NEWS of the CHURCHES

La Grande Band To Play Sunday At Church Here

Many Interesting Sermons Announced in La Grande Churches For the Day of Worship.

Programs in La Grande churches for next Sunday include the following:

Central Church of Christ
(Pennsylvania Avenue)

The services Sunday at the Central Church of Christ will be climaxed at the evening service beginning at 7:30, when the La Grande band plays a prelude concert for the service. This will be of interest to the music lovers of La Grande, as the band has appeared in only one other concert this year. However, rehearsals have been going ahead regularly under the capable direction of Andrew Loney Jr., and the organization will present several outstanding musical numbers Sunday evening. The pastor, Rev. Paul De F. Mortimore will preach a short sermon at this service, using for his subject "Victory or Despair." The public is cordially invited to this service and auxiliary seating arrangements will make it possible for a large crowd to attend.

The Bible school has outgrown the quarters in the Church of Christ building and Sunday the primary and beginner departments will meet in the house on the corner of Sixth and Pennsylvania. It has been secured and put in condition for the use of these two departments. This will eliminate overcrowding in the main auditorium and will provide a special room for the Ever Ready class which now has about 150 members enrolled. The new building will provide very comfortable quarters for the little folks, giving them more room in which to hold their sessions. Juniors and Intermediates are invited to come to the church at 9 o'clock and enjoy the hand-work which is provided in their department. At present this consists of preparing Christmas decorations. All class sessions begin at 9:45.

The morning worship at 11 o'clock will consist of the communion service, an anthem by the choir and the sermon, "Following Jesus." As we approach the Christmas season special invitations are being given to remember the true meaning of Christmas in the observance of Christian service. The Church of Christ seeks to be helpful in maintaining this spirit.

First Methodist Episcopal Church
(Fourth and Spring)

At the eleven o'clock morning worship service the pastor will speak on the subject, "Looking on the Bright Side." The chorus choir will sing the anthem and Choir Director Paul Knautz has arranged a special vocal number in addition.

At the five o'clock Vesper services the reorganized junior choir will provide the leadership in the music directed by Miss Bethmyrl Miller.

Troop 7 and troop 14 of the Boy Scouts are planning to attend this service in a body and the boys have asked their parents to come also. The pastor will speak briefly on the subject, "Finding Our Best."

The church Sunday school meets at 9:45 with interesting class groups for all ages.

Zion English Lutheran Church
(M avenue near Fourth)

At the morning service at 11:00 o'clock Sunday the pastor will preach upon the theme, "Christ or Another?" The choir will help with the service, and sing the offertory, accompanied by Lilly Belle Angell. A cordial invitation is extended to all who wish to worship at this service.

The Sunday school convenes at 9:45 Sunday morning.

At 7:00 p. m. the Luther League holds its devotional meeting in the church annex. The topic for discussion is "Better Ways of Sharing Christmas." All young people are invited to attend this meeting.

Presbyterian Church
(Sixth and Washington)

In announcing the service at this church for the 11:00 o'clock hour, Sunday, the minister, Rev. J. George Walz, said: "It will not do to forget the divine origin and the immeasurable importance and value of the Church of Jesus Christ here upon earth. It is not a human institution which may, or may not, be regarded, as one's own personal pleasure. It is to be revered and regarded as God's own organization to promote the spiritual welfare and salvation of the people." And he asks: "Why not come to church Sunday? Bring the family and your friends." The choir will render the morning anthem. Many features for the congregation to take part in beside listening, help to make the service impressive and helpful.

The Sunday Bible school convenes at 9:45 a. m. with leaders and teachers to take charge of all children brought to the school, and to direct the study of young people and adults in scriptures most helpful. Whatever age, one will find a congenial class to mingle with. Membership in the orchestra is growing, and any who would join the orchestra ask Eldridge Huffman.

Young people of the church and others who will, are most cordially invited to the five o'clock forum in the house just east of the church. Those of High school age meet at 6:30 for their Christian Endeavor discussion and delightful program of music and song, with other features added.

