

\$50,000 Given For Hospital By 1947

The second chapter in the financial story of the hospital began in the fall of 1947. By October of that year, \$50,000 had been raised for a new hospital. In the raising of this money it was evident that the people of the area had become united and were willing to back the hospital movement.

for community projects. Frank T. Morgan, president of the board of directors, and one of the original promoters of the hospital, was elected general chairman of the hospital money-raising campaign. Mr. Morgan then issued a call for volunteer workers for the campaign, stating that "All those who work and subscribe will be known as the founders of the Malheur Memorial hospital". Headquarters for the campaign were established in the council room of the city hall.

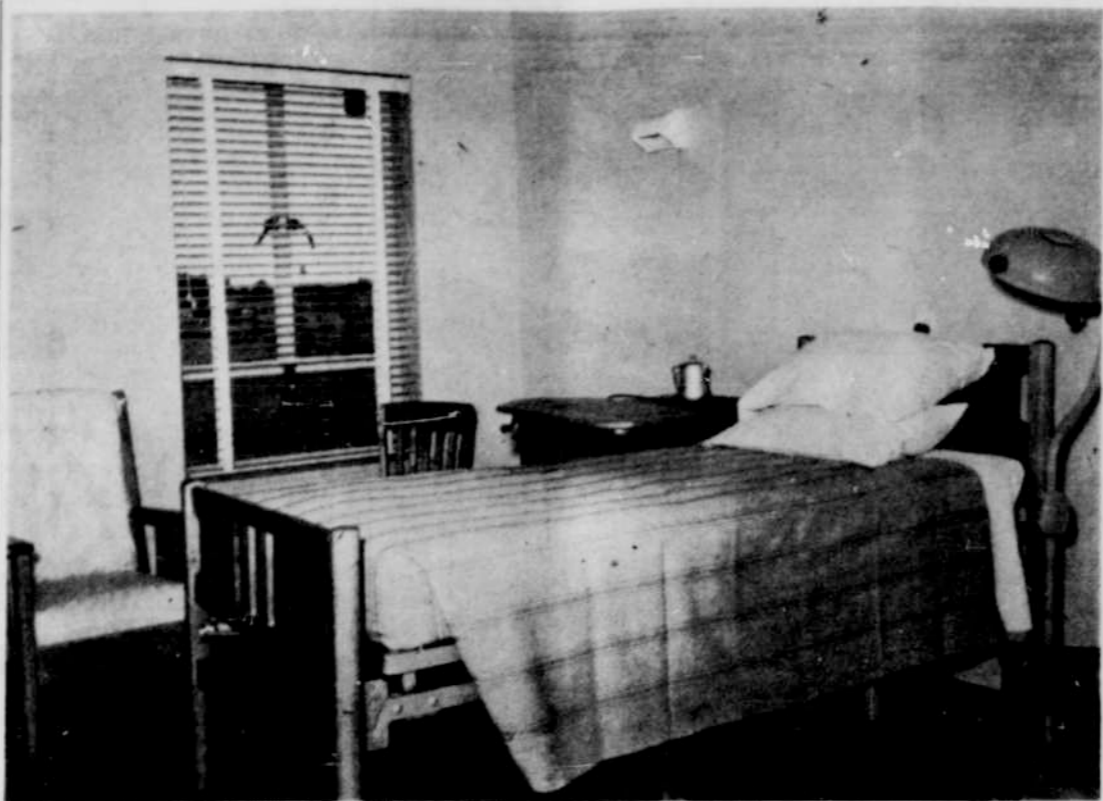
The board of directors studied the various proposed methods of planning and financing hospitals and finally decided to secure the services of Louis D. Barr of Oakland, California. Mr. Barr had had 25 years of experience in raising money

any enterprise that will be so worth-

The Malheur Memorial Hospital

will be a storehouse of health for the residents of this community. We are all grateful for the opportunity afforded this area for good hospitalization.

PAULUS JEWELRY STORE



A typical room arrangement in the hospital is shown in the picture taken by Tom Evans. The furniture includes maple bed, bed cabinet, bed tray, two straight chairs, lamp and arm chair.

while, or that will give so much personal satisfaction."

Early in November, Bernard Frost was named chairman of the financial drive, and Frank Morgan was named by the hospital advisory board, as chairman of the advanced gifts committee. This committee was composed of about 25 members who were to solicit prospects for memorials prior to the general solicitation. More names were being added to the Founders' organization

as men offered their services and time to work in the campaign.

Throughout the area and published in the local newspaper, were proposed plans for donations for memorial plaques, with the suggestion that the name of any person or family might be commemorated by donating a unit that could range from \$500 to \$5000. The following words were printed in one of the several ads to show the work of the advanced gift campaign. "Your hospital a Living Memorial". In honor and appreciation for those who served and those who sacrificed in world war II. Preserving life and health should be the first concern of a Christian community". Thus the thought of a hospital as a living memorial was promoted through the work of the advanced gift workers.

