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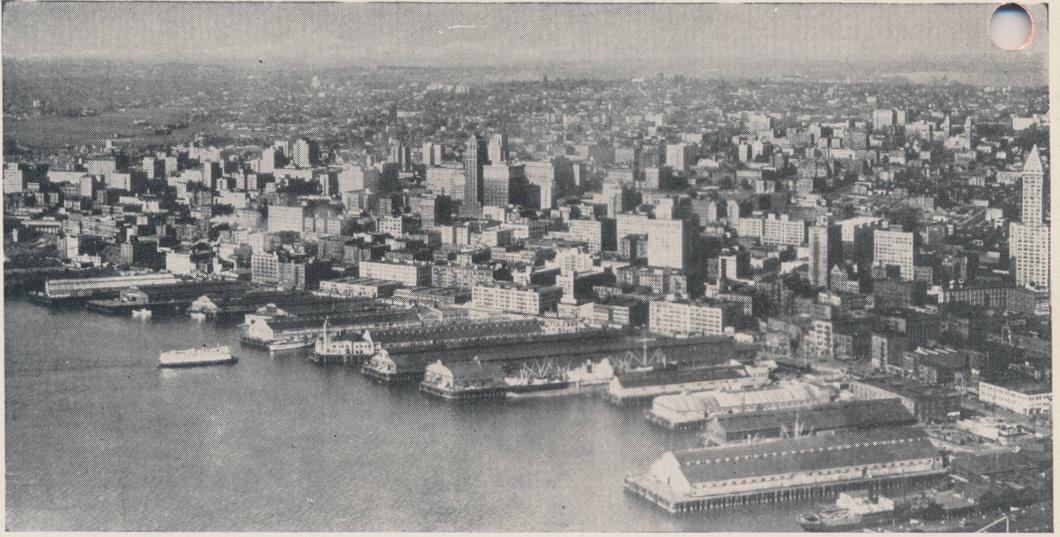
OF THE

Northwest Bible Institute



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SEATTLE, WASHINGTON

Views of Seattle and Vicinity



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MOUNT RAINIER

Seattle is located on Puget Sound, the largest inland sea in the world, a salt water body with 2000 miles of shoreline, between two high mountain ranges—the Cascades and the Olympics. It has a climate which is as near ideal as can be found anywhere, with regard to human enjoyment, efficiency, and practical work for the students. The average winter temperature is 41° above zero. Seattle also enjoys the reputation of having a most delightful summer climate, with a temperature average of 62° . The city's area of 53.7 square miles embraces a population of 425,000. Seattle is a city of unusual beauty, covering several hills overlooking three large lakes and Puget Sound, and including many delightful parks and thousands of well kept homes.

NORTHWEST BIBLE INSTITUTE

The Northwest Bible Institute stands for sound Biblical doctrine as outlined in the fundamentals of the General Council of the Assemblies of God, emphasizing Salvation—the Scriptural teaching of the necessity of a born-again experience (John 3:3); Divine healing for the body; the baptism with the Holy Spirit; holiness of life and practice; and the second coming of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. This Institute is affiliated with and endorsed by the General Council of the Assemblies of God.

Purpose

The purpose of the Northwest Bible Institute is to promote: a thorough knowledge of the Bible, development of true Christian character, and preparation for Christian service.

For those who have been called of God to enter the active ministry of the Gospel, the Institute aims to provide a practical course of instruction and training along full Gospel evangelistic lines, in an atmosphere and amid surroundings conducive to keeping the student spiritual and active in the work of soul-winning.

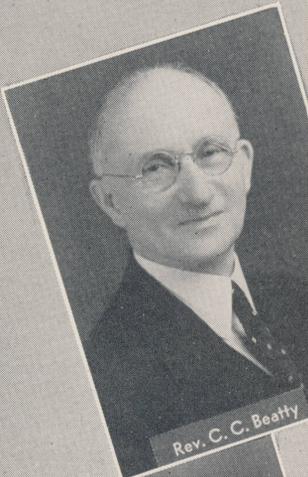
For those who do not realize a special call to the ministry, but feel their need of Bible knowledge and instruction, a course at this Institute offers a splendid opportunity for training to make one a better Sunday school teacher, personal worker or a helper in general church work.

Location

The Institute is in an excellent location, near beautiful Green Lake in the residential north side of Seattle. Splendid opportunities are available for students to engage in practical Christian service. Hospitals, jails, reformatories, missions, open-air services and churches provide a field for effective Gospel work.

Faculty

The faculty of the Northwest Bible Institute consists of Spirit-filled and consecrated men and women who, by their experience in the ministry, education, personal gifts and talents, are eminently fitted to teach. The faculty always endeavors to maintain the highest possible standard of Christian living among the students, and personal attention is given to every student.



