

HWAPP# 837 929

1008 West 6th Ave., Eugene, Ore.  
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Dear Bro. Dodd:

About a month ago, I wrote requesting \$35, which was very sorely needed for first of the month bills. I have never received the check, nor any reply, and began to believe my letter had not reached you, but I see the report of tithes and offerings received, sent in the same letter, published in the last E.A. If you sent it, I did not receive it, and you should immediately STOP PAYMENT on the check, in case it went astray.

I had to use money given for the radio to pay personal bills and living expenses, and now I am about to be forced off the air. I am sure God does not want this radio ministry stopped, which is reached over TEN THOUSAND very interested listeners EVERY WEEK. It is now beginning to show a REAL EFFECT, for even local ministers are beginning to acknowledge the truth about the law and other truths I have been driving home to my audience week after week for the past two years. Souls have been saved during radio sermons. It has brought people into our church. It is declaring the true Gospel as a witness to 35,000 or more people (all do not listen in at EVERY broadcast, of course.)

Bro. Dugger writes asking if I am receiving any help from headquarters, and saying word has been sent there to give me what help I need. The work is now shaping up so I believe we will be able to finance this work here without drawing anything at all from the treasury, soon, but I have only had around \$40 a month coming in locally, and I know you will realize that on that I cannot provide for a family of seven, preach every Sabbath to two churches with combined



attendance of around 100, FIFTY-FIVE MILES APART, pay the radio bill, publish the PLAIN TRUTH magazine which now has a circulation of 800 copies, and is read by 2,000 or more according to all indications, pay office rent, conduct evangelistic campaigns, with travelling expenses, advertising, etc.---all on \$40 per month. We receive some vegetables and things, but have to buy nearly all our food. One or two outsiders are now intensely interested, whom I hope to bring with us, and if the Lord does add them to our number, their financial assistance will be enough to carry this work without needing to draw from the treasury, which I am reluctant to do, for I know how others sorely need the funds, too.

Since another month has gone by, I very seriously need now at least \$35, instead of the \$35 requested before, if you can possibly send it. If it is simply not in the treasury, then we must trust the Lord to supply it in His own way, for I know He will supply every need, according to His promise. If you cannot send it, will you not let me know by return mail, for I am now in a very embarrassing position. I have always kept the work here out of reproach and in good financial standing. PLEASE SEND IT AIR MAIL, as it takes so long for ordinary mail to travel so great a distance.

An enclosing handbill of my next meeting, starting Sunday night 12 miles north of Selen. Roy Dailey has returned, the enemy has done his utmost to bust up the work in this state, especially at Jefferson, but the Lord has prevailed, and the a few have left, we still have about 45 at Jefferson that are now firmly established and 100% with us. I guess Roy has taken one family from our Eugene church also, but that is all he can get.

Just last Friday I received a letter from Bro. Dugger asking me to appoint a committee for finances at each local church, sending names to you. I appointed the Eugene Church committee as follows: Financial Overseer, J. M. Day. Treasurer,



E. F. Fisher, Secretary, W. F. Com. Will send you names of committee for Jefferson church next week. Do not want to appoint them until I can consult with the local church elders about it, and had no time to do so last Sabbath.

The work in this state is in excellent shape. Those we lost at Jefferson are not in harmony with our points of doctrine---stand for pork, tobacco, plagues in the past, etc. Some take Passover 15th, others of them agree with us on that. I do not feel that we should grieve over losing the few we did, since they were not with us, and it would have left us divided, and with a constant source of trouble in our midst. We are now in perfect harmony.

Will send report for B.A. in a few days. Am busy day and night. In addition to evangelistic work, holding meetings six nights a week, I preach, as I said, twice on Sabbath 55 miles apart, then over the Radio Sunday mornings, besides conducting Young People's meetings-which I personally teach at both Jefferson and Eugene, and mid-week meeting Tuesday nights at Eugene church when I am not away holding meetings. When holding meetings I prepare lessons for young people and they conduct their own meetings. But all this takes much preparation and time. Besides we receive from one to five or six letters every day at the radio studio, most of which need a personal reply. I wish you could see some of these letters, and sense the real genuine interest we have over the air. Have received letters from hundreds of people for miles around. You can see I am kept busy, by the time I try to write, cut stencils, print, and mail out 600 copies of a nine-paged mimeographed magazine besides.

With love,