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To escape comment or criticism, do nothing, be nothing,
say nothing.

Working Wives Are Needed

A letter to the editor in this week's Journal calling attention to "unemployment at the height it is" and suggesting a boycott of firms employing married women, brings the need for closer scrutiny of the unemployment situation.

Facts and statistics do not always agree and in this case facts dispel any theory that working women have caused an unemployment problem.

In Nyssa several business firms were asked about working wives and it was revealed that in every case one or more women are employed as much to give assistance to business firms as they are for the weekly pay check. That point was verified by several women themselves, in addition to their employers.

An extreme case is a mother of four children who retired from secretarial work several years ago, but was persuaded to return to her job "temporarily" until a replacement could be located. In still another instance, a mother, whose husband is gainfully employed, is devoting several days a week to a job paying well above the minimum wage requirements, but which leaves her a net gain of about 35 cents an hour after extra expenses and deductions punch holes in her pay check. She wants to be a full-time homemaker, but a replacement cannot be found.

Similar situations exist throughout the community. Produce houses report that all the married women employed as sorters could not be replaced with men and unmarried women, retail stores are generally agreed "they wouldn't know where to look" if they were forced to choose from the ranks of unemployed men and single women.

Oregon's so-called unemployment rolls have an uncanny means of growing when seasonal workers, both men and women, take temporary jobs and then become "unemployed" when the work is terminated.

Right now the logging industry is in the doldrums with many names on the list. Can you imagine a lumberjack taking dictation or serving as a sales manager in a woman's ready-to-wear department?

Unfortunately, there are many persons needing employment who make applications for typing jobs, yet they have no knowledge of how to operate a typewriter; there are those who would like to teach school and have had no formal training and still others who aspire to highly skilled professions with no effort put forth to learn the work before asking for the job.

The entire problem seems to point to some failure on the part of society to help prepare young people for versatile careers and the desire to learn. Our educational system cannot be blamed because society and public opinion have not come up with any proposal that might help balance the ever-present problem of where to find help when so many are unemployed.

Christian Church Notes

Morning service: The Rev. L. The junior girls will leave for Porter of Corvallis Christian Camp Cove Sunday, Aug. 11. Mrs. house will be guest speaker Sun-Earl Hastings will be one of the day morning, Aug. 11. Mr. Porter teachers at camp.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Wray of King City, Calif., left Friday after spending 10 days visiting here at the homes of her sister, Mrs. Raymond Larson, and her mother, Mrs. C. J. Gaylord.

Letters to Editor

Sign'd letters to the editor are welcomed and will be printed if they do not contain comments of a libelous nature or attacks on religious and racial groups. Publication of the letters does not signify the agreement of this newspaper with opinions expressed.

Gate City Journal
Nyssa, Oregon
Dear Editor:

With unemployment at the height it is, 35,000 to 45,000 in the state, it seems to me that it is ridiculous for so many men and women to be working at more than one job. I do not think both husband and wife should hold jobs and believe a business should be boycotted when it is learned that such persons are employed.

Also, I believe that credit buying (easy payment plan) is detrimental to most people; too many would buy the moon, if they could charge it.

What has become of the pay-in-advance, with discount for cash business?

—Walter Burdette.

Methodist Church News

"Dearly beloved, avenge not yourselves, but rather give place unto wrath; for it is written, Vengeance is mine, saith the Lord."

Friday, Aug. 9, 8:30 — Church executive meeting will be held in the church.

Aug. 5-9—Workshop for MYF leaders this week at the Sawtooth camp. Both Mr. and Mrs. Ludlow are on the faculty at this camp.

Sunday, Aug. 11—9:45 a.m. — Church school for all ages.

11 o'clock — Worship service. Mr. Ludlow's sermon topic will be "Esther—Beauty with Vengeance."

7 p.m.—Methodist youth fellowship meetings.

Monday, Aug. 12, 8 p.m.—Official board and commission meetings, instead of Aug. 5, as previously announced.

Thursday, Aug. 15 — Woman's society circles will meet at 2 p.m. and the evening circle at 8 p.m.

Suggested Bible reading for this week is the book of Esther.

Owyhee Community Church Notes

"But God commendeth His love toward us, in that while we were yet sinners, Christ died for us." —Romans 5:8.

Wednesday evening Bible study and prayer meeting was held at the Homer Whitman home.

Friday evening was work night at the church. The floors were waxed.

The senior young people's group left Monday morning for the American Sunday School union Bible camp at Quaker Hill, McCall.

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CHURCH NOTES

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, 10 a.m.—Primary;
8 p.m.—M.I.A.

MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH

Elder Floyd Jordan, minister
10 a.m.—Sunday school.
11 a.m.—Morning worship.
8 p.m.—Evening worship.
Wednesday, 8 p.m.—Prayer service.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

Robert O. Jackson, Pastor
Sunday school, 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.
Teen Age, NYPS and Juniors,
7:00 p.m.
Evangelistic Service, 7:45 p.m.
Prayer meeting and Bible Study, Wednesday, 8:00 p.m.

