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AN OPEN LETTER TO THE FULL GOSPEL PEOPLE!

By

The Editor

Gordon Lindsay

In view of the rapid moving of events in the present worldwide revival, we believe that a statement is in order from THE VOICE OF HEALING setting forth our position and attitude toward certain developments in this revival.

First of all we repeat, what we have said many times before, that THE VOICE OF HEALING is in no sense a denomination or a religious organization, but rather an association of evangelists, of many groups, who have joined together for the purpose of promoting worldwide revival, and who use THE VOICE OF HEALING magazine in their campaigns as a means of making known to the people the wonderful works of God that are now taking place.

It is not to be thought strange that, in a revival of such proportions, some good people should misunderstand us and perhaps speak adversely against us. Notwithstanding, if we expect to have God's blessing upon us we must, like good soldiers, be able to take unjust criticism, expecting God to vindicate us and our motives in His due time.

The greatest weapon that Satan has is the one that sows suspicion and misunderstanding. The devil, being the "accuser of the brethren," is continually at work to produce ill-will and enmity among God's people. Against this, THE VOICE OF HEALING labors at all times to promote unity and understanding between the children of the Lord.

As an example of the enemy's work, rumors go out, from time to time, that the real purpose of THE VOICE OF HEALING is to start another religious organization. It is enough to state that such rumors are utter fabrications. Like the "protocols of Zion," no such plans exist except in the imagination of misguided persons. Our evangelists move freely in all the Full Gospel organizations as well as among independent groups. If THE VOICE OF HEALING were itself a denomination, one could easily see how the usefulness of the evangelists and their field of ministry would be greatly curtailed.

The Voice of Healing exercises no control over the lives of its evangelists except to ask that each one conduct his labors in a manner that will build confidence in the ministry of deliverance among the people of God. The Voice of Healing does not make arrangements and appointments for the campaigns of its evangelists. They are free to come and go as the Spirit leads them.

Important Notice!

At last! Here is what you have been waiting for—a complete statement regarding the great Salvations-Healing Revival.

Be sure to get this new 64-page book—

- The Healing Revival—
  - Is it from Heaven or of Men?
  - Answers over Forty Questions
  - Just off the Press!
  - Concerning the Healing Revival!

Price Fifty Cents

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They are, however, asked to labor in such a way as to produce harmony and goodwill among those with whom they minister! Most of the evangelists are affiliated with some Full Gospel group. The Voice of Healing recognizes that each evangelist owes certain responsibilities, first to his own group, then also to the whole body of Christ.

We emphasize that THE VOICE OF HEALING directory does not include all the men whom God is using in the deliverance ministry by any means. Applications for fellowship in THE VOICE OF HEALING are steadily received at our office. Many of these are from outstanding evangelists, but the applications can only be passed on at a time when the associates meet. These meetings occur at rather widely spaced intervals. Moreover, according to our constitution, a man is expected to have a mature ministry before he is accepted into THE VOICE OF HEALING directory. Sometimes a name cannot be accepted because full information is not available at the time the evangelist's ministry has reached that maturity.

As our readers know, many writers contribute to THE VOICE OF HEALING. The evangelists themselves have agreed, however, that the featured evangelists' section should be shared on a cooperative basis, the space of which each evangelist shall have equal opportunity to avail himself.

The associates have also agreed that if, and when, any evangelist should find it expedient to have a magazine of his own, his name will no longer be carried in THE VOICE OF HEALING, since he will then have his own means of publicizing his work. But this omission, of course, must not be interpreted as a reflection against that evangelist. In practically all but very rare instances, those who have been associated with THE VOICE OF HEALING in the past are still our good friends.

In a number of cases TVH evangelists have settled down to a pastorial ministry and this also automatically causes their names to be withdrawn. Since hundreds upon hundreds of pastors have excellent success themselves in ministering to the sick, it can easily be seen how space limitations would make it impossible to carry the names of any but evangelists who are on the field. Moreover, if a pastor's name was included in the directory, it would be of no advantage to him, since he is not in a position to accept calls for campaigns.

It goes without saying that THE VOICE OF HEALING associates request that each of their number shall minister according to the golden rule and have due consideration for the pastors. No matter how great a revival may come to a community, unless that revival is so directed as to bless the local churches, the pastors will not be enthusiastic about it. Therefore, our associates request

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**THE VOICE OF HEALING RADIO PROGRAM!**

FIRST OF ALL we want to thank our new sponsors of radio programs. We have only a few thus far, but every additional sponsor makes it possible for us to take on another station! This is one of the finest ways a group of people, or a business firm, may assist in spreading the Gospel—sponsoring a VOICE OF HEALING broadcast of the WORLD WIDE REVIVAL CRUSADE! Write us for details.

Those of you, who are not yet near an outlet which carries our broadcast, may wish to know something of the nature of the program. In a few words we shall attempt to give you some idea of its character. It has been our desire that it will be a unique program and not a copy of others! We believe that we have a service which is not duplicated elsewhere and which will supplement and enlarge the present VOICE OF HEALING ministry.

Although music is not the basic theme of our broadcast, we have felt that, on a national program, nothing less than the best was required. Therefore we secured the services of Captain Will Hulme, noted war chaplain to help us set up the program. We have the services of one of the finest quartets, known as our own VOICE OF HEALING QUARTET, whose pictures appeared in a recent issue of THE VOICE OF HEALING. Incidentally, we may mention that we will soon release a series of recordings of some of their best songs. We also have two excellent trios, a men's trio and a girl's trio. These, and other musicians' will appear on our broadcasts from time to time.

The great theme of our program is THE MESSAGE OF DELIVERANCE, featuring Divine Healing, and deliverance from everything that has hindered and blighted human lives! In line with this, we shall relate outstanding testimonies of miracles of healing which have occurred in the ministries of our evangelists. Also, each week, we will feature A STARTLING INCIDENT AND

### SCHEDULES OF RADIO BROADCASTS—SUNDAYS ONLY

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WHY NOT SPONSOR OR ASSIST in sponsoring a VOICE OF HEALING program in your community?

AMAZING ANSWER TO PRAYER, thus encouraging people to believe God for whatever miracle they need in their life.

Of course, a very top feature of each program will be the appearance of one of our evangelists, or some outstanding personality in the Full Gospel world! During that part of the program, the evangelist may relate the story of a dramatic call to the ministry of deliverance, or give an account of an unusual miracle in his ministry.

To be able each week to hear the voice of one of the nation's outstanding personalities, in the religious world, will be something to which our listeners will look forward.

The program is designed to build faith in God and get people to look away to Christ and beyond human personalities. The fact that not one but many evangelists will contribute to the program, will thus place the emphasis on the WHOLE BODY OF CHRIST!

At the close of the program, we shall bring a brief message of faith and deliverance and, with evangelists who are present in our studio, we will pray a prayer of deliverance for each listener and that God will meet his or her every need.

Will you, therefore, help us get this program into your locality?

We ask that each reader and listener will pray sincerely, with us, that God will bless this new venture of faith!

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Send your gift at once for THE VOICE OF HEALING RADIO BROADCAST

Dear Brethren:

I desire to have a part in your radio ministry. I am enclosing the following donation for your broadcast:

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He Called Me To
"Rescue the Perishing"

By
Warren Litzman

CHAPTER 13—From the book "MEN WHO HEARD FROM HEAVEN"

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THE GREATEST THRILL that ever came to my life came at the time I was in deep sin and could find no way out. It was then I turned to God and met the Lover of my soul. When I gave my heart to Jesus, I gave Him everything I had. About two years later, I was gloriously filled with the Holy Ghost and Power. From that time, I felt someday the Lord would use me, somehow, in His service.

CALLED INTO GOD'S SERVICE

A few years later, while I was going to college at Baylor University, some friends of mine and I were conducting weekend revival services, when I felt that God had definitely called me to His service.

I put that call to the test, as I wanted to be sure that the Lord wanted to use me. I asked the Lord if He wanted to use me, to put His approval upon my ministry by saving souls in our next weekend revival. My answer came; for, in the next meeting, 21 souls were saved in three services. From that time on, I had a passion to see souls saved.

SOMETHING WAS MISSING IN MY LIFE

When I got out of school, the Great Revival of Deliverance was in the beginning. I began to preach revivals over the country and, for about two years, God blessed. But I was still not seeing the greatness of Pentecostal power in action. I was filled with the Holy Ghost, but something was missing in my life! I began to search my heart and life and to get closer to God. In about a year's time the miracle took place that gave me the power to pray the prayer of faith and set the captives free.

MANY ASKED HOW THE DELIVERANCE MINISTRY CAME TO ME

This is the story of how the power to deliver the captives came to me:

Many have asked me the question, "How did you get into the ministry of deliverance?" or, "What happened to you that caused you to start praying for the sick?" I have been asked concerning my ministry in many ways. I have always noticed that the person inquiring asked in an excited manner, expecting an exciting answer. For example, one lady asked me to tell about the dreams and visions I had when God called me to pray for the sick. A minister asked me what sickness God healed me of when I started in the ministry of deliverance. Almost without exception, someone asks me to tell my life story. My answer is that God's Word led me to pray for the sick! The Bible promises deliverance for the sick and, therefore, the Word of God is my life story.

I have noticed that when I tell the people I have no astounding testimony, some of them become crestfallen. I have no scruples against those who have such wonderful testimonies; however, that just didn't happen to me.

I FOUND THE SCRIPTURE—"THESE SIGNS SHALL FOLLOW THEM THAT BELIEVE"

It seemed every time I heard one of the brethren in the healing ministry tell of his experience of inspired faith, I would leave disappointed, for I didn't have the prerequisites. Either the preacher had been on his death bed and God healed him and spoke to him, or he had been given visions of himself delivering humanity. I had never been sick, was perfectly healthy, and did not have dreams and visions. It looked hopeless. One day I read in Mark where "these signs shall follow them that believe." I began to study what the word "believers" means. And I did, I saw that I could be a BELIEVER.

A THEME FROM AN OLD-TIME PREACHER ASSISTED ME:

With this scripture and a theme from the life of one of our old-time preachers, "Preach the Word and hold on to God, until the signs follow," I began to pray. I prayed hours each day. Often times I would pray at night after the services were over. I prayed until I almost had a nervous breakdown. At the same time I was praying, I preached at night. This left me quite weary. There were many weeks and months during this time I became disappointed because I could see no change; but every time I did, the theme I had chosen cheered me on, "Preach the Word and hold on to God, till the signs follow!"

I LEARNED IF I PREACHED THE WORD—THE SIGNS FOLLOWED!

I found the more I preached the Word the more power I received! Finally, one night I was preaching. I prayed for them and the signs began to follow.

At least fifty people came forward for prayer—every kind of ailment was represented! As I prayed, I felt the mighty power of God flow into the sick. The power of God was so strong that night, that most of those prayed for were smitten under the power of God.

As a result of that service, many miracles took place. One lady coughed up a cancer the next morning. Several were healed of eye diseases and nervousness. A tumor disappeared and some, who were unable to work because of physical disabilities, were able to return to their jobs!

RECEIVED A DEFINITE CALL "TO RESCUE THE PERISHING!"

Many great miracles occurred during that revival, and it lasted over seven weeks. A little later on, while I was sicking the Lord one day, I received a definite call to liberate people in body, soul and spirit! I was greatly impressed with the need of a perishing world and the Lord said to me—

"Rescue the perishing, Weep o'er the erring one, Care for the dying, Lift up the fallen, Snatch them in pity, Tell them of Jesus, From sin and the grave! The mighty to save!"

