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# PILGRIM



# NEWS

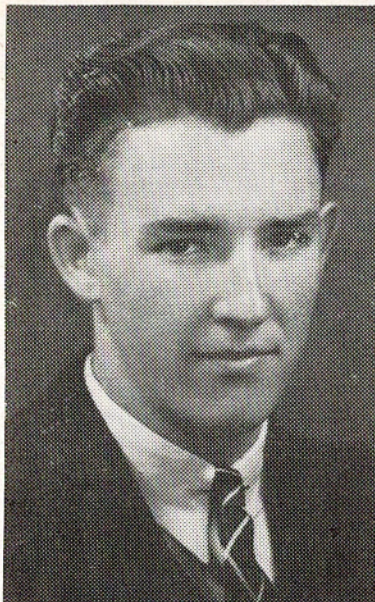
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## Pilgrim Youth Items



By CLIFFORD W. THOMAS

Greetings in the name of our risen Saviour and coming King! "Grace be to you and peace from God the Father, and from our Lord Jesus Christ, who gave himself for our sins, that he might deliver us from this present evil world, according to the will of God and our Father: to whom be glory forever and ever."

### PILGRIM PINES

Last Tuesday two cars of weary, dirty, heavy bearded men returned at a late hour from Pilgrim Pines. No—they hadn't been lost—just working. We now have one utility building erected in preparation for our Youth Camp. It is still imperative that we erect a kitchen immediately. Volunteers for work are gratefully accepted.

We are looking forward to a great conference, expecting to meet YOU there.

### PENNY-A-DAY

Enlistments wanted! A penny-a-day for new work. This project is now five years old, and has the grand record of raising \$8,620.86 that has been used for the establishing of three churches, two of which have been organized. Our district conference voted to continue this program as was being carried on by the former Holiness Church. So, it is forward—march—to a better and greater year than ever.

At the earliest possible date we shall select the field and the workers that we are to support. In the meantime, "Let's get those pennies rolling!" We urge every local young people's society to get behind this program and PUSH! There is no better place to put your money than into Home Missions. A large Penny-a-day Banner will be given each month on the percentage basis, to the local society that has the largest offerings.

### RALLIES

A committee is now working on the zoning of our district. We hope to soon have an inspirational young people's rally every month in your zone. Let us make these rallies a *red letter* day in each month. Each local society needs the fellowship and encouragement to be found in these meetings. "United we stand, divided we fall."

Rev. David Olson has accepted a call to the Rocky Mountain Conference and has already taken up his work in the new field. Bro. Olson has a host of friends, old and new who wish him God's best.

## Well Done



REV. and MRS. JOSEY

For the past several years Rev. R. W. Josey has been the pastor of the Corona Pilgrim Church and a faithful and beloved pastor he is.

Mrs. Josey has made a splendid pastor's wife ministering to the needs of the community and has been a very real help to her husband.

It is with regret that we announce that Bro. Josey refused to let his name run for re-election this year.

He has been suffering with sinus trouble for several years and wanted to be relieved of his duties last year but was persuaded to continue. This year, however, it will be necessary for Bro. Josey to be hospitalized for a time.

During their pastorate the Joseys have endeared themselves to the ministry and laity of the conference, as well as the local church and community. They have been good and faithful servants in our conference.

May God richly bless and restore him to health and a place in His service—this is our prayer; our sincere appreciation for a "mission accomplished," a task well done!

## Zoned

The Conference Council and the Y. P.'s President have separated the conference into the following zones:

No. 1: Cottonwood, Prescott, Phoenix and Tucson.

No. 2: Chino, Corona, Pomona, Riverside, Redlands, San Dimas.

No. 3: Buena Park, East Los Angeles, El Monte, Long Beach, N. Redondo Beach, Santa Ana and Wilmar.

No. 4: Eastmont, East Pasadena, Highland Park, Pasadena Michigan Ave., Pasadena Filipino, Rees Memorial, Rosemead and San Fernando.

No. 5: Oak View, Ojai, Santa Barbara Ortega St., Santa Barbara San Andres St. and Ventura.

