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(After 20 years on the mission field,
the Hallums have retired because of
Brother Hallum's health).
(Spanish Language)

No. 10

Thanksgiving Conference Nov. 20-23, 1961

SEVENTH ANNUAL MISSIONARY CONFERENCE PERSONNEL, GRACE BAPTIST CHURCH . .



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DETROIT THANKSGIVING CONFERENCE - NOVEMBER 20 - 23, 1961

The Detroit Thanksgiving Conference will be at Grace Baptist Church, Monday night November 20 through noon Thursday, November 23. First service 7:30 Monday night. Grace Baptist Church is six and one half miles from Canfield Avenue Baptist Church and is located one block north of Eight Mile Road (State Route 102) and one block west of Van Dyke Ave., (State Route 53). Conference sponsored by both Canfield Avenue and Grace Baptist churches. Change made in churches because of eating facilities in the new Annex Building at Grace Church. Pastor Eugene Clark and Grace church Phone number is: SL 7-3119. Pastor Hafford Overbey's phone number is: WA. 1-3784. Free beds and free meals to all guests. Cut this out and put it in your purse.

Do It Now

Those coming to the conference write and tell us the names of all who are coming, husband and wife and the names and ages of children and which are boys and which are girls so we will know how to plan beds for you. If you are coming and have plans made to stay with relatives or friends, write and tell us, so we will know. This includes the speakers and everyone. Don't put it off write today. If at the last minute you plan to come and have not written us, come on and will take care of you. Write to:

H. H. Overbey,
975 E. Grand Blvd.
Detroit 7, Michigan

Meals

Breakfast will be served in the home you stay in. The men who sleep in the Sunday School rooms will have breakfast in the Annex building at Grace church. Dinner and supper will be at the Annex Building. The first meal will be in the Annex Building Monday Evening, November 20 between 5:30 and 6:30 P. M. All guests are to come direct to the Grace Baptist church for supper Monday evening before the first service. Do not stop and spend your money to eat on the way. Supper will be on the table waiting for you.

Expenses

This is the Seventh Annual Detroit Thanksgiving Missionary Conference. It is in the interest of BAPTIST FAITH MISSIONS and all the speakers pay their own traveling expenses to and from the conference as a labor of love for the mission work. One speaker told us that his church had voted to pay his way to and from the conference. Each church should pay the way of their pastor, whether he is a speaker or not. The church will profit by it and your pastor will come back to you a better preacher. Get up a car load and share the cost of gas and oil and come and have the best time of your life. We are expecting the largest attendance of any of the conferences thus far. If you read this you are invited and welcome, whether you support Baptist Faith Missions or not. Those of you who have been planning

each year to come and have not come, quit planning and come on.

Thanksgiving Offerings

Several Churches are planning on having a Special Thanksgiving Offering for Baptist Faith Missions, the Sunday before the Conference begins. We hope that many more churches will also have a special offering and get a blessing. No offering is too small. Take it up in your own way, just like you would take an offering for a visiting preacher who is helping in a meeting. Pray and plan ahead about it and ask the Lord how much you should give and then do it.

Your Will

This is a good time to remember Baptist Faith Missions in your will. You should have a lawyer make out your will so it will be legal in every way, leave your estate or part of it to Baptist Faith Missions, a non-profit Michigan Corporation and then it will be used for Mission work after you have gone on to glory. Don't put it off, do it now.

Correction

The offering from Brother Zack Savage in amount of \$300.00 listed in September MS as regular offerings

Your Host Pastors



Eugene Clark



Hafford Overbey

for August, should have been listed "For Building". Correction is made on page four this issue. We are sorry that the error was made.

Station Wagon News

What became of the Station Wagon? The Station Wagon was used two years, one year by Missionary Bruce Lunsford and one year by Missionary Walter Lauerman. It had 70,500 miles on it. Since we do not have another missionary coming home on furlough till July 1962 it was sold and we now have \$1,422.97 in the Station Wagon fund toward buying a car or Station Wagon next year.

As the Lord leads you, make all checks payable to BAPTIST FAITH MISSIONS and mail all offerings to Z. E. CLARK, BOX 551, EVANSVILLE 3, INDIANA.