Since that day our campaigns have been known as the "Rescue the Perishing Revivals!"

As the years have gone by, I have seen mighty things done for God as I witnessed the rescuing of the perishing!

DOOR OPENED FOR GREATER MINISTRY!

About three years ago, the Lord opened the door for greater evangelism, as we purchased our large gospel tent. Most of our meetings are city-wide or union campaigns and souls are being saved by the thousands! Hundreds of sick are being healed! Cities are being stirred and Jesus is being glorified. The most wonderful thing about it all, is that THE SAME GOD WHO HELPS ME CAN AND WILL HELP ANYBODY!
HEALING CAMPAIGN SCHEDULES OF ASSOCIATE EDITORS AND EVANGELISTS USING SPECIAL EDITIONS

A. A. ALLEN
All City Wide Tent Meetings:
- Minneapolis, Minn. ......... July 31-Aug. 23
  Tent located, 4300 Olson Highway
  Contact: Rev. R. H. Olson
  Fremont at 25th Ave. N.

Evansville, Ind. ......... Sept. 2-27
  Contact: Hansel Vibbert
  11 W. Iowa

Corpus Christi, Texas ..... Oct. 7-Nov. 1

CLIFTON ERICKSON
Area Wide Tent Campaigns:
- Harrisburg, Penna. ......... Aug.
  Contact: Rev. Leo S. Starner
  2648 Reel Street

Philadelphia, Penna. ....... Sept.
  Contact: Rev. Wallace S. Bragg
  8111 Eastern Ave., Zone 18

VELMER GARDNER
Independence, Missouri, and East Kansas City, Mo. ......... July 19-Aug. 9
  Union Gospel Tent Campaign
  Location: On Truman Road and Northern, Independence, Mo.
  Contact: Rev. John Waldron
  Phone Clifton 9439

Indianapolis, Ind. ......... Aug. 14-27
  Gospel Tent Campaign
  Contact: Rev. Ted Vibbert
  Phone 3-4520

Springfield, Mo. ......... For Sept. 7
  City Wide Gospel Tent Campaign
  (Beginning on Labor Day with a great Youth Rally—Three Services on Labor Day)
  Contact: Rev. David Hastie
  Central Assembly, Springfield, Mo.

W. V. GRANT
Joplin, Missouri ......... July 24-August
  City Wide Tent Campaign

PHILIP N. GREEN
Overseas—England, Europe, Far East, Philippines ......... July-November

L. D. HALL
Atlantic City, N. J. ......... July 26-Aug. 16
  Area Wide Tent Campaign
  Location: Between Albany Blvd and Trenton Ave. Route 40
  Across from Bader Field
  Contact: Rev. Melvin T. Smith,
  205 Atlantic Ave.
  Phone 5-2739

Portsmouth, N. H. ......... Aug. 23-Sept. 6
  Area Wide Tent Campaign
  Contact: Rev. A. T. Bradstreet
  York, Maine. Phone 159-M

H. E. HARDT
York, Penna. ......... July 24-Aug. 16
  Gospel Tent Campaign
  Location: Carlisle Ave. at Taxville Rd.
  Contact: Rev. Arthur Davies,
  R. 10, York, Pa.

Newark, Dela. ......... Sept. 3-27
  Union Gospel Tent Campaign
  (Inside City Limits)
  (No Services on Monday Nights)
  Contact: Rev. Arthur E. Hardt

ALTON L. HAYES-GORDON LINDSAY
HEALING RALLIES
Checotah, Okla. ......... Aug. 6-23
  Area Wide Union Revival in Checotah Tabernacle just north of town on Highway 69

Fresno, Calif. ......... Beg. Sept. 13
  Location: City Auditorium and Calvary Tabernacle
  Contact: Rev. Claude Weaver
  355 Woodrow Ave.

Portland, Oregon ......... Beg. Oct. 11
  Location: First Assembly of God
  Contact: Norman D. Davidson
  Box 2015, Portland 14, Oregon

W. B. MCKAY
Staunton, Virginia ......... Beg. Fri., July 17
  Place: Big Tent Cathedral (City Wide)
  Location: Hy. No. 250, East
  Within City Limits
  Contact: Rev. C. H. Cookerman
  507 Grubert St., Staunton

Mercersburg, Penna. ......... Aug.
  Place: Within City Limits
  (Same Lot Occupied Last Year)
  Contact: Rev. E. W. Winand
  26 Fayette Street

MICHAEL MASTRO
Salinas, Calif. ......... July
  Location: Pentecostal Tabernacle
  351 Sanborn Road
  Contact: Rev. W. J. Griggs
  Phone 3634

Santa Rosa, Calif. ......... Aug.
  Location: Revival Center, 309 Davis St.
  Contact: Rev. W. J. Griggs
  Phone 3608-J

Detroit, Michigan ......... September
  Contact: W. 5. B. Rickay
  356 South Tenth Street
  Phone 3-918

LOUISE NANKIVELL
RADIO BROADCAST:
XEG—Monterrey, Mexico.
  1050 on Dial.
  Every Sunday, 7:45-8:15 p.m., CST.
XERB—Voice of Southern California.
  1090 on Dial.
  Every Saturday Night, 8:00-8:30 PST.
  Address: P. O. Box 719.
  Chicago 90, Illinois.

DAVID NUNN
Van Wert, Iowa ......... Beg. July 26
  Area Wide Tent Campaign
  Two Services Daily: 10 a.m. and 7:45 p.m.
  Contact: Rev. M. M. Baker
  Phone 3-914, Van Wert

Baton Rouge, Louisiana ......... September
  Gospel Tent Campaign
  Contact: Rev. James V. Courtney, Jr.
  356 South Tenth Street
  Phone 3-918

Kilgore, Texas ......... Beg. Oct. 4th
  Area Wide Tent Campaign
  Location: midway between Kilgore and Laidil Hill, Texas, on Highway 259
  Contact: Rev. Darnell, Phone 2769

WILBUR OGILVIE
Borger, Texas ......... Beg. July 18
  Gospel Tent Campaign
  Contact: Rev. H. H. Woods
  503 Whittenburg St.

EVANGELIST SAMUEL B. de KLERK of South Africa is now in America and will be with Rev. A. R. Schmidt at Evangel Temple, 43 East St. James at First St. JULY 17-31.
- Grants Pass, Ore., AUG. 9-23
  Assembly of God Church
### TVH Lists All Information Available Concerning Meeting Schedules

TVH lists all information available concerning meeting schedules. If we show only one date regarding a campaign, that is the beginning date—most campaigns run at least two weeks, or longer. Further information concerning date and location should be secured by writing local pastors, or evangelists listed in our directory. NOTICE! TVH cannot assume the full responsibility of directing people to these campaigns. Sometimes a meeting is cancelled or postponed, after our magazine has gone to press. (This applies to schedules on Page 6 also.)

### ADDITIONAL HEALING CAMPAIGN SCHEDULES OF TVH EVANGELISTS

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<td>Hayward, Calif.</td>
<td>July 26-Aug. 16</td>
<td>Local Church, 2805 E. 12th St. Contact: Rev. John Fain, 1011 Webster St. Phone: 622-2698</td>
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<td>Galesburg, Ill.</td>
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<td>Local Church, 656 W. Lee St. Contact: Rev. M. W. DeWitt, Olive Street, Phone: 7-1107</td>
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<td><strong>R. W. HOLMES</strong></td>
<td>Corpus Christi, Texas</td>
<td>July 12</td>
<td>Local Church, 300 N. University Ave. Contact: Rev. R. W. Holmes, 103 W. University Ave.</td>
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### EVANGELISTS’ EXCHANGE

For Sale—60” x 120”, steel clad, in perfect condition, used only two summers. Three collapsible steel center poles, quarter poles and side poles. Also two sets of steel stakes. Collapsible platform 2 x 24, and complete lighting equipment. Original cost $3,500.00—will sell for half price! May be seen in service during month of August in York, Penna.

**CONTACT:** EVANGELIST H. E. HARDY

Res. add. 467 Pennsylvania Ave., York, Penna., or

(Schedule page for current)
A REMARKABLE ACCOUNT of how God has prospered a business man and used him in organizing great revival campaigns and rallies, and WHO IS NOW PRESIDENT of the newly organized FULL GOSPEL BUSINESS MEN'S FELLOWSHIP!

TO BEGIN OUR STORY let us drop back twenty years to the days of the great depression. It was at this time that Demas Shakarian made his first venture into business, having received from his father a modest sum of money to help him get started. His first business ventures were, he says, unsuccessful. After a few failures, he came to the conclusion that the chief cause of his difficulties was that he was not taking God into his plans. Then he made a decision that was to tremendously affect his entire future.

HE AND WIFE PLACED THEIR LIVES AND HIS ENTIRE BUSINESS IN GOD’S HANDS!

He and his wife, Rose, who has proved to be a most fortunate choice as a life companion, together decided to consecrate not only their lives to God, but to place their entire business in God’s hands. Beginning from that day, they invited God to be their full partner in all their plans.

That decision resulted in the whole course of their lives being changed. Shortly afterward, Brother Shakarian made his first effort in a practical way of promoting evangelism, by sponsoring a Holy Ghost revival. This proved to be so successful that he was led to assist in other meetings. It was not long before his business took a turn for the better and he began to notice that everything he put his hand to seemed to prosper.

THE STORY OF DEMAS SHAKARIAN is that of a business man who has made God’s work the chief business of his life—a story which, if fully told, would require many pages. It is an extraordinary account of a man who, though engaged many hours of the day in the business world, BELIEVED THAT GOD COULD BLESS HIS BUSINESS JUST AS HE MIGHT BLESS THE MINISTRY OF AN EVANGELIST OR OTHER MINISTER OF THE GOSPEL. What has happened in the life of Demas Shakarian may well be an inspiration to other business men who, though they do not feel that they have a call to the pulpit, have a longing for a definite part in God’s program for their day!

INSPIRED BUSINESS MEN TO SUPPORT YOUTH RALLY IN L. A. SHRINE AUDITORIUM

The opportunity presented itself sooner than he thought. Some of the young people believed that the time had come to have a great rally in the Shrine Auditorium. But where was the money to come from, in order to do this? Then one day, at a dinner with a number of business men, Brother Shakarian poured his heart out to them of his hopes and plans. Before he knew what was happening, men came walking up to him with bills of large denomination. When it was counted, he found that actually $6,200.00 had been given. Soon the rally, which was to make history among the young people of Southern California, was held in the Shrine Auditorium.

FULL GOSPEL RALLY IN HOLLYWOOD BOWL SPONSORED BY BUSINESS MEN ASSOCIATES

But this was only a beginning. The suggestion was made that it might be possible for the Full Gospel people of Southern California to secure the Hollywood Bowl for a great youth rally. It was the privilege of the writer to be present at that rally. Being the guest of Pastor Louis Haufl, we sat near the center of activities, where we witnessed the rally from an excellent vantage point. The mammoth bowl overflowed with people, many of whom had come from many miles in every direction. So far as we know, no other religious group, previous to this event, had ever attempted a similar demonstration.
EXECUTIVE GROUP of the Full Gospel Business Men's Club, shown around table as they examine the first issue of the FULL GOSPEL MEN'S VOICE. DEMAS SHAKARIAN is shown to the extreme right.

