



Missionaries From Costa Rica to Speak

Rev. David Godwin and family will be present at the morning worship service March 20 at the Assembly of God church. He is a missionary to Costa Rica, Central America and had served as pastor of the Molalla church just prior to entering the missionary field. Some years had been spent as an evangelist before this time.

Rev. Godwin is an outstanding speaker with a special attraction to youth. Both he and his wife are noted singers. The entire family is outstanding in their vocal ability and will be singing as well as preaching in the morning worship service.

G-P Purchases Timber Acreage

Purchase of 16,000 acres of prime timber in the lower Columbia basin from Kaiser-Gypsum Co., Inc. was announced recently by Georgia-Pacific Corp. Price was not disclosed.

G. Gray Evans, G-P vice president, stated that the timber, which is mainly Douglas fir and hemlock, is located in Columbia and Clatsop counties, Ore., and in Skamania, Cowitz, Wahkiakum and Pacific counties, Wash.

Until human nature has found something worth dying for, it can find nothing very much worth living for.

Nazarenes Date Laymen's Group

The Laymen's Evangelistic group of Portland will conduct a one-week revival effort at the Church of the Nazarene beginning Sunday, March 20 and continuing through March 27, with services each night at 7:00 p.m. Members of the group are all laymen who are devoting much of their time to evangelistic work in the smaller Nazarene churches of the area. They recently closed a very successful campaign in Toledo, Oregon.

Elmer K. Andrus is the main preacher. He is a highly successful building contractor in Portland. Assistant preacher and manager of the group is Robert Patzhold, retired sergeant in the air force and now director of occupational therapy in woodworking and ceramics at the Morningside hospital in Portland. Patzhold has been guest preacher here several times in the past. Leading the song services will be Charles Jones, a yardman for the Mt. Hood Building Supply company of Portland who also has been guest speaker here.

These men are all thoroughly experienced in church work. Andrus and Patzhold are Sunday School teachers and Jones is a Sunday School superintendent. They and their families will have complete charge of all services of the week. An offering will be taken each night to help defray expenses. The pastor, Rev. Milton Gudmundsen, will assist from time to time with "Messages in Magic".

Reissue of PUC Plates Complete

The reissue of PUC identification plates for this year 1966-67 has been completed according to Oregon Public Utility Commissioner Jonel C. Hill.

More than 100,000 new plates have been issued to motor carriers using Oregon highways. The 1964-65 plates will not be valid on and after March 26, 1966.

Lenten Meditation

by the Vernonia Ministerial Association

Christ's empty tomb is the shining gateway to Heaven!

"Now upon the first day of the week, very early in the morning, they came unto the sepulchre, bringing spices which they had prepared. And they found the stone rolled away from the sepulchre. And they entered in, and found not the body of the Lord Jesus. Behold, two men stood by them in shining garments and said unto them, Why seek ye the living among the dead? He is not here, but is risen."

The proof of the finished work of Jesus is His resurrection. It is the very climax of the Gospel. According to Paul the "Good news" is that Christ died and was buried and raised again from the dead to save us.

The substitutionary sacrifice of Christ is only a part of this. The capstone of the Gospel is that Jesus not only died, but that He arose from the dead. The symbol of Christianity is not the cross, or, still less, a crucifix with a dead Christ upon it! A far more fitting symbol of our Christian faith would be an empty tomb!

For this reason every Gospel sermon ever preached by the apostles - Peter, Paul, or any other - included and emphasized THE RESURRECTION. It is the resurrection which is the proof of the efficacy of the death of Christ, for had one sin remained unatoned, He could not have risen. His resurrection is the proof that EVERY SIN was atoned for on the cross. Remember, "The wages of sin is death". But He arose and proved that He HAD FINISHED the work, and that God was reconciled.

When Jesus died on the cross for our sins - He died for all of them. When we are saved by believing on Him, all our sins are forgiven - past, present, and future - for all our sins were future when Christ made atonement for them. This fact should impel us to live a life of holiness and separation unto Him.

Love's redeeming work is done Fought the fight, the battle won!

Death in vain forbids Him rise; Christ hath opened paradise!