Making Baptists



Del Mayfield baptizing for the first time in Peru.



These four were baptized by Harold Bratcher in Manaus, Brazil.



Pastor Marcial Macahuachi baptizing man and wife at Hojeal, near Iquitos, Peru.



Walter Lauerman Baptizing two in the baptismal pool of the First Baptist Church, Iquitos, Peru



Walter Lauerman baptizes two more in Iquitos, Peru.

First Baptism In Peru . . . Going To Language School Five Days A Week . . . Making Trips On Week Ends

By Del Mayfield

Iquitos, Peru S. A.
September 20, 1961

Dear Bro. Overbey and Brethren:

This past month has been a month of many blessing and experiences that I'm sure we'll never forget. And I would like to say first of all that we are not boasting when we report what the Lord has done. We realize that we are nothing but clay and that it is only by His Grace and power that he makes us to be what we are and what you are. I'm reminded of the words of Apostle Paul when he said I count all things but loss for the excellency of the knowledge of Jesus Christ my Lord. As one of the brethren said in his last mission letter **EXPECTED JOY WILL NOT BE DEFEATED**. And we have experienced this in the short time we have been in Iquitos, Peru and also in our past experience as a pastor 8 years at Pleasant Plains, Illinois. Let us give thanks to Him for what he has done and what He is going to do. The only difference between working here as a missionary are there, is the language. The mode of travel, customs, and surrounding are much different. But the people here need to be saved, baptized, and taught just like they do there. We are praying that the Lord will enable us to speak the language well so we can do just that.

We have enrolled in the Language Institute here in Iquitos and are taking one hour and half course a day in Spanish. This is much better than studying in our home. I'm planning on making week end river trips and preaching at the mission points here in Iquitos at night.

We now have two mission points and they are doing real good. At Belen where we go every Friday Nite and hold service in one of the homes, we have had 5 there that have made profession of faith, and 4 of them have already been baptized, and I'm hoping the other young lady that was saved last week will follow her Lord in Baptism this week. I had the privilege of baptizing the young man that I told about in the last mission letter that was saved at Belen. I'm sure Bro. Lauerman will tell in his mission letter of the 11 that he has baptized this month. The last 5 Sunday nights some one has been baptized. At the mission called (Celendin) where Bro. Alfonso preaches Thursday nights and Sunday mornings and night the Lord has blessed also There has been 10 professions of faith there

and several of them have been baptized. We are praying that this will some day be another Baptist church in Iquitos, Peru.

This last week end I made a trip to Tamishijaco some four hours up the river. I took with me a member of the church here who has been called to preach and wants to move there and work and preach. His name is Bro. Purification and I think he is a fine servant of the Lord. I also want to say that he is a good companion on the river. We left here Saturday afternoon and arrived in time to do some visiting and inviting folks to the service Saturday nite. We had the house filled and many stood outside. I led the singing and brought a short message and then Bro. Purification also preached. Sunday morning there were only a few came but Sunday night after visiting Sunday afternoon the house was filled again. I preached on the subject **THE ONLY ROAD TO HEAVEN**. I'm sure I had it much easier than before with the Spanish. The Lord is good and we praise Him for His Grace. We returned home Monday morning. We are planning on returning this week end again. We only have one baptized believer there, but believe that we will have a church there sometime.

On Sunday, the 10th Ada, Eddie and I went to Hojeal where Bro. Marcial Macahuachi is the pastor. It was a good trip and we really enjoyed it. Now that the water is low it is about 20 minute walk from the main river to the church. There are several places very difficult to cross. One log over a creek that Eddie and I had trouble with, but Ada not even a boggle. In the afternoon Bro. Marcial asked me to preach before the baptismal service and I enjoyed it very much. After the service we walked back to the boat and many of the folks came with us all the way. We are invited back soon and we are planning to go as soon as possible. This is a fine church and a good pastor.

Bro. Antonio Torres pastor at San Antonio reports good services and also that he is having services at four other places on the river. Bro. Walter and I are going to visit the work there as soon as the river comes back up. Pray for the work here that the Lord will help us to be faithful. May the Lord bless each of you.

Yours by His Grace,
Del. Mayfield

Good Meeting At Zion Church . . . Teaching In Preacher's School . . . Baptizing.

