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HOME SPIRIT

ACCOMPLISHMENT of any purpose must always be preceded by a beginning. If Klamath Falls is going to become a home city it must have the conveniences and improvements that other cities have, and organized effort must be made to get them.

Water, street and sewer improvements are of course brought about by procedure of the municipality through its duly authorized representatives. Municipal improvements are essential here as in every other progressive community, but it is not of them that we are now thinking, nor of the service of public utilities.

It is the improvement that may be accomplished by the collective action of citizens in the way of providing parks, playgrounds, removing rubbish, eradicating eyesores, beautifying lawns and giving attention to other details, on which perhaps the municipality may lend aid, but which chiefly are accomplished by our own efforts.

The approach of spring makes this a timely topic for consideration. Soon the snow blanket will disappear, bringing to light a number of spots that are not an aesthetic credit to the community. Frost will fade from the ground, clearing the way for planting.

When we say that a beginning should be made, we do not overlook the fact that groundwork has been laid for parks and playgrounds and other development of this general idea and that the chamber of commerce, women's auxiliary, library club and other organizations and individuals have studied the situation and advanced definite plans.

But "now is the accepted time." The time to get down to actual digging, with the united effort of the community, financially and physically, behind the program.

The Herald applauds the progress that has been made by those who are farsighted enough to realize that the cultivation of a home atmosphere creates an ever-deepening loyalty to the home community. The Herald's policy is one of constructiveness and harmonious effort to speed community progress. The men and women who are endeavoring to make this community one that every citizen will be proud to call home, have our earnest wishes for success.

Every right principled man or woman will defend to the utmost the sacredness of the individual home.

As we see it, the improvement of a city, by physical beautification cannot help but raise its moral tone. It creates a community home spirit that causes the individual to defend collectively his home town, and strive for its betterment in harmonious unison with all others of the same way of thinking with the same sacred purpose and the same degree of earnest effort that he would use in the advancement and defense of the bit of property that is claimed in fee simple.

We trust that there will be no lack of funds or of united endeavor this year to deter the promoters of such a worthy enterprise from making great advancement in the program they have planned.

STANDING ROOM ONLY

AT STRAND THEATRE

The standing room only sign was hung out last night at the Strand theatre where two performances were given last night for the benefit of the Timber Workers' union.

By special request, Ted White, manager of the theatre, tonight will stage his famous blackface act. Several local acts are scheduled as well as an excellent feature picture and comedies. Two shows will be given tonight.

If you wish to learn saxophone or piano see Mr. V. E. Farquhar, 441 N. Ninth St. 4-10*

Outbursts of Everett True By Condo



Letters from the People

URGES HOT SPRINGS SITE

To the Editor:
I desire to call attention to the erroneous representation of a petition now in circulation, soliciting signatures asking county officers to move into and accept the Main street court house and stating that the building is now completed.

The building is not finished, therefore the petition is misleading.

A competent architect estimated \$30,000 would be required and the county clerk, who would evidently mortgage his soul for the privilege of occupying the structure, placed an item of \$10,000 for that purpose in his tentative budget to the county court, thereby admitting that it was not completed. The petition further suggests that the Hot Springs building be sold for a school or other purpose, which is again distorting the facts.

In its present condition it is not a negotiable commodity.

The county has no title—nor can it procure one without finishing and moving into it. To move elsewhere would signify abandonment and the property would necessarily revert to the original owner, the Hot Springs company. In that event the county's \$145,000 already paid would go where the "woodbine twineth" and thereafter and forever be obscured from our optical vision. The petition asks for neutral signers only, while several of the present signers are strong radicals for the Main street site, which strongly bears the earmarks of the same old "push" and simply a trap for the uninformed. The reading is smooth and oily but between the lines is a plain photograph of a wolf in sheep's clothing. Just why these loud mouthed ad-

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stituted authorities (the county court) could legally select a court-house site. Then how can the supreme court render a decision favoring the Main street site without squarely and flatly reversing itself. There is an open distrust as a whole throughout the nation against the judicial department and no one can even suggest what will happen. However, there is but one solution of this whole court house matter, to my mind, and that is, it has been a gross fraud from its inception to the present because it has been fraudulently by a willful minority in an effort to defeat the majority.

R. A. EMMITT.

Editor, Evening Herald:

Having noticed letters from the people in your paper, I take this opportunity to put a few facts before the residents of my own community (Laurel, Oregon) and others interested in the coming election March 22, in the irrigation district in the matter of entering into a contract with the government for water. As advertised in the local paper your choice is given of voting "yes" or "no" on the contract which calls for about \$49.00 per acre for construction, and \$12.50 per acre for water plus drainage and maintenance, conservative estimate \$15.00 per acre.

This brings the total cost per acre to \$76.50. This is found by dividing the total amount in dollars by number of acres in district, about 6250 acres. To fair minded people this is an exorbitant price, especially when financial conditions are as they are and will be for the next ten years. In place of inducing settlers it tends to scare them away, for invariably the first question they ask, after informing them you are under an irrigation system is "What do you pay for water?"

At this price, it will take three generations before the water yoke is lifted from the neck. Besides, what has been done in the three years we

have been under this district? Visual proof, I ask.

A rumor has also been circulated that unless this contract is carried, the government will take the water from Clear Lake (from which lake, western Langel Valley is to be irrigated) into California. But one trip around Clear Lake would denote the absolute impossibility of this, because of the contour of the country, and lack of land to be irrigated.

Another point, water used in Langel Valley is run in a ditch to Bonanza, where users under the lower project of this system can secure it at the low cost of \$40.00 per acre, while this same land is now only paying about \$16.50 per acre. Where is the man who will indulge in a business deal like this? If, as stated, 40 percent of the taxes in this county were delinquent last year, where is the citizen that wishes to reburden himself again? Kindly look how many were delinquent, yet on irrigated places.

I am in favor of water, want irrigation (not at this price, though) and am for the upbuilding of my country, soldiers bonus etc., yet I want fair play and economy in all things.

JOHN ALLEN

FARM POINTERS

Poison the Field Mice

Many berry growers are reporting trouble with mice that follow mole holes to the base of plants, or even make tunnels of their own. Both the moles and mice can be discouraged by any system of cultivation that will tear out the ridge in the rows between plants. With black raspberries check cultivating will do this, but with trifoliated plants a grape hoe is best. Mice can be poisoned easily by mixing one ounce of strychnine talkhoid, one-eighth ounce saccharine and twelve quarts oatmeal. Scatter it in holes or runways.

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At last I have opened my studio and am ready to receive pupils on saxophone and piano. Studio 441 N. Ninth St. V. E. Farquhar. 4-9*

FOR RENT—2 room apt., everything furnished, \$20. Turner Apts. 812 Oak St. 4-10

WANTED—To buy ten good grade sows, or pigs, bred to farrow this spring. A. M. Thomas, Malin, Oregon. 4-9*

If you want to sell it, buy it, trade it, or find it, try a Herald classified ad.

FOR RENT—Three room house, close in, part furnished. Inquire 1142 Pine. Phone 548R. 6-8*

FOR RENT—Our Taxi service at United Cigar store. Phone 185. 2-8

Swedish select certified seed oats, ten lots 2 1/2 cts; less quantity 3 cts. J. A. Bushong, Klamath Falls, Oregon. M-3-Apr. 1*

ROOM FOR RENT—Furnished room in a private family with use of telephone and bath. Phone 145L. 3-9*

FOR RENT—3 room furnished apt. Phone 273J. 4-7

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