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**"1921 REWARDS FIGHTERS"**  
There is no use to camouflage the fact that there is a great deal of pessimism rampant in America these days. This is the day of the man who sees the hole instead of the doughnut. But it is also the day when the man who has courage combined with the good judgment who is going to reap his reward.

In Chicago the Tribune of that city started a campaign under the slogan, "1921 Will Reward Fighters." It is true, 1921 will, just as every other year has rewarded those who go on and fight regardless of what the pessimists have to say.

Today there are business men who are withdrawing their support from every public enterprise. They are going the full limit. They are preaching pessimism in their words and in their action. They are hurting themselves.

When they give voice to calamity claims their words are spread, and the man with whom they talked, may be a customer, proceeds to pull in his expenditures too. Thus the circle grows and gets right back to the merchant again.

What would the merchants of Ontario or any other town think if the Farmer Quit. Certainly there were no class of men who had more reason to throw up the sponge than the stock men and the farmers of Malheur county after the experiences they had last year.

Suppose the farmers and stock men had quit? Where would the business men of this or any other city have been?

But the farmers did not quit. They are on the job right now. As the result we are going to harvest in this valley some of the finest crops we ever have harvested. The fruit crop is immense. The prices offered are good enough to insure real profit for the growers. They are going to be able to pay their bills and get on their feet. That is the reward of men "who did not quit."

The Argus would not have the business men think that it thus argued for unlimited expenditures, of foolishness, of recklessness in any

degree. But it does believe that this is no time to quit. It is no time to refuse to support the county fair, the Commercial club, the churches or any other deserving public institution. The need for these is as great as ever.

When the men at the head of our local institutions stop and think, we are certain that they will realize that they still have faith in this country of ours, in the nation, in the state, in the county and in the city, and in themselves. The things we now enjoy are worth fighting for. The business men, we believe, will be the last man to admit that he has lost faith. The farmers have set him an example. It is one that is worth following.

**IRONSIDE NEWS**

Mrs. Maud Rouse and children, Mrs. Belle Whited and son, Wilse, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Elms Sunday from Unity. R. M. Divin returned home with them.

Mrs. Nellie Wise was called to Brogan Thursday where her little son was thrown from a horse and kicked in the head but is not very seriously hurt.

John Smith and daughter Miss Sylvia Grabner were Ironside visitors Sunday from Brogan.

Mr. and Mrs. Joyce and Mr. and Mrs. Henderson returned to Ontario Sunday after several days outing near Ironside.

Tom Logan and Oscar Logan and family were Ironside visitors going to Burnt river section fishing and camping last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Seaton drove to Bridgeport Tuesday taking Mr. Seaton's mother there where she will take the stage to Baker for medical treatment.

Joe Howery went to Brogan Tuesday to meet some sheep herders for Stanfield Co. on Malheur river.

Miss Hazel Westfall of Ontario came in the last of the week to visit her sister, Mrs. I. K. Powers.

A. M. Moody, ex-county clerk, and family are out from Vale on a fishing and camping trip at the Eli Rose place. Mr. Moody returned to Vale Saturday leaving his family there.

Dr. Burrows of Vale was called Friday to attend Mrs. Lottie Coburn who is on the sick list.

Dr. Blakely of Baker was called Monday to attend Mr. Gumsey who was working for Lacey Brothers in the hay. The Doctor found that the young man had typhoid and pneumonia fever and not being able to get a trained nurse from Baker nor Boise, was compelled to take him to Baker Hospital where he passed away Thursday. His body will be shipped to Nebraska for burial.

Ernest Lacey and Clarence Howard were called, Thursday night, to Baker when Mr. Gumsey died.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hinton left for their home in Grandview, Idaho Tuesday.

Mrs. H. E. Elms is visiting her daughter and family this week at Unity. Mr. and Mrs. Floyd White, Frank K. Elms and Raleigh Van Muran motored to Unity Sunday.