By Harold Bratcher

Manaus, Amazonas
September 21, 1961

Dear Bro. Overbey:

This is the first letter since March that I do not have a trip to report. I have spent the month here in Manaus but I can truthfully say that is has been a busy month. Here are some of the events.

On Monday night, August 21st we went down to the river to see the Lunsfords and the Creighlows off. The boat they left on was scheduled to leave at 8:00 p.m. but didn't get away until the next morning. I've received one letter from Bro. Lunsford since

they left, written along the way, saying that it was going to be a 40 day trip for them before they reached Cruzeiro do Sul.

For some time our church (Zion) has been looking forward to a revival. The time was set for the 3rd through the 10th of September and then we made the following preparations. Each morning during the week of August 21st we met at the church at 5:00 a.m. for prayer. Then about 10 days before the meeting started, we began visiting in the afternoons and continued until the last day of the revival. We distributed almost 800 invitations and tracts. Also we conducted 14 short

prayer meetings in the homes of the members before the meeting started.

The Lord blessed our feeble efforts and we had excellent attendance during the meeting with lost people present each night to hear the gospel. Just prior to the meeting there were two professions of faith and during the meeting 8 more. I have long since learned that many of those who make professions here are never baptized and many do not return but we hope to visit all those who made professions and try to help them in whatever way we can.

On September 5th we began another term of school. Bro. Hatcher has worked hard in connection with the school; in planning the curriculum and especially in the construction of the school building. It is a joy for us to be able to use two rooms of the new building this term.

I am teaching three subjects: Church History, Life of Paul and Personal Evangelism.

On September 17th it was my privilege to baptize 4 for the Zion church, one of which was a teen age boy who made a profession of faith when I preached at Zion on the Sunday night of the 27th of August.

This month has been, I believe, the hottest and driest month we have experienced here. The thermometer has been reaching 97° in the shade. Also we have lived through a change in the government of Brazil. I imagine that the papers in the States have carried all the news about the change. It seems that everything now is returning to normal.

As always we covet your prayers for our work here. The Lord bless you, dear reader of these lines.

Yours In His Service,

The Bratchers —

Harold, Marie, Asa, Mark and
Stephen M.

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Walter Lauerman baptizes another one in Peru.

Don't Forget To Have a Special Thanksgiving Offering for Baptist Faith Missions.

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Baptizes Eleven . . . Good Attendance . . . Teaching, Preaching and Visiting . . . Hojeal Church Growing

By Walter Lauerman

Iquitos, Peru
September 19, 1961

Dear Brethren:

The Celedin Mission here in Iquitos, where Alfonso Varsallo is the preacher, has progressed very well this past month. There has been 10 professions of faith and 8 of these baptized. There has been 11 in all baptized here in the church this past month. Brother Mayfield baptized one. The attendance is real good at Celedin and Alfonso is very enthused. Pray that he will be faithful to this work and also a preacher.

Simon Gaima as always has been on the go. He made 1 trip to Mapa Cocha one week and two other weeks he went in the Momon River to several small villages. Simon fell from a ladder working on the roof of his house. He skinned his shins very badly and cut his toe on a tin can in his fall. He took several days for it to heal up. Simon is quite a fellow. I have thought seriously sometime to write a Mission Letter of only the life and services of Simon to the Lord. Abram, Simon's youngest son, was saved one Wednesday night in the service in the church. Simon is very happy about it and it was an answer to our prayers. Abram attended the services faithfully for 2 years and seemed uninterested, but when the invitation was given this Wednesday night, he stood to his feet with tears in his eyes and said "I want to Trust in Christ as my Saviour". It was quite an evening of rejoicing for many of us.

With the good we always have to face the bad. Juan Ruis, wife had a relapse in her sickness and the doctor told me that he was unable to leave her alone because she threatened to kill herself or the children. Juan has resigned as pastor at Astoria, which seems like the only logical thing to do, not being able to go there and preach because of his family. Surely the Lord is teaching us a lesson in this sickness. The doctor says that she is not mentally up to par. Pray for the

church in Astoria that God will raise them up a pastor to lead them. Simon is filling in there until such a time comes.

