

WASHINGTON WEEK

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problem of what to do the excellent hospital at White is solved once and It was my good fortune the bill reported out by the committee on veterans and passed by the house representatives on the same was signed by the president hours later.

of the enthusiastic of the army general, navy officers and operated the facility,

and certain examiners for the veterans administration itself, the VA refused to take over the Camp White hospital. When this decision appeared to be final, Senator Morse, for himself and Senator Cordon, introduced a bill in the senate, authorizing and directing the veterans administration to take over and operate Camp White hospital as a domiciliary facility. I introduced an identical bill in the house. Hearings were held by both the senate committee and house committee. The house subcommittee favorably reported on the bill. Then, the senate bill was reported favorably and was passed by the senate. Last week, the house committee brought the bills up for consideration. Since the senate bill had already been acted upon, the simple and quick procedure was to report the senate bill to the house, which was done. Chairman Edith Nourse

Rogers of the house veterans committee and Speaker Joe Martin were most co-operative, with the result that very fast action was had on the legislation.

The principal reason why the bill was acted upon so promptly by the house was that I was able to state to the committee, and on the floor, that prompt action would make it possible for the Camp White hospital to be used to help the homeless and suffering victims of the tragic Columbia river flood.

Senator Morse, who is chairman of the sub-committee of the senate armed service committee which handled the bill, and I have worked closely together on this problem. We are certainly delighted to know that, at last, not only will a splendid six million dollar government hospital be put to use, but that it will be used for the benefit of veterans who need a home. Until now, there has been domiciliary home available for our veterans. Now congress has ordered the establishment of one—and without having to spend a cent of construction money either.

All of the members of the congressional delegations from Oregon and Washington are busy forwarding the passage of emergency legislation and appropriations for the benefit of the flood damaged areas in our two respective states. The flood tragedy has been played up by the Washington newspapers, and the disaster has made a very definite impact on congress. I am sure that adequate relief measures will be acted upon promptly.

The rivers and harbors bill, which was recently passed by the house, carries authorization for four projects in my congressional district. These include: channel work in the Umpqua river, work on the channel at Charleston, and on the Coos and Millicoma rivers. Authorizations also provided for deepening and clearing of the Smith River for navigation.

Hon. Homer D. Angell, congressman from the Portland district, is chairman of the Rivers and Harbors sub-committee of the public works committee, which handled the preparation of the rivers and harbors bill. He is a student of rivers and harbors problems and is always alert and co-operative.

With The Churches

Curry County Mission of the Episcopal Church
Brookings: St. Timothy's Chapel. Priest-in-charge, The Rev. Fr. Luther O. Ison (phone 662 Gold Beach). Service every Sunday at 8:00 a. m. On Saint's Days Chapel is across from High School. All are welcome. Church School every Sunday at 10:00 a.m.

Seventh Day Adventist
Sabbath school at 9:30 a. m. Church service at 11 a. m. Young peoples meeting at 4 p. m. Prayer meeting at 7:30 p. m., Wednesday. Visitors are welcome.

Star of the Sea Catholic Church
Rev. Fr. Babyak, Pastor
First Sunday of month at 12 noon.
All other Sundays at 8 a. 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.

"God the Preserver of Man" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all churches of Christ, Scientist, Sunday, June 13.

The golden text is "The Lord bless thee, and keep thee: the Lord make his face shine upon thee, and be gracious unto thee. the Lord lift up his countenance upon thee, and give thee peace." (Num. 6:24-26).

Among the citation which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "But seek ye first the kingdom of God and his righteousness; and all these things shall be added unto you" (Matt 6:33), together with the following correlative passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy. "Divine Love always has met and always will meet every human need" (page 495).

Baptist Community

Rev. Nick N. Newfeld, Pastor
O. C. Turley, Music Director

Sunday, June 13 is a very important day in the program of this church. First our Sunday school system will be re-organized and a greater endeavor will be made to meet the needs of our Sunday school. We are planning classes for all ages. The 6-point record system, which will be inaugurated, will stimulate regular attendance, both to the church and Sunday school, and also Bible study.

The Sunday morning sermon is "What Do We Owe Our Children?" As part of the morning

service we will have a dedication service. This dedication service is for those parents who want to dedicate their children to the Lord. We are inviting all parents who feel it their Christian responsibility to come and have their children dedicated.

Young peoples service will be 7 p. m.

There will be a special evening service. J. A. Edwards will bring a message entitled "The End of the Gentile Age." more about this special service may be found elsewhere in this issue.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd (Bud) Tungate of Butte Falls arrived Saturday for a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Payne. While the others returned home Sunday, Jack Tungate remained for a longer visit.

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