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We Can't Let Them Starve (From Autocaster Service)

In twenty-one states of the Union distress such as our country has not experienced since the earliest pioneer days has visited literally millions of American citizens and their families.

The men and women who are administering the Red Cross relief in the stricken districts report that even the distress caused by the Mississippi flood of 1928 was less serious, not only because there are now many more people affected, but because of the feeling of hopelessness among the drought sufferers.

The people in the drought country have seen their land fall them. That is the real tragedy of the present situation. Their crops failed, their live stock died of thirst, they could not accumulate enough to carry themselves and their families over the winter, and they look forward despondently toward another poor crop year, for it takes more than one season to bring the dried-out soil back to fertility.

Unlike a large part of those seeking unemployment relief in the cities, these people have never before sought or accepted charity. It has been stated that fully half of those living on public bounty in the cities have never worked regularly and refuse to work when employment is offered them.

"There is not a rabbit nor a squirrel left in the whole district," one Red Cross worker reports from Kentucky. "All of the wild game that survived the drought has long since been shot or trapped to feed these starving people."

More than half a million of these good American families must be kept alive and in health by the help of the rest of us. The Red Cross had five million dollars to start with and is asking the American people for ten millions more. That is little enough, even though every cent of it goes for actual provisions and clothing, as it does.

Are we going to let these people starve? Or will we who have been more fortunate than they come to their rescue?

CHURCH NOTES

METHODIST CHURCH

O. W. Payne, Pastor
The services at the Methodist church Sunday will open at 10:00 o'clock with a good Sunday school, faith classes, and competent teachers for everyone.

We are earnestly striving to offer you the Gospel of Christ in its simplicity and power. Help us do it by your attendance and your prayers.

BAPTIST-CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Corlis Hotel, W. E. Jones, Minister
10:00 A. M., Bible school. Contest report: Pine City 3440; Hermiston, 3360.

11:00 A. M., Church service. Song service including choir specials. Sermon subject, "Is Christ the Savior You Need?"

6:30 P. M., Study and devotional hour. The Junior and the young people's Endeavor. Adult Bible study class will finish its study on divine

healing.
7:30 P. M., Church service. The evening service under the group leadership is demanding the attention of all. If you have missed these services you have missed the very best. The young people will have charge of the opening service. Sermon: "You Can't Keep a Good Man Down."

HERMISTON BAPTIST CHURCH
W. L. Wilson, Pastor
10:00 A. M., Sunday school. Mrs. Essie Serell, superintendent.

11:00 A. M., Sermon subject, "The Philosophy of Life."

3:00 to 4:00 P. M., Men's meeting which was postponed from February 8 to February 15 due to a conflict.

7:30 P. M., Song service.
8:00 P. M., Sermon subject, "The Other Side of Life." This will be interesting to Three Link men. Come and hear it.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCHES

"Spirit" was the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, Feb. 8.

The Golden Text was, "If ye be led of the Spirit, ye are not under the law" (Gal. 5:18).

Among the citations which comprised the Lesson-Sermon was the following from the Bible: "Now the Lord is that Spirit; and where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is liberty" (II Cor. 3:17).

The Lesson-Sermon also included the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures", by Mary Baker Eddy: "Every day makes its demands upon us for higher proofs rather than professions of Christian power. These proofs consist solely in the destruction of sin, sickness, and death by the power of Spirit, as Jesus destroyed them. This is an element of progress, and progress is the law of God, whose law demands of us only what we can certainly fulfill" (p.233).

COLUMBIA NEWS NOTES

Miss Nellie Lutz of Umatilla is spending the week with her brother, W. H. Tuttle and family.

Mrs. Chas. Reynolds is confined to her home on account of an attack of flu.

Mrs. O. H. Buell and Mrs. C. A. Reynolds spent Wednesday afternoon visiting school.

Mr. and Mrs. Marx Kruse of Idaho, who have been touring Willamette valley, are visiting on their return to Idaho, with Mr. and Mrs. George Leibe. Mrs. Kruse is a sister of Mrs. Leibe.

Rachel Buell, Agnes Roberts and George Bedows spent Sunday afternoon at the Shockley home.

Lora Dotson received a telegram from LaGrande Friday evening saying that his father S. L. Dotson, of that place had passed away. Mr. Lovett at once for LaGrande.

Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Templeton and Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Luttrell spent Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Lynch.

