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METHODIST CHURCH BELL

Bell Again Calls Local Methodists To Services

Members of the First Methodist Church are called again to worship by a great bell that pealed out its welcome to the congregation in the early part of this century.

The origin of the bell is un-

Past Year Is Paradox In Religion

By JULES LOH
Associated Press Writer

In the realm of religion, much of the year 1960 was a paradox of turmoil and tranquility.

This was the year of "the religious issue," and beneath the serious debate were manifestations of intolerance and bigotry. It also was the year Christianity visited Rome, and overshadowing the official courtesies was an unprecedented air of dialogue and unity.

It was the year that gave birth to a new phrase: "kneel-in demonstration"; and the year that produced the first Negro cardinal.

It was the year swastikas and anti-Jewish slogans defaced synagogues and public buildings; and the year rabbis preached sermons in 400 Methodist churches by invitation.

It also was a year of personal accomplishment.

John F. Kennedy buried the notion a Roman Catholic could not be elected president of the United States. There also were other names that made news; some of them familiar, others in the headlines for the first time.

Eugene Carson Blake, stated clerk of the United Presbyterian Church of the U.S.A., who proposed a merger of Methodists, Episcopalians, Presbyterians and members of the United Church of Christ.

Billy Graham, who added a sixth continent to his worldwide evangelizing crusade with a 10-nation "Safari for Souls" in Africa.

Archbishop Gunnar Hultgren, primate of Sweden's Lutheran Church who abandoned tradition and ordained three women ministers.

Aloysius Cardinal Stepinac of Yugoslavia, whose death cried out against Communist injustices as eloquently as the prelate had in life.

Lonnie King, 23-year-old Morehouse College student who led the first kneel-in demonstrations in six Atlanta churches.

W. F. Albright, senior editor of a group of Protestant, Catholic and Jewish scholars who began working together to translate from original manuscripts a Bible acceptable to all.

Bishop Maurice Schexnayder of Lafayette, La., who announced he would deny Catholic burial rites to any of his flock guilty of criminal negligence in automobile accidents.

James W. Wine, Presbyterian lawyer employed by John F. Kennedy to answer questions of religion in the presidential campaign.

But no names produced more startling religious news in 1960 than those of Angelo Giuseppe Roncalli, Pope John XXIII; and Geoffrey Francis Fisher, archbishop of Canterbury.

Their Dec. 2 meeting in the Vatican was the first time the heads of the two ancient churches had set down together in 500 years, and marked the high point of a year sprinkled with other expressions of growing cordiality in the Christian community.

Earlier in the year the Pope appointed 11 cardinals to head advance work commissions for his forthcoming ecumenical council.

One of the posts went to Augustin Cardinal Bea, a German-born Jesuit whose job it will be to keep

known, even to those members who can recall the beginnings of the Methodist Church in Klamath Falls. It is known that it came by freight teams, probably by way of Men in California and was hung in the bell tower of a church that once stood at Tenth and High streets, where the present church is located. That church was dedicated in 1907 and the bell was raised to the tower the following year.

Soon after the dedication, Mrs. Marcia Mitchell, later to become Mrs. Marcia Jameson, "in consideration of the benefits accruing to the community by reason of having a Methodist Church therein, and the added convenience of having a bell to notify the public of its various meetings," felt moved to provide a bell.

Mrs. Mitchell made a down payment and, lacking funds to complete the transaction, deeded to the church trustees the rents from her residence property on the adjoining location in the amount of \$80.

The church tower was strengthened and made safe for the heavy bell and for 20 years it called young and old to worship when rung by Edmund M. Chilcote, Sunday School superintendent. Its weight threatened damage to the church structure and it was taken down and for many years has been stored in the basement of the present church.

Upon arrival some months ago of the present pastor, the Rev. Ralph Richardson, who was interested in the significance of its use in the church services, the bell was brought upstairs to the street floor hall where each Sunday it is again rung by Mrs. Sanford Selby to herald the beginning of divine worship.

Present plans call for a permanent outdoor base where the bell will be hung to permit others than the immediate church family to enjoy its tones.

Ladies Society Votes Payment

MERRILL—Members of the Ladies Aid Society met at the home of Mrs. M. A. Bowman for their Dec. 21 meeting.

The group voted to give a check to the church to cover insurance, note payment, and church utilities.

The newly elected officers will be installed with other church officers at a worship service early in January.

A gift exchange was enjoyed by the members following the meeting. Mrs. W. F. Jimette assisted Mrs. M. A. Bowman at the meeting.

ESSENE REFORMERS

ANN ARBOR, Mich. (AP)—The Essenes, an early Jewish sect whom some credit with compiling the Dead Sea Scrolls, sought to reform Judaism, according to Harvard University professor Frank Moore Cross Jr.

"The Essenes were a radical group who regarded themselves as the only true Israel group," Cross said at a University of Michigan seminar.

