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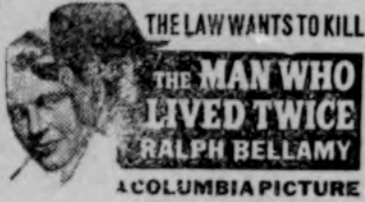
HERMISTON, OREGON

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Do your Christmas shopping at home. There are a lot of good stocks to choose from—a variety of everything. They were bought to please and fit the home trade. Selections can be made to satisfy all your friends.

We can talk a lot about why we do not have rain, or why wet and dry cycles, or government records, but what are we going to do about it! We could not even move or improve that situation, it is universal. Ten good, new cottages are needed in Hermiston. Mrs. Walker is making a fine showing. Are there others who have faith in the best town in all this region, to build themselves a comfortable home. Your own home is your home, and not like a rented place, or a house on wheels.

It seems much more difficult to build barges to carry wheat and wool and apples and other products than to build scows to move dams. Four years ago Portland stole the Umatilla dam and moved it quickly to Bonneville. Now The Dalles is laying the keels for another such movement. And, too, they know how to do it.

The Astoria fishermen do not want the three dams. Portland is not in favor of it. The new boat people slightly approved with their fingers crossed, and Lewiston, Idaho, wants Snake river dams, but can't get them until Umatilla dam is built. The back of the new \$200,000,000 program is thus broke in the middle with us sitting more pretty, and Colonel Robins silent as a sphynx.

GRAND COULEE DAM PROGRESSING

What is going on at the Grand Coulee dam is well told in an interview by the Herald from J. E. Hallyburton, who formerly spent several years in Hermiston and has been at Grand Coulee since the work was started. He went in over the trails and rough roads with the first rush which was like mashing into the Klondike in 1897. Mr. Hallyburton states that the work there is progressing steadily, and that there is no doubt among all the inhabitants of the cities round about the dam that the structure will be completed to the full height of the proposed high dam.

At this time over 5000 men are employed directly on the works. In addition are small sub-contractors, on various side jobs of over 300. The government also employs in its engineering crews 300 men. The last census of the population in all the towns near the dam was 20,000 including women and children. It is estimated that 10,000 men are employed, including the 6000 on the dam and about 4000 who conduct stores, shops and truck lines and all other business depending on the care of the regular workers. It has also been seen that five times the number is at work in manufacture of concrete, machinery and equipment of all kinds throughout the northwest, and the country at large all for the great enterprise. Train loads of materials are unloaded weekly.

The price of labor on the dam is an average of \$5 a day, or \$30 a week at 40 hours. Common labor is \$4 a day, and skilled labor more. Jobs for good workers are continuous. The local county communities are allowed a large say in who the workers are, and the government protects the workers in every way. Modern hospitals are provided and the contractors pay the state for workman's compensation as much as \$40,000 a month.

Many men living in towns at a distance of 25 miles drive to and from work each day.

The work of the low dam will be completed in 1937 and it is estimated that the high dam and the irrigation system of the Columbia Basin project will be completed and ready for settlers in eight years.

It is Mr. Hallyburton's opinion that if the Umatilla dam is built similar conditions will prevail. All the small towns will be greatly benefited and all vacant land here would be settled. The policy of the government is against speculation, but aids and permits investments and legitimate enterprises. Business men in all lines at Grand Coulee have been successful. The Umatilla dam would be only about one-third the size of the Grand Coulee low dam but the location is so favorable that large outside enterprises would be fostered and developed.

CHURCH NOTES

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCHES

"GOD the Preserver of Man" was the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, Dec. 13.

The Golden Text was: "Preserve me, O God: for in thee do I put my trust" (Ps. 16: 1).

Among the citations which comprised the Lesson-Sermon was the following from the Bible: "Thou, even thou, art Lord alone: thou hast made heaven, the heaven of heavens, with all their host, the earth, and all things that are therein, the seas, and all that is therein, and thou preservest them all" (Neh. 9: 6).

The Lesson-Sermon also included the following correlative passages from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures", by Mary Baker Eddy: "As the children of Israel were guided triumphantly through the Red Sea, the dark ebbing and flowing tides of human fear . . . so shall the spiritual idea guide all right desires in their passage from sense to Soul, from a material sense of existence to the spiritual, up to the glory prepared for them who love God" (p. 566).

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Chas. Duvall, Superintendent
11:00 A. M., Sermon.
Christian Endeavor, 7:00 P. M.
Chas. Duvall, president.
8:00 P. M., Sermon.

BAPTIST CHURCH
Sunday school at 10:00 A. M.
Classes for all ages. A welcome to all. The Ladies Aid meets on the second and fourth Wednesdays of each month.

