

CHURCHES

Gospel Tabernacle
3rd and Jefferson
Rev. Lester Carlsen, pastor
Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Classes for all ages. Armand Pratt, superintendent.
Morning worship 11 a. m. E. Schneider, missionary to South America, will be the guest speaker this morning.
Evening worship 7:45 p. m. A good congregational singing will open this service, solo, followed by the message from the pastor.
Young people's meeting 6:45 p. m.
Junior church 6:45 p. m.
Mid-week prayer services 7:45 p. m. Tuesday.
Special services Wednesday and Thursday 7:45 p. m. Harriett Dithridge, who has spent the past 25 years in Japan, will speak to 12. She will tell of her many experiences while in Japan.

First Church of God
Rev. T. M. Mitchell, pastor
Sunday school 10 a. m. Miss Leola Miller, superintendent.
Morning worship 11 a. m. Sermon subject, "Contagious Consecration."
Evening worship 8 p. m. Sermon subject, "The Tabernacle Coverings—Spiritual."
Mid-week prayer services 8 p. m. Thursday.

First Presbyterian Church
Sixth and Washington
Rev. Mark A. Talney, pastor
Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Lee Reynolds, general superintendent. The summer program of motion pictures continues this Sunday with a sound film, "Slave Coast."
Morning worship 11 a. m. United service at First Methodist will continue for the next two Sundays.

First Baptist Church
Sixth and Spring
Rev. R. E. Stanley Hunt, pastor
Sunday school 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship 11 a. m. "The Release of the Lord." Duet, Mrs. S. Hunt. Broadcast on KLBK.
Evening worship 8 p. m. "Modern Marvels in the Light of the Bible." Soloist, Miss Elda Mae Childers, Cove.
The Youth Fellowship, 6:30 p. m.
Mid-week prayer services 8 p. m. Thursday. Praise, prayer and Bible study.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

Modern Esau Might Better Bring Their Good Into the Church
Scripture: Genesis, Chapters 32-35

Sin dogs a sinner's footsteps and besets his path. He may win divine favor and the forgiveness of God; but the human consequences often remain. They may be visited in tragic effect upon his family, or upon his own children. They may arise to embarrass him years after he may have wronged another, or been untrue to himself.
Jacob had had to leave home, following his disgraceful episode in stealing the birthright from his brother Esau. He had escaped to his mother's brother, his uncle Laban, in the land "of the people of the east" (Genesis 29), from which Rebekah had come. Here he faced the first penalty for his wrong-doing in coming up against a greedy trickster like himself—for Laban abused and deceived him.
But here the best in Jacob came out again, in his love for Rachel, for whom he served seven years, which "seemed unto him but a few days, for the love he had to her." When Laban tricked him, and gave him the older sister, Leah, instead, he served another seven years for Rachel; and six additional years he served, while in the 20 years Laban changed his wages 10 times.
It was time for Jacob to get

First Church of Christ, Scientist
Corner First and Washington
Sunday school 9:30 a. m.
Morning worship 11 a. m. Subject of the lesson—sermon, "Christ Jesus." Golden text, John 1:17.
Wednesday evening meeting 8 p. m. Testimonies of healing, experiences and remarks on Christian Science are given.
This church maintains a free reading room in the West-Jacobson building, 111 Elm street, where the Bible, the works of Mary Baker Eddy and the authorized literature may be read or borrowed. Open daily from 1:30-4 except Sundays and legal holidays. The public is invited to attend the services.

Church of the Nazarene
Rev. O. A. Crofford, pastor
Sunday school 10 a. m.
Morning worship 11 a. m. "The Best News in the World" will be the sermon theme.
Evening worship 8 p. m. Young people's meeting 7:15 p. m.
Mid-week prayer services 8 p. m. Wednesday.

First Methodist Church
Rev. Logan A. Pruitt, pastor
Sunday school 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship 11 a. m. Sermon theme, "Perseverance the Test of Faith." Duet, Mr. and Mrs. Helmut Bekowies, "O How Amiable are Thy Dwellings," Coombs.
3 p. m. church planning conference to be held at the Roy L. Skenen home, 1100 B avenue.
Young people's meeting, 7 p. m. at the church.

