

## Radio Announcer To Play Carrier

FORT WAYNE, Ind. — Bob Sievers, WOWO, announcer and disk jockey, will participate in the Indiana rural letter carriers convention in Decatur, by delivering special listener mail received at the studio to Decatur, scene of the

convention. He'll do it via a mail "buggy" used in Adams county rural mail delivery around 1963. Of course, it is horse-drawn. The event will occur Sunday, July 3. The mail buggy will leave the downtown studios of WOWO at 124 W. Washington at 1:30 p.m. and proceed out Calhoun street. Destination is the Decatur Youth and Community Center, where the post office department will have over a million dollar postal exhibit. Another WOWO newsman will follow in the WOWO summer sizzle survey, mobile unit, and will describe the event. Fort Wayne city traffic police will act as escorts.

Living up to the post office department's slogan since Pony Express days that the mail must go through, arrangements have been made for an Indiana state police helicopter to be on the lookout for the antiquated vehicle. Should a breakdown occur, the "copter" will land at the nearest convenient location, pick up Sievers and the mail and take them to the designated spot in a matter of minutes. Sievers will appear at the WOWO booth in the Decatur Center for a short time following the delivery of the package of mail to Decatur. He will have souvenirs for those who meet him at the booth.

### Ladder Safety Hint

For safety and working comfort, when using an extension ladder, set the foot of the ladder out from the house wall approximately one-fourth the distance of the height of the ladder.

## Rural Churches

**ST. LUKE**  
Evangelical and Reformed  
Honduras  
L. C. Minsterman, minister  
9 a.m., children's day program by children of all departments.  
10 a.m., Sunday school.  
7:30 p.m., youth meeting at St. John's Film.

**ST. JOHN**  
Evangelical and Reformed  
Vera Cruz  
L. C. Minsterman, minister  
9:30 a.m., Sunday school.  
10:30 a.m., children's day program by the children's department. Message by the minister.  
7:30 p.m., youth meeting with film. Devotions: Roger Blum; Games: Joyce Wenger and Melanie Gilbert; Refreshments: Richard Dentel.

**SALEM**  
Evangelical and Reformed  
H. E. Seitzinger, minister  
9 a.m., Sunday school. Classes for all age groups.  
10 a.m., worship service. Sermon, "The Lord's Day."  
Saturday, 10 to 10:45 p.m., children's choir rehearsal.

## Children Program At Pleasant Dale

A children's day program will be given at the Pleasant Dale Church of the Brethren in Kirkland township at 7:30 o'clock Sunday evening.

A duet by Bradford Adler and Joe Burkhead and a greeting by Patty Miller will open the program, with scripture being read by Julia and Rebecca Mann, Vickie Burkhead and Panzy Zimmerman. The Rev. John Misher will give the invocation.

Others taking part in the program will be Joy Lynn Arnold, James Arnold, Beth Arnold, Dean Leyse, Debra Liby, Cathy Barger, Gary Bailey, James Mishler, Mark Steury, Angela Mitchell, Jan Blum, Suzanne Liby, Lora Jane Adler, Kay Ann Ehrman, Douglas Steury, Penny Liechty, and Marshall Zimmerman.

Participants from the nursery and kindergarten class will be Gary Liechty, Neil Adler, Rhonda Arnold, Debbie Barger, Arnold Hirschy, Rosemary Hirschy, Karleen Nussbaum, Lora Adler, Neil Adler, Arvilla Reinhard, Trilla Mann, Shirley Baumgartner, Timmy Steury, Paula Zimmerman, Raymond Hartman, Barbara Miller, Clarabel Sills, Terry Liechty, Bobby Miller, and Tommy Liby.

From the junior department will be Becky Shady, Delane Hartman, Beth Mann, Linda Henschen, Sally Jo Leyse, and Pamela Nussbaum.

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## 4H CLUB

**Merry Maids**  
The Merry Maids held their last meeting June 22 at the Monmouth school. Connie Bergman was in charge of the meeting, with Judy Fifer and Sharon Witte leading the pledges. Gloria Koenneman spoke to the group on "June is dairy month." Roll call was answered with a favorite sport. Demonstrations were given by Ruth Ann Lichtle, Janet Fuelling and Cynthia Boerger. Marsha King gave a health and safety report and Elaine Weidner and Janet Fuelling gave reports on their trip to Purdue. Float chairman Betsy Schnepf announced that there will be a committee meeting June 30, 1:30 p.m. at her home. Refreshments were served by Elaine Weidner and Connie Bergman.

The next meeting will be held July 3 at 1:30 at the Monmouth school.