First Church of Christ, Scientist
(First and Washington)

Services at this church include Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. and morning service at 11 o'clock. Wednesday meetings begin at 8 p. m. The reading room in the West-Jacobsen building is open from 1 to 4:30 p. m. daily.

Sunday's subject will be "God the Preserver of Man."

The golden text is, "The eternal God is thy refuge, and underneath are the everlasting arms" (Deut. 33: 27).

Among the citations which comprise the lesson-sermon is the following from the Bible: "What mean ye, that ye use this proverb concerning the land of Israel, saying, The fathers have eaten sour grapes, and the children's teeth are set on edge? As I live, saith the Lord God, ye shall not have occasion any more to use this proverb in Israel" (Ezek. 18:2, 3).

The lesson-sermon also includes the following correlative passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "Heredity is a prolific subject for mortal belief to pin theories upon; but if we learn that nothing is real but the right, we shall have no dangerous inheritances, and fleshly ills will disappear. The enslavement of man is not legitimate. It will cease when man enters into his heritage of freedom, his God-given dominion over the material senses. Mortals will some day assert their freedom in the name of Almighty God. Then they will control their own bodies through the understanding of divine Science" (p. 226).

Island City Community Church

Worship services in charge of the pastor at 9:45. The sermon subject will be "A Modern Peril."

The growing Sunday school meets promptly at 10:45 and a fine corps of teachers are there to help all who come. This is a community school and all are welcome.

St. Peter's Church (Episcopal)
(Fourth at O avenue)

Holy communion is at 8 a. m. followed by church school at 9:45 o'clock. Morning prayer with sermon begins at 11 o'clock. The musical program follows: prelude "Mountain Idyll" by Schmitt, offertory, organ solo, selected by Mrs. H. N. Ashby, postlude "Grand Choir" by Sedarlein.

The Young People's Fellowship meets at 6:30 p. m.

Gospel Mission
(2201 North Fir street)

Sunday services include Sunday school at 9:45 a. m., morning worship at 11 o'clock, intermediate and young people's meeting at 6:45 p. m. and Sunday evening service at 7:30 o'clock.

Evangelist J. A. Princic will speak on the subject "World's Greatest Need." He and his wife are holding meetings every night at 7:30 p. m. except Saturdays with much interest being shown in the meetings. Mrs. Princic sings solo numbers each evening. Tonight there will be a special healing service for the sick.

Gospel Mission
(Lane Chapel)

Services for Sunday begin with Sunday school at 10 a. m. followed by the morning service at 11 a. m. Evening service is at 7:30 p. m. Brother Carpenter will fill the pulpit.

Salvation Army
(211 Fir St.)

A "free and easy" meeting sponsored particularly by the young people will be held Saturday at 8 p. m.

Sunday services follow: Sunday school at 2:30 p. m., Young People's Legion led by Martin Winn at 6:30 o'clock, and at 8 p. m. Capt. Daniel G. Rody will speak on an important subject "The Mark of the Beast," which has been discussed over the radio, from platforms and talked about all over the world. All are invited.

Praise meeting will be held Thursday.

Sermonette
Edited by Harriet R. MacDonald

The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make his face to shine upon you and be gracious unto you. The Lord lift up his countenance upon you and give you peace. Numbers 6:25-26.

Let us, very briefly, look at this threefold blessing or benediction which too often seems to be regarded as a fitting conclusion of a service of worship—a conventional climax — rather than as a wonderful statement of spiritual fact. May it not be good for us at times to think on this as a blessing, or specially to be conferred, but as continually taking place? As may gain in significance, if we transpose it into terms of affirmation. Put it thus: "The Lord is constantly blessing you and keeping or protecting you; in His love and wisdom, He is always the God of the beaming countenance and infinite kindness; by the uplifting of His love He is drawing us unto himself and bringing us into harmony with His purposes, the which is peace indeed." The end, or aim, of the divine blessing is that Israel shall be blessed by having the Lord's name put upon them, that all who are of the Israel of God may be known by their expression of all that the name of the Lord stands for—by love, graciousness, kindness, wisdom, good will, mercy. We are indeed blessed when our ordered lives are means of blessing to others and our light so shines before men that they see our good works and glorify the Father in the heaven. —C. W.