Zion Lutheran Church
N. ave. near Fourth
Rev. R. W. Tomeraasen, pastor
Sunday school 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship 11 o'clock. Sermon, "Jesus and Unbelief."

Jap Correspondents To Cover MacArthur
MANILA, Aug. 25 (UP)—It's come at last—the day the correspondents have joked about for three days. Now the Japanese war correspondents want to cover Gen. Douglas MacArthur's headquarters.
And what's more, MacArthur has agreed, in part.

Today We Pay Tribute to—



These two boys are the sons of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Draper and this picture was taken when they met in Hawaii after many months of separation from each other and from other members of their families. Pfc. Clifford Draper is now in Hawaii; he went to school in Union and was a brakeman on the Union Pacific before he entered the service March, 1942. His brother, Arthur LeRoy, is in the navy and has been on the U. S. S. Indiana, a battleship with the third fleet. He worked in Walker's garage before entering service in February, 1944.



Leslie Frederick Smith, jr., S 1/c, has received his discharge from Great Lakes naval hospital after 19 months in the service.

T/S Paul W. Boyd has received his discharge from the Fort Sheridan, Ill., separation center. He entered the service March 2, 1939, and has spent 21 months in the India-Burma theater of operations. He has been awarded the good conduct medal, American defense service ribbon, and the Asiatic-Pacific theater ribbon with one bronze battle star.

Dean Floyd Roundy, 1102 "O" avenue, La Grande, Oregon, was enlisted in the U. S. naval reserve at Portland Aug. 22, according to word received from Ed Fitzgerald, local navy recruiter. Roundy will be at home in La Grande for a few weeks before being called to active duty. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Roundy of La Grande.

William Earl Garrison of La Grande has been enlisted in the U. E. navy at the recruiting station in Portland according to Ed Fitzgerald, recruiter in charge of the La Grande navy recruiting sub station which handled the preliminary steps in his enlistment. The new bluejacket was born in Baker and is the son of Estelle Mae Garrison of 1002 N. avenue. He attended La Grande high school and just prior to his enlistment was employed by Modern Laundry. After recruit training at a navy training center, Garrison will be eligible for assignment to one of the navy trade schools or assigned to duty with one of the units of the fleet.

S Sgt. Benjamin E. Nelson, 501 Cedar street, La Grande, is at Camp Atlanta, near Chalons, France, awaiting shipment home with the veteran 3460th medium maintenance ordnance company. The company, which in 18 months of overseas service has earned five battle stars, landed in France shortly after the fall of St. Lo. During the entire campaign, it serviced the vehicles and weapons of General Patton's third army. On V-E day the 3460th was operating in Haus, less than 30 miles from the Czechoslovakian border.

Alfred Leslie Pearson, 35 S 1/c, son of Mrs. Allie Pearson, Island City, fought aboard the USS Iowa, when she and other third fleet battleships, cruisers and destroyers staged a daring midnight bombardment of industrial targets on this main Japanese island, 70 miles from Tokyo. Standing only a few miles offshore, the Iowa hurled more than 200 tons of flaming projectiles at war factories. A few days before this crowning achievement in her wartime career, the Iowa's big guns had wrecked the port and industrial city of Muroran on Hokkaido, northernmost of Japan's large islands.

Harold Harris, R 3/c, 1608 Second street, serves aboard the USS Independence, one of the navy's front line aircraft carriers which has participated in

Union Odd Fellows Have Annual Picnic With Guests From Two Other Lodges

UNION, Aug. 25 (Special)—Annual picnic of the Odd Fellow and Rebekah Lodge was held on the lawn of the Owen Puckett home. Potluck dinner was served. A short musical program followed with Mrs. Marin Howell playing several piano selections. The afternoon was spent in visiting with friends and neighbors. The Union Lodge was well represented and a few were present from Cove.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Coles with Mrs. Lydia Collins were in Union from Pendleton recently. The Coles and Mrs. Collins are former residents of this city and their friends always enjoy their visits. Also from Pendleton were Mrs. Stella Hansen and Mrs. Gertrude White and their friend Mr. Haines from the Walla Walla air base. Mrs. Hansen is a former Union resident.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Goble were called to Baker Tuesday by the serious illness of Mrs. Goble's mother. Goble returned Wednesday, but Mrs. Goble remained at the bedside of her mother.

