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"Please" Mail Volume Up

Employment of stenographers, mimeograph operators and other office personnel should be at a peak in Oregon at the present time if the volume of "please" mail is an indication of the work being done throughout the state.

We pity Oregon legislators if they have to wade through the appeals that arrive in the mail of Oregon weekly newspapers from the gimme groups that want more money to spend. In one mail delivery this week we received five sets of "publicity releases" about the dire state of certain tax-endowed groups who want increased and even new state appropriations.

Heart-warming indeed, is the prospect of the colorful Utopia ahead if the Oregon press will only get behind these numerous plans to spend more money and help promote the various schemes dreamed up by the would-be spenders.

Their promises remind us of the slot machine signs that offer a \$50 jackpot chance if you spend ten cents to pull the lever.

Some of the so-called free enterprise groups are not far behind the tax spenders in flooding the mail with propaganda asking for special favors. During the past two weeks, literally dozens of appeals are coming from business groups that want special legislation for the benefit of their own interests.

Without reading the papers, we know the legislature is in session and that these groups have not lost our address since the legislative sessions of 1954 and 1952.

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.

FAITH LUTHERAN CHURCH
John L. Brehl, Pastor
SUNDAY—
10 a.m. — Sunday school.
11 a.m. — Divine worship.

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.

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

Stranger In The County

By Bill Campbell

Now don't go spreading this around (new farm page influence), but we noted with casual glee that when our last issue of the old year and the first one of the new came out a day late due to the holidays, a certain paper in the area was stumped for Nyssa news! We do admit it was a dirty trick, especially when folks get in the habit of re-writing our pitiful copy, abet not always too accurately and we promise to see to it our paper arrives on schedule in the future... so quit worrying.

Bill Kohl cut his own throat last Saturday and enjoyed it! The owner of Brownie's Cafe turned over his banquet room to the Rebekahs from 10 a.m. to around 5 p.m. The gals served coffee and pie all day with folks paying what they would for same. Bill had a HORRIBLE coffee business that day, but the March of Dimes got some extra dollars, just one of which may one day save a life. So Bill isn't a bit mad (it was his idea) and it's nice to know his heart beats for someone other than his bride!

The newspaper gang had a chicken dinner there Sunday, a farewell to Darrel Cartwright who is leaving this paper to date to join the air force. The only reason for the gathering was to have time to plague our teenage printer's devil with advice which, if he's smart, he won't take.

But Darrel did a fine job. Fresh from high school (and who isn't?) Darrel learned a lot in the few months he was here. We hope it will pay off. He's applying for duty in the newspaper end of the air force, technical branch.

Now there's a cook and baker assignment for sure!

Saw where newspapers were celebrating the institution of American printing, honoring Ben Franklin. The Oregonian came up with quite a fact. Using Ben's equipment, it would have taken over 166 years to put out a recent Sunday edition of that paper.

On that basis, Ben wouldn't have lasted out one of our 12 or 16 page papers.

Come to think of it, I have a tough time myself on occasion.

Kinda worried about how Doc Marshall injured his ring finger. Who owns that stupid black and white setter that has taken up residence in front of our

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.

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
8:45 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 Floyd Jordan, minister
10 a.m. — Sunday school
11 a.m. — Morning worship
8 p.m. — Evening worship
Wednesday, 8 p.m. — Prayer service

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
Robert O. Jackson, Pastor
Sunday school, 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.
Teen Age, NYPS and Juniors, 7:00 p.m.
Evangelistic Service, 7:45 p.m.
Prayer meeting and Bible Study, Wednesday, 8:00 p.m.

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. Bertholf, 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, 6:30 p.m.
Evangelistic service 7:30 p.m.

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.

home! He's acting like a family friend and if he keeps losing weight I'm going to start feeding him.

One thing is for sure now doggie, that's all you'll get. I'm behind the Nyssa male teenagers 100%.

When the epic "Love Me Tender" featuring Elvis Presley, appeared on the local screen last week the boys applauded like mad when Elvis got shot.

Journalism will revert almost back to the neolithic age come Friday. I've been invited to explain advertising to the future newspapermen—and women of Nyssa high.

When I heard the news I was tempted to go out for a shot myself.

