

## Flood Took All

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Back in Noah's day, business was good on Main street. Things were going on as usual. Then all of a sudden, God sent the flood—NOAH'S FLOOD, we call it. All mankind then perished from off the face of the earth—all except Noah and his family. God honored Noah's faith and spared him. As in Noah's day, mankind will again fall into un-speakable sin and God will again sweep out all of mankind — Luke 17:26-27. Whether God's patience with us gives out soon or not, you are of the blessed ones if you have already set your heart on Christ as Lord and Saviour. —"Not that we loved God but that he loved us and gave His Son to die for us." Be Christ's new creation. Receive Him into your heart and die to self. He then works out through you to the glory of God. This space sponsored by a Seattle family.



## Hospital Entered For Operation

RIVERVIEW — Barbara Owen entered the Multnomah county hospital for another operation on Wednesday. This will be the third operation she has undergone in the past few months. Mr. and Mrs. Cleon Woodruff and sons of Portland brought Mrs. Alice Mills home and spent the week end here. Mrs. Mills had visited in Portland since Thanksgiving. Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Taylor and daughter, Jacklyn, spent New Years and Saturday visiting his nephew and family, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Doughty, at Onalaska, Washington. Mrs. Marian Wantland and son David, spent New Years eve at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Williams in Portland.

Asafetide is a drug prepared from plants of the parsley family.

## GEMS OF THOUGHT

**CHILDREN**  
Children have more need of models than of critics.  
—Joseph Joubert  
Beloved children, the world has need of you,—and more as children than as men and women: it needs your innocence, unselfishness, faithful affection, uncontaminated lives.  
—Mary Baker Eddy  
Where children are, there is the golden age.  
—Novalis  
Every child born into the world is a new thought of God, an ever-fresh and radiant possibility.  
—Kats Douglas Wiggin  
What the best and wisest parent wants for his own child that must the community want for all its children.  
—John Dewey  
In the man whose childhood has known caresses and kindness, there is always a fibre of memory that can be touched to gentle issues.  
—George Eliot

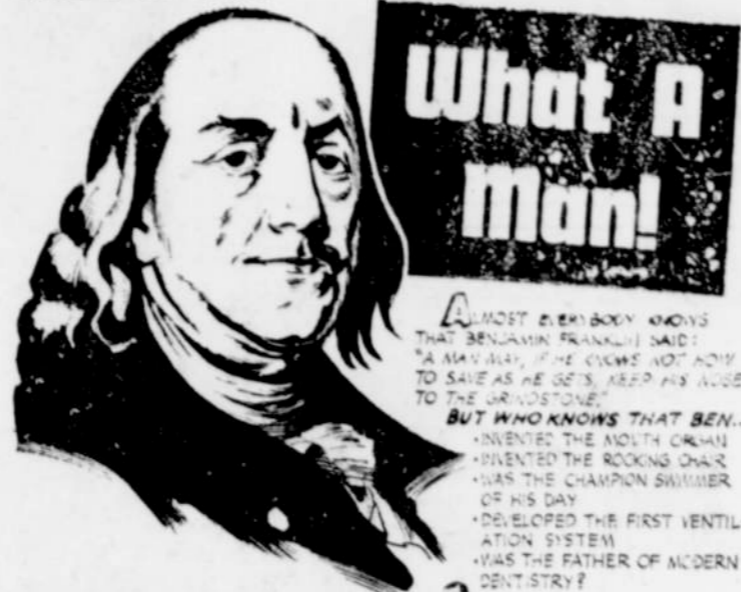
## Fall Cause of Two Fractures

RIVERVIEW — Jeanette, the younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Johnson Soff, had the misfortune to fracture her leg in two places while playing in the neighbors yard December 24. She is on crutches and improving nicely.

Mrs. W. J. Lindsley and Mrs. Dewey Hunt and sons attended a birthday party for Mrs. Lindsley's two sisters, Mrs. James Walters of North Plains and Mrs. Otto Harttrampf at the home of the latter at Hillsboro, Saturday. Ralph Keasey of Corvallis and Philip Keasey of Medford visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Parker Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Snook spent the week end at Salem visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Shrake and Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Snook. Melvin Snook accompanied them to Salem enroute to Parks AFB. Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Combs and sons, Miss Julia Johnson and Miss Sheets of Portland spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Hillyer.