During this time we were occupied in organizing large healing campaigns in various parts of the country. In January, 1949, with two other evangelists we laid plans for a union healing revival in the city of Los Angeles. We had met Brother Shakarian two years before, but it was at this time that a close friendship was formed between us. He assisted us in this revival, along with other brethren, L. B. Lewis, Louis Turnbull, and Roy Kopp.

Night after night the various auditoriums that were engaged were filled to capacity. Finally the meeting went into the Shrine Auditorium, which was far from adequate to seat the crowds which attended. It was the greatest sustained revival that Los Angeles had had for a number of years. On one night, when ministers present were asked to stand; no less than five hundred rose to their feet.

INSPIRED DENOMINATIONAL LEADERS TO SPONSOR LARGE UNION CAMPAIGNS

During that meeting we became acquainted with a large number of spiritually minded men of the denominational world who, during the campaign, became convinced that the days of mass evangelism were not over. They told us that they felt that large evangelistic efforts might be possible, even among the denominational groups. Months later they cooperated in the Billy Graham revival, the first of his campaigns that received national publicity.

After the Los Angeles campaign, which we have mentioned, Demas Shakarian continued his labors in union efforts. Several times he was chairman in the sponsoring and organizing of great healing revivals that have had a wide effect in this great metropolitan area.

HIS PERSONAL BUSINESS MADE TO PROSPER

All during this time, the business affairs of Brother Shakarian continued to prosper. A large drive-in dairy was founded, which included over a thousand milk cattle. The dairy is located near Downey, California, and serves between two thousand and twenty-five hundred customers daily.

That is only one project in his various business activities. God so prospered him that he was able to build and equip two great shopping centers which are served by the most modern methods of merchandising. Recently it was our privilege to visit one of these establishments. These enterprises are an object lesson to Christians, in that they show that God is willing to prosper His people, if they will use their prosperity for His glory.

ORGANIZED FULL GOSPEL BUSINESS MEN'S FELLOWSHIP

There was yet another dream that Demas Shakarian longed to see fulfilled—that was a Full Gospel business men's fellowship. It was his conviction that one of the most powerful assets of the Church was not being fully used—the potential power of the business men of the Church. Such a plan of bringing men together who belonged to various religious groups, but who had a common faith in God's power, could only be achieved by getting others to share his vision of the unity of the Body of Christ. Step by step God opened the way.

The great meetings and rallies that had been held brought these various business men together in such a way that Brother Shakarian and others felt that the time was near to take this great step. The projected plan of a business men's fellowship came to fruition at the close of the Oral Roberts meeting in Los Angeles, when the forming of the fellowship was consummated.

FELLOWSHIP IS NON-SECTARIAN

It was my privilege one evening to sit down with Brother Shakarian for several hours while he sketched further plans that had been made, and the Fellowship constitution that had been prepared. The whole program was to center around the Church—it was to be by the Church, for the Church, and of the Church. The fellowship was to be entirely non-sectarian in nature. The purpose was to encourage fellowship and unity among the business men of the Full Gospel group and, at the same time, secure their united strength in combined efforts to advance the Gospel.

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STORY OF SHAKARIAN
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Brother Shakarian, of course, would be the last one to claim the credit for what has been accomplished. Others have labored selflessly in the cause. Nevertheless, it must be admitted that God has used this man in the business world as one of the key figures in the notable advance that has been made in the cause of unity in the Full Gospel movement.

INTERNATIONAL FULL GOSPEL BUSINESS MEN'S FELLOWSHIP INITIATED

Last December, Brother Shakarian flew to THE VOICE OF HEALING Convention, in Dallas, where it was our privilege to hear him relate the plans that had been made for initiating the Full Gospel Business Men's Fellowship International. During a noon-hour luncheon, he was given opportunity to elaborate to our associates in some detail the plans that were being made. Needless to say, our brethren were greatly impressed with the potentialities of this move among business men. They recognized it as one more step by the Spirit of God in the recognition of the unity of the Body of Christ.

LOCAL FELLOWSHIPS BEING FORMED IN VARIOUS CITIES

Since the December Convention, the plan has moved along. Local fellowships are being formed in various cities. As an organ of the business men, the magazine, FULL GOSPEL MEN'S VOICE has been founded, which is now published monthly. A year's subscription is one dollar and the magazine may be obtained by writing the editor, Thomas Nickel, 1059 So. Hope Street, Los Angeles, California.

Business men who are interested in the plan for a Full Gospel Business Men's Fellowship in their community should plan to attend the national convention which will be held in Los Angeles, October 10, 12, and 13, of this year. The convention will begin with a morning breakfast, October 10th, at the Clifton Cafeteria, 648 South Broadway, Los Angeles.

A VISIT TO L. A. FELLOWSHIP GROUP'S WEEKLY BROADCAST

After writing the above article it was our privilege to visit one of the Saturday morning breakfasts of the Los Angeles fellowship. It was one of the most amazing men's fellowship groups that we ever witnessed. God's blessing came down, even while they were on the radio; people were saved, healed, and received the Baptism of the Holy Spirit during the meeting, which lasted nearly all morning.

Any one who visits one of these morning fellowships, if he is sensitive to the Spirit's leadings in the slightest, will be compelled to admit that this great move among the business men is truly a move that has been inspired of God.

TVH PROVES BLESSING TO MISSIONARY IN NORWAY

DEAR EDITORS:
Thank you very much for THE VOICE OF HEALING which I may have at no obligation. I surely appreciate your magazine and I thank God for the great help in its teaching, and for the testimonies of the marvelous healing of the people. I also believe we are going to see greater wonders, as the time draws nigh for our Lord's coming.

Yours in Christ,
Christofa Bruntland, Missionary,
Bergen, Norway
STARTLING INCIDENTS AND AMAZING ANSWERS TO PRAYER

Prayer Causes Heavy Freight Steamer To Be Lifted From Mud

Psalms 34:15—"The eyes of the Lord are upon the righteous, and His ears are open unto their cry."

In the Eighteen Eighties, my grandfather, Robert Palmer, who was a devout Christian, had a wonderful answer to prayer.

He had been a shipbuilder all his life and employed five hundred men much of the time. He built and repaired large wooden ships; in fact, he had what was called the largest set of marine railways in the U.S.A. at that time. This was before the days of huge corporations where every contingency is anticipated and protected by insurance.

A large freight steamer was sent to him to be repaired, and as it was used to handle heavy cargoes, it was necessary to weigh it down. The ship was lifted out on the marine railways, but its weight broke them down and the vessel sank into the mud and rocks. This was a very serious situation.

He sent to New York for large hydraulic jacks to try to lift the boat. It was useless. Stout hawsers were attached and large tugs tried to pull the ship off. All was in vain. Day after day they tried every means they could think of.

After one very discouraging day, Grandfather came home, went in a room by himself, knelt on his knees and prayed earnestly. He said afterwards that he told his Lord that he had tried to serve Him faithfully and uphold the honor of His name and that if he could not get the ship off, it would mean the financial ruin, for he was responsible for its safety. It would mean the ruin of his business, throw all the workmen out of work and cause hardship to their families.

"O Lord," he said, "if I cannot make this good to the owners, it will bring discredit on me as a Christian and dishonor Thy name, now Lord, I need help." He prayed until he felt a definite assurance that his prayer was heard, so he arose and retired for the night and slept peacefully.

Next morning the highest tide ever known came up, and up, washed over the big docks, and gently lifted the heavy freight steamer out of its muddy grave.

"The sea is His, and He made it." (Genesis 1:6-10) The Lord spoke to the sea and it obeyed.

It must be noted that it was not the time of the Perigee moon when once a month high tides would occur, and men at the shipyard talked of this for years.

- Grace R. Knapp

Noank, Conn.

My Wife and I have much to praise and thank God for today, for the marvelous way the Lord delivered us from our third story apartment when the news came to us that the building in which we were living was on fire.

About 1:30 P.M. April 14, 1953, a second floor tenant came running up the stairs, asking us to call the fireman, as the apartment house was on fire.

We were both working nights; therefore, were sleeping at the time. My wife awakened and rushed down the stairs but, because I waited to call the firemen, I found I was trapped.

I dropped in mid-air from the bedroom window, and only by a miracle performed by God, was I enabled to catch onto a blind on the second floor window and hold on until the firemen came with a ladder!

Our apartment was fifty (50) feet from the ground and the firemen and our friends were amazed that a man weighing 194 pounds, as I did, could hold onto a blind until he was rescued.

This has been a great testimony to many and has given us several opportunities to speak in different churches and missions.

- Rev. Clarence E. Buker

North Brookfield, Mass.
(See Below)

Window Blind Miraculously Saves Man's Life

The witch doctor, unwilling to lose his power and authority, worked upon the mind of the poor heathen mother of Lula. Once he made her pour boiling water over her little girl to prevent her from going to the mission school.

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They returned to their village expecting that this would be the last they would see of her. But they reckoned without God, for in the little girl's heart was the love of Jesus that no harm would befall her.

In the morning the "devil doctor," her mother, and others went out to see what happened to her during the night. Imagine their astonishment to find her happy, with no apparent harm done to her by the beasts of the forest. About twenty feet from her was a well-trodden path, over which it was evident the animals had been passing all night long. Divine providence never permitted them to get nearer than the path.

When asked about the lions, she said, "Yes, they marched round and round the tree all night long, roaring and making a terrible noise, but they could not harm me. Jesus always protects us, if we trusted Him; so I just asked Him to take care of me!"

- W. G. Humphrey

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Her mother was under the domination of the witch doctor, as were all the villagers. The witch doctor began to get jealous and infuriated at the lessening of his power over the village; therefore, he adopted all kinds of ways to try to prevent their attendance at the mission school.

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UPPER RIGHT window is where Rev. Buker dropped from. Caught on window blind on window just below.
WE RETURNED FROM GUATEMALA, Central America, this spring with an indescribable burden on our hearts; a burden that seemed to increase almost hourly. We were feeling the responsibility of doing more, and more, to spread the Gospel to the un-reached portions of the earth. It seemed as though a heavy cloud of anointing rested on us day and night during those four weeks in which the Spirit was chartering our future course for greater world evangelism.

DOORS ARE FAST CLOSING TO MISSIONARIES IN FOREIGN LANDS!

We are thankful for what we have been privileged to do, but we realize that more rest, speaking their own language! The doors which are closing to the missionaries have caused us great concern, and the hunger of the heathen for the Gospel has caused us to use every day. All these things, we took to the Lord in prayer, and asked Him what we could do to speed the Gospel to every nation, tribe, kindred and tongue, in a greater way.

As we waited upon Him, He began to unfold a plan which will certainly accomplish much toward getting the Gospel of the Kingdom to the utmost part of the earth.

PLAN TO SEND OUT NATIVE MISSIONARIES TO UNREACHED TRIBES!

This is the plan: To make it possible for hundreds of native preachers all over the world to become pioneer missionaries to the un-reached tribes and areas of their own countries, by giving them the monthly assistance necessary, just as we do in sending out missionaries from the United States.

The regular foreign missionary funds of the organizations at home are constantly being exhausted sending out missionaries, building Revival Centers, and constructing and maintaining Bible Institutes to train the natives, while the native churches are doing all they can to support their pastors and build their native churches; thus, no means has heretofore been available to send natives as missionaries. This is, our aim.

