...

"Why should we criticize these liberals, steeped in the German rationalistic school as they have been, because they do not

## FULLER SEMINARY HONORS APOSTATE LEADER

The Fall Bulletin of Fuller Theological Seminary carried a picture of Dr. David Hubbard and CBFMS Missionary Warren Webster conferring with Bishop Stephen Neill of the University of Hamberg in connection with his three addresses at the 19th Annual Convocation of Fuller Seminary. This World Council of Churches leader, who is Professor of Missions and Ecumenics, wrote a book entitled "Christian Faith and Other Faiths". On page 167 he states: "It is not without reason that the Churches feel guilty. If Karl Marx has served as a minister of God to make them penitent, he may after all deserve his place, though a rather peculiar one, in the gallery of saints". On page 169 he writes: "Even the Christian is tempted sometimes to ask himself whether it is possible that he is wrong and the Marxist is right". On page 228 he reveals a typical modernist attitude toward the pagan religions of the world: "The fourth question will relate to our willingness to accept new light, from whatever direction it may come, and to believe that other faiths may enshrine truths to which we ourselves have been blind". He appears to reject the finality of the Christian Faith with these words on page 229: "... his last question will be whether we are prepared for a recasting and restatement of Christian truth in the light of the new knowledge that may come to us... We must be, and are, prepared for such restatement". One could be forgiven for being shocked at this statement on page 231, which declares: "To say all this does not necessarily mean that Jesus was right". Fundamentalist Christian leaders can almost cry when they realize how Dr. Charles E. Fuller has allowed a parade of modernist ecumenical leaders to be honored at this Seminary which was founded with Fundamentalist dollars: Bishop Gerald Kennedy, Oscar Cullmann, Helmut Thieicke, K.S. Latourtette, and a number of others.

agree with us evangelicals at every point, or because they still have some of the higher criticism in their veins? It would be far better to thank God that they have discovered the major truths so dear to us and are preaching them with such revolutionary force. They have dislodged the old liberalism, and in its place they have out the major tenets that are so dear to us all. Rather than (Con't. on Back)

## LOCAL CHURCH DEVELOPMENTS

..The Pastor and two brothers are out in the forests of the high Sierra this week for a few days with deer and bear tags along in case.

..Read the Bible through....Proverbs 23, Song of Solomon 2.

..Our Church basketball team will have practice games on Monday, November 8, leaving the Church at 6:30 p.m. to play against Pleasonton First Baptist; on Monday, November 15, leaving the Church at 7 p.m. to play against WBBG Junior Varsity.

..The Ordinance of the Lord's Table will be observed next Lord's Day, the Lord willing, with the Pastor officiating, assisted by the Deacons.

..The following are working hard on the S.S. Contest by bringing others: Mark Clifton, Mrs. Anna Lawlyes, Pam Lyles, Debra Martin, Debra Bice, Rodney Bellis, Linda Mickolich, Sharon Anderson, Walter Bindt, Nora Sands, Sterling Roberson, Barbara Simon, Douglas Simon, Judy Jay, Darlene Prevatt, Bobby Krauss, Mrs. Jean Silva, Richard Silva, Mrs. Darlene Bellshaw, the Pastor and many others.

..Contributions through the Church... Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Prang, Mr. and Mrs. John Lucy, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Lambert, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Fortini, Howard Rainey, Mrs. Ollie Oliver, Mrs. Laura Du Bose, David C. Innes, Mrs. Miriam A. Brown.

..The Deacon and Trustee Boards will meet next Monday, Nov. 8 at the Church, with the Trustees at 6:30 p.m. and the Deacons at 8 p.m. Clarence Lambert and Floyd Moore are the chairmen of these Boards.

..Oakland's St. Jariath's Catholic Church had an unusual FIRST when they sponsored a large ecumenical gathering last Sunday to celebrate Martin Luther's 16th Century break with the Roman Catholic Church. Six Catholic churches and the Oakland Council of Churches were invited to participate.

.."God Commands Death Penalty for Murder" is the title of a three-page document reprinted from the Sword of the Lord of Oct. 8, 1965 by the Pastor, bringing together a tremendous array of stated convictions of many Bible believing ministers supporting Capital Punishment. Available from the S.F. Baptist Seminary, 1225 Franklin St., S.F. 9. 20 copies for \$1. Excellent to send to legislators who have been brainwashed by liberal ministerial opinion.

..The iniquitous influence of Danish Philosopher Soren Kierkegaard in the new Christian atheistic movement among theologians known as the "Death of God" movement, is acknowledged in the Time magazine article of Oct. 22, 1956. Fuller Seminary celebrated the 150th anniversary of Kierkegaard's death in the Spring of 1963 with Dr. Vernon Grounds as the speaker.

..WCBM Missionary Larry Hagen was able to sell his Rambler for \$816, which together with \$693.54 from the Yuba City First Baptist Church was able to buy a 64 Toyota Land Cruiser in Japan, carrying nine passengers for \$1,848, leaving only \$339.48 remained to be paid on this. Friends wishing to help may send their money to the WCBM, 2561 North Clark St., Chicago 14, Illinois.

"How much you must love Him, when He has done so much for you".

## INTERCHURCH NEWS FOR CONSERVATIVES

..Conservative Baptists organize.. We quote from the Watchman-Examiner of April 7, 1949, p. 334-335: "Great enthusiasm prevailed as 167 delegates and observers from Conservative churches of Northern California met at Hamilton Square Baptist Church, San Francisco, on March 1, in constitutional convention. Rev. G. Archer Weniger of 23rd Avenue Church, Oakland, presided...A constitution was adopted permitting Bible-believing Baptist churches to affiliate with the Conservative Baptist Association of Northern California 'without regard to other affiliations of those churches'".

..The five noble men who voted against the Sept. 16, 1965 resolution before the state CBA Board, testifying against perhaps the most flagrant and unwarranted violation of local church autonomy ever committed here in the past 16 years, were Pastor Stan Tilley, Pastor W. Glen Roades, Mr. Wm. Goodman, Dr. Roy H. Austin, and Dr. Ortiz W. Weniger. The churches owe a debt of gratitude to these men who voted on the basis of Baptist principle.

..Dr. John A. Mackay, who was advertised as a main speaker at Mt. Hermon last summer and quietly withdrawn from the speakers list, wrote in the Watchman-Examiner: "I am not ashamed of any document I ever signed or of any cause I ever sponsored, whether it was in the interests of Republican Spain, or in favor of Spanish refugees from Fascist tyranny, or to advocate the repeal of the McCarren Act". He has a lot not to be ashamed of, judging by the long list of leftwing involvements. (Aug. 6, 1953, p. 742).

..Identified Communist Bayard Rustin will be in town Nov. 4 in room 2000 of the Life Sciences Bldg. at the U.C. campus to speak at a conference on civil disobedience. Nearly complete information on Mr. Rustin is found in Senator Strom Thurmond's Senate speech of Aug. 13, 1963.

..This is unbelievable..We quote from a church bulletin: "Dr. Cornelius Haggard, president of Azusa-Pacific College, reports that a recent poll of 2000 leading scientists discloses that each of these scientists has rejected the hypothesis of evolution. The survey of the living scientists was made recently by an outstanding space scientist who will be joining the faculty at Azusa-Pacific College next year".

..A Thanksgiving protest at the White House calling for a negotiated settlement of the Viet Nam situation is being sponsored by Bayard Rustin, Arthur Miller and other civil rights leaders. Rustin is the close associate of Martin Luther King.

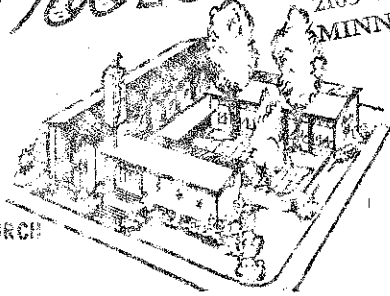
(Cont from Back) criticize Karl Barth, we ought to thank God for him. He fired the theological shot that should have been fired by evangelicals. Although we may justifiably lament that evangelicals were either not awake to the 'signs of the times', or were spending their energies on secondary issues, we must not further indict ourselves by undue, unwise, and unkindly criticism of men like Barth" (Watchman-Examiner, Oct. 13, 1963). With measured words we declare that neo-orthodoxy is the most deceptive system of religious thought in history of mankind. Just after Donald R. Robertson wrote these words, he left the BIOLA faculty.

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## WHAT WILL THE ABC DO WITH ITS ATHEISM?

Atheism is being tolerated and supported officially by the American Baptist Convention so long as it retains Dr. William Hamilton at the Golgate Rochester Seminary. This seminary participates in the full services of the Board of Education and Publication of the ABC. According to Time magazine for Oct. 22, 1965 (p61-62), Dr. Hamilton is one of the four leading theologians promoting the new "Death of God" movement. So radical is this new system of thought that it makes an old fashioned liberal with a unitarian God seem like a Fundamentalist in comparison. Time says of these radicals: "They say it is no longer possible to think about or believe in a transcendent God who acts in human history, and that Christianity will have to survive, if at all, without him". Time points out that one of the theologians from which much of this stems is Soren Kierkegaard (whom Neo-Evangelicalists like Denver and Fuller Seminaries are honoring). "The proclamation of God's death is only the negative starting point of this radical theology. In various ways, these theologians are trying to redefine other tenets of a Christianity without a Creator". We wonder what ABC leaders are going to say in defense of this "godless" Christianity. Any pastor or person who continues to affiliate with, or give support to, the American Baptist Convention in the light of such officially supported blasphemy will have no complaint against Judas Iscariot.

### CONSERVATIVE BAPTIST CONVENTION MERGER PLANS ARE ENDORSED BY EASTERN WITNESS

The funeral of an independent and autonomous CBA has been endorsed by the Eastern Baptist Witness, which has decided to emerge as an "official" CB paper, with a widely represented board of nine Denver Seminary supporters. In the Sept-Nov. issue of 1965, the lead editorial stated: "The Witness applauds the CBFMS executive committee, for taking the initiative to invite their counterparts in CBHMS and CBA of A to meet for serious discussion. The subject: an analysis of the structure of the Conservative Baptist movement, with an eye to the possibility of reorganization, drawing the three agencies more closely together. We believe that the arguments for such a change have great merit". This spells the ultimate doom of the CBA when such influential elements are endorsing such

## BAPTISTIC IDEOLOGY ON ASSOCIATIONS

"An Association is a voluntary society formed and maintained for mutual help among the churches associated, and for the religious welfare of the field it occupies. It is of human, not of divine authority; it grows out of the sympathies of Christian fellowship, and the need of mutual help. No church is under obligation to affiliate with it; and any connected church can withdraw cooperation, at any time, for any reasons which seem to itself sufficient, without prejudice to either its evangelical or its denominational reputation and standing. But while it continues associated, it must abide by the rules and regulations, mutually agreed upon, by which the body is governed. Because an Association is not a representative body, and because a church cannot be represented in any other organization, and because a church cannot, even if it would, alienate or transfer its powers and responsibilities to any man, or body of men, therefore an Association cannot legislate for the churches, exercise any authority over them, or bind them in any way by its own action. Whatever is done while in session, is of authority only to those who do it; that is, the members - pastors and delegates. They may make suggestions to the churches, or present appeals, and lay requests before them; to all of which the churches will give such attention as may seem to them right and proper". (New Directory for Baptist Churches, p. 335.)

an unbelievable move. While some resistance was encountered among pastors when the idea was first developed in the office of the President of the CBFMS, there is apparently no sizable bloc of leaders with conviction and courage enough to counter this move. Churches who prize their autonomy will be leaving the CBA of A for another fellowship if this merger is not immediately and decisively defeated.