Mrs. Emma Bell and young grandson Dicky Gambill returned Sunday from St. Ignatius, Montana, where they have spent the summer. Mrs. Jerry Gambill, daughter of Mrs. Bell, now residing in Portland, met them in Union and returned to Portland Sunday evening, taking her little son Dicky with her.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Friend, Mrs. Ralph Taylor and little daughter Leticia returned Wednesday from Ft. Lewis, where they had gone to visit Ralph Taylor, who is confined to the Madigan Convalescent Hospital there. Mrs. Taylor reports her husband's condition as satisfactory.

Reginald Gipson Y 1/c and his wife, who have been visiting at the home of his father, Mr. Cal Gipson will return Aug. 29 to Arcadia, where Reggie is stationed.

Lt. Eldred Hutchinson, who, with his wife, has been spending some time at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hutchinson, left Wednesday for Madigan Convalescent hospital at Ft. Lewis. Mrs. Hutchinson accompanied her husband.

Mrs. Elizabeth Nodine, who has been visiting with her sister, Mrs. Edd Winston of Wallowa, returned Tuesday and is at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Vance Nodine.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Mills are enjoying a visit from their son, Pfc. Kenneth Mills, who arrived Sunday from San Angelo, Tex., at the end of his nine-day furlough he is to return to Camp Kearns for re-assignment. On the same day their daughter, Mrs. Bill DeDuc with her husband and his brother Glenn, arrived from Spokane for a short visit. Albert Werner of Sacrament, is also a guest at the Mills home, he is a brother-in-law of Mrs. Mills and of Otto Schuck of this city.

Miss Myrna Jean Kinzie left Friday for a two weeks' visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. Don Jones of Spokane.

Registrants Can't Just Give Up Jobs

WASHINGTON, Aug. 25 (UP)—The shooting has ended, manpower controls have been abolished, but physically fit registrants of 18-25 who leave draft-deferred jobs still are liable for immediate induction, it was learned today.
Orders have been sent from national selective service headquarters here to state headquarters that the rule against wartime work shifting still is in effect.

Locker Plant in Cove Completed

COVE, Aug. 25 (Special)—Leonard Ronne of Portland, who has been installing a freezing plant in Cove, has it finally completed and he is moving here with his family. He purchased a home over a year ago.

the aerial onslaught on Tokyo. When the planes of the Independence started off the flight deck within 100 miles of the Jap mainland on the first strike, it marked the realization of an ambition long cherished by every member of the crew, from the captain on down because the ship had been torpedoed at Tarawa in November, 1943.

PFC Don Shade is here on 30 day furlough, with his wife, LaVelle and his small son, Billie Don Shade. Private Shade was inducted into the army in 1944 and had his training at Camp Hood, Tex. He was later transferred to Camp Swift, Tex., and the 10th mountain division. In December he went overseas, arriving in Italy Jan. 13. He took part in the north Apennines and Po valley campaigns. He has two battle stars and the combat infantryman's badge. He will report to Fort Lewis and then go to Camp Carson, Colo.

James F. Torrence, Atlantic City, N. J., is spending his leave in La Grande.

Visitors at Cove Return to Homes

COVE, Aug. 25 (Special)—Mrs. Al Brownstein and her small son Jerry, who have been here all summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Comstock, left Thursday evening for her home in Portland.

Mrs. Edward Kellogg who has been in Los Angeles with her father, Allen Berry, all summer is now here with her mother. Her sister, Frances Berry, who has also been in Los Angeles, came home with her.

Mr. and Mrs. Royal Allen, and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Duncun took a trip in the mountains Tuesday to inspect their ditch that carries water for irrigation. They visited the government camp and found it has been cleaned and was nice for picnics.

School will open Sept. 4, with the following faculty: Principal and superintendent, Fiman Faulner; Mrs. Anne Johnson and Mrs. Shiley Smutz for the high school, Mrs. Daisy Ronne, Miss Arline Anderson, Mrs. Leahy Sands, and Mrs. Helen Conklin for the grades. A teachers meeting will be held Monday.

Bryan and Norman Thomas, of Susanville, Calif., arrived Monday to visit their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Laird.