**FRUITLAND BENCH**

Wishes of Majority Again Thwarted  
The largest vote ever recorded at a school election was that on last Friday when 467 votes were cast on the proposition to bond independent School District No. 18 for \$45,000 to build a High School Building which was to have included a gymnasium. There were 306 votes cast for it and 161 against. Seventeen more votes for it would have carried the bonds. This is the second time to be defeated by a very close vote. Rooms are being rented now away from the present school building and it is necessary to do something to accommodate the ever increasing enrollment of the Fruitland schools. There is no doubt of the need for a new building.

**Fruitland Favors County Nurse**  
All but 96 of the 467 voters on the School Bond proposition answered "Yes" or "No" to the question submitted as to whether we should ask our County Commissioners to appropriate funds for a County Nurse. There were 261 in favor of a nurse and 101 opposed, or more than two and half times as many wanted a nurse. Miss Boyd our present County Nurse has served our School District well and we want her or someone else to remain on duty.

**Reception for New Pastor**  
Last Thursday evening on the William McConnell lawn was held a reception for Rev. H. S. Black and Mrs. Black, welcoming them to our community. Rev. Black has recently come here as pastor of the Baptist Church. It was indeed a real happy reunion of the church people and their friends to extend to Rev. and Mrs. Black a most hearty welcome. Frappe and nabisco wafers were served after a program of music.

Rev. Charles Bonsack, of Englu, Illinois, one of the Directors of the Brethren Church of the United States and Superintendent of the Forward Movement in that church, made two very strong addresses Sunday while occupying the pulpit of the Brethren Church. A very large crowd heard them.

Tuesday evening the Fidelis Class of the Brethren Church, seventy five in number, held a wafers roast on the James Deal lawn. Music, good eats and a bonfire over which the wafers were roasted occupied a happy evening together.

Tuesday evening at the home of Miss Josephine Pardung the Queen Esther Circle held their monthly business and social meeting. Mrs. William Hollenbeck is the new Sup-

erintendent of the Queen Esthers. Those who attended a picnic dinner on the Mohler lawn Sunday after church services were Ruth Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Mohler and family, Miss Opal Eldredge, Mr. and Mrs. Lackey and family, Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Pelthouse and family, Mrs. Fairy Spahnower and son, Virgil. They then motored to Weiser where they were joined by Mr. and Mrs. Whittell and family, Mr. J. H. Whittell, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Whittell and family of Emmett, and their house guests, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Gilchrest and daughter, Alleen, of Fort Dodge, Iowa, and together they went to Campbell Hot Springs above Weiser where they enjoyed the natatorium.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Gilchrest and daughter who have been the guests of the Whittell families leave this week for Portland and California.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Reeder and daughter, Margaret, of Ontario, were the guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Stewart. Miss Margaret remained over for a week's visit.

Miss Gladys Baughman and Miss Edna Tillotson arrived Saturday for an extended visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. I. Hollenbeck. Miss Baughman is a niece of Mrs. Hollenbeck.

Mr. and Mrs. William Shades, of Twin Falls, visited Sunday at the Grant Fisher home. They had been to Arrowrock Dam.

Wendell Brown, Lester and Lawrence Sargent, Carl Kinnison, Glade and Kenneth Fisher arrived home Sunday from an outing upon Bear Creek. Mr. and Mrs. Grant Fisher came home from there Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Orcutt are up on Bear Creek for an outing.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Hendy left Friday morning for Bear Creek for a two weeks' vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Hendricks left Monday evening for their home at Mountain Home after spending a few days' visiting at the Kinsey home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Robinson and son of Boise, visited from Friday until Sunday with Mr. Robinson's cousin, Dr. and Mrs. C. C. Paxton.

John Howe and H. Marsh went to Council Saturday for a week's outing.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Puchert arrived Friday from Imperial Valley, California, where Mr. Puchert is overseer of a several thousand acre celery ranch. Mr. Puchert was formerly Commissioner of Highway District No. 1, Payette County. They are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Clarence Ficken, and the new granddaughter.

P. D. Bossen, Guy Graham, A. T. Bishop, and their families, comprising a party of seventeen, left Saturday morning for a few days' outing at Payette Lakes.

H. B. Strawn and family left Monday noon for a ten days' outing up on Bear Creek.

Mano Puchert and uncle, Jesse Burkard, of Woodriver, Nebraska, returned Sunday evening from a two weeks' visit and outing at Benice in the eastern part of the state. They were accompanied home by Miss Lillian Burkard, a cousin of Mr. Puchert who will visit here for two weeks.