The ministers of Oakland are being asked by a group of unitarian students for the ministry to participate in a November 20 march from Berkeley to Oakland to witness "Their conviction of our nation's immorality in foreign relations in Viet Nam". Because our nation is committed to the defense of the freedom of the South Vietnamese against Communism, we regard such action as bordering on treason. Pride is the stone over which many people stumble.

## LOCAL CHURCH DEVELOPMENTS

..An Ordination Council is called for this Thurs., Nov. 11 at 1 p.m. at Grace Baptist Church, 1347 Locust St., Walnut Creek to hear the testimony of one of the young men who grew up in our Sunday School, Roger A. Moore. Representing our Church: Raymond Harper, Dr. R.M. McLain, Clarence Gilbertson and the Pastor, plus visitors.

..Read the Bible through..Song of Solomon 3 - Isaiah 17.

..Our hearts go out to Mr. and Mrs. John Lucy in the loss of Brother John's sister, Martha Collins Lucy, who entered the Savior's presence on Wed., Nov. 3, with memorial services Friday in Berkeley.

..Visitation Thursday night, 7 - 9 p.m., with report and refreshment hour at 9 p.m. in the Lower Auditorium, under directions of Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Stephens.

..Contributions through the Church... Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Prang, Dwight A. Weniger, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Robinson, Mrs. Nora Holley, Mr. and Mrs. F.E. Lyles, Mr. and Mrs. Carl W. Olson, Roy Guess, J. Foster, Doris L. Spratt, Dr. J. Kenneth Hutcherson

..Our traveling members..Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ring returned safely from an extended vacation at the home of Bob and Marilyn Bell in Deerfield, a Chicago suburb. Mr. and Mrs. Art Raske are hoping to return this weekend from a six week tour through the Eastern seaboard doing research at Harvard and other scientific centers.

..An excellent lady speaker who has been a blessing to our area is Mrs. Nora Ann Jones, wife of Pastor Marvin Jones of the Neighborhood Baptist Church, 6930 Hazel Ave., Orangevale. Their phone 988-4121. She addressed a large gathering of ladies recently at the Yuba City First Baptist Church.

..The fundamental separatist fellowship of Baptist Churches in Japan will have their formation meeting in Tokyo on Nov. 23 at the Tokyo Bible Center. We wish them well.

..In the Sunday School Contest, which will extend through November, these are working hard, according to Secretary Hazel Gillespie: Mrs. Anna Lawlyes, Mrs. Louise Hetzler, Mrs. Gundrus Grantovski, Darlene Bogart, Mrs. Juanita Krauss, Pam Lyles, Gertie Sinz, Sheri Oschel, Debra Bice, Linda Micholich, Karen O'Brien, Pastor, along with the list previously published.

..Western Baptist Bible College Student Body totals: 302 compared with 255 last Fall, with 153 new students and 140 returning plus 9 readmission. 206 are GARBC students with 43 from CBA. 196 are from California, with Washington second with 68.

..Our minister of youth and music, Brother Dave Morrison is not only president of the Student Council at WBBC, but is also an instructor in organ and piano. Read all about it in latest issue of WBBC "Power" in the Narthex.

..Our metropolitan Baptist Church, 705 Bissell Ave., Richmond sent us Vol. 1 of their new Church monthly newsletter, it is excellent. Things are moving along dramatically there under direction of Pastor Jose Mandorlao.

..Another WCBM Missionary on field.. From the Eagledale Baptist Informer, we find that Mr. and Mrs. Garland Kincaid can now be reached at: Apdo 1477, Guadalajara Jalisco, Mexico.

## INTERCHURCH NEWS FOR CONSERVATIVES

..CBHMS President Dr. Russell Pavy is enthusiastic for ecumenical evangelistic endeavor. The Denver Post for Sept. 25, 1965 gave the results of recent Denver crusade: "Dr. Russell A. Pavy, chairman of the Follow-Up and Counseling Committee, said the same follow-up procedure is being used for the telephone responses as for those who made a decision at the crusade meeting". If the CBHMS President is involved, it is hardly unlikely that the missionaries would be prevented from so engaging themselves.

..CBFMS President at ABC Seminary.. Dr. Lloyd T. Anderson's "Bethany Call" for Nov. 3, 1965: "The Annual Conference on Theology sponsored by the SW region of the NAE of which your Pastor is chairman, will be held on the California Seminary grounds in Covina! Here is an opportunity for all to see the great trends of theology- presented by great men of our day. The date is Tuesday, November 16. Plan to attend the 'all day' sessions beginning at 9 a.m."

..Our sincere apologies offered..In the Blu-Print of Oct. 5, 1965, we reprinted several paragraphs of a 1965 letter by Dr. H.H. Savage in which he begged Conservative Baptists to allow freedom. He said: "We went so far as to say that an unalterable principle in our fellowship would be a refusal to demand support of Conservative Baptist agencies as a basis of testing good and regular standing". We gave some of the names of the 48 who associated themselves with this letter, men generally identified with the "soft policy" group of the CBA. We just gave names in the main. One of them was "Wiens". This was Joe Weins and not Dr. N.A. Wiens of Detroit's Gratiot Avenue Baptist Church. We apologize to Dr. Wiens that we did not more completely identify the name.

..Congratulations to Dr. James Harvey who was called from Maxwell to the Calvary Baptist Church of Casper, Wyoming.

..Dr. Harvey Cox, one of the most radical liberal theologians associated with the "Death of God" movement, was "guest leader" of a two-day faculty retreat in August at the Berkeley Baptist Divinity School (ABC) according to the BBDS Bulletin of Nov. 1965.

..It's really strange behavior.. The Chronicle of Oct. 29, 1965 reported concerning Archbishop Michael Ramsey of Great Britain "who said earlier this week that Christians should support the use of force by Britain against Rhodesia's white leaders". The World Council ecumenical leaders support force in Rhodesia against the whites, but are opposed to US force in support of freedom in South Viet Nam against the Communists.

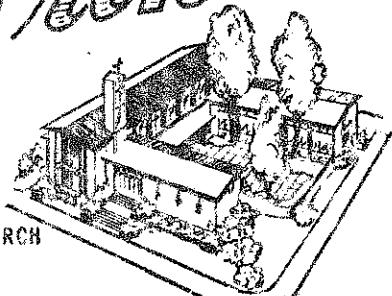
..Front Exploits U.S. Methodists.. This is headline of an extensive article in "Tocsin" for Nov. 4, 1965, which is the latest write-up on the Methodist Federation for Social Action. "Tocsin" is absolutely essential to a sound understanding of current communist activity on the West Coast. This weekly is \$10 per year at 5765 Claremont Ave., Oakland 94618. In bulk: 10 issues- \$1; 100- \$5.

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GRAHAM DEFENDS DIALOGUE WITH HOLLYWOOD

Someone brought in a copy of a magazine called "Photoplay" for Dec. 1965 which contained an interview with Billy Graham on "Love, Sin and Peyton Place". The evangelist is quoted: "I do hope that I haven't created the impression that I am an enemy of the entertainment industry, or Hollywood, because nothing could be farther from the truth. I have a lot of friends out here and think the world of them. I have friends from virtually every part of the Hollywood community- including several of the film stars. Sometimes I come out and visit some of my actor friends and we talk and I try to answer some of their questions. I try to maintain contacts and friendships with the industry because I feel it is one of the most important mediums there is today. As one or two bad films or bad TV programs give the rest a bad name, I think that a handful of actors have given the rest a bad name. But then that's true in anything. I have found some of the finest people to be motion picture actors . . . I've come to know and appreciate these people not as actors but as nice people. Some of them are very devout Christians".

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THANKSGIVING SERVICE PLANNED NOV. 25

Members and friends of the Church are invited to attend a special Thanksgiving service to be held on Thursday, Nov. 25 at 10 a.m. here at our Church. The message will be brought by Dr. Charles A. Hauser of Pacifica. Our Pastor will preside. Music will be provided by a staff quartet of our Church. The Thanksgiving Proclamation will be read by Dr. Ortiz W. Weniger of Yuba City First Baptist Church. The singing will be lead by David Morrison. A missionary offering will be received for the San Francisco Baptist Seminary.

THE PASTOR'S SUNDAY SERMON SUBJECTS

11 a.m. "Testing a Miracle-Working God"

7 p.m. "The Human Cures for Sin"

9:45 a.m. Ten Sunday School Departments  
6:00 p.m. Eight Training Leagues

Dr. Mitchell Seidler's Address on "The Dangers of Conventionism" delivered at the recent Central Regional Conference in Chicago, is available on tape from the CBA Office, we understand. It is excellent.

CHRISTIAN ATHEISM- THE MOST FRIGHTENING SYSTEM OF THOUGHT SINCE JUDAS ISCARIOT

Fosdick must be considered as a right wing Fundamentalist compared to the young crop of radical theologians now emerging. (Hamilton, Van Buren, Vahanian, Altizer). The young Methodist theologian of Emory University in Atlanta had an article in the Christian Century for July 7, 1965, "Creative Negation in Theology". Dr. Thomas J.J. Altizer said: "Perhaps the most distinctive theological sign of our situation is that theology itself is coming to confess that ours is a time in which God is dead...If ours is truly a history in which God is no longer present, then we are called upon not simply to accept the death of God with stoic fortitude but rather to will the death of God with the passion of faith... Once we can accept the death of God as a final and irrevocable event, then we can open ourselves to the full actuality of our history as an epiphany of the Word of faith... It is precisely by freely willing the death of God that we can be open to our time and thereby open to the Christ who is always present, the Word that has actually become united with our flesh. Only the Christian can truly proclaim the death of God... No, we must not allow an orthodox theology to deny that the proclamation of the death of God can be a Christian profession . . . The contemporary Christian knows that the biblical and traditional images of Christ are no longer meaningful to him".

Attention of the State CBA Board.... The CBA National Voice for April 1953 had this article from an official CBA folder: "Resisting the recurring tendency of ecclesiasticalism to coerce and destroy the freedom of the local church, the Conservative Baptist Association of America reaffirms the New Testament teachings establishing the independence of the local church. This independence makes all outside bodies purely advisory in character and with no powers whatever over the local church. The Conservative Baptist Association as a fellowship of free churches, recognizes that the local church has the right to withdraw from any body when its faith is denied, its freedom abridged or its testimony to the world corrupted. The Conservative Baptist Association is a fellowship of free churches".

The coming of the Lord draweth nigh. (James 5:8).

## LOCAL CHURCH DEVELOPMENTS

..The Annual Revision of stencil lists of the Blu-Print will begin shortly. Those beyond the membership not showing an interest will be removed. Anyone who does not care to receive it, or is offended by it, is asked to inform us please. While we have no subscription price, the cost is estimated, all factors considered, to be somewhere up to \$5.00 per year.