Guatemala is a staggering example of the need for this plan. Two thirds of her population is made up of pure-blood primitive Indians, who live exactly as they did even years before the early Spanish conquistadors, speaking their own language, and running their own vast communities, steeped in the very depths of the most heathen paganism.

NOW THE MISSIONARY IS EQUIPPED WITH LANGUAGE, BUT NEEDS FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE!

Because of constant trade with the Spanish people, the Indians, scores of the Spanish preachers speak these Indian Dialects fluently and understand their customs. They can, therefore, accomplish infinitely more, ministering to them, than the best white missionary, for a tenth of the financial support. But there has, heretofore, been no means by which the Spanish preachers could be supported in pioneer missionary ministry among these tribes.

Similar conditions exist all over the world, and the native preachers can effectively invade these areas with the Gospel, if they are supported long enough to establish their work on the indigenous basis.

NATIVE MINISTERS WILL BE SUPPORTED THROUGH ESTABLISHED FULL GOSPEL ORGANIZATIONS!

Through the Full Gospel organizations, which are already established on the different fields of the world, and under the direction of a board of capable advisors, native preachers, who are definitely called of God, anointed of the Holy Ghost, and who have a burning passion for souls, will be sent to these un-reached tribes. And the foreign preachers can then, through the native preachers, set up Revival Centers and see that the natives are properly taught and helped along.

This crusade is possible because of the work already being done by the Full Gospel organizations. The monthly financial support which can be given to these native preachers is an absolute necessity for their work to become indigenous and self supporting.

When this goal has been attained, this supervision will be taken over by the Foreign Missionary Department of the church, with the advise of the field workers and the native preachers.

All this will be done, as is absolutely necessary for their work to become indigenous and self supporting.

Already we have contacted over a dozen Field Supervisors, whom we know personally, whose fields we know, and whose native workers we know. The results thus far have been most gratifying...

The Voice of Healing, August 1953
Further reports and information concerning this GREAT MISSIONARY CRUSADE will be carried monthly under this heading—OSBORN "WORLD MISSIONS" CRUSADE!

This work of getting the Gospel to new tribes, areas, villages, and peoples is the work nearest the heart of God! It is what Jesus died for. It is our supreme task! It is helping to carry out Christ's last prayer:

**PRAY DAILY FOR THIS WORK AND FOR THESE NATIVE MINISTERS!**

Let us pray daily that every dollar invested in these native ministers shall accomplish the most possible for the Kingdom of Heaven; and let us hold these precious brethren, who will be going into new areas, constantly before the Throne, in prevailing prayer, that His mighty anointing shall rest upon their ministry, thus turning multitudes of heathen from darkness to the Light of the Gospel.

For further information, be sure to watch the next issue of TVI. You may also write personally to: ASSOCIATION FOR NATIVE EVANGELISM, Box 4251, Tulsa, Oklahoma.

NOTE: For the benefit of those who are wondering if this Crusade will hinder their crusades from their overseas campaigns, we want to assure the public that it will not. The Osborns are laying plans right now to launch their greatest overseas revivals of their ministry, with God's help. Pray for them as they press forward.

OSBORN MISSIONARY AND HEALING CONVENTION

**JULY 22-26**

HAZELTON, PENNSYLVANIA

Eagle's Auditorium

Wyoming St. near Diamond Ave.

(Opens Wednesday 7:30)

Hezekiah, the king, lay sick—nigh unto death. The prophet Isaiah came to him and told him he would die and not live. But Hezekiah turned his face to the wall and prayed and God "saw his tears and heard his prayers and added to his days fifteen years! (II Kings 20.) I know God answers prayer!

He was thrust into the lions' den, but God moved in Heaven, and there lies a record of answered prayer! (Daniel 6.) Yes, He knows God answers prayer!

The Reformation was born in Martin Luther's prayers—the great Wesley Revivals came because of the prayers of the Wesleys and their friends, who dared to believe God, listen, and hear John Knox cry "God give me Scotland or I die" and look at God sending a revival that swept not only Scotland, but England and Wales!

The great Revivals of the twentieth century are God's answers to prayers of His children. Oh yes, friend, I know God answers prayer and the more you pray, the more He will answer prayer and the more you pray, the more God will be able to do! Chains of sin, sickness, of affliction, of demon oppression, obsession and possession—all the power and forces of Satan—are no match for the power there lies in believing prayer, because GOD ANSWERS PRAYER!
WE ARE IN THE DAYS OF——

The Lamp-Trimming Revival

By EVANGELIST FERN HUFFSTUTLER

As Preached by Her at the Fourth Annual Voice of Healing Convention in Dallas, Texas

Evangelist Fern Huffstutler

MATT 25:6,7—“And at midnight there was a cry made, Behold, the bridegroom cometh; go ye out to meet him. Then all those virgins arose, and trimmed their lamps.”

A number of years ago I was holding a meeting in a little Arkansas town. There was a lady in that particular little church who was a real woman of God. Friends, I have learned that there are members of the laity who have sought God desperately, and God has talked to them, as well as to those in the ministry.

GOD IS SENDING A LAMP TRIMMING REVIVAL.

This little woman had learned some things from God through the years. She asked me to come sit with her one afternoon and I did. As I sat by her bedside, she took the precious Word of God and opened it to me and unfolded to me some of the things that God had revealed to her. I shall never forget that look on her face when she took my hand and looked into my eyes as she said, “Sister Fern, as sure as you are a preacher of the Gospel, that sure will there be a day when God is going to send a Lamp-Trimming revival to this world.”

WILL BE CHARACTERIZED BY THE SUPERNATURAL.

She went on to say, “There will be given Divine authority, in the Holy Ghost, for the ministry, the beauty, purity, and glory of the Apostolic power will return. There will be a rekindling of Divine love! There will be set aflame, in the lives of men and women, the golden truths that have been taught us through the years. This great revival is going to have an element of the Divine, of the supernatural, it will be characterized by signs, wonders and miracles.

When I went to the meetings of Brother Richey, and the Great Revival of Richey’s meetings, I sat there spell-bound, when I saw a woman raised up off her death bed. They had brought her on a cot. She had a large cancerous growth on her neck. Brother Richey prayed for her, and she leaned over the cot and expelled the cancer from her mouth onto the floor. Those hundreds of people went wild, praising God! I thank the Lord that we were born in the fire and glow of Pentecost.

THE PROPHECY CYCLE.

We had a few years of drought. We got into a “Prophecy Cycle,” and everyone who came around through our ices, as God moved in our midst. Each service was so different you didn’t know what was going to happen next. Perhaps right in front of us about a minute meeting, the Holy Spirit would break in and someone would rise quickly to his or her feet and give a message in prophecy or tongues, and interpret it. It would electrify the entire audience, and there would be no preaching. Just the glory of God was sufficient. We were born in it, friends, and it was born in us.

MIRACLES ACCOMPANIED RICHEY’S MEETINGS.

I am just an old fashioned Pentecostal preacher, and Divine healing goes with it! I remember in the early days of Pentecost, when I was a little girl, I went to Brother Raymond T. Richey’s meetings. In those days he used to load up crutches, cases and cures, by the truck-loads, which had been discarded by people who had been miraculously and gloriously healed by the power of God, and take them through the town on parade. One night, in one of his Meetings, I sat there spell-bound, when I saw a woman raised up off her death bed. They had brought her on a cot. She had a very large growth on her neck. Brothers Richey prayed for her, and she leaned over the cot and expelled the cancer from her mouth onto the floor. Those hundreds of people went wild, praising God! I thank the Lord that we were born in the fire and glow of Pentecost.

THE “EX” CYCLE.

After a time, the “Prophecy Cycle” ran its course. Then we went into an “Ex Cycle.” Every preacher was an “ex-prizefighter” an “ex-opera singer,” an “ex-movie star,” etc. I was talking to another Pentecostal preacher one day and he said, “I don’t suppose I’ll ever be a great preacher.” He asked why. I said, “I’m not an ex-anything.” I’ve never been married, divorced, concubined, or a pactist, and it seems that if you aren’t some kind of an ‘ex’ you can never make it.

THE MUSICAL CYCLE.

We finally got through our “Ex Cycle”; then for ten or twelve years we went through a “Musical Cycle,” and everyone who was very successful had to play musical instruments, guitars, accordians, flutes, trumpets, organs, or pianos. I did it too, once getting every time I get a chance. I still play the piano and give everything I have to God, which isn’t very much. Through that period, if you didn’t have musical talent, you couldn’t get in the crowd. That is all right too, if you can’t get the crowds any other way; but I believe the power and the glory of the supernatural, which God instills within His ministers, is the advertising plan He favors for the promotion of His gospel!

JESUS ESTABLISHED HIS KINGDOM WITH SUPERNATURAL POWER.

Jesus established a Kingdom when He was here. He said to His disciples a commission, “Go into all the world, and preach the gospel! Establish it on a basis of supernatural power, and with supernatural power!” He gave his disciples a commission “to go and preach the gospel, heal the sick, cast out devils, and raise the dead.” He said to them, “Freely you have received, freely give!”

He didn’t tell them to advertise. He said, “Go with the power that I have given you, and the sick shall be healed, the devils shall be cast out, men and women will be released from sin and set free, from the bondage of satan!” The people, will be persuaded that the Kingdom of heaven is at hand, when they see these manifestations of His power!
Jesus gave his disciples power and authority.

Jesus said to his disciples, "I'll give you power and authority!" He looked at Peter and said, "What would you like to have?"

Peter replied, "I'd like to have the keys to the Kingdom." Jesus said, "The authority that Jesus gave, He gave through the power of the Holy Spirit, for He said—"

Jesus continued, "I'll give you power and authority!" He then turned to Peter and said, "The authority that Jesus gave, He gave through the power of the Holy Spirit, for He said—"

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-Says Pastor
- "The Spirit anointed ministry of Brother Vinyard demonstrated that 'the Word of God is quick and powerful and sharper than any two edged sword'."
- "I believe I can truthfully say that meetings of this nature are the answer to Buffalo's greatest need. The blessing and presence of God inspired and enriched every service."

Evangelist R. R. Vinyard
March and April
of Buffalo, Divine Healing Campaign in our city accomplished during the Salvation Army's向
God sends His fullness for every need accepted Jesus Christ as Saviour and De-
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"I praise God that these meetings are not merely 'healing campaigns' but that God sends His fullness for every need of the human heart."

CHURCH FEELS IMPACT OF MIGHTY REVIVAL
By Rev. Frank D. Christie
Co-Chairman, and Pastor of The Pentecostal Tabernacle Buffalo, N.Y.

ETERNITY ALONE WILL REVEAL all the wonderful things accomplished during the Salvation Army's Divine Healing Campaign in our city of Buffalo, New York, conducted by Evangelist R. R. Vinyard during March and April.

For over two years we have needed a general stirring in this Catholic city, and a drawing of our churches of Greater Erie closer to God and each other. God

FEATURING EVANGELISTS: R. R. Vinyard

PENTECOSTAL TABERNACLE in Buffalo, New York, was packed to capacity each night as EVANGELIST R. R. VINYARD ministered there. REV. FRANK D. CHRISTIE, Pastor and Co-Chairman of the meeting, is shown—with his family—in the UPPER RIGHT INSET!

Brother Vinyard's ministry in Buffalo has been well rounded, in all phases of the Gospel."

Rev. Nelson J. Kenyon
Ministry
To Buffalo!

"Brother Vinyard inspired our hearts to greater courage in claiming the provisions of God, because his messages have that 'sure foundation' of God's Word!"