Got an extra dime? Bill, up at Sinclair, has a worthwhile gimmick for the March of Dimes going. Stick your change on the window and when the deal is over, Bill will add 10% to the total and turn it over to the March of Dimes.

Misrable weather isn't it? But you'll walk right into sunshine next Saturday if you walk into the M and W Market—as you'll note on page 12.

But I've got to run to the high school and ruin a program.

Bye now, and Buy Nyssa.

Episcopal Church News

In the Church the period from Jan. 6 to Feb. 10 is Epiphany season. This is the completion of Christmas, in the words of Rudyard Kipling:

If, drunk with sight of power,
we loose
Wild tongues that have not
Three in awe,
Such boastings as the Gentiles
use,
Or lesser breeds without the
law—
Lord God of Hosts, be with us
yet,

Lest we forget—lest we forget—
Christmas is not completed until the "lesser breeds without the law" are as we, the church, are. Epiphany is the specific time for the church to involve Gentiles in the Gospel—the completion of Christmas.

The lessons for Sunday are: Psalm 118; Zechariah 8; 1 Cor. 12.

One of the Epiphany opportunities of the Church is the studying the present word situation, the stage on which the peoples of the world play their part of "within" or "without" the law. This year we are especially fortunate that we have available to us the "Great Decisions—57" program. Sunday nights from this coming Sunday, Jan. 20, to March 17, our attention will be directed to this world situation by considering American foreign policy issues that are now facing our country. These meetings are not considered closed meetings. We will meet at 7:30 in our church basement. There is a more detailed account of this program in another part of today's paper.

Christian Church Notes

CYF and CHI-RHO meet at the church 7:00-8:00 p.m.

An executive meeting of the CWF is planned for Thursday, 2 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Emerson Bingham.

Rev. and Mrs. Earl Hastings left Monday morning for Eugene, where they will attend preachers' parliament until Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Dan Pennie plan to join them Tuesday.

The JYF enjoyed a chili supper given by their leader, Mrs. Elvin Ballou Tuesday evening. Their teachers, Mrs. Earl Hastings and Mrs. Dan Pennie helped serve. Following supper games were played.

The Christian Women's Fellowship met at the home of Mrs. Gus Liming for their general meeting. Following the business meeting a program was presented by Mrs. Ken Pond. Devotions were given by Mrs. H. Tresswenter. Refreshments were served.

Eighteen adults and 17 children attended the Come Double class monthly discussion. Friday evening, Jan. 11, at the Robert Sherbert home. Leader was the Rev. Earl Hastings. An election of officers were held prior to the discussion. Gus Liming was elected president; Mrs. Gus Liming, secretary-treasurer and Mrs. Elvin Ballou, social chairman. Refreshments were served by the hosts at the close of the meeting.

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

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
IOOF Hall
Rev. Lowell L. Foster, minister.
Sunday school, 10 a.m.
Morning worship, 11 a.m.
Evening evangelistic service: 8 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.
We either understand or we misunderstand.
Acts 10:34 says God is no respecter of persons.
God would not give me one understanding and you another.
John 17:20, 21 tells us that the Lord Jesus prayed that we all might be one even as He and His Father are one.
Phil. 3:16, 17. Paul says walk by the same rules, mind the same things, be followers together.

There are many more Scriptures you may read concerning this matter such as these: 1 Cor. 1:10; Rom. 12:16; Heb. 12:1; Eph. 4:3-6; 1 Pet. 1:20; 1 Peter 3:8.

Methodist Church News

"Go ye therefore, and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost: Teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I have commanded you: and, lo, I am with you always, even unto the end of the world." Matt. 28:19 and 20.

Thursday, January 17, 2 p.m.—Women's Society Circle meetings as follows: 1. Larry Robinson, Mrs. Paul Ludlow, hostess. 2. Alice Hitchcock, Mrs. Charles Garrison, hostess. 3. Charlotte Alston, Mrs. Roy Knoedler, hostess. No. 4. The Celia Cowan Circle will meet at 8 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Gene Grasty.

Thursday, Jan. 17—Dr. G. Ernest Thomas of the general board of evangelism will be in Payette at the Methodist church. Members of the commission on evangelism and any others who are interested are invited to attend the dinner meeting at 7 p.m. and the 8 o'clock session which follows.