Dobbins and Rocklin have been co-operating in services; Fresno and San Diego are not close enough to participate in zone rallies.

## The Call of the North

We have lost another whom we have learned to love as a brother in Christ and a good minister of the Gospel. Rev. Sherman Moore is taking the Pilgrim Church at Klamath Falls, Oregon. Bro. and Sis. Moore did a splendid piece of work at Pomona, showing a good increase in attendance and interest each year of their pastorate and adding several members to the church.

They leave a host of friends who say, "May God bless and prosper you."



## EASTMONT

The Alfred Adams Sr. Memorial Church is to be reopened! Rev. Katharine Hollowell has accepted appointment to the Eastmont Church and will take up her duties there about September 15th.

Sis. Hollowell is no stranger to many of our readers and has a splendid record, especially in children's work. We prophesy good days ahead for Eastmont.

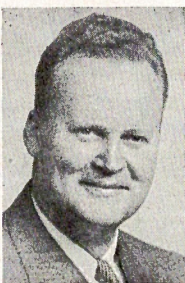
## SAN DIEGO



REV. R. A. MORAN

The conference council appointed Rev. R. A. Moran as pastor at San Diego and he has accepted. Join us in prayer that a new church location may be found even in these troublous times.

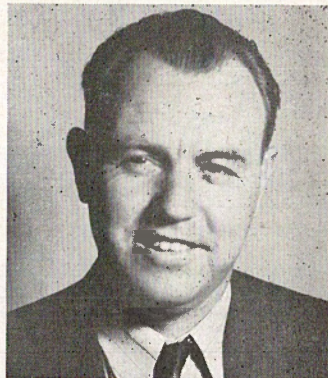
## POMONA



REV. C. A. NICOLA

What's that noise? Why, the carpenters are moving walls and constructing others. The smell of fresh paint is in the air; and

## OJAI

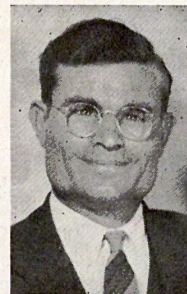


REV. CLIFFORD L. MORGAN

There is a splendid group of Pilgrims at Ojai. They have extended a call to Rev. Clifford Morgan, vice president of the former Holiness Church and member of the conference council, to be their pastor and he has accepted.

Bro. Morgan is a splendid pastor and experienced in the field of radio. May God grant them a successful ministry at Ojai.

## NO. REDONDO BEACH



REV. IRA GRAHAM

Rev. Ira Graham is serving his first year in pastoral work at North Redondo. He has proved a Spirit-filled layman for a number of years and we believe the Lord will bless him in his new work.

## SAN DIMAS

Rev. Paul Beck is the efficient pastor at San Dimas. For three years he pastored the Pasadena Holiness Church with marked results. We are confident that San Dimas under his leadership will be a powerful church.

## HIGHLAND PARK



REV. ALBERT LIGHT

Highland Park has a new pastor—Rev. Albert Light has accepted a call for the year.

It was your humble servant's privilege to be with the Highland Park pilgrims for a Sunday service recently. The blessing of God was on the people—there were seekers at the altar and since that time several have been accepted as members of the local church.

## WILMAR

Rev. Wilbur Tracy is the new pastor at Wilmar, formerly called Garvey Hills. Bro. Tracy has done good work at North Redondo as pastor and we predict even better things for him in the future.

## Prayer

It is difficult to form a right conception of the unspeakable importance of prayer. It is requisite for His presence. The power of the Spirit for personal living, wisdom and unction for christian service depend largely on prayer.

United praying brings increased

## Special Request

## ORGANIZE PRAYER GROUPS

in

## EVERY CHURCH

to

## PRAY FOR SPECIAL



would you look at the potted arbonitae decorating the church entrance.

