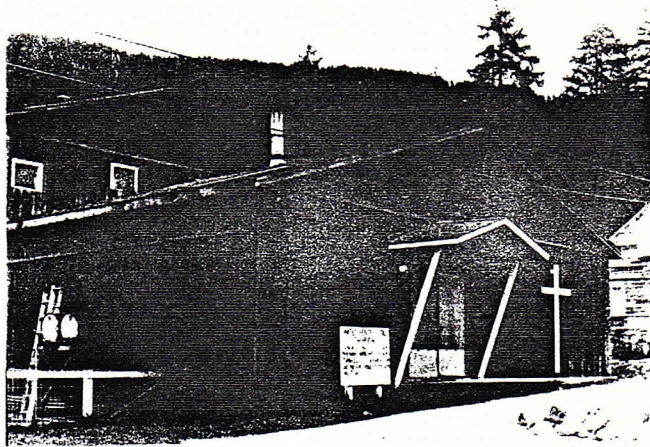


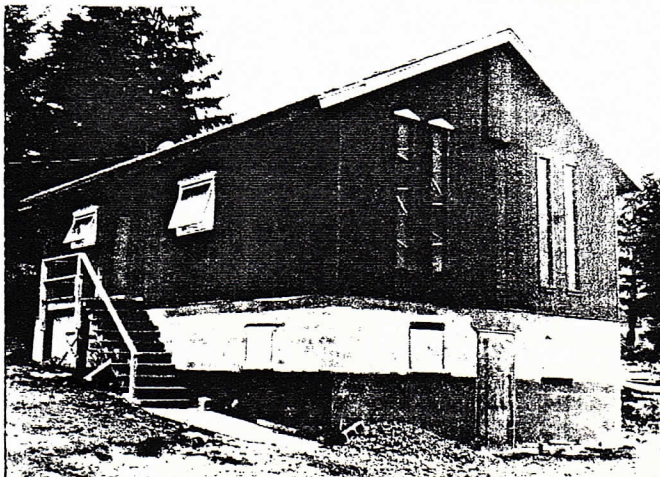
CHURCHES OF HOONAH (cont.)

William Benson, a Tlingit from Klawock, and a small group of soldiers arrived in Hoonah. Meetings were held out on the street and many people joined. A building was constructed a few years later.

The church has become an important part of the day to day life in Hoonah. Within the last few years two other churches have been built in Hoonah: the United Pentecostal Church and the Roman Catholic Church. Also the Morman and Bahai faiths are now active in Hoonah.



The United Pentecostal Church



The Roman Catholic Church