Rev. Paul R. Buchwalter

"Pastors' reports are lavish with praise and rejoicing over successful meeting!"

By Homer C. Cooper, Pastor
North Tonawanda, N. Y.

"As a result of this revival, the Ministers and their churches in the Buffalo area have been brought to a better understanding of fellowship. God has thus proved what He can do, when His saints unite their efforts for the salvation of souls!"

"The miracle of seeing one thousand lives respond to the altar calls and find Jesus Christ as Saviour, was thrilling indeed! The many healings, of blind, deaf, cancer, ulcers, and crippled, were multiplied to astound the critics, open the eyes of the seeking people, and to encourage all to see that, even in this area, God's power is not limited, when we are inspired to believe God!"

By Rev. Albert R. Fisher, Pastor
Revival Center Tabernacle
Niagara Falls, New York

"For years my heart has been longing to see a return of real Pentecostal sign ministry."

"It has been my happy lot to sit under the ministry of Evangelist Richard R. Vinyard at the Memorial Auditorium, in Buffalo, New York, for twenty-eight days. These have been days of heaven on earth, as we beheld the power of Satan broken in the lives of people bound by sin and sickness. Miracles were performed every night by the power of God, through faith in His Word."

"The effect of these meetings upon my congregation is tremendous. The backslidden have returned to the Lord. The spiritual have dedicated themselves anew to the service of God. The pastor, deacons, Sunday School teachers, officers, and Young People's leaders will never be the same. We are changed! Our faith has risen to a new level. The Bible has become to us a new book. Presently, we are realizing definite answers to prayers in behalf of the sick. Real Holy Ghost miracles are beginning to multiply. Our hearts are humbled before God, and our spirits rejoice in Christ our Saviour and Healer."

"I have found Brother Vinyard to be a man sent from God; humble, compassionate, uncompromising, anointed with that anointing which comes straight from the Throne of Grace. We praise God for sending him to us!"

"His type teaching, preaching, most beneficidal!"

—Says Minister

"This has been the FIFTH CAMPAIGN in which I have been associated with Brother Vinyard and I can say, truly, that each meeting has been more wonderful than the preceding one! Brother Vinyard's expounding the Word has not only been evangelistic, but a profound ministry of teaching that the people who hear may believe for themselves. This type of teaching and preaching is most beneficial to all in the church, because it enables them to set their Faith in God!"

"The Lord hath done great things for us, whereof we are exceedingly glad!"
Before the starting of the meeting, the pastor of a local church covered the city with handbills such as the one shown in the box below.

In spite of all opposition, we feel Galesburg has been blessed by a mighty move of God.

MANY, MANY, SOULS HAVE BEEN SAVED and many have been able to believe God for their spiritual, mental and physical deliverance.

Deaf ears have been opened. Cataracts have been removed by the mighty power of God. Many have been healed of sugar diabetes, and this has been confirmed by their doctors!

One of the outstanding miracles of this meeting was the salvation and deliverance of a lady, Mrs. Hill from Chicago, who had been a dope fiend for five years! This lady had been like a raving maniac. GOD WONDERFULLY SAVED HER SOUL, delivered her from this dope habit, and filled her with the mighty Baptism of the Holy Ghost!

Brother Gardner has labored faithfully and we have found him to be a real man of God, one of America's outstanding evangelists.

We want to thank God, from the bottom of our hearts, for a mighty manifestation of His wonderful power to save, to heal, and to fill with His mighty Spirit.

Pastor M. W. DeWitt
Galesburg, Illinois.

A PORTION OF CROWD attending the VELMER GARDNER REVIVAL in Galesburg, Illinois, on Monday night, under large new tent.

The God Of Miracles Lives Today!
By Evang. Velmer Gardner
A good handbook on Divine Healing and how to receive it. Author is successful evangelist of today. 127 pages.
Only $1.00

OPPOSING FORCES DISTRIBUTE PRINTED HAND-BILL CIRCULARS TO HINDER MEETING LIKE THE FACSIMILE (in part) SHOWN BELOW:

ALL CLAIMS TO MODERN DIVINE MIRACULOUS POWERS ARE FAKE
Was the topic of six sermons delivered by an opposing minister of Peoria, Illinois, beginning April 6, 1953. Following this series of sermons, a commercial advertisement appeared in Peoria Newspapers, Inc., reading as follows:

$500 Reward
For one bona fide case of instant, complete miraculous healing of broken limbs, external eating cancer, epileptic fits, total blindness, total deafness, deformity or withered limbs, hereditary insanity or one restored to life 24 hours after death. Four reputable Peoria Doctors to be the judges.

OF COURSE, we have proved, through documented and substantiated testimony that such cases as those referred to in the facsimile (part) circular to the left have been healed, but the IMPORTANT THING FOR US TO REMEMBER is that WE DO NOT HAVE TO DEFEND OUR PREACHING OF THE WORD OF GOD! JESUS CHRIST, HIMSELF, IS OUR DEFENDER.

As the great Hebrew teacher, Doctor of the Law, and scholar, Gamaliel, advised the council in Jerusalem, in Acts 5:38, 39—

"If this be of man, it will come to naught; but if it be of God, ye cannot overthrow it; lest ye be found even to fight against God."

We are not told to "contend for God's Word"—He will defend His Word—AND PERFORM IT! We are, only told to "CONTEND FOR THE FAITH!" Let all of us see that we do that!—EDITORS.
TOP: OVER-CAPACITY CROWDS THRONG HUGE TENT, as God confirms His Word with signs following, in great A. A. ALLEN SALVATION - HOW GHOST - HEALING REVIVAL in Beaumont, Texas. INSET—EVANGELIST A. A. ALLEN.

BOTTOM: MIRACLE NIGHT IN THE A. A. ALLEN REVIVAL, in Terre Haute, Indiana—in progress as this goes to press! On the night this picture was taken, the tent was filled nearly to capacity, in a downpour of rain!

MINISTER'S DAUGHTER
HEALED OF POLIO!

OUR LITTLE eight year old daughter was suddenly stricken with polio. She lost control of her right leg, as it became paralyzed. She could not even walk.

We carried her to the Allen revival, and Brother Allen cursed the spirit of infirmity, commanding it to go. God healed her immediately! We put her down on her feet, and immediately she could walk perfectly! SHE DOESN'T EVEN LIMP OR SHOW ANY SIGN OF BEING CRIPPLED!

Rev. and Mrs. M. W. Stackpole Warren, Texas

A. A. ALLEN REVIVAL TENTS, pitched in the heart of Houston, Texas, in the shadow of the skyscrapers. Many declared, "This was the greatest move of God ever seen in the Houston area."

FEATURED EVANGELISTS: A. A. Allen

ENLARGE THE PLACE OF LENGTHEN THY CLP
STRENGTHEN THY SIDE

NEW ALLEN TENT PROVES TOO SMALL—H

EVER INCREASING INTEREST among the people, and apparent hunger for the Word of God, preached in power and confirmed by signs following, demands a new addition be made to the Allen Revival equipment. Plans are under way to add a new section to both the "Big Top" and the prayer tent, which the Allen party have been using for less than a year.

Just over two years ago, A. A. Allen, nationally known evangelist with the Assemblies of God, and Gordon Kampfer, prominent pastor of the Eugene, Oregon, Assembly of God church, joined forces in the purchase of the 100 x 200 foot tent formerly used by William Branham.

Before the close of the first season, the small prayer tents purchased at this time had proved themselves entirely inadequate. In July 1952, a new prayer tent, 50 x 80 feet capable of accommodating an altar call of from 200 to 300 seekers, with sufficient personal workers, was add.
ed. Then, in the fall of 1952, the "Big Top" was replaced by a new one, adding 1000 to the seating capacity under the tent. This tent was set up for the second time, early this spring, in Houston. There, as well as in Beaumont the following month, the new, big tent was crowded beyond its capacity, making necessary the enlargement program, now being planned.

During the Beaumont revival, heavy rains sent rivers, both to the east and west of the city, out of their banks, closing highways, threatening homes, and leaving many homeless in the surrounding area, which normally would have been included in the area of the meeting. Some parts of the city itself were flooded. Water flooded into the tent lot to such an extent that it was necessary to pump water from under the tent into the storm sewers for several hours with three large centrifugal pumps. Yet the tent was packed to near capacity, people sitting with their feet in water, fervently worshiping God. Response to the altar calls was so great, that on some nights there was hardly room in the prayer tent for a sufficient number of personal workers to deal with the seekers.

Pastors from nearby Port Arthur, having been stirred and inspired by the anointed ministry of Clifton Ericson in a tent revival which closed after the Beaumont meeting opened, also came in to cooperate in Beaumont. Rev. C. L. Musgrove of Port Arthur, District Presbyter for the Beaumont Section, declared, "Revivals such as these are just what our area needs."

DETERMINED TO "BURN OUT FOR CHRIST"

FIFTEEN HUNDRED (1500) IN ONE SERVICE ANSWERED THE CHALLENGE! Pictured below are those who streamed down the aisle to pledge themselves to PAY THE PRICE for miracle working power, to carry the gospel of deliverance far and near. This "altar call" closes the usual "Spiritual Gifts Service" in the Allen campaigns. Allen's clear-cut, forceful preaching of this message has stirred thousands to a deeper consecration, as he ably sets forth the need for spiritual gifts, the scriptural method of attaining them, and his own heart searching experience as he sought God earnestly for the operation of the gifts in his own life. (This message is available in book form, enlarged and complete, from THE VOICE OF HEALING. Titled—"The Price of God's Miracle Working Power," by A. A. Allen—Price $1.00.)
FEATURED EVANGELISTS: Gayle Jackson


BELOW—IS SHOWN MINISTERS BANQUET of Sponsoring Pastors and their wives. Standing to the extreme left is EVANGELIST GAYLE JACKSON. Mrs. Jackson is to his left. Seated at the table, to extreme left, are Mrs. Verle Morgan and Evangelist Verle Morgan, Campaign Manager.

Atlanta, Ga., Witnesses Great Spiritual Revival as GAYLE JACKSON Ministers

Read the following comments from cooperating pastors:

Rev. Jimmie Mayo, Pastor
Washington Street Assembly, Atlanta
and
President of the Atlanta Pentecostal Fellowship

"After four weeks of REVIVAL, old fashioned 'Camp Meeting Style,' the name 'Gayle Jackson' has become one of a 'Champion' of all that Pentecostal people hold dear.

"Though a number of Full Gospel organizations were represented in this revival, not one inkling of denominationalism was ever seen or felt in the revival.

"The Pentecostal churches of this area will reap benefit from this meeting for many, many months to come."

Rev. Grover Langston
(LL.B., M.A., Ph.D., Pastor)
Grant Park Assembly
Atlanta, Georgia

"I sat through four weeks of Salvation and Divine Healing Revival meetings conducted by Evangelist Gayle Jackson.

"During these four weeks I witnessed wonderful realities of transformation made vivid before us by the Word of God.

"Very few have taken time to study this present day, working of the Holy Spirit through His servants. Many base their criticisms upon snap judgment made after an attendance at a single meeting. I confess, I, too, was a bit skeptical for quite some time. However, after attending the Gayle Jackson meetings, I am fully convinced this is the moving of God.

"I have seen crossed eyes straightened, blinded eyes opened, cancers disappear, I saw people from my own church delivered from binding habits and saved through the blood of Jesus."