Rev. C. C. Beatty

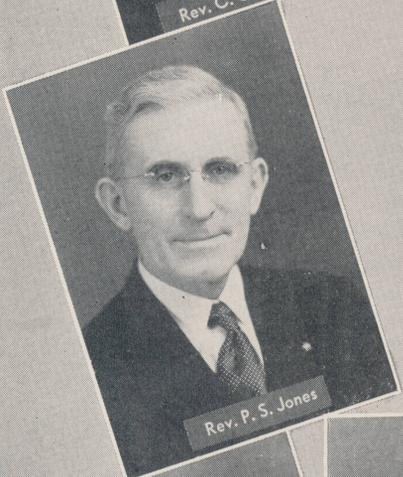


Rev. Henry H. Ness

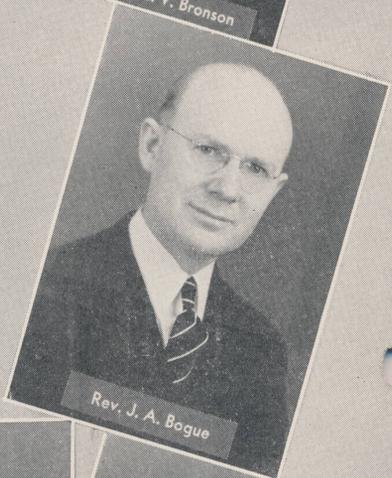


Rev. E. V. Bronson

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Rev. P. S. Jones



Rev. J. A. Bogue



Mrs. A. B. Christenson



Prof. D. L. Cox



Mrs. Helen Giles

able School Committee

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- Rev. R. F. Ashworth
- Rev. E. G. Lawrence
- Rev. D. H. McLaughlin
- Rev. H. H. Ness

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- Rev. J. E. Rasmussen

Honorary Member

- Rev. Chas. G. Weston
Supt. Oregon Dist. Council



REV. FRANK GRAY, Chairman





SCHOOL OFFICE

Requirements for Admittance

A vital experience of Salvation — “you must be born again.” Sound bodily health. Age 18 years or older. Assurance of compliance in full with all the rules and customs of the Institution. Every question on the application blank **MUST** be answered. Before leaving home, pupils **MUST WAIT FOR NOTICE** that their references have been heard from and that their applications have been approved by the faculty.



MISS RUTH MORRIS
Secretary

School Fees

Cost of the course per year, including notes, books, registration, tuition, library fee, personal service, is \$65. (This does not include board, room and laundry.) Of this amount, at least \$35 must be paid when the student enters school.



MISS JANET HANSEN
Registrar



REGISTRATION DAY

INSTITUTE DATES FOR 1939-40

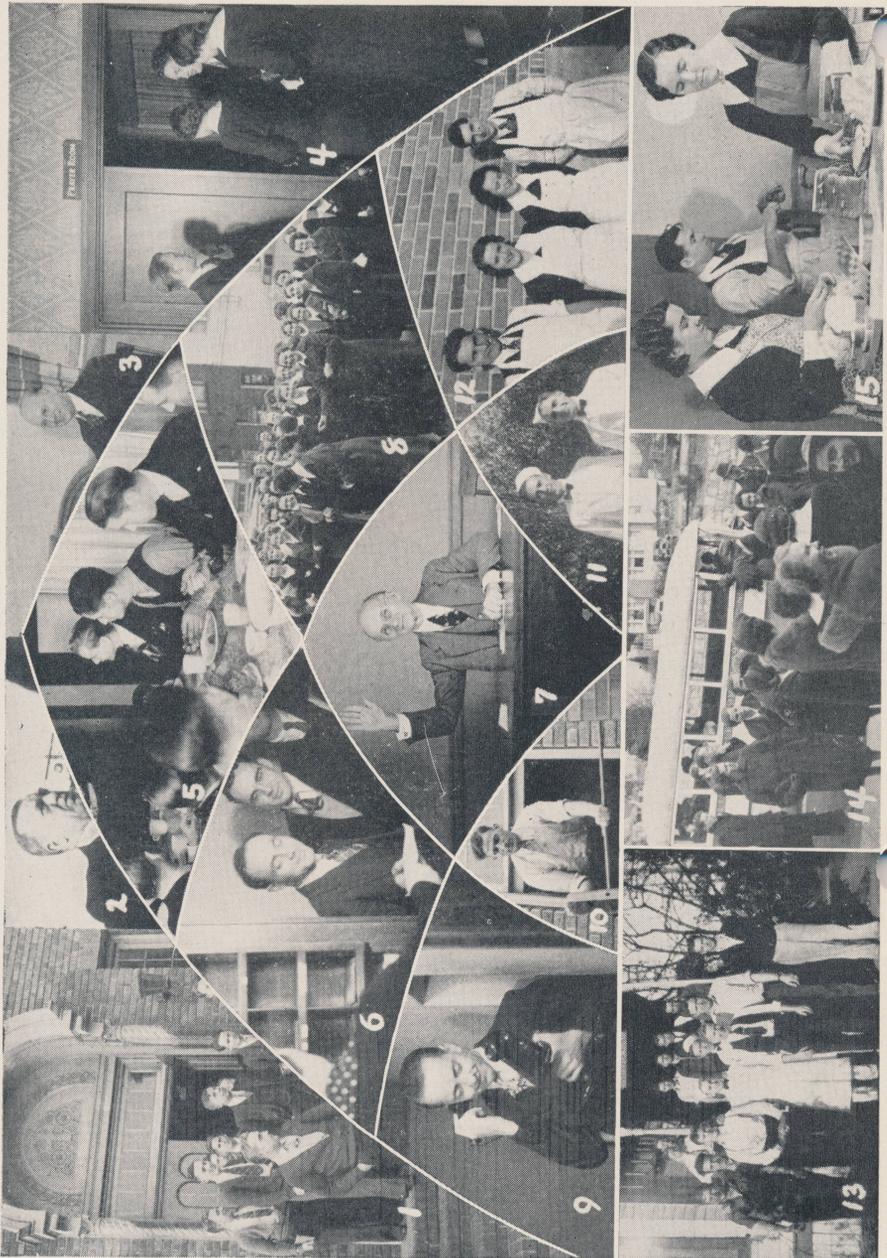
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Registration -----October 2
First term begins -----October 2
Christmas vacation -----December 21 to January 3

1940

Second term begins -----January 4
Third term begins -----March 11
Baccalaureate service -----May 12
Class Promotion Program -----May 14
Commencement -----May 15
School closes -----May 15

Classes are conducted daily, except Saturdays and Sundays, from 8 a. m. until 12:30 p.m., and Fridays all day.



