

Baha'i faith observe World Religion Day

World Religion Day, sponsored annually for the past twenty-three years by the U.S. Baha'i Community was observed Sunday, January 21st, in over 4,800 cities in the United States. The purpose of this observance is to stress the knowledge of the oneness of all revealed religions and to gain recognition of religion as the motivating force for world unity.

While men may divide--God unites. Man must abandon his pre-

judices that divide and learn to see himself as a citizen of the world.

The Baha'i Faith is dedicated to the uniting of men everywhere. Its basic teachings include the oneness of God, the oneness of religion, and the oneness of mankind. Baha'i Communities are established in over 333 countries and territories, and its World Center is located on Mt. Carmel in the Holy Land.

Bible school plans discussed

The Rev. Man Wills and Mrs. Karl Hummel attended a meeting concerning the Released Time Bible School, held at the Lutheran Church on Wednesday, evening Jan. 17, at 8:30 p.m.

They represented the United Methodist Church and participated in the discussion as to whether or not to establish a Released Time Bible School. It was finally agreed among those present that a school would be started for one day or possibly two days a week and would meet in the basement of the United Methodist Church, starting in February. Members and ministers of the other churches in Willamina attended the meeting.

It is planned to have Mrs. Van Loan of Sheridan do the teaching. Mr. Shenk of the Church in the Wildwood, of Grand Ronde was elected general chairman.

The ministers of the churches supporting the program will help coordinate the study and time to meet.

Births

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Fischer of Gresham, announce the birth of a son, Stephen Michael. The little fellow weighed in at 6 lbs., 11 oz. and was born on January 11. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ike Bidimin of Prineville and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Fischer of Valley Junction.

Pastor and Mrs. Ken Rider of Willamina are pleased to announce the birth of a son, Michael Steven, born at 9:12 a.m. January 18 at McMinnville hospital. His weight at birth was 8 pounds 4 1/2 ounces.

Mrs. Geraldine Simonson of Portland, Mrs. Rider's mother, will be staying with the family and helping out.

Mr. and Mrs. Helge Johnson of Willamina are still celebrating the birth of their tenth grandchild. The child is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gil Johnson of McMinnville. The infant was named Sean Thomas and was born December 30 in the McMinnville hospital. The baby weighed eight pounds, one and one quarter ounces and was 22 inches long. The Johnson's grandchildren now number six boys and four girls. The child's other grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Charles Moore of McMinnville. Sean was the last baby born at the McMinnville hospital in 1972.

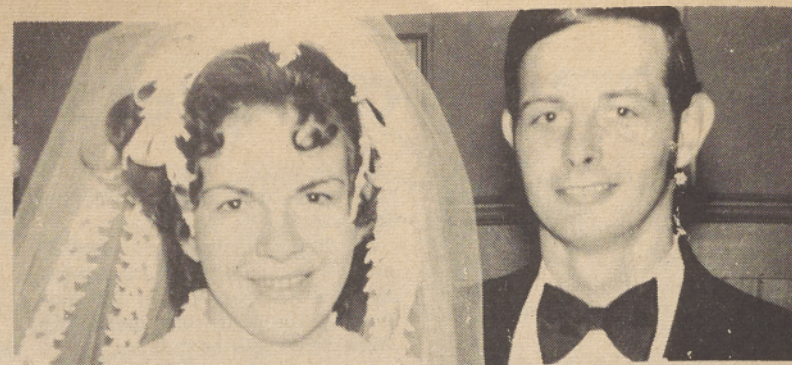
Bauersfeld-Hoffman engagement told

Mr. and Mrs. Kent Bauersfeld announce the engagement of their daughter, Karen Jean to Mr. Lee Hoffman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Hoffman of Gresham, Oregon.

Karen is a graduate of Oregon College of Education and is teaching in Willamina. Lee attended Oregon College of Education and is presently employed at White City Plywood Mill in McMinnville, Oregon.

No date has been set for the wedding.

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Mr. and Mrs. Michael J. Phipps

Phipps-Davis betrothed

The exchange of wedding vows between Deborah Phipps and Michael J. Davis took place on Friday, January 5 at the home of the parents of the bride, Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Phipps of Willamina.

The bridegroom is the son of Mr. Al Davis of Idanha and Mrs. June Brock of Sheridan.

The bride chose for her wedding attire a floor length gown of lace and venise.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. Bob Roome.

Matron of honor for the wedding was the bride's grandmother Mary Wade.

Standing with the groom was his best man Mike Larsen.

Attending the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Orley Brock Sr. of Sheridan, Mr. and Mrs. Orley Brock Jr. of Sheridan, and Mr. and Mrs. Mike Larsen.

Also in attendance at the wedding were the brothers of the bride Donald L. Phipps and Terry L. Phipps; Mrs. Blanche Anderson of Dayton, grandmother of the bride.

The brothers of the bridegroom and their wives.

Also present at the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Davis, Willamina, and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Davis, Vancouver, Washington, the brothers of the bridegroom and their wives.

