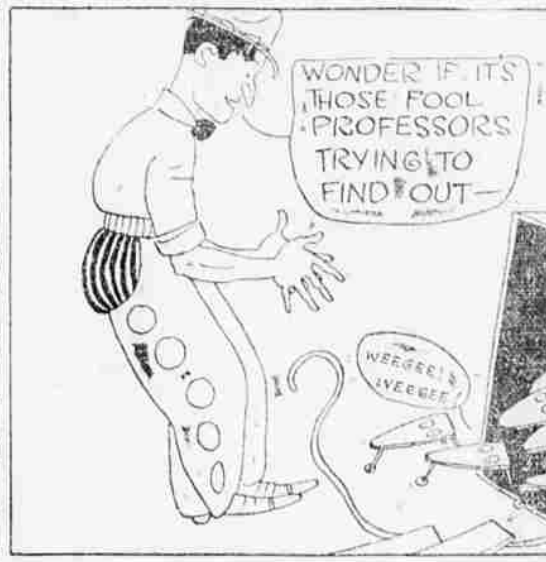
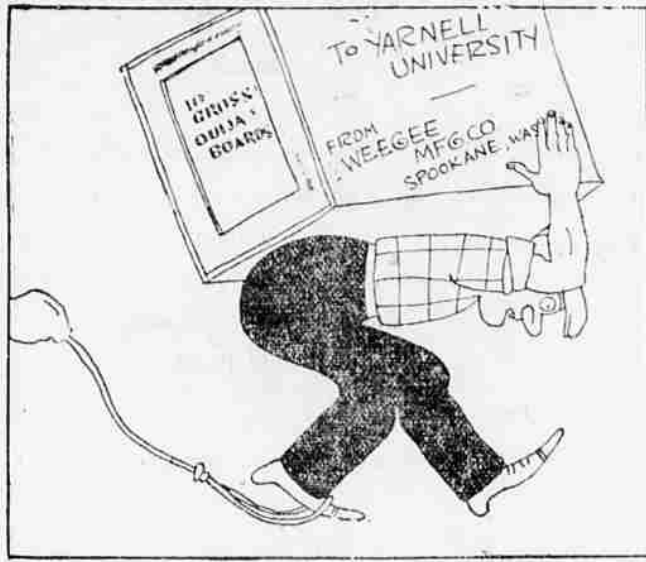


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A CHAMBER OF COMMERCE MEANS TANGIBLE RESULTS TO CITY OF MEDFORD

The Mail Tribune today presents herewith the first of a series of five special stories it will publish this week explaining the reorganization and expansion campaign of the Medford Chamber of Commerce. The first is as follows:

Among the many questions asked of the men who are promoting the expansion and reorganization campaign of the Medford Chamber of Commerce, five seem to be uppermost in the minds of the citizens. These are:

1. Why should Medford have a Chamber of Commerce?
2. What can the Medford Chamber of Commerce do?
3. Who is going to run the Medford Chamber of Commerce?
4. How will the Medford Chamber of Commerce be financed?
5. What about the permanence of the Medford Chamber of Commerce?

Members of the executive committee have prepared answers to these questions and express thanks to The Mail Tribune for its co-operation in presenting them to its readers. The first is published today; the others will follow this week.

Why should Medford have a Chamber of Commerce?

Every city needs an organization of the character of a Chamber of Commerce. Every city needs an organization which will bring the men and women together to do things that the city needs to have done.

This getting together stimulates discussion of the problems of the city; it discovers things to do that nobody had ever thought of; it puts a united force behind the individual who would like to have things done, but knows he cannot do them alone. Discussion of a city's needs leads naturally to the finding of ways and means of doing things.

This is what is meant by the creation of the spirit of enterprise in a community. A city which has once acquired this spirit will not permit it to die out.

A well-manned, well-planned Chamber of Commerce provides that city with an organization and the machinery to make use of the best thought and energy of the citizens. A disorganized factory is a menace to the industrial life of a city. It is

liability. An unorganized community is a liability to the nation.

Every man and woman has a surplus of time and strength out of which to give to his or her city. Yet it is the common experience, to be told, when asking the citizens for some service for the common good, that he is too busy with his own affairs.

The accomplishments of a well-organized Chamber of Commerce will quickly show that man that he is not too busy with his own affairs to give a little time and energy to his community. He will not be long in agreeing with the man who invented the phrase: "Enthusiasm is contagious—let's have an epidemic"—the best kind of an epidemic a city can have.

Men working together every day for a common cause learn to give.

The accomplishments of a well-organized Chamber of Commerce bring immediate and tangible results to a city and its people. The storekeeper, the mill owner, the physician, and lawyer, even the newsboy, sense the usefulness of a good Chamber of Commerce; they know it builds up the business of the city by making it a better place to do business in, and it adds to the population by making the city a better place to live in.

Unless the business and professional men of today insure the prosperity and advancement of their city a few years hence, their sons and daughters will inevitably go to those cities which offer greater advantages. A well-organized Chamber of Commerce is such assurance.

There is a very wealthy man in Des Moines who for a long time could see no need for a Chamber of Commerce. After much effort he was induced to become a member. For the past five years he has subscribed \$1000 annually to its maintenance, his reasoning being, in his own words: "I couldn't hire the people of this community to do for my private interests what the Chamber of Commerce is doing for my such sum as \$4000 a year. Yet, united in the Chamber of Commerce, they have increased the value of my property, provided me with a contented labor supply to draw upon and widened my markets by making Des Moines known as a city of enterprise and progress."