The Sunday School Lesson in Rhyme
By Carlos A. Plummer

PAUL IN ROME
Acts, Chapters 27-28.

Paul made his famous voyage to Rome
O'er rolling waves white-capped with foam
Through all the perils of the sea,
A witness there for Christ to be.

When from Fair Havens they set sail,
There soon arose a boisterous gale:
When fourteen days there tempest-tossed,
The sailors thought all hope was lost.

God's angel had revealed to Paul
That God would spare the lives of all,
And when they all of hope dispaired,
Paul told them they would all be spared.

About midnight they heard the roar
Of breakers on an unknown shore:
Next morn they ran the ship aground,
And so not one of them was drowned.

A ship-wrecked prisoner on an isle,
Paul still was busy all the while:
The gospel news he there revealed,
And all the island's sick were healed.

When spring arrived, Paul went to Rome,
Where for two years he made his home;
And ere his famous case was heard,
To many there he preached the word.

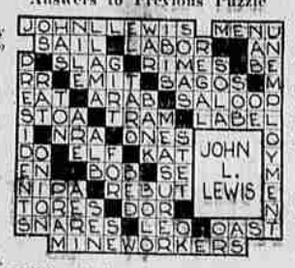
Some famed epistles there he wrote
To churches then from him remote.
He was acquitted, it is said,
And went again God's word to spread.

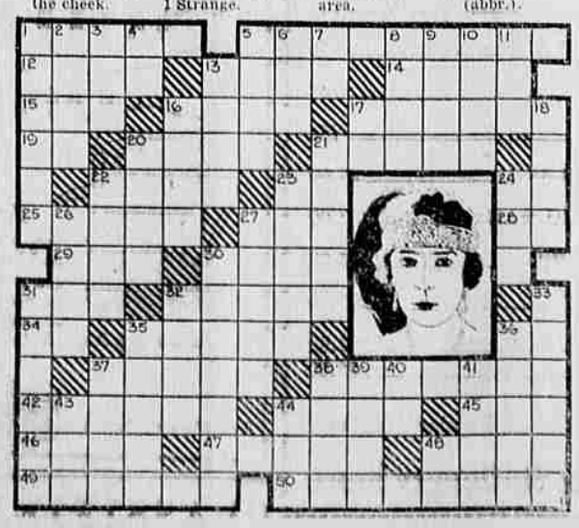
Royalty

HORIZONTAL
1 and 5 Who is the royal lady in the picture?
12 Russian mountains.
13 To jog.
14 Fluid rock.
15 Social insect.
16 Shoe.
17 Her husband is King ——.
19 Exists.
20 Optical glass.
21 To primp.
22 Gift of charity.
23 Seventh note.
24 Measure of area.
25 Characteristic.
27 Moccasin.
28 Neuter pronoun.
29 Sea eagle.
30 Side of a river.
31 Noise.
32 Frustrates.
34 Half an em.
35 Bees' homes.
36 Italian river.
37 Pertaining to the cheek.
38 What is her country?
42 One who atones.
44 Deaf and ——.
45 Mineral spring.
46 Hodgepodge.
47 To habituate.
48 Scheme.
49 Saucerlike dish.
50 What is the capital of her country?

VERTICAL
1 Strange.
2 Pitchers.
3 To devour.
4 Deity.
5 God of love.
6 Quantity.
7 Neuter pronoun.
8 Genus of auks.
9 Infant.
10 Equable
11 Sailor.
12 Vocal sound.
13 Sash.
17 Measure of area.
18 Sour.
20 Cut of meat.
21 Chooses.
22 To mend.
23 Cisterns.
24 To help.
26 Bridle strap.
27 More ashen.
30 Her native country is ——.
31 To abscond.
32 Liver secretion.
33 Natives of Rome.
35 Entrance fee to a trading guild.
36 Pertaining to a pupa.
37 Greatest in degree.
38 Whirr.
39 Kind of wren.
40 Pound (abbr.)
41 Small body of land.
43 Beverage.
44 To entitle.
48 Postscript (abbr.).