The reception following the wedding was held at the Rebecca Lodge in Willamina. The hostess was Mrs. Wayne McGill of Willamina. Mrs. Louis Wade of Tacoma, Washington, aunt of the bride cut the cake and Kathy Wade also of Tacoma, cousin of the bride served the cake.

Miss Brenda Williams of Lafayette, a cousin of the bride, took care of the guest book. Serving the punch was Mrs. Robert Ray of Dayton, aunt of the bride, while Mrs. Thomas Wright of McMinnville also an aunt of the bride served coffee. Mrs. John Morris of Grand Ronde took care of the gift book.

The groom is employed at Willamina Lumber Company. Both bride and bride groom are graduates of Willamina High School. They will reside in McMinnville.

Pastor's Corner

Each week one of the local ministers contributes a column to this space

The Way to Abundant Living

Do you know how to live? Have you found real satisfying peace and purpose for living? The art of living is the least learned of all ARTS. The modern man knows everything about life except how to live it! But to know is not necessarily to know how to live. To really live is to be the possessor of an inner life that is able to meet outer life with joy and confidence.

Jesus Christ claims to be that source of inner life for every person. His claim is based upon the merits of His death on the Cross and His resurrection the third day as He said He would! If this is true-- and all attempts to disprove it have failed-- then you and I would be wise to consider 'the claims of this Jesus Christ' !!

The Bible says; "Before anything else existed, Christ was with God. He has always been alive and is himself God." Then we are told that, "He was the true Light who came to earth to shine on everyone coming into the world...only a few would welcome and receive Him. But to all who received Him, he gave the power to become children of God. All we need to do is trust Jesus to save us". Jesus said; "I am the Way, the Truth, and the LIFE, NO MAN comes to the Father but by me." God the Father said of Jesus; "This is my beloved Son, Hear ye Him!"

Yes we would do well to consider the claims of Christ. They are found in the Bible. The Bible is the greatest textbook on life, the greatest classic, the alltime bestseller...the book of books because it IS the Word of God. If you will be honest about life, and not only have knowledge but the wisdom to use knowledge to live by--you must KNOW your Bible. Most have a Bible--few have faced their need of knowing their Bible and its author personally. Jesus made this possible by dying on the cross for our sin. Sin is a word for saying that we have all missed the mark for our life by not receiving Jesus Christ as the Lord and Savior of our life. Jesus has promised personal peace within by forgiving our sin when we simply ask Him in faith to forgive us and to come in to our lives. The moment we do this new life begins. The source, the power, the inner strength to live with peace and purpose becomes ours thru Jesus Christ the creator of life. This is the tested, tried and proven Way to Abundant Living !! Pastor, Bob Roome, 217 D St. Willamina



Debra Jean Haak wedding planned

Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Haak of Grand Ronde announce the engagement of their daughter Debra Jean to Mr. Warren L. Anderson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Anderson of Willamina.

Miss Haak will graduate from Willamina High School this June. Mr. Anderson is a 1971 graduate of Willamina High School. An August 25th wedding is planned.

Mayor outlines plans to Council

Sheridan Mayor Charlie Jordan recently outlined his plans for the next two years to the Sheridan City Council.

Lauding the progress that has been made by Sheridan over the last two years saying "in the past two years Sheridan has rightfully moved to the forefront and is no longer a follower, but a leader. Sheridan is now consulted on a county level and on a state level. You will find the thoughts and opinions of Sheridan are respected in all levels of government."

Jordan also urged the council to keep the town moving forward.

The priorities for Sheridan for 1973 include the completion of the water program, the consolidation of the Sheridan Fire Department with the rural fire department, the use of the money from revenue sharing monies on the city park system, starting a complete comprehensive planning program, raises for city employees, a study on the financing the maintenance and paving of streets on a regular basis, the continuation of the landscaping of the sewer lagoon area and the appointment of Councilman Wolfenbarger to the position of the judiciary committee.

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Outlining his plans for the water program Jordan called it "the life blood of Sheridan, the key to all the future." Sheridan has run into legal difficulties concerning water rights.

Jordan appointed Councilman Herbert to chair the water committee. Assisting him will be councilmen Stork and Firestone.

By consolidating the Sheridan and the rural fire districts Jordan feels this will allow for the needed expansion of the fire department, the building of a new firehouse which would lay the groundwork for paid fire personnel. Financing would be split between Sheridan and the rural areas.

Named to this committee were Councilmen Cole as chairman and Councilmen Herbert and Potter to assist him.

Stressing that revenue sharing was a gift from the government that could not be counted on from year-to-year Jordan urged the money be used as a windfall and suggested using this year's money on the park program.

This money would be used at both the river park and the large park. He also recommended construction of a dam on the South

Yamhill River and the development of the river for recreational purposes.

Councilman Stork was named committee chairman and will be aided by councilmen Potter and Wolfenbarger.

The need for a comprehensive planning program was also explained by Jordan. The needs are in rezoning, annexation boundaries, new streets, traffic flows and industrial lands. He also pointed the special need for laws for mobile homes. Jordan said that Sheridan will apply for a grant this year to deal with these problems.

Councilman Stork was also named Chairman of this committee. Serving with him will be Burton A. Benson and Elwin Hellinger.

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