



Marriage And Family, TV Course Is Offered For College Credit

In response to a continuing demand, the general extension division is planning to re-offer the popular college telecourse, MARRIAGE AND THE FAMILY, with Dr. Will Drum of general extension division and University of Oregon as instructor.

The series of TV lectures will be broadcast on station KOIN-TV in Portland (Channel 6) beginning Sunday, April 6, at 12:30 to 1:00 p.m. and continuing for 12 weeks.

MARRIAGE AND THE FAMILY is a course to demonstrate the role of the family in the formation of the personality. It will present a discussion of the positive and negative factors in achieving emotional security and well-being in children and adults, with particular emphasis on success and failure in marriage.

Some of the topics will be: Meaning of Behavior; Emotional Needs of Children; Pitfalls on the Way to Maturity; Effects of Childhood on Marriage; Success and Failure in Marriage; Emotional Aspects of Divorce; and Children in Divorce.

The course is available for three hours credit to those who register, complete home-study assignments, and pass the final examination. Anyone of sufficient maturity to do the work may enroll. Arrangement for completion of study assignments and the examination are quite flexible

and should enable many viewers to participate in the course on a credit basis.

Registration must be completed prior to the third lecture on television, April 29. The enrollment fee is \$27.00, the regular charge for a three-credit course as established by the state system of higher education. Enrollment fees will cover the costs of printing and mailing home-study materials and other costs of administering the course. Text materials may be purchased by mail through the Portland State college bookstore or from any other source. Inquiries concerning registration and purchase of text materials should be directed to the Registrar's Office, General Extension Division, 1734 S. W. Park Avenue, Portland 1, Oregon.

A viewer's guide is available to those who do not wish to enroll for credit. The guide, which contains supplemental discussion and suggested readings, is designed to enrich the non-registered viewer's understanding of the subject. It also preserves in summary form many of the important concepts taught in the course. The guide can be obtained at a cost of \$1.00 from the Department of Radio and Television, General Extension Division, 1633 S. W. Park Avenue, Portland 1, Oregon.

Vernonia Winners In County Science Fair Listed According to Division

The Columbia County Science Fair was held in St. Helens March 28 and 29. Over 400 entries from all areas in Columbia county were entered, approximately 35 of which were from Vernonia. For judging, they were divided into three divisions: Primary, Intermediate and junior, and three categories: Biological, physiographical and physical.

The following awards were received by Vernonia students:

Primary: Bill Hanson and Gary Hanson, third grade, a first place in the biological division for an exhibit consisting of a study of birds, their nests and habits; Second grade, Lincoln school, a group project in the physiographical division, a study of the seasons, second place;

First grade, Washington school, third place in biological division, a study of clothing and how to make cloth;

Second grade, Washington school, two third places in physiographical division on a study of the story of a raindrop. The projects were made by two groups of students: Group A—Zachary Patterson, Eddie Burton, Timmy Cowles, Kenneth Frank, John Tomlin, Charles Andrus; Group C—Joyce Carmichael, Rose Marie Siedelman, Lynda DeFord, Betty Weaver, Barbara Long, Sherry Baldwin and Paul Hytrek.

Intermediate division: fifth

grade, Christine King and Kathy Heckenbible, first place in physical division for the story of cotton from the beginning through the different processes to the finished product;

Roger Medges and Robert Tucker, fourth grade, second place, biological, a beaver dam; Dianna and Deanna Ritz, fifth grade, second place, biological, an experiment showing how harmful bacteria grows on vegetables and food;

Gary George and Bonnie Fowler, sixth grade, second place, physical division, an electrical exhibit demonstrating two way telegraph and blinker;

Shirley Pace and Karen Johnson, sixth grade, second place, biological, how flowers are put together and the story of a leaf; Christine Bender and Bruce Johnson, fourth grade, third place, physical, construction of a telescope;

Kathleen McMinn, fourth grade, third place, physiographical, a study of fossils;

Carol Slough, fifth grade, third place, physiographical, a study of land and water areas on the globe;

Donald Robertson, sixth grade, third place, physical, a model of a galvanoscope;

Junior Division: Linda Argo, seventh grade, first place, physical, explanation on how to change salt water to fresh water;

Delores Felster, seventh grade, second place, physical, explanation on how to change salt water to fresh water;

Larry Wright, seventh grade, third place, physiographical, model showing various types of roads.

