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Can't We Learn By Other's Experiences?

Isn't it a strange quirk in human nature that the average of us can't learn by the experiences of others? A child can be told time and again that if he puts his hand on a hot stove, he will be burned and yet some time in his life it seems he has to try it to learn for himself.

In just this one case untold suffering in the world could be saved, if we could only be impressed and taught by the experiences of others.

And again, men who have gone to war thru the years have come back active disciples against it. From the revolutionary war on in this country we have been told over and over again of the uselessness of armed conflict, and some of us living today have seen and experienced the awfulness of two great world wars—thousands of the best in our young manhood sacrificed and many of the others returning with maimed bodies and wrecked minds.

Yet it seems, as the generations come, we will not learn but must try it again, to learn the hard and sad way.

Shall We Take A Vacation?

Here is a tip for the folk who are seriously considering whether or not to take a vacation at this time with the war in the state that it is:

If you are actually concerned over the question and are pondering over it, by all means take your holiday. You can be assured that as a general rule the type of person who has loafed on the job most of the year won't give the question a second thought. He'll take his vacation.

One who has worked more or less hard through the year should have at least one period annually in which he can relax and refresh himself. By so doing he'll usually extend his active life a considerable length of time and in most cases his whole year's accomplishment will be the greater, for the time he has taken "to get away from it all."

FROM THE FILES

Twenty Years Ago

The following items were taken from the Payette Independent dated July 16, 1925:

Rev. Thos. Ashworth was the stelar attraction at the Kiwanis luncheon Tuesday and he took advantage of the invitation extended him to make a speech to talk on athletics and to tell of our local needs in the way of proper play grounds.

The local baseball players went by auto Sunday to McCall and crossed bats with the Grangeville team, losing by a score of 9 to 3.

Edward Mess of Shelton, Nebraska, has purchased the twenty acre place of L. F. Shaw, two miles N. E. of Fruitland. This is one of the finest pieces of fruit and farm land in Payette county. Mr. Mess bought the livestock and all the equipment and has taken possession.

F. E. Seeley, manager of the Rex Spray Co., is by way of becoming a regular globe trotter. Less than a year ago he made a trip to Australia and last Friday he again left for Melbourne and Sidney. This second trip is a follow up of his first trip when he went to introduce Rex Spray products in the British Colonies.

Claude Horton and family returned Friday from a trip to Nebraska and Iowa and they found the heat in that section almost unbearable. Claude says he would rather be in jail in Idaho during the months of July and August than be governor of one of those states.

Thirty Years Ago

The following items were taken from the Payette Enterprise dated July 15, 1915:

The Commercial Club of this city held a well-attended and entertaining "Smoker" Wednesday evening, being honored with the presence of Congressman Wm. Cracken, who arrived from Boise with Captain R. L. Shaw, president of the club.

Agent G. F. Johnson of the Oregon Short Line, didn't decrease his popularity in the community, by the very active interest he took in the matter of arranging for the Liberty Bell train to make a fairly good stop in this city. The train was at a stand-still for 17 minutes.

State Horticultural Inspector Guy Graham spent a portion of last week in this vicinity and at Fruitland. Mr. Graham was a welcome visitor at the Enterprise office.

WANTED: 20 young ambitious fellows, to join band, which I am now organizing. J. H. Stoner, director.

While repairing a threshing machine at the J. H. Boor ranch, last Friday Clele Silkket was quite seriously hurt when two pieces of steel became imbedded in his eye. The offenders were removed by Dr. Wright.

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About 3000 people gathered at the O. S. L. Depot at Payette Monday morning to get a glimpse of the world famous Liberty Bell, as it stopped a few brief minutes on its way to the San Francisco exposition. It is probable that this will be the last time the bell will ever be taken from its home in the "City of Brotherly Love," as there is some question about it standing any more trips.

