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A NEW JESUS.

Some months ago was reported the discovery of a picture of Jesus antedating any of the well-known Latin paintings and representing a very different physique from that shown in the generally accepted paintings...

He reconstructs many portions of the story of the life of Christ, not contravening the writings that have come down through the centuries as sacred, but setting forth new ideas based upon them.

A Religious Editor's Opinion

Dr. W. L. Munhall, age 82, possibly oldest Methodist evangelist in active service and editor of the Eastern Methodist, enroute to his home in Philadelphia, accompanied by his wife, writes: I believe Mrs. McPherson is a true servant of the Lord.

has sufficient evidence that the Lord is surely working.

Third: During this month, I have seen hundreds of strong men and women come from all parts of the house to the altar weeping and bowed under conviction, seeking penitentially the justifying grace of God and the peace that passeth all understanding...

Fourth: The atmosphere of all the services I attended was intensely spiritual; and I am absolutely sure I could not be deceived about this matter.

Fifth: Quite a number of my personal friends, prominent and influential ministers and laymen in Los Angeles and from other parts of the country, are of the same opinion as myself...

Mrs. McPherson is fortunate in having a noble, sensible Christian mother, Mrs. Minnie Kennedy, who manages the business affairs of her daughter and is her confidential advisor.

L. W. MUNHALL.

Pine Grove Points

(Enterprise Correspondence) John McNeil and wife were in Albany Friday.

Will Eagy and wife visited at L. E. Eagy's Thursday.

Charles Nichols and sons were Albany visitors Wednesday.

Arthur Springate and wife visited at Bert Haynes' Sunday.

Charles Gilbert and wife of Corvallis visited their son Frank and family Thursday.

Mrs. Beryl McNeil and Anna Eagy visited the school Monday afternoon.

Mr. Hofich of Albany spent Thursday installing a light plant at the Charles Nichols home.

Mrs. Emma Sylvester has returned to her home in Portland, after several weeks spent with her son Fred.

Mrs. N. E. Chandler, P. A. Pehsson, R. W. Stewart, L. E. Eagy and E. E. Hoyer attended the missionary meeting at Mrs. Dunn's, in Peoria, Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Lydia Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Sam McHugh and George Heller, all of Portland, visited Mrs. Mary Herbert at R. K. Stewart's last week. Mrs. Davis is Mrs. Herbert's sister.

The community club program given Friday evening was well attended. While it was shorter than usual, it was well enjoyed. Miss Helen Miller of Albany spent the week end at the J. A. Johnson home and she and Miss Hazel Johnson presented a negro comedy at the entertainment that was well received.

News Notes From All Over Oregon

Gleaned by the Western Newspaper Union

North Bend is to have city delivery service beginning December 1, Senator Stanford has been advised.

Precipitation at Marshfield since September 1 has reached 32.34 inches, more than half the average annual rainfall.

Twelve communities and more than 30 individual industries had exhibits at the annual Maricopa-Polk industrial show at Salem.

Pine beetle infestation in timber of the Deschutes national forest has been found to be most serious, reports A. J. Jaencke, government entomologist.

A lone robber looted the Citizens' National bank of Metolius of about \$2000 in currency at 1:30 o'clock in the afternoon and fled in an automobile.

After hearing homestead disputes in the vicinity of Wapinitia, Federal Land Inspector Walter has gone to Prineville to make investigations for the government.

Warrant indebtedness of Washington county is \$148,385.34, with cash on hand amounting to \$419,154.11, according to a recent report of the county treasurer.

The Columbia County Fair association has purchased 170 acres of land on the highway near Deer Island and will spend \$40,000 on new buildings and improvements.

Francis Wimmer, 35, employe in the paper mills at Oregon City, is in the hospital suffering from a gunshot wound in the chest caused by an accident at his home.

Marion F. Martin, 35, war veteran and night watchman, was shot and killed during a revolver battle with robbers at the Closset & Devers company office in Portland.

There were 118 homesteaders on public lands in Oregon in the last fiscal year, according to a report of the interior department. The number of acres entered was 144,000.

The Multnomah County Fair association, with headquarters in Gresham and capital stock of \$75,000, has been incorporated by T. R. Hewitt, C. I. Baker and C. G. Schneider.

The Oregon Short Line Railroad company has filed application with the public service commission for permission to discontinue its station at Riverside on the Brogan branch.

Government hunters who are in Josephine county in an effort to exterminate coyotes, which are becoming a menace to farmers in the outlying districts, are having excellent success.

Charges against the office of J. A. Linville, federal prohibition director for Oregon, are under investigation by Internal Revenue Commissioner Blair, it was admitted at Washington, D. C.

County division is agitating Tillamook county. Projectors of the movement would organize a new county north of the base line, including a few odd sections in Clatsop and Columbia counties.