SCHOOL LIFE

1. Exit. 2. A. B. C. 3. Rev. J. A. Bogue. 4. "Take time to be holy." 5. Important event at the dorm. 6. "Thanks, Sister Christenson." 7. "Quiet, please." 8. Ladies in waiting. 9. "Hello." 10. Making the dust fly. 11. Cooks. 12. Dishpan quartet. 13. Outside the dormitory. 14. Seniors posing (?). 15. On kitchen duty.

CURRICULUM OUTLINE

SUBJECT	Hours Weekly
Old Testament Synthesis and Atlas -----	4
New Testament, Life of Christ -----	4
Dispensational Studies -----	1
Personal Evangelism -----	1
Effective Speaking -----	1
Church History -----	1
English I. -----	2
Practical Work -----	1
Music I. -----	2
Hygienics I. -----	1
Doctrine I. -----	1
Covenants -----	1

SECOND YEAR

Doctrine II. -----	2
Epistles I. -----	2
Prophecy I. -----	2
Christian Evidence -----	1
Church History -----	1
Typology -----	2
Polemics -----	1
Homiletics I. -----	1
Effective Speaking -----	1
English II. -----	2
Music II. -----	2
Practical Work -----	1
Hygienics II. -----	1
Acts -----	1
Baptisms -----	1

THIRD YEAR

Doctrine III. -----	2
Epistles II. -----	2
Pastoral Theology -----	2
History of Missions -----	1
Sunday School Organization -----	1
Homiletics II. -----	1
Public Speaking -----	1
English III. -----	1
Music III. -----	2
Parliamentary Law -----	1
Practical Work -----	1
Hygienics III. -----	1
Revelation -----	2
Atlas -----	1
Divine Healing -----	1



COURSES OF STUDY

The courses of study offered by the Northwest Bible Institute conform to the courses of study offered by the other Bible Schools of the Assemblies of God.

ATLAS—A study of the geography of the Bible lands.

CHRISTIAN EVIDENCE—A study of the evidences of the Divine authorship of the Bible and the Deity of Jesus Christ. This course provides an abundance of clear proof why Christianity is more than a religion, and is in truth, the only way of salvation.

CHURCH HISTORY—The study of the history of the Christian Church since the days of the apostles. How errors came in. Heroes and martyrs, the Dark Ages, the Reformation, and the Light of the Last Days.

DISPENSATIONAL STUDIES—A study of the "Plan of the Ages", showing how God has dealt with mankind in the various periods of Biblical history.

DOCTRINE—A careful and inspiring study in the great fundamental doctrines of the Bible.

ENGLISH—The Bible cannot be properly studied nor correctly interpreted and expounded without a thorough understanding of English. This is also most necessary for the prospective missionary as a foundation for the study of foreign languages.

EPISTLES—A detailed study of the letters written by Paul and others to the early Church.

HISTORY OF MISSIONS—This study is principally for those preparing to be foreign missionaries. Special missionary lectures are delivered to the students by visiting missionaries from various countries.

HOMILETICS—Studies in the preparation and delivery of sermons; selection and analysis of texts, and outlines of sermons presented for discussion and criticism.

HYGIENICS—The study of first aid, personal hygiene and practical nursing.

MUSIC—Class instruction in vocal music including rudiments of music, sight reading, and conducting.

NEW TESTAMENT SYNTHESIS—A study of the life of Christ, the contrast between the Old and the New Covenants and the Gospels.

OLD TESTAMENT SYNTHESIS—A study of the beginning of human history and of the characters contained in the Old Testament, showing God's dealings with His chosen people typical and illustrative of His dealings with the Church, also a study of the historical settings of the prophetic books.

PARLIAMENTARY LAW—This subject is designed to acquaint the student with parliamentary procedure necessary to conduct business meetings in the church.

PASTORAL THEOLOGY—This study includes the duties, activities, and problems of the pastor, ministerial courtesy and etiquette.

PERSONAL EVANGELISM—How to win souls for Christ. Methods to be followed and mistakes to be avoided.

PROPHECY—A study of the prophecies concerning Israel and the surround with those who have become ensnared in false religious systems, and to prepare the pastor to protect the flock therefrom.

PROPHECY—A study of the prophecies concerning Israel and the surrounding nations. The prophecies already fulfilled concerning Christ, and those which are soon to come to pass. A detailed study of Daniel and Revelation.

PUBLIC SPEAKING—The object of this course is to enable the students to express themselves clearly, impressively, etc.

