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everyone received a gift. 45 young people
came forward for salvation and consecra-
tion.

**Philadelphia Booms Ahead with
A Solid, Organized Front**

PHILADELPHIA, PA.—Philadelphia is
rolling along in good form now in a united
front as YOUTH FOR CHRIST has moved
into Town Hall. A full-time secretary has
been employed to keep things moving and
cooperation has been assured from many of
the outstanding evangelical youth groups.

The united effort became a reality on Fri-
day, December 7, 1945, after much prayer
and planning. Walter H. Smyth is coordi-
nating the work. Town Hall is regarded as
the largest, and acoustically most perfect, in
the entire city. Cooperation has been assured
from the Philadelphia School of the Bible,
Bible Institute of Pennsylvania, Salvation
Army, Pocket Testament League, Child
Evangelism Fellowship, Bible Club Move-
ment, Christ for America, Christian Business
Men's Committee and practically all of the
Saturday night rallies, plus many evangelical
churches.

R. Fenton Duvall, who previously direct-
ed the "King's Singers" on a coast-to-coast
network, heads the talented musical staff,
with Miss Ethel Harbach handling things
in the office.

Tientsin, China, YFC Hopes to Broadcast!

TIENTSIN, CHINA—"Our Tientsin
YOUTH FOR CHRIST is progressing.
Many souls have been saved through this
ministry of the Gospel. At our last meeting
the church was packed. The great majority
was Chinese; there were so few marines
that were there. But God is no respecter of
persons and in spite of our newness at con-
ducting such meetings, leading the song
service and doing the interpreting, 20 souls
were saved that night.

"Chaplain Howie was the speaker. Our
program was not as attractive as we hope to
make it. We need more talented people on
the program but it is hard to find them.

"At a recent meeting we elected officers.
Dr. Byron was elected chairman and myself

vice chairman. Please pray for us here, be-
cause we know that when the Spirit starts
to work the devil starts, too. I believe and
trust and know that our Lord is the victor
and we shall be more than conquerors
through Him. We need much prayer.

"Two churches have started to cooper-
ate with us and hold meetings on Wednes-
day nights and Sunday afternoons in which
we help. We are now praying that God will
open the door to let us broadcast over the
radio. If this works out according to His
will we shall have three evening, Tuesday,
Thursday and Saturday evenings, each for
25 minutes. We are planning on calling it
the Youth for Christ Hour... The choir of
one of these two churches has agreed to sing.
I believe that this is the greatest advertise-
ment we ever could have. We are praying,
and please pray with us, that this door may
be opened unto us. It is the local station, the
only one in Tientsin."—Theodore Choy, spe-
cialist, Marines.

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WERE STUDENTS
AT WHEATON COLLEGE*

**MANILA, LUZON, PHILIPPINE IS-
LANDS**—YOUTH FOR CHRIST in Manila
and throughout the Philippines now has a
weekly broadcast over station KZFM each
Sunday at 1:30 p.m.

Station KZFM is owned and operated by
the United States Office of War Informa-
tion. It operates on a frequency of 750 kilo-
cycles, 5,000 watts, and can be heard through-
out the Philippines and probably to the coast
of China and Japan. The YOUTH FOR
CHRIST broadcast came about as a result
of efforts and prayers of GI's attending the
G.I. Gospel Hour and the YOUTH FOR
CHRIST meetings in Manila on Saturday
and Sunday nights. Station time is given
free and the leaders are anxious to present
top-flight programs.

Bill Adams of Philadelphia, Pa., is direct-
ing the program at present. Another Youth
for Christ service now is being held in the
Knox Memorial church on Rizal avenue on
Saturday nights from 6 to 7 p.m.

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Salem Features Recreational Center

SALEM, OREGON—Salem's Youth Center, located in the heart of downtown, provides recreational equipment and canteen service. It's open daily except Sunday, maintains a positive Christian environment and already has made it necessary to plan for larger space.

DeVern Fromke, Seattle Pacific College graduate, is full-time director at Salem and emcees the bi-weekly rallies that draw up to 2000 regularly.

SEE YFC MAGAZINE SEPT. 1948
New Year's Eve Rally Gets Tsingtao, China Underway

TSINGTAO, CHINA—About December 1, 1945, several marine and navy personnel stationed near Tsingtao had an idea for a YOUTH FOR CHRIST meeting. Its realization seemed an impossibility, but after a month of prayer and planning, Tsingtao YOUTH FOR CHRIST blossomed out on New Year's Eve.

Advertisements, placards and individual pluggers were placed all over the city and announcements were made over the local marine radio station. The meeting was held on 10:00 o'clock (7 p.m. to civilians) in the Christ (Lutheran) church. The program was in charge of Pfc. Bernard Holmquist of the 22nd Marines. Sgt. Bill Twigger led the choir along with playing for the congregational music led by Sgt. Earl Ireton of the 22nd Marines.

A Chinese girls' trio sang two numbers, and two sailors from the U.S.S. Kermit Roosevelt—Ray Wilson and Ed Petty—added two duets. Jack Kelley and Lt. Horace Ball read Scripture and led in prayer. Doris Rinell, a nurse in a German hospital, Ray Wilson, Mr. Frank Wan, a Chinese layman, and Pfc. Wayne Grubb told of what Christ had done for them. Six husky sailors from the U.S.S. Kermit Roosevelt took care of the ushering. Speaker for the rally was Dr. Frank Connelly, an American missionary in China.

The second service was scheduled for Saturday, January 12, with Rev. Charles Reinbrecht, an American missionary and a coast guardsman in World War 1, as the speaker.

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STATE ROUNDUP

Slipping in and out from meeting to meeting and state to state.

California

CALIFORNIA—Rev. and Mrs. Glen Jones spoke and sang recently at Red Bluff YFC... Monrovia-Arcadia YFC went on the air from 9 to 9:30 p.m. over KMPC when Dr. Louis Evans was the speaker... Bellflower has a band under the leadership of Rev. A. W. Todd; invitations have reached it from Los Angeles and Long Beach. Bellflower speakers included Eugene Palmer, ex-gambler, and Victor Stroud. Phil Kerr directs... The Biola male quartet sang at Ontario YFC the night that Dr. William Orr from the Biola staff spoke... Culver City's YFC heard former British secret service agent Andy Tilfer, now with the Salvation Army, recently... Santa Rosa YFC reaps plenty of favorable newspaper publicity from the Democrat and Republican, respective papers in town. Meetings are held in the Christian Missionary Alliance, Baptist, Nazarene, Assembly of God churches, with a hope to get into the high school auditorium soon... Out San Francisco way the YFC meetings have heard Arvid Carlson, Los Angeles evangelist, Rev. Robert Munger, Berkeley, Calif., Rev. Porter Barrington, Dr. Paul Rood, Hubert Mitchell... 7,000 attended a recent rally in the civic auditorium, with Torrey M. Johnson speaking... Bakersfield YFC is on a weekly diet now. One recent speaker was Chaplain Harry Warwick of San Quentin penitentiary. A letter to the editor in a recent issue of the Bakersfield CALIFORNIA noted that 238 inches were given to liquor advertising in that issue and only two inches to a YOUTH FOR CHRIST story...

Oceanside YFC may be moving by now; organization meetings have been held... Arnold Grunigen, San Francisco businessman, spoke at Modesto YFC in the First Baptist church there... The North Sacramento Area Ministerial association is sponsoring the YFC meetings in North Sacramento. Former dance band leader Paul R. Cowles spoke recently... Dawson Trotman at the speaker's helm