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Health Leadership Needed

A cloak of mystery still surrounds the proposal for a full-time health department in Malheur county. First of all, only a handful of people have taken the trouble to interest themselves in health problems in spite of widespread publicity of all types either closely or remotely connected with public health.

Just what makes up a full-time health unit? Representatives of the Oregon Health department last November told the county court what an "ideal" unit should be, then acknowledged that this county would not necessarily have to consider the ideal situation which few if any other counties in the state maintain.

It is understood that a full-time health unit for this county—the ideal unit, that is—includes a full-time doctor. Here the question arises as to whether or not the county needs, should have and can afford such a service. If it is determined that a full-time doctor should be hired, what would be his annual salary?

The county court has proposed a ballot issue asking the people to approve a 1-mill tax for a health unit. This would raise in the neighborhood of \$27,000. Is that enough? Is it too much? How will the money be used? Can some \$18,000 now being budgeted from the general fund be added to the special fund?

In December the Malheur County Medical Society passed a resolution which in part stated, "... we are firmly convinced of both the economic and humanitarian desirability of maintaining adequate public health services ... and nothing less than a full-time ... unit can secure ... full participation in the programs of the Oregon State Board of Health ... The medical society went on to disapprove of the proposal to place the issue on the ballot.

The medical society would be an excellent medium through which information could be disseminated with a full explanation of what constitutes a full-time health unit for this county. This group should, better than any individual or other group, have a good understanding of the needs as well as overall costs including salaries and other expenses.

We must disagree with the Medical Society's disagreement with the proposal to place the issue on the ballot. ... the county court should find it unnecessary to expose this program to the hazards always incidental to asking ballot endorsement of additional public funds for any specific purpose ... the resolution read.

Hazards would be minimized if those who say they want a complete health unit will formulate plans and help take the message to the people. We give voters of Malheur county credit for progressiveness far beyond the average and thriftiness to the extent of a desire to make good investments.

The above statement is based on experiences here in the Nyssa area where voters have approved high road taxes by majorities of 8 to 1; where citizens voted more than 60 to 1 for a good water system and where school additions and increased expenses are endorsed by vast

CHURCH NOTES

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST
Rev. Earl Hastings
Bible school—10 a. m.
Worship and Communion—11 a. m.
C. Y. F., Sunday evening—7 o'clock.
Evening services, Sunday—8 p. m.

MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH
M. J. Duncan, Pastor
10 a. m.—Sunday school.
11 a. m.—Morning worship.
8 p. m.—Evening worship.
Wednesday, 8 p. m.—Prayer service.

ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL
Rev. Herbert Grosdidier
SUNDAY:
10 a. m., Sunday school.
11 a. m., church.
WEDNESDAY:
9-11 a. m., Kindergarten.
7:30, YPF, second and fourth Wednesdays of each month.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Parma, Idaho—McConnel Ave.
Rev. Hale Miller, Minister
10 a. m.—Bible study.
11 a. m.—Morning worship.
8 p. m.—Sunday evening service.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
Robert Jackson, Pastor
10 a. m.—Sunday school.
11 p. m.—Morning worship.
7 p. m.—N.Y.P.S. and Junior meetings.
7:45 p. m.—Evangelistic service.

ADRIAN COMMUNITY CHURCH
(United Presbyterian)
Henry E. Moore, Pastor
10 a. m.—Bible school.
11 a. m.—Morning worship.
11 a. m.—Junior church.

FAITH LUTHERAN CHURCH
John L. Briehl, Pastor
SUNDAY:
10 a. m.—Sunday school.
11 a. m.—Divine worship.

COMMUNITY METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Paul Ludlow, Pastor.
Corner N. 3rd & Emison Ave.
9:45 a. m., Sunday school for all ages.
11:00 a. m., Morning worship.
7:00 p. m., Methodist youth fellowship.

FULL GOSPEL CHURCH
Rev. Lloyd N. Pounds.
Sunday, 10 a. m.
Sunday, 8 p. m.
Wednesday, 8 p. m.