Reporter: Sally Schnepf

**Merry 4-H'ers**  
The Merry 4-H'ers met June 21 in the home economics room. Ann Kauffman was in charge of the meeting. Coleen O'Shaughnessy and Elena Alauns led the pledges and Barbara Keller led the group singing. A favorite food. Demonstrations were given by Mary Beth Terveer, Barbara Lose, Ann Kauffman and Connie Gerber.

The next meeting will be July 12 at 1:30 in the St. Joseph school. All members are urged to attend. Reporters: Mary Beth Terveer and Eileen Schultz.

**UNITED CHURCH EVANGELICAL UNITED BRETHREN**  
Kenneth P. Angis, Pastor  
Thomas Gaunt, S. S. Supt.  
9:30 a.m.—Church School.  
10:30 a.m.—Worship.  
7:30 p.m.—Worship.  
8:30 p.m.—Reception for pastor's family. Members and friends invited.

**Wednesday**  
7:30 p.m.—"Hour of Power Service." Prayer and Bible study. Bring the family. The leader is Mrs. Homer Miller.

**THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK**  
"Glory springs from silent conquest of ourselves."

**WREN CIRCUIT E.U.B.**  
A. N. Straley, Pastor  
BETHLE  
9:30 a.m.—Sunday school. Lesson: "Heeding Christ's Teachings."  
10:30 a.m.—Morning Worship. Service of Holy Communion. Installation of officers and teachers.

**Thursday**  
8 p.m.—Prayer meeting. **WOOD CHAPEL**  
9:30 a.m.—Sunday school.  
10:30 a.m.—Prayer Service.  
7:30 p.m.—Evening Worship. Reports of Annual conference.

**Thursday**  
8:30 p.m.—Prayer meeting and Youth Fellowship.

**PLEASANT MILLS BAPTIST**  
A. A. Van Wormer, pastor  
9:45 a.m., Sunday school. Lowell Noll, S. S. Supt.  
10:45 a.m., morning worship. Subject of pastor's sermon: "Three Ways of Looking at Life." 7 p.m., B.Y.F.  
7:30 p.m., evening worship. Subject of message: "The Good Shepherd." Read I, II, III John.

**ST. PAUL MISSIONARY**  
2 miles east, 2 miles north Monroe  
Robert Welch, pastor  
9:15 a.m., morning worship.  
10:15 a.m., Sunday school.  
7:30 p.m., breaking of Missionary Jugs by the children. There will also be a program of recitations and a play entitled, "Money Talks."

**Wednesday, 7:30 p.m., prayer and Bible study, 7:30 p.m., M.Y.F. and children's Bible hour.**  
Everyone is welcome.

**PLEASANT DALE**  
Church of the Brethren  
John D. Misher, pastor  
9:30 a.m., morning worship with the pastor speaking on "The Church and the Gospel."  
10:30 a.m., Sunday school with Loren Liechty as general superintendent and Mrs. Floyd Roth as children's director.

7:30 p.m., children's day program.  
8:30 p.m., CBYF at the parish hall with Miss Twila Arnold as the leader.  
Juniors will go to Camp Mack for camping this week.  
Monday, 7:30 p.m., the ministerial board will meet at the parsonage.  
Tuesday and Wednesday the conference on church extension will be held at Manchester college.

**RIVARRE CIRCUIT**  
Stanley Neuenchwander, pastor  
Mt. Zion  
Sunday school, 9:30 a.m.  
Class meeting, 10:30 a.m.  
Prayer meeting, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

**Mt. Victory**  
Sunday school, 9:30 a.m.  
Class meeting, 10:30 a.m.  
Evening worship, 7:30 p.m.  
Prayer meeting, Wednesday, 8:30 p.m. Election of Administrative Board officers.

**Pleasant Grove**  
Sunday school, 9:30 a.m. Election of Sunday school officers.  
Worship service, 10:30 a.m.  
Prayer meeting, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

All churches are to elect the annual conference delegate Sunday, June 26.

**JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES KINGDOM HALL**  
Corner Monroe and Ninth  
Sunday, 3 p.m.—"What Does It Mean To Be A Christian?" will be the subject of a Bible lecture to be given by L. D. Bradley, circuit supervisor of Jehovah's Witnesses. Thought stimulating answers will be given to the question, "What Does the Bible say?"

Sunday, 4:15 p.m.—Watchtower Bible study and discussion on the subject, "Baptism According to the Divine Will." One of the scripture texts for consideration will be I Peter, 3:20, 21, "That which corresponds to this is also now saving you, namely baptism."

Tuesday, 8 p.m.—Bible study using the study aid, "Your Will Be Done on Earth."