Here in Iquitos in the church has been another good month. Sunday School has run between 85 and 90 in spite of much sickness and Brother Mayfield and family and others preaching in other places. I have been teaching the Book of Galatians on Monday nights and am teaching the Trail of The Blood on Sunday nights. I am in the 4th chapter of Galatians now and have taught up to the 10th century on the map in the Trail of the Blood. What we lack in our church though, people that visit and support financially the church. But as Brother Hatcher said in his last Mission Letter we will not and cannot give up because some do not follow, etc.

I have gotten a lot of my straightening up done and maybe I can do more on the visiting here in Iquitos. My wife many times does more visiting than I do. My wife is now teaching the women's class in the church because Mrs. Gaima gave it up because of her health and Mrs. Castro is now teaching my wife's class. God never gave any man any more faithful wife than he gave me. I spent a few days this month at Hojeal and Astoria. The church at Hojeal is growing under the leadership of Marcial. They have 16 members and 2 to be baptized soon. Had around 50 in the services there. Now in Astoria is a different story. The crowds are down and no interest much at all. You can tell the difference when a pastor lives on the field and takes care of his "flock" and when a man lives away from his church and is only there for preaching, etc. Pray that God will raise up a man that will go there and live among and love those people and the Lord's church there. I just believe that God will raise one up.

Your's In Christ,
Walter F. Lauerman

them and they are nice. Also made a new blackboard. When the maps and blackboard were hung and all the chairs and desk were in place a real thrill surged through my heart and I realized how good the Lord has been to us. We have in all 15 students including Mrs. Hatcher and Mrs. Bratcher who are studying Portuguese. Mrs. Hatcher in the advanced class and Mrs. Bratcher in the first class.

Tonight I had six in the night class. The Lord willing maybe one or two of the brethren will be able to help teach some next year, that is some of the native brethren. Our first graduating class should finish next fall.

The launch is progressing. They are putting on the sides of the hull now and they seem to be doing a good job.

Brother, talk about hot, this season has been a real one. I have never suffered so much from the heat as this summer.

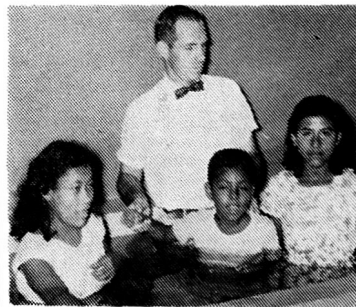
I sent to Sao Paulo for cuts and got them back in one-third the time that it takes here in Manaus and about one-third the cost and excellent work.

We hope to have another room finished in the new building by the first of next week. The plumbing is almost all in, in the toilets that is all but the basins and stools which will come last. Prices are high but the first floor will be much more costly than the second. Please deposit one Thousand dollars for the building and notify me by letter.

The Lord willing in December my family and I plan to spend a couple of weeks with the Lauermans and Mayfields for a short rest and family reunion if I feel that it is the Lord's will to go. If so it will be the first part of December.

It seems impossible that the Annual Conference at Canfield is just around the corner, my how the time flies. May the Lord help us to use it well. May the Lord bless you and your work.

In Him,
John A. Hatcher



Lauerman baptizes three more in Iquitos, Peru



Four that Walter Lauerman baptized in Iquitos, Peru.



This is Hojeal church building near Iquitos, Peru with the pastor's home which can be seen in the rear.



Inside the Hojeal church building looking from the pulpit towards the rear.

Good Trip To Faro . . . New Term of School . . . Third Room of Building About Finished