H. J. Stillings is making a trip to Portland this week. He says business in the livestock line is inclined to be dull.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Lynch and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Lynch visited in the Butter Creek district Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hall and children Barbara, Clarise and Mary are enjoying a prolonged visit with Mrs. Hall's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Adleman. The Halls live in Seattle.

Frank Doney and family from Salem, Oregon, are visiting at the home of Jasper Templeton.

Clint Stumbaugh of Milton is enjoying a visit with Mr. and Mrs. W. Luttrell.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lay of Stanfield spent Monday with the Luttrells.

Henry Ott is confined to his home on account of a severe cold.

The Columbia school is planning to have a basket social Monday evening, February 23, to raise funds for insuring an Oregon Pageant "May Day." Our local declamatory contest will be held that evening.

The Ladies Auxiliary had the largest attendance at last Friday's meeting in the history of the organization.

These women are doing a wonderful work for the community at large. Nowhere in the county do school children enjoy the privilege of a nice playground than is made possible for the children of Columbia school, through the kindness of the auxiliary in allowing us the use of the Columbia park. We sincerely appreciate the courtesy.

When Alex Fuerstein, taxi driver of Cincinnati, was arrested for parking in front of a speakeasy he said, "But Your Honor, where can I park in this town and not be in front of a speakeasy?"

PINE CITY NEWS

The Pine City Band journeyed to Hermiston last Thursday where they played a few numbers for the high school assembly. The Hermiston high school orchestra also played a few selections which were enjoyed.

Mrs. Ruth Thompson has been sick for a few days at her home on Butter Creek, but is better and is able to return to school.

The Pine City high school seniors Neva Neill, Wilma McCarty and Oscar McCarty accompanied by Ralph Jones, principal, left Wednesday for Corvallis where they will attend the annual educational exposition.

Mr. and Mrs. Charly Plourd left Monday for their new home which is located about 12 miles from Pendleton.

B. D. Hynds and sister visited friends on Butter Creek Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Ayers and son visited at the home of Mrs. Ollie Neill Sunday.

A new pupil is now attending the Pine City school. He enrolled from the Heppner high school.

STANFIELD NEWS ITEMS

About 50 residents of the Stanfield project met at the Irrigation District office Tuesday afternoon for the purpose of organizing a Water Users Association. James Hoskins acted as temporary chairman, while the following officers were elected: President, Wm. Hogman; Vice-Pres. J. M. Richards; and Secretary, Mrs. Nettie E. Sloan.

The executive committee and C. M. Jump were asked to draft a constitution and by-laws for the organization and submit same at a called meeting in the near future.

Ed Brown has returned from St. Anthony's hospital where he underwent a minor operation.

The Pollyannas met at the home of Mrs. C. M. Jump, Wednesday afternoon. A social hour followed the business meeting.

A special meeting of the Bridge club was held at the home of Mrs. C. E. Greathouse, Wednesday, February 11. This was the annual event in accordance with the custom of this club when the "laws" entertain the "highs." Bridge was the diversion of the afternoon, followed by refreshments and a social time.

Walter Addy, Jack Boardway, Dor. McLain and Fletcher McDonald were canvassing the townspeople Friday. The boys were working for University scholarships by soliciting subscriptions to the Pictorial Review.

The annual meeting of the Grange Co-operative will be held Friday, Feb. 13, at 8:00 P. M. at the high school. The election of directors will be the main order of business.

The Study club will meet tomorrow at the home of Mrs. E. A. Hoosier. The major portion of the afternoon will be spent in a play rehearsal and making preparations for Guest Day, February 23. Roll call will be answered by current events.

Mrs. Harry Rees returned Wednesday from Portland where she has been visiting her sister Mrs. Furnish and son William.

Mrs. E. A. Hoosier and Miss Rose Hoosier sang at a recital in Pendleton Friday evening. The recital was sponsored by the MacDonald School of Music assisted by Mrs. Ann Compton, Minn., vocal instructor.

A Ladies Aid benefit basketball game was played Tuesday night between Umatilla high and Stanfield high. The score for both girls and boys games showed a victory for Umatilla.

(Too late for last week)
Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Cooper and daughter Marjorie spent the week end in Heppner visiting relatives.

The H. S. Junior-senior play, "Beads on the String," will be presented late in February.

A large number of Stanfield people went to Hermiston Friday and Saturday to see the picture "Byrd at the South Pole."

The S. W. S. Club met Thursday at the home of Mrs. F. B. Stuart. Mrs. O'Grady gave an interesting paper on "Hetty Green." The club contributed five dollars toward the city library fund. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. E. A. Hoosier, a which time plans will be made for guest day.