Answers to Previous Puzzle





His Straw Broke Camel's Back

Assistant executioner to national prohibition was Franklin S. Riter, Salt Lake City attorney and delegate to Utah's repeal convention, shown here with the resolution he offered for his state's clinching ratification of the 21st or repeal amendment.

New Car Licenses May Be Displayed Effective Today

PORTLAND, Dec. 15 (AP) — Oregon motorists today may legally display the 1934 license plates of aluminum gray with black raised numerals.

The plates are not aluminum as some had supposed, but are made of the same sheet metal covered with aluminum paint. The size and general shape is unchanged.

The new plates may be used effective Dec. 15.

A flat $5 fee covers the license charge for all passenger cars.

Gold has been mined at Grass Valley, Cal., for 83 years.

FIND IT HERE

Copy for this Column must be in by 9 a. m.

TURKEY SHOOT
Sunday, Dec. 17, La Grande Gun Club. 12-15-2 t.

BAKED HAM
dinner tonight, 5:30 to 7:00. M. E. Church, 35c. 12-15-1 t.

SCHOOL DISTRICT NUMBER ONE WARRANTS CALLED

School District No. 1, Union County, Oregon warrants numbered 3050 to 3516 inclusive are hereby called and will be paid when presented at the office of the District Clerk in the High School building, La Grande, Oregon.

Interest ceases on and after December 15, 1933.

R. O. WILLIAMS, District Clerk. 12-15-1 t.

DID YOU KNOW THAT—
fur-trimmed garments receive expert treatment at the Standard Laundry? Phone Main 56, and our routeman will be glad to call and quote prices. 12-15-2 t.

PERMANENT WAVES
Lovene Williams, Model Beauty Shop. Phone 483-W. 12-11-6 t.

Dry Box Factory Wood. Large truck load delivered $5.50 per load. Telephone orders collect. Pondosa Pine Lumber Co., Elgin, Ore. 12-14-2 t.

Currier's Tablets at Moon Drug Co. 11-6-1 m.

Wouldn't that cock your pistol! Auctioneering by Jay Breshears, Alicel. 12-8-1 m.

HAVE YOU SEEN IT?
The new window of specials at 98c each at Richardson's Art and Gift Shop? You will find in this window articles suitable for every member of your family and friends for Christmas Gifts. Values to as much as $5.00 will be featured in this Special Gift Window during the next few days. It will pay you to watch this window at Richardson's Art and Gift Shop, "The Christmas Shop." 12-13-t 1

SUNSET TAVERN
At Perry, Ore., 4 miles west of La Grande, under new management. Opening night Sat. 16. Music day and night; 5 to 7¢ Pabst Blue Ribbon beer on draught and lunch. Dancing free, old-time music. Frank Cable, Prop. 12-14-2 tp.

STOCKHOLDERS ANNUAL MEETING

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the First National Bank, of La Grande, will be held at their banking house in La Grande, Oregon, on Tuesday, January 9th, 1934, at 10 o'clock A. M. At this meeting a Board of Directors will be elected to serve for the year 1934 and such other business will be transacted as may be properly offered.

12-9-1m A. K. PARKER, Cashier.

RED CHRISTMAS CANDLES
Shop all around for candles then come and see ours. You will be surprised at our low prices. Cherry's Florists, Inc. 12-14-3 t

Beautiful yellow and lavender chrysanthemums for Christmas, $3.00 doz. Order now. Cherry's Florists, Inc. 12-14-3 t

Poinsettia plants for Christmas will be on display next Wednesday. Beautiful plants at reasonable prices. Cherry's Florists, Inc. 12-14-3 t

ATTENTION
Special meeting of E. O. Commandery Friday night, Dec. 15 at Masonic hall. Work in Knights Templar. Dinner at hall at 6:30 p. m. as guests of the Commandery. All resident and visiting Sir Knights welcome. By order of the E. C.
C. M. HUMPHREYS, Recorder. 12-14-2 t.