By John A. Hatcher

Manaus, Amazonas, Brazil
September 19, 1961

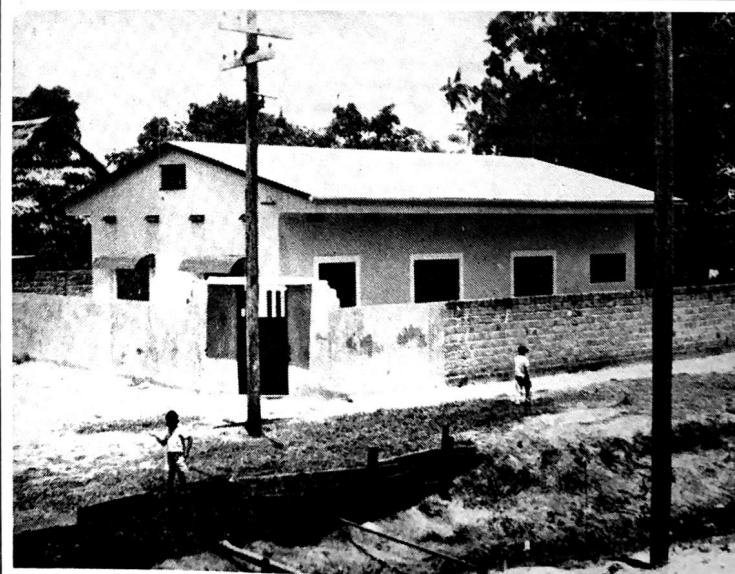
Dear Brother Overbey:

Just got back from my night Bible Class a few minutes ago so will try to get off a few lines to you if the sleep man will stay away.

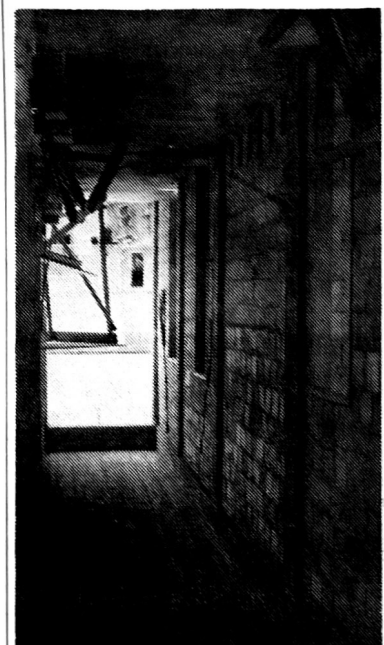
The trip to Faro was a good one and I made good connections by going to Parintins by plane and then on by boat. The Lord willing someone will go there in the month of December. I rented the place that Julio Dantes had rented for another year and pulled our canoe out of the river and stored it in one side of the room. There is a life time work for a good man in that place and the surrounding places.

Perhaps Brother York told you about the boy at Mira-Aua. He got in trouble. It was a real shock and sadness to us but the Lord knows that there are 24 baptized believers there for whom we thank Him. I felt the only thing to do was to send him back to his family in Cruzeiro do Sul. Ranulfo Tobar went up to Mira-Aua this week-end and probably will go back in two weeks. I plan to make a trip there the first week in October. We are planning a weeks meeting at the Chapada and Brother Sarmiento will be preaching.

We finished two of the rooms in the new building with the exception of the finished tile floor. I bought 20 more chaoirs and made the desk arms for



This is where the Walter Lauermans live in Iquitos, Peru



HALLS OF LEARNING — A view of the hall in the Preacher's School Building, Manaus, Amazonas, Brazil. Looking from the rear. The rear of Tabernacle Church building can be seen outside the hall. Two rooms are now in use of this building and the third room should be in use by the time you read this.

