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County Church Services

First Baptist, corner of 2nd and Lincoln—Serve the Lord with gladness. Come before His presence with singing. Sunday school 9:45 with classes for all ages. Paul Frantz, superintendent. Family worship service 11 a. m. Senior B. Y. F. 6:45 p. m. Dale Baker, president. Junior B. Y. F. 7 p. m. Evening service at 8 with music by the junior choir, under the direction of Betty Frantz. Bible study and prayer service, 8 p. m. Wednesday Junior choir practice Thursday at 7:30 p. m. Adult choir practice Thursday at 8:30 p. m. A welcome to all—John Schieling, pastor.

Baptist Gospel Chapel, corner Baseline and Fifth Avenue—Tune in to the Gospel Crusaders! 8 a. m. KKL Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.; worship service, 11 a. m.; sermon, 11:15 a. m. Choir rehearsal, 7:30 p. m. Tuesday, 8 p. m. Wednesday, 8 p. m. Thursday, 8 p. m. Friday, 8 p. m. Saturday, 8 p. m. Sunday, 8 p. m. This sermon is dedicated to the pastor's Sunday class of young people known as "The Christian Commandos." Youth Vespers service, 7 p. m. The class in personal evangelism continues. Evangelistic service, 8 p. m.; sermon, "A Spiritual Siege," Thursday, 8 p. m. Tuesday, 8 p. m. Wednesday, 8 p. m. Thursday, 8 p. m. Friday, 8 p. m. Saturday, 8 p. m. Sunday, 8 p. m. W. T. Muford, pastor.

St. Peter Lutheran, 2 1/2 miles south of Cornelius—Morning service, 10 o'clock. Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. A cordial welcome to all—O. H. Moeller, pastor.

First Church of Christ, Scientist—Services every Sunday at 11; Sunday school at 11. Wednesday service, 8 p. m. Free reading room open Wednesday and Saturday, 2 until 4 p. m. Sunday's topic is "God the Preserver of Man."

Hillsboro Branch of the Church of Jesus Christ of the Latter-day Saints—Hold Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. and Sacrament service at 6:30 p. m. in the American Legion hall on Main street. Everyone welcome—Elder John T. S. Peterson, presiding elder.

Reedville Community Presbyterian—Sunday school 10 a. m.; worship service 11 a. m. E. young people's service, 7 p. m. at the school house. Choir rehearsal Thursday, 7:30 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Elora Dean, choir director. Women's association fourth Thursday of each month, 2 p. m.—Rev. Harry B. Hampton, pastor. 481st and Oak, pastorage at 2nd St.

Hillsboro Free Methodist, 5th and Oak—Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Bible school, 10 a. m. Sunday, followed by service of divine worship at 11—Rev. George G. Edwards, pastor.

Orencia Presbyterian—Services every Sunday, 11 a. m.—Rev. Leeds, pastor.

Dixie Mountain Baptist—Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.; morning worship at 11. B. Y. F. in evening, 7:30 p. m. Evening service at 7:45—W. H. Boyd, pastor.

North Plains Church of Christ—Sunday school, 10 a. m.; church service, 11 a. m.; evangelistic service, 6:30 p. m.—Julius Flenor, student pastor.

St. Paul Lutheran, Sherwood, 1 1/2 miles west of Six Corners—Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.; church service, 10:30 a. m.—J. H. Meisinger, pastor.

Shady Brook Community—Sunday school, 10 a. m.; morning worship service at 11. Evening service at 8—Rev. Arthur VanDeZande, pastor.

Four-square, Fourth near Baseline—Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Morning worship at 11. Crusader prayer meeting, 6:15 p. m. Junior and senior Crusader services, 6:30 p. m. Bereans, 6:45 p. m. 7:45 p. m. Elvin Swanson, Vancouver, Wash., Columbia district superintendent, of Four-square churches, guest speaker. Tuesday, 7:45 p. m. Bible study and prayer.—M. E. Clark, pastor.

Hillsboro Methodist, Third and Washington streets—Sunday school at 9:45. Bible class for every age. Morning worship 11 o'clock. Sermon, "We Follow His Star to Bethlehem." Vesper hour at 5. The choir will present the cantata for Christmas, "The Music of Christmas," the music text of the sea-songs. Methodist youth fellowship, 6:15, for young people of high school ages and over. Prayer meeting, 7:30 p. m. Wednesday, Sunday, December 23. Christmas program at 4 p. m.—Dr. H. F. Pemberton, pastor.