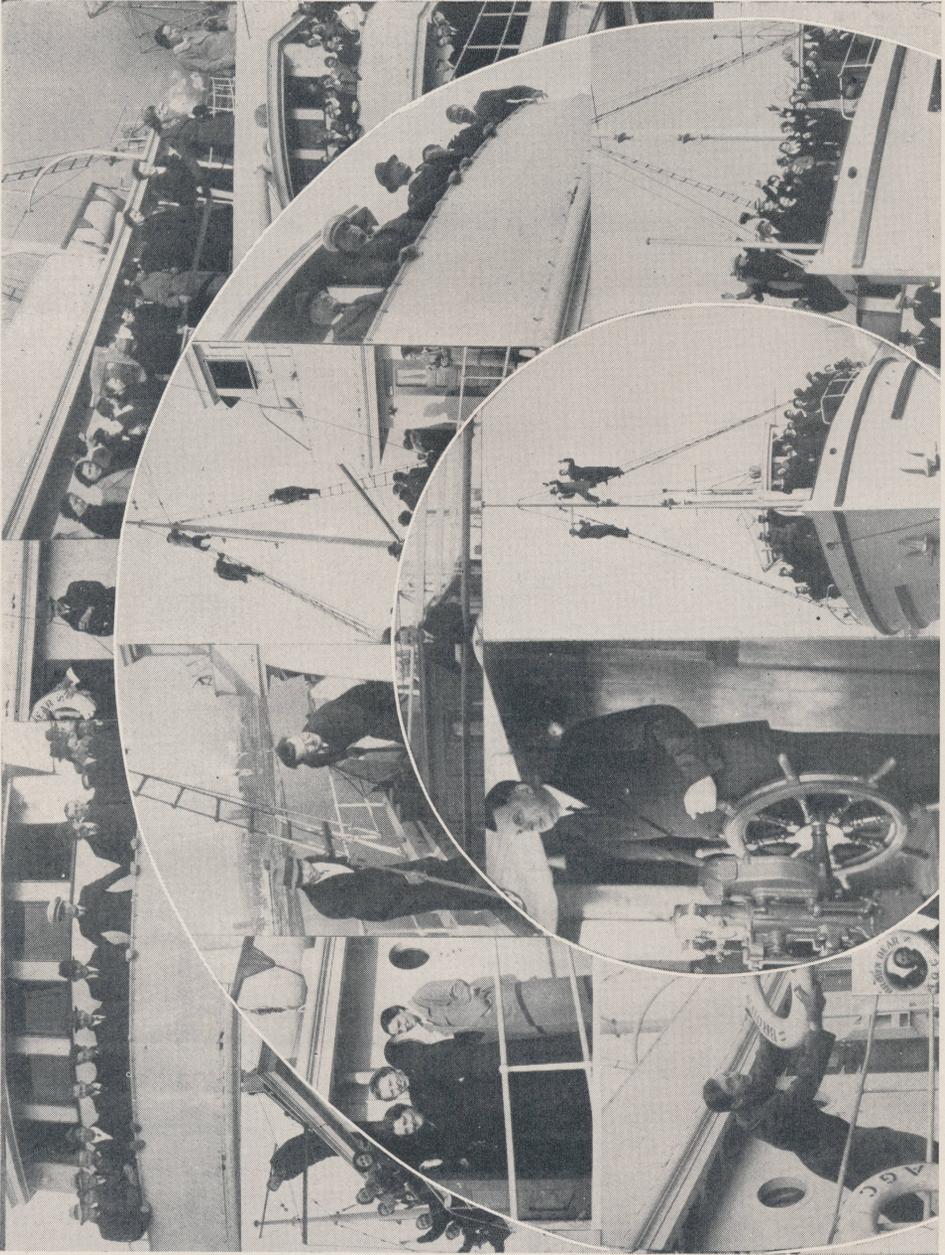
SUNDAY SCHOOL ORGANIZATIONS AND METHODS—This subject covers the organizing of the Sunday school.

TYOLOGY—The foreshadowing of Christ and the Church in types, forms, and ceremonies as given in the Old Testament.





1938,39 Student Body and Faculty



"LIFE SAVERS," ALL ABOARD!

HOUSING ACCOMMODATIONS

The Institute owns two and has leased other large houses which have been converted into men's and women's dormitories. These are conducted on a co-operative basis.

The dormitories have been fully equipped by the Institute. Students living in the dormitories are organized into committees, with a chairman and a treasurer appointed by the principal, to insure proper management and conduct. A cook is selected, and other work in the dormitory is assigned equally among the members of the group. Purchasing of supplies is done carefully and economically, and the cost is apportioned so that all members share alike in the expense. Each student living in the dormitory is required to contribute two hours each day as his share towards maintenance. This arrangement provides splendid practical experience for the students.

During the time these dormitories have been in existence, many fine and valuable donations of fruits and vegetables have been sent in by friends throughout the district. These gifts have materially reduced the cost of maintenance. On the whole, the individual expense has been quite small, averaging about \$12 a month. This amount must be paid each month in advance.

Men students who plan to live in the dormitory should bring a sufficient number of quilts, blankets and sheets for single beds; pillows, pillowcases, and all personal articles such as towels, wash cloths, etc.

