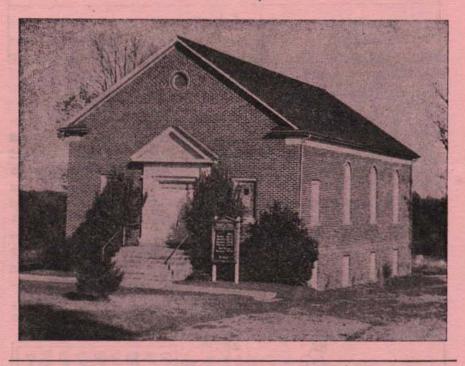
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"and upon this rock I will build my church," Matt. 16:18

"But now are they many members, yet but one body." I Corinthians 12:20 "and gave Him to be the head over all things to the church, which is His body, the fullness of Him that filleth all in all." Ephesians 1:22-23

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-A CONQUERING LIFE ----

A buoy is fastened securely to a rock at the bottom of the sea. The waves splash around it; it floats serenely in its appointed place. The tide rises and falls; it is still there. The Atlantic rollers come racing toward it; it mounts them one by one and rides UPON them as they roll past. The tempest descends, the billows rush upon the little bucy, and for a moment it is submerged. But immediately it rises to the surface and is in its place again, unmoved and unharmed. What a picture of life! What a power and a privilege for a soul to be able thus to rise lightly above every opponent, every vexation, never to sink into discontent, never to be overwhelmed with fear and doubt, always to be on top of the fretful sea of life.



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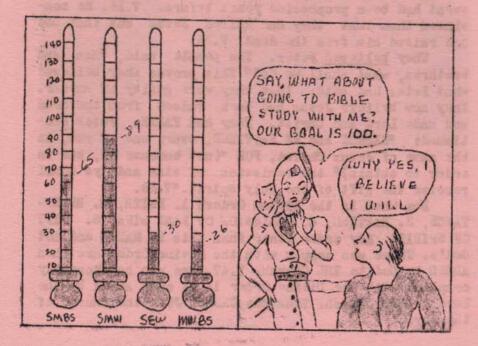
## - THIS'N THAT -

AFTER SEVERAL ATTEMPTS, we have secured maps for the Bible Classes. Although no class as yet has a complete set, we believe that those already received will be of much benefit. The remainder of the order should be here any day.

TWO NEW BOOKS have been added to our list in the library: "Why We Believe The Bible" by George DeHoff, and "Philadelphia Radio Sermons" by James P. Miller. The latter was gift from Bro. DeHoff. Remember, this is YOUR library; make use of it.

WE hear that Bro. Robah Moser has been confined to his bed again. We certainly hope that he won't be there much longer. We'll be looking for you back soon, Bro. Moser.

OLE MAN WINTER has been rough on us for the past Sunday or two! Let's don't let him get us down now. I think we'd rather endure a little cold here than a lot of heat later! ATTEND CHURCH!



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## -THE CHURCH OF CHRIST-

Last week we learned that the Kingdom of Christ or His Church was established on the day of Penticost, A.D.33. Thus any religious body that had its beginning before, or since that time does not belong to the Lord and He has nothing to do with it.

This week we shall notice what one has to do in order to be added to The Church. It is probable that we could find no better place to learn these requirements than the same place where we find The Church established. Acts 2.

Let us notice. The Apostles were baptized in the Holy Spirit and received power. Vv.1-4. They received power to speak languages, vv. 6-8, which they had not learned. Though the other apostles also preached, the sermon delivered by Feter is the only one recorded. Jesus had promised Peter the "keys of the kingdom". Matt. 16:19, and now Peter, under the influence of the Holy Spirit uses those keys. He preaches a sermonthe first gospel sermon-about Jesus. He said this event had been prophesied years before. V.16. He convinced them that they had killed Jesus but that God had raised him from the dead. V.36.

They <u>believed</u> Peter. The people said, "Men and brethren, what shall we do?" This proves they believed what Peter had said: that they were guilty of murder. They now believe Jesus had been raised from the dead and made Lord and Christ. They had FAITH. Peter continued: "REPENT and BE BAPTIZED, every one of you, in the name of Jesus Christ, FOR "(not because of, but in order to obtain)" the remission of sins and ye shall receive the gift of the Holy Spirit. "V.38.

Now what is the Divine Order? 1. FAITH, 2. REFEN-TANCE, 3. BAPTISM, 4. REMISSION OF PAST SINS, 5. GIFT OF SPIRIT. Any order other than this is MAN'S and not God's. Those who comply with the Divine Order are then ADDED by God to THE Church. V.47. One who has honestly complied with the Divine Order is at once added by the Lord to HIS Church. Thus man CANNOT JOIN the Church of the Lord.