Hospital Sunday was observed on November 23, prior to the opening of the campaign for advanced gifts. The actual campaign began with a dinner served at The Doll House November 21, with Arvil Child and Frank Morgan as group leaders. The work of these two groups continued from November 21 until the last of December, meeting each noon for luncheons.

While the advanced gifts drive was underway, Bernard Frost, chairman for the general drive, was making organization plans.

On Friday night, December 26, 125 members of the hospital district met at the Masonic hall for the din-

ner that was to launch the general drive for funds. Division managers were Dr. J. R. Cundall, Glea Billings and Bernard Eastman. The purpose of this drive was to add to the list of 110 memberships, and associate members were to be obtained. At the beginning of the campaign, Frank Morgan announced that the advanced gifts committee had raised \$138,200 and the total now was \$165,335. Morgan praised the enthusiasm of the general campaign workers, and the members of the advanced group for their work of the past 30 days. Arvil Child, co-chairman, stated "I have never worked in any campaign where religious, political, occupation, state and city boundaries had meant less than in this campaign."

As the general campaign progressed, it became evident that it was possible to raise additional funds for a polio ward. Local doctors and those from neighboring towns, individuals and organizations added pressure to the campaign for a polio ward.

The loyalty and enthusiasm of the solicitors were evidenced as the workers called on friends and neighbors for contributions, and attended the noon luncheons. The attendance during the first eight days of the campaign was 91%. The oldest campaign worker was C. M. Beaumont of Kingman Colony, with C. A. Marshall as runner-up. Both men won honors in the amount of money raised each day. Charles Landreth and Everett Heldt were the youngest workers on the group.

The campaign closed with a victory dinner Friday, January 16, at the Masonic hall with 90 campaign workers present. Bernard Frost announced that \$260,649 had taken them "over the top". This amount was contributed by the 1634 residents of the hospital district and assured the starting of a 42-bed hospital with a polio ward.

The dinners served each day were carried on under the direction of Mrs. Bernard Eastman and Mrs. Ed Frost. The women, who had served the dinner were both honored, and entertained at a luncheon that was served by a group of "glamor girls" recruited from the men, who had working during the campaign. It was at this meeting that the nucleus of a hospital auxiliary was formed. All the women who had served during the luncheons were given the (Continued on Page Seven)

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INSURANCE AGENCY

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to this community and the board of directors upon the completion of such a fine institution as the

MALHEUR MEMORIAL HOSPITAL

I am happy to have been called upon to do the plastering in the hospital

LaMont Fife

Nyssa, Oregon

PUBLIC DAIRY SALE

Monday, September 25
SALE STARTS 1 O'CLOCK

2 1/4 miles west on Columbia Ave. 4 miles northwest Nyssa, Oregon. Having sold my farm am selling the following described milk cows.

CATTLE

- Lilly, Guernsey, 5 yrs. old.
- Crump, Guernsey, 5 yrs. old.
- Sugar, Guernsey & Jersey, 5 yrs. old.
- Bobby, Guernsey, 5 yrs. old.
- Susan, Guernsey, 5 yrs. old.
- Pitchfork, Guernsey, 6 yrs. old
- Gretchen, Guernsey, 5 yrs. old.
- Spot, Holstein, 5 yrs. old.
- Big, Holstein, 5 yrs. old.
- Lady, Holstein, 5 yrs. old.
- Whitie, Holstein, 5 yrs. old.
- Blackie, Holstein, 5 yrs. old.
- Jessie, Holstein, 5 yrs. old.
- Whiteface, Holstein-Jersey-Hereford 7 yrs. old.

- Babe, Jersey, 5 yrs. old.
- Beauty, Jersey, 8 yrs. old.
- Bess, Jersey, 5 yrs. old.
- Roan, Roan-Durham, 5 yrs. old.
- Red, Milking Shorthorn, 5 yrs. old.
- 3 Veal calves.

Fifteen of the above cows now milking and averaging three gallons each and 4.3 per cent butterfat.

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Freshening dates given at sale.
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- Good type A hay derrick.
- Universal milker, good milk cooler, 18 10-gallon milk cans, etc.
- Two-wheel stock trailer with double stanchions, stock tank.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS

- Cold Spot 8 cubic foot electric refrigerator, dinette set with 4 chairs and numerous household goods.
- Canned fruit.

TERMS CASH

Lunch Served On The Grounds
I. B. ALLEN, Owner
Cols. Bert Anderson and Joe Church, Auctioneers
L. H. Fritts, Clerk