L. D. S. OWYHEE WARD

Lee H. Stoker, Bishop
Phone 2593 Rt. 2, 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.
8:00 p.m. Sacrament meeting.

Tuesday
2 p.m. Relief society.

Wednesday
9:30 a.m. Primary.
8 p.m. M.I.A.

OWYHEE COMMUNITY CHURCH

Rev. James Smithwick, Pastor
10 a.m.—Sunday school.
11 a.m.—Morning worship service.
7:15 p.m., Young people's meeting.

8 p.m.—Evening worship.

CATHOLIC CHURCH

Remberth Ahles, O.F.M.
Mass—Sunday at 8 and 10 a.m. and daily at 8 a.m.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST

Rev. Earl Hastings
Bible school—9:45 a.m.
Worship and Communion—11 a.m.
Youth groups—7 p.m. o'clock.

Evening services, Sunday—8 p.m.

FAITH LUTHERAN CHURCH

John L. Briebl, Pastor
SUNDAY:
10 a.m.—Sunday school.
11 a.m.—Divine worship.

METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. Paul L. Ludlow, Pastor
9:45 a.m., Sunday school for all ages.
11:00 a.m., Morning worship.
7:00 p.m., Methodist youth fellowshipship.

BRETHREN CHRISTIAN CENTER MISSION

East 2nd and Ehrgood
Mark Carmichael, Minister
10 a.m.—Sunday school.
11 a.m.—Morning Worship.
7:30 p.m. Bible study.
8:00 p.m.—Evangelistic service.

Mrs. Will Hampton and Joe of Gering, Nebr., visited at the Ralph Capper home Thursday.

L. D. S. SECOND WARD

Lloyd Lewis, Bishop
Sunday
Priesthood meeting, 8:45 a.m., first Sunday of month.
Sunday school, 10:30 a.m.
Sacrament meeting, 8 p.m.

Tuesday
Relief Society, 10:30 a.m., second and fourth Tuesdays.

Wednesday
Primary, 2:30 p.m.
M.I.A., 8 p.m.

PENTECOSTAL CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Haines, Pastors
Bible school, 10:00 a.m.
Worship service, 11:00 a.m.
Young people, 6:30 p.m.
Evangelistic service 7:30 p.m.

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.

FREE METHODIST CHURCH

Adrian, Oregon
A. Casurella, Pastor
10 a.m.—Sunday school.
11 a.m.—Worship service.
7:30 p.m.—Youth service.
8:00 p.m.—Evening service.

ADRIAN COMMUNITY CHURCH

Henry E. Moore, Pastor
10 a.m.—Bible school.
11 a.m.—Morning worship.
11 a.m.—Junior church.

BIBLE MISSIONARY CHURCH

IOOF Hall
Rev. Lowell L. Foster, minister.
Sunday school; 10 a.m.
Morning worship; 11 a.m.
Evening evangelistic service; 8 p.m.

ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL

Lay Leaders:
Jack Church, Grant Rinehart
9:00 a.m.—Church school.
10:00 a.m.—Church service.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bauer of Richland, Wash., spent the week end at the Raymond Larson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Walters of Boise are visiting at the homes of Hershel Thompson and Al Thompson, enroute home from their vacation.

Martha Jean Brown has returned home after seven weeks visiting relatives and points of interest in Kansas.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Price of Seattle, Wash., spent several days visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Capper.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

SW 6th Ave. and SW 1st St.
Ontario, Oregon

SUNDAY
Bible School, 10:00 a.m.

Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.
Young People's class, 7:30 p.m.
Preaching, 8 p.m.

WEDNESDAY
Bible Study, 7:30 p.m.

Let the Bible Speak

My friends, I have called you my friends from time to time because I want you to be my friend and I want to be your friend.

The reason I keep writing to you is because I love Jesus and He loved YOU and me so much that He gave his fleshly life for us and suffered that painful death on the cross that YOU and I might be saved.

There is no money or earthly gain that I expect from you. All that I want is your friendship that you might some day become my brother or sister, a joint heir with Christ.

The writing that I do is for my gain and your gain. For your gain, life everlasting; for my gain, treasures laid up in heaven.

John 3:16: "God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son, that whosoever believed in Him should not perish, but have everlasting life."

How much do you love God? What are you doing to show your love for Him? How much time do you spend studying His word? Or do you take what someone else says about what is right or wrong?

My friends, you may not like these words that I quote from the New Testament, from time to time, but "They are spirit and life." John 6:63.

Those words are the Word of God. They will still be the same words when you and I go before the judgment seat of our God. Yes, we had better learn to like them for they are the same words we will be judged by, along with the book that the deeds of our life are written in Rev. 20:12.

Yes, we have the words of the New Testament to find that straight and narrow gate and way which there which there will be few that will find. Matt. 7:13-14; Luke 13:24.

If we study them carefully and do what they say, no more, no less, then we will find the way, but my friends, we must not take someone else's word for we may be found like the ones in Luke 13:25-27 and Matt. 7:15-21.

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