WANTED! posters, like the one handled by Oregon Dairy Princess Joyce Williams, will appear throughout the state next week as part of a "search" for new Dairy Princess candidates seeking the 1966-67 title and crown. Princess Joyce will vacate her position this summer and a new Princess will be selected at the Eighth Annual Dairy Princess Contest at Portland's Sheraton Motor Hotel, June 27-28.

Bellingham Referees Games at Pendleton

BIRKENFELD -- Mr. and Mrs. George Bellingham went to Pendleton last Wednesday for the state B basketball tournament for which George was a referee. He refereed five of the games including the championship game between Knappa and Colton.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Neville and boys of Portland visited at the Vick Bergs Sunday. The two boys, Gary and Terry stayed over until Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Richardson and Joey were in Astoria Sunday and visited with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Crouch.

Everett Shively and Mrs. Ruby Linke and two daughters from Portland visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Art Bellingham.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Beach visited Sunday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Beach at Pittsburg.

Dairy Princess Contest Slated

"Wanted!", a girl with a dairy background, willing to travel more than 15,000 miles next year, meet celebrities, appear on television, hold newspaper and radio interviews, act as hostess at civic functions, and, in general, wear the princess crown of Oregon's dairy industry.

Sound exciting? It is. And these are just some of the benefits that the 1966-67 Oregon Dairy Princess will receive after she's selected this summer at the eighth annual Oregon Dairy Princess contest, in Portland, at the Sheraton Motor hotel.

Other benefits the 1966-67 dairy princess will receive include: a complete "Princess" charm course, a scholarship, a \$350 wardrobe, and she becomes a part-time public relations employee with the Oregon Dairy Products commission.

Oregon's present dairy princess, Joyce Williams, is a graduate of Amity high school and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Merle Williams of Rt. 1, Box 231, Amity. She was selected from among 15 area finalists last year. Miss Williams is a resident of a 125-acre dairy farm with 15 milking Holsteins. She has accumulated an outstanding 4-H record in cooking, food demonstration, and dairy animal projects.

Confidence counts for very little unless you possess the ability to back it up.

Give your worries a little time—they'll settle themselves.

Local Youth to See Dale Evans

Dale Evans will make a guest appearance at the Portland Youth For Christ rally Saturday evening and will give her inspiring testimony. Members of the Vernonia Christian Youth Rally group will attend this meeting in a body in lieu of holding a local meeting this month.

Previously announced as the guest for this rally was Miss America of 1965, but she is ill and has been hospitalized so is unable to appear. The rally is fortunate in arranging to have Dale Evans in her place.

There will be a bus to take local young people to Portland and it will load at the carport at the high school at 5:15 p.m. Saturday. The first 45 to pay the 50 cent fee will ride the bus.

The banquet which had previously been planned for this month but was postponed because of the conflict with the smorgasbord, is now planned for April 16 at 6:30 p.m. at the EUB church dining room. Tickets will be \$1.25 and following the banquet, a rally will be held at which the film, The Misfit, will be shown.



Note to newlyweds:

as surely as love and marriage go together, need for family security follows immediately. Don't delay calling us. We can check your needs promptly and arrange a sound plan of insurance within your budget . . . to assure you of realistic protection against the possibilities of financial loss.

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VERNONIA LIONS CLUB
MEETS FIRST AND THIRD MONDAY EACH MONTH 8:30 P.M., FIRE HALL
Charley Hickman, President
David Banta, Secretary 3-66

A. F. & A. M.
Vernonia Lodge No. 184
A. F. & A. M. meets at Masonic Temple. Stated Communication third Thursday of each month, at 8:00 p.m.
Frank Serafin, W. M.
Walter E. Linn, Sec'y. 1-67

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS
Harding Lodge No. 116
Vernonia, Oregon

I.O.O.F. Hall
Second Monday of Each Month
Jack Bergerson, Chancellor
Commander
E. E. Garner, Secretary
PYTHIAN SISTERS
Vernonia Temple No. 61
Meetings: I.O.O.F. Hall
Second and Fourth Wednesdays of each month
Martha Brady, M.E.C.
Cora Lange, Secretary 2-65

Vernonia Lodge No. 246 I.O.O.F.
First and Third Tuesday 8 P.M.
P. E. "Jim" Markham, Noble Grand
Harry Culbertson, Sec. 1-67

MT. HEART REBEKAH LODGE NO. 243
Meets 2nd and 4th Thursday evenings of each month in the I.O.O.F. hall.
Marie Elliott, Noble Grand
Dorothy Sandon, Secretary 3-66