To keep within the budget these days, you have to let the rest of the world go by.

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## Association to Sponsor Speaker

A special service sponsored by the Vernonia Ministerial association Tuesday evening, January 12, will bring here Rev. Peter Deyneka, Russian missionary, evangelist and world traveler. The program will be at 7:30 at the Evangelical U. B. church.

Rev. Deyneka was born in Europe, of Slavic background and now is a naturalized citizen of the United States. He is the founder and general director of the Slavic Gospel Association and also a missionary-evangelist. Since his conversion, Mr. Deyneka has made 10 trips to Europe and has traveled around the world preaching the Gospel.

The Slavic Gospel association is an interdenominational work of faiths, supporting 92 missionaries in many lands. It is sending out Bibles, New Testaments and Gospel literature in many languages to many countries; it founded and supports a Russian Bible Institute in Argentina. The work of the association has been endorsed by internationally-known Gospel ministers, professors and Christian laymen.

He is the author of a fascinating book entitled, "Twice-Born Russian." Don't fail to hear him and get first-hand information of the Gospel work, spiritual awakenings, sufferings and conditions around the world. He will show beautiful colored moving pictures of Gospel work around the world.

## Snow Listed at Two-Inch Fall

BIRKENFELD — Birkenfeld had about two inches of snow fall Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Art Bellingham and boys spent New Years with Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Parman at Scappoose. They were joined New Years eve by Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Jepson, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Elliott and Mr. and Mrs. Don Jensen. They went dancing at Scappoose and had breakfast following the dance with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Van Buren of Scappoose. Bert and Pat Davies of Westport called on the Elliott family Saturday evening.

## Elk Appear on Farm Near Mist

MIST — The band of elk have showed up again on the Melis farm.

The Clair Devines attended a school program at Mayer and they were Christmas eve dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Herb Edmonds.

Chas. Melis was called from his home down the coast to stay with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Melis for a while. They are not well. He had returned to his home only a few days before George Banzer has a new TV set.

The tongue, it is believed, has specific organs that respond to different chemicals providing the various tastes.

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## AT THE CHURCHES . . .

**VERNONIA BIBLE CHURCH**  
Don Darling, Pastor  
Pete Raney, S. S. Supt.  
9:45 a.m. — Bible school.  
11:00 a.m. — Worship service, "Your Last Chance To Be Saved."  
5:45 p.m. — Youth chorus practice.  
6:30 p.m. — Children's hour, Juniors, Ambassadors for Christ, adult study class.  
7:30 p.m. — Evening service. Message to be given by Rev. J. O. Butts, representative of the Evangelical Alliance Mission.  
Monday 7:30 p.m. — high school Bible class at the parsonage.  
Wed. 7:30 p.m. — All are welcome to pray and study the Bible with us.  
Thurs. 7:30 p.m. — Men's prayer meeting and women's prayer meeting held in various homes.

**CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST (Colored)**  
J. C. Foster, Pastor  
9:45 a.m. — Sunday school.  
11-12 a.m. — Morning worship.  
6:30 p.m. — Young Peoples service.  
8 p.m. — Evening worship.  
7:30 p.m. Tuesday and Fridays— Prayer Meetings.  
Welcome to all to worship with us.

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Robert T. Liles, pastor  
9:45 a.m. — Sunday school.  
11:00 — Morning worship.  
6:30 p.m. — Training union.  
7:30 p.m. — Evening worship.  
7:30 p.m. Wed. — Prayer service.  
Everyone welcome.

**ASSEMBLY OF GOD**  
Rev. W. A. McBride, Pastor  
9:45 a.m. — Sunday school.  
11:00 a.m. — Morning worship.  
7:30 p.m. — Evening worship.  
7:30 p.m. Wed. — Prayer meeting.

**NAZARENE CHURCH**  
H. L. Russell, Pastor  
9:45 a.m. — Sunday school.  
Ralph Lais, Supt.  
11:00 a.m. — Morning worship.  
6:30 p.m. — Young Peoples service.  
7:30 p.m. — Evening service.  
Wednesday 7:30 p.m. — Prayer meeting.