CATHOLIC CHURCH
Rember Ahles, O.F.M.
Mass—Sunday at 8 and 10 a. m. and daily at 8 a. m.
Saturday, 10 a. m. — Catechism classes.

BRETHREN CHRISTIAN CENTER MISSION
East 2nd and Ehrgood
10 a. m.—Sunday school.
11 a. m.—Morning worship.
7:30 p. m.—Evangelistic service.

Meth. Women Hold Meet at Parsonage

W.S.C.S. of the Methodist church met Thursday afternoon at the parsonage for a general meeting with the theme being "Christian Missions in a Revolutionary World." Mrs. Grover Lytle was in charge of the program and a film entitled, "Christian Roots in Southeast Asia" was shown to the group.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Stockholm and Beverly of Cascade were visitors in Nyssa Saturday afternoon week.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD
Rev. A. F. Stubblefield, Pastor
SUNDAY—
9:45 a. m. — Sunday school.
11:00 a. m. — Morning worship.
7:00 p. m. — Young People's service.
8:00 p. m. — Evangelistic service.

L.D.S. OWYHEE WARD
James A. Peterson, Bishop
Tel. 2592 Rt. 1, Nyssa
1st Sunday each month, observe fast day
8:45 a. m. Ward teachers' report meeting
9:40 a. m. Priesthood meeting.
12:00 Fast meeting.

Remaining Sundays
9:15 a. m. Priesthood meeting.
10:30 a. m. Sunday school.
7:30 p. m. Sacrament meeting.
Tuesday
2 p. m. Relief society.
(2nd Tuesday each month, work meeting 10 a. m.)
Wednesday
4:30 p. m. Primary.
8 p. m. M.I.A.

L. D. S. FIRST WARD
Charles Mann, Bishop
9:15 a. m.—Priesthood meeting.
10:30 a. m.—Sunday school.
8:00 p. m.—Sacrament meeting.
Tuesday, 2 p. m.—Relief society.
Wednesday, 4 p. m.—Primary; 7:30 p. m.—M. I. A.

L. D. S. SECOND WARD
Lloyd Lewis, Bishop
Sunday
Priesthood meeting, 9:15 a. m.
Sunday school, 10:30 a. m.
Sacrament meeting 7:30 p. m.
Tuesday
Relief society (sewing day, 2nd Tues., 10:30 a. m.) 1:30 p. m.
Wednesday
Primary, 4 p. m.
M.I.A., 8 p. m.

OWYHEE COMMUNITY CHURCH
Rev. Kenneth Himple, Pastor
10 a. m.—Sunday school.
11 a. m.—Morning worship service.
7 p. m.—Young people's meeting.
8 p. m.—Evening worship.

majorities. Of course, these proposals passed only because advance plans were made and the people were informed of all details good and bad.

Residents of the county as a whole turned down a county-wide road tax and a new court house, to name the most recent ballot casualties, for no other reason than that pre-voting plans were incomplete and the proposals were shoved in front of the voters with little or no explanations.

The hazards were in the method of presentation, which we hope to help avert if the county is going to have a satisfactory health unit.

Tell the people all the details of any proposal, and if it's logical, they usually approve.

Rev. Ludlow Guest Of Honor
Members of the Methodist church honored Rev. Paul Ludlow on his birthday Sunday evening with refreshments in the social hall of the church.
Dinner Guests
Sunday dinner guests at the Fred Eldridge home were Mr. and Mrs. Glen Eldridge of Fruitland
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Episcopal Church News

"Almighty God, who hast poured upon us the new light of thine incarnate Word; Grant that the same light enkindled in our hearts may shine forth in our lives through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen."

Sunday—Jan. 15, 1956, the second Sunday after Epiphany.

Holy Communion at 11:00 a. m. The Rev. Wayne Metz, rector of St. Matthew's Episcopal Church, Ontario, will be the consecrator. Mr. Grosdidier will conduct the morning prayer service in Ontario.

Each family on our mailing list will receive a letter this week from the minister setting forth announcements of some important coming events. If you do not receive a letter and would like to be placed on our mailing list, you may call the minister in his study any morning; Tel. 2207.

