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Decentralize Accident Reports

Oregon's new legislature might help subdue the mounting accident toll which resulted in hundreds of emotional comments after the all-time record set during the Christmas holidays.

The public is totally unaware of the large number of wrecks—not necessarily accidents—that occur every week throughout the nation. In Oregon for instance, there is no requirement that local records be kept for wrecks involving minor or no personal injury. Here in Nyssa, for instance, there are literally dozens of wrecks that even the officers don't know about since the law requires that those involved file a report with the secretary of state. The legislature could change this situation without adding new and unenforceable laws.

Another change long needed is the near-eyewitness requirement before law enforcement officers can file charges for traffic violations. Evidence on the part of officers seem to have little or no meaning insofar as the law is concerned.

A third step forward would be a mandatory fine or jail sentence, or both, for drunken driving cases.

The jails might be full throughout the state for a few weeks until the irresponsible drivers learned the law meant business, but a few more homes might not be empty as the result of traffic injuries and deaths.

CHURCH NOTES

METHODIST CHURCH
9:45 a.m., Sunday school for all ages.
11:00 a.m., Morning worship.
7:00 p.m., Methodist youth fellowship.

ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL
Herb Grosdidier, minister
SUNDAY:
Morning prayer and (or) Holy Communion 9:30 a.m.
Church school 10:45 a.m.
Evening study 7:30 p.m.

THINK—Some may say we don't all understand the Bible alike or we understand it differently.

THAT IS NOT SO!
IT IS IMPOSSIBLE. Let us take facts for an example:
Teacher: What is 2 x 2, Johnnie?

Johnnie answers 3.
Teacher: That is fine.
Teacher: What is 2 x 2, Jimmie?

Jimmie answers 2 x 2 is 1.
Teacher: Fine. Glad you understand it so well.
Teacher: What is 2 x 2, Jack?

Jack answers 4.
Teacher: Good. I certainly am glad you understand the problem so well, class. Of course you understand it differently but as long as you understand it that is fine.

Or did they all understand? Watch next week for BIBLE FACTS.

The Know Your Bible Hour on KBOI-TV Channel 2 has been changed back to 2:15 p.m. Sunday Afternoon. Tune in and hear H. W. McLish teach another lesson from God's Word. Sunday, tune in Radio Station KGEM at 9:00 a.m. for his morning lesson.

L. D. S. FIRST WARD
Charles Mann, Bishop
9:15 a.m.—Priesthood meeting
10:30 a.m.—Sunday school.
8:00 p.m.—Sacrament meeting.
Tuesday, 2 p.m.—Relief society.
Wednesday, 4 p.m.—Primary;
7:30 p.m.—M. I. A.

L. D. S. SECOND WARD
Lloyd Lewis, Bishop
Sunday
Priesthood meeting, 9:15 a.m.
Sunday school, 10:30 a.m.
Sacrament meeting 7:30 p.m.
Tuesday
Relief society (sewing day, 2nd Tues., 10:30 a.m.) 1:30 p.m.
Wednesday
Primary, 4 p.m.
M.I.A., 8 p.m.

L. D. S. OWYHEE WARD
Lee H. Stoker, Bishop
Phone 2583 Rt. 2, Nyssa
1st Sunday each month, observe fast day
9:45 a.m. Ward teachers' report meeting
9:40 a.m. Priesthood meeting.
12:00 Fast meeting.
Remaining Sundays
9:15 a.m. Priesthood meeting.
10:30 a.m. Sunday school.
7:30 p.m. Sacrament meeting.
Tuesday
2 p.m. Relief society.
(2nd Tuesday each month, work meeting 10 a.m.)
Wednesday
4:30 p.m. Primary.
8 p.m. M.I.A.

MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH
Elder William Turner, minister
10 a.m.—Sunday school.
11 a.m.—Morning worship
8 p.m.—Evening worship
Wednesday, 8 p.m.—Prayer service.

ADRIAN COMMUNITY CHURCH
Henry E. Moore, Pastor
10 a.m.—Bible school.
11 a.m.—Morning worship.
11 a.m.—Junior church.

Letters to Editor

Stated letters to the editor are welcomed and will be printed if they do not contain comments of a libelous nature or attacks on religious and racial groups. Publication of the letters does not signify the agreement of this newspaper with opinions expressed.

Dear Editor:

It seems to me, that the city should have a police call (whistle).

Last Friday morning, I saw the police call (light) on at 6:08 and it was on for 18 minutes. I guess (like an old horse trader) the reason that I notice the police light, is because I am an ex cop, from Kansas. There, the light was used for police calls but if not answered within five minutes, a police whistle was blown. If a policeman is wanted, the call may be urgent and time of the essence.