A benefit basketball game will be played in Stanfield, February 10. This will be a double header between Umatilla Hi and Stanfield Hi.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Shake and daughter Donna, Mrs. W. G. Wallace and Ina Sturdiant spent the week end visiting in Parkdale.

Miss Mildred Peregrin and Miss Alice Dyer spent Saturday and Sunday at the farmers home in Spokane.

The Misses Helen and Esther Fredrickson entertained several young people Wednesday evening at a birth-

day dinner complimenting their nephew, Kenneth Waid.

E. Sires took a truck load of potatoes to Portland for Richards Bros. Monday. On the return trip he brought flooring for the new grange hall.

Miss Vera Green has returned to Pendleton after spending two weeks at her home on the project. Miss Green is a nurse in training at St. Anthony's hospital.

Miss Roxie Talent spent the week end with her aunt in Helix.

The Stanfield Grange met in regular session Monday, February 2. Several important legislative subjects were discussed and resolutions ordered drafted on the alfalfa weevil ban and the proposed game code governing hunting game birds and deer. The discussion revealed the fact that these proposed changes do not appeal to rural residents.

Mrs. F. A. Baker gave a very interesting talk on "What in modern life separates parents and children." Mr. A. D. Smith, a member of the Union High school board gave very interesting facts concerning the maintenance of our high schools. Mr. Smith suggested changes which might be made to greatly reduce high school operating expenses. The last quarter of the lecture hour was spent in playing musical folk games directed by Mrs. J. M. Richards.

UMATILLA NEWS ITEMS

Walter Bullard, who is working in Portland visited here over the week end.

Miss Lola Beroy is very ill at her home here. She has a bad case of pneumonia. Her sister Barbara has just recovered from an attack of tonsillitis.

Both Umatilla high school teams were defeated by Helix teams last week. Both games were exciting. The girls' score was 29-30 and the boys 25 to 27.

The high school boys and girls Sunday school classes enjoyed a hike up the hill on the opposite side of the river from Umatilla Sunday.

Agnes Kendler is visiting in Spokane.

The Umatilla high school girls met their first defeat when they played Echo Wednesday night on the Echo floor. The score was 29 to 22.

The boys won by a score of 35-15.

The grade school girls played Hermiston grade school girls last Saturday afternoon in a return basketball game. Hermiston won by a score of 16 to 19. The grade school boys played Pendleton losing by a score of 13 to 9.

Dorothy Lash visited in Pendleton over the week end.

Several Umatilla people attended the dance in Holman last Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Corlyle visited in Portland several days of last week.

Margaret Brawn is ill at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Long of Lone visited here over the week end.

The new telegraph operator is Andrew Martin of Los Angeles.

HUNTERS BAG RENEGADE ANIMALS; COYOTES LEAD

During January, thirty-four hunters took 221 coyotes, 17 bobcats, one cougar, a total of 239 predatory animals. In addition, 203 porcupines were destroyed. The hunters who made the largest catches are: James Wadman, Crook county, 22 coyotes; Robert Long, Malheur county, 22 coyotes; C. B. Brown, Malheur county,

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1 bobcat and 17 coyotes; C. DeBok, Umatilla county, 15 coyotes; T. W. King, Grant county, 1 bobcat and 12 coyotes; Murial E. Jacobs, Lake county, 11 coyotes; and Chas. Glasgow, Klamath county, 10 coyotes.

The above tabulation does not tell half the tale; it is merely put here to show the hunters taking the largest bag on account of their being in localities where there is the largest number of coyotes. Other hunters getting a far less number did just as effective work in getting a few old renegade animals.

It has been indicated by observation of sleeping persons that the average individual changes his position 33 times in the course of a night's sleep.

Lorain, O., policemen quit dumping confiscated bottled liquor into

Lake Erie, after learning that fishermen had recovered 2,000 bottles of beer in one day.

For the sixtieth time within five years, a Viennese father pleaded with the judge of the juvenile court that his son be sent to a reformatory.

When Mack Davis of Atlantic Highlands, N. J., yawned his jaw went out of joint and he had to go to a hospital to have it readjusted.

Louis Gumble of Chicago was sentenced to the water wagon for six years, after appearing in court on charges of drunkenness three times.

Gola Martin, negress of Birmingham, Ala., protested to police that her son had sold her \$50 false teeth for 10c to go to a cinema.

John E. Lawson of Crawfordsville, Ind., is seeking divorce because his wife failed to keep her promise to continue her job to help support the home.

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