Moon's Pure Vanilla extract is better and costs less. 3 oz. 33c, 6 oz. 53c, Pt. $1.39. 11-6-1 m.

98c GIFTS 98c
Visit Richardson's Art and Gift Shop and see the wonderful values for only 98c now on display in the window. This special window will run every day with new and unusual values in it, at Richardson's Art and Gift Shop, "The Christmas Shop." 12-13-t f.

UNION COUNTY WARRANTS
Are called as follows: GENERAL FUND, Series 1933, numbers 338-604 inclusive. Interest on above warrants ceases on and after date of Dec. 14, 1933.
FLORENCE BACON, Treasurer of Union Co., Ore. 12-14-2 t

FARMERS' SECOND ANNUAL BALL!
Rex Hall, Elgin, Ore.
Friday, Dec. 15 12-13-3 tp

School District No. 15, Union County, Oregon warrants numbered 2 to 38 inclusive are hereby called and the same will be paid when presented at the First National Bank, Union, Oregon.

Interest on the above numbered warrants ceases after Dec. 13, 1933.
FANNIE E. CONKLIN, District Clerk. 12-13-3 t

BUY PEACOCK SLACK
for your stokers. Gaither Ice and Fuel Co. 11-27-1 m

Make your Christmas gifts with Crazy Crystals at Moon Drug Co. 11-6-1 m.

Candy Canes, 2 for 5c; hard mix, 15c lb.; French creams, 20c lb. Cherry Blossom Candy Shop. 12-9-13t

The gift to please all the family is a box of Cherry Blossom chocolates. 12-9-13t

Wouldn't that hock your pistol! Auctioneering by Jay Breshears, Alicel. 12-8-1 m

SCHOOL CHILDREN
You can get scratch paper for school at the Observer. Now 2 pads 5c. 9-14-t f.

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE
H. A. BLAIR, Plaintiff,
vs.
J. H. CALLAGHAN and MARGARET L. CALLAGHAN, Defendants.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That under and by virtue of a writ of execution in foreclosure duly and regularly issued by the clerk of the Circuit Court of Union county, Oregon, dated the 1st day of December, 1933, in that certain suit in the said Circuit Court wherein H. A. Blair is plaintiff and J. H. Callaghan and Margaret L. Callaghan are defendants, and wherein the said H. A. Blair as plaintiff recovered judgment and decree against said J. H. Callaghan and Margaret L. Callaghan, as defendants, in the sum of $3000.00 together with interest thereon at the rate of 8 per cent per annum from the 20th day of November, 1930, plus the sum of $300.00 as attorney's fees herein and for his costs and disbursements herein incurred, which said judgment and decree further provides that the said sums of money constitute a valid lien against the hereinafter described real property, with its appurtenances, superior to any claim of the said defendants, upon said property, and further provides and decrees that said property be sold to satisfy said judgment, attorney's fees and accruing costs for which said judgment and decree was duly given, made and entered on the 24th day of November, 1933.

NOW, THEREFORE, Pursuant to said execution, I will, on Tuesday, January 2d, 1934, at the front door of the Union county court house in the city of La Grande, Union county, Oregon, at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in hand, the following described real property, situate in said county and particularly described as follows:

Lot number Four (4) Block Thirteen (13), in Grandy's Addition to La Grande, Oregon, according to the recorded plat thereof,

or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment and decree, together with the costs which have accrued or may accrue under and by virtue of said execution.

Dated at La Grande, Union county, Oregon, this 1st day of December, 1933.

JESSE BRESHEARS, Sheriff of Union County, Oregon.
Dec. 1, 8, 15 and 22

Has U. S. Job

Miss Velda Morrow, assistant corporation counsel of Seattle, has been named an assistant in the Washington, D. C., office of Homer R. Cummings, United States attorney general.