TEACHERS SUPPORT 2 MILL TAX LEVY TO AID SCHOOLS

Whereas more than one-third of all the school districts of Jackson county have made provision for but \$620 for the purpose of maintaining their schools for an entire year, and because of excessively low valuation of the property in their districts will not be able to greatly increase their special tax levies for the coming year for school purposes; and

Whereas, a two mill tax upon the taxable property of Jackson county will bring an additional \$250 or more to each district for each elementary teacher employed, which sum will enable those districts to secure teachers and to give the children in those districts an elementary education; and

Whereas, 18,279 school districts of this state and nation were on the 15th day of February, 1920 closed because of insufficient funds to pay teachers even a living wage, and thus teachers who have made preparation for the work are being forced into other occupations for which they have not made preparation; and

Whereas, our entire educational system has reached a most critical condition and immediate financial aid must be secured in order to maintain those ideals so essential to the preservation of our union.

Therefore be it resolved, that this body go on record as favoring the passage of the proposed two mill tax measure for common school purposes, and that we do pledge ourselves to support the same and to induce others to support the same by voting 3/4 yes for the measure on election day, May 21, 1920.

Adopted by Jackson County High School Teachers and Principles club assembled at Jacksonville, Oregon, this 13th day of March, 1920.

S. DAKOTA TOWNS SHOW GOOD GAIN

WASHINGTON, Mar. 16.—Population statistics for 1920 announced today included:

Mitchell, S. D., 8478, increase 1920 or 30.1 per cent.

Madison, S. D., 4144, increase 1907 or 32.1 per cent.

3 DAYS OF DRESS FORM WORK AT SPARTA BUILDING

Three days of dress form work for Medford, beginning Monday, March 22, and ending March 24. These meetings will be held in the Red Cross rooms in the Gates building and will begin at 9:30 each morning.

There has been many requests for this work in Medford and as the Home Demonstration Agent has not had the time to meet with small groups for the purpose of helping the women get these forms. It was planned with a group of women representing the various churches in town to set aside a few days for this work. Consequently Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of March 22, 23, and 24, was reserved for this work. The ladies who will have charge of the work these three days will be:

Mrs. Melhine Herbert of the Catholic church; phone 220-R; Monday, 22.

Mrs. D. W. Lake of the Presbyterian church; phone 539-J-1; Tuesday, 23.

Mrs. B. F. Neff of the Baptist church; phone 716-H; Wednesday, 24.

Anyone wishing to make a dress form any of these days must get in touch with one of the above women. They must also have their lining cut out and fitted before the day on which the form is to be made. Each of the above women have the pattern or a pattern may be procured from the Home Demonstration Agent's office at room 419 or 401 of the Lohery building. These linings must be fitted snugly over the model so that the true shape may be obtained. If those wishing to make the dress forms Wednesday will phone and make arrangements with Mrs. Neff before hand she will help these women fit their linings.

If you want a dress form, don't neglect to phone one of the following women right away:

Mrs. Melhine Herbert, Phone 220-R. In charge Monday, March 22, 1920.

Mrs. D. W. Lake, Phone 539-J-1. In charge Tuesday, March 23, 1920.

Mrs. B. F. Neff, Phone 716-H. In charge Wednesday, March 24, 1920.

This work is a phase of the home demonstration work and is absolutely free to every woman in Jackson county. These dress forms will merely cost the women their time and work and the price of the materials used in making. Each woman who makes a form will need lining material, flour sack or an equal grade of unbleached muslin is best, about 4 1/2 yards Dental plaster of Paris, and enough excelsior to pack the form solidly.

The Home Demonstration Agent will not be in her office the rest of the week, but Miss Furry will answer the phone and give information necessary regarding this work if there are any who would like to know more about it, phone 106 or 920 or call at office rooms 419 Garnett-Covey building.

DIVIDED ALLEGIANCE. REV. SASNETT'S THEME

The evangelistic campaign at the First Methodist church is attracting wide interest. Rev. Sasnett's subject

last night was "Divided Christians." He said one reason why the church does not exercise a greater influence is because there are so many Christians whose allegiance is divided. He made a plea for whole-hearted loyalty to Christ and the church.

Agnes Nelson Sharvied's messages in song are proving a most attractive feature of these services. She will sing "How Can I Look on Calvary's Cross" by Benke, at the service tonight.



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No. 3—35c (3) Wheat Cakes Country Sausage Stripped Bacon or Ham Coffee	No. 7—35c Coffee
No. 4—35c Fried Mush with Bacon Coffee	No. 8—35c Plain Omelette Wheat Cakes Coffee Buckwheat Cakes

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BLIZZARD INTERFERES WITH N. D. PRIMARY

BISMARCK, N. D., Mar. 16.—With a heavy snow storm raging over North Dakota indications this morning pointed to a tight vote in this state's presidential preference primary, being held today.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Mar. 16.—The northwest today was in the grip of one of the worst blizzards of the winter. In Minnesota, North and South Dakota and western Canada heavy winds were piling up drifts of snow and seriously interfering with both rail and wire communication. In some sections it was reported that mile after mile of telephone and telegraph poles had blown down.

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