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ONE DOLLAR AND ONE-HALF A YEAR

PORTIA CLUB HOLDS MEETING

After a silence of more than eight weeks the club reconvened last Monday, and this meeting being the first since the State El-mind of Women's Clubs. Much interest attached to the report of the Federation Finance Committee, who reported \$31.15 balance and a clean slate, as per Federation expenses. One of the Don'ts was to not open pocket book, the real significance being that entertainment to delegates and visitors, each day was free. This with the auto service was made possible by operation, by women outside of town in every direction almost. No. 1, South, Washoe, Fruitland, across the river and in town where homes were loyally opened to the guests, all contributed to make the convention the success it was. A unanimous vote of thanks by the Club to these friends, although late, is sincere.

Next week beginning December 1, will be observed, all over the United States as "Conservation Week for World Relief" and Wednesday of that week is set aside for special observance by Women's organizations open and union meetings being held at Mrs. Ira Tweedy and Mrs. J. P. Walker were named as a committee to arrange a program for Wednesday at 2:30 in the Y Lobby. Conservation in all shades and high lights will make a profitable afternoon and if any one has slacker apparatus come and learn, and if you have a good thing pass it on.

Mrs. Muller, the Furlough House Chairman for Idaho, is authorized to make two appointments from the state to go abroad, and will receive dollar contributions, the plan to get a dollar from every club woman in the state is still working, the state quota not yet full. A home for the "boys" overseas is a dollar well spent.

KIDS SHOW UP AT THE FINISH

Last week at the Buckeye hours wedding the little folks rather one over on the folks at the ston home. A crowd gathered as usual with tin pans and other equipment for making a racket, and after the first round they were given some money to purchase a treat. This was confiscated by a few of the larger boys. The remaining crowd kept up racket until the second purse was handed out, which was appropriated by the next larger in size. This left a few of the smaller boys without a treat. After using every means to bring about the third treat, they ransacked the cellar, carrying away half of a big turkey, ice cream and cake for further orders, and went home feeling well paid for their music.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

Bible School at 10 a. m. Come and be on time.
Morning Services 11 a. m. Subject: "Pressing toward the Goal."
Christian Endeavor 6:30 p. m. A splendid place for young people to spend an hour, and think on the things which make for a better life.
Evening Services at 7:30 p. m. Subject for Sermon, "What think you of Christ?" This will be the first in Series of four Sermons on Matt. 24:2.
The Church began its services last Sunday after being closed for some weeks with a good number in attendance. You have an invitation to attend.
A. J. ADAMS, Minister.

LOST: Between Welsler and Fruitland, leather suitcase containing ladies clothing, with Ford tool kit and tube strapped to outside. Phone 21-21 Fruitland. Reward.

ADVERTISED LETTER LIST

For week ending Nov. 23, 1918.
Baire, Miss Opal
Brooks, Mr. Geo.
Sherd, C. E.
Wooden, L. A.
B. T. BOWMAN, P. M.

REV. D. C. PETERS WILL VISIT PAYETTE

We are informed that Rev. D. C. Peters, a former pastor of the Christian Church at Payette, and for the last five or six years pastor of the Church at Honolulu, Hawaii, and who has been for the past few months in the Y. M. C. A. at Camp Lewis, will make a visit to Payette before returning to Honolulu. Rev. Peters has many warm friends here who will be pleased to see him.

THANKSGIVING

There has not been such a joyous Thanksgiving time in the experience of this generation. Every day morning has written for our magazine words that express the thank of the nation. "No lover of liberty, no believer in the principles of Democracy, no one who longs for a new and better era, needs a catalogue of the favors that have been conferred on us by a merciful God."

Thus he begins his article, and the ending is in the same tone. "The American spirit has passed through the fire and come forth purged and stronger. Let us give thanks to God that we are citizens of this great Republic and can share its blessings."

But in all his extolling he does not forget the correlative fact of duty that constitutes so much of the President's message. One of his imitable sentences reads, "God has indeed been gracious. We have cause for such rejoicing as revives and strengthens in us all the best traditions of our National history. A new day shines about us in which our hearts take new courage and look forward with new hope to the greater duties before us."