Walter Burdette

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Ludlow of Berkeley, Calif., visited several days last week at the home of his parents, the Rev. and Mrs. Paul Ludlow. Mr. and Mrs. Ludlow are both students at Pacific School of Religion where they are doing graduate work.

FAITH LUTHERAN CHURCH

John L. Briel, Pastor
SUNDAY:
10 a.m.—Sunday school.
11 a.m.—Divine worship.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

Robert Jackson, Pastor
10 a.m.—Sunday school.
11 p.m.—Morning worship.
7 p.m.—N.Y.P.S. and Junior meetings.
7:45 p.m.—Evangelistic service.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

SW 6th Ave. and SW 1st St.
Ontario, Oregon
SUNDAY
Bible School, 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.
Young People's class 7:00 p.m.
Evening Worship, 7:45 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

Bible Study, 7:30 p.m.

FREE METHODIST CHURCH

Adrian, Oregon
A. Casurella, Pastor
Special Meetings:
Jan. 8 through Jan. 20, nightly except Saturdays. The Rev. Kenneth R. Berthoff, Mountain Home guest speaker. Special music. Public is invited.

PENTECOSTAL CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Haines, Pastors
SUNDAYS:
Bible school, 10:00 a.m.
Worship service, 11:00 a.m.
Young people, 8:30 p.m.
Evangelistic service 7:30 p.m.

BRETHREN CHRISTIAN CENTER MISSION
East 2nd and Ehrgood
Mark Carmichael, Minister
10 a.m.—Sunday school.
11 a.m.—Morning worship
7:30 p.m. Bible study.
8:00 p.m.—Evangelistic service

OWYHEE COMMUNITY CHURCH

Rev. Kenneth Himple, Pastor
10 a.m.—Sunday school.
11 a.m.—Morning worship service.
7 p.m.—Young people's meeting.
8 p.m.—Evening worship.

BIBLE MISSIONARY CHURCH

Rev. Lowell L. Foster, minister.
Sunday school; 10 a.m.
Morning worship; 11 a.m.
Evening evangelistic service; 8 p.m.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST

Rev. Earl Hastings
Bible school—10 a.m.
Worship and Communion—11 a.m.
C. Y. F., Sunday evening—7 o'clock.
Evening services, Sunday—8 p.m.

BIBLE MISSIONARY CHURCH

Regular services will be continued at the IOOF hall on South 1st Street and Ennis.

Sunday: Sunday school at 10 a.m. Morning worship at 11 a.m. Evangelistic service at 8.

Thursday: Cottage prayer meetings will be held in the various homes of the members of the group. Every one in the vicinity is extended an invitation to attend all services.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD

Rev. A. F. Stubblefield, Pastor
SUNDAY:
9:45 a.m. — Sunday school.
11:00 a.m. — Morning worship.
7:00 p.m. — Young People's service.
8:00 p.m. — Evangelistic service.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Parma, Idaho—McConnell Ave.
Rev. Hale Miller, Minister
10 a.m.—Bible study.
11 a.m.—Morning worship.
8 p.m.—Sunday evening service.

CATHOLIC CHURCH

Rembert Ahles, O.F.M.
Mass—Sunday at 8 and 10 a.m. and daily at 8 a.m.
Saturday, 10 a.m.—Catechism classes.

Stranger In The County

By Bill Campbell

I am honored indeed to have been asked to act as master of ceremonies at the "Polio Charity Capers" to be held at the high school cafeteria January 15 at 8 p.m.

Now I figure the reason I was asked was that a MC should subjugate himself to the theme, being inspect and sublimating ones extroverted tendencies to the decorum of the presentation without digladiation with those pragmatic individuals who have, through premeditation, compounded a heterogeneous composite to please both the patrician and plebeian.

HA!

In other words—don't trust me a bit... but do show up anyway. It's only a buck—offered to bring back thousands from hospitals and keep other thousands out of them.

Hats off to those half dozen or so workers on the "graveyard" shift at Amalgamated. Friday morning, after work they appeared at the high school to give blood. Those who were to have shown up to help set up the mobile unit failed to show, so the sugaraddies pitched in, put the whole thing together in record time and then flopped down to give their donations.

Say! I bet a stranger would trouble determining just who was whom on our police force. One member wears two stars on his jacket, making him a major general. Another sports captain bars. One is in plain clothes, and having watched Dragnet and San Francisco Beat I figure him to be either an inspector or a lieutenant. The fourth wears just a plain "GI" police uniform.