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Miss Virginia Grice
Have you been to any of our services? If not, come down on Friday and Sunday nights at 8 o'clock and enjoy a couple of hours with us. We also invite you to Sunday school at 10 o'clock.
Come and help sing the old time songs and hear the special singing at each service.

METHODIST CHURCH
R. R. Finkbeiner, Pastor

Bible school, 10:00 A. M. Monroe Swarner, superintendent.
Worship, 11:00 A. M.
Senior and Pioneer League services, 6:30 P. M.
Evening service 7:30 P. M.
Midweek service next Thursday evening at 7:45.
Ladies Aid services every first and third Wednesday.

PILGRIM HOLINESS CHURCH
Lawson H. Flora, Pastor.
Regular Sunday services as follows:
Sunday School at 9:45 A. M.
Preaching at 11:00 A. M.
Young People's meeting, 7:00 P. M.
Evangelistic service 7:45 P. M.
Everyone is invited to attend these services.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Columbia School
Evangelist Glen C. Wade, Minister.
10:00 A. M., Bible school.
11:00 A. M., Sermon and communion.
7:30 P. M., Young people's meeting.
8:15 P. M., Evangelistic services.

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Christmas FOOD SALE

Specials for Dec. 18th, to 24th, inclusive.

PLUM PUDDING HEINZ	33c	MOIST COCONUT R & W	3 oz.	10c
MARSHMALLOW Red & White	1 lb.	FRUIT COCKTAIL R & W	2 for	29c
PUMPKIN Red & White	2 1/2's	DATES 2 lb. Cello	pkg.	19c
MINCE MEAT	2 lbs.	RIPE OLIVES B & W	2 for	31c
FLAVOR JELL	4 for	OLIVES STUFFED R & W	4 oz. jar	23c
A D MINTS Red & White		OYSTERS Blue & White	2 for	29c
KARO SYRUP	3 lbs.	CRAB MEAT Red & White	3 for	89c
MOLASSES Brer Rabbit	2 1/2's	SPICES Sage - Cinnamon - Nutmeg - Ginger	3 for	25c
RAISINS Red & White		LADY GODIVA SOAP	4 for	19c
XMAS CHOCOLATES lb. box		Xmas Wrapped GRAPEFRUIT R & W	2 for	31c
XMAS CANDIES 2 lbs.				
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Fancy Sunkist Oranges Extra Large - 2 doz.	69c	Lettuce Imperial Valley	2 heads	15c
Medium Size - 2 doz.	39c	Celery Well Bleached	Bu.	10c
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Doz.		Chocolates		Wrap	
288 size	35c	3 lb. "Package of Love"	\$1.39	HY PIANE SEND WRAPPER AND GET \$1.50 Pipe	65c
2 Doz		Many others from	25c	Free	
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Doz					
SWEET POTATOES No. 1's clean cellar stock, 6 lbs.	25c	MIXED NUTS A good, rich mixture, 2 lbs.	39c	Shefford CHEESE In Glass or Package Any Kind except Roquefort	16c
CRANBERRIES While they last - Red firm, 2 lbs.	39c	RIPE OLIVES Lindsey Brand	25c	CRACKERS Snowflake, Krispies or Superior	29c
CELERY Mammoth white stalks, each	11c	FRUIT FOR SALAD Sunset Brand	25c	2 lb carton	
Crisp Utah	13c	2 tall tins		FIG BARS Whole wheat in bulk, lb.	11c
Each		OYSTERS From Tillamook Bay, 2-5 oz. tins	25c		
FRESH DATES Bulk. Clean stock	10c	SHRIMP DRY PACK	25c	Young DRESSED DUCK Cleaned to order, lb.	18c
Pound		2-5 oz. tins			
In Cello	23c	CANDIED PEAL Fresh stock of Citron, Orange and Lemons, lb.	33c	SALAD DRESSING Tang for flavor	17c
2 lbs.				Qts. 29c Pts.	
LETTUCE Imperial Valley	8c	FRESH OYSTERS Large size,	45c	MINCE MEAT Graco Brand	25c
Iced. Lg. Heads		Quart		2 lbs.	
BOILED CIDER Full Qt. Jugs	29c	COCOA Waverley Brand	15c	TOMATO JUICE Walla Walla Brand	19c
Each		2 lb. can		3 tall cans	
JAP ORANGES Buy by the box	\$1.15	SHORTENING Pancrust, Pure	55c	PINEAPPLE Broken Slice, 2 No. 2 1/2 cans	35c
Per Box		Vegetable, 3 lb. cn.			
XMAS CANDY Straight Mix	10c	COCONUT Sweetened, Fancy	20c		
Lb.		Shredded, lb.			
Broken Taffy	10c				
Lb.					
And many others at proportionately low prices.					