Jimmy Erkenbeck who has been here with his grandmother, Mrs. Addie Geer the most of the summer has returned to San Diego to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Erkenbeck.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldred Hallmark of Bonneville, who have been here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Hallmark, have now gone to Boise, where he is taking treatment.

Many Discharged Men Need Job to Avoid Invalidism

WASHINGTON, Aug. 25 (UP)—The army's top psychiatrist said today many of the 300,000 veterans discharged for neuro-psychiatric reasons may become "confirmed invalids" if they are unable to find jobs.
Gen. William C. Menninger, chief of the war department's psychiatric division, declared this is one of the problems "reconversion" unemployment will bring.
In addition, he said, 1,825,000 men rejected by the army because of "personality disorders" will be thrown toward "mental ill health" if confronted with unemployment.
He disclosed:
1. Psychoneurosis was the basis for 43 percent of the army's medical discharges.
2. Another 130,000 men were let out because of inadaptability or ineptness.
3. Thirty-nine percent of the 4,650,000 men rejected by the army—or 1,825,000 men—were turned down "because they were suffering from some type of personality disorder."

Claims For Jobless Increase This Week

SALEM, Aug. 25 (UP)—New claims for unemployment benefits during the first post war week soared to 2,170 the unemployment compensation commission announced today, a new high for any week since January 1942.
More than 80 percent of the claims were filed in the Portland office, where 1,763 claims were received. Approximately 4,000 referrals to jobs were made there, and thousands of others were employed on farms, on railroads, in canneries and in other jobs.
Only 822 were paid benefits this week. That number was exceeded in July and early months of this year, but the commission expects benefits payments to increase after the new claimants have waited the three weeks required.

Hospital Notes

Grande Ronde hospital:
Admitted—Mrs. C. E. Wright, Union; Beth Scriber, La Grande, medical; Mrs. Nadine Tucker, Union, Howard M. Carper, Cove, Alvin Gorham, Wallowa, surgery.
Dismissed—Jeannine Warren, Dale Warren, Hereford.

St. Joseph's hospital:
Admitted—Mrs. Sam Ruckman, Alice, laboratory
Dismissed—Ronald Dike, La Grande.

FALLS FOUR STORIES
PORTLAND, Aug. 25 (UP)—Army Pvt. Harry Strong is in a critical condition today in a Portland hospital after falling from a sixth-floor window of the Imperial hotel. He fell four floors to a skylight.
Hospital attendants said he has possible spine fracture and possible rib fractures.



MARY INGLE will have part in program at Presbyterian church Monday.

Oregon U. Will Be Shown Monday In Motion Films

High school graduates interested in going to college this fall will be advised at a meeting in La Grande Monday, Aug. 27 at 8 p. m. in the Presbyterian church when colored moving pictures of the University of Oregon will be shown and the various aspects of college life explained by Miss Betty Lu Siegman, UO federation director.

Miss Siegman will give information to students and their parents and friends about courses of study, living accommodations, student employment, activities, and scholarships.

Miss Mary Ingle, local federation chairman, is assisting in arrangements for the meeting. High school graduates who wish to talk individually with Miss Siegman from 2 to 5 p. m. Aug. 27 may contact Miss Ingle of 1507 2nd street to arrange for appointments.

Returned veterans who are interested in going to college are encouraged to make appointments and attend the meeting. They will be given information about the university's veterans counseling system.

Pollyanna Club Has Meeting at Park

Seventeen members of the Pollyanna club met yesterday afternoon at Riverside park.
Four tables of pinochle were played with high prize going to Mrs. Nattie Smith, and Mrs. Ernest Case, fourth. 300 pinochle was received by Mrs. Laura Hawes.
Refreshments were served by Mrs. Clarence Michel and Mrs. Charles Hook. The next meeting will be held Sept. 14 at the home of Mrs. Steve Hiatt.