..Read the Bible through..Isaiah 18 - Isaiah 40.

..Myrant lectures at the Seminary... We are pleased to learn that Dr. Robert Myrant, the distinguished professor of English Bible at the Central Baptist Seminary of Minneapolis will be lecturing at the San Francisco Baptist Seminary for a week of Nov. 30-Dec. 3 each day in the Chapel at 10 a.m. on the subject: "The Local Church and the Body of Christ".

..The State CBA Board stood firm in reaffirming by a narrow 5-4 vote a most unfortunate resolution that invited the "hard core" Fundamentalists to leave the state CBA and seek fellowship elsewhere. Dr. Roy H. Austin moved on Nov. 11 to rescind the resolution, but was out of order.

..As a surprise to no one the state CBA finances have tumbled to a \$1300 deficit in the general fund, with further deterioration expected as a result of the illegal, unbaptistic, unconstitutional, and unChristian resolution which amounts to a hit-and-run attempt to disfellowship a large segment of autonomous Baptist churches who have loyally supported the financial program of the state work. Let us hope that these brethren will see the wisdom of washing their hands of this type of regrettable action and rescind this vindictive resolution.

..Several ministers who promoted this resolution are now seeking to find churches out of the state. One resigned to take a church out of the CBA. Another has been frantically candidating in Colorado and Washington. Another is looking over a situation in Oregon.

..Pastor Jose Mandoriao of Richmond has consented to bring the message at the Big New Year's Eve service here at our Church. He and his wife will also present music. Pastor Walter Lindquist will also play his trombone.

..The sidewalk repairs will total about \$600 for 85 feet on 16th Avenue plus considerable on Foothill Blvd. David Martin, who has a contractor's license, has agreed to put in the concrete work, if someone will provide the cost of cement - about \$200.

..We are looking for seniors...A free ticket to the S.F. Warrior-Cincinnati Royal basketball game of December 2 will be given to any high school senior, not now attending the Church, who comes on Nov. 21 or Nov. 28 at 9:30 a.m. to the high school department. For further information call: 534-5225.

..Contributions received through the Church: Mrs. Bertha Corbett, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Prang, Dwight A. Weniger, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Harden, Miss Nettie Guiwits, Myrtle Burnett

## INTERCHURCH NEWS FOR CONSERVATIVES

..Dr. John R. Rice's latest book, "Earnestly Contending for the Faith", a 365 page book of 16 hard-hitting chapters at \$3.50 from the Sword Publishers (Box 1099 Murfreesboro, Tenn.) will drop like a bombshell on the present theological scene. While we have reservations on one chapter, we enthusiastically recommend this as a Christmas gift to any thinking person.

..Bethel lecturer defends World Council of Churches..Dr. G.R. Beasley-Murray of England, who lectured at Bethel on Sept. 17, 1965, wrote an article in the Watchman-Examiner of May 10, 1956, entitled "Is the World Council of Churches Antichrist?" He concluded: "I have no part in the organization of the World Council of Churches. I write purely out of a sense of compulsion, believing that a grievous mistake is being made by those Christians who ascribe this work of the Holy Spirit to Beelzebub. I should be grateful to God if the general theology of the World Council of Churches, and the deep spirituality manifested therein characterized our own denomination. In fact, we fall far short of it".

..Dr. Lehman Strauss will lecture at the San Francisco Baptist Seminary from Dec. 7-17 on the Epistle to the Ephesians, with two hours each morning, at 10 a.m. Tues. through Fri. The public is welcome to audit these lectures.

..An identified Communist lawyer represented the Viet Nam Day Committee before the Federal Court in its endeavor to force the City of Oakland to grant a Nov. 20 parade permit. The Chronicle for Nov. 13: "Attorney Benjamin Dreyfus, representing the committee, argued that Oakland's parade ordinances and the City's application of them were denials of the constitutional guarantees of speech and assembly provided by the First Amendment". Dreyfus' case history is listed on page 36 of HCUA "Communist Legal Subversion", indicating he was identified by Jack Patten under oath in June 1957.

..The Calvary Baptist Church of Woodland, California, a CBA Church, is now open as a result of the resignation of Ken Gage recently to accept a community church at Palo Cedro near Redding. This church was founded by Clyde Paul White several years ago.

..A modernist discusses baptism..The ABC Crusader for Sept. 1965 reports on the Baptist World Alliance at Miami: "But the traditional emphasis by Baptist churches in America on recognizing only baptism by immersion found strong opposition from Dr. George Beasley-Murray, principal of Spurgeon's College, London. While he held that the local Baptist church should practice immersion only, he suggested it should also fully receive members from other communions who may not have been immersed, so long as their mode of baptism was accomplished in sincerity and understanding. At minimum, he stressed, we should not except a Christian to be re-immersed when he moves to another fellowship". "Christ is not Lord at all unless He is Lord of all".

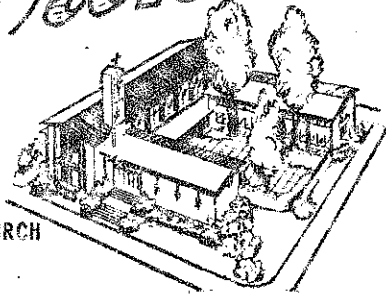


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MARIANNE MEANS: BILLY GRAHAM AND LBJ

The San Francisco Examiner for Nov. 4, 1965 had this column, which said in part: "One of the most intriguing relationships to evolve from the volatile world of Great Society politics is the friendship between Democratic evangelist Lyndon B. Johnson and Baptist evangelist Billy Graham... Their friendship is an important one, and tells us something about both men. It is understandable that they should get along well. For there is a great deal of the preacher in Lyndon Johnson and a great deal of the politician in Billy Graham. Each, in his way, is a dedicated but utterly realistic man... Graham's friendship was very helpful to the President during the 1964 campaign. White House advisors had warned President Johnson that Graham's fiery fundamentalism might lead him to direct his millions of devoted followers toward the political fundamentalism of Barry Goldwater. Graham, however, never commented on politics before his flock - although a number of other ministers and religious bodies openly endorsed one candidate or another. All he did was to drop by the White House regularly to see his friend, the President. Those visits spoke louder than words".

BERKELEY BAPTIST DIVINITY PROFESSOR HAS SERIOUS LEFTWING RECORD OF INVOLVEMENT

The Berkeley Baptist Divinity School's Bulletin for September 1965 announced that Dr. Bernard M. Loomer was engaged as professor of philosophical theology. The Circuit Rider's book "660 Baptist Clergymen" requires three pages to list the extensive leftwing activities of this professor. Quite frankly we were floored. No other Baptist leader in the Bay area has any more listings in this book, not even Dryden L. Phelps with 24. Dr. Loomer has 31 in a book which was published in 1960. He was particularly active in seeking clemency for Communist spies Julius and Ethel Rosenberg. He was listed in the Daily Worker of March 24, 1953 as chairman of the "Rosenberg Clemency Committee". He visited Pres. Eisenhower in the White House on behalf of these convicted spies. He has been active in securing a new trial for Morton Sobell another convicted communist spy. This book reveals 18 favorable references in the Communist Daily Worker. His favorite activities seem to be: National

A LETTER OF DEEP CONCERN TO OUR CHURCH

Nearly a year ago, on Jan 30, 1965, we received the following letter from State CBA Director Loren Eastman which expresses a position which is sound and reasonable and to which provides the only basis for continued fellowship by this Church: "Concerning the other matter about which you spoke, I am a bit confused. As a State Board, while I was a member and even more so as State Director, we have 'religiously' guarded against any action on our part which would infringe, in the slightest, on the autonomy of the local church. We have consistently resisted pressures to endorse or repudiate any persons or organizations that are a part of our movement's conflict. It has been the decision of this Board that the local church has, as its God-given prerogative, the privilege of deciding what they will or will not support in the way of missionary organizations or anything else. I know of no decision made by this Board, which in any way abused or inferred anything of that nature concerning any churches or individuals locally or nationally. What any individual Board Member's personal opinion might be regarding personalities or organizations is a matter between themselves and the Lord and those persons or organizations, and it is impossible for us to know about or to legislate against any of this. I personally do not feel that the Board has in any way changed from the policy which you have found it possible to enthusiastically support in the past. I would like very much to talk to you personally about this, and assure you that I appreciate your loyal support of this Association and myself in the past and trust that it will not be impaired in any way now."

Committee to Win Amnesty for Smith Act Victims, American Committee for Protection for Foreign Born, National Committee to Secure Justice for Morton Sobell, Rosenberg Clemency Appeal. It is shockingly apparent that with the new administration of Dr. Robert Arnott, that Berkeley has turned sharply to the left. Dr. Loomer will find a congenial environment in Berkeley. Copies of the book may be had for \$3.00 by writing to CBF, 2561 North Clark Street, Chicago 14, Illinois. Dr. Charles A. Hauser, Jr., will address Oakland Republican Assembly on Dec. 1, at Piedmont Elementary School in Oakland.

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..Atrocities by Viet Cong. Dr. Billy Graham told his Denver audience recently that the Viet Cong "seek out the Christian leaders in the villages, cut their tongues out, gouge out their eyes and horribly mutilate their victims". Their behavior is that of "primitive men in a jungle". (CBA of A News)

..Read the Bible through. Isaiah 41 - Isaiah 63.

..December Missionary Birthdays. Dec. 4. Kyle Hansen will be 5 years old, Casilla de Correo 1771, Montevideo, Uruguay. Dec. 11- John Simmons, Universidad de las Americas, Km 16, Carretera Mexico-Toluca, Mexico 10, D.F., Mexico. Dec. 14- Johnathan Hagen will be 2 years old. Box 29, Wakkanai, Hokkaido, Japan. Dec. 17- Randy Simmons will be 3 years old. Complete list of birthdays and addresses of these worthy WCBM missionaries, available at WCBM, 2561 No. Clark St., Chicago 14, Ill.

..Special Thanksgiving Service, Thurs., at 10 a.m. in the Chapel. Dr. Charles A. Hauser Jr. will bring the message: "The Sacrifice of Praise". Dave Morrison will lead singing. Men's quartette will sing. The President's Proclamation will be read. Missionary offering will go to the San Francisco Baptist Seminary. Several ministers will be present. Other churches are invited.

..The Christian public is invited to the very timely lectures by Dr. Robert W. Myrant next week at the San Francisco Baptist Seminary daily at 10:15 am., Tues. through Friday, on the subject: "The Church and the Churches". Dr. Myrant is Prof. of English Bible at Central Baptist Seminary and pastor of Faith Baptist Church of St. Paul.

..We congratulate Bethel Baptist Church of Fremont who dedicated their new building at 4761 Baine Avenue on Sunday afternoon. Pastor John Doolittle is to be commended for his faithful ministry over the years.

..A unique salvation Christmas card incorporating the very successful Ford Porter tract- "God's Simple Plan of Salvation", is available in attractive form. Available from Berean Gospel Distributors, Box 891, Indianapolis 46206. Box of 15 - \$4; Box of 50- \$10. Name in gold- \$2.50 for 50.