OFFERINGS FOR SEPTEMBER, 1961

Beech Grove Baptist Church, Bardwell, Ky.	21.71
Liberty Baptist Church, Toledo, Ohio	69.41
Stonewall Baptist Church, Sadieville, Ky.	13.22
New Testament Baptist Church, Creve Coeur, Ill (Building Fund)	33.71
Pleasant Plains Baptist Church, Pleasant Plains, Ill.	14.85
Bible Baptist Church, Springfield, Ill.	12.17
First Baptist Church, Coal Grove, Ohio	6.36
Kirbyton Baptist Church, Bardwell, Ky.	32.13
Bryan Station Baptist Church, Lexington, Ky.	110.00
Bryan Station Baptist Church, Lexington, Ky. (Launch)	110.00
Bentley Memorial Baptist Church, Lexington, Ky.	26.30
Waverley Road Baptist Church, Huntington, West Va.	33.41
Ryan Road Baptist Church, Warren, Mich.	50.78
New Hope Baptist Church, Dearborn, Mich.	99.66
Peoples Baptist Church, Alton, Ill.	22.00
Peoples Baptist Church, Alton, Ill.	50.75
Newby Baptist Church, Richmond, Ky.	30.20
Little Obion Baptist Church, Wingo, Ky.	18.60
Tabernacle Baptist Church, Lewisburg, Ky.	50.00
Mt. Pleasant Baptist Church, Cadiz, Ky.	100.00
Bible Baptist Church, Clarksville, Tenn.	10.00
Pleasant View Baptist Church, Morris, West Va.	6.40
Chattaroy Baptist Church, Chattaroy, West Va.	50.00
Freedom Baptist Church, Chicago, Ill.	55.93
Thompson Road Baptist Church, Lexington, Ky.	34.79
Home Baptist Church, Mt. Morris, Mich.	64.75
Jordan Baptist Church, Oak Lawn, Ill.	50.78
Burna Baptist Church, Burna, Ky.	6.95
New Providence Baptist Church, Murray, Ky.	10.00
Hopewell Baptist Church, Arlington, Ky.	21.20
Grace Baptist Church, Kingsport, Tenn.	24.51
Corinth Baptist Church, Chicago, Ill.	47.41
Corinth Baptist Church, Chicago, Ill.	51.01
First Baptist Church, Hampton, Fla.	39.14
Port Norris Baptist Church, Port Norris, N. J.	50.00
Port Norris Baptist Church, Port Norris, N. J.	100.00
Mt. Pisgah Baptist Church, Hickory, Ky.	10.00
Harbor View Baptist Church, Harbor View, Ohio	27.92
Fellowship Baptist Church, Lexington, Ky.	50.00
Fellowship Baptist Church Lexington, Ky. (Fellowship Y)	20.00
Julian Baptist Church, Gracey, Ky.	36.78
Liberty Baptist Church, Flint, Mich.	30.29
Carr Baptist Church, York, Ky.	10.00
Olmstead Baptist Church, Olmstead, Ky.	25.18
First Baptist Church, Alexandria, Ky.	25.00
First Baptist Church, Alexandria, Ky.	66.85
(Labor Day Con. for Cablegrams)	24.19
Hopewell Baptist Church, Mayfield, Ky.	22.16
Calvary Baptist Church, Richmond, Ky.	10.00
Bluff Avenue Baptist Church, Indianapolis, Ind.	10.00
Randolph Street Baptist Church, Charleston, West Va.	100.00
Riverside Baptist Church, Richmond, West Va. (M.S.)	10.00
Riverside Baptist Church, Richmond, West Va.	13.00
Pleasant Ridge Baptist Church, Lexington, Ky.	20.00
Maran-Atha Baptist Church, Fairborn, Ohio	50.00
Missionary Baptist Church, Gallagher, West Va.	10.00
Calvary Baptist Church, Clay, West Va.	6.10
Thomas Baptist Church, Irvine, Ky.	10.00
First Baptist Church, Crete, Ill.	87.74
Park Ridge Baptist Church, Gotha, Fla.	9.57
Living Stone Baptist Church, Barboursville, West Va.	28.81
Calvary Baptist Church, Harvey, Ill.	25.00
Pilot Knob Baptist Church, Big Hill, Ky.	15.20