"The 'greater duties' are to assist in building the new structure of peace and good will among the Nations."

But a President and Secretary of State can use a quarter column each and still leave some things unsaid concerning a Nation situated as we are. The Enterprise will reach its readers about the time they are gathering to the tables richly spread. There will be vacant places at most of the tables but we will be able to say with the mother to her boy "We will miss you, be sure of that, but we would not have you here for all the world so long as you are needed there." Then as we think across the great deep our throats can not fail to reach those other cases toward whom pity is the only possible emotion. Again this year Armenia is perishing with hunger, together with all the surrounding regions. Nothing but American bounty can save them from dying by the hundreds of thousands. As we eat today they perish from want. Will it not make our food sweeter if on every table there is placed a cup inscribed with the word "Inasmuch," into which shall fall an expression of gratitude eloquent enough to reach the misery of that far off land. There is a reason for doing this beyond the great act of exercising benevolence. The fact is we are going to do it anyhow. We simply have the choice now of doing it as free people who have the will to do fine things out of our own motives. There is to be a call for \$3,000,000 for relief to these lands. It will come in January. We will give them at the demand of some one else. Payette community will give a thousand. What finer thing than to have it all in readiness and when the committee comes be able to say "This is what life means to us now. We have thought of this in advance. Here is the amount that is our share. If that is not fine Americanism then we have not had a true interpretation of it yet."

M. D. REED.

BLOOD DON'T ALWAYS TELL

Not in all cases dogs that are especially bred to retrieve are the best. Jack Orr has a dog half Bull and half Airdale, neither breed intended for retrievers or hunting birds in any way, but he has without any training, proven to be a valuable dog for retrieving ducks from the swift waters of the river. Last Sunday he brought out fifteen ducks from the Snake river when it was so cold regular water dogs refused to go.

TO RED CROSS MEMBERS

TO THE CHAIRMAN OF THE CHAPTER AND ALL RED CROSS MEMBERS:

The following message just received from the War Council of the American Red Cross and George E. Scott, General Manager, is of vital interest to all of us:

"On February 10 last year nearly six weeks before the United States declared war National Red Cross Headquarters advised its chapters to prepare for war. That which has followed in the record of the Red Cross in helping to win this war and to relieve the suffering growing out of it, constitutes something of which every American citizen has a right to be proud. Every American Red Cross worker must feel a sense of gratitude in having had a share in it all. 'The moment is now come to prepare for peace. Actual peace may come at any moment; it may be deferred for some time. Until peace is really here there can be no relaxation in any Red Cross effort incident to active hostilities.'"

"But with peace, let no one suppose that the work of the Red Cross is finished. Millions of American boys are still under arms. Thousands of them are sick or wounded. Owing to the shortage in shipping, it may take a year or more to bring our boys home from France. But whatever the time, our protecting arms must be about them and their families over the whole period which must elapse before the normal life of peace can be resumed."

"Our soldiers and sailors are enlisted until the commander in chief tells them there is no more work for them to do in the war. Let every Red Cross member and worker show our returning soldiers and sailors that to care for their health, welfare and happiness, we are enlisted for no less a period than they are."

"The cessation of war will reveal a picture of misery such as the world has never seen before, especially in the many countries which cannot help themselves. The American people will expect the Red Cross to continue to act as their agent in repairing broken spirits and broken bodies. Peace terms and peace conditions will determine how we may best minister to the vast stricken areas which have been harrowed by war, and in this great act of mercy, the heart and spirit of the American people must continue to be mobilized through the American Red Cross."

"On behalf of the War Council, we accordingly ask each member of our splendid body of workers throughout the land to bear in mind the solemn obligation which rests upon each one to 'Carry on.' We cannot abate one instant in our efforts or in our spirit. There will be an abundance of work to do, and specific advice will be given, but even at the moment of peace let no Red Cross worker falter."

"Our spirits must now call us to show that it is not the roar of cannon or the blood of our own alone that directs our activities, but that a great people will continue to respond greatly and freely to its obligation and opportunity to serve mankind."

Sincerely yours,
C. D. STIMSON,
Division Manager.

"My boy," said one of the ladies visiting a reconstruction Hospital, "where did you lose your arm?" "Lady," he replied proudly, "I did not LOSE my arm. I GAVE it for my country."