..Western Baptist Bible College will present their Christmas music, Tues., Dec. 7 at 8 pm featuring Concert Band, String Ensembles, Christmas chorus. Hill and Elm St., El Cerrito.

..Contributions through the Church this past week: Mr. and Mrs. M.U. Blake, Mr. and Mrs. E. Fortini, Mrs. Bertha Corbett, Mrs. Edith Harrell, Mrs. Eleanor Gregg, J. C. Gillivan, Don McCammond, Mrs. Alma Rutter, Wm. D. Osborne, W.H. Kennedy.

..H.S. Dept. wants to locate seniors and have embarked on a little program by offering free tickets to the S.F. Warriors basketball game on Dec. 2 with the Cincinnati Royals to every 12th grader who attends the SS Dept. next Sunday. Please help by providing dollar tickets to Charles Baker.

..You can help Blu-Print Editor a great deal by sending him the Saturday church pages of distant metropolitan papers. We would like Seattle, Portland, Phoenix, Atlanta, St. Louis, Kansas City, etc.

..Dr. John R. Rice, who wields one of the mightiest pens in the 20th Century with over 25 million copies of his books and booklets distributed world-wide, will celebrate his 70th birthday on Dec. 11. His address: Box 1099, Murfreesboro, Tenn. 37131.

..Bishop Kennedy is a universalist. The General Chairman of the Graham Los Angeles Crusade was quoted in a UEA Editorial of the NAE on Aug. 15, 1951: "A few weeks ago Bishop Gerald Kennedy of the Methodist Church, addressing the California-Arizona Annual Conference, said: 'Speaking of eternal punishment or an everlasting state of agony for the wicked, I can say that I am sure that God is at least as good and merciful as men. I certainly would not banish any man to a place of punishment forever because of his faults or his state of mind when he left this life. I am sure that God is not less fair or merciful than I'".

..Billy Graham's endorsing wire of Bishop Kennedy is carried in Shreveport "Times" for March 7, 1965: "Congratulations on selecting Bishop Kennedy to conduct your evangelistic mission of love with Bill Mann leading the music. We know and respect these men very highly. May God give you a time of spiritual renewal". Check II John 9-11.

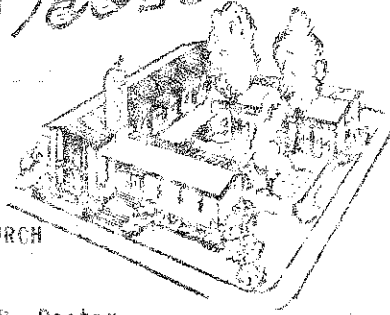
..One of the basic weaknesses of ecumenical evangelism is seen right here. A poor sinner cannot get into the Inquiry Room of the Crusade unless he believes the gospel the evangelist preaches. BUT an apostate minister can get on the platform and help run the meeting and deny every doctrine which the evangelist proclaims. Bishop Kennedy has been a contributor to Decision magazine. (Feb. 1964) He also brought a series of addresses at Fuller Seminary.

..Where is Northwestern College going? An immediate explanation to alumni across the country should be forthcoming from Northwestern officials concerning their ecumenical tie-up. A recent Minneapolis paper showed a picture of three students. Underneath: "Student leaders from nine Twin Cities colleges attended a leadership training retreat during the weekend at St. Croix at Hudson, Wis...The program was sponsored by the Inter-Collegiate Co-ordinating Committee. Augsburg, Bethel, Concordia (St. Paul), Hamline, Macalester, Northwestern, the College of St. Catherine, St. Paul Bible and the College of St. Thomas are members of this intercollegiate group". Two of these are Catholics and several are liberal colleges.

..Using Jesus in support of VDC March ... Robt. Callagy, 33, who scrambled atop a Santa Fe Diesel locomotive on a recent "train-in" in Emeryville, wrote recently to CATHOLIC WORKER Editor Dorothy Day: "The value of disobeying the law for others' edification springs primarily from the fact of making oneself vulnerable, as Christ did in the Incarnation...Civil disobedience of this kind is a sort of desperate way of achieving this vulnerability". (Toscin, Nov. 18, 1965). He was vulnerable all right. He was arrested twice in recent Oakland Army Base sit-ins.

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## TEN BAPTIST MINISTERS BACK THE PRESIDENT IN CALLING FOR DAY OF PRAYER

On Saturday Dr. Carl G. Howie, Calvary Presbyterian Church of San Francisco, led 22 Presbyterian ministers of the area in rebuking President Johnson for designating Sunday as a day of prayer for our brave forces fighting in South Viet Nam against the Communists. They criticized him for praying for the anti-Communist forces and declared "Our God is not a national resource". The statement got big coverage in all media and even reached Bill Moyer down on the Ranch on the Pedernales. Dr. Howie was General Chairman of the 1958 Cow Palace Crusade. We were glad to see that the metropolitan Sunday papers carried a statement by fundamental Baptists. The big caption: "Bay Clerics Split on Viet Prayer Day". It said: "Ten Bay area Baptist ministers ... raised their voices yesterday in firm support of President Johnson's designation of today as a day of prayer for anti-Communist forces in Vietnam"... The Examiner then carried the Baptist statement in full: "We declare that it is our conviction that God is the most important national resource we have, and we believe that President Johnson should be encouraged in calling upon the people of this Republic to lean heavily upon God for guidance and strength in this time of grave national crisis. If there was ever a cause that was right and just in the long history of this Nation, it is the present struggle, so selflessly undertaken, to help the people of South Vietnam retain their independence and their freedom. We hold that since our forces are in a death struggle with the most monstrous form of brutality and slavery history has known that we should pray for total and complete victory". Signers included: Dr. G. Archer Weniger, Oakland; Dr. Eugene J. Petersen, Castro Valley; Dr. H.O. Van Gilder, Los Gatos; Dr. Roy H. Austin, San Francisco; Dr. Charles Hauser, Pacifica; Pastor Herbert Hoover, Oakland; Dr. H. La Vern Schafer, Pacifica; Dr. Arno Q. Weniger, San Francisco; Dr. Kenneth I. Smith, Fremont; and Donald V. Davis of Richmond.

..Dr. Lehman Strauss will lecture at the San Francisco Baptist Seminary on the Book of Ephesians from December 7 thru 17, daily, Monday thru Friday, 10 a.m., until noon each day. movement or institution. 9. Complete capture of movement by the infiltration".

## HOW THE NEW MISSION SOCIETY GOT STARTED

The World Conservative Baptist Mission, which is a growing society enjoying the increasing confidence of a wider number of churches constantly, had its beginning in the demand by churches that something must be done. For example, the Sacramento Central Baptist "Vision" for August 1961 (edited by Brother John Berentschot) carried a strong endorsement that a new society is needed. "It is no wonder that the Conservative Baptist Association of Colorado Council passed a motion in which it is making a petition to the Conservative Baptist Fellowship to give serious study to the formation of a new mission society which will be distinctly pre-millennial and doctrinally pure in its missionary endeavors. When 186 messengers refuse to insert the word 'premillennial' into the doctrinal statement of our mission societies, a question arises in the minds of many as to where to turn. When leaders in our movement publicly take the floor at a National CBA meeting calling the premillennial return of our Lord a "fine point of eschatology" and we "do not want this beloved truth to become the test of fellowship", it is time something is done."

SAD TRENDS OF HISTORY. The "Beth Eden Baptist" for April 3, 1960 had an excellent analysis: "The history of the decadence of Baptist institutions has been the same in every decade and in every specific case. Fundamentalists, Bible believers, high and strong principaled ones build. Modernists, liberals and neos have never builded anything. They must wait until others have builded and then move in to occupy. Their process of 'taking over' follows the same pattern always. Following is the pattern of their infiltration: 1. Institutions are founded by those of high and positive principles. 2. Infiltration is made by those holding weaker or different principles. 3. Appeal is made for toleration toward the infiltration of the basis of 'Christian love' is made. 4. Infiltrators' protestations of love accepted as sincere. 5. General acceptance of the infiltration as a legitimate opposition party within the movement or institution. 6. Opposition to the infiltration interpreted as lack of 'Christian love'. 7. Substitution of the infiltration position as the accepted position of the movement or institution. 8. Elimination of those holding the original position from leadership and official position in the (opp.co)D

## LOCAL CHURCH DEVELOPMENTS

..Missionary John Simmons writes from Mexico City: "The desire for news of our movement and related areas caused me to read all the 'Blu-Prints' at one sitting... Mexico City has some fifty Baptist churches and missions. It is estimated that there are less than 200 gospel preaching churches in this city of 6 million... Please express our appreciation to the church for their financial and prayer support over these many months."  
..Read the Bible through.. Isaiah 64 - Jeremiah 20.

..A heart-warming Thanksgiving Service was held last Thursday morning, filling the Chapel; with an excellent Biblical message by Dr. Charles A. Hauser Jr., of the Seminary. A missionary offering of \$101 was received for the Seminary.

..Contributions through the Church Office Mr. and Mrs. Ron Prang, Mr. and Mrs. John Lucy, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Fortini, Edith Lightfoot, Henry Olson, W.H. Kennedy, Ron Storz, Hazel Shimanek, V.E. Eikenberry, Mr. Erbie Eison, Howard Rainey

..Birthdays for December..(1) Robert Craft, Arlene Pandolf, Frank Zapata; (2) Mrs. Frances Roberson; (4) Shirley Gilbertson, Mrs. Jean Silva, Diana Burgess; (5) Lola Fry, Ailene Wong, Scott Martin; (6) Clark Bell, JoAnn Bonjorno, Richard Rollins; (7) Kyle Pemberton, Mrs. Ramona Raske; (8) Patty Silva; (10) Barbara Rollins; (11) Mrs. Helen Foster, Sheryl Rinker, Mark Krauss; (12) Neill Fisher; (13) Steve Thompson; (15) Mrs. Ruth Clifton; (18) Amanda Lopez, Wenda Rayham; (20) Dwight Weniger; (22) Mrs. Hazel Westfall; (23) Mrs. Dorothy McDonald; (25) Gene Strohallen; (27) Mrs. Florence Cunningham (31) Mrs. Ruth Stoker, Mrs. Violet Kennedy, Mrs. Kay Malloy. If we have missed any, please call the Church office.

..Thursday Visitation Program, Dec. 2, 7-9 p.m., with report and refreshment hour at the Church at 9 p.m. with Mr. and Mrs. Stephens in charge.

..The Ordination of Roger A. Moore, son of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Moore of our Church will take place this Friday evening, Dec. 3, 7:45 p.m. at the Grace Baptist Church of Walnut Creek at 1320 Locust Street. Bruce Parker, pastor. Sermon by Pastor John Bellshaw of West Sacramento.

..All high school seniors, plus basketball players, and all Lifebuilders, will leave the Church at 7:15 p.m. on Thurs., Dec. 2 to see the S.F. Warriors-Cincinnati Royals professional basketball game at Oakland Auditorium. Tickets for H.S. - \$1; General Admission- \$2.

..S.S. Officers and workers meeting, Fri. Dec. 3 at the Church at 7:30 pm, with Supt. Finis Lyles in charge. Hazel Gillespie will take the roll. The Pastor will have an analysis to present. Charles Baker is the speaker. Plans are being perfected for the Christmas program for Dec. 22.