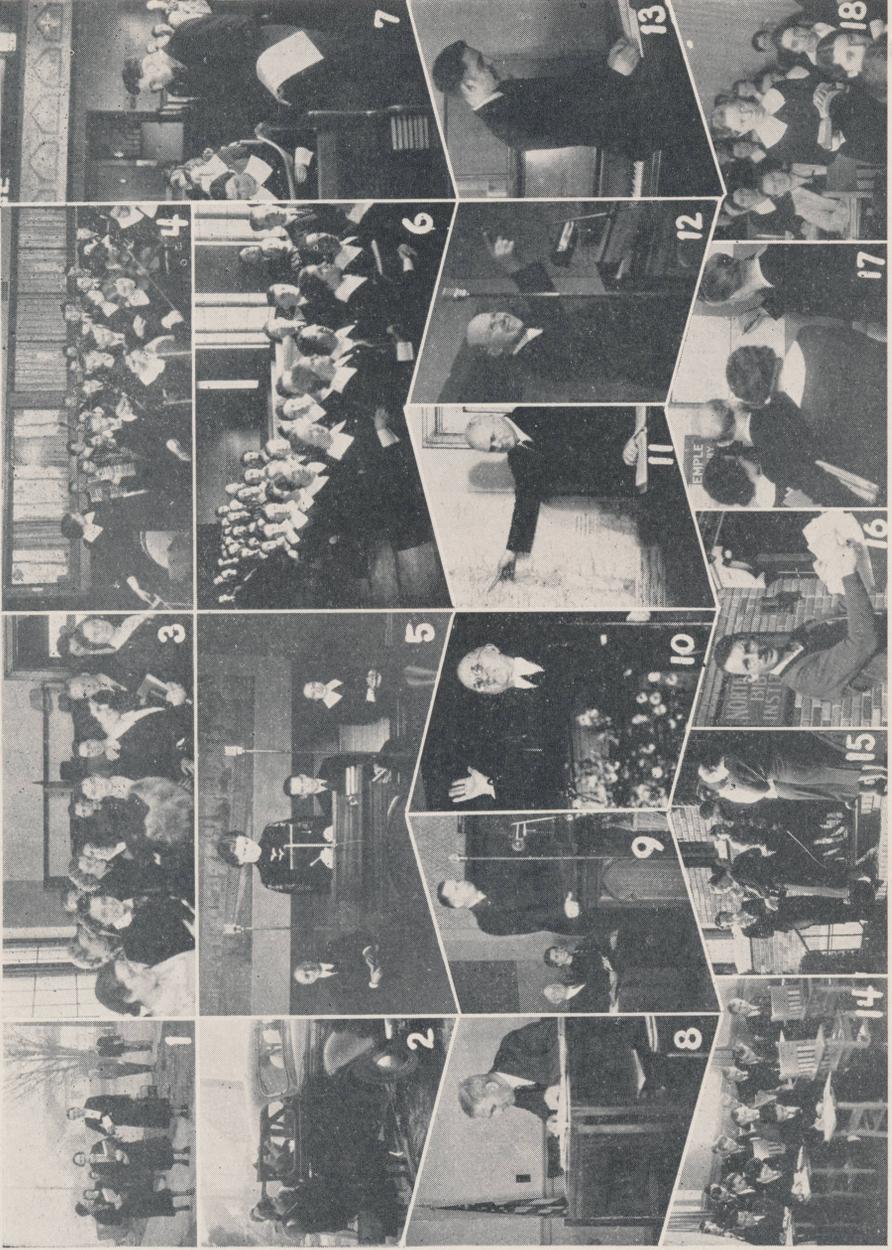
EMPLOYMENT

We have been successful in finding part-time employment in private homes for the young women students desiring such work, where they are given board and room, and, in most instances, some compensation. Thus many have been able to earn their way through school.

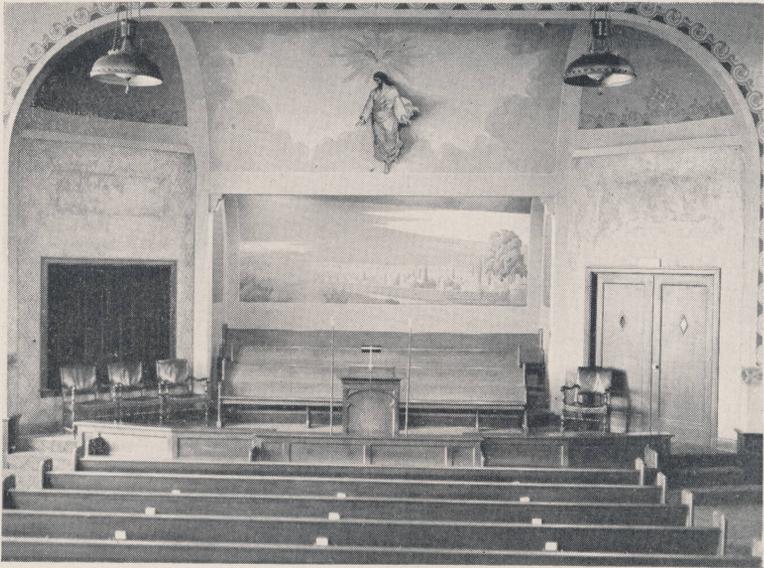
Because the Northwest Bible Institute is an institution of learning duly recognized by the Department of Labor at Washington, D. C., Canadian students may obtain a "Visa" whereby they will be permitted to take employment.

The matron of the Institute renders every reasonable service to assist the young women in securing such employment.

Some of the men students also have been able to obtain part-time work.



Some scenes of life at N. B. L.: 1, first day of school; 2, more arrivals; 3, before class; 4, turning up; 5, rolling call; 6, "Marching to Zion"; 7, class monitor; 8, The Rev. P. S. Jones; 9, Principal H. H. Ness; 10, Dean C. C. Beaty; 11, the Rev. E. V. Bronson; 12, the Rev. J. A. Bogue; 13, Prof. D. L. Cox; 14, examination; 15, recess; 16, a good grade; 17, bulletins; 18, recitation.



CHAPEL

Spiritual Life

A high tide of spirituality is maintained throughout the Institute. The first period of each morning is given over for a Chapel Service at which time all students and some of the faculty gather for prayer, praise and testimony. These are times of refreshing as well as seasons of waiting upon the Lord for needed strength to carry on.

A part of each Friday afternoon is devoted to prayer for the missionary fields by the various Missionary Bands. Correspondence is carried on with the missionaries on the field and special requests are thus brought before the prayer bands.

All classes are opened with prayer and in many instances the power of God is so manifest that it is impossible to conduct the classes and the entire period is devoted to praise and worship. Glorious spiritual victories are won during these seasons of devotion.

Students are urged to spend much time in secret prayer as well as earnest study of the Word of God.