Southside Baptist Church, Paducah, Ky.	44.10
First Baptist Church, Hitchens, Ky.	5.00
East Main Baptist Church, Niles, Ill.	70.00
First Baptist Church, Iquitos, Peru	50.00
First Baptist Church, Iquitos, Peru	50.00
Elk Lick Baptist Church, Levi, Ky.	16.16
Ashland Avenue Baptist Church, Lexington, Ky.	25.00
Ashland Avenue Baptist Church, Lexington, Ky. (By E.H.O.)	5.00
Berea Baptist Church, Clarksville, Tenn.	16.50
Berea College, Berea, Ky.	6.00
Dusk Camp Baptist Church, Stouts Mills, West Va.	16.00
Faith Baptist Church, Jackson, Mich.	25.00
Cedar Creek Baptist Church, Cedarville, West Va.	20.00
New Salem Baptist Church, Dukedom, Tenn.	3.35
New Hope Baptist Church, Ferndale, Mich.	13.66
First Baptist Church, Russell, Ky.	13.05
Members of First Baptist Church, Russell, Ky.	495.00
Salem Baptist Church, Grayson, Ky.	15.65
Pleasant Grove Baptist Church, Hickory, Ky.	11.94
Zoar Baptist Church, Fancy Farm, Ky.	8.14
South Irvine Baptist Church, Irvine, Ky.	15.00
New Testament Baptist Church, Greentown, Ohio	10.00
Bible Baptist Church, St. Charles, Mo.	10.00
Cheney Baptist Church, Orlando, Fla.	29.73
Faith Baptist Church, Genesee, Mich.	17.48
Calvary Baptist Church, Crestline, Ohio	31.56
Northside Baptist Church, Lexington, Ky.	39.25
Dublin Baptist Church, Dublin, Ky.	50.00
Bumpville Union Baptist Church, Wysox, Pa.	42.00
Beech Grove Baptist Church, Lancaster, Ky.	10.00
East Sligh Avenue Baptist Church, Tampa, Fla.	10.00
Jordan Baptist Church, East Gary, Ind.	10.00
Forest Grove Baptist Church, Villas, N. C.	45.93
Bethel Baptist Church, McCamey, Texas	72.31
Mammoth Baptist Church, Utica, Mich.	70.00
Bellview Baptist Church, Paducah, Ky.	45.53
Oak Grove Baptist Church, Hazel, Ky.	21.06
Community Baptist Church, Mansfield, La.	15.50
Oak Vale Baptist Church, Danese, West Va.	5.00
Myrtle Tree Baptist Church, Everman Creek, Ky.	19.00
Missionary Baptist Church, Willow Hill, Ill.	17.00
Grace Baptist Church, Warren, Mich.	400.00
Grace Baptist Church, Warren, Mich. (Launch)	50.00
Grace Baptist Church, Warren, Mich. (L.B.C.)	10.00
West Side Baptist Church, Sanford, Fla.	10.00
New Hope Baptist Church, Benton, Ky.	25.00
Mountain Dale Baptist Church, Reese, N. C.	58.00
Westwood Baptist Church, Toledo, Ohio	29.05
Westwood Baptist Church, Toledo, Ohio (L.B.S. & P.G.)	8.21
Grace Baptist Church, Annville, Ky.	14.00
Temple Baptist Church, Evansville, Ind.	23.45
Temple Baptist Church, Evansville, Ind. (Building Fund)	40.00
Lagrange Baptist Church, Titusville, Fla.	45.80
Canfield Avenue Baptist Church, Detroit, Mich.	89.00
Canfield Avenue Baptist Church, Detroit, Mich. (by R.P.H.)	22.00
Canfield Avenue Baptist Church, Detroit, Mich. (Bethel Bldg.)	27.00
Ephesus Baptist Church, Crab Orchard, Ky.	49.10
Blackburn Baptist Church, Marion, Ky.	5.00
Emmanuel Baptist Church, Oldtown, Ky.	10.50
Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Lewis, Stilwell, Okla.	20.00
Miss Marguerite Hallum, Hammond, La.	30.00
J. E. Roberts, Irvine, Ky.	5.00
Mr. Blanch Bryan, Vanceburg, Ky.	3.00
Mr. W. A. Marsh, Topeka, Kans. (Bldg. Fund)	2.00