When his automobile slipped off the grade 17 miles up Crooked river from Prineville and rolled over and over down a 150-foot embankment, Sam A. Lytle of Bend suffered injuries which may prove fatal.

The offices of register and receiver at the La Grande land office are soon to be merged into the single office of register. Jack Peart, who occupies one of the two places at present, will be the register.

The Business and Professional Women's club of Eugene has announced a student loan fund for women students who are preparing themselves to enter business upon completion of their school work.

Various state departments occupying space in the engined building at Salem needed for legislative purposes have received notice from the secretary of state to vacate these quarters early in December.

The board of directors of the campaign to raise funds for the erection of a modern Young Men's Christian association building in Salem has announced that the full \$100,000 has been subscribed.

Walter W. Thackrah, 72, who has served in the land office at Roseburg for more than 23 years, has been retired on a pension. Edward R. Peckham of Lewiston, Idaho, has been appointed in his place.

E. M. Chandler of Olympia, president of the Oregon-Washington Bridge company, which is completing the Hood River-White Salmon interstate span across the Columbia, has announced that the bridge will be officially opened to traffic December 6. A celebration with mid-Columbia folk participating, will be held.

Thomas B. Kay, state treasurer elect, has appointed George P. Griffin of Salem, as deputy state treasurer. In event Mr. Griffin accepts the appointment he will enter upon his new duties January 1.

The body of Archie Boone, conductor, one of the four men killed in the Salmon creek wreck in Coos county the latter part of October, was found at Gaylord, 12 miles from the scene of the washout.

A stand of 750,000,000 feet of timber in Clatsop and Tillamook counties has been sold by A. S. Kerry of Seattle to the Oregon American Lumber company for \$2,200,000. The stand of timber is near Vernonia and Kerry.

A ruling made by William Hender shot, commandant of the Oregon soldiers' home, requiring all veterans drawing a pension of \$50 or more to pay for their clothing, has been put into effect at the Roseburg institution.

Some one stole \$400 in cash, several vouchers and one check for \$60 from Booth Kelly Lumber company employe in logging camp No. 34 above Wendling, while the men slept, according to a report sent to Sheriff Taylor.

Because his wife had started divorce proceedings against him, August Fiedler, 52, shot and seriously wounded her and then turned the gun on himself and sent a bullet through his brain in the basement of the woman's home in Portland.

Plans of the United States coast guard to place seven new speedy cutters in waters off the Oregon coast before Christmas have been changed and Oregon may not get any of the cutters now being built at Puget Sound ship yards, for more than a year.

The cost of irrigating lands in Oregon, based on the financial statements of the 43 irrigation districts organized in the state, ranges from \$1.54 to \$118.86 an acre, or an average of \$43.51 for 29 of the projects, according to a report filed at Salem by the state irrigation commission.

Returns received at the offices of the secretary of state from every county in the state indicate that President Coolidge received a total of 142,677 votes in this state at the recent election. Mr. Davis received 67,539 votes while Mr. La Follette received 68,448 votes. Mr. Johns received a total of 917 votes.

The state highway commission has filed with the public service department application for permission to eliminate a grade crossing involving the tracks of the Southern Pacific company near Lakeview, Clatsop county, through the construction of an overhead crossing. The cost was estimated at \$27,000.

Oregon will help provide the Thanksgiving feast for President and Mrs. Calvin Coolidge. Ed Sunday, brother of the nationally known evangelist, Rev. Billy Sunday, forwarded by express from Hood River, a 22-pound gobbler, the fattest of a flock grown on the Odell country place of the evangelist this summer.

Bernard Keenan, 84, a stage driver in early days, died at the family home at Biggs. Keenan crossed the plains to the gold fields of California in 1857. In 1860 he followed the gold train to Boise, Idaho, where he drove stage until 1864, then removed to Walla Walla, where he continued his work, driving between Walla Walla and Pendleton.

Gay Christy, 30, was killed and Norman Hulick severely injured by the explosion of several 20-caliber rifle cartridges in the pocket of Christy while they were riding in an automobile about four miles east of Keating, and about 18 miles north-east of Baker. Christy died about 24 minutes after the explosion. What caused the accident is not known.

Oregon persons have been granted as follows: John Wellbrook, Portland, \$12; Viola C. Tinker, Salem, \$30; Sarepta Miller, Hood River, \$30; Estella A. Foster, Portland, \$60; Viola S. Kemp, Eugene, \$50; Loretta Pierce, Eugene, \$50; Samuel H. Richmond, Springfield, \$22; Charles Sharkey, Sumpter, \$15; Charles J. Leslie, \$12; Harry Raybourn, Salem, \$30; David E. Spencer, \$22.