He said the sect "did not stem entirely from doctrinal differences, but was engaged in a struggle for power."

non-Catholic Christian groups in-formed of the council's work. The cardinal liaison himself as "general liaison officer."

Also in 1960 leaders of 171 Protestant, Eastern Orthodox and Anglican churches gathered in St. Andrews, Scotland, for the 11th annual meeting of the World Council of Churches.

Their chief topic was church unity, and among other moves they drew up a code of behavior which would prohibit proselytizing one another's members. The code awaits final approval at the 1961 meeting in New Delhi.

What threatened to be the most divisive episode in the presidential campaign—may result in more understanding between Catholics and Protestants. A post-election survey of church leaders showed most felt the campaign inspired discussions provided a foothold for further conversation which inevitably will lead to better understanding between the two groups.



THE BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH is home church for Mrs. John P. Simpson, right, 4860 Frieda, her daughter, Donna Simpson, center, and Janet Highland. The Simpson family has attended there for four years. The Rev. Freeman Schmitt is pastor.

Clipper Club Has Yule Meet

ETNA—Christmas holiday services and meetings of the Etna Methodist Church included a meeting and Christmas party for members of the Clipper Club at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dudley in Noyes Valley when 75 were present. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Miles, skippers, presided over the business meeting.

Christmas festivities were around a lighted tree where gifts were exchanged. A program was followed by refreshments served by Mr. and Mrs. Dudley, Mr. and Mrs. Merle Buck, Mr. and Mrs. John Berry and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Barnes.

The Sunday School program was presented on Dec. 18 when children of all classes took part in the program with songs and recitations. A gift was presented to each child and refreshments were served in the recreation room.

Women Present Yule Program

MERRILL—An interesting Christmas program was given at the recent meeting of the Presbyterian Women's Association.

The story of the first nativity was given by Mrs. Charles Cunningham and Mrs. Robert Stewart, accompanied by Mrs. L. E. Stevens, sang a solo.

Several Christmas carols were sung by the guests and members followed by refreshments.

NEW BIBLE TRANSLATION

NEW YORK (AP)—A completely new translation of the Bible from its original languages will be published jointly next March 14 by the Oxford University Press and Cambridge University Press.

The new translation, titled "The New English Bible," is the work of scholars appointed by the major Protestant churches of the British Isles.



RAY MCCOY

Evangelistic Services Will Feature McCoy

Ray McCoy, once under contract as an entertainer, known as Ray Danell, to MGM of Hollywood, will open a series of evangelistic services at Faith Tabernacle, 2610 Shasta Way, Friday, Dec. 30, at 7:30 p.m. Services will continue nightly except Saturday.

There will be three services on Sunday, Jan. 1, at 11 a.m., 2:30 and 7:30 p.m. The evangelist will provide concerts of sacred music with each service. The public is invited to be present for all services by the evangelist and the pastor of Faith Tabernacle, the Rev. W. D. Bigby.

The speaker was en route to Rome, under contract for study in the entertainment field, on radio, television and screen when he was converted "through prayers of my mother."

For six years since that time he has traveled widely in the United States, appearing in churches and auditoriums.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE INVITING BIDS ON SCHOOL BUS. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF School District No. 1 of Klamath County, Oregon will receive sealed bids at the office of the District Clerk, 619 Klamath Avenue, Klamath Falls, Oregon, until 3:00 o'clock p.m. on January 22, 1961 for the furnishing and delivering of one 73-passenger school bus according to conditions and specifications on file at the above address. Bids will be publicly opened at a special meeting of the Board of Directors of Klamath County on January 22, 1961 at 2:00 p.m. The Board reserves the right to accept any or reject all bids.

H. B. Ashley, Clerk No. 414, December 16, 30, January 13, 1961.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed executor of the Estate of William John Roufs, deceased, by the Circuit Court of Klamath County, Oregon, and that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present same to said executor at the office of the undersigned at Room 4, Methuse Building, Klamath Falls, Oregon, within six months of the date of the first publication of this notice, which is December 19th, 1960.

MARGARET ALICE ROUFS, Executor No. 408, December 9, 16, 23, 30.

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL PROPERTY

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF KLAMATH. IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF CHESTER W. CALAWAY, DECEASED.

Chester W. Calaway, Administrator of the above entitled estate hereby gives notice that he will hold and after January 15, 1961, at 10:00 a.m., at the office of O. W. Gookley, Attorney for the estate at Room 215, First National Bank Building, Klamath Falls, Oregon, proceed to sell at private sale for cash the following described real property, to-wit:

One Northern half (N1/2) of the West-erly 115 Feet of Lot 8, Block 11, Stewart Addition to the City of Klamath Falls, Klamath County, Oregon.

Said sale is made pursuant to the order of the above entitled Court.