..The funeral of Dr. C. Oscar Johnson on Monday was attended by the Pastor accompanied by Dr. Arno Q. Weniger and Prof. J. Richard Muntz. About 350 attended, including several leaders of the ABC and Baptist World Alliance. Dr. Johnson was no ally of the Fundamentalists in the struggles which brought the CBFMS into being in 1943. As a member of the Committee for NBC, he urged dissolve of CBFMS.

## INTERCHURCH NEWS FOR CONSERVATIVES

..Some are wondering if Warren Webster, faculty lecturer at Fuller Seminary, is being groomed as next General Director of the CBFMS. He is being featured widely in places where he gets maximum exposure. He is a strong advocate of integration of CBA churches.

..Bishop James Pike in Paris indicated last Wednesday "that he thought military intervention by Britain would be the best way to end the Rhodesian crisis". He was reported in the Tribune of Nov. 25, "I don't think a shot would have to be fired if Britain sent a big military force". Pike plans to visit Rhodesia, but he would have little chance unless Rhodesian leaders eliminate security requirements. Strange how leftwing clergy can see moral necessity for military force in Rhodesia, but not in Viet Nam, Cuba, and the Dominican Republic.

..Lyndon B. Johnson was immersed in the Padernales River in July 1923 when he was 14 years old and joined the Christian church in Johnson City. His grandfather, Sam Johnson, was a Baptist but later became a Christadelphian. His father and mother were Baptists. His wife is an Episcopalian. One daughter is a Roman Catholic. He attends St. Mark's Episcopal at 3rd and A Streets more than any other. The Disciples, of which he is a member, are very liberal religiously.

..American Council of Christian Churches of California meet Thursday and Friday, Dec. 2 and 3 at First Baptist Church, 1616 West St., Woodland. Frank Emmitte, host pastor. Theme: "Biblical Faith in an Ecumenical Age". Speakers: Dr. Fred Brock, Dr. Marion Reynolds, Lee Webb, Edwin Conn, Dr. Robt. Kofahl, Don Lamber-son, Frank Emmitte, Whitt Woodard, and others.

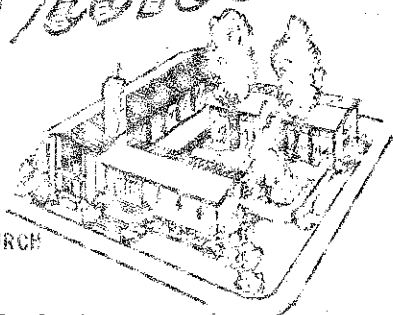
..The NAE paper reported founding of CBA of Northern California, in the issue dated April 1, 1949 and should be read by our Pastors: "Great enthusiasm prevailed as 167 delegates and observers from Conservative Baptist churches of Northern California at Hamilton Square Baptist Church, San Francisco, March 1 for an all-day session in a constitutional convention. The Convention was called to order by G. Archer Weniger, Twenty-Third Avenue Baptist Church, Oakland, with Paul Horn, Elmhurst Baptist, Oakland as Secretary. A constitution was finally adopted permitting Bible-believing churches to affiliate with the CBA of Northern California 'without regard to other affiliations of those churches'". Some would change this and deprive the churches of their autonomous rights.

..Father John D. Shanahan, Catholic Chaplain at UC Medical Center, attending the recent Reform Judaist convention in San Francisco as an invited observer, was quoted in the Chronicle for Nov. 19, 1965: "Basically our goal is still the nonversion of all men to the Catholic Church... There is no point in playing footsie about it.. This is still the goal of the Catholic Church".

..A Unitarian Minister addressed the Viet Nam Day Committee rally in Oakland on Nov. 20 after their march from Berkeley. An identified Communist, the Rev. Stephen Fritchman of Los Angeles demanded an end to "this escapation of napalm hell".

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## DR. LEHMAN STRAUSS HERE SUNDAY EVENING

One of the outstanding teachers of the English Bible in our country will minister in our pulpit this coming Lord's Day evening at 7 p.m. with the coming of Dr. Lehman Strauss. He is currently lecturing at the San Francisco Baptist Seminary. He is one of the most appreciated teachers on the Bible conference circuit. He served for 10 years as the first pastor of the Calvary Baptist Church of Bristol, Pennsylvania, followed by a successful pastorate at the large Highland Park Baptist Church of Detroit. He served eight years in biblical instruction at the Philadelphia School of the Bible, from which he also graduated. His training was taken at Brown Preparatory School, PSB, King's College, and work at Eastern Seminary. He has appeared in 20 of the leading Bible conferences and on the platform of numerous colleges and seminaries. He is the author of several outstanding books on exposition published by Loizeaux Brothers. Our Church is most fortunate in having him.

PASTOR RAY AMES NOW WITH THE LORD  
Hearts are saddened along the West Coast in learning of the death of Pastor Ray Ames on Saturday, Dec. 4, 1965 at Salem General Hospital from a stomach cancer. He was only 56 years of age. Service scheduled for Wednesday at 1 p.m. at Salem Heights Baptist Church. Brother Ames served as pastor at Lents Baptist in Portland, Somerton, Arizona and at Bayshore Baptist of San Francisco. He was President of the Bay Area Conservative Baptist Minister's Fellowship on Thurs., March 6, 1958 when a formal resolution was passed calling for a Committee of Incorporators be formed to establish the San Francisco Baptist Seminary. He served on the Seminary Board before moving to Oregon. His brother ministers held him in high esteem. Our sympathy is extended to Mrs. Ames in her sorrow. Her address: 3417 - 4th St. S., Salem, Oregon

They want to hang on to Jesus while discarding God. Dr. Wm. Hamilton, ABC Seminary professor, wrote in Christian Century of Oct. 6, 1965: "Not all of the radical theologians 'dig' Jesus and Christology, but all are aware that some means must be found to stake out our claim to be Christians. Attention to Jesus does this for me. I insist that the time of the death of God is also the time of obedience to Jesus. This entails a claim that the New Testament Jesus can in fact be known, that a figure of sufficient clarity is available to us so that discipleship to him - to his life, his word and his death - is a possible center for Christian faith and life. The Christian is defined, therefore, as the man bound (and't on back)

## LATEST DEVELOPMENTS IN THE MOVEMENT OF CHRISTIAN ATHEISM IN SCHOOLS OF RELIGION

Solid proof of the total depravity of man is seen in the new movement of Christian Atheism which is being developed by young radical theologians who occupy, for the most part, junior grade positions in universities of undergraduate instruction. It is strictly an American movement with roots deep in European apostasy, deriving its inspiration from unbelievers such as Nietzsche, Kierkegaard, and Bonhoeffer. It differs from the old atheism which said God never was. This says that God once existed but he recently died. The debate makes the old Modernist-Fundamentalist controversy seem like child's play.

Dr. Thomas J.J. Altizer of Emory University in Atlanta, announced that his next book is entitled: "The Gospel of Christian Atheism". Letters demanding the dismissal of Dr. Altizer have been pouring in to Emory University, which is presently trying to raise \$25 million for an expensive program. Coca Cola Executive Wm. R. Bowdoin, university trustee, said: "I wish he'd leave and leave promptly". Retired Methodist Bishop Arthur J. Moore said there is no place in a Methodist college "for a man who denies the basic tenets of that faith". The trouble is that Altizer has tenure and cannot be fired.

Pressure for Altizer's dismissal have been stoutly resisted by University President Dr. Sanford Atwood. The Atlanta Constitution for Nov. 11, 1965; Dr. Sanford said that Dr. Altizer "feels he has an idea worth discussing. He has the right to do so... There is no question of the university's stand on this issue... To be great we must support academic freedom... which originated with our forefathers. Our \$25 million building fund is not in danger if you and other alumni realize that the idea of academic freedom is pretty basic in this issue".

Influenced by Buddhism. Dr. Wm. R. Cannon, dean of Emory's Candler School of Theology, defended academic freedom, and while Dr. Altizer taught in the university rather than the divinity school, he said: "Dr. Altizer is an analytical student of comparative religion and has been influenced by Buddhism, one form of which is a religion without God". Presbyterian Journal, Nov. 17, 1965.

## LOCAL CHURCH DEVELOPMENTS

..Miss Vera Mack, WCBM Missionary to Japan, will be on the West Coast for deputation invitations to the churches, this month through February. She can be reached through Dr. Kenneth Smith, 4737 Mayfield Dr., Fremont, Calif. 656-2953 (415 Area) or 656-2681. She is a product of Pillsbury College and California State College.

..Read the Bible through.. Jeremiah 21 - Jeremiah 43.

..Contributions through the Church Office Miss Nettie Guiwits, Howard Rainey, Mrs. W.B. Miller, C.D. Cox, Erbie Olson, Arthur Coats, Mrs. Z.G. McDonnel, Mrs. M.O. Sanford, Dr. Fred C. Schwarz, Ann Wemett.

..Work Day Saturday at the Church for able-bodied men to help prepare and pour 85 feet of sidewalk on the 16th Avenue side of the Church property, this Saturday any time after 7 a.m. David Martin and Ray Gutierrez will provide the professional leadership.

..Christmas Youth Party for the Junior High Training League, this Friday, Dec. 10 at 7:30 p.m. at the Church. This is for grades 6-7-8. Mrs. Irene A. Weniger is the counselor.

..Each Sunday School Department is decorating for Christmas this week. The High School issues a challenge to all others to equal theirs. The Primary Dept. has a "White Christmas" look. The Sunday School Christmas program is scheduled for Wed., Dec. 22, 7:30 p.m.

..For your year end gifts, be sure to give to institutions which merit your confidence. Your own Church is one of the most faithful and worthy objectives. We can also suggest the San Francisco Baptist Seminary. The Pastor is available to discuss this matter with anyone about either objective.

..We anticipate some complaining when the Blu-Print is terminated and stencils are lifted, but receiving the Blu-Print is not a "civil right" of anyone. Several hundred are receiving it for free. The lists are so large that we cannot continue sending it to those who are indifferent toward it. Please inform us if you do not wish to receive it.

..WCBM Missionary Peter Slobodian will be in Northern California for the month of January to look over the possibility of being permanently located here for work among the thousands of Slavic people and for deputation among the churches. Contact Dr. Lee Long, 2561 North Clark St., Chicago, Ill., 60614 for details.

..The next Bay Area CBA Ass'n. meets Fri. Jan. 14 at Calvary Baptist in San Francisco, with CBFMS Missionary Sam Pittman as speaker, as well as Pastor Willis Alfors. Dr. Ralph Wilson is being invited to address the evening Youth Rally.

..A Grand New Year's Service complete with interesting film, enjoyable games, delicious refreshments, excellent speaker, warm hearted devotional service, ending with a candlelight communion service for Dec. 31 being planned by the Deacons. Pastor Jose Mandorlao will speak.

..Open Door Mission, Tues. Dec. 14, 8 p.m. at 7th and Oak Streets. The speaker is Dr. R.M. McLain. Mrs. J.W. Stephens will play her accordian. Dave Morrison and Don Wickstrom will sing. Sponsored by the Men's Dept. of the S.S. for the entire Church.