[NOTE: Dr. Langston is a graduate of Southwestern Bible Institute in Atlanta, and he represents the Correspondence Department of one of the largest Bible schools in America. For seven years he was an ordained minister in the Baptist Denomination—has been a Christian thirty years. For the past 22 years he has been affiliated with the Assemblies of God.—EDITOR.]
My heart was thrilled as I stood on Sunday afternoon, May 31st, at 2:30 o'clock, watching the opening service of the great GAYLE JACKSON SALVATION-HEALING CAMPAIGN IN ATLANTA, GEORGIA, to which we had long looked forward.

On Monday night, Mr. Lee Field, Mayor pro-tem of the city, and Mr. Stone, prominent business man, gave words of welcome and stated that anything needed in the campaign would be furnished without charge, to which Brother Jackson responded gratefully and graciously.

Night after night sinners were moved upon by the hand of God and led to the altar. Gripped by conviction, they filled the prayer tents, and wept through to God in the old fashioned manner.

"Baptist, Methodist and many other denominational people were filled with the precious Holy Spirit."

Rev. Bill Lee, Pastor
East Lake Assembly of God
Atlanta, Georgia

Rev. Ralph Byrd
General Presbyter of the Assemblies of God
Pastor of Faith Memorial Church
Atlanta, Georgia

"The outstanding feature of this meeting was the great Holy Ghost Receiving Service when over 300 people received the Baptism of the Holy Ghost and spoke in tongues as on the day of Pentecost (Acts 2:4). This was one of the most thrilling manifestations of God's power I ever witnessed in my twenty-seven years of ministry. There is no way to describe the glory and power of God as the people received the Holy Spirit and began to speak in tongues immediately upon the touch of the hand, of the ministry.

"Truly this was one of the greatest outpourings of God's Spirit ever to come upon this Southern city.

"Wonderful miracles took place in each service. Mothers wept for joy as they saw their afflicted children and loved ones healed and made well by the power of God. Some of the most outstanding miracles ever witnessed in this city, occurred during this campaign. All were amazed as they saw twisted limbs and deformed bodies made straight, goiters and tumors disappear. Many were healed of cancer, and various other afflictions.

"Brother Gayle Jackson's life and ministry was an inspiration to me. His humility and meekness of spirit proved a tremendous influence on all the cooperating ministers. His love and compassion for the multitudes was manifested constantly as he dealt so patiently with each individual."

Rev. Earl P. Paulk, Jr.
Vice President of the
Full Gospel Fellowship of Atlanta, Georgia
Pastor, Hemphill Avenue Church
Atlanta, Georgia

"The great city of Atlanta, Georgia, has been literally shaken by one of the greatest revivals in its history, under the leadership of Reverend Gayle Jackson.

"Eternity alone will reveal all its wonderful results.

"Brother Gayle Jackson is a profound preacher, a modern Apollos, mighty in the scriptures. We learned to love him even more because of his fellowship with us. He is a busy man indeed, but is always ready with a kind word, a real handshake.

"The great singing, directed by Brother Morgan, Brother Jackson's platform manager, was such a blessing also. Truly he led us to sing in the Spirit."

Rev. Smith Haley
Secretary-Treasurer of the
Atlanta Pentecostal Ministerial Fellowship
Pastor, Pentecostal Holiness Church
Atlanta, Georgia

"He is very careful to present the Pentecostal message and not merely some denominational dogma.

"Brother Jackson also advised the converts and those who have received the Pentecostal experience that they should choose one of the Full Gospel churches with which to affiliate."
FEATURED EVANGELISTS: Russell B. Park
Iron River, Michigan, Scene of God's Blessing—as RUSSELL PARK Ministers!

RESULTS OF MEETING REMAIN AFTER EVANGELIST GOES
By Rev. H. L. Moody, Pastor, Assembly of God Church, Iron River, Michigan

Isaiah 12:3—“With Joy shall ye draw water out of the wells of Salvation.”

EVANGELIST and Mrs. Russell Park dared to trust God and come to Northern Michigan for a campaign May 3 to 31, 1953. God’s blessing was upon the meeting from the first night, as souls were saved. As the meeting continued, many souls were saved each night, and a goodly number received the Baptism of the Holy Spirit.

Many were healed of various physical ailments.

One lady was healed of a bone condition in her back which had hindered her doing her work for a number of years. As she stood in the prayer line, the Lord touched her. She returned to her seat completely healed.

One woman who had been deaf in one ear for 8 years, due to a dead nerve, had her hearing restored and now hears perfectly.

A little girl who had had polio 4 years before, and was unable to walk or to even stand without crutches, left her crutches and walked away.

Intestinal and hip trouble, left from child birth—Gall bladder trouble and Arthritis are now gone. Some were even healed by their radio as we broadcast the service.

Under the anointed ministry of Brother Park and Sister Park the Church was edified. Their one aim seemed to be to see souls won to Christ. Eternity alone will tell of the lasting results of this meeting.

The night following the campaign, 20 persons were baptized in water by the pastor and more are waiting to be baptized soon.

We are planning a return meeting with Brother Park next summer.

May God continue to bless the Ministry of Brother and Sister Park.

EVANGELIST’S NOTE
I know that the foremost thoughts in a pastor’s mind as he calls an evangelist is: Will He help our Church? Is he a fighter? Does he harvest souls for Christ or does he sow seeds of dissension for Satan?

Likewise, every evangelist who is called of God wonders: When I leave this place will the pastor care for the converts to Christ? Will he help them? Is he really interested in them?

NO SUCH THOUGHTS WERE MINE as I left Iron River. It was a privilege to be able to leave that city with the knowledge that the converts to Christ were in the hands of Brother and Sister Moody, who are sincerely paying the price to shepherd the flock of the Lord. The Deliverance message is not stilled in Iron River!

Russell Park

DEAF EIGHT YEARS—HEARING RESTORED!
I WANT TO TESTIFY to the Lord’s healing power. I was deaf in my right ear for eight years. I went to specialists and later had hearing tests. Nothing could help as they told me the nerve was dead.

On May 28th, 1953, Brother Russell Park prayed for me and my hearing was restored! I thank and Praise my wonderful Lord for healing me!

Mrs. Lena Hanninen
Iron River, Michigan

A PORTION OF THE CROWD attending the RUSSELL B. PARK SALVATION-HEALING CAMPAIGN in the High School Auditorium in Iron River, Michigan. Standing in the center aisle, left to right, is Evangelist Park, Rev. H. L. Moody, Pastor, Assembly of God Church in Iron River, Sister Moody and Sister Park. Seated to right of Rev. Park are Sister Edna Lindblad and Sister Marjorie Mitchum, Pastors of the Alvin, Wisconsin, Assembly, who assisted in the campaign.

FROM THE IRON RIVER REPORTER
(Monday, May 25, 1953)

Polio Victim Drops Crutches, Pastor Reports

A child crippled two years ago by polio dropped her crutches and began to walk unassisted last week at the Iron River Assembly of God church during a salvation and faith healing service conducted by a southern evangelist, it was reported today by the pastor of the church, Rev. Howard L. Moody.

He identified the child as the eight-year-old daughter of a Trout Creek widow, Mrs. Claude Cootware. The evangelist, Rev. Russell Park, encouraged the girl to walk without her crutches. She did so and followed him as he walked down the aisle and circled the interior of the church which was filled with 200 persons, Rev. Moody said.

“Has this little girl been able to walk without her crutches?” Rev. Park inquired of the mother. “Not more than a step or two,” answered the mother.

The pastor said the Cootware girl left her crutches behind in the church as a testimonial of the power of faith to heal at the services which Rev. Park is conducting nightly at 7:30 p.m. Rev. and Mrs. Park are staying at a Hagerman lake cottage secured for them by Rev. Moody.
FEATUED EVANGELISTS:
Gordon Lindsay-Alton Hayes

LINDSAY - HAYES HEALING RALLY PROVES BLESSING TO INDIANAPOLIS, IND.

By Rev. William Totman, Pastor
Lighthouse Tabernacle
Indianapolis, Ind.

GOD HAS WORKED WITH US, confirming His word with signs following, in opening a new work on the North Side of Indianapolis. We are not quite three years old and already we have built an annex during the past few months. I believe the success of this work depends largely upon the testimonies of those who have received healing in our local church. Many times as we begin the service, the power of God sweeps over the congregation and people are healed in their seats.

We have had several healing revivals in our city, and have noticed that after the meeting there was no let down but people were still hungry to move with God and some were healed in almost every service! We praise the Lord for the men whom God is raising up to preach the ministry of deliverance but we've found that pastors can have this same ministry, after seeking God's face and waiting upon Him! As I have looked upon the congregation, many times God has caused me to be conscious of the hunger in their lives for the supernatural power of God.

We were privileged to have Bro. Lindsay and Bro. Hayes in our city for a week's meeting, and we witnessed many miracles of healing. One man who plays the saxophone in our orchestra, was instantly healed of a severe ailment. He is perfectly normal now, and had an electrocardiogram last week and the doctor found his heart normal.

Our hearts were deeply stirred as Bro. Hayes called out different individuals and told them what was wrong with them. Since our brethren have been to Indianapolis we have been launching out into a new realm of faith, believing God for more souls, more signs, more miracles in the precious name of Jesus!

OPEN LETTER TO THE FULL GOSPEL PEOPLE

By The Editor

(CONTINUED FROM PAGE 8)

that every evangelist in THE VOICE OF HEALING so conduct his ministry as to fulfill the Bible injunction to have a 'good report among those with whom he ministers, and to be exemplary in his conduct, morally, financially, ethically, and in all other ways.

THE VOICE OF HEALING has, we believe, the confidence of the Full Gospel organizations. The continued strength of this great revival depends on the harmony and unity of all those who believe in it! Unity is not something that just happens; it is something that must be diligently striven for; it requires sympathy and cooperation from all concerned, and sometimes forgiveness of the thoughtlessness of others. It means absolute dependence on God, that His Spirit will do the needed work within our hearts! WITH GOD, ALL THINGS ARE POSSIBLE; therefore, we look forward with confidence to the time when all of God's people will be together and united as one Body in Christ, at His Coming!

We, therefore, ask that all the people of God labor diligently toward this end. Let us be slow in passing judgment on any of God's ministers. THE VOICE OF HEALING was not raised up to be a judge or a divider. Rather, we would ask that if one sees a brother falling, or in jeopardy, that he pray that God may save him from the enemy's snares or perhaps even from himself, and that God will give him that divine love which is so necessary in his ministry, without which an evangelist may do harm rather than good to God's cause.

We do, however, believe that we should make our position clear on one point. A true fellowship among God's people can only be permanently established among those who, in their hearts, fully believe in the ministry of the supernatural! There can be no lasting harmony between Christ's disciples and those who would oppose and deny the power of God! On that we dare not compromise, even a little! Belief in the ministry of the miraculous is the pillar and foundation of the Full Gospel revival. We must stand for the ministry of the miraculous! We must contend for the faith once delivered to the saints! We must believe for the present-day manifestation of the Gifts of the Spirit! Above all, we must not permit the fundamental truths of our Lord's Atonement to be weakened.

Concerning the great truth of Christ's Atonement for sin and sickness we must stand firm! There must be no equivocation, no hedging, no evasion. A man either believes that Divine healing is in the atonement or he does not. He can settle the matter for all concerned by saying, "Yes, I believe, without qualification, that Divine healing is in the Atonement." To deny this would be to betray all that we stand for. For this reason THE VOICE OF HEALING goes on record as advising all, who consider themselves Full Gospel ministers, to declare themselves on this point.