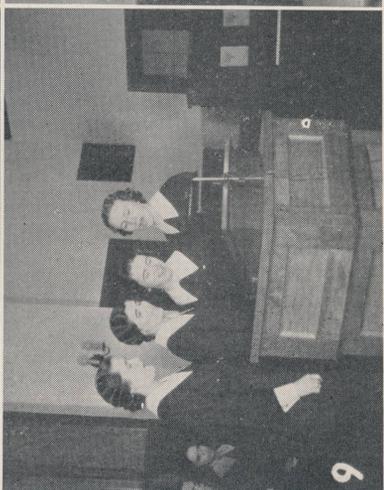
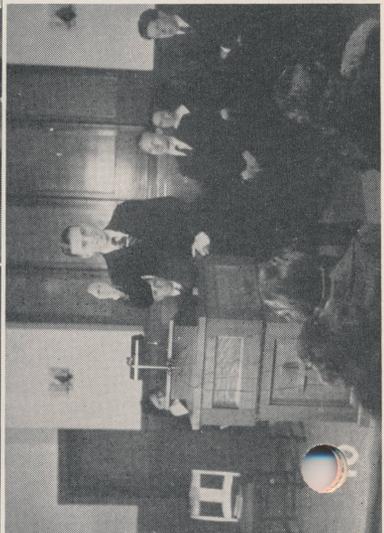
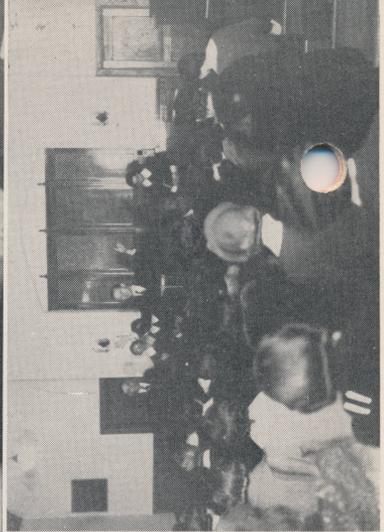
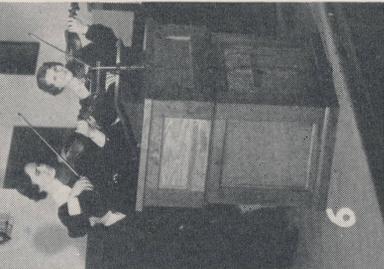
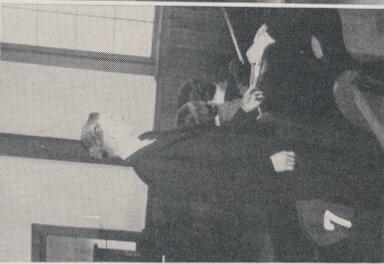
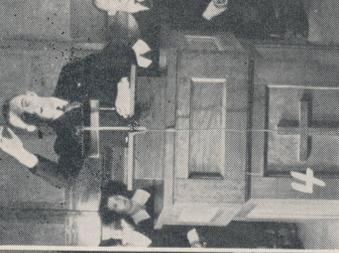
Examinations, Reports, Certificates, Diplomas

Examinations are given from time to time during the school year and are compulsory for all students.

A careful record of the subjects taken and the scholastic marks of each student is kept. Report cards are issued to students at the end of each term.

Certificates of promotion are given at the close of each year to students who have completed the year's work.

Diplomas are awarded to those who satisfactorily finish the three-year course. A charge of one dollar is made for the diploma.



PICTORIAL REVIEW OF A SERVICE

1. All aboard. 2. . . for the Gospel Chapel. 3. Arriving. 4. Sing ye His praise. 5. Break Thou the Bread of Life. 6. Praise the Lord with stringed instruments. 7. Bring ye all the tithes into the storehouse. 8. "I will declare what the Lord hath done." 9. "I will sing of my Redeemer." 10. Preach the Word. 11. Let us pray.



Practical Work

One of the greatest assets to a training school is an opportunity to do practical work. Without this, students merely get the theory of Christian service and are not enabled to develop ability upon what they have learned in class.

The Northwest Bible Institute takes full advantage of the excellent privileges afforded by Seattle and surrounding territory for practical Christian service. With the aid of large Gospel buses, trips are made to outposts where many groups of students conduct services, preach the Word, sing hymns, and do personal work for the Lord. As a result of these

efforts many weary and sin-sick souls find the forgiveness, the joy, the peace, and the security that only the Savior Jesus Christ can give.

CHURCHES—Many churches of various denominations, especially those needing awakening and those needing the inspiration of young people, are open for the services of N. B. I. students.

SUNDAY SCHOOLS—One of the most important phases of the Lord's work is among the children of Sunday Schools which lack the full truth of God's Word. N. B. I. students are privileged to carry the light to many such schools.

MISSIONS—Several missions in the downtown slum district welcome our young people to conduct evangelistic services. Many wretched souls are reclaimed by the Lord and converted to worthy, respectable citizenship.