## INTERCHURCH NEWS FOR CONSERVATIVES

..Lehman Strauss lectures on Ephesians .. a rich opportunity to systematically and exhaustively cover a great Book, at the San Francisco Baptist Seminary Chapel, this week and next, daily, Tuesday thru Friday, from 10 a.m. until noon. Open to the Christian public at no cost.

..Dr. Mitchell Seidler's address on "The Dangers of Conventionism" will be reproduced in The North Star Baptist, a grand monthly paper edited by Dr. M. James Hollowood, 2302 Blaisdell Ave., Minneapolis 4, Minnesota. \$1 per year. The address was given at the recent Central Regional Conference of the CBA.

..A sometime Graham Crusade team member, Lutheran pastor Ross F. Hidy stated a large interfaith ecumenical Hymn Sing last Sunday at 4 p.m. at St. Mark's Lutheran Church, with invitations sent to Roman Catholic parishes.

..The "Let Freedom Ring" number is 524-0141. With all of the intense leftwing criticism of this development, one can dial for himself and determine whether this is a legitimate weapon in the cold war or whether it is a base tactic.

..Those who profess "mainstream" ideology please take notice: Dr. Wm. Hamilton wrote in the Christian Century, Oct. 6, 1965: "Mainstreams are notoriously hard to locate, and perhaps one should least trust as a guide the man who claims to stand in one himself". The opportunistic pirates who climb on board and take over an ecclesiastical ship often dress themselves up as "The Mainstream".

..Dr. H. La Vern Schafer is the first professor on the faculty of the San Francisco Baptist Seminary to become a grandfather. A boy, Michael Lee, 8 lbs. 8 ozs. was born on Saturday, Dec. 4 in Salem, Oregon to Mr. and Mrs. Ron Schafer.

..Dr. Joost Sluis, famous San Francisco orthopedic surgeon, will be serving as a surgeon in Vietnam for December, through February. This selfless service of this noble Christian should be highly commended. This Harvard and MIT trained medical scientist will be studying the Communist situation carefully in that unhappy land.

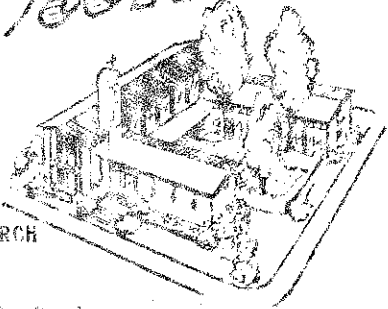
..Dr. Kenneth I. Smith, who has been building a phenomenal work at Calvary Baptist in Fremont, announced recently that Alex Lackey had resigned as assistant to take full-time work at San Francisco Baptist Seminary and is now associated at Calvary Baptist in S.F. Kenneth Morgan Pemberton is now leading their Choir.

..Good news from Japan separatists.. Fundamental Baptist churches taking a separatist position in Japan gathered on Nov. 23 at Tokyo Bible Center. 142 were present from fourteen churches, some coming from 700 miles. Not one church connected with CBFMS missions was present, nor from ABWE. Most were independent or Mid-Missions.

..The first council of churches to have a Roman Catholic President developed when Father Vincent O'Shaughnessy of St. John the Baptist Catholic Churches was elected head of the Chico Area Council of Churches. (con't from front) to Jesus, obedient to him and obedient as he was obedient".

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BETHEL SEMINARY SCHEDULES SERIES OF NOTED  
MODERNISTS FOR CONVOCATION PROGRAMS

Godly leaders of the Baptist General Conference will have to act fast if their great educational center is not to be lost irrevocably to liberalism. A series of modernists have been scheduled in the past at Bethel including Dr. Theo. Adams, Dr. Luther Weigle, Dr. Benjamin Mays, Dr. K.S. Latourette, Dr. Frank Laubach, Dr. Bruce Metzger, W.D. Camobell, Nels Ferre, Martin Luther King. Now on Jan. 18, 1966 none other than Dr. D. Eiton Trueblood. His topic: "The Achievement of Integrity". Others are Dr. Warren Quanbeck and Dr. James H. Burtness, both Lutherans. Convocation chairman is Dr. Robert Mounce, whose writings have been branded as sympathetic toward neo-orthodox thought. ..Marxian ideology rooted in the Bible.. Before Marietta College on April 16, 1951, Dr. Trueblood said: "Karl Marx's statement 'From each according to his ability to each according to his need' - where did he get it? From Jesus, from the New Testament, from the apostles. The teaching is a central theme running through the whole of the New Testament". Baptist Bulletin, June 1954, p. 10. ..His friends call him a Neo-Liberal.. The Christian Century of May 28, 1958, describes Dr. Trueblood's position as that of "neo-liberalism" (p. 647). In his book "Philosophy of Religion" he states: "The appeal to revelation is not and cannot be a final appeal". (p. 30). ..Biblical convictions are noble but impotent.. Dr. Chester Tulga described Dr. Trueblood as "a liberal writer" in a quotation in his book "The Case Against the Social Gospel" (p. 20), showing Dr. Trueblood's indifference toward Biblical doctrine and ethics. Trueblood says: "Here, then, is our predicament. We have inherited precious ethical convictions that seem to us to be profound, central and essential. But they have a curious inefficacy. They are noble, but they are impotent". (The Predicament of Modern Man, 1944, p. 51). ..An unbiblical basis for morality.. Dr. Trueblood offers a non-biblical basis for morality. In "Foundations for Reconstruction" (p. 199) he states that "reverence for persons is the ultimate basis of all morality". Dr. Tulga comments: "This is humanism. Sacredness no longer belongs to God alone but is associated with the divine man".

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ABC PRESIDENT REJECTS SOLE AUTHORITY

American Baptist Convention President, Dr. Robert G. Torbet, is quoted in Bethel Seminary Quarterly of May 1961, "Christians have not been agreed as to the focus of authority...For some, the Bible actually became an ultimate authority to be worshipped". The Baptist viewpoint is that the Bible is the ultimate and final authority. Isa. 8:20; Psa. 138:2. Dr. Torbet continues at Bethel Fall lectures: "The newest, yet oldest answer, is that authority is to be found in Jesus Christ (John 6:68). This is the ultimate authority which gives meaning and often correction to penultimate authorities such as the Bible and the Church. Our ultimate authority is not a book, or an institution, or a creed, but a Living Person, the incarnate Son of God". This is the deceptive teaching of neo-orthodoxy. Christ cannot be separated from His Word. We have no trustworthy Christ except through a trustworthy Word.

CHRISTMAS DEVELOPMENTS AT OUR CHURCH

..The Pastor's Christmas Message will be delivered next Sunday morning at 11 am, on the subject: "Who Were Expecting the Savior to Come?" The Church Choir will sing under the direction of David Morrison. The soloist will be Barbara Rollins. ..Christmas Youth Breakfast for high school and college age youth, next Sunday, Dec. 19 at 7:45 a.m. at Sambo's Restaurant on the Oakland waterfront at Jack London Square. Bring your friends. ..Sunday School Christmas Program, Wed., Dec. 22 at 7:30 p.m. in the Lower Auditorium. Seven departments will have part with the high school group presenting their play entitled, "The Christmas Skeptic", with Dave Morrison directing. Boxes of candy for all the children-free. Bring White Christmas gifts of food supplies, nicely wrapped to be placed under the tree for a worthy recipient. ..The combined Chinese Choirs of the Oakland and San Francisco Baptist Churches will present the "Messiah" under the direction of Paul Chang, this Friday, Dec. 17 at 8 p.m. in our Main Auditorium. Everyone is invited. Dr. Gordon R. Lewis, of Denver Seminary had an article in the October 1965 issue of "Foundations" of the American Baptist Convention. Consulting Editor- Dr. W. W. Hamilton, one of the radical theologians of the new Christian Atheism movement.

..Thursday Visitation Program.. 7-9 p.m. with report hour in the Lower Auditorium at 9 p.m.

Read the Bible through..Jeremiah 44 - Ezekiel 9.

Workday this coming Saturday.. All able bodied men are urged to report for work this Saturday to finish the job of laying a considerable amount of sidewalk on 16th Avenue. Contrator David Martin is supervising the entire job, assisted by Clarence Lambert and Ray Gutierrez.

.."The Book of the Revelation" by Dr. Lehman Strauss is the best, the latest, and most readable commentary on the last book of the Bible we have seen published on this side of the Atlantic. It contains 380 pages, 26 chapters, excellent outlines, complete Scriptural index. Wilbur M Smith says: "In my own opinion this is the most helpful volume for the introductory study of Revelation that has appeared during the twentieth century". Order from the S.F. Baptist Seminary.

..Mr. and Mrs. Ron Prang have been attending the CRA Church in St. James, Minn., where Ron has been helping out with the music. Brother Fullmer is the Pastor. Employment will keep them from coming home for Christmas from Pillsbury College.

..Reporting for work last week; David Martin, Carl Olson, Erwin Friedrich, Bill Clifton, Chuck Baker, Emory Stoker, Dave Morrison, Clarence Lambert, Dan Martin, Scott Martin, Brad Martin.

..Contributions through the Church Office Mr. and Mrs. M.U. Blake, F. John Carter, Clyde Flick, Howard Robinson, W.H. Rogers, Edith Harrell, Ed Fortini, Nora Holley, Florence Cunningham, Ron Prang, Lucille Watkins, A friend, Dean Bellshaw, Garland Kincaid, Henry Sorenson, T.R. Motsinger, Don Howard, J.R. Anglea, G.R. Carswell, Dr. George Winslow

..Christmas evening of music, next Lord's Day at 7 pm at our Church, with our Church Choir presenting their musicale- "Down From His Glory", with Dave Morrison directing and Ann Voogd at the Organ. Soloists include: Cheri Black, Barbara Rollins, Ruth Barnes, Ruth Edwards, Clarence Hallert, Dwight Allen.

..Dr. Monroe Parker is coming for meetings at our Church, Jan. 16-23. The former president of Pillsbury College is in heavy demand as an evangelist. Let us earnestly pray, not only for him, but for our own hearts to be softened toward the Gospel.

..Romebuilders Christmas Social dinner, Sat., Dec. 18 at 6:30 pm at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Bellis, 183 Madelia Place, Dublin.

..The special Christmas offering has been designated for certain property improvements and advances around the Church, including an additional bus if a sufficient amount comes in. The cost of cement for the sidewalks will be included.

..An excellent Christmas gift.. One of the choice books compiled by Dr. John R. Rice is the large and beautiful book, "Heart-Warming Poems" containing 742 poems by over 310 authors which will inspire, bless, entertain, and comfort God's people. It is \$5 from the Sword Publishers, Box 1099, Murfreesboro, Tenn. 37131.

(con't. from front) ..Trueblood glorifies Mohammed..Dr. Donald Gray Barnhouse quotes the Voice of America bulletin of Oct. - Nov. 1957 celebrating the 143th birthday of Mohammed. "Following the religion of Christ does not prevent us from considering the life and teachings of the prophet of Islam with amazement and praise. It is suitable that in our own society, which includes the followers of various religions, we should glorify the prophet of Islam. If we bear in mind that all the great religions of the world essentially encourage people to the worship of God and to good works, and that every individual person of the human race sees the truth only from his limited viewpoint, we discover how much better it is that the truth shine forth from different shrines and become the lamps on the path of God's humanity".