Representatives of Hawaiian operating in northern California and southern Oregon and officials of the Nevada, California & Oregon railway have petitioned the forest service to open large tract of timber so with Lakeview, in the Pandango district to private sale. This tract, containing more than 300,000,000 feet of standing timber, recently was withdrawn by the government to be used for large scale operation.

The Eastern & Western Lumber company, of Postland, preparing to log its holdings of about 1,000,000,000 feet of timber in the southern part of Clatsop county, awarded a contract to James F. Clarkson, a Portland railroad contractor, for construction of 31 miles of standard gauge railroad from the bridge to the Port.

land mill. The new railroad line will start from and connect with the Walla Walla Valley Southern railroad at Molalla.

With the High School Classics

By MARGARET BOYD

(Copyright by Margaret Boyd.) "In vain the learning of the age Unclasp'd the sable-lettered page Even in its treasures he could find Food for the fever of his mind."

According to an old story, three men, a lumberman, a botanist and a poet, went for a walk together through a forest. After the walk, the lumberman could discuss the sort of lumber the trees would make, and how much it would cut to the acre; the botanist could name the species of trees and undergrowth, and could discuss the ecology of the region; the poet could talk of the arching of the branches, the flecking with light and shade of the forest floor, and the coloring of the tree trunks and leaves. All had looked at the same things; but each had seen just what his interest and training had fitted him to see.

It is much the same with reading. Three men may read the same book and get from it three totally different messages; or the same men may read a book at three different ages and get from it three different messages. We can understand of any book or poem only what our experience has fitted us to understand. We cannot comprehend a thought that is outside our knowledge. When a man evolves a new idea the rest of the world is unable to understand it until intellectual bridges have been built to connect our old ideas with the new idea.

When people find Shakespeare and Milton and Thackeray dull, it merely means they lack knowledge to enable them to enjoy the works of these writers. Pupils who find Shakespeare boring while they are in high school are likely to find him a most fascinating writer when they reread his works fifteen or twenty years after they are out of school; because they will have gained in knowledge and experience in the meantime.

If a man has a mental obsession, a "fever of his mind," he will find food to feed it in whatever he reads. A believer and an unbeliever, for example, can read the same book, and one will find in it arguments to strengthen belief and the other arguments to strengthen unbelief. They will have read the same thing; but each will have made mental note only of what interested him, and each will have construed doubtful passages according to his own obsession.

Conserve Soil Moisture by Keeping Down Weeds

One of the principal steps in conserving soil moisture in the garden is keeping down all weed growth. This may be done either by cultivation or by mulching. If a mulching system is used, from three to six inches of straw or hay is spread on the surface of the ground. In addition to preventing weed growth, a mulch of this kind serves to prevent evaporation from the surface soil and so conserves the maximum of water. The soil under such a mulch in the college orchard was found to be well supplied with moisture after a month of drought in the summer of 1922.

At Lebanon Sunday Albert C. Jones, 35, started a fire with gasoline in the kitchen stove in the premises occupied by himself and his grandmother. An explosion set him on fire and he died. The end of the kitchen was blown out.

Alford Arrows

(Enterprise Correspondence) Rev. J. C. Jones visited the Alford school Friday afternoon.

Miss Doris Dykstra visited Esther and Henrietta Starnes Sunday. Ray Kopf was absent from school several days last week. He had tonsillitis.

Chester Curtis and family visited at Henry Brock's, at Lake Creek, Sunday afternoon.

J. H. Rickard and family spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. Floyd Jenks at Taugent.

C. E. Mercer and wife and Mrs. Peggy Needham of Eugene were Sunday afternoon callers at the home of Mrs. D. I. Isom.

Lee Ingram and wife and daughter Thelma went to Eugene Sunday to see Mrs. Ingram's nephew, Wayne Hawke, who is in a critical condition as the result of a motorcycle accident several weeks ago. They also visited at the Hawks home in Springfield.

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HAWAII RAISING FUND FOR GREEK REFUGEES Honolulu.—Under the leadership of Governor Raymond C. Brown, the island of Hawaii has decided to act as a Good Samaritan in Bible Lands by sending a donation of \$25,000 for the Greek refugees through Near East Relief. A proclamation issued by Gov. Brown says: "America's work in the Near East is a symbol, not of the political and commercial America, but of the idealistic and humanitarian America. Weighed in the scales of the future, this is the America of which we and our children shall be proud. Every person in Hawaii should be proud to have some part in it."

ARMENIAN CHILDREN WANT AMERICAN FLAGS Jerusalem.—Armenian children in the Near East Relief orphanages in Palestine and Syria have petitioned the American consul here to secure American flags for all their orphanage buildings. In a letter to the consul, they state: "It is the only flag we have, and the only one that means a homeland to us. America has been our father and mother, and we want the Stars and Stripes always with us as a constant reminder of what we owe to your country." The consul has invited contributions of flags, 3 feet by 5 feet, or larger.