Friday, 7:30 p.m.—Theocratic Ministry school followed by Kingdom Ministry service meeting.

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Worship Hour 10:30 a.m.  
Evangelistic Service 7:30 p.m.  
Prayer Meeting Wed., 8 p.m.

**THE BIBLE SPEAKS**  
International Union Bible School Lesson  
BY DR. KENNETH J. FOREMAN  
Bible Material: Matthew 1:1-20; 21:21-22  
Biblical Reading: 1 Corinthians 12:12-13

## On The Rock

Lesson for June 26, 1960

**PLEASE NOTE** the title of this column. It is On the Rock, not On the Rocks. The English language is peculiar. On the Rocks is a nautical expression referring to a ship cracking up on a rocky reef. On the Rock is a builder's expression. You could mix the metaphors by saying "You'll never go on the rocks if you're on the Rock."

### Bypassing Jesus

We are not surprised when people who make no claim to being Christians low-rate Jesus and refuse to consider him an authority. But it is surprising, and saddening besides, to find professing Christians bypassing Jesus as Number One authority in their lives. One way of doing this is to say that Jesus was not giving directions for this life, even for this world; but that he was telling us how we should live when the Kingdom of God comes on earth. In other words, that Jesus was giving directions for some future era, not for here and now in America. Another way of bypassing Jesus is to take the opposite tack, and claim that Jesus was speaking only for the old dispensation or period of the Law, and that all his moral directions and ideals went out when the Holy Spirit came at Pentecost. Still another way to bypass Jesus is to allege that his commands were impossible, and that he knew it; but he wanted to set the standard so high that people would give up trying to be good and rely on faith instead of works.

**Taking Jesus seriously**  
Jesus himself gave no support to such lopsided caricatures of his teaching and intentions. Ever-

thing he said indicates that he intended to be taken seriously. He speaks distinctly of some who would one day call him Lord—but "not do what I tell you" (Luke 6:46); and he has nothing good to say of such people. Jesus talked to real people with real problems. What main-line Christians have discovered down through the ages is, that what Jesus said to the people he met face to face is still good for our day and for all time. It is nothing better than double-talk to call Jesus "Lord" or even "God" and refuse to pay attention to him when he gives directions for living.

**Building on the rock**  
The exact word (in the Greek) is "on THE rock," not "on A rock." Anywhere in the world, if you go down far enough, you strike rock; and all the rock of the world is connected together by the mighty forces God has created. So there is one Rock on which an enduring life can be founded; Christ and his teachings. But a question may come to mind. Human beings are of enormous variety. Their problems are innumerable. Jesus could not, and did not, give us his mind as to many of the most difficult problems of our time. How then can we say that his teachings are the bedrock of all truly successful living?

Jesus could say this, not because he was a new Moses, not because he was delivering rules for everybody on all occasions. He could say this because his teachings are the universal bedrock beneath all the variety of human personalities and situations. As we saw when looking into the "Golden Rule," Jesus gave us principles rather than rules. He does not do our thinking for us. He furnishes the foundation; each of us has to build his own house on it.

**Tested by storm**  
A house of cards will stand up so long as no one breathes on it. A house with any flimsy underpinning, or none, will stand so long as the weather is good. The test of a house is not sunshine but storm. And if there is one thing certain about every man's life, it is that the sun will not always shine upon it. Bright days may be certain to come, too; but they are not the terrible test. The dark days, the blizzards and the floods and the hurricanes, are the times sure to come for each of us. Two houses may look just the same before the storm. How they look afterwards is what counts.

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**Wednesday**  
7:45 p.m.—Midweek Service.

**Thursday**  
8 p.m.—Evangelism Commission.

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## TAKING GOD'S HAND

Rev. James R. Meadows

It is reported that one day a mother brought her little boy to a noted evangelist, "I would like to have my boy shake hands with you." The boy reached out with his left hand, and the evangelist asked him to give him his right. The boy said he could not; and when asked why, replied, "Because I have marbles in it."

Some people act like that little boy. They desire to serve the Lord, but at the same time they try to hold onto the world. Perhaps their hands are full of the things of this world, and yet they have a desire to follow the Lord Jesus Christ. But if we really desire to clasp hands with God, we must give up the world and all its pleasures. The Lord is not pleased with a left handclasp, with only a partial surrender. He wants unreserved consecration. We must leave the "marbles" behind us, and come to Him with all our hearts.

During this summer season let us examine our life and see if we have given ourselves completely unto the Lord, and be in services next Sunday for worship.

**THIS WEEK'S BIBLE VERSE**  
"Put on the whole armor of God, that ye may be able to stand against the wiles of the devil."—Ephesians 6:11.

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