

Fire from Heaven

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In earlier Bible times, God's people gave themselves over to the worship of the heathen Baal. Almighty God chose the prophet, Elijah, to win the people back. Elijah proposes a test to show the true God. It was true God should answer by sending down fire from heaven. On the great day of the trial, the heathen people prayed and cut themselves, but to no effect. Baal the heathen God, answered not. As evening came, Elijah has 12 barrels of water poured over the sacrifice he is to offer. Then Elijah prayed and God answered by sending fire from heaven to burn the sacrifices, and lick up the water in the trenches. At that the Lord's people cried — The Lord, He is God. So God had his people back — 2nd Kings 18th.

And you of today? God wrote eternal life on your page when you received Christ as your own Lord and Saviour. Pray to God for whatever is for his glory. He is your prayer-hearing and answering heavenly Father.



Reception to Honor Pastor, Wife Sunday

A reception will be given for Dr. and Mrs. Ervin F. Leake, new pastors of the First Christian church, at the church next Sunday afternoon, May 24, between three and five o'clock in the social rooms.

The community is invited to come and get acquainted with the Leakes.

Cassie D. Livingstone is chairman of the affair and the C.W.F. ladies will serve refreshments.

Convention of Society Attended

Delegate to the Women's Society of World Service convention for the states of Oregon and Washington from the local society of the Evangelical U.B. church was Mrs. Lloyd Thomas. Accompanying her was Mrs. Paul Sisler.

The convention was held at Jennings Lodge May 11-14 and featured speakers from Tibet and Brazil missions. Others attending for the drive-in day services May 13 were Mrs. E. J. Douglass, Mrs. Alice Malmsten, Mrs. Lois Clark and Rev. Paul D. Sisler.

A floatilla is a fleet of small vessels.

Special Offering Plan of Church

Medical education will get a boost from a church here Saturday when the Vernonia Seventh-day Adventist church joins with all like churches in the United States and Canada in giving the day's offering to the denomination's largest medical training center.

The offering will go to the college of Medical Evangelists, Los Angeles and Los Angeles, California, where nearly 100 physicians are graduated annually. In addition, the college operates seven schools in other phases of the healing arts such as dentistry, nursing, nutrition and physical therapy.

Dr. Frank Spaulding of Vernonia will speak at the church service. His brother, Leland Spaulding, is attending at College of Medical Evangelists this year.

The medical college is part of an Adventist chain of medical institutions around the world and contributes to the Adventist's practical teaching that physical health is vital to spiritual health.

Remodeling of Home Nears End

TREHARNE — Mr. and Mrs. Mark Christenson and Archie, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Drips and Bobby, Fred Drips, Patil Bass, Georgia Parrish and Mrs. Sine Collins motored to Portland Sunday to attend the Ice Follies.

Gene Drips and Sam Beck motored to Portland Monday evening to attend a gas dealers meeting at the Multnomah hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Justice are remodeling their new home. The work is done except for painting and a few details. They are making the old house look like a much newer home.

Ed Schaffer and friend from Sanduski, Ohio arrived Monday to visit friends and relatives for two weeks. Mrs. Schaffer will return home with her husband. Visitors at the Art Kirk home Tuesday were Lee and Francis Kirk of Buxton; Mrs. S. H. Peterson and Mrs. Norman Peterson and children of Buxton; Mr. and Mrs. George Kirk of Vernonia and Mrs. Charles Justice.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Kirk and daughter, Mrs. Ed Schaffer, attended the barbecue Sunday.

Barbecue Is Attraction For Treharne People

TREHARNE — Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Wienecke, Eugene and her mother, Mrs. Agatha Vinecore, Spokane, were week end guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wienecke.

Sunday visitors at the Carl Wienecke home were their son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Wienecke, and daughters of Veneta, Bill Wienecke, of North Plains, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Herinckx and children of Wilksboro and Mrs. Wm. Falconer.

Mrs. Wilbur Thacker, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Kirkbride and family, Larry Long of Riverview, Kenneth Thomas and Edwina Siedelman attended the barbecue Sunday.

Larry Long of Riverview was a week end guest of Stephen Kirkbride.

AT THE CHURCHES . . .

VERNONIA BIBLE CHURCH

Don Darling, Pastor
Pete Raney, S. S. Supt.

