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Students Must Learn To Get Along With People

Since the minds of many parents and students are on the coming of commencement exercises to be held at the high school a few observations on at least one thing that we all must learn outside of school, if we are to gain any measure of success in life, might be apt at this time.

As important as the knowledge learned in school is, it is not all important. We must learn to get along with people, and that's a subject not taught in school. Most older folk some time or other in their lives have come in contact with that type of individual we say never "fits in." He may, and often does, have a brilliant mind and is competent but he just can't get along with his associates. He gripes, he whines, he is overbearing, he sulks, or he is an agitator. In any event he keeps himself and those around him in hot water most of the time. Such an individual can never hope to be a success because society itself is a harsh task master. It is not long before he is left disreputably alone or is knocked from pillar to post with the result that he finally has to give up. He, however, will never look within himself for the cause of his failure but will blame an unappreciative world for it.

Hence how important it is that we should learn to get along with our associates. That, however, does not mean that we should agree to everything other people say. Few of us like the "yes man" type because we doubt their sincerity and most of us admire the man who has the courage to get up and speak his mind, whether we agree with him or not.

It won't be long now until hundreds and thousands of youngsters throughout the nation will be going out to tackle the battle of life in an ever increasing complex world. Their measure of success will depend in a large degree not so much upon the technical knowledge they have gained as upon their ability to get along with their associates.

It Is A Beautiful Valley

We have often wondered what some of the first settlers of this valley would think if they could be brought back from the dead and view the area as it is today.

There are some of course who would say that these first settlers would be displeased with the way that we later arrivals have exploited the section and have changed the natural beauty that was here before the white man came.

We of course know that the hand of man cannot compare with the hand of God in making beauty, but we do believe that if the impossible could happen and an early pioneer could be brought back, he would be pleased beyond measure, particularly if his visit were at this time of year.

Say for instance if he could ride to the top of a high point on Payette heights, view the surrounding scene, and see the thousands of fruit trees that have been planted since he came, with their myriads of daintily tinted blossoms, see men busily engaged in tilling the soil to produce food not only for themselves but also for people in far-away lands and see a thriving city with its many beautiful homes, churches and schools.

Of course being human, he would realize that we have made some mistakes, but we do sincerely believe that he could go back to his "home beyond the skies," satisfied that he and his fellow-pioneers had left the area in capable hands.

FROM THE FILES

Thirty Years Ago

The following items were taken from the Payette Enterprise dated April 29, 1915:

Nephi Purcell arrived in Payette yesterday after a campaign of fifteen days against the coyotes infesting the hills on Willow Creek, Patricks Valley and Sand Hollow. He brought in the skins of 118 coyotes, 67 of which he secured in the vicinity of an sheep camp.

Luther Peterson, rural mail carrier on Route No. 3 has purchased a Harley Davidson motorcycle and sidecar with which he will serve the motorists on Payette-Oregon Slope route.

There is a new real estate firm, known as the Payette Realty Co., located in the Y.M.C.A. building, the members of the new firm are T. A. Wythe and H. M. Suttin; and are residents of Payette, have quite a good deal of holdings in the city and surrounding country.

Ralph Roberts and Will Carstensen motorcycle to Boise Sunday, going by the way of the new state highway via New Plymouth and returning via Emmett.

A band of Cherokee Indians from Oklahoma, passed thru this section last Saturday, the women were begging chickens, eggs, bread, etc., while the men were evidently horse traders.

Twenty Years Ago

The following items were taken from the Payette Enterprise dated April 30, 1925:

J. E. Turner, who tendered his resignation as superintendent of the Payette schools after serving in that capacity for eighteen years, was last Saturday elected president of the Lewiston State Normal school to succeed O. M. Elliott, who died

while head of that institution.

L. W. Spaulding is now sole owner of the hardware establishment known for the past twenty-three years as the firm of Wood & Spaulding. Mr. Spaulding having recently purchased the interest of Mr. Wood.

The six year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Mehl of Payette-Oregon Slope had a very narrow escape on last Saturday when the car, in which she and her father were riding, collided with a car driven by J. O. Bowker. The larger artery on the girl's neck was severed.

Joe Krohn, who recently came to Payette from Ontario, is preparing to open a candy kitchen in the Patch building next door to the Western Union Telegraph office. The candy will be made in the front room where the public can see just how it is made.

Claude Hortons are moving this week into the Peg Roberts bungalow on 7th Avenue.

Twenty Years Ago

The following items were taken from the Payette Independent dated April 30, 1925:

Tuesday's city election will go down in history as one of the hardest fought contests ever held in Payette. Long before the polls were opened the opposing forces were out and busy at work getting voters lined up to be hauled to the voting places, and not until the last minute of the contest did the work cease. Dr. I. R. Woodward was re-elected mayor.

A fire alarm at Central school Monday brought every teacher and pupil out of the building in 45 seconds, and a similar alarm at the west side caused the vacation of the building in 37 seconds.