Christian-Corner Third and Baseline—Bible school each Sunday morning at 9:45. Evangelistic service at 11. Sermon topic: "The Christian and His Rewards." Junior choir practice 5:30 p. m. Evening worship 7:30. Choir rehearsal 8:15—R. C. Leonard, minister.

Pilgrim Lutheran Church—Farmington road and Menlo Drive, at Beaverton—Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Divine services 11 a. m. Church council meets this Friday at 7:30 p. m. Saturday school this Saturday.

day morning at 9:30. Rehearsal for Children's Christmas service at 2 p. m. Sunday afternoon at 2 p. m. Adult Bible class every Tuesday evening at 7:45. Choir rehearsal Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. The Lutheran Hour can be heard every Sunday at 9:30 over KALE and at 4 p. m. over KWLJ. A cordial welcome to all—Erwin Gerken, pastor.

Congregational, East Main and Fifth streets—Morning worship service at 11 with sermon by the minister, Dr. A. J. Sullivan, and music program by quartet choir. Sunday school 10 a. m. with classes for all ages. Men's club Monday evening at 7:45.

All Saints' Episcopal, 4th and E. Lincoln—Third Sunday in Advent. Holy Communion, 7:45 a. m.; church school, 10 a. m.; morning prayer and sermon at 11. Young people's fellowship, 6:30 p. m.—Rev. Joseph Hogen, clergyman in charge.

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Question—The Bible says that the stars would fall, but if one star should fall, it would destroy the earth, for stars are suns.

Answer—Meteors are called "falling stars." In fulfillment of Christ's prophecy of Matthew 24:29, the greatest meteoric shower of history occurred on November 13, 1833.

Q—Do you think that modern transportation by train, automobile, or airplane was foreseen by the Bible writers?

A—How about Daniel 12:4: "Many shall run to and fro, and knowledge shall be increased?"

Q—Don't you think that even the forms of Christian worship will pass away in the latter days?

A—No. Read 2 Timothy 3:1-5: "This know also, that in the last days perilous times shall come. For men shall be lovers of their own selves . . . having a form of godliness."

Q—Can you tell me what verse in the Bible contains all the letters of the alphabet?

A—The nearest to it is Ezra 7:21 which contains all but "j." Check it and see!

Q—Where is the text that says the time is coming when nobody will be able to buy or sell?

A—The text does not say that, but rather "that no man might buy or sell, save he that had the mark, or the name of the beast, or the number of his name." Revelation 13:17.

Q—Don't you know that only Abraham's descendants, the Israelites, will inhabit the new earth?

A—Yes, but who are Abraham's descendants according to the Bible? We read Galatians 3:29: "And if ye be Christ's, then are ye Abraham's seed, and heirs according to the promise." If we are true Christians, we shall share with Abraham the promise that he should be heir of the world. (Romans 4:13.)

Q—Do you think there will be a definite day when God will judge men, or are they being judged all the time?

A—In Acts 17:30:31 we read: "And the times of this ignorance God winked at; but now commandeth all men every where to repent: because He hath appointed a day, in the which He will judge the world in righteousness by that Man whom He hath ordained; whereof He hath given assurance unto all men, in that He hath raised Him from the dead."

Ed. Note: Address your questions to the BIBLE QUESTION COLUMN, The Voice of Prophecy, Box 55, Los Angeles 53, Calif. Bible questions of general interest will be answered in this column as space permits.

(Paid Adv.)



Letters from Service People Hit by Typhoon

The following letter is to Mrs. James Walters from her nephew, Merville Mead, son of A. M. Mead, a former county resident.

Okinawa, November 29.

Dear Aunt Frances: I have been and will do the best I can to night. A lot has happened since I last wrote.

We never did get to Japan as we were caught in the typhoon at Okinawa. We ended up well up on the reefs and in pretty bad shape.

We had holes in three out of eight cargo tanks, the forward peak and ballast tanks, the pump room and a small hole in the engine room. The rudder and screw are both gone. We abandoned ship for two days, then came back and pumped the engine room out, with portable pumps, and to my amazement got a generator working.

Since then a salvage tug has pulled us off the reef and we are tied to a buoy, as we lost both anchors. I don't know if they will repair this ship or not. We have been waiting about a month already and no hope. I suppose they will tow it somewhere during the first of the year. We are all hoping it will be the States, but we will be lucky if it is even Pearl Harbor.