Another Pushcart Fair will be held on the Central school grounds Saturday for the Library Benefit. You can get your chickens, Belgian hares, vegetables and fruits for your Sunday dinner from a Pushcart.

A visit to the butter making plant of the Farmers Co-operative Creamery Co., disclosed the fact that these people are doing some business worth while. They are making about 600 lbs. at a churning. This company is making a slow and steady growth and is bound to become one of the solid business concerns of the valley.

The Russell Department Store has changed hands and W. H. Farber and Son are now the owners. Earl Farber has been one of the efficient, dependable clerks of the institution for several years and knows the business thoroughly. His brother, Leu, has had a good deal of store experience and will work with the new firm.

Billy Carstens and Clyde Thurston left Sunday evening for Seattle to attend the meeting of the Shriners which is being held this week.

Ten Years Ago

The following items were taken from the Payette Enterprise dated July 19, 1935:

Increasing the membership of her club 1200 percent in a few weeks, has brought recognition to Celia Griffin Settle of this city and she has been invited to speak on the subject "Club Mechanics" at the National convention of Business and Professional Women's Clubs which is being held in Seattle this week.

Wallace Ferber, 10, dived while swimming in the big ditch Saturday and was taken to the Ontario hospital where he was found to have a fractured skull. He is the nephew of Mrs. Jack Hanigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Conn received a letter from their son, Lloyd, which was dropped, overboard from the S. S. Monterey, near Tin Can Island. The letter was written May 11; was picked up and mailed from the island postoffice June 10, and re-received Payette July 15. The envelope bears the following inscription: "Tin Can Mail put overboard in sea from the Oceanic liner 'Monterey' off Tin Can Island is carried ashore by native swimmers, it bears royal Hongan postage, and brings to you a faint touch of th romance of these South Seas thru which we

Local Topics

Mrs. L. J. Klein and baby left Saturday for Spokane, Wn. where they will visit Mrs. Klein's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Daniels. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Moore and daughter Imogene spent Sunday visiting Mrs. Ray Dehm and other relatives at Nampa.

Miss Darlene McCrea of Wendell, spent the week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. McCrea.

Mrs. Elsie McCutcheon of Eatonville, Wn. is visiting here with her brother, D. T. Frederickson and family.

Miss Dorothy Cockerum of the Peacock Beauty college at Nampa, spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Cockerum.

Miss Louise Sawyer of Boise spent the week end visiting Miss Dorothy Cockerum and other friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Talbot and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Dalrymple and family spent the week end at Lost Lake.

Miss Winifred Ausman was a Sunday dinner guest at the R. L. Hoopes at Huntington, Ore.

Mrs. Violet Madrid returned Monday from Greenwood, Miss., where she spent a week visiting friends.

Albert White, local post office clerk left last week to visit his daughter, Mrs. Eleanor Mueller and family at Erie, Pa. Fellow postal employees believe that the attraction is a several months old granddaughter.

Mrs. Harley Lowe of Anderson Dam arrived in Payette last Thursday for a visit with relatives and friends for several days.

Verge Downing had the misfortune to injure his hand badly Monday morning in a belt at the Creamery. He was taken to the Payette General hospital for medical attention and was later released.

Lt. (jg) Robert L. Farber left last Thursday for San Pedro, Calif. He expects to be sent to the South Pacific soon.

Mrs. Gould Fay and son Gary spent from Wednesday until Sunday visiting relatives at Emmett. Sunday Mr. Fay and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Harris went to Emmett from where Mrs. Fay and son accompanied them on a fishing trip to Squaw creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Amick and family attended a picnic at the Weiser Park Sunday given by Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Batchler of Weiser.

Mrs. Lydia White spent from Friday until Sunday visiting in Boise.

Henry Bosien, M.O.M. 3/c left Tuesday for Oceanide, Calif. after a fifteen day leave here with his wife and family.