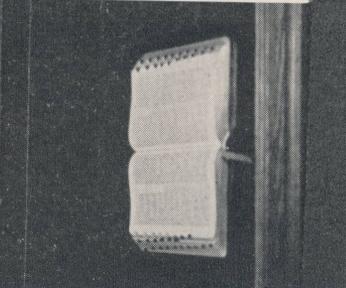
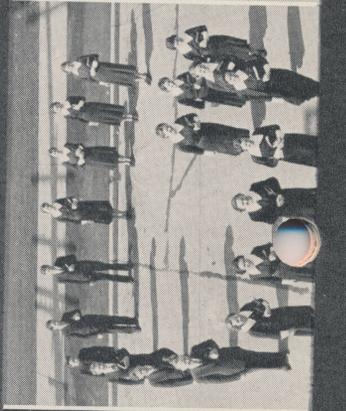
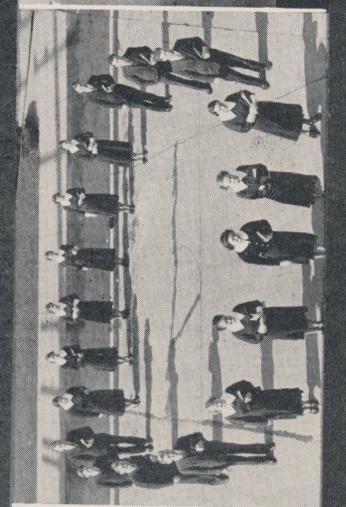
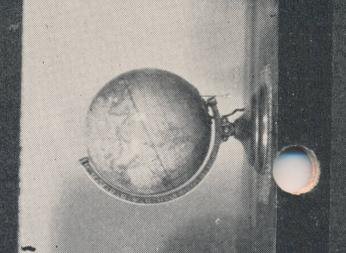
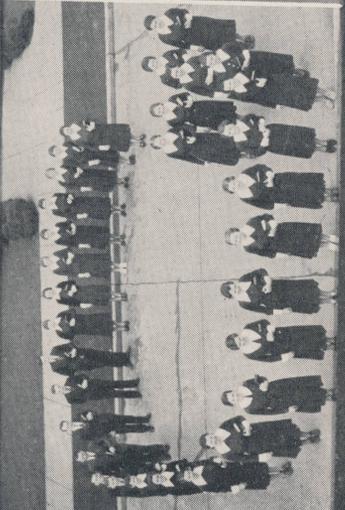
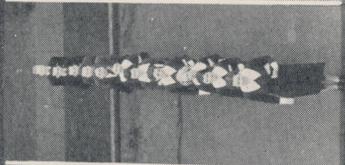
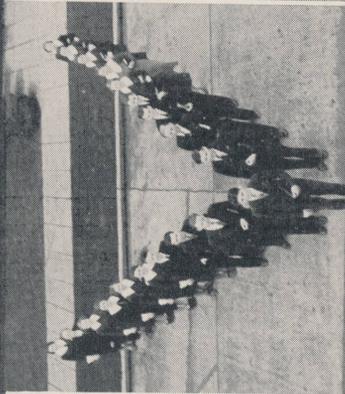
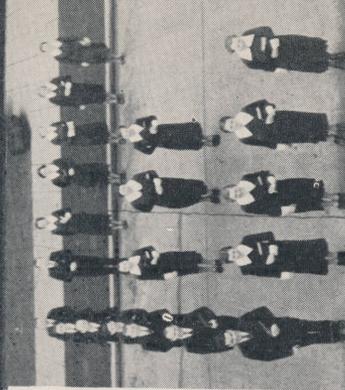
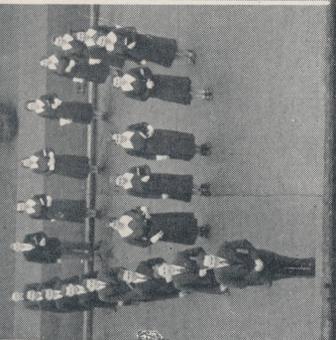
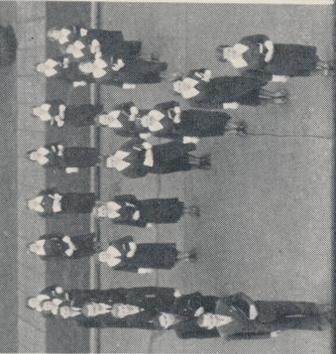
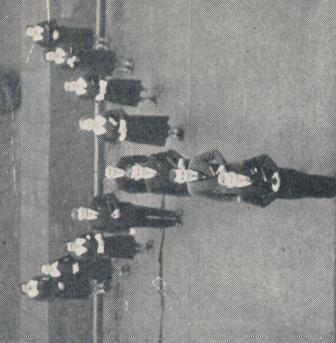
STREET MEETINGS—Many street meetings are held by the students in the downtown section of Seattle. In this way large numbers of people, who never would enter a church or mission, hear the Gospel and are led to the Savior.

HOSPITALS—Ministering to the sick and afflicted is one of the blessed services in which N. B. I. students are privileged to participate. The children's orthopedic hospital is included among the institutions visited.

JAILS—Both Seattle and King County jails are open regularly to the young people to carry the Gospel to hundreds of unfortunate men and women behind steel bars. Many are the souls who have been turned from paths of crime and sin to the Way of Christian righteousness.

PARENTAL SCHOOL—Students are permitted to share with other young people of Seattle Pentecostal churches in holding services at the Mercer Island Parental School. In this way children are being directed into the true Life of love and helpfulness.

RADIO—Songs, instrumental numbers, prayers, testimonies, and sermons are contributed by our students in various Gospel programs over five Seattle Radio stations. This also is an only way in which many persons ever hear the message of Salvation.