Jack Church and Grant Rinehart were in charge of morning prayer this past Sunday.

Couples' Club will meet next Wednesday evening at 7:00 at the church—a pot-luck supper. Bishop's committee—special meeting Saturday evening at 7:30. Regular meeting Wednesday 6:15.

"I beseech you therefore, brethren, by the mercies of God, to present your bodies as a living sacrifice, holy and acceptable to God, which is your spiritual worship. Do not be conformed to this world but be transformed by the renewal of your mind, that you may prove what is the will of God, what is good and acceptable and perfect. For by the grace given to me I bid every one among you not to think of himself more highly than he ought to think, but to think with sober judgment, each according to the measure of faith which God has assigned him." (Romans 12:1-3)

Methodist Church News

"God that made the world and all things therein, seeing that he is Lord of heaven and earth, dwelleth not in temples made with hands; neither is he worshipped with men's hands, as though he needed anything, seeing that he giveth to all life and breath, and all things; and hath made of one blood all nations of men for to dwell on the face of the earth ... Acts 17: 24-26.

Wed. Jan. 11, 4-5 p. m., church school for all primary and junior children.

Sun., Jan. 15, 9:45 Sunday school for all ages; 11:00 worship service, Mr. Ludlow's topic will be "Christianity and the Religions of India"; 7:00 p. m. the Sr. and Jr. Hi MYF groups meet at the church; 8:00 p. m. mission study class, "South of the Himalayas" will be in charge of Mrs. W. W. Foster.

Wed., Jan. 18, church school workers' conference at the church.

Thurs., Jan. 19, 2:00 p. m., the W.S.C.S. circles meets as follows: Circle 1 at the home of Mrs. Russell Gressley; Circle 2 with Mrs. Raymond Sager and Circle 3 with Mrs. Ava Broughton.

Sun., Jan. 22, Rev. Cecil Hannan, district superintendent, will preach at the 11:00 a. m. service. Following the services everyone is invited to a covered dish dinner in the basement, followed by a congregational meeting and a quarterly conference.

Wed., Jan. 25, 8:00 p. m. Wesleyan service guild will hold its meeting in the church basement Mrs. Pearl Emmel of Nampa will tell of her visits to our mission projects. All women of the church are invited. We also cordially invite all gainfully employed Nyssa women to join us.

Adrian Presbyterian Church Notes

Childrens church clubs and societies meet each Monday after school at the church.

The Mary and Martha Missionary Society will meet Thursday afternoon, Jan. 12 with Mrs. Carl Hill, Mrs. M. L. Kurtz, assistant hostess.

The church board officials will meet Thursday night, Jan. 12 at the Harvey Bennett home.

All men who have any spare time to work on the new Sunday school rooms will be welcome any work day in the week. It is hoped the rooms will be finished as soon as possible as the space is needed very badly for the growing classes.

There will be a meeting of all Columbia Synod ministers in the Idaho Presbyterian the last week in January. There are to be eight of the delegates entertained in Adrian homes and about 40 delegates will be entertained at a dinner Wednesday, Jan. 25. The meetings will be held in the various Idaho Presbyterian churches Jan. 23-26.

The annual Congregational meeting will be held Sunday night, Jan. 15 at the church at which time church officials for the coming year will be elected and other business conducted. Light refreshments will be served after the meeting.

Golden Hour Mission Chapter Holds Meet

The Golden Hour Missionary Chapter of the Nazarene church met at the parsonage Thursday evening for their regular meeting with Mrs. Robert Jackson and Mrs. James Langley acting as hostesses to 34 members.

Mrs. Don Wilson was in charge of the business meeting and devotions were led by Miss Gertrude Allmon. Mrs. Jackson gave an interesting study on New Guinea.

The rest of the evening was spent making bandages for missionary work in Africa.

S. S. Program Revised For Episcopal Church

Sunday school teachers of the Episcopal church met Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Lloyd Wilson.

The afternoon was spent revising the classes for the new year.