Sunday, Jan. 20—9:45 a.m. Church school. Classes for everyone. 11 a.m. Worship service. Mr. Ludlow's topic will be "Evangelism for Our Time."

7 p.m.—MYF and MIF meetings at the church.

8 p.m.—Beginning of church-wide study class, "High Hours

Adrian Presbyterian Church Notes

Friday the 20-40 Club is planning a work night at the church. Anyone having hymn books at home that belong to the church please return them Friday night. Meeting at 7:30. Refreshments following the work meeting.

The first meeting of the "School of Mission" will be Jan. 22, at 8:00 p.m.

Tuesday, Feb. 5, Murray Russell will speak; Tuesday, Feb. 12, Dr. Mary K. Smith and Wednesday, Feb. 20, Judson Allen will speak.

of Methodism." Studies for youth and adults. Mrs. Snider in charge of adult class.

Wednesday, Jan. 23, 8 p.m.—Bible study and prayer group meets at the home of Mrs. Dale Garrison.

4 p.m. Additional church school session for primary and junior church school children. The commission on education is providing these studies and activities to help the children in learning of the work of the church in the Philippines and other Southeast Asia countries.

Monday, Jan. 28 — Church school workers' conference.

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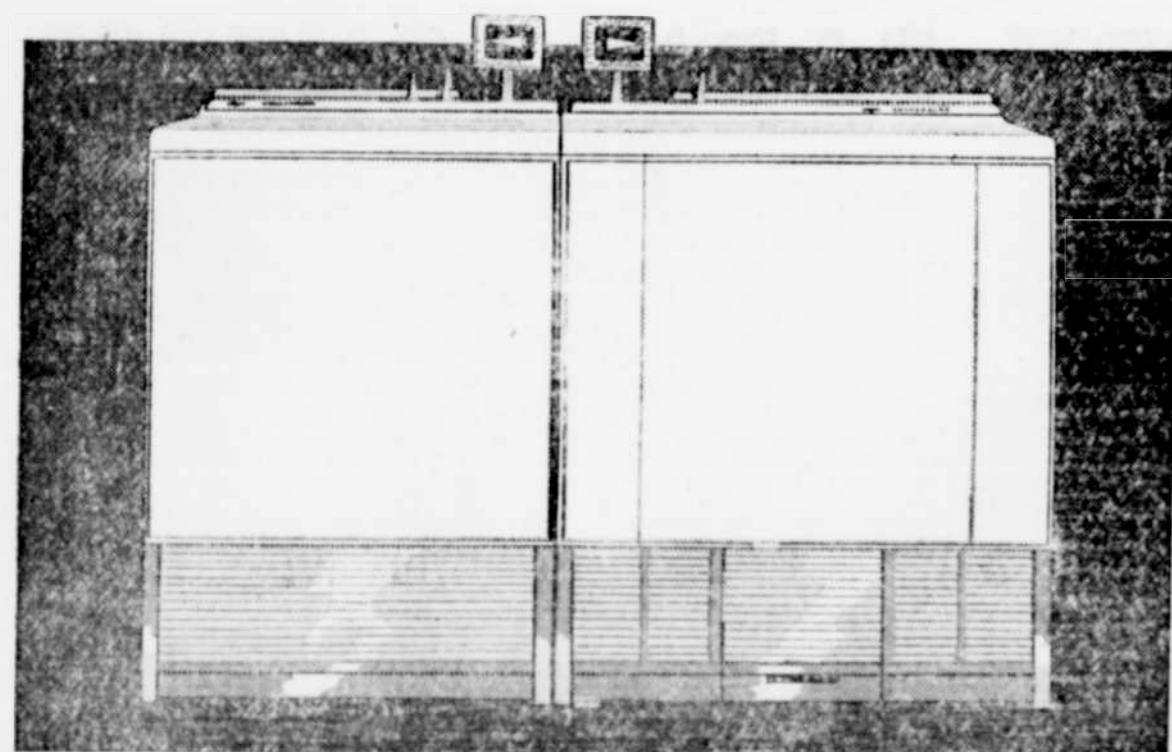
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