Jay Makinson and William Homan have arrived here to visit their parents from the ranch at Imperial Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Martin came Thursday to visit at the O. W. Browning home. Monday they were accompanied by Mrs. Browning on a trip to Payette Lakes for a few days.

John Towne and Frank Barnard spent the week end fishing at Lake Lowell.

Miss Minnie Cook of Omaha who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. F. Carnelfx, left the latter part of the week for Seattle and California points.

Charles and William Duell and Ray Duell and Fred Hurd have returned from an outing upon the South Fork of the Payette.

Mrs. George McKeown is chaperoning a party who are camping for two weeks upon Bear Creek. In the party are Misses Daphne and Fern McKeown, Grace Paxton, Velma and Mildred Williams, Mabel Peacock, Joy McKeown and Gene McClell.

Paul Gardner visited Frances Childs Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Peacock had as their guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. A. S. King and Homer, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Trusdale and Roy Wrinkles, all of Ontario.

Frank Howe arrived Thursday from Los Angeles for a week's visit with his son, C. Howe. He leaves this week for a visit at Woodriver, Nebraska, his old home.

Miss Elsie Peacock left Monday morning for Midvale. Accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Sim Watkins they will go to Tamarack for an outing. Mrs. W. A. Peacock, the mother, accompanied her daughter to Weiser.

Marvin Gardner is home from Midvale where as catcher he helped the Midvale team win the pennant. Guy Pearce, of Fruitland also assisted in the winning by helping out through the pitching department.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Edgecomb, of Omaha, house guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Madsen went to Emmett Sunday morning for a few days' visit with old acquaintances.

Arthur Linck, his mother, Mrs. E. A. Linck, and sister, Miss Helen, came down from Boise Friday to visit until Monday with Fruitland friends.

Misses Dora Tacket and Lucile Strawn and Robert Tacket are home from a week's outing in Garden Valley.

**CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH**  
Corner of Idaho & 2nd St. S. W. (D. J. Gillanders, Pastor)  
Sunday School, 10:00 A. M.  
Preaching, 11:00 A. M.: Subject: "Who is Jesus Christ?" Continued. Christian Endeavor, 7:15 P. M. Preaching, 8:00 P. M. Subject: "Ingratitude."  
Bible Study Tuesday, 8:00 P. M. White's School House  
Sunday School 2:30 P. M. Preaching 3:30 P. M. Come and enjoy the above services. They are for you.

**NEW TREATMENT FOR WORMS IN FOWLS**

If your fowls are acting a little droopy or you lose one occasionally from no apparent cause, it might be well to look for worms. Large worms will be found in the intestines of the fowl or the difficulty may be caused by extremely fine worms about a quarter of an inch long and found in the seum or little blind pouches which you will find attached to the intestines.

According to Mr. Cosby, Poultry Extension Specialist, the general accepted treatment for worms among adult fowls is as follows: Mix about two pounds of powdered tobacco with each 100 pounds of dry mash and feed this mixture for two weeks. At the end of this time make up a moist mash using water in which 14 ounces of Epsom salts have been dissolved for each 100 hens to be treated. Give this mash rather late in the afternoon and most of the worms will be passed on the dropping boards during the night. The dropping boards should be cleaned and disinfected and droppings disposed of so poultry cannot get to them. After the first treatment, omit the tobacco from the mash for two weeks and then give the entire treatment over again.

This method is a great improvement over the old cure of boiled tobacco and a starvation period of about 24 hours which often threw the birds into a moult resulting in financial loss.

A display of grains, grasses, and legumes is being prepared for exhibition at the Oregon building in Portland by the O. A. C. farm crops department.

**Memoranda of Understanding**  
The States Relation Service, of which the County Agent and Extension Specialists are a part, have agreed with President Howard of the American Farm Bureau Federation, that there shall be no connection between the state and national Farm Bureau Federations and the department agencies. According to the agreement "the colleges and the department are not responsible for the activities of the Farm Bureau Federations."

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