VERNONIA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
Board of Directors report to members quarterly. Board meets 2nd and 4th Mondays, 8:00 p.m., at West Oregon Electric office. Visitors invited.
Ralph Bergerson, President
Mrs. Evelyn Heath, Secy. 7-66

NEHALEM VALLEY COIN CLUB
Meets last Thursday every month West Oregon Electric Auditorium, 7:30 P.M.
Ruth Steers, President
George Laws, Vice-president
Stanley Enevoldsen, Secretary
Ralph Bergerson, Treasurer
VISITORS WELCOME 10-66

Vernonia Barracks Veterans of World War I
Meets 4th Monday each month at the IOOF hall, 1 p.m.
H. L. Russell, Commander
Marcus Haines, Adjutant

AUXILIARY
Meets 4th Mon., IOOF hall 1 p.m.
Rose Valpiani, President
Cora Lange, Secretary 7-66

I.W.O.F.A.
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Meets First and Third Thursdays 7:30 P.M.

A.F.L. - C.I.O.
Business Agent is at the hall, North and Washington Sts., third Thursday, 10 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. 4-66

Order of Eastern Star
Nehalem Chapter 153, O. E. S.
Regular communication first and third Wednesday of each month at Masonic Temple. All visiting sisters and brothers welcome.
Mrs. Farrell West, W. M.
Mrs. Paul Gordon, Sec. 1-67

AMERICAN LEGION
Meets First and Third Mondays of each month.
VERNONIA POST 119
Thomas Hall, Commander
Harry Culbertson, Adjutant
AUXILIARY
First and Third Tuesdays
Gertrude Schalock, President
Lona Weldman, Secretary 1-66

Baptists Plan Special Sunday

L. A. DuBose, pastor of the First Baptist church, Vernonia, announced this week that Sunday, March 20 would be a special service day at his church starting with the 11 a.m. service at which Duane Belleville of Hillsboro will preach. Belleville has previously appeared here at two Sunday morning services at which he was very well received and has currently been presenting a series of studies on Sunday evenings on the teachings in First John.

Following the morning service there will be potluck dinner which will be followed by a singspiration at 2:00 p.m. This will be led by Belleville who also is a good song-leader.

The regular Sunday evening service will be dispensed with and the studies in First John will resume the following Sunday.

Half of getting what we want today is knowing what we have to give up to get it.

Good will can't be bought — a man has to cultivate it.

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HEC Meet Held At Clatskanie

BIRKENFELD -- Winema H.E.C. met at the home of Mrs. Walter Carl in Clatskanie last week. A potluck dinner was held at noon. It was decided not to have any more card parties this winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hopkins were in Astoria Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Nordstrom made a trip to Portland Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Larson and Susan were in Portland Monday on business.

Sharon Chase of Vernonia and her brother Danny of Scio visited at the Fred Larson home Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Bellingham and Marty of Astoria visited at the Art Bellingham home Sunday afternoon.

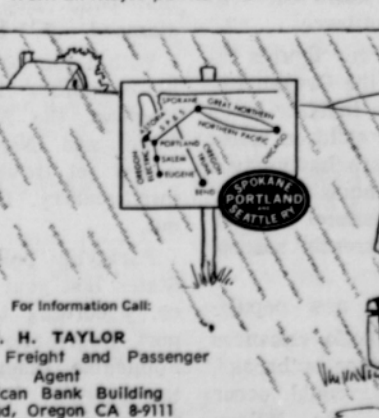
Mrs. Ione Downs spent her birthday, which occurred last week end, at the home of her folks, the G. P. Wanstroms.

The Mesdames May Mills, Ellen Lonnquist, Wini Hult, Miss Shirley Berg and Jolene and Jan Lonnquist went to the beach Monday.

Mrs. E. T. Johnston and Mrs. Fred Larson spent last Thursday in Astoria.

Lawrence Johnston and Wendy took their horses to Deer Island Sunday for play day.

I say, old chap, we Yanks have a much better way to ship and receive. S.P.&S., don't you know! They're fast, dependable and frightfully efficient. So thoughtful, so thorough, so attentive to detail. The next time you have a shipping problem, give S.P.&S. a call. Frequent schedules maintained to and from all major points in United States.



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