Committee Named to Study Fire Control

SALEM, Aug. 25 (UP)—Gov. Earl Snell today appointed 10 men, representing the public, industry and labor, to serve on a special forestry committee which will study forest protection and fire control.
Members of the committee are Tom Purcell, Gresham, president of the Oregon Newspaper Publishers association; Judge H. D. Kerkman, Hillsboro, president of the County Judges association; Morton Tompkins, Dayton, master of the Oregon state grange; H. J. Andrews, Portland, regional forester, U. S. forest service; George Gerlinger, Portland, national president of the Lumbermen's association and representative of the West Coast Lumbermen's association; J. F. Daggart, Prineville, representative of the Western Pine association; E. B. Tanner, Portland, representative of the Oregon Forest Fire association; Claude Ballard, Portland, president of the International Woodworkers of America; Kenny Davis, Portland executive secretary of the northwest council of lumber and sawmill workers; Herbert Chandler, Baker, president of the Oregon Cattle and Horse Raisers association.

'Tonight and Every Night' Opens at Liberty Sunday

"Tonight and Every Night" you have a date with a beautiful picture.
Columbia Pictures' technicolor dramatic musical starring Rita Hayworth with Janet Blair and Lee Bowman coming to the Liberty theater Sunday, is this studio's first lavish musical since the magnificent "successful" "Cover Girl."
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Society Briefs

Rev. George A. Pollard, pastor of the Congregational church at Boise, and Mrs. Pollard and their daughter, Louise, are visiting friends here. Rev. Mr. Pollard is former pastor of the Baptist church here. They have been here this week.

Louis Panos of St. Helens, property owner here, has been here this week on business and visiting with friends.

Miss Betty Wheeler of Portland is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hall.

Mrs. McKinney Celebrates Her 88th Birthday

Mrs. J. L. McKinney celebrated her 88th birthday Tuesday at the home of her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Barnwell, 1503 1/2 M avenue.

Those present at the dinner were: Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Chenoweth and daughter, Retha, of Enterprise; Mrs. Mattie Hays of Enterprise; Lon Davis, Portland; Mrs. Ida Homon, Enterprise; Mrs. Virgil Wagner, Enterprise; Mrs. Ora Burnett, La Grande.
All of Mrs. McKinney's children are alive, and were present for the party.

Lodges Surprise Pastor at Union

UNION, Aug. 25 (Special)—Members of the Odd Fellow and Rebekah lodge joined in giving a surprise party to Rev. O. A. Fortune in honor of his birthday. The party was held at the Methodist parsonage. Many friends of the minister and his wife were present. The evening was spent in games and visiting. Refreshments were served the special birthday cake being an angel food, prepared by Mrs. Fortune. Rev. Mr. Fortune received many attractive and useful presents, a touch of fun being added by the presenting of two large striped peppermint sticks of candy by friends.

Sunday School Has 'Waffle Breakfast'

UNION, Aug. 25 (Special)—Sunday school of the Methodist church under the direction of Mrs. J. R. Jones, superintendent, sponsored a waffle breakfast at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Jones Tuesday morning. In addition to citizens of Union there were visitors from North Powder and La Grande. The proceeds of this breakfast go toward a fund to be used for carpeting the church. Committee in charge was Mrs. J. R. Jones, Mrs. O. A. Fortune, Mrs. Edith Phy, Mrs. Chester Nice, and Mrs. George South. Out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Martin and Mr. L. H. Allen of La Grande, and Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Parker and daughter Shirley, Mrs. May McGregor and Mrs. Chris Peterson of North Powder.

Social Calendar

TUESDAY
Baptist women will provide food for the Do-Nut hut.

Comstock-Wilhoit Nuptials Celebrated Here Thursday

At a simple ceremony in the chapel in the Catholic church here at 2 o'clock Thursday, Roy Comstock, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Comstock, and Miss Ruth Wilhoit were united in the holy bonds of matrimony in the presence of the family and a few invited guests.
The bride carried a white prayer book and a bouquet of flowers.
After the ceremony the wedding party repaired to the home of the groom's parents for a wedding dinner. The bride and groom cut the wedding cake. The newly wedded pair left for a short trip.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Ellis, and their guest, Miss Jane Ellis, were the only guests. The bride's home is in Pensacola, Fla.

Mrs. Swan Hostess To Members of Club

The 600 club met with Mrs. Raymond Swan last night for a potluck dinner. There were two guests, other than members, present for the evening. They are Mrs. John Larson and Mrs. Fred Greaves.
Games were played and prizes were won by Leona Locken, Mrs. Greaves, Ethel Hardwick and Florence Mullenburg. The house was decorated with fall flowers.

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