COW SALE WAS BIG SUCCESS

The big cow sale conducted by Swansen at the Banks Livery Barn last Monday was well attended and bidding was good. Everything that was advertised was sold at good price. There were 150 cows and calves besides 15 head of horses, which were all sold at satisfactory prices.

Mr. and Mrs. Yeats are entertaining a brother, Mr. R. W. Yeats of Detroit, Mich. at present.

NEWSPAPERS DO GOOD WORK

Mr. Wm. Wells, Editor The Enterprise Payette, Idaho, My dear Sir:

The United War Work Campaign in Idaho has been a splendid success. The State once more has done its duty and proved its love and loyalty to America and America's defenders on the battle field. No greater task has been put upon the people responsible for raising Idaho's quota in this war drive.

This has been the only fund-raising campaign put over during the war that depended entirely upon the publicity department to get the message to the people. We have had to use any speakers, we have had to depend solely upon the press and similar advertising. In addition to this, the period of preparation came at a time when the minds of the people were distracted by a strenuous political campaign. Added to these, was the greater distraction of the announcement of the signing of the armistice, at the moment the drive started.

Only through the splendid support of the newspapers of the State has it been possible to make the United War Work Campaign in Idaho a success. Almost unanimously the Editors and Publishers of the State freely and gladly gave their space, amounting in the aggregate to thousands of columns to make it possible for us to get the message to the people. It was your co-operation that made the drive a success. I am because you did all you could that Idaho has sent half a million dollars to bring comfort and good cheer to her sons and sons comrades overseas and at home in the army cantonments.

I congratulate you. You have been loyal and generous. On behalf of the United War Work Campaign, and personally, I send to you expressions of sincere gratitude.

Very sincerely yours,
Earl Wayland Bowman,
Director of Publicity.

XMAS OPENING

The Xmas opening of Grimm's Variety Store will be Saturday Nov. 30 at 10 o'clock. Santa will give every child a gift as usual. Our stock of holiday toys is exceptionally good this year and as we specialize on toys at this time we can serve you right. Be sure and have the children in front of our store Saturday Nov. 30 at 10 o'clock.

GRIMM'S VARIETY STORE

IMPROVEMENT FOR PAYETTE

The Payette Valley Rex Spray Co. has recently purchased of the Payette Land and Improvement Company, Lot 14 in block 4, just south of Wood and Spaulding's store, where the brick building stands now occupied by the Spray Company, and will as soon as the weather will permit, erect a brick structure from the present building to the alley to be used as a warehouse for storing spray material and other supplies for the Company. This building is to be built with a cement floor and will hold several car loads of material which will add much to the convenience and efficiency of the Company, and will add another fine brick building to the City of Payette.

Payette, Idaho,
Nov. 21, 1918.

Mr. Wills, Editor Enterprise,
Please insert the add Irite in your paper I loose my calf you brought three times and send me my after his days work is done to find the fire burning and supper on the table. Mrs. Putnam has lived in the vicinity of Ontario for many years to offer. Every week some one re-vine red and vite calf mit his one behind legs was black. Any one who brings me home dis calf I will charge him five dollars.

RUND A AWAY

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RED CROSS ELECTION

The Red Cross organization requires an annual election of a Board of Directors. The Payette Chapter has set the day for election next Saturday, November 30. A nominating committee has consulted the following persons and have their consent to put their names before the members of the Board:

Mrs. Crump
Mrs. Muller
Charles H. Bolton
Calvin Keller
Mrs. P. E. Short
Miss Anna Johnson
Mrs. McGlinchy.

From this list we will elect three. Every person who took a membership last December is a voter in the election except children under 15 years of age. We put forward more names than there are offices in order that voters may have a choice. But the names put forth are not intended to exclude other candidates. Voters may write in other names and the three persons receiving the highest number of votes will be the three directors for this part of the county. New Plymouth and Fruitland will elect one each and the five will constitute the County Chapter Board. This Board have as their duty the appointment of Chairman, Secretary, and other members of the executive committee, which will be the working body for the Chapter as heretofore. The voting place for Payette will be at the Hancock Billiard room. Votes may be sent in by mail addressed to Mrs. F. H. Hogue, in time to reach her on the Saturday morning delivery. Vote for three.