Mrs. O. E. Wood and daughters, Peggy and Patricia were accompanied to Evergreen camp Friday by Mrs. Edna Powell, Mrs. Stella Belknap, and daughter, Virginia, Mrs. Rowenah Byers and Mrs. Francis Wayne, where they enjoyed the day picnicking.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mellis spent from Thursday to Monday at McCall at the Carnex cabin.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Musgrove and family returned the last of the week from a weeks vacation at Boulder creek.

Mrs. Garold Harkins spent Sunday at the Farris home in Weiser visiting her grandmother Dawson, of Oklahoma, who is visiting there.

Frank Haasch of Pocatello visited at the home of his son, Don Haasch and family Friday.

Little Michael Eastman of Nyssa, grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Eastman received a bad cut on his leg last Saturday evening when he fell on a hoe at his home. He had to have a number of stitches taken and remain in bed for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Frye and family visited relatives in Weiser Sunday afternoon and evening.

Mrs. Walter Gintner returned Monday after spending three weeks with her husband at Farragut. Pvt. Gintner has been transferred to San Diego.

are passing."

Quite an unusual sight for Payette was the caravan of motorcycles that gathered on South Seventh street Sunday morning. The scene of activity was the Fowler and Gamble wrecking establishment, local dealer of Harley-Davidson motorcycles. A group of sixteen cycles from neighboring towns carried twenty-five persons to Starkey where the crowd enjoyed a picnic dinner.

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The Idaho Canning Company finished work on the pea crop last Monday which was by far the largest in the history of the institution. The output was over twenty car loads.

For the benefit of the Enterprise readers who live away from here, we might say it's hotter than the hubs of the infernal regions, around a hundred in the shade for the past two weeks, but we are not complaining for we have plenty of irrigation water, and the crops are booming.

James Stanton, Garland Walters, Roy Herrington and John Stevens returned Sunday evening from Little Weiser with a real catch, thirteen salmon, weighing 125 pounds, dressed.

J. L. Wells left Friday evening accompanying two cars of cattle to the Portland market. He was joined by Mrs. Wells and Mrs. K. L. Johnson, who left Payette on Tuesday. They will take part in the big Elks convention.

Captain and Mrs. Elmer Lynd who are here visiting from San Antonio, Texas, returned Wednesday afternoon from a ten days' visit at Burns, Oregon, at the home of Mrs. Lynd's sister. The Captain drove his big six cylinder car, but said his flying machine would beat an auto on such roads as we have between here and Burns.

SOCIETY

WILLING WORKERS

Willing Workers class of the Church of Christ met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Coffey Thursday evening, July 19th for a picnic supper. The evening was spent in fellowship and enjoying the band concert. Twenty-eight were present.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Moore entertained Mrs. Helen Ogburn and children of Ontario, Mrs. Lewis Bean and sons of Payette, Sunday at dinner.

DINNER LAST THURSDAY EVENING

George Boss of LaCrescenta, Cal., R. H. Boss and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Dalrymple and children were entertained at the Earl Coates home at dinner last Thursday evening.

N. G. CLUB

Mrs. Rhoda Stauff entertained thirteen members of the N. G. club last Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Hunt, Mrs. Jones, Frances Lockhart, Mary Lou Decker and Donna May Preston were guests. The next meeting will be at the home of Alma James.

DINNER THURSDAY EVENING

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Cheek were hosts at a dinner at the Country Club last Thursday evening. Their guests were Robert Peacock of Chicago, Ill., E. H. Harris of San Francisco, Calif., Mr. Van Auker and Mr. Peterson of Caldwell.

COUNTRY CLUB DINNER

Mrs. Russell Humphreys of Ontario entertained her sisters, Mrs. Lydia White of Payette and Mrs. Arlo Hagler of San Francisco, Cal., at a dinner at the Country Club Wednesday night of last week. Mrs. Hagler has been visiting her sisters in this section for some time.

