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"Earnestly contend for the faith which was once delivered unto the saints."—Jude 3.

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Los Angeles Campmeeting of the Apostolic Faith Missions.

We expect to have a grand campmeeting in Los Angeles, beginning June 1, and continuing about four months.

The spot selected is at adjoining the city limits, several miles from the center of town in a grove of eucalyptus and live oak trees near Hermosa. The fare is only five cents on the electric cars which run every seven minutes. It is only three blocks from where the cars stop to the Campmeeting.

We expect to have a tabernacle with seating capacity of about 1000 people. There will be rooms in the tent for many tents. Free camping grounds. The air is fresh with the sea breeze which comes in from the distant ocean, and there is plenty of good water. You can pray there as long as you like. There are wooded hills all about which we expect will fit with the songs and prayers of the saints and shouts of new born souls.

There will be a separate tabernacle for meetings for the children with services daily so it will be a children's campmeeting as well as a grown up people's meeting. There will be occupational workers to teach and help them spiritually. We expect it to be a true of salvation among the children. Mothers' meetings are also planned for.

Workers from all missions in and about Los Angeles who are one with us, by virtue of having been baptized by one Spirit into one body, are willing to be at the campmeeting. Services will be continued in Anna Mission every night just as usual as ever, a hand going from the campmeeting to carry on the work. Other missions will also carry on their work.

A large band of Holy Ghost workers, men and women whom God has equipped for His service will be present to carry on the meeting under the guidance of our licensed Redeemer who for an hour as the great Leader and Manager. Much prayer is going up to God that He will make this the Lord's day. The Holy Ghost is working in our midst as never before, speaking in tongues is the Bible evidence of the baptism with the Holy Ghost. Jeter and I are holding the meeting here with some others of the brethren. The Holy Ghost has charged me much that we may get out of the way of the Holy Ghost, so D. J. Young, 212 N. Hickory St., Pine Bluff, Ark.

The workers from the different missions first met to counsel together about the campmeeting. We got down to ask the Lord for the money, and the witness came that prayer was heard; the Spirit was poured out upon us. We arose and decided to leave the ground for four months. Before the meeting was over, the power of God so filled the room that one fell under the power and the meeting turned into a Pentecostal service.

A number are willingly giving their services in clearing and preparing the grounds. No collections have been taken, but several hundred dollars have already been offered for the campmeeting. God bears prayer and is putting His seal on it.

Viewing the Campground.

Last summer during the hot days when the crowds would fill Anna Mission all day, people would often get up and say they praised God for what He was doing for them "this morning," not realizing that the sun was going down in the evening. They had not eaten all day and yet they were so taken up with sitting at the feet of Jesus that they knew track of the time and would all there in the heat, without the perspiration from their faces. I thought how God was pleased with it, and how He would be pleased to give them a nice shady place in which to worship.

A few weeks ago, as our sister was reading the letters on Sunday morning in Anna Mission from the foreign lands and the home land, as she was reading about a campmeeting in the east, she said she believed the Lord would be coming to visit her here. The Lord began to talk to me about the campmeeting. He talked to me during the night and the next morning the burden of the campmeeting was so on my heart, that I laid down to rest and went over to the Mission and asked our sister if the Lord had said it on her heart where He was visiting her with the campmeeting. It seemed to me that morning I could see in a vision the grove and the little white tents all through it. And God was showing me both the same spot. While we were talking, a brother came in with the burden of the campmeeting on his heart.

He had not been able to sleep for thinking of it and where to have it. We said we would all go and view the grounds, so a company of us started.

As we landed there, every step we took seemed to praise God. The very trees seemed to cheer their hands and say "Praise God." As we walked down the Arroyo, heaven came down our souls to greet, and we said, "Surely God is in it." We began to get a drink from the well in our yard. She came out rejoicing, seeking her Pentecost. As we began to drink, we thought of how God will water thirsty souls there, and we said, "By Samaria's wayside well, once a blessed message fell. On a woman's face came upon us all. We went back and viewed the ground again. Surely it looks like the house of David. The Holy Ghost is here, and we visited a dear old brother in Hermosa and he rejoiced at the prospect of the campmeeting. All welcomed us and praised God.—One of the Committees.

Arrangements are being made for reduced rates on all lines of railroad for those coming to the campmeeting.

On arriving in Los Angeles, take the Santa Fe and Church of Angels car, and get off at Sixteenth Ave.

Tents can be purchased for rented at reasonable prices on the camp ground. Bring your necessary provision for living in tents.

For full information in regard to the campmeeting, address APOSTOLIC FAITH MISSIONS, 212 AZUSA ST., LOS ANGELES, CAL.

PENTECOSTAL MEETINGS.

In Little Rock, Ark.
May 7.—I thank God that I am able to report victory through Jesus Christ our Lord. We are now in the midst of the Pentecostal meeting, and the people are getting the Lord's love. The Holy Ghost is working in our midst as never before, speaking in tongues is the Bible evidence of the baptism with the Holy Ghost. Jeter and I are holding the meeting here with some others of the brethren. The Holy Ghost has charged me much that we may get out of the way of the Holy Ghost, so D. J. Young, 212 N. Hickory St., Pine Bluff, Ark.

In Topeka, Kansas.
Mission, Topeka, Kan., May 8.—It is a wonderful thing that the Lord is working all over the world, and I am glad to have a part in this great work. Praise His name. The work here is moving ahead and several dozen or more have received the baptism and have spoken in tongues. Sister Calp has returned to us from Los Angeles, where she has been with the Holy Ghost, and she has received her Pentecost. God is doing and telling of His wonderful works. We had a blessed day Sunday. The afternoon service ran on into the night. The power of God came on one sister. She got up from prayer and shouted all over the house and her husband went down to his back under the power. He said he was never the Lord that he has ever been. Others are earnestly seeking. The devil is fighting hard, but we are determined to stay on the field and let God have His way with us.—C. E. Foster.