Mrs. F. H. Hogue
M. D. Reed
Mrs. H. O. Musgrave
Nominating Committee.

LITTLE WILLOW PROSPEROUS

The activity in Little Willow creek Valley during the good weather this fall indicates prosperity in that section. Many acres of new land is being put under cultivation, and some that has been dry farmed in the past is being fitted for irrigation. J. McKinney has about completed a fine little bungalow and other buildings on his tract. A commodious residence has been erected for Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Wickland who have recently moved to that section where Mr. Wickland is now Secretary and Manager of the new irrigation system. Teams are at work completing the ditches, and the outlook for that splendid valley never was so bright as at the present time. Just watch Little Willow Creek Valley grow.

JOKE ON CARL.

Carl Asmussen believes in keeping up with the times. He has purchased from the Payette Modern Garage a Willys Night, seven passenger car, one of those quiet running cars. The facts are, it is so quiet when running the car rather played a joke on Carl. He got in at the Garage, pushed the starter, and just kept on pushing, and after he had about given up starting the engine, discovered it was running all the time.

MARRIED

Mr. J. E. Putnam of Payette-Oregon Slope and Mrs. Agnes Howland of Ontario were united in marriage at the home of the bride's daughter, Mrs. Whitbeck at Ontario last Sunday, the Baptist Minister of that place officiated. Mr. Putnam is an old time resident of this Valley and has for several years lived on his ranch without a house-keeper. It will certainly seem like home to him after his days work is done to find the fire burning and supper on the table. Mrs. Putnam has lived in the vicinity of Ontario for many years to offer. Every week some one re-vine red and vite calf mit his one behind legs was black. Any one who brings me home dis calf I will charge him five dollars.

Personal and Local Mention

Next week is conservation week. Keep it in mind.

Henry Hanson and Carl Asmussen were Boise visitors last Saturday.

Miss May Gensoway returned to her school near Welsler, last Saturday.

Miss Gladys Wilcox went to Nampa Sunday to take up her school duties again.

E. W. Equals, Manager of the Golden Rule Store, was a Boise business visitor Monday.

Miss Marion Crawford was called back to Oakley, Idaho, Monday where she will resume her school duties Monday.

Scott McClanahan is the proud possessor of a fine Overland Roadster purchased of the Payette Modern Garage last week.

A. McWilliams, the well known stock-buyer in southern Idaho, shipped a car of mules from Payette Saturday to Grand Island, Neb.

J. T. Jefferis, Sheriff elect, went to Halfway, Oregon, Monday, being called there to look after some property belonging to him at that place.

Edward H. Yager, who has been home on a furlough left Monday night for San Francisco, Calif., to resume his duties at Letterman Hospital.

Mrs. Geo. Yager and daughters, Miss Lucy Yager and Mrs. D. L. Martin, who have recently been down with the influenza, have recovered and are able to be out again.

John Redman of Homedale, Idaho, was in Payette last week looking after his interests in this section. Mr. Redman has a fine tract of land on Little Willow Creek, now being farmed by Mr. W. G. Wiley.

W. D. Case returned from Twin Falls last Saturday evening where he was called on account of the serious illness of his brother who died before he arrived. Spanish influenza was the cause of his death.

The Payette Merchants are all well supplied with Christmas goods. They are making preparations to have them on display in plenty of time. Watch their advertisements, decide on what you want and make your selection early.

Mrs. Sarah Driscoll of Welsler made a short visit in Payette this week returning Tuesday morning. She will go at once to Pendleton to assist in the care of Walter Gorrie and wife who were badly injured in an auto accident a few days ago.

Howard Snowberger has recently purchased of A. O. Schwab of Twin Falls, the property on fifth street where he now lives. This is a move in the right direction. It is far better to live in your own property than to live in fear of having to move.

A. D. Shurtleff, wife and son Byron of Welsler were Sunday guests at the home of Mrs. Shurtleff's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Kennen. Little Byron remained with his grandparents, and went down with them to Welsler to spend Thanksgiving Day.