This has been one experience I won't forget for a while. I have decided that they don't stretch such storms a bit in the movies.

My nephew Jimmie is discharged by now. I will probably get out around March. Unless I have some luck I won't be in the States until then either.

I haven't said much but will close for now. This isn't much for all that has happened but maybe I'll get around to telling about it some day. Love—Merville Mead.

In Other Days
Fifteen Years Ago

Argus, December 11, 1930—Wilbur Williams, wire chief for West Coast Telephone company here, injured in traffic accident near Sandy.

The herd of C. B. Buchanan Jr. of Gaston placed, first in Yamhill County Herd Improvement association.

Mrs. Earl Hobbs named president of Garden club.

Chamber of commerce plans visit of Santa Claus to community. Need for community chest pointed out.

Mrs. Hugh Rogers elected president of Woman's Relief corps.

Proponents of proposed Baseline super highway ask co-operation of county court.

Granges elect masters as follows: Mrs. Sarah VanKleeck, Kinton; Cora Dorland, Washington.

Mrs. J. E. Reeves named president of Needlecraft club.

North Plains Pythian Sisters elected Mrs. Anna Miller as most excellent chief.

Mrs. Ada Qualls elected oracle of Royal Neighbors.

Thirty Years Ago
Argus, December 9, 1915—Gaston ships two carloads of Christmas trees to San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Crandall of Hillsboro celebrate golden wedding anniversary.

M. McDonald elected mayor of Orencia.

Clerk Peter Boscow reports Hills-

Art Says . . .

I am going to surprise my readers by trying to write something I think is not only serious but constructive to the traveling public.

lie of our fair city. My subject will be traffic conditions and the control of them. Several years ago we made a trip across the country and several hundred miles into Canada. It has always been my hobby to take note of traffic regulations in all cities having a population like ours, therefore I was greatly surprised in many towns in the middle west, some not more than 2000, had the precaution to protect their motorists as well as the pedestrians with not only stop signs on streets that crossed the main arteries, but real red and green signals. I thought of our city right away and said to myself, "Why hasn't Hillsboro ever looked into this very essential problem of control?" It's not only deplorable but ridiculous to wait from five to some times 15 minutes to get across Baseline on First, Second, or Third avenues going north and south, during the hours of 8 to 10 a. m. and 4 and 6 p. m. One would think that all the city taxpayers live east and west of the city, with no consideration given to those in the opposite directions.

It doesn't seem to require much consideration to vote thousands of dollars for recreation centers, if

boro school census totals 822.

Deaths—Mrs. Asenath Cary Brown of Hillsboro, pioneer of 1846; George Ledford of Hillsboro, pioneer of 1854 and veteran Civil and Indian wars; Mrs. Charles Maccham of Hillsboro; Mrs. Charles Hickethier of Cedar Mill.

Forty-five Years Ago
Argus, December 13, 1900—H. T. Latham, elected chancellor of Knights of Pythias.

W. H. Wehrung, state senator elect, has again been elected president of the state board of agriculture.

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the poor kiddies can't reach them without endangering their lives. A ruthless motor driver pays little attention to a school sign, but he runs out of ten times will stop on a red light. We have schools and industries in the south part of town as well as in the north, and those people are just as anxious to get to their work and homes as those east and west of town. So I say, why the class legislation? I would wager that 90 per cent of the traveling public that speeds through east to west are not even taxpayers in our city. I saw one man sitting on the curb eating a sandwich about 8 o'clock one morning. I said, "Don't your wife let you eat breakfast in the house?" He said "This is my most day lunch I'm eating the traffic has been so tough that I couldn't get across the street and I'm late for work anyway, so I'll eat my noon lunch now while I'm waiting and if the boss doesn't fire me I'll give my noon hour to make it up." So come and give us a New Year's present of a couple of extra lights on First, Second, Third, and Fourth avenues—A. J. Millenberg, Jr.

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Industrial Peace Must Come In the Public's Interest

Because industrial strife threatens the entire program of reconversion from wartime to peacetime production, President Truman has asked congress to authorize fact-finding in big labor disputes—with work stoppage barred for 30 days. Under this legislation the president could set up fact-finding boards to recommend settlements in crucial disputes and strikes and lockouts would be prohibited while the boards are at work.