Christian Church Notes

Jan. 10—Preachers Parliament will be held in Eugene and will continue through Jan. 12.

Jan. 12—Christian Womens Fellowship at the church at 2:00.

Jan. 13—Come Double class will meet at the R. L. Sherbert home at 8 p. m.

Jan. 15—Morning sermon: "Your Vocation and Christianity." Evening service will be conducted by the Christian Womens Fellowship and will give a play entitled "To Thine Ownself."

Jan. 16—The social department will meet at the G. W. Pennie home at 8 p. m.

Owyhee Community Church News

Thought of the Week: Nothing is easier than fault-finding; no talent, no self-denial, no brains, no character are required to set up in the grumbling business.

Prayer meeting and Bible study will be held on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Perkins.

The church board meeting was held at the home of Elver Nielson on Tuesday evening.

The Women's Missionary group met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Wayne Robb. Devotions for the group was given by Mrs. Robb, followed by the business meeting. The group discussed the forthcoming chili supper to be held at the Sunset Valley hall at the end of the month.

The next meeting of the We-2 group of the church will meet on Friday evening, Jan. 20.

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Snake River Valley CHECKERBOARD NEWS
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JANUARY 14 IS PURINA NATIONAL CHICK DAY

Early chicks will get a nationwide send-off on January 14 throughout the many Purina dealer stores over this country. Indications point to 1956 being a good chick year with good egg prices clear through spring. And the best way for growers to cash in on this opportunity is to start chicks early, so they're fully developed to hit the high market for large and medium eggs.

This spring Purina has come out with a New Super Chick Startena which will give chicks a faster-than-ever start and requires less feed to produce a pound of meat. This will mean savings to the farmer who uses this feed. Come in and see our live-chick demonstration using the New Super Chick Startena.

WINTER COW CARE TIPS

The application of good management and practices like these will help dairies come through the winter in good condition and good production. Ventilate. Cow comfort calls for a well ventilated barn and temperature ranging from 45 to 60 degrees.

Warm water — cuts down the feed bill. Water heaters should be used at this time of year and be sure that they are working. Cows drinking cold water must use part of their feed as "fuel" to warm it. If the water is cold, they won't drink enough for top production.

Sanitation — is much more important during cold weather. Keep clean bedding under cows if at all possible. Clip around the udder and flanks to make cleaning easier.

Look for lice. For people who didn't spray their cows in the fall for lice, look for them now. They're troublesome at this season. Dust some Purina Insect Killer on cows and rub into the hair. Wash Udders — before milking. This is not a substitute for clipping. Use Purina Disinfectant solution on udders, hands and

equipment to keep bacterial count down. This is a disinfectant that will do an excellent job for you but yet is so mild to man and animal.

Feed — a good ration according to production to maintain cow condition. If trouble starts — call your veterinarian for diagnosis and treatment.

SAYS HAY BEATS SILAGE FOR EWES

"Don't feed ewes grass silage unless it is the only roughage available," advises L. H. Blakeslee of Michigan State College. Even though grass silage can be worked into the feeding program for bred ewes, they prefer good hay and can do better on it.

Mr. Blakeslee says grain is advisable during the last six weeks of pregnancy. (Purina Checkers help ewes maintain body condition, makes wool, drop husky lambs and have a good milk supply). Silage could provide the only needed roughage up to that time, he thinks. The researcher also found that greater ewe and lamb gains result when hay-crop silage is fed with corn silage or good quality dry roughage than when fed alone.

CORN SILAGE YIELDS MOST BEEF PER ACRE

Cattle feeders with corn silage may be money ahead if they harvest and feed their corn as silage. That's what a summary of recent Purina experiments indicates. The work also showed that a farmer with no crop land may be better off to go the corn and hay route.

In the tests conducted at the research station, all cattle got Steer Fatena. The steers on shelled corn yielded 512 lbs. of beef per acre. But those on corn silage produced 756, or 244 lbs. more beef per acre. Results were figured on the basis of 70 bushels of corn needed to finish off the silage-fed cattle.

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