Guess which one is the chief? There's more to the "Ernie Wilson Story" last week than met your eye. At least according to Doc Sarazan. If you remember, Doc was called to check on Ernie, who, aided by his buddies, was in female attire and bedridden.

What Ernie DIDN'T mention was Doc's examination.

The first of the year we ran some of the 1956 pictures we

Lee Stoker Named Owyhee Bishop

Lee H. Stoker, route 2, Nyssa, was recently named bishop of the Owyhee ward LDS church, succeeding James A. Peterson. Nathaniel Ashby, was named to succeed himself as ward clerk and Dewey Garner and Lawrence Brown were renamed assistant clerks.

Norman Garner is the new first counselor of the Owyhee bishopric and Dean Montgomery is the second counselor. Bishop Stoker was formerly first counselor to Bishop Peterson and Dewey Garner was second counselor.

Worry is like a rocking-chair—gives you something to do, but doesn't get you anywhere.

thought to be the most interesting. One was the Easter egg hunt. We described it as "children scramble, etc." That was true except for one little detail. The kids were there, all right, but so was Mona Coleman!

None of your business department:

Dear Ontario friend: I would have been there but forgot to separate the yolks from the whites. Had the darndest dream the other night. Saw the Nyssa Drum and Bugle corps in a Tournament of Roses Parade! Or maybe I was my own grandson.

See where the auto unions plan to get a sweeping raise in 1958. Now that's just dandy! The present low (?) priced cars will jump up to the Cad price bracket and those using Cads will be forced to purchase Rolls Royces to assert their individuality.

We may return to hitching posts on Main street yet if this keeps up.

I just can't help liking Frank Bland out Adrian way. He's got such an even temper.

Always mad!

Notice the bounce of our younger set recently... and I don't mean "rock and writhe" it's because they came up with the right "bop" and bounced Vale.

Roads are pretty slick, folks. Better shop Nyssa and be sure of what you get and of getting it home.

See you Tuesday night? Bye now, Bill.

Adrian Presbyterian Church Notes

Regular meeting of the grade school clubs each Monday after school.

Thursday, Jan. 10, 8 p.m., Church board meeting at the church.

Mary and Martha Society will meet at the home of Mrs. Dyre Roberts Thursday, Jan. 10, with Mrs. Herbert Thomas, assistant hostess.

Rev. Moore will leave Sunday night for the 3rd annual conference on evangelism, Jan. 14 thru 16.

Columbia Synod is planning a four-day or night school of missions for every congregation in the Adrian church will be the evening of Tuesday, Jan. 22 when synod. The first meeting for the Alastair McDonald will speak. Mr. McDonald was born in India. Other dates for other mission speakers will be Tuesday, Feb. 5; Tuesday, Feb. 12, and Tuesday, Feb. 19.

Christian Church Notes

Morning sermon: How to have a revival.

Evening sermon: A great wonder in Heaven.

CYF and CHI-RHO meet at the church 7 to 8 p.m.

CWF general meeting at the church, Jan. 10, 2 p.m.

Come Double class discussion at the church, Jan. 11, 8 p.m.

The JYF group met at the home of David Sherbert for a meeting and lesson which included the election of officers. New officers are David Sherbert, president; Dennis Cindell, vice president; Joan Marcum, secretary; Marsha Savage, treasurer; Edna Hastings, song leader and Carolyn Pond, reporter.

Following the election a Bible drill and an object lesson on "Blotting Our Sin," was presented by Mrs. Elvin Ballou, leader. A chili supper was planned for Jan. 8. Singing and refreshments concluded the program.

USE THE CLASSIFIED ADS

Methodist Church News

"The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom: a good understanding have all they that do his commandments: his praise endureth forever. Psalms 111:10.

January 13, 9:45 a.m. Church school with classes for all ages. 11 a.m., Worship service. Mr. Ludlow's sermon topic will be: "Stop—Look—Listen—Obey!" from Exodus 2:1-10. The MYF officers will be installed at this service.

7 p.m., MYF and MIF meetings. 8 p.m., January mission study for the entire church, "High Hours in Methodism." You will enjoy this study. It will be an interesting and profitable evening.

Bible study and prayer group meet, place will be announced in the church bulletin.

Jan. 17, Methodist mission to the northwest. This evangelism conference will meet in Payette with Rev. Dr. G. Ernest Thomas, director of spiritual life, department of the general board of evangelism, will be the leader. First meeting at 3 p.m.

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By Bill Willingham



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