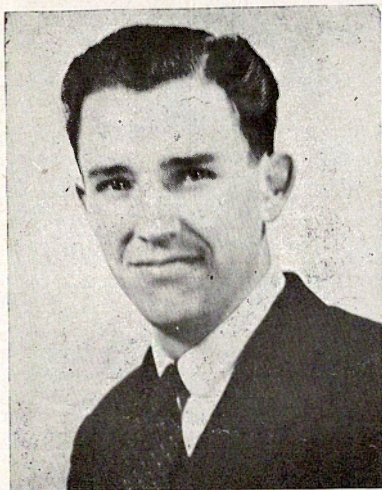
What's happened? Nicolas have come to Pomona. Five were at the altar the first Sunday night and seven have united with the church.

#### REDLANDS

Redlands, the university town, has played an important part in the past history of the Holiness Church and was at one time a strong center. They have called as pastor Rev. Donald Washburn.

Bro. Washburn is the conference secretary and has a good pastoral record. It is our firm belief that Redlands will become a strong church.

#### CHINO



REV. CLIFFORD THOMAS

The Chino Pilgrims have called Rev. Clifford Thomas as their pastor for the coming year. Bro. Thomas opened up a new work at Central Point, Oregon and last year was one of the professors at H. E. I. The Thomases did a splendid work with the Junior Camp. We predict great things for Chino.

## CONFERENCE NEEDS

### Conference News

Corona has just closed a summer revival with good results. Rev. C. A. Nicola was the evangelist.

Rev. John Carlson and family are preparing to leave for the West Indies as missionaries. They are going out under the auspices of God's Bible School and will be leaving some time in September.

Sis. Hollowell has just closed a Daily Vacation Bible School at Ventura and will be beginning a similar school at Dobbins, Calif. next week.

We had the privilege of holding a meeting for Rev. Blanchard at Santa Barbara, our senior pastor of the conference. There was a splendid spirit in the service and three new members were received into the fellowship of the local church. Good work, Bro. Blanchard.

Rev. Lorin Wilson has returned to New York for a vacation and a visit with his aged mother and friends of former days.

Rev. and Mrs. O'Harra of Cottonwood, Arizona, are hoping to start construction on a new church this fall.

Word has just been received of increased attendance and interest at the Long Beach Church. We do thank God for sustaining Bro. and Sis. Benner during the days of parsonage building and are glad to hear of increased interest.

One was shouting, another exhorting. Presently a man arose and requested prayer; then a young lady did likewise. Someone suggested that they all gather

around the altar for prayer—and PRAISE GOD, two souls prayed through. When? Where? The other evening at the East Pasadena Pilgrim Church on prayer meeting night. Better not stay away from prayer meeting—you don't know when it may happen again.

Pilgrims go to church in hot weather! We attended Rees Memorial Church a few Sundays ago and were happy to see a large crowd and a splendid spirit. Bro. Hahn preached an anointed message. Bro. Neff, home between camps, was also present.

Sis. Nicola is well on the way to recovery and will soon be taking her place beside her good husband in the pastorate.

Rev. Eugene Probst, who served as supply pastor at San Diego during the past year, is taking full time work at P.B.C. this year.

Bro. Probst was offered a pastorate in this zone. However, he does not feel clear to accept pastoral work here at this time. We thank the Probsts for supplying at San Diego last year and trust the work at P.B.C. will prove a real blessing and benefit.

### Gone Home

Sis. Clara Nottingham Davee went to be with her Lord the latter part of July, 1946, from her home near Lancaster, California.

She leaves her husband, James Davee, and daughter, Mrs. Phyllis Ball. She was a tent worker in the early days of The Holiness Church and remained true to God and Holiness.

unity and power. "Where Christ's disciples are linked to each other in love and yield themselves wholly to Him in undivided consecration, the Spirit will be given from heaven . . . and Christ will show His mighty power."

There are many conference needs—therefore we are urging *that each church form at least one prayer group to pray for conference needs.*

Prayer for: the ministry, revival meetings, zone meetings, Sunday school rallies, smaller churches, the evangelists, new work at Dobbins, Prescott, etc., for new fields.

#### EL MONTE



REV. G. L. PALMER

Rev. G. L. Palmer has accepted the call extended to him by the El Monte Church.

The school church is a very important church in the conference and we pray that God will give Bro. Palmer wisdom and unction as he ministers to the people and sets the pattern for the budding theologians that will be studying for the ministry.