Harold Bratcher with suitcase and supplies ready to leave the home of the "Old Patriarch" on the Parana dos Mouras river in the Acre Territory of Brazil.

No Letters from
Lunsford and Creiglow

Bruce Lunsford



Bobby Creiglow

The Lunsford family and the Creiglow family are on their way up the Amazon and Jurua rivers from Manaus to Cruzeiro do Sul, and we did not get a letter from them for this issue of the paper.

Our Peruvian
Missionaries

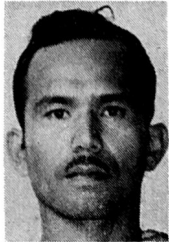
Simon Gama



Marcial Macahuachi



Alfonso Varsallo



Javier Freitas



Antonio Torres



Juan Ruis

NEW CHURCHES AND INDIVIDUALS WHO SENT IN OFFERINGS
SEPTEMBER, 1961

Berea College, Berea, Ky.	6.00
Bumpville Union Baptist Church, Wysox, Pa.	42.00
Emmanuel Baptist Church, Oldtown, Ky.	10.50
Mrs. Clara Wright, Piggott, Ark.	10.00

SPECIAL OFFERINGS FOR LAUNCH, SEPTEMBER, 1961

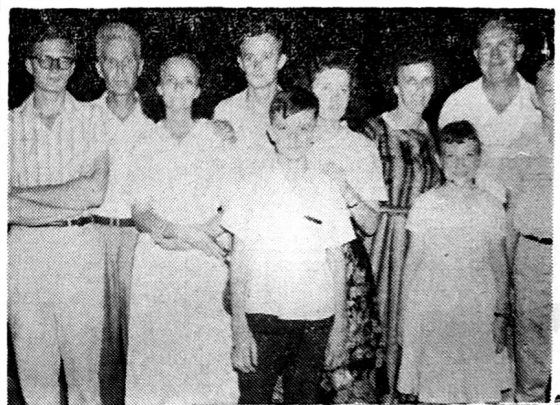
Bryan Station Baptist Church, Lexington, Ky.	\$110.00
Grace Baptist Church, Warren, Michigan	50.00
Total Received for Launch in September	160.00
Total Received for Launch to Date	16,626.45
Cash on Hand to Finish Launch	8,819.94

SPECIAL OFFERING FOR BUILDING IN SEPTEMBER, 1961

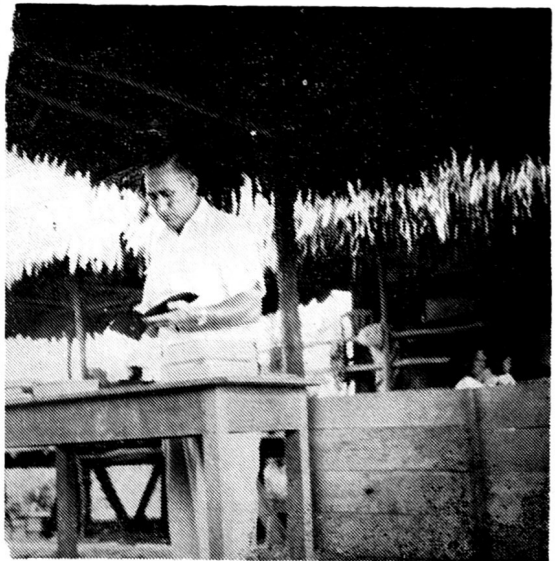
Zack Savage, Gainesville, Fla. (For August)	\$300.00
New Testament Baptist Church, Creve Coeur, Ill.	33.71
Temple Baptist Church, Evansville, Ind.	40.00
Mrs. W. A. Marsh, TTopeka, Kan.	2.00
Total Received for Building in September and August	375.71
Total Received for Building to Date 10/8/52-94	30,568.94
Cash on Hand to Finish Building	7,180.24

SPECIAL OFFERINGS FOR BETHEL BUILDING IN SEPTEMBER, 1961

Canfield Avenue Baptist Church, Detroit, Mich.	27.00
Total Received for Bethel Building to Date	547.00



The Lunsford and Creiglow families in Manaus Brazil just before they went aboard ship for about a forty day journey up the Amazon for 500 miles then up the Jurua river for 2000 miles to Cruzeiro do Sul.



Del Mayfield preaching in Spanish at the Hojeal Baptist Church near Iquitos, Peru.

D. F. Kiger, Weaville, Ky.	10.00
Mrs. Ora Mangold, Demosville, Ky.	4.00
Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Spicer, Battle Creek, Mich.	10.00
Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Burleson, Knoxville, Tenn.	2.00
Edwin D. Rogers, Sao Paulo, Brazil, (M.S.)	3.00
Ed. W. J. Church, Denver, Colo.	30.00
Paul Owen, Calvert City, Ky.	40.00
A Friend, Plant City, Fla.	5.00
Mrs. Clara Wright, Piggott, Ark.	10.00
Mr. and Mrs. William B. Kinna, Cincinnati, Ohio	25.00
A Friend	10.00
Mrs. Mona Ingels, Macksville, Kan.	25.00
Total Received in September for Launch	\$ 160.00
Total Received in September for Building	375.71
Total Received in September for Bethel Building	27.00
Total Received in September for Regular Offerings	4,312.22
Total Received in September for all Purposes	\$4,874.93