..Dr. Trueblood has disqualified himself. Dr. Barnhouse had a stinging lead editorial in "Eternity" for June 1957 exposing Dr. Trueblood in which he said, "Dr. Trueblood has disqualified himself to speak in the name of Christ by such an outrageous blunder... Whatever claim Elton Trueblood may have to spiritual leadership, he certainly does not speak for Christianity when he uses it to curry favor among the peoples of the Middle East".

..Tongues at Fuller Seminary..The "Trinity Times" for Nov. 1965, a tongues promotional sheet stated: "Dr. Philip Hughes, an eminent Anglican Theologian, author, and professor recently followed a speaker in a southern seminary who delivered a lecture on the cessation of spiritual gifts. I am told that Dr. Hughes, who has visited with us in our home, followed with an address on the charismata not only being for today but prominently manifesting itself in prayer groups throughout the Christian world. Also there is much interest in the seminaries. Fuller Theological Seminary is having an open discussion of the charismata this month".

..We made a mistake last week in giving the number for "Let Freedom Ring". It is 524-0140. We give it so people may aall and judge for themselves how subversive it is.

..Dr. Theodore A. Gill, president of San Francisco Presbyterian Seminary has been given a leave of absence for the rest of the school year. The reason given was health. Dr. Arnold B. Come is the new acting president. Dr. Gill has been a storm center of controversy ever since his editorial of April 2, 1958 in the Christian Century: "Who of us who make the virgin birth no part of our personal confession, however often liturgical obedience involves us in its public repetition...".

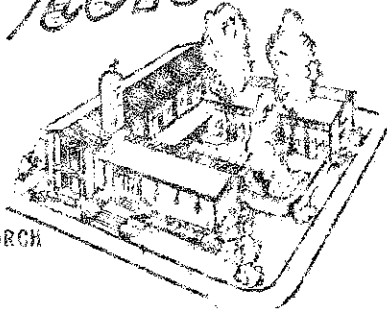
..Rabbi Maurice Eisendrath, who presided at the recent San Francisco convention of Reform synagogues, was quoted in Eternity magazine of Mar. 1964: "Needless to say, Jews never can and never will accept Jesus as the Messiah or as the Son of God. But, despite this constant reality, there is room for improved understanding and openness to change in interpreting Jesus as a positive and prophetic spirit in the stream of Jewish tradition".



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## THE MARXIAN THOUGHT OF BETHEL SPEAKER

Dr. Elton Trueblood, who is scheduled to speak at Bethel College and Seminary as an honored guest on January 18, 1966, states on page 29 of his book, "Foundations for Reconstruction"- "Communism as upheld by many of the Russian youth is also a religion, but instead of being wholly bad it has some good elements in it". In this book he quotes Nels Ferre's book "Return to Christianity", calling him "one of the most reliable thinkers of our time". In this book, Ferre states: "The social patterns of private profit are painfully destructive of the very basic ideas of a Christian society and must give way to a new social system". A family at meal is "ideal communism in practice" says Dr. Trueblood on page 76 of his book "The Common Venture of Life". On page 66 he states: "A mother, a father and little children conduct together an amazing experiment, often in marked contrast to the ways of the world for, in this tiny community, the harsh individualism of the ordinary struggle for existence is consciously and explicitly renounced. The rule is 'From each according to his ability and to each according to need'". We understand this very phase is in the heart of the Soviet constitution. He holds that if his concept of "Christian Communism" can be gotten across the iron curtain that it will "take the fire out of communism". Dr. R.T. Ketcham concluded in the Baptist Bulletin of June 1954: "...the facts can be established without question that Dr. Trueblood is modernistic in his religious views, pacifist in his views on the question of defense of this country and Marxian in his ideologies concerning our social order". Dr. Ketcham states further: "Dr. Trueblood's books show that he is thoroughly modernistic in his approach to the truths of the Gospel".

Dr. Martin R. DeHaan with the Lord .. The United Press of December 15 reported from Grand Rapids: "Dr. Martin R. DeHaan, a physician who gained national fame for his 'Raids Bible Class' died at his home here Monday. He was 74. The radio program founded by De Haan in 1938 is still heard on more than 600 stations in the United States, Canada and other countries". Dr. De Haan was a godly influence in this land and stood for the old-fashioned Gospel. He was probably the strongest preacher among evangelicals, when he appeared along this Coast, if we are to judge by the crowds who responded. He will be missed.

## MISSIONARY DEVELOPMENTS OF INTEREST

.. WCBM Missionary Peter Slobodian will be in Northern California beginning Sunday, Jan. 16 through the middle of February for deputation among churches and surveying the Bay Area as a possible field of home mission service among the Slavic-speaking people. His schedule will be handled by Mrs. Janice Baker, 600 Brooklyn Ave., Oakland, Calif. 94606. Phones: 534-5225 (Church); 444-5417 (home). The Slobodians need \$1600 yet on annual support.

.. Brother F. Wesley Clem, missionary to Mormon country under Baptist Mid-Missions will be in Northern California from mid-February through mid-March. The address of these good folk: 203 Ouray Ave., Grand Junction, Colo. 81501. 242-7501. (303).

.. A Dodge Dart automobile in immaculate condition is being provided for missionary Peter Slobodian free by one of the Calvary Baptist families in San Francisco. Dr. Roy Austin, Pastor.

.. Missionary Garland Kincaid will be in the Bay Area for one Sunday- Jan. 2, speaking at Calvary Baptist Church in San Francisco in the morning and at our Church in the evening. He is making an emergency trip from Mexico to San Diego to be with Dr. Tim La Haye's Church and to secure a house trailer. These are the only WCBM missionaries we have not had in our Church.

## VATICAN OBSERVER SPEAKS AT BETHEL

The Bethel Convocation Calendar of Bethel College and Seminary lists a World Council advocate and recent Vatican Council observer Dr. Warren Quanbeck as a speaker on May 5, 1966. He is a known liberal who is professor of systematic theology at Luther Theological Seminary in St. Paul. The Lutheran News of June 1, 1964 stated: "Quanbeck rejects the traditional Lutheran doctrine of the inspiration of the Bible. He claims that the doctrine of inspiration was formulated on the basis of an intellectual epistemology which assumed both the accessibility of truth to human investigation and the possibility of giving truth an adequate expression in propositional language". He apparently does not believe the apostles were inspired. In an LWF study document on Justification he stated on page 9, "Can the Old Testament, understood in the light of sound literary and historical studies, bear the kind of interpretation given it by the first disciples?" On page 31 he declares neo-orthodox (con't on back)

LOCAL CHURCH DEVELOPMENTS

..Christmas Caroling Thursday evening with the young people, Dec. 23. Meet at the Church at 6:30 pm or at Oak Knoll Naval Hospital entrance at 7 pm. Dave Morrison in charge. We will use the Church bus. The youth will sing carols for benefit of our wounded boys returning from Viet Nam at Oak Knoll.

..Read the Bible through.. Ezekiel 10 - Daniel 7.

..The Instrumental Ensemble played for the first time Sunday evening when the Choir presented a superb concert- "Down From His Glory". It consisted of Linda Morrison- clarinet; Sonja Weniger- Violin ; Bruce Strand- Violin; the Pastor- bassoon.

..The Pastor will have the privilege later this week to distribute gifts to some of the finest people in the world when he visits the elderly and shut-in friends of the Church. These are provided by the Board of Deaconesses of the Church, Mrs. Edith Mallett, chairman.

..Christmas Tract Distribution to the downtown crowds will be supervised by Dave Morrison with the young people giving out the true meaning of Christmas at the crowded intersections of this great western metropolis. The youth will meet at the Church on Fri., Dec. 24 at 1:30 p.m.

..Our Youth from College.. Don Lyles drove through from Pillsbury College with a group to Neeldes, from which he and Lois Doolittle (Pastor John Doolittle's daughter) rode up on the bus arriving early Monday, 1:30 am. Dwight Weniger came via Western last Friday. Ron and Lorna Prang remain in Owatonna because of employment. Gary Connally has a long vacation from Cal. Poly. Larry Reid arrived from Denver at the home of Richard Reid.

..Leaving for the Marines.. Rocky Gutierrez, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Gutierrez, leaves for the Marines on Jan. 5. Let us pray for him that the Lord will have full control of his life.

..Our White Cross Workers of the WMS made up and sent a number of Christmas "monkeys" for distribution by WCBM missionary, George Mensik to children of prisoners.

..Year-end gifts for the Lord Christ.. Many people are thinking about getting squared away with God in their giving in these closing days of 1965, both for spiritual reasons as well as Internal Revenue reasons. There is no more worthy, stable, consistent, economical objective to support than our Church or the San Francisco Baptist Seminary. Consult with the Pastor freely about either of these.

..Walter A. Williamson's funeral is scheduled for Thurs. at 11 am at Robinson's Chapel at 1901 Fruitvale Ave., with burial later in San Bruno. The Pastor will officiate. He died Sunday at Kaiser Hospital, after year of ill health. He is survived by wife Hazel and daughters Barbette Graves and Dorothy Affleck.

..Contributions through the Church.. Mr. and Mrs. James Cooper, Howard Rainey, Mr. and Mrs. Finis Lyles, Mr. and Mrs. M. U. Blake, Mrs. Hazel Westfall, Mr. and Mrs. Earvin Whaley, Mr. and Mrs. W.H. Gilbert, Mrs. F. John Carter, Clyde Flick, Mrs. Ollie Oliver, Mrs. B.R. Foy, Mrs. Thos. D. Hughes.

INTERCHURCH NEWS FOR CONSERVATIVES

..Dr. Herbert Jackson has been used by the American Baptist Convention in one-day orientation sessions for pastors according to the ABC Crusader of Dec. 1965 along with Torbet, Kutenber, Latourette, and Van Dusen. The Occasional Bulletin of March 15, 1961 quoted Dr. Jackson: " ... Christianity, if it hopes to 'stand' with the resurgent non-Christian religions, must ecumenicize its theology by drawing from the whole world and creating something entirely new, a system of Christian apprehension that will be intellectually respectable and appealing to the upper classes of people, and which can provide the foundations for new cultures that will evolve out of the contemporary world chaos".

..Pastor Walter Scott, wrote in the Ontario Temple Baptist Church newsletter of Dec. 19: "It is quite a jolt as I think of my last Christmas as your Pastor. He plans entering the field of evangelism the last of January.

..The S.F. Baptist Seminary could use a copy of the very latest 28 minute 35 mm full-color filmstrip- "Civil Riots, U.S.A" to add to its film library. Anyone wishing to make this film available to the Seminary contact the Pastor.

..The Silver Wedding Anniversary for Dr. and Mrs. H. La Vern Schafer, was celebrated at the Christmas party for the trustees and faculty of the Seminary last Friday evening in San Francisco. A beautiful silver set was presented by Dr. Arno Q. Weniger.