Incidentally, history has shown that the only great religious movements of the past have been those that God has definitely raised up! Such moves are not common, for God usually does this only when the organizations in existence definitely reject the move of God and decline into ecclesiasticism. May God keep us from that. The saddest thing about the Pharisees was that they were so blinded that they hadn't the slightest idea that they had been rejected of God. Jesus never said that they were usurpers. He admitted that they sat "In Moses' seat," but that they had utterly lost the Spirit and vision of God. If we should follow their example, God would surely raise up others to take our place in His plan, for nothing can stop God when He moves.

Finally may we say that THE VOICE OF HEALING has a unique and particular work to do. It is a united voice for world-wide revival! Its evangelists are from many organizations! The magazine is read by multiplied thousands in the older denominations. It reaches the homes of multitudes in other lands. It is a voice that cries aloud to all who believe in His name, saying, "Prepare ye the way of the Lord, make His paths straight!" Be ready, ye Church of the Living God, for the soon coming of your Lord and King! By then must be fulfilled that prayer of Jesus when He prayed, "Father, that they may be one, even as you and I are one." (John 17:21).
ISRAEL'S PROPHETIC DESTINY
REVEALED IN HER STAMPS

ONE OF THE MOST REMARKABLE phenomenon is the manner in which the nations have revealed their destiny in their postage stamps. Artists, who draw these designs, are apparently unaware of the prophetic significance of their work. In this article we shall consider some of the stamps issued by the new republic Israel.

Israel became independent in May, 1948. In her brief existence as a republic, she has issued a considerable number of postage stamps, and nearly one of them has a remarkable prophetic significance. In this article we shall take note of a number of these stamps, and the Bible significance of the designs. (Reference is by number to the stamps which appear on the front page.)

STAMP 1—DR. CHAIM WEIZMANN, FATHER OF MODERN ISRAEL

This notable Jewish statesman has played a most unique role in the modern history of Israel.

During World War I, he was a noted English chemist. During the most critical days of the war England exhausted her supply of a certain raw material essential in the manufacture of munitions. In desperation, the British government turned to Dr. Weizmann, requesting his help in the search for a substitute. Accepting the challenge, he was able in record time after prayer, to develop a new method of producing the vital chemical. In gratitude the British government asked him how they could reward him for his services. Dr. Weizmann replied that he asked nothing for himself but he implored the British government that it would, if the Mesopotamian campaign was successful, give the land of Palestine to his people for a national home.

Thus came about the Balfour Declaration in November, 1917, in which promise was made that the Jews would be permitted to return to the land which had been their home in Bible days! Dr. Weizmann later became the first president of the new republic.

STAMP 2—THE AIRPLANE—WHICH BECAME THE MEANS OF THE DELIVERANCE OF JERUSALEM

The Turks did not give up Palestine to the British without a struggle. As British armies neared Jerusalem, the fanatical Moslems prepared to fight in its defense to the last man. General Allenby, commander of the English army, feared that the sacred city would be destroyed in the struggle. A Christian himself, he went to his tent and prayed that this might be avoided. The answer came in a surprising fashion.

Over 2,500 years ago, the Prophet Isaiah had foreseen the deliverance of Jerusalem by the airplane. He said—

"AS BIRDS FLYING, so will the Lord of hosts defend Jerusalem; defending also He will deliver it; and passing over He will preserve it." (Isa. 31:5.)

This was surely a prophetic foreview of the airplane! Whether General Allenby was familiar with or understood this prophecy, we cannot say. Anyway, he decided to send over the city several scouting planes. When the superstitious Turks saw these strange objects in the sky, they fled from the city without firing a shot. Thus was the city of Jerusalem delivered, as the prophet had foreseen many centuries before.

STAMP 3—ISRAEL FIGHTS FOR HER RIGHT OF IMMIGRATION

Gentile nations have always opposed Israel's possession of the Holy Land. Luke 21:24 tells us that Jerusalem was to be trodden down of the Gentiles and the inhabitants scattered until the times of the Gentiles be fulfilled. After that, the Jews were to return despite all objections to the contrary. Ezekiel 36:24 declares,

"For I will take you from among the heathen, and gather you out of all countries, and will bring you into your own land."

STAMP 3 commemorates the Jews' successful fight for the right of emigration to the Holy Land. The Arabs fought bitterly against it. Britain, for a time, yielded to the Moslems' pressure. But, in the end, the Jews won. Today, a million and a half of them have made their home there—nearly as many as entered Canaan in the days of Joshua.

STAMP 4—ISRAEL SYMBOLICALLY TAKES THE DOVE WITH THE OLIVE LEAF

At last—to have a place which they could call their home—was great news to the friendless Jews of Europe. They recalled how that Noah, after the great judgment of the Flood upon the earth, sent forth a dove from the Ark. She returned with an olive leaf in her mouth (Gen. 8:11). Now, after centuries of dispersion for rejection of Christ, a dove again, as it were, brings the olive leaf to the Jews signifying that the days of their judgment will soon be over.

STAMP 5—GOD RAISES UP HELP IN AMERICA

Stamp 5 shows the Manhattan sky-line and the Zionist House. In the critical days when it seemed that the hopes of Palestine becoming a national home for the Jews were about to be shattered, the United States of America stood in the gap. The multitudes of Israel's friends in this land, mostly from New York City, sent millions of dollars to her assistance.

STAMP 6, 7, 8, AND 9—THE DESOLATE PLACE TILLED

With the coming of hundreds of thousands of immigrants, the Jews began to bring the land, which had lain desolate for centuries, back into cultivation. This was foreseen by the prophet Ezekiel when he said—

"The waste places shall be built.
And the desolate land shall be tilled!
"And they shall say, THIS LAND that was desolate has become like the Garden of Eden." (Ezek. 36:33-35.)

The first immigrants had to use primitive methods as is shown in Stamp 6.
where the horse pulls the plow. This method was too slow, however, if prophecy was to be fulfilled, and a "nation born in a day." With the flow of American capital, tractors and other farm machinery were imported and put to work, as is shown by Stamp 8. When hostile forces tried to stop them, they armed themselves as in the days of Nehemiah, but this time with army tanks! (Stamp 9)

Simultaneously the tree has become a symbol of the Jewish rehabilitation of the land. (See Stamp 7) The Turks had put a tax on trees, so the tax-hating Bedouins cut them down. But prophecy foretold that the land would become again like the Garden of Eden—and one of the outstanding beauties of Eden was its trees. Now millions upon millions of trees have been planted in Israel and forests have sprung up, which are having the effect of even changing the weather.

STAMP 10—ISRAEL BECOMES INDEPENDENT—HAS ITS OWN FLAG!

On May 16, 1948, the British withdrew their soldiers and, simultaneously, Israel proclaimed herself a republic!

For the first time in 2,500 years she was an independent nation. Her flag, with the emblem of the star of David upon it, was unfurled and raised over Jerusalem! What a great fulfillment of prophecy this was!

STAMP 11—OUTLINE OF THE NEW REPUBLIC OF ISRAEL!

This stamp was issued to show that not only had the Jews received a national home, after centuries of wandering, but that they were back again in the land that God had given to them when they crossed over Jordan and took the city of Jericho! The outline here in the man's hand is an outline of the boundaries of modern Israel. It is not quite the same outline as the familiar map of Palestine, for the Arabs still hold a portion of the country.

STAMP 12—EMBLEMS OF THE TWELVE TRIBES

This stamp is of tremendous significance. First of all it has the emblems of the twelve tribes—emblems taken from the prophecies of Jacob and Moses, who prophesied what would happen to the tribes of Israel in the last days. (Gen. 49:1 and Deut. 33) In his prophecy, Jacob speaks of the coming of Shiloh or Christ. (Gen. 49:10) In the center of the stamp is the golden candlestick with the three branches on each side. This provided the light for the sanctuary, the only light permitted in the Tabernacle.

But scholars universally agree that the "candlestick is the type of Christ, our light, shining in the fullness of the power of the sevenfold Spirit." (Scotfield Bible)

Thus does the nation Israel recognize unwittingly that the Saviour she rejected has become her light. Not yet do the returned Jews, as a nation, recognize Jesus as the Messiah, yet more and more of their number are accepting Him, and the time is not far off when, as Rosh (Russia) invades the nation, the people in their hour of trial will as a whole accept the One they rejected, as prophesied in Zech. 12:10—

"And I will pour upon the house of David, and upon the inhabitants of Jerusalem, the Spirit of grace and supplications; and they shall look upon me whom they have pierced, and they shall mourn for him, a nation much exalted unto heaven, shall be brought down to hell . . ."

This picture of the Sea of Galilee, with Tiberius in its center, unwittingly calls attention to the great judgment which came upon the nation because its people rejected the healing ministry of Christ!

STAMP 13—ISRAEL MINTS HER OWN COINS—HER OWN MONEY

Immediately upon her declaration of independence, Israel began coinage of her own money—for the first time in 25 centuries! (The coin pictured on Stamp 13 is an ancient Hebrew coin.) Even in the days of Jesus, while the Jews were still in Palestine, the nation did not have its own money. It will be remembered that the coins that were shown to the Lord had the superscription of Caesar upon them. For centuries the Arabs and Turks provided the coinage for Palestine. Their last coins were minted in 1917 and had the year 1335 upon them—being the 1335th year of the Mohammedan Era! Daniel has said concerning his people, "Blessed is he that waiteth, and cometh to the thousand three hundred and fifty and thirty days." (Dan. 12:12.)

STAMP 14—JERUSALEM BEING REBUILT

This stamp shows the new university which has been built at Jerusalem, typical of the many fine new buildings erected there in recent years.

While in Jerusalem the writer stayed in the beautiful Y.M.C.A. building. Across the street is the magnificent Hotel David. This new section of Jerusalem is as modern as any city in the world. What does it mean? It is a sign of the soon appearing of the Lord!

"When the Lord shall build up Zion, he shall appear in his glory." (Psa. 102:16) .

STAMP 15—THE SEA OF GALILEE

Nested and encircled in hills is the sea of Galilee. Along its shores is the city of Tiberius. But why show Tiberius on the stamp? Why not Capernaum, or Bethsaida, or Chorazin—for those were the great flourishing cities of Bible days clustered, as they were, around Galilee's shores? Tiberius in those days was just being built. Today Bethsaida and Chorazin no longer exist, scarcely a trace of them is left. How did this happen? Those were the cities which rejected the healing revivals! Jesus said, in Matthew 11:21-23—

"Woe unto thee, Chorazin! Woe unto thee, Bethsaida! for if the mighty works, which were done in you, had been done in Tyre and Sidon, they would have repented long ago in sackcloth and ashes. And thou Capernaum, which art exalted unto heaven, shall be brought down to hell . . ."

This picture of the Sea of Galilee, with Turins in its center, unwittingly calls attention to the great judgment which came upon the nation because its people rejected the healing ministry of Christ!

STAMP 16—THE FLYING SCROLL—JUDGMENT!

