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**Let's Not Stop Here.**

The erection of the new Umatilla Project Fair display building shows the possibilities of accomplishments when a community spirit prevails. All labor on the building, with the exception of two carpenters, was donated and the cost of materials was taken care of with a donation of \$75 from the Hermiston Commercial club and a substantial reserve fund held from last year's fair.

Some have said that the erection of a building was an impossibility under the present conditions, but the building is up and the material used in it paid for. The project is to be congratulated. There are many more possibilities in a display of such community spirit.

This new building possibly opens the way to further construction with a continued show of a progressive, unselfish community spirit. Let's not stop here, but prove what can be done!

**HERALD WANT ADS PAY USE THEM!**

**O. F. STEELE**  
 DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATE  
 FOR  
**COUNTY ASSESSOR**  
 General Election, Tues., Nov. 8, 1932

"FAIR AND IMPARTIAL TREATMENT TO ALL"

Have been a taxpayer for 35 years.

If I am elected I will during my term of office endeavor to best of my ability exercise the judgment I have acquired, covering a period of 21 years that I have served as field and office deputy Assessor of Umatilla County.

**NOT CONSOLIDATION ... but a COSTLY EXPANSION!**

The ZORN-MACPHERSON SCHOOL "JUGGLING" BILL AT TAXPAYERS' EXPENSE - ESTABLISHES 4 NEW SCHOOLS, CREATES 2 NEW TYPES OF SCHOOLS - BOTH UNTRIED AND UNNEEDED.

Under the guise of economy, unknown interests propose this extravagant building and wrecking program, which claims to be a consolidation of Oregon's higher educational system. There are five campuses now, and if this bill is approved, there will still be five campuses; but, in addition, the taxpayers' money! The following facts will enable every taxpayer to prevent this experiment which endangers our higher educational system, and results in a tremendous financial outlay by taxpayers.

**4 New Schools Established**

This bill actually creates 4 NEW schools—a junior college at La Grande and Ashland; a law school at Salem; and a teachers' college at Eugene. In addition, it "junks" the Monmouth Normal School, valued at \$700,000, and uses but one-third of the facilities of the University at Eugene. This disarrangement will result in a tremendous financial outlay by taxpayers for additional NEW schools, NEW departments, NEW courses and NEW equipment. There are five campuses now. If this bill is approved there will still be five campuses; but, in addition, the taxpayers will be forced to erect new housing facilities for the University law school and library at Salem; provide NEW buildings and dormitories to accommodate the greatly increased student body poured onto the Corvallis campus; and equip two NEW junior colleges and a teachers' college with new and costly facilities for conducting a NEW and untried system.

**2 New Types of Schools Proposed**

Two NEW TYPES of schools are created by this bill—two junior colleges and a teachers' college—both untried and unneeded in Oregon. To educate students for junior standing in technical and scientific college courses, requires expensive laboratories and equipment, thus tripling the same facilities now maintained at the University and State College. The passing of this bill establishes the principle of STATE SUPPORT TAX for all or any junior colleges. Every town in the State of Oregon will then have the right to demand a junior college! Every legislature session will invite log-rolling bills for appropriations for new junior colleges in ambitious localities. Taxpayers of this state are asked to vote on this easily junior and teachers' college experiment, with every expenditure made at their expense.

In addition, this bill claims a saving of \$1,000,000 per year in taxes, BUT DOES NOT ACTUALLY REDUCE OREGON'S BASIC STATE TAX for higher education by a SINGLE PENNY. You will pay the same tax for state schools as you do now if this bill is approved.

**VOTE 317 x NO!**

The Zorn-Macpherson School Moving Bill establishing 4 NEW SCHOOLS. SCHOOL TAX-SAVING ASSOCIATION. Amedee M. Smith, Chairman. F. H. Young, Secretary. 618 Pacific Building, Portland.