In Chicago, Ill.
543 W. North Ave., April 12.—Our meetings are wonderful, indeed, since I received my Pentecost. From the first day I arrived here, the mission will not hold the people, and I have moved out of the rooms in the rear of the Mission and we use them for overflow and prayer rooms, and still we cannot accommodate the crowds on Sunday. Best of all, the Spirit works in mighty power and people fall under it, and many have come through and spoken in tongues. My dear wife received her Pentecost soon after I reached home, and yesterday one of our sisters, who has been seeking for some time, came through. People are coming from all directions, and the interest and power is increasing daily, until I never saw more of the power of God anywhere than we see here from time to time. Best of all it is all of God.—no one can claim any credit.—God just comes with power and takes possession.

We never forget to pray for Anna St. Mission, and hope you remember us. We loved, let us walk in meekness before the Lord, and give for all the Lord's work. He is doing, and He will be with us. I feel the staying at His feet all the time.

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ing in our midst. One after another are coming through and speaking in tongues. Last night the meeting lasted all night.

In Memphis, Tenn.
May 1.—The Lord our God is with us at this place, and the saints are receiving their Pentecost. I have never met with such power of the devil as here. One man came to the service and dragged his wife from the altar by force and threatened to kill me and others. But, glory to God, he was overpowered by our God. His wife got the baptism and spoke in tongues, and last night he was back to the service and says he must have his Pentecost. Praise God. I heard from Bro. Mason's church. The power is falling and many souls being filled and speaking in tongues. I met Bro. Mason last week and found him filled with the Holy Ghost. He is a precious brother. There is a battle but our God is fighting it for us. We are only here to stand still and see the salvation of the Lord. The saints are coming from all directions. Memphis is now on foot to continue summer. I cannot see you all in life, but I will meet you at the marriage supper of the Lamb.—J. C. Caldwell.

In Alliance, O.
We are in the midst of a gracious outpouring of God's Spirit in our ten day Pentecostal meeting. As we are going to Jerusalem, anxious to know the way of God more perfectly. Thirteen were laid out under the power at this time, some who had their Pentecost, receiving prophecy, and some who were new converts. A young man on his way to Africa, who came to the home here two weeks ago and received his Pentecost, says: "God has been so merciful to me, and making Him such a blessing to all. He prophesied under the power of the Holy Ghost, and He is telling of the countries of Africa, and spoke of many of the places. Rev. Layton had visited. The boy himself was saved in Africa, but was on his way to England when converted."

A doctor from Oberlin College across in the meeting while Rev. McKenney was giving the message and said: "I believe it. I have been skeptical, but I know it is true." The message was given in the presence of many women kneeling at the front seats.

Oh, how we thank to thank the precious Blood of Jesus Christ who has saved us the salvation of God. We want the Holy Ghost baptism.

A very large company of us are enjoying Pentecost now in Ohio. It is spreading rapidly. We are getting the urgent call. Pray much for the laborers. The devil is hard after us.—I. C.

In Minneapolis.
320 S. Cedar St., April 15.—Yesterday, our first Sunday, was a day of great victory for our Lord. At the afternoon and evening services, the altar was crowded with expectant, anxious seekers—between fifty and sixty in all. I feel that God is going to sweep Minneapolis as she was never swept before. Glory! We are giving the strong name of the Lord, preaching repentance and restitution as the only foundation upon which the Holy Ghost will build; and it is taking. The Devilites are closing up their missions and coming with us. We have a large hall, and it was filled all day yesterday. Hallelujah!

May 3. This is a blessed day after our great victory of last night. One sister received her Pentecost and talked for some time in tongues. Some understood her when she spoke the Polish and others recognized several sentences spoken in the Bohemian. I recognized the Chinese when she spoke that and another recognized the Italian. She sang beautifully in the Norwegian tongue. Of course the devil was stirred and there were threats of throwing me in jail because someone suggested hypnotism. We are having wonderful meetings. The Pentecost felt the presence of the Holy Ghost fire as I did at the beginning of the meeting last night. He had no sermon we went to the altar after singing a couple of songs. The Swedish sisters are with us. Their ship sails May 17. They are blessed women, God—!

In Denver, Colo.

1113 Welton St., March 18.—Sisters are being saved, believers are being sanctified and baptized with the Holy Ghost and fire and speaking in tongues. The altar is full of seekers every afternoon and evening, and people are coming from all directions. The power is increasing daily, until I never saw more of the power of God anywhere than we see here from time to time. Best of all it is all of God.—no one can claim any credit.—God just comes with power and takes possession.

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The wonderful sign in 1906 is the restoration of tongues, which foretells the preaching of the pure gospel to all nations, which must be done before the Gentile Times end. (Matt. 24:14)—The Prophecy Age.

You do not have to strain your mind in order to receive the Holy Ghost, but just believe the Word of Jesus and the Lord pours the Holy Ghost into your heart just as freely as the air you breathe.

What the people need today is an experimental salvation wrought out in their hearts. We have something that will stand against all the forces and powers of hell. God is our life. He is our all in all, it is Christ the Son of the living God.

The "Vanguard" people in St. Louis are waiting for God. The outpouring of the Holy Spirit, and one brother has received the baptism of the Holy Ghost and is speaking in tongues. Their prayer is now called "The Banner of Truth."

A Norwegian brother in Brooklyn, New York was reading about the Pentecost in Christians when he was baptized with the Holy Ghost and began to speak in different languages. It was about midnight on January 1st. His name is Oscar Halverson of 293 13th street. Three others in Brooklyn are speaking in tongues.