Dated this 14th day of December, 1960. 55: Chester W. Calaway No. 412, Dec. 16, 23, 30, Jan. 6.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Administratrix of the Estate of ANNA FORD, deceased, has filed her final account and the HONORABLE DAVID R. VANDENBERG, Judge of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Klamath, has set the 17 day of January, 1961, at the hour of 10:00 a.m., as the time and the Courtroom of said Court as the place for hearing objections to said final account.

ELIZABETH KNIGHTON Administratrix No. 413, Dec. 16, 23, 30, Jan. 6.

Missionary Tells Of Work

Christmas greetings were received by friends of the Rev. and Mrs. Bill Ainley who some years ago served the pastorate of the Mt. Laki Community Presbyterian Church. During their work here they decided to go into the missionary field and left here to begin intensive training in the difficult languages and dialects of African tribes before going overseas.

Their address now is Apartado 195, Bata, Rio Muni, W. Africa. Part of their Christmas letter follows:

"We are very happy for the arrival of the Roy Strange family in November after several months delay due to illness and housing problems. They will be living 60 miles from us at the inland station of Mongo. Their coming will greatly lighten the load of work we have been carrying.

"The Christians of Bolondo continue to build God for their love-ly new church building built largely with the help of funds from U.S. churches through our mission. Although Gustavo is the pastor of this church of 192 members, Bill often preaches here as the resident fraternal worker.

"This has been a good year in the work of the Evangelical Church in Rio Muni. Many church leaders have grown in their understanding of Christian stewardship and discipleship.

"An unhappy note was the death of Lucas Menye, an elder of the Ngonu church. He died of injuries inflicted upon him by some non-Christian villagers who accused him of practicing witchcraft. As he was a former worker of witchcraft but now a Christian for many years, some of his neighbors still feared him and finally gave vent to their feelings.

"We look forward to our furlough next June when we will be seeing many of you again and sharing personally the results of our mutual labors."

BIBLE READINGS FAVORED

CHICAGO (AP)—Nearly three out of four public school superintendents polled by an educational agency say they favor Bible readings in the schools.

The Nation's Schools, a professional journal, asked the superintendents: "Do you believe that reading from the Bible (any Christian version)—without interpretation or comment—should be permitted in the public school classrooms?"

Favorable replies totaled 72 percent. Opposed: 28 percent.

INDIAN SAINT?

ROME (AP)—Kateri Tekakwitha, born three centuries ago in an Indian village at present day Auriesville, N.Y., may be beatified soon.

The second of two miracles needed prior to beatification by the Roman Catholic Church is now under examination at the Vatican. Further study remains, however, before final canonization.

The girl is described in articles written about her as "The Lily of the Mohawks."

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Notice is hereby given that I have filed my final account as executor of the Estate of Philip L. Hoyt, deceased, and that the Court First set January 24, 1961, at the hour of 10:00 a.m., as the time for the hearing of objections to said final account and settlement thereof. Dated this December 23, 1960.

RALPH O. HOYT, Executor No. 417, Dec. 23, 30, Jan. 6, 1961.

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL PROPERTY

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF KLAMATH. IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF LOUIE MAE CALAWAY, DECEASED.

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New Bible Translation To Play Part In Meeting

Playing a prominent part in the "Be Taught By Jehovah" Circuit Convention of 800 to 1,100 Jehovah's Witnesses at the Municipal Auditorium, Eugene, Jan. 6-8, will be the New World Translation of the Hebrew and Greek Scriptures.

George Hriciszec, presiding minister of the Klamath Falls Congregation, announced today that the release of the last volume of this summer marked the completion of the translation. The first volume containing the Christian Greek Scriptures was published in 1960. Since then sections of the Hebrew Scriptures have been completing a task of over 10 year's duration by the translating committee, was officially released June 18 at a convention in Manchester, England.

Churches Pool Their Programs

BEATTY—The two Beatty churches, Methodist and Assembly of God, pooled programs for Christmas. Pastors of both churches presided over the individual programs, and delivered short services. Songs and recitations were given.

Troop 93 and Cub Pack 93 presented a Christmas program in uniform. Jesse Kirk, representing Santa, presented a small present of candy to everyone.

A large crowd attended the service.

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Sunday Service 11:00 a.m.
Sunday School 11:00 a.m.
Wednesday Evening Testimony Meeting 8:00 O'Clock
Lesson-Sermon Subject, January 1 "GOD"

Golden Text: Deuteronomy 6:4. Hear, O Israel: The Lord our God is one Lord.

Nursery facilities available during church services



VICTORY TEMPLE, 1909 Homedale Road, is Klamath Falls' newest church. Officers announce the start of revival meetings and regular church program on New Year's Day, Jan. 1. The 11 a.m. worship and communion service and nightly services at 7:30 are planned. Silas H. Jones, pastor and evangelist and former minister here, will serve the church. He will be assisted by his wife, Catherine, and his son, Robert. An invitation is extended to the public to attend.

Have Fun! IT'S LUCKY LANES

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