**How a Woman's Ideal Lightened The Burdens of Many**  
 By Miriam Bright

The following article was published in the Home Friend magazine for September and gives something of the history of the Hermiston Co-operative Laundry and Canning. In preparing the article the author, Nellie B. Parker, wrote to Mrs. Hutchison saying: "Sorry that I had to cut the article down and leave out some of your good co-workers whom you wished to mention particularly, but the editor said to strip the article right down to the bone and center the interest on you. So you see there was nothing else I could do although I know you will be disappointed as you seemed anxious to give the other ladies their share of credit."

Because of the inspiration and activity of Mrs. Baxter Hutchison, the housewives of Hermiston, Oregon, and the Umatilla Irrigation project in which it is located, no longer dread wash day nor the canning season. Instead, they look upon it as a period of abundant accomplishment while enjoying the companionship of other workers in the cooperative laundry and cannery which is the result of Mrs. Hutchison's big idea.

Women from the surrounding country, sometimes a distance of almost thirty miles, bring their laundry or fruit and vegetables to the busy building and when the work is done they shop, visit friends and even go to parties. And if you are unable to understand what this means to women who formerly slaved all day, bending over washboard, pumping and carrying water, or poking wood in the stove, then you have never washed or canned in the country! Mrs. Hutchison had! She knew the back-breaking agony of washing heavy farm clothes, and the long hot days in the kitchen when the canning season was on. As she was a semi-invalid it was particularly hard for her. And then came the miracle!

"A salesman came to our ranch with an electric washer and not only asked to demonstrate it; he dared me to allow him to wash everything I wanted done. In four hours the family laundry, every blanket, comforter, curtain and rag rug was on the line!"

"I could scarcely sleep that night. I kept thinking how little effort it had been and how wonderful if every farm woman owned such a machine. But that was financially impossible and not many had electricity. Then the idea popped into my head that several of us might buy one together. From then on the idea just grew. Why not make it a community proposition?"

"I presented my idea to the Women's Auxiliary and we took the matter up with the Farm Bureau who thought enough of it to loan us \$200 to get started. Everyone helped. The Hermiston Creamery loaned a vacant room and gave us steam. The hardware store gave us credit and plumbing and carpenter work were donated."

All of this took time and in addition, Mrs. Hutchison and her committee stood on the streets of Hermiston and asked the women if they would sign up to use the laundry at 5 cents for two hour period. It had to be explained many times and the committee was often tired, but seldom discouraged. Finally, on July

23, 1923, the cooperative laundry was off in a burst of steam with 18 women persuaded to take life easier.

"From that humble start our venture has expanded until we now have four machines and eight tubs located in two rooms for which we pay \$10.00 per month. The charges have been raised to 35 cents and by a system of doubling up or splitting periods, more than 200 families are being served every week. The organization now owns its own boiler, generates its own steam, has made other improvements and has practically everything paid for."

When the laundry proved a success Mrs. Hutchison had another inspiration to start a community cannery. Backed by the same energetic women, plus another \$200 loan from the Farm Bureau, it too has been brought to successful fruition.

The women informed themselves on commercial canning by a visit to several big canneries and by inviting E. H. Weigard, professor of horticultural products at Corvallis, Oregon, to lecture to the women of the project. Following information obtained from these two sources, a room was rented adjoining the laundry, a pressure cooker purchased for \$100 and a seamer rented for \$50 per year, and the community cannery was under way. An order was placed for 1,000 cans at 4 cents each. Carpenter work to install troughs for scalding and washing vegetables was donated and a few necessities were bought on time. Mrs. F. M. Gulwits had been instructed by an expert how to operate a cannery and late in April, 1930, the labor-saving innovation was ready for business. Over 20,000 cans of fruit, vegetables and meats were canned the first year and close to 60,000 cans were turned out the second year and this year's output indicates a further increase.

The results can be told in a few words but it would take pages to tell of each forward step taken by the earnest workers.