..Dr. C. Adrian Heaton, whose sister serves under CBFMS in Philippines, is president of the California Baptist Seminary at Covina and son of one of the most famous Fundamentalists- Dr. Charles A. Heaton. Dr Heaton was on a panel of educators at the Northern California State Baptist Convention (ABC) at Sunnyvale. The ABC Crusader of Dec. 1965 reported: "Dr. Heaton inferred that he was hoping to enroll some beatniks who would help to reform the church because he felt that the church was irrelevant to the needs of society". This is so horrifying that Dr. Heaton must have been mis-reported. The S.F. Baptist Seminary would only allow a converted beatnik to enroll- and minus his beard, sandals, and smell.

..Silver wedding congratulations to Dr. and Mrs. Max W. Weniger upon their 25th wedding anniversary which was celebrated on Sunday by their Church in South St. Paul, Minn. They have three grand children: Dennis, Jan and Bradley.

(cont'd from front) ideas that the Bible is but a record and a witness to the Word and not the Word itself. "The Holy Scriptures of the Old and New Testaments enshrine the prophetic and apostolic witness to Jesus the Word. Through the providential preparation of the Scripture God has given His Church the record of His redeeming actions, and the prophetic and apostolic interpretation of those actions as the very work of God". This is one of the most deceptive statements of neo-orthodoxy we have ever read. A favorite neo-orthodox position is to state that Christ is the Word, not the Bible. ..I see no business in life but in the work of Christ. Henry Martyn

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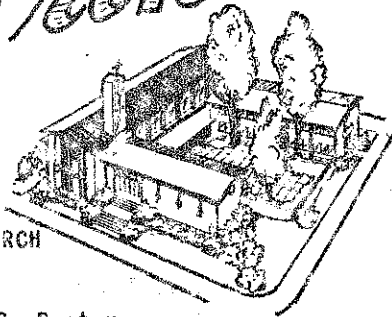
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## MORE DEVELOPMENTS IN THE FANTASTIC "DEATH OF GOD" MOVEMENT OF "CHRISTIAN" ATHEISTS

We'll believe this when it happens.. The Clarion-Ledger, a southern newspaper, of Dec. 18, 1965 reported: "Among those pressing for dismissal of Dr. Thomas J.J. Altizer, one of the 'God is dead' movement's outspoken pallbearers who is a professor at Methodist-owned Emory University in Georgia is retired Bishop of Atlanta Arthur J. Moore". This is so much talk until this professor gets the boot.

This Christian Atheistic Professor was defended by the official Methodist organ, "Christian Advocate" of Nov. 18, 1965. "...why does a Time report create such a stir when church officials, professors, and pastors have known for a number of years that we are in the midst of a theological revolution, which Altizer plays only one role?...The gap between the clergy and laymen in this country is vast, and in plain language we have done very little about it because we lacked the courage to be honest about our theological revolution. The Emory alumni who are offended by Dr. Altizer might as well realize that there is a growing contingent of ministers in this country... who are at least in sympathy with the basic intent of Dr. Altizer's theology, if not with his conclusions... Now we are in the midst of a theological revolution whose final implications are not yet apparent. We are way behind in preparing our people for what is ahead...The presence of the Altizers in our midst is the stimulant we badly need".

American Baptist Professor supported this atheist movement in a symposium at ABC Linfield College in McMinnville on Nov. 30, 1965. Dr. Robt. D. Peck, assistant professor of religion, was schooled at Berkeley Baptist Divinity School, Whitworth College and Pacific School of Religion. Dr. Peck based his message on an extensive, but yet unfinished paper he is preparing on the issue. Dr. Peck is registrar of Linfield. He joined the faculty of this ABC college in 1963. The auditorium was packed. The audience gave a thunderous applause to the debaters, which was very impressive, according to our informant. Dr. Peck's address was entitled: "The Plausability of the 'Death of God'".

We Wonder What these ABC leaders plan to do about the atheism which is being subsidized, supported, and defended in their

## THE BIGGEST NEW YEAR'S EVE WATCHNIGHT SERVICE WE'VE EVER HAD- FRIDAY, DEC. 31

It is with great joy that we invite you to one of the most important services in our Church, on Friday, Dec. 31 at 8 p.m. A Nursery will be held for the little folk with Gertie Sinz in charge. The fascinating sound-color film "Red River of Life" will be shown sharply at 8 pm on the Edith M. Johnson memorial projector. Games will then follow in the Lower Auditorium under direction of Dean Wm. G. Bellshaw with everyone participating. Refreshments will be served with Mrs. Lucille Lambert and her Social Committee. Music will be provided by Jose and Luci Mandorlao plus Walter Lindquist and his trombone. The devotional message will be by Pastor Jose Mandorlao from the Philippines. The friends from the Dublin First Baptist Church and Castro Valley Trinity Baptist Church as well as Metropolitan Baptist Church will be present. The Pastor will officiate at the Candlelight Communion service at 11:30 p.m. at which time the Choir will sing under direction of Dave Morrison. Those planning to come might call Mrs. Lambert at 638-9008 for their food assignments.

### WCBM MISSIONARY KINCAID SUNDAY P.M.

We are delighted to announce that WCBM Missionary Garland Kincaid is planning to be with us this coming Sunday evening, Jan. 2 at 7 pm at the Pastor's invitation. He is the only WCBM missionary we have not had in our Church. It is made possible because of an emergency holiday trip to San Diego from his field in Mexico. He will also speak at the Adult Training League at 6 pm. Everyone may meet him at the Singpiration Fellowship following the service. A special missionary offering will be received. They indicate they need a set of four special French tires for their car of rugged character. We estimate these will cost about \$100 each. Let us come prepared to associate ourselves with these young people in their sacrificial life for Christ by giving generously.

institutions at Linfield, where Dr. Robt. Peck is teaching, and at Colgate Rochester Divinity School where Dr. Wm. W. Hamilton is teaching. Modernism and liberalism, up to this point, has at least claimed some kind of a (con't. on back)

..Special meetings with Dr. Monroe Parker will begin on Sunday, Jan. 16 and last for one short week. Since we will have but seven short soul-winning days with this distinguished evangelist, we are asking God for 100 people who will bring 100 unsaved to hear the Gospel. Just one each, at least. Would you be one?

Read the Bible through.. Daniel 8 - Malachi 4.

..Contributions through our Church Office through the week: Miss Ann Mischnick, Mr. and Mrs. James R. Cooper, Howard Rainey, Cleveland Livingston, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Harper, Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Stephens, Albert McNeely, Raymond Guyer, M.A. McCone, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Lambert, Dr. R. M. McLain, Dean and Mrs. Wm. G. Bellshaw, Oral Yover, Winnifred Davidson, Robert Hibma.

..The Pastoral Epistles of Timothy will be the subject of some Bible study in depth led by the Pastor each Wednesday evening at 7 p.m., beginning this coming Wednesday. Those wishing to grow in grace and knowledge are urged to attend.

..Reporting for work on Wednesday to lay down an excellent cement sidewalk under supervision of Contractor David Martin: Clarence Lambert, C.W. Olson, Richard Rollins, Finis Lyles, Donald Anderson

..We are very grateful to everyone who takes the time to send us newspaper and magazine clippings of significant developments from all over the country, particularly the Saturday church pages from metropolitan papers.

..The first five S.S. Depts. last Sunday: 1. Men; 2. Jr.; 3. Jr. High and H.S.; 4. Primary; 5. Women.

..Your will and God's work... More and more Christians are giving serious thought to giving the Lord a central place in the making of their Will. We believe that our Church and the San Francisco Baptist Seminary are two institutions worthy of very generous consideration. If you do not have a reliable attorney, we can recommend one. The Pastor is available for counsel on such matters.

..We commend our county officials who are filing suit against the University of California for \$125,210 in costs brought on by the protest demonstrations which were conspired on the campus at U.C. The suit was approved unanimously by the five-man board of supervisors. This is in addition to the costs of the city for police costs.

..The Pastor has been invited to bring a major address at the World Baptist Congress on Oct. 3-6, 1966 at the Civic Auditorium in Grand Rapids, Michigan on the subject: "Baptists and the Ecumenical Movement". This is the same large auditorium seating 5,000 where Northern Baptists had their crucial 1946 Convention which was the turning-point for Baptists of the North.

..Mrs. Maurice Hodge, president of Greater Portland Council of Churches and former president of the American Baptist Convention, participated in a four-faith dialogue on Nov. 14, 1965, sharing the platform with Catholic Earl S. Douglas at Benson High School in Portland, Oregon Journal, Nov. 6, 1965.

..Some of our church meetings fail because they are not preprayered."

..Winning souls called unChristian... An AP dispatch from Miami Beach on Nov. 22, 1965: "Seeking to save an individual soul is not evangelism and is not even Christian for these times, the Methodist Council of Evangelism was told at a meeting. Old-time revivals were proper 'for other times', said Dr. Edmund Perry, professor of history and religion at Northwestern University. But, he told the 300 leaders at the national meeting, 'it is not Christian for today'. "It is no wonder that more and more discerning Methodists are separating from such apostasy and identifying themselves with Fundamentalist churches.

..Former Congressman Brooks Hays, ex-president of the Southern Baptist Convention, was recently appointed by the National Council of Churches as chairman of a new committee charged with evaluating the current Delta Ministry program and recommending future guidelines, according to the Clarion-Ledger of Dec. 18, 1965. This is the socialistic and agitational program of the NCC among the Negroes in the South.

..The Negro preacher C. Fain Kyle is in need of another car since his present auto (1952) recently suffered a complete breakdown. Maybe someone out there among the Blu-Print readers has a car to give to this leader in his work of freedom, law and order, and patriotism. He is a friend of the Pastor.

..Keep your car locked at all times when in Church. The UPI on Dec. 21 reported that 48,115 cars were stolen in November in the US. Six out of ten stolen were unlocked. Authorities expect over a half million to be stolen this year for the first time. It is quite obvious that man is not getting better, but worse. The Bible declares that man is a sinner, and in need of divine salvation.

..Congratulations to Indianapolis Pastor, Dr. Warren Dafoe and his wife, who were informed recently by their church that they were to be given a trip through the Holy Land with the Sword of the Lord tour Feb. 22 through March 15. Their Eagle-dale Baptist Church will be the site of the national meeting, June 8-10 for the Fundamentalist group of Conservative Baptists.

..Catholic Nun to teach Pastoral epistles Sister John Mary Lane of Maryhurst College began a series of six sessions at Trinity United Church in Portland on Nov. 10, 1965. She was to teach I and II Timothy and Titus. It was open to both Catholics and Protestants. Oregon Journal, Nov. 6 '65.

..The Bethel Seminary Convocation Speaker on Dec. 14, 1965 was Dr. James R. Burtness, theological professor at a Lutheran seminary in St. Paul. He is associate editor of "Dialog: a Journal of Theology", a rankly liberal paper. The distinguished editor of the Lutheran News, Herman Otten, wrote on Dec. 21, 1965 to the Blu-Print: "Quanbeck and Burtness are both among the leading ALC liberals". Dr. Warren Quanbeck, a modernist, speaks at Bethel on May 5, 1966. We wonder when Baptist General Conference officials will wake up to the modernism they are supporting.

(con't from front)- God, unitarian though he be, but this turn is the most frightening development of the apostasy.