No decision has been reached as to the probability of entering the Vernonia projects in the state exhibit in Corvallis April 29.

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Deer Island Man Files for Office

Harry H. Kem, Deer Island farmer and stockman, has filed notice with the secretary of state that he will be a candidate for state representative from Columbia county on the Republican ticket in the May 16th primary election. Mr. Kem is the owner of the Deer Island stock ranch, where he and Mrs. Kem reside with their five children. Two of the children are now attending Columbia county schools. The younger ones not yet having reached school age.

Mr. Kem enters this political campaign as a newcomer to political office. Since residing in the county he has been active in a number of organizations including the Farm Bureau, Western Oregon Livestock association, and the Elk's Lodge in St. Helens. A veteran of the U. S. army air force in World War II he still maintains an active interest in flying as a result of this wartime service.

In his filing statement Mr. Kem gave assurance that his efforts will be directed toward a fresh approach to the problems of government. While realizing that taxes are the most important problem facing our citizens today, Harry Kem urges a down to earth approach to the ever mounting cost of government on all levels.

He has also announced that he will, if elected, work for more industries for Oregon and Columbia county.

YESTERDAYS

FIVE YEARS AGO
From The Eagle, April 2, 1953
Word was released in Portland of a sales agreement by which Long-Bell Lumber company, Longview, is prepared to acquire 79 per cent of the stock of the Oregon-American Lumber corporation through purchases that may amount to \$5,000,000.

Appointment of Don Coin Walrod as county extension agent to succeed W. G. (Jerry) Nibler was announced by the county court. He was scheduled to take over May 1.

A second adult typing class to meet each Monday evening was organized with 22 members. There were 27 others already enrolled in the class held Wednesday evenings. Mrs. Myra Sorensen, high school commercial teacher, was instructor.

TEN YEARS AGO
From The Eagle, April 1, 1948
A change of ownership for the Vernonia Trading company was announced by Mr. and Mrs. Cass Bergerson who sold their interests in the firm to Lew Choate Monday of this week. Mr. and Mrs. Bergerson completed 22 years as owners of the company.

The Columbia river district of the Oregon high school speech league held its elimination tournament at Vernonia high school March 27. In debate, first place went to Vernonia's team, Beverly Herrin, Martha Wells, Helida Johnson and Dudley Spofford. Other Vernonia winners were: panel discussion, Beverly Herrin, Dudley Spofford; after dinner speeches, Beverly Herrin and Mary Anne Clark; oratory, Janet Peterson and Martha Wells.

FIFTEEN YEARS AGO
From The Eagle, April 1, 1943
The Vernonia Bakery announced it will reopen April 2 after being closed several days due to no sugar. New quota came due April 1.

Of the 54 men inducted into military service as announced this week the following were from Vernonia: Larry Marshall, Irvin Armstrong, Lawrence Harwood, Cecil Andrews, Conrad Meives, Forrest Moak, Lester Blount and Charles Moulton.

Vernonia men were asked to volunteer for loading of two cars of scrap that had been collected. It was being shipped to Columbia Steel company, San Francisco.

THE PEOPLE SPEAK . . .

To the Editor
Many people have asked me to answer a statement published recently by Ralph Langdon in which he took issue with a Feb. 21 report on the financial condition of the Columbia county fair and the financial history during the time I was treasurer or manager. Mr. Langdon challenged figures issued in that report.

It is not my purpose to engage in a personal controversy with Mr. Langdon but as a result of questions which have arisen may I set the record straight.

If those interested will go down to the courthouse and search the records they will find that I was appointed a member of the Columbia County Fair Board as treasurer on March 9, 1949. Mr. Langdon went off the board on May 11, 1949. Jess Steward was

appointed on the board May 11, 1949.

Immediately after the notice of my appointment was published in the paper I began to receive unpaid bills. (Mr. Langdon took issue with the February 21 statement that there were outstanding bills.)

The only error in the Feb. 21 statement was that it read that in June of 1947 the board received \$2100 from the racing fund. It should have read that in June of 1949 the fair board received \$3937.54 of racing funds from the Columbia county treasurer. No further money was received until after the fair, the later date of August. That money totaled \$1977.78.

If Mr. Langdon has further doubts as to the accuracy of these figures we suggest he publish the

results of the 1948 audit which will verify some of these statements.
Jewett A. Bush

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