This stamp has as its design the Flying Scroll. The word, "scroll" is mentioned but twice in the Bible and both times in connection with world judgment at the time of the end! Read the first four verses of Isaiah 34, where it speaks of the Lord gathering the nations together for the Battle of Armageddon. At that time the prophecy declares—

"And all the host of heaven shall be dissolved, and the heavens shall be rolled together as a scroll. . . ." (Verse 4)

Rev. 6:12-17 gives a parallel picture of this judgment which is to come upon the earth, making mention again of the word, "scroll"—

"And the heaven departed as a scroll when it is rolled together: and every mountain and island were moved out of their places." (Verse 14)

The Flying Scroll, appearing on Israel's postage stamps, foreshadows the hour of judgment which shall come upon the land.

STAMP 17—THE EARTH AND THE "CHASED ROE"—SYMBOL OF JUDGMENT

Stamp 17 is even more startling in its significance, and it, too, speaks of the

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THE DIFFERENT SENSE in which American and British churches use the word "revival" tends to obscure the true meaning, which I hope to show in this article. In our American churches a "revival" frequently describes a local evangelistic effort which in Britain would be called a "campaign." We often see notices to the effect that So-and-So will "hold a revival!" in Such-and-Such a place. This is quite a good meaning, and we all hope that the effort will truly revive the local work of God. But I think that throughout the whole English-speaking world we still mean by a "revival" a deep, widespread returning to God on a national or a regional scale. This is the sense in which we refer to the Welsh Revival of 1904.

We are living in an era, one almost said a phase, of the Pentecostal Movement when a great number of campaigns are being conducted by gifted individual evangelists in many parts of the world. Most of them feature healing, which have that as their main attraction. Some of these campaigns run to mammoth proportions and are accompanied by almost every conceivable form of organization and publicity beforehand, and while the campaign is in progress. As a result, huge crowds of 15,000 to 150,000 people are recorded, in which very large numbers signify some form of acceptance of Jesus Christ as a Saviour, and whole communities are made conscious of the claims of religion. He would be a churl indeed who did not rejoice in these things and recognize their value in the Kingdom of God. Lasting personal work is done in many hearts and lives; the local churches have their zeal re-kindled and, in many ways, there is a reviving of local spiritual life.

But loosely to speak of such campaigns as a "Revival" in the full sense of the word is misleading and mistaken. Too easily we become intoxicated by crowds, and even mistake a gaping, curious crowd, or a healing-seeking crowd, for a deep work. It is generally true that our "self-styled" "revival" is often limited to the passing excitement of some special meetings largely centering around the personality of the special preacher. We cannot escape the acid test of how much remains in the way of lasting accessions to the Church when our campaign is all over and the preacher has moved on. That is the final criterion. A disappointment on this line is not necessarily a criticism of the evangelist. He may have done his part nobly and well. But it underlines the fact that a campaign, however temporarily successful, is NOT a "Revival." We need something deeper. When a whole community is touched by a true Revival it is often true that almost all the features of the special "campaign" are absent or obliterated. Writing about the Revival in San Salvador, Mrs. Ruth Steelberg says that after the evangelist had moved on, "The Revival continues, with two meetings each day. At least 100 profess conversion in every service. It doesn't seem to matter who preached; the results are the same. From all over the Republic come reports of people who have been miraculously healed." Notice particularly the significant sentence: "The Revival doesn't seem to matter who preaches." I think that nearly always marks Revival. But, in a Campaign everything revolves around the preacher.

A personal correspondent has written to me about the Hebrides Revival in Scotland — "Duncan Campbell was sitting in the Convention in Bangor (Ireland) when he felt he must leave at once. He went to Bernera, where someone met him without any human pre-arrangement. As the congregation left the church in Bernera and were moving down the hill to the main road, the power of God fell upon the people in Pentecostal power — no other word can describe it, and the voice of prayer and praise from the people of God was mingled with the cry of the penitent, many of whom fell on their faces before God. Within a matter of hours the whole Island was gripped by an awareness of God, bringing deep conviction of sin, and a hunger, which found expression in crowded meetings. Perhaps the outstanding feature of the movement was a deep hunger after God. Meetings were held during the day, and right through the night, in the homes of the people, and out in the open."

I trust nobody will be so foolish as to think that I am disparaging campaigns. Very often they thrill my soul, and I have seen the great and lasting good they can, and often do, accomplish. For pioneer missionary work they have a unique and univalued value. May the Lord bless and use our brave evangelists, while we give them our loyal and unstinted support. But I am sure that we shall not be satisfied with anything less than true Revivals in every land. And, by that, we mean deep and wide working of God’s Holy Spirit in answer to prayer, until the whole spiritual atmosphere is charged with a power that convicts men of sin and of righteousness and of judgment. By those Christ-ordained tokens we shall know of a truth that in that community the Comforter has come.

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ISRAEL'S PROPHETIC DESTINY

REVEALED IN HER STAMPS

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coming judgment upon the earth. Isaiah 13, beginning at the 9th verse, gives the setting—

"Behold, the day of the Lord cometh, cruel both with wrath and fierce anger. ...

"Therefore I will shake the heavens, and the earth shall remove out of her place, in the wrath of the Lord of Hosts, and in the day of his fierce anger.

And it shall be as the chased roe ...

This passage, which speaks of judgment, in which the earth shall be moved out of her place as a "chased roe," is amazingly pictured in this stamp — the real significance of which the designers probably had no idea.

STAMP 18—THE SYMBOL OF SEVENTY

THE NUMBER OF FULFILLMENT

IN ISRAEL

This remarkable stamp has the number 70 engraved upon it, with a background of harvest time! We are today in the world’s Harvest! (Rev. 14:15)

The Scofield Bible, using secular chronology, shows Israel to have entered Pal-

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ISRAEL'S PROPHETIC DESTINY REVEALED IN HER STAMPS
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In the year 1451 B.C. According to this, Israel's 70th Jubilee will occur in 1979-80 A.D. However, Bible Chronology shows Israel to have entered the land in 1477 B.C. In that case Israel's 70th Jubilee will occur about next year. The period of the 70th Jubilee will then extend between 1954 and 2003 A.D.

We do not wish to set dates; but is it presumptious, in view of world developments, to state that the crisis of world history will surely take place during those years? We could also speak concerning the remarkable prophecy of "Daniel's Seventy (70) Weeks." (See Daniel,9)

There are, however, some differences in views concerning the fulfillment of that prophecy and it is not the purpose of this article to enter into the subject at this time. One thing is certain—we are living in the hour of fulfillment of prophecy. Now is the time for every man and woman to prepare for the greatest event of history—the Coming of our Lord Jesus Christ!

STAMPS 19-23—WHICH PREDICT THE MILLENNIUM

Read Isaiah 35 in connection with these stamps. "The wilderness and the solitary place shall be glad for them; and the desert shall rejoice, and blossom as the rose." (Vs. 1)

Thus shall it be when Jesus comes! The earth shall be restored to its condition as it was in the days of Eden. These stamps show the flowers and fruit of the land point forward to the glad day of the Millennium which is soon to come.

The last stamp showing the dove, the symbol of peace, prefigures the reign of peace, which shall come when the Prince of Peace reigns in Jerusalem!

Isaiah 2:2-4 also tells us about this time when—

"Nations shall beat their swords into plowshares, and their spears into pruning-hooks; nation shall not lift up sword against nation, neither shall they learn war anymore!"

The glorious hour is at hand! The Jews who have returned to Palestine are yet in unbelieving; never-the-less, the hour is drawing near for national repentance. And knowingly, or unknowingly, they are depicting in the designs on their postage stamps a clear outline of events which are soon to take place, that will effect them and also the whole world.

How is it with you, sinner friend? Will you now surrender all to Christ and give him your heart? DO IT NOW! DELAY NOT! FOR, TOMORROW WILL BE TOO LATE!

LAVOR TROUBLE

LAST YEAR in California alone there were 217 strikes or work stoppages, affecting 234,000 job holders, who lost a total of 4,410,000 man days in wages and production. This report was contained in a recent bulletin issued by Paul Scherr, California Industrial Relations director. Trouble between capital and labor is prophesied for the last days. "Go to now, ye rich men, weep and howl; for your miseries that shall come upon you. Ye have heaped treasure together in the last days, and it shall be a testimony against you at the last day. Ye havefoolishly Fastened Your Heart on riches; ye have reaped down, and you have reaped thorns; ye are asaliens and strangers in the land, where ye do not know the owner of the vineyard. For I say unto you, that God shall gather you into everlasting contempt." (Luke 6:24-26)

FEARFUL SIGHTS

An epidemic of tornadoes has swept this country, leaving death and disaster in their wake. Already this year 249 tornadoes (at the time of this writing) have struck this country with a record of more than 400 persons killed. Such "fearful sights" are to be expected in these last days before the return of Christ (Luke 21:11). Even now we seem to have reached the time when "the whole creation groaneth and travaileth, waiting for the adoption, to wit, the redemption of the body." (Romans 8:22)

EUROPEAN OUTLOOK

Fear that the Big Three Bermud meeting will replace Russia, as the dark cloud that has overshadowed Germany the past eight years, rather than be a beacon light and be an inspiration for Germany's future, has gripped high government circles of West Germany, according to Karl H. von Wiegand, American Foreign Correspondent of the New York Times, Zurich.

Chancellor Adenauer has sent a representative to Washington with an appeal to President Eisenhower and Secretary of State Dulles not to let Germany be sold down the river as the price of peace with Soviet Russia. Adenauer was impelled to this action by alleged "alarming confidential information" and worry that decisions may be reached at Bermuda without consultation with Bonn.

According to Mr. von Wiegand, the big question in Bonn today is "Will President Eisenhower, Secretary of State Dulles and the United States Congress agree to a neutralization and permanent complete disarmament and defenselessness of a United Germany as the price of peace with Communist Russia?" Such an eventuality would be a great victory for Russia's new ruler, Georgi Malenkov. A divided Germany is not according to Bible prophecy (Ezekiel 38). Students of prophetic truth believe Germany must be united, and that all of Germany east of the Elbe will be for Russian control before the final culmination of the prophecies for this dispensation. It could well be that present trends will end in the uniting of Germany, giving the way for the Russians to seize control of that country.

NERVOUS TENSIONS

If you are suffering from indigestion or heartburn, it's possible that a visit to the tax office, a quarrel with the wife or driving down a congested street is the cause. Man wasn't built for the turmoil and insecurity of modern life, according to Dr. Clifford J. Barborka, Chicago physician who spoke recently in Kansas City. It was man's resulting from the nervous tensions of this day, are believed by this physician to be one of the main causes of indigestion and other illness prevalent among so many people. The 1st chapter of Luke surely portrays a picture of the pressures and tensions which are today in evidence throughout the world.

GROWTH OF ISRAEL

David Ben-Gurion, Prime Minister of Israel, speaking on the occasion of the 5th anniversary of the reestablishment of the State of Israel, said: "We doubled our population in four years. This rate of immigration and the tempo of its absorption are perhaps without precedent in history. Together, veteran settlers and new immigrants, we have in the five years of our existence built new settlements, villages, cities, suburbs, constructed a network of roads, extended our railways, enlarged our ports, built new airfields, erected houses, hospitals and schools, set up new factories, expanded our agriculture, increased our industrial output. "The construction of 200,000 housing units is an index of our building activity. We have initiated large irrigation schemes to bring waters from the well-watered north to give life to the arid and barren south. And in the Negev, the southern half of our country, we have begun the exploitation of our newly discovered mineral resources." How perfectly this report of growth in Israel coincides with the many Bible prophecies relating to the gathering of the Jews to the promised land and the rebuilding of that country, as a sign of the endtime. "When the Lord shall build up Zion, he shall appear in his glory." Psalm 102:16.

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