**VERNONIA EVANGELICAL**  
Rev. F. M. Knoll  
9:45 a.m. — Sunday school. Mrs. E. E. Garner, Supt.  
11:00 a.m. — Morning worship.  
6:30 — Senior Y.F. and Intermediate Y.F.  
7:30 p.m. — Evening service.  
7:30 p.m. Wed. — Midweek service.  
**ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC**  
Rev. William Delplanche  
Mass at 9:30  
**SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST**  
Ed H. Webb, Pastor

Services on Saturday:  
9:30 a.m. — Sabbath School.  
10:45 a.m. — Preaching, missionary programs or Bible study.  
**VERNONIA BRANCH LDS**  
10:00 a.m. — Sunday school convenes under supervision of Henry Hudson.  
11:30-12 — Priesthood meeting.  
7:30 p.m. — Sacrament meeting commences under direction of Earl P. Genzer.  
7:30 Tuesday — MIA meetings at Buxton.  
Tuesday evenings — Primary children group meets under supervision of M. Erlene Olson.  
2:00 p.m. Tuesday — Branch Relief society meets in Vernonia. Erlene Olson, president. Visitors cordially welcomed at all meetings.

**FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH**  
Ervin F. Leake, Pastor  
9:45 — Bible school.  
11:00 a.m. — Morning church service. Pastor's theme: "With the Master in the Holy Mount."  
6:30 p.m. — Young Peoples meeting.  
7:30 p.m. — Evening service. Pastor's theme: "Important Ps for the New Year."  
7:30 p.m. Wednesday — Mid-week service.

This Friday evening, January 8th, the Christian Women's Fellowship will meet with Mrs. Blanche Mills, Mist Route, with Mrs. Maude Wells, president, in charge of the new study. The Ninety-Nine Men will meet Saturday evening at the parsonage.

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Regular communication first and third Wed. of each month at Masonic Temple. All visiting sisters and brothers welcome.  
Florence Brunzman, W.M.  
Mona Gordon, Sec'y. 1-54

**V. F. W.**  
Regular meetings: First and Third Tuesdays, at 8 P.M.  
V.F.W. Hall.  
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Don Campbell, Adjutant  
**AUXILIARY**—2nd and 4th Tues.  
President, Louise Hamnett  
Sec'y., Dorothy Walker 4-54

**VERNONIA LIONS CLUB**  
MEETS EVERY MONDAY EVENING  
Ma Vike's Cafe  
W. A. Davis, President  
Bill Viece, Secretary 3-54

**Vernonia Lodge No. 246 I.O.O.F.**  
Meets Every Tuesday 8 P.M.  
Bill J. Horn, Noble Grand  
Truman Knight, Secretary 1-54

**Columbia Encampment No. 89**  
will meet the 1st and 3rd Fridays of each month at the I.O.O.F. hall.  
Otto Cantwell, Chief Patriarch  
Wm. D. Shafer, Scribe 1-54

**MT. HEART REBEKAH LODGE**  
Meets 2nd and 4th Thursday evenings of each month in the I.O.O.F. Hall.  
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Alice Buckner, Vice Grand  
Verda Cook, Rec. Sec'y.  
Silvia Wolf, Financial Sec'y.  
Edna Heenan, Treasurer 3-54

**Knights of Pythias**  
Hardings Lodge No. 116  
Vernonia, Oregon  
Meetings I.O.O.F. 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 2-54

**A. F. & A. M.**  
Vernonia Lodge No. 184  
A. F. & A. M. meets at Masonic Temple. Stated Communication first Thursday of each month, at 7:30 p.m.  
Frank Floeter, W.M.  
Walter Linn, Sec'y. 1-54

**VERNONIA GRANGE 305**  
Regular meeting held every SECOND SATURDAY 8 O'clock P.M.  
Social Night Fourth Saturday  
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Master, Ronald McDonald  
Secretary, Ruby McDonald 11-53

**Vernonia F.O.E.**  
(Fraternal Order of Eagles)  
858 1st Ave. Vernonia  
Meets Every Friday 8 P.M.  
W. C. Bellingham, W.P.  
Gene Shipman, Sec'y. 7-53

**American Legion**  
VERNONIA POST 119  
Meets First and Third Monday of each month.  
**AUXILIARY**  
First and Third Tuesdays 1-54