Miss Leona Diederichsen, who is

ALUTIAN SOLDIER VISITING STEP-FATHER

Pfc. Vernon Harris arrived Friday for a visit here with his step-father, V. A. Ulmer, of 608 Third Avenue south. Pfc. Harris has spent 32 months serving with the Signal corps in Alaska and the Aleutian Islands. In that area he said that the Signal corps handles both commercial and military messages under what is known as the Alaska Communications system.

BUILDING ADDITION TO STATION AND STORE

Frank Jones is building an addition to his service station and drive-in grocery store on Seventh Avenue North and Ninth street.

When completed it will be the largest drive-in space in the city. Mr. Jones reports. His plan is to carry a full line of groceries and fresh vegetables as well as gasoline, oil and other auto supplies.

GENERAL L. V. PATCH RECEIVES PICTURES

General L. V. Patch received two pictures this week that he has proudly added to the large collection at his office. The first was of his son Captain Vernon Patch, who is now serving somewhere in France and the second was of his famous cousin, Lt. General Alexander Patch who is commanding the Seventh army in Germany. Before entering service Captain Patch taught science classes in the local high school.

BRIEF ITEMS

From Neighboring Towns

WEISER
Mayor Frank S. Gwilliam and other incumbent city officials were re-elected by a three to one majority following a lively campaign in which they were opposed by a ticket sponsored by the Allied Civic forces. During the campaign claims and counter claims were given to the voters by circulars and large page advertisements in the newspapers.

VALE

Farmers in the Vale area are expecting the arrival shortly of 250 German war prisoners who will help relieve the farm labor shortage in that area during the coming summer.

EMMETT

Only 131 votes were cast at an election described as quiet at Emmett Tuesday of last week. Emory Schoenwald was again elected as mayor.

NYSSA

Ralph Gale, sales manager of the Idaho Power company told members of the Chamber of Commerce last week some of the possibilities of the development of new industries in the section thru farm chemistry.

ONTARIO

Permitting card rooms to operate only from 6 p. m. to midnight during the season of farm cultivation and harvest in Malheur county and adjacent cities, was the suggestion brought before the Ontario city council Monday night by E. K. Burton, Nyssa city manager, and the members of the Nyssa city council.

attending Link's Business College, in Boise spent the week end with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hansen.

At the American Legion Third district convention held in Weiser this week John Helman of Payette was elected district commander and Claude Horton of Payette was chosen adjutant.

Mrs. J. M. Swanson had a miraculous escape from death Monday evening as she was returning from their ranch at Apple Valley. She was headed for home when the car wheels struck some sand and the car turned end for end and turned upside down in an irrigation ditch about seven miles south of Ontario. Mrs. Swanson escaped without a scratch, but her nerves were somewhat shattered.

Thirty Years Ago

The following items were taken from the Payette Independent dated April 29, 1915:

After one of the most earnestly contested elections in the history of this city, Tuesday, the entire Citizens ticket was elected. The officers elected are: Mayor, Burt Venables; clerk, M. O. Luffert; treasurer, J. A. Lauer; city engineer, W. G. Sturdevant; councilmen, Wm. Maule, Geo. Rezac, L. W. Spaulding, J. E. Crouch, E. W. Equils and G. F. Johnson.

The election held Tuesday at Fruitland to vote upon the question of issuing bonds for the construction of a new high school building, resulted in a majority of one for the bonds. The board later discovered that it is possible some illegal votes were cast and the election has been declared off. Another election may be ordered.

A. H. Miles returned a few days ago from service in the Navy. He enlisted April 10, 1914, and went aboard the St. Louis at Bremerton. The past seventeen months he has been all over the Pacific and visited the Orient.

J. E. Shamberger has been selected by the district of Idaho and Western Montana Conference, held in Boise Valley church last week, as a delegate on the standing committee at the annual conference of the Brethren church which meets at Hershey, Pa., during the first week in June. While in the east he will visit his old Maryland home.

Fifty Years Ago

The following items were taken from the Payette Independent dated May 2, 1895:

May Day was observed by some of the youngsters who had a bushel of fun hanging May baskets. Same old story—the big dogs

don't propose to let Japan peacefully know that Chinese bone.

There is no charity in feeding tramps at the back doors of Payette homes while men are scouring the streets in quest of laborers. Our advice is to let the average box car tourist work for what he eats, and let him work before he eats.

We believe that Prof. M. F. Albert, principal of our public schools, is entitled to the honor of having made the most perfect lawn in town. The little grass plot should serve as an object lesson to any who are skeptical on the subject of making handsome lawns by means of irrigation.

If Payette people are in earnest about a big Fourth of July celebration this year it is time that we should begin to throw out our grapping hooks. This is the year when Payette ought to be able to get into

the harness and get up a celebration that will make the hills shake. What say?

Ten Years Ago

The following items were taken from the Payette Enterprise dated April 25, 1935:

W. S. and Ralph Harper have their new Coca Cola plant in readiness for inspection, and have invited the public to inspect the place on Saturday. Free Coca Cola and soda water will be served to everyone.

