

Men Praised For Given USFS Against Fires

Local Forest Ranger Praises Valuable Co-operation

Without a fire of any kind this year, the local fire service group is grateful for the fact that fires are absent, but for the co-operation given the department by firms carrying advertisements calling attention to fire

Mr. Nance, local ranger, in a letter to the Pilot, expresses his appreciation to these firms:

Mr. Pilot: This forest fire has ended (I hope) with the arrival of what appears to be fall rains. (Note: What you heard was a gib sigh of relief. And I want to take this opportunity to personally thank you sincerely for your splendid cooperation and assistance in our effort to convince folks that they should be careful with the forests as well as at home. Though you I want to thank you for their very successful efforts and care in preventing forest fires during the past year. Especially, our gratitude

is extended to the Chetco Rod & Gun Club, E. E. Hanscom, Marlin Tryon, Henry Kerr, Woodworth Brothers, Kerber Brothers, and Foster-Clyde Lumber Co., for sponsoring fire prevention advertisements in our national campaign.

How successful all your efforts have been can best be judged by results. And what commendable results they are! Not a fire of any kind (except those for which permits had been issued) occurred on the 320,000 acres comprising the Chetco Ranger district. As there now has not been a single man-caused fire (except the Jap bomb in 1942) in this area since 1939, everyone is to be congratulated for doing his part in prolonging through the seventh fire season this very enviable record.

The financial aspect alone of our timber situation should offer sufficient incentive for protecting our forests from fire. Within a year or so Curry County will have received (during the past several years) over \$100,000 from sales of forest products harvested from national forest lands within the county. And this income can be increased greatly by allowing the small trees now existing the necessary time and protection to mature. The increasing demand for timber—just any timber—is sufficient evidence to convince the most confirmed skeptics of this fact. What will be the demand when these trees are mature and are ready to be har-

vested—that is something for conjecture.

Again we thank you. If we can be of any assistance to you at any time, please do not hesitate to contact us. Very Truly Yours, Marian Nance, district ranger.

Weather Report

With 3.53 inches of precipitation from Thursday until Sunday, the coastal area, especially this section, is experiencing the beginning of the fall rains.

With 2.10 inches of rain falling for the 24 hours, Sunday, Monday saw approximately same amount coming down, sometimes in near cloudbursts. Lily planting and all field work is being held up because of the wet ground.

For the past week, ending on Sunday:

Sunday:	Max	Min	Rain
October 14	64	50
October 15	69	40
October 16	69	46
October 17	56	47	.89
October 18	58	50	.25
October 19	55	46	.29
October 20	54	46	2.10
Total rainfall for week			3.53

Christmas Vespers Are Planned By Local Choir

Practice sessions were announced Sunday by the choir, which is planning a Christmas vespers, to be held sometime the latter part of December.

Choir members will meet Saturday evening at the church for a lunch, at which time parts will be picked and assigned, it was announced.

With The Churches

Baptist Community

Rev. Charles E. Dunham, Pastor
O. C. Turley, Music Director

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.
H. Hoagland, supt. Classes for all ages.

Sermon by the pastor. Special music will be given by the choir.
Young peoples meeting at 7 p. m.

Smith River Methodist

Sunday School at 10 a. m. Mrs. Grace VanZee, supt.

Morning Worship at 11 a. m.
Rev. E. C. Hicks will deliver the sermon.

Christian Science Society

Services Sunday at 11 a. m. at the I. O. O. F. hall. The public is cordially invited to attend.

"Doctrine of Atonement" was the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, Oct. 20.

The golden text was, "All things are of God, who hath reconciled us to himself by Jesus Christ, and hath given to us the ministry of reconciliation" (II Co. 5:18).

Among the citations which comprised the Lesson-Sermon was the following from the Bible: "These words spake Jesus, and lifted up his eyes to heaven, and said, Father—I have glorified Thee on the earth: I have finished the work which thou gavest me to do. And now, O Father, glorify thou me with thine own self with the glory which I had with thee before the world was" (John 17: 1, 4, 5).

The Lesson-Sermon also included the following correlative passages from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Glory be to God, and peace to the struggling hearts! Christ hath rolled away the stone from the door of human hope and faith, and through the revelation and demonstration of life in God, hath elevated them to possible at-one-ment with the spiritual idea of man and his divine Principle, Love" (p.45).

Star of the Sea Catholic Church

First Sunday of month at 12 noon.

All other Sundays at 8 a. m.
Rev. Daniel Kelly, Pastor.

Episcopal Church

Port Orford: St. Christopher's chapel. Church School and worship at 10:30 a. m. Vicar—The Rt. Rev. Thomas Jenkins.

Gold Beach: St. Matthew's Chapel. Holy Communion at 8:00 a. m.; Church School at 10:00 a. m.; Morning Prayer at 11:00 a. m. Vicar—The Rev. Luther Ison.

Brookings: St. Timothy's Chapel. Holy Communion first Sunday of month at 7:30 a. m. (Community church), third Sunday of the month at 11 a. m. (Harbor Grange hall). Evening Prayer at 5 p. m.

(Community church) when notice is given. Vicar—The Rev. Luther Ison.

Latter Day Saints

Sunday school every Sunday at 10 a. m. at Harbor school house. George Baxter, president; Ira Brown, first counselor and Parley Willard, second counselor.

Seventh Day Adventist

Sabbath School at 9:45 a. m. Church services at 11:15 a. m. Young peoples meeting at 4:00 p. m. Prayer meeting, Wednesday at 8:00 p. m.

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