"Our community cannery is easier and cheaper than doing the work at home," Mrs. Hutchison explained. "There is a two and a half cent charge for service in addition to the four cents for cans. After the food is in the cans the manager takes charge and the women have no further responsibility. We can beef, mutton, chickens, rabbits, deer and salmon which we buy from the Indians. We can anything that is 'cannable' and plan on eventually making this a commercial proposition. Often there is no market for certain produce and it is allowed to waste or is fed to stock. Already we have salvaged much that would have been lost and several of our members have sold large orders of canned goods at a fair profit." And Mrs. Hutchison's face shown with pride and joy—the joy of service!

What started as a labor-saver for the women is apt to develop into a crop-saver for the men. Hermiston is in the center of a fertile irrigation project that produces the finest of fruits and vegetables and Mrs. Hutchison's idea may eventually resemble the little acorn from which sprung the big oak."



Jack Folsom, Republican Nominee for County Recorder, is a visitor in this locality for a few days. He hopes to meet as many of his loyal friends and supporters as is possible while here. He is particularly grateful for the magnificent vote which he received in the May Primary. Shortly after he filed this spring, he suffered a serious accident which made it impossible for him to travel about the county, but notwithstanding he received the third highest vote of any county candidate.

Folsom says, "Under the conditions, and in view of the further fact that that was the first time I was ever a candidate for public office, I feel exceedingly grateful for this tribute of confidence on the part of my many friends."

Mr. Folsom was born in this county forty years ago. He is married and has three children of school age.

**CHURCH NOTES**

**BAPTIST CHURCH**  
 E. James Cain, Pastor.

Next Sunday morning the sermon subject will be, "The Resurrection of the Lamb." In the evening the pastor will preach on "The Eternal Christ."

The Sunday school meets at ten o'clock Sunday morning, morning service at eleven, B.Y.P.U. at six-thirty P. M. and preaching at seven-thirty. We meet again for prayer Wednesday evening at 7:30. You are invited to all services.

But, the most important part of our work is that which we want all Umatilla county to know. "We preach the whole Bible, and not a Bible full of holes."

**HERMISTON UNION CHURCH**  
 W. E. Jones, Pastor.

10:15 A. M., Communion.  
 10:25 A. M., Song service and announcements.  
 10:50 A. M., Sermon subject, "History of Adventists."  
 11:20 A. M., Teaching service.  
 6:30 P. M., Junior and Senior Christian Endeavor.  
 7:30 P. M., Church service. Sermon subject "Reasons Why the Sabbath is Not Binding on the Christians of Today."

**CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCHES**

"Unreality" was the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, October 2.

Among the citations which comprised the Lesson-Sermon was the following from the Bible: "It is high time to awake out of sleep... The night is far spent, the day is at hand; let us therefore cast off the works of darkness, and let us put on the armour of light" (Rom. 13:11, 12).

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: "We must realize the ability of mental might to offset human misconceptions and to replace them with the life which is spiritual, not material. The great spiritual fact must be brought out that man is, not shall be, perfect and immortal. We must hold forever the consciousness of existence, and sooner or later, through Christ and Christian Science, we must master sin and death. The evidence of man's immortality will become more apparent, as material beliefs are given up and the immortal facts of being are admitted" (p. 428).

**STANFIELD NEWS NOTES**

Miss Laura Wallace arrived from Parkdale where she is a member of the grade school faculty, Friday. The Parkdale schools have closed for two weeks in order that the children may help harvest apples.

F. A. Shelton is erecting a modern bungalow, 24x32, to replace the house which burned in May. Carl Mumford of Pendleton is assisting Mr. Shelton with carpenter work. Orchardists are busy harvesting winesaps. Work will be resumed at the packing plant Thursday.

Mrs. J. F. Lane, daughter Marie and Marian Sturdivant arrived Friday from Parkdale and will be here while Mr. Lane operates the drag line on the drainage ditch.

