

**Hospital Result  
5 Years Of Effort**

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Annie Stradley was president of the Arcadia Sunshine club.  
By the end of February, \$13,000 had been raised, according to Olean Wells, treasurer of the drive. To assist in the fund raising, the chamber of commerce announced that it had purchased a \$1200 Willys

civilian jeep to be given away in May. A month later, Dr. J. R. Cundall announced that he would contribute a Zimmer outboard boat to be given at the May entertainment. At that time, the hospital committee learned that \$25,000 was being given to counties for war memorials. A committee was sent to the county court requesting that such a sum be given for the local memorial hospital.  
By the middle of March, \$14,000

had been raised, with contributions of \$106 from the Oregon Trail Home Economics club and \$218.83 from the Owyhee Worthwhile club auction sale. The Oregon Trail grange had a "silver march" at meetings which brought in an additional \$50.  
Plans were made by the Lions club with the chamber of commerce for a carnival and dance to swell the funds that had grown to \$17,000 in



The Malheur Memorial Hospital auxiliary has been active for many months in preparing for the opening of the hospital. The officers appearing here are (left to right) Mrs. Dennis Patch, treasurer; Mrs. Wesley Browne, president, and Mrs. Carlos Buchner, vice president. The secretary, Mrs. Grant Rinehart was not present when Tom Evans took the picture.

After studying various plans to complete the necessary funds for the building of the hospital, the group secured the services of Louis D. Barr, financial adviser. Through two succeeding financial drives, sufficient funds were secured to complete and began operation of the hospital.

**Congratulations To Our Community  
On The Completion Of  
Malheur Memorial Hospital**

We are proud to live in a community in which the co-operation of its people can result in such a fine hospital as we now have. This is your hospital, built for you, with funds donated by you. Everyone should feel proud of this fine addition to the Nyssa area. Be sure to attend the opening.

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**WE TAKE OFF OUR HATS**

to the

**FOUNDERS SERVICE ORGANIZATION**

and the

**WOMEN'S AUXILIARY**

for the splendid work they have done in helping to prepare the hospital for the

**GRAND OPENING**

Much time-consuming work has been done by the two organizations following the successful conclusion of the financial campaign.

The community will continue to look to these two organizations for help in maintaining the hospital.

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April. It was also in April, 1946, that Portland architects arrived in Nyssa to look over a proposed site for the hospital.

Early in May the Nyssa Boat club held a water carnival which netted \$400 for the hospital fund. The May fund raising event brought in \$5000. It was attended by 660 people who had purchased tickets at \$1 each.

In August, 1946, articles of incorporation were filed with the state corporation commissioner by the Malheur Memorial Hospital association. The incorporators named were Frank Morgan, Robert McCurdy and Orin Sumner.

The association was to issue memberships rather than stock, and was authorized to transact any business in connection with the operation of the hospital.

The association, which up to this time had been under the direction of the Lion's club, now completed the purchase of a site of land south-

west of Nyssa from H. R. Sherwood. Later in August, all contributors to the hospital fund were notified that a meeting would be held on September 6. At this meeting, the association was completed and on September 12 a committee of 10 was appointed to name a board of directors. The directors named were Frank Morgan, Glea Billings, Mrs. Ed Frost, Mrs. Maurice Judd, Richard Maw, Bert Lienkaemper and Jacob Fischer. Frank Morgan was elected president, Glea Billings, secretary and Olean Wells, treasurer.

Twenty-five thousand dollars had been raised by October and the architects, Roald, Schmeer and Herington of Portland were asked to draw up plans. Again the campaign for funds was renewed over this entire territory. The association began soliciting again in November and hoped that enough funds would be secured so that federal aid might be secured. Tentative plans for a 32-room hospital had been received from the architects.

By January, 1947 eight individuals and firms had contributed \$1000 each, bringing the total to \$33,000. The following month, George Scheimer and Carl Hill collected \$884 in the Adrian community. The total had grown to \$35,000 by May and the drawing of the hospital was put on display where for the first time the public could view the proposed plan.

The following fall, the hospital association felt that the people of this area were definitely united in backing the hospital movement.

The Nyssa Community can be justly proud of the isolation ward that has been established in the Malheur Memorial Hospital. We know its use will be highly beneficial. The Nyssa Pharmacy "Your Corner Rexall Drug Store"

**CONGRATULATIONS**

To the residents of Nyssa and surrounding areas on the completion of such a modern hospital

It is a monument to this community that will serve well, for a long time to come

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**Opening of the  
MALHEUR MEMORIAL  
HOSPITAL**

marks the culmination of years of effort on the part of residents of Nyssa and community. Such worthwhile projects have a tendency to knit the groups and individuals closer together

**TAYLOR'S  
FOOD MARKET**

**Let's Shake Hands With Ourselves  
For A Job Well Done**

A memorial such as this will long speak of the thoughtfulness of our people and the progressive spirit of this community. Our money and efforts have not been in vain.

It is with genuine rejoicing that we join in the opening of this fine building, as we know the value it has added to our city.

**Bob Thompson**

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