GREEN AND BROWN FAVORED BY COUNTESS

PARIS (AP) — The Countess Cavadonga, bride of the eldest son of Alfonso XIII of Spain, wore a striking green and brown ensemble at a recent smart luncheon. It combined a slender short-sleeved frock of soft green wool, a jacket of the same fabric, and a waistcoat of brown astrakhan. The jacket was fastened with a green satin bow close to the throat.

AT THE LIBERTY

ED WYNN IN "THE CHIEF"

For the first and only time this year local audiences will be given an opportunity to see and hear Ed Wynn on the talking screen when "The Chief" opens Saturday at the Liberty theatre, heralded as Wynn's greatest talking picture entertainment.

The infectious giggle, the hilarious "So-o-o-o—", the screamingly funny stories that have made Wynn internationally famous as "the silliest man in America"—all these will be heard when Wynn steps out of his radio invisibility and appears on the screen.

To many, this will be their first glimpse of a personality who ranks with Will Rogers and Marie Dressler as one of America's outstanding humorists. For a score of years Wynn has been one of the country's premiere funsters.

The picture was made at Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer studios in California. Dorothy Mackaill, whose loveliness has adorned many successful screen plays, appears opposite Wynn. Charles "Chic" Sale, himself a comedy star in his own right, contributes to the fun. William (Sage) Boyd, Effie Ellsler and C. Henry Gordon have prominent roles.

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ZUBER HALL
Admission — Men 50c Ladies 25c
Balcony 25c

HEAVY SHIPMENTS ARE EXPECTED IN COMING QUARTER

POCATELLO, Ida., Dec. 15 (AP) — Estimated car load shipments for the first quarter of 1934 in the central western district of the United States will exceed actual 1933 shipments for the same period by 3.5 per cent, a report made before the twenty-ninth regular meeting of the central western shippers advisory board by the commodity committee has revealed. The computating was made from a digest of estimates of six states, Colorado, Idaho, Nebraska, Oregon, Utah and Wyoming.

Where 241,018 cars were actually moved in this territory during the first period of 1933, 249,635 car shipments or an increase of 8,617 cars are expected during the first three months of next year.

Transportation representatives and members of all phases of business life attending the opening session of the board conference heard J. E. Hutchison, of San Francisco, Pacific coast representative, discuss what the federal coordinator of transportation had accomplished.

Why Get Up Nights?
Lax the Bladder With Juniper Oil, Buchu, Etc.

Drive out the impurities and excess acids that cause irritation, burning and frequent desire. Juniper oil is pleasant to take in the form of BUKETS, the bladder laxative, also containing Buchu leaves, etc. Works on the bladder similar to castor oil on the bowels. Get a 25c box from any drug store. After four days if not relieved of "getting up nights" go back and get your money. If you are bothered with backache or leg pains caused from bladder disorders you are bound to feel better after this cleansing and you get your regular sleep. Moon Drug Co., says "Bukets is a best seller." —Adv.

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10:30 A. M. — 4:10 P. M.
For PENDLETON, Way Points
Leave La Grande, Daily
10:30 A. M.
U. P. Stage Depot, 1308 Adams
Phone MAIN 49

WALES A PIPER? HE'D LIKE TO BE

EDINBURGH, Scotland (AP) — The Prince of Wales has a new diversion —learning to play the bagpipe.

When the Earl of Elgin revealed here that the prince had bought a chanter, the finger-pipe on which the melody is played, the prince admitted he had been learning "a few tunes."

While the prince said he would never give a solo, he said he would be "very pleased" if ever he was able to play in a pipe band in Edinburgh.

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NEW—different—this fine character "stand-up" doll attracts instantly. All-rubber core molded with movable unbreakable head. Natural flesh color — beautifully decorated features. Easy to clean — sanitary. Sonny Boy is 10 inches high and comes in a clever Cedar Chest play package that brings many joyful hours to the children you love.

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