9:45 a.m. — Bible School.
11:00 a.m. — Morning service. "The End of Those Things is Death."
6:30 — Children's Hour. Junior Young People, Senior Young People, Adult Study Class. The Book of Amos.
6:30 — Adults. Isaiah.
7:30 Evening Service — Dismissed for Baccalaureate service.
7:30 p.m. Tues. — Young People's class in II Timothy. (Held at Floyd Shulke's)
Wed. Night — Bible study and prayer meeting. "The Doctrine of Christ."
7:30 p.m. Thurs. — Men's prayer meeting and women's prayer meeting, held in various homes.

VERNONIA EVANGELICAL

Paul D. Sisler, Minister

9:45 a.m. — Sunday school. Mrs. E. E. Garner, Supt.
11:00 a.m. — Morning worship. Sermon, "To Whom Truth is Revealed."
6:30 p.m. — Youth Fellowship.
7:30 p.m. — High school Baccalaureate service, Rev. W. A. McBride speaking.
2:00 p.m. Wed. — Martha society meeting at home of Mrs. Clyde May.
7:30 p.m. Wed. — Midweek service. Study of I Cor. Chapter 5.

Tongue Point Viewed Saturday

RIVERVIEW — Mrs. Glen Hawkins and sons and Billy Howard attended open house at Tongue Point Naval Station at Astoria Saturday. Larry Martin, who is stationed there, and his wife escorted them through the ships and to the various points of interest.

Mr. and Mrs. Olin Robbins visited her children, Laura, John and Ezra Brewer, at Corvallis Sunday.

Mrs. J. R. Sanford of North Plains and Mrs. James Walker of Cedar Mills spent Thursday visiting their sister, Mrs. W. J. Lindsley.

Robert Wyckoff, who is working at Clarkston, Washington, spent the week end at home.

Lost Money Returned To Owner Thursday

RIVERVIEW — Friends and neighbors of Laurel Wyckoff are rejoicing with her over the recovery of the money which she lost Wednesday. It was returned to her Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Mae Krieger of Keasey visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Lindsley Monday.

Mrs. Ann McGee of Tigard is spending the week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Magoff.
Mr. and Mrs. Johnson Sozoff and daughters spent Saturday at Hillsboro on business.

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NEHALEM VALLEY
MOTOR FREIGHT

Recovery Slow From Illness

RIVERVIEW — Barbara Owen was brought home from Portland Tuesday after spending four weeks there for medical attention. She is recovering slowly, but will have to spend most of her time in bed for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Schalock visited her aunt, Mrs. Minnie Vulkar, at Monroe and returned by way of Woodburn where they visited Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Schalock and family Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Parker spent Sunday at Clatskanie visiting his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Abney of Wishram, Washington spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Welter.

Myrt Jenkins and daughter, Janene, spent Sunday at the home of his sister, Mrs. E. L. Lloyd. Mrs. Myrt Jenkins is convalescing at the Lloyd home from a recent illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Magoff spent Saturday visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Sullivan in Portland and Mrs. Toni Karpstein at Tigard.

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Assembly Church to Conduct Bible School

The Assembly of God church announces that it will conduct Daily Vacation Bible school starting June 1 for two weeks. The D.V.B.S. is for the ages of beginners through the junior age. All boys and girls of these groups are cordially invited. The theme of the course is, "Our Place in God's World," a very interesting and instructive subject.

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Mona Gordon, Sec'y. 1-53

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Ben Fowler, Commander
Don Campbell, Adjutant
AUXILIARY—2nd and 4th Tues. President, Louise Hammett
Sec'y., Dorothy Walker 4-53

VERNONIA LIONS CLUB
MEETS EVERY MONDAY EVENING
Ma Vike's Cafe
Guy I. Thomas, President
Geo. A. Remnant, Secretary 3-54

Vernonia Lodge No. 246 I.O.O.F.
Meets Every Tuesday 8 P.M.
Charley Hickman, Noble Grand
Truman Knight, Secretary 1-54

Columbia Encampment No. 89
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Verda Cook, Rec. Sec'y.
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Edna Heenan, Treasurer 3-54

Knights of Pythias
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Vernonia, Oregon
Meetings Legion Hall, Second and Fourth Mondays Each Month
Edward E. Garner, Chancellor
Commander
Oscar G. Weed, Secretary

Pythian Sisters
Vernonia Temple No. 61
Meetings: I.O.O.F. Hall
Second and Fourth Wednesdays of each month
June Willis, M.E.C.
Faye Davis, Secretary 2-52

A. F. & A. M.
Vernonia Lodge No. 184
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