Can there be any more fair way to seek a settlement than through obtaining the facts? The most desirable method is for industry and labor to work out a fair settlement without government intervention. However, the labor-management conference recently held in Washington in the hopes of adopting a program to end industrial strife failed miserably. If settlement cannot be reached any other way government may have to participate in the interest of the public so that the nation's economy does not become hopelessly mired.

CIO's President Murray has openly broken with the administration over the suggestion for fact-finding boards and so has the CIO-United Auto Workers. They charge the legislation is "vicious" and "anti-labor." Murray says the administration has "completely ignored human rights" and that "the design of the specific legislative proposal" of the president "is to weaken and ultimately destroy labor union organizations."

The president of the United States is or should be a president of all the people—big and little business, union and non-union and farmers. He must take into account the welfare of the whole. The people are getting thoroughly fed up on industrial strife that threatens bad times, when they had every right to expect a period of good times because of the pent-up demand for consumer goods.

If this present condition continues it is likely to bring more drastic legislation from the congress in the public interest. As one columnist has said unions should be required to meet their national responsibilities in a degree commensurate with their great national political power.

War Chest Needs Your Help

Washington county is still far behind on its quota on the war chest. To meet this quota it was necessary for every family to give \$5. Considering the fact that we are still a long way from meeting the quota it is very evident that there is some slacking on the part of a good many.

The needs of the war chest are even more important in many instances now than during the war, especially as regards the USO services to our men in army camps in this country and at stations abroad. With the end of the war, the need for entertainment to help them while away the hours is more vital to us than when they are actively engaged in war activities. Just think of your boy or your neighbor's boy on some far off island or other distant spot with little to do to occupy his hours when off duty. From every possible evidence the USO has filled a great need in the way of providing good wholesome entertainment.

Besides this kind of activity there are the relief services at home and abroad. War ravaged countries are terribly in need of our assistance if life is to be sustained and these people are to be given hope for the future.

Right here in Washington county contributions to the war chest make it possible to operate the important character-building organizations, such as Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts and Camp Fire Girls.

Keep these things in mind and dig down now and do your part. If you have already made a contribution you might very well consider boosting the ante to help Washington county meet its goal.

Importance Brought Home

The extent to which we have come to depend on electricity and its value to us in our daily lives was clearly brought home last week with the unusually heavy windstorm that knocked out electric service in this community for 12 hours. This service is one which we have taken for granted and we don't take into account its great importance until we have to do without it. That is true of a lot of our services that have become regular features in our lives.

The work and effort that go into these services are also taken as a matter of course until something happens to interfere with such services. As an example, electric crews and telephone linemen are constantly at work keeping lines in shape to provide in so far as possible good and uninterrupted service. But on an occasion such as hit us last week, crewmen work day and night and under all types of weather conditions to restore these vital services.

Yes, sometimes it is perhaps good for us occasionally to have that "for granted" attitude taken away as regards vital services and the efforts put forth to keep them going so that all of us may enjoy them.

An outstanding leader in youth activities, plus a hard civic worker, is being lost to the community in Don Anderson, who has resigned as assistant county agent, to take over a business in Iowa. Mr. Anderson first came here as field man for the Carnation company and in July, 1944, took over the position as assistant county agent, where he had an excellent opportunity to work with the county youth in 4-H club activities. During his few years, he made a definite contribution to the welfare of the community and the extension of 4-H club work.

Washington county has maintained its record in bond drives by going over the top on the Victory loan for which we can all be justly proud. However, the state is still behind on its quota and Oregon bond leaders are placing emphasis on the slogan, "Remember, the best Christmas present is a Victory bond."

Your Grave to Open

All the dead shall come forth, said Jesus. Every soul from Adam down, kings and common folk, all shall come forth in two resurrections a thousand years apart. First, Christ is to raise God's people and a thousand years later: He is to raise the lost dead for judgment.

One by one, men are born into this world. One by one they sin and come in for judgment and God's wrath. But God is not willing that any should perish and by that He sent His Son, our Lord, to die for our sins.

Let your heart believe that Christ died for your sins and God makes you His own. He puts your name in the Book of Life and puts you into the First Resurrection, for glory—"He that believeth on the Son hath eternal life, and he that believeth not the Son shall not see life but the wrath of God abideth on him."—BIBLE, John 3:36. Christ has already died for your sins. Now it is up to you to receive Him into your heart and live by Power From On High—George N. Taylor, S. W. McChesney road, Portland. (This space paid for by a businessman.)

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