The Editor and family are invited to eat Thanksgiving dinner with Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Blair, and it is needless to say we have accepted the invitation, and not only that, but are going on short rations from now until that day, and will be guaranteed for the occasion.

Leo Ballenger left Monday morning for Parma in the interest of the Payette Valley Rex Spray Co. Mrs. Ballenger and Margaret M. Pherson will meet him at Caldwell Wednesday and from there they will move to Boise to spend Thanksgiving with Mrs. Ballenger's parents.

The Gorham Mercantile Co. have about completed a four room cottage and a large barn on their 30 acre tract in Whitley Bottom. Mr. C. R. Holloway will occupy the premises and farm the ranch next year. Mr. Holloway is a brother of Mrs. A. L. Gorham who came here from Redman, Oregon about a month ago.

If you have any articles about your premises you want to dispose of put an ad in the Enterprise. Good second-hand furniture, farm tools and other equipment are always salable and it costs but 5c. a line to let the people know what you have to offer. Every week some one re-vine red and vite calf mit his one behind legs was black. Any one who brings me home dis calf I will charge him five dollars.

Lee Brown is out again after a short siege of influenza.

How strange it is, this fall some of the wild ducks have such long tails.

FOR SALE: A few thoroughbred Black Minorca cockerels. Call 82-1.

Howard Reed arrived home Tuesday evening from Whitman College on a few days convalescing furlough.

Don't forget we have some chickens and a few pigs and can use corn or any kind of grain on subscription. Bring in a sack full.

John Pelley returned Tuesday evening from Ontario where he has just finished plastering the upper story of the Moore Hotel.

J. W. Cartwright returned to Nampa Tuesday morning to resume his work at that place with his son-in-law, Frank Littler.

Three of the M. Lauer family have been having quite a siege with the influenza. Mrs. Lauer, Faye and Ernest. All are reported better at this time.

During the period of quarantine there was no place to go and some of the men stayed at home evenings and actually got acquainted with their wives.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. McGordon are the proud possessors of a fine baby daughter born at the Brown Maternity Home at 411 South 14th St. November 26th.

Last Sunday evening was the first fall of snow this season and Monday morning it looked and felt very much like winter, but before evening the ground was bare again and the weather fine.

Miss Fay Fowler, former County Superintendent of Canyon County, and Mrs. Richardson of Boise were in Payette Tuesday. Miss Fowler was here in connection with the Boys and Girls Club work.

The Ladies Aid of the Church of Christ will meet Friday afternoon at 2:30 at the home of Mrs. Springston. After the business meeting a reception will be given for Mrs. Adm. All ladies of the Church are invited to be present.

Mrs. William Maule returned Monday evening from Ontario where she has been for the last ten days caring for her daughter, Mrs. R. O. Payne who has been suffering with a very bad attack of tonsillitis, but has now nicely recovered.

A. B. Moss, Jr., and Heber left Monday morning for New York where Heber will enter school. Burt will visit his brothers Lieutenant Col. Wentworth Moss and Lieutenant Will Moss before returning. He expects to be gone about three weeks.

T. H. McCormey stopped off between trains Monday evening on his return from Nebraska where he was called on account of the serious illness of his father whom he reports as improving. Mr. McCormey is now living at Eugene, Ore. having tried his ranch on the bench for property there. He expects to return to Payette on business about Christmas.

The many friends of Dr. James Moran will be glad to hear of his promotion to the office of Lieutenant Colonel in the Medical Corps. Dr. Moran at the time of his enlistment was one of Kansas City's most noted physicians and surgeon. He enlisted and left with the famous "Rainbow" Division. His superior surgical ability was at once recognized in Europe, his promotions were attained to the office of Lieutenant Colonel. Dr. Moran was at one time a practicing physician and surgeon of Ontario, Oregon. He is a son-in-law of Mrs. N. E. Harrington of Payette.

LIEUT. COL. PATCH REPORTED SICK

We just learned that Lieutenant Colonel Patch has been very sick in a hospital in France. However the last report, which was in a letter from a Captain of the Field Artillery of which the Colonel had command, stated he was improving.

CHURCH OF GOD

Services will be held at the usual hour next Sunday both morning and evening. Every one invited to attend.
N. H. Farnham, Pastor.