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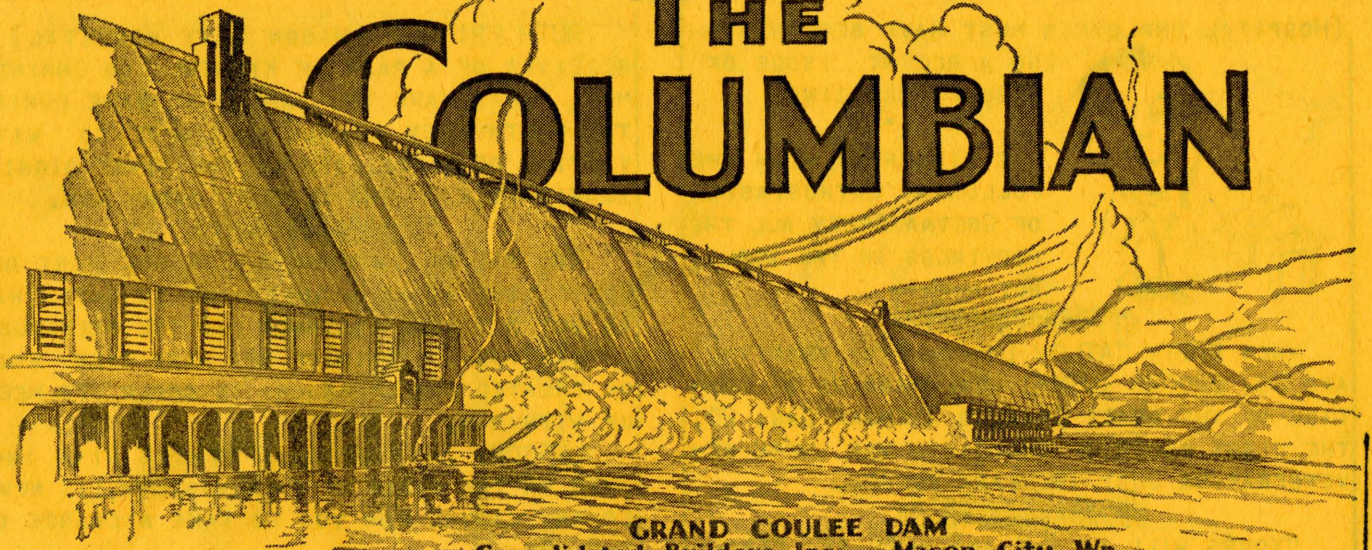
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THESE ARE OPERATING ENGINEERS

IT TAKES ONLY A SLIGHT PROJECTION INTO THE FUTURE TO VISUALIZE THE COMPLETED GRAND COULEE DAM -- ACTIVE MONUMENT TO THE BENEFIT OF FUTURE MILLIONS OF PEOPLE. THIS BRINGS REALIZATION THAT, WITH MEMORY AS FLEETING AS IT IS, THE FINISHED DAM WILL FURTHER TEND TO OBSCURE DETAILS IN ITS CONSTRUCTION. CONTRIBUTORY TO COMPLETION WAS THE UNREELING AND REELING OF CABLE ON CRANE DRUMS FOR NEARLY ONE-HALF MILLION MILES AS CONCRETE BUCKETS WERE LOWERED, DUMPED, RAISED. WITH EACH BUCKET, THE DAM ADDED AN INFINITESIMAL BUT REAL FRACTION TO ITS SIZE.

MAKING ALL THIS POSSIBLE ARE MECHANICAL AND ELECTRICAL GENII OF THE TWENTIETH CENTURY -- HUGE DOUBLE-CANTILEVER CRANES, WHIRLEY CRANES, DIESEL-ELECTRIC LOCOMOTIVES. AND YET THESE MARVEL PRODUCTS OF THE AGE ALWAYS REQUIRE A HUMAN BRAIN, VOICE AND ARM. AMONG GROUPS DIRECTLY CONCERNED ARE THE OPERATING ENGINEERS.

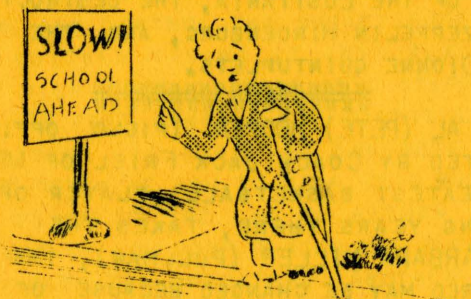
WITH REFERENCE LIMITED TO TRESTLE AREA OPERATORS, OPERATING ENGINEERS ARE CRANE OPERATORS. A SPECIAL DIVISION OF OPERATORS INCLUDES SIGNALMEN, DIESEL-ELECTRIC LOCOMOTIVE OPERATORS AND BRAKEMEN.

ORIGINALLY IN THE EMPLOYMENT OF OPERATORS THE COMPANY NOTIFIED THE AMERICAN FEDERATION OF LABOR OF NEED FOR AN OPERATOR FOR A WHIRLEY, HAMMERHEAD OR STIFFLEG

CRANE. THE OPERATOR REPORTED TO THE CBI EMPLOYMENT OFFICE AND THEN TO THE EQUIPMENT DISPATCHER ON THE LOWER FLOOR OF THE EAST FIELD OFFICE. THE DISPATCHER CHECKED ON THE NEW ARRIVAL'S EXPERIENCE RECORD AND THEN NOTIFIED THE TRESTLE EQUIPMENT WALKER WHO EXAMINED AND ASSISTED THE NEW OPERATOR.

IN THE USUAL ROUTINE OF RETURNING TO WORK DAY IN AND DAY OUT, THE GROUPS OF OPERATING ENGINEERS FIND THAT THE DISPATCHER HAS CHALKED ON WALLBOARDS THE DAYS OF WORK AND THE RIG WITH WHICH THEY WORK FOR THE ENTIRE WEEK. THIS IS TRUE FOR CRANE OPERATORS, "DINKEY SKINNERS" AND SIGNALMEN.

IN ORGANIZING RIG EMPLOYMENT FOR THE DAY AND WEEK, THE EQUIPMENT DISPATCHER LISTS OPERATORS FIRST FOR THE WHIRLEY
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SAFETY SIGNS... READ 'EM AND HEED 'EM

(HOSPITAL EMPLOYEES MUST HAVE BEEN READING A RECENT ISSUE OF LIBERTY MAGAZINE)



WE SINCERELY WISH THE FOLLOWING ENTHUSIASTS OF GRETA GREEN ALL THE HAPPINESS IN THE WORLD, BUT -----

WHEN BETTY CATLOW (MASON CITY HOSPITAL) AND DON BROOKS (USBR) WERE MARRIED BY JUSTICE OF THE PEACE CHARLES RIEMCKE JAN. 20, THE FIRST SHOTS OF THE CIVIL WAR WERE REVERBERATING JUST 79 YEARS BEFORE.

"YOURS WILL BE THE ANNIVERSARY PERIOD FOR THE DEATH OF WOODROW WILSON, THE BEGINNING OF THE RUSSO-JAPANESE WAR, THE SINKING OF THE BATTLESHIP MAINE AND THE ESCAPE OF NAPOLEON FROM ELBA." THIS IS WHAT FEB. 