A farewell reception was conducted at the Portia club Monday by the members of the American Legion and auxiliary, honoring Dr. and Mrs. Fox, who are departing Saturday for Charleston, West Va., where the doctor has accepted a highly lucrative position in one of the large hospitals of that city. Kenneth Wagner, son of Mr. and

Mrs. W. B. Wagner, was elected captain of the Hill Military Academy wrestling team for 1936 at the Lettman's banquet held April 15 at the Portland Academy.

Marie Shigeta and Alice Ashcroft of the high school made outstanding scholastic records during the past six weeks when they received 'A' in five solid subjects, the honor roll release shows.

Dr. I. R. Woodward was elected mayor of Payette at Tuesday's city election by a majority of 187. Dr. Woodward held the office of mayor for sixteen years until 1933 when he was defeated by J. J. Wood. Kirk, Oregon, and has been rolling logs since April 6th, and is getting to be a real lumberjack.

The P.E.O. Sisterhood of Payette were guests of the Weiser P.E.O. on Tuesday evening at the Chester Taylor home.

PFC. ATHERTON WILL BE HOME SOON

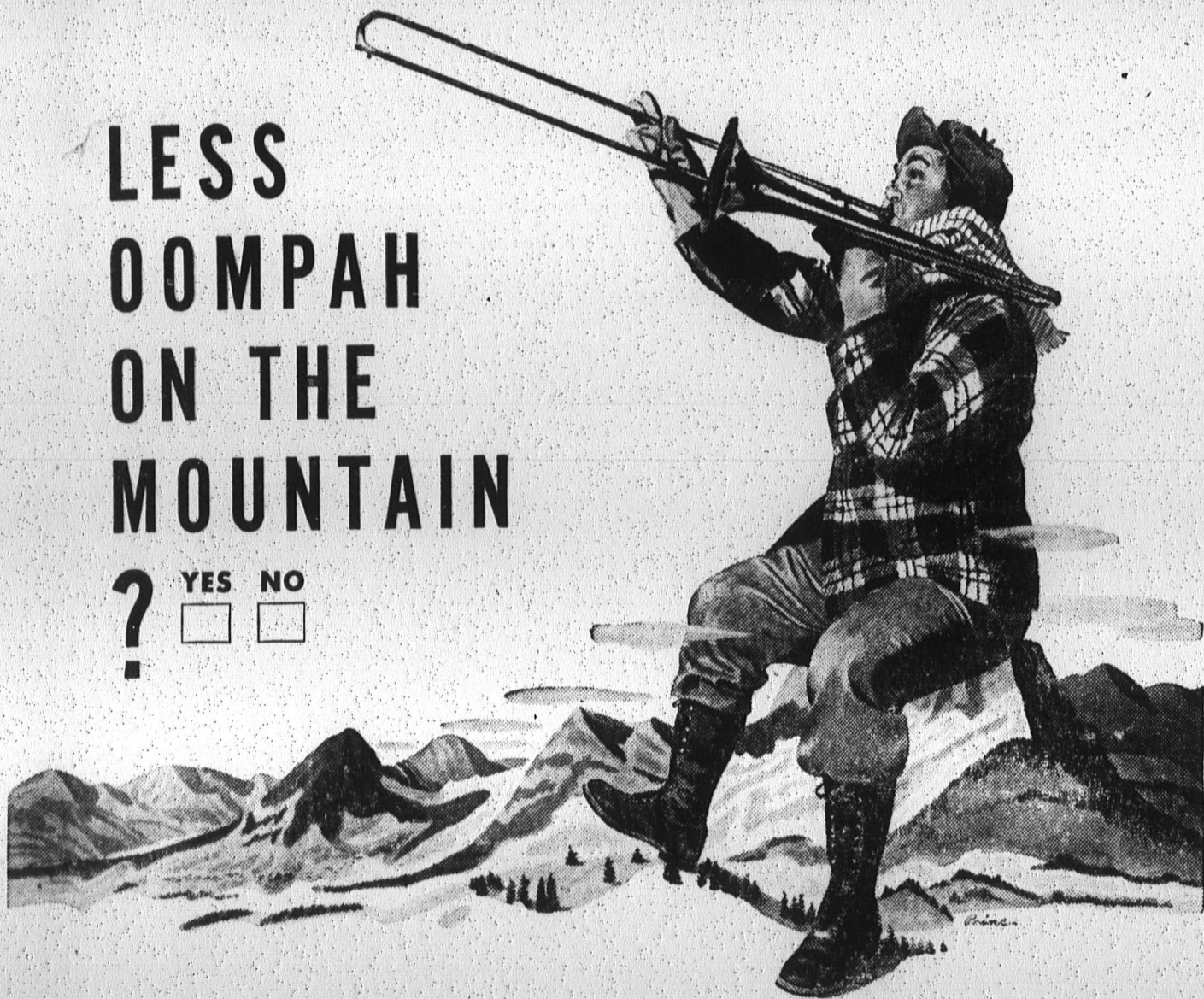
Pfc. Jim Atherton, who went through the battle of Iwo Jima and others in the South Pacific, landed in San Francisco Monday night and called relatives here by telephone to come home soon.

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