FORMER PAYETTE GIRL MARRIES IN CALIFORNIA

Miss Mary Dean, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Briggs, formerly proprietors of the Commercial hotel here, and now of Aptos, Cal., was married June 6 to Victor R. Hingst, of Pennsylvania who is in service, at a double ring ceremony. The bride wore a blue suit with white accessories and carried a bouquet of red roses.

LUNCHEON

Mrs. Keith Anderson had as her luncheon guests last Thursday Mrs. William Biggs of Denver, Colorado, Mrs. Paul Biggs and two children, Joyce and Paula of Oregon City, Ore., and Mrs. Fred Peine of Nampa.

WOMAN'S COUNCIL

The Woman's Council of the Church of Christ, met at Central park, Thursday afternoon, July 19, for their regular monthly meeting. Mrs. C. C. Springston presided over the meeting. An inspiring devotional period was held with a short business meeting, after which a social hour was enjoyed. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Rose Pope and Mrs. Mattie Lathrop.

GUESTS SUNDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Matsen had Mr. and Mrs. Gerald DeBord and family as their Sunday dinner guests.

DINNER AT COUNTRY CLUB

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Terminghaus and Mrs. C. A. Carlson enjoyed dinner Sunday evening at the Country club.

DAUGHTER'S BIRTHDAY

Mrs. John Kaiser entertained at a birthday party Saturday afternoon in honor of her daughter Janelle's fourth birthday. Invited guests were Barbara and Rose Mary Sedlmayer, Nancy and Polly Gibbon, Sherri Dunkle, Nancy Jane Fisher, Elaine Robertson, Tommy Williams, Kay Beattie, and Dawn Joan Kaiser. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Pearce were also guests. The afternoon was spent in playing games. Mrs. Kaiser served refreshments at the close.

BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. Clarence Ficken of Fruitland was hostess at her bridge club Friday afternoon. Prizes were won by Mrs. Dwight Maule high, Mrs. A. C. Fenske, second high and Mrs. E. C. Fisk low.

FAMILY DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Judy and family were guests at dinner Sunday at the home of Mr. Judy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Judy at Fruitland.

COUNTRY CLUB DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. Brooks Landon and son David entertained their house guest, Mrs. Landon's sister, Mrs. Chas. Rochester of New York at dinner at the Country Club last Friday evening.

SUNDAY DINNER

Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Rowenah Byers were Mrs. Edna Powell, Mrs. O. R. Wood and children Peggy and Patricia of Washoe.

GIRL SCOUTS HOME FROM CAMP

The Girl Scouts and their chaperones, Miss Helen Dunn, Miss Shirley Solterbeck and Miss Bernice Cain, and Mrs. Roy Sweetwood who cooked for them returned Monday morning after a weeks outing at Pilgrim Cove camp at McCall.

FREEMAN WRITES FROM CAMP ROBERTS

The Independent-Enterprise received an interesting letter this week from Pvt. Rex Freeman who is in training at Camp Roberts, Calif. Among other things he said, he used to think he was pretty good at walking but now he knows he only had a start at that art, and the weather is hot as blazes but there is a cool breeze at night.

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2. Clean and adjust carburetor
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8. Inspect water pump
9. Clean fuel pump
10. Clean spark plugs and adjust gaps
11. Test ignition, coil and wiring
12. Clean oil cleaner element
13. Replace oil filter cartridge
14. Clean battery terminals—test battery capacity
15. Check electrical gauges
16. Inspect and re-pack front wheel bearings
17. Change axle and transmission lubricant
18. Lubricate chassis fittings
19. Oil generator and distributor
20. Fill steering gear with correct oil
21. Adjust brakes
22. Check hydraulic brake fluid level
23. Check water thermostat
24. Vacuum clean car interior
25. Wash car
26. Give estimate on any necessary body work
27. Give estimate on new piston rings if needed
28. Flush and re-fill radiator
29. Fill and adjust shock absorbers
30. Road-test the car

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