The Gospel Mission members were hosts at an all day fellowship meeting held in their church Oct. 3. Delegates from several other missions attended and assisted with the services. Visiting pastors included Rev.

**UMATILLA NEWS ITEMS**

Mrs. James Byrnes and daughter Bernice and Joanne left Monday or Walla Walla where they will spend a few days transacting business.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace E. Mahoney and daughter Patsy Ann will leave Wednesday for their home in La Grande. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Springer will motor over with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Cromar of Pendleton were week end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Brownell and son Iverson of Pasco, Wn., spent Sunday with friends and relatives.

Miss Dorothy Mittlee has returned from a three weeks stay in Iowa where she has been employed by Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Ball.

The school band under the direction of Paul Lounan is progressing rapidly. The regular members are: Ray Bray, and Bill Bousquet, cornet; Geo. Harvey and Bessie Dexter, trumpets; Mildred Conlon, clarinet; Ruth Thompson, base drum; Eddie Gray, snare drum; Robert Brownell, ass horn.

The Umatilla public school library will observe library week the second week in October. Miss Juliana Pope is in charge of the library with Lola Berry as an assistant.

The library has subscribed to the following new magazines: Weekly Review, Weekly Reader, Pathfinder, Current Events, Time, Golden Book, American Boy, Readers Digest, Scientific American National Geographic, Child Life, Hygeia, and Literary Digest.

The Boy Scouts are to present a program Tuesday, October 4, in the Umatilla auditorium. The entertainment will consist of conferring honors and badges by Wm. Hayes. Musical numbers, scout demonstration,

**FAIR WEEK**  
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Douglas of Walla Walla; Rev. Ludlow of Pasco; Rev. Carlson of La Grande and Rev. Snodderly of Heppner. The local organization served luncheon at noon and a banquet in the evening at which about 100 guests were seated at the tables.

W. P. Trumbull returned Tuesday from Lima, Or., where he has acted as relief station agent for the past two weeks.

Miss Elva Berry plans to spend the week end in La Grande as a guest at the W. B. Williams home. While there she will attend the dedication of the new airport.

**Social and Club News.**  
 Mrs. C. D. Colnar was hostess to the Pollyanna club at her home Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. W. G. Wallace, president, presided at the business meeting. The annual election of officers was held with the following declared elected:  
 Mrs. T. A. O'Grady, president; Mrs. J. M. Richards, vice president; Mrs. G. E. Greathouse, secretary-treasurer.

Club guests included Mrs. Martin Reifem and small son Tommie and Mrs. James Lane and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hood entertained at dinner Sunday evening for the pleasure of Mr. and Mrs. Loren Miller.

The Study club will meet Thursday afternoon with Mrs. W. T. Reeves as hostess at her home. The program on Oregon authors is in charge of Mrs. F. B. Stuart.

The H. E. club conducted the social hour following the Grange

meeting Monday evening. Coffee, cider, and doughnuts were served by the committee in charge.

The County Pomona Grange meeting will be held in Garman Hall Oct. 27, the fourth Thursday, with Myrick Grange acting as host.

The Stanfield Rebekahs will be guests of the Pendleton lodge Thursday evening when special floor work will be exemplified.

Cleve Cheshire, republican candidate for county judge, was an out-of-town speaker on the Grange program Monday evening.

**GAYNOR AND FARRELL AT MASSE THEATRE SUNDAY**

Janet Gaynor and Charles Farrell, most popular of all "sweetheart" teams on the screen, will be back at the Oasis theatre Sunday in their latest photoplay, "The First Year," which is reputed to be the finest they ever have produced.

Written by Frank Craven and first produced on the New York stage by John Golden, "The First Year" was one of the comedy hits during its Broadway run. Later, when played in other key cities, it proved equally popular. Now, in its screen version, it is reported to have retained all its savor, all its romance, all its laughs and charms.

To round out the show there is a very good travel revue and the regular Fox News.

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