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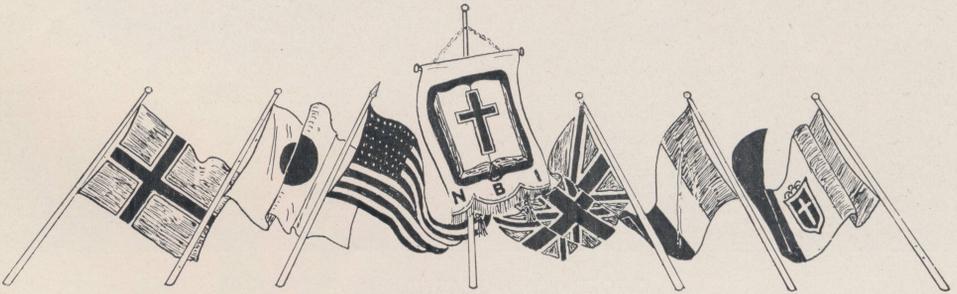
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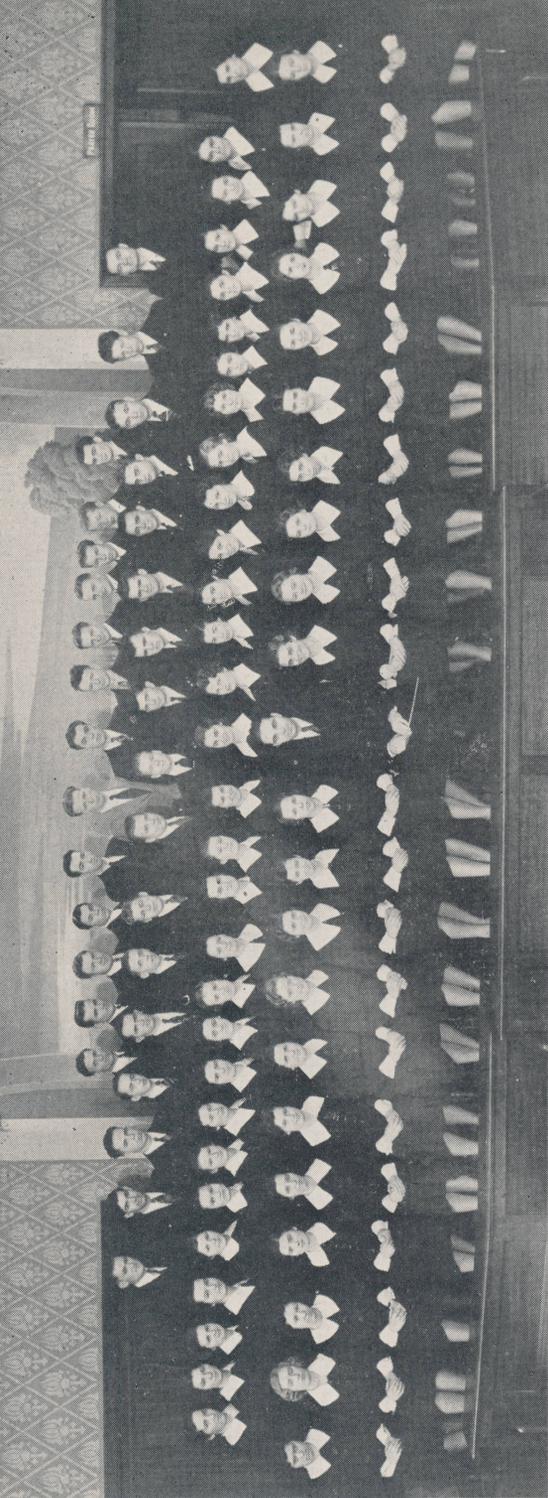
Missionary Activities

The Northwest Bible Institute is a missionary minded school, a splendid training camp for prospective missionaries for both the homeland and foreign fields. The student body is divided into nine Missionary Prayer Bands which meet frequently to study and pray about the conditions and needs of the several mission fields. Contact is kept with those lands by regular correspondence of letters, bulletins and magazines, and also by personal meetings with the various missionaries as they arrive or depart via the Port of Seattle. Missionaries on furlough visit the Institute from time to time and bring first-hand news of activities in foreign fields. Much enlightenment and inspiration are gained by the students through personal contact with seasoned Gospel warriors from God's battleground.

Consecrated Guests

In addition to missionaries who visit N. B. I. during the school year, we are privileged also to welcome as guest speakers, evangelists from various parts of the United States and from many foreign nations. During the sessions, the Institute was benefited by visitors in the Lord's service from London, England; Norway, Sweden, South Africa, Belgian Congo, Africa; Bulgaria, North China, Southwest China, Peru, and other lands beyond the seas.





CHOIR AND ORCHESTRA

1. William Cole. 2. Alice and Kathryn. 3 Saxophonists. 4. Lightbearers Quartet. 5. Soloists "escaping". 6. Male Quartet. 7. Phyllis and Lois. 8. Genevieve and Marcella. 9. "Frank-Wilkinson". 10. Ladies' Trio. 11. Gresham Duet. 12. Olga and Rosalie. 13. Trumpeter Tappero. 14. Senior Duet. 15. Junior Duet. 16. Andrew Wek. 17. Freshman Soloist. 18. Kroeze cousins and Gwin sisters.

MUSIC COMBINATIONS





The Institute's principal and dean welcome a new student.

How to Reach N. B. I.

Accepted students should arrange to arrive not later than October 1. They should notify the Principal or Dean of the name of the railroad or boat by which they will reach Seattle, and also the correct time of arrival.

It is desired that students who wish to be met upon arrival should arrange to arrive in Seattle during the day or not later than 9 p. m. When this can not be done because of failure to make proper connection nor other unforeseen causes, students should communicate with the Dean or the Principal by telephone or telegram. The Institute telephone number is VERmont 4100, and VERmont 4101.

Baggage should be tagged with the student's name and in care of the NORTHWEST BIBLE INSTITUTE, E. 69th St. and 8th Ave. N.E., Seattle, Washington.

Further Information

Students desiring information as to dress or other regulations should communicate with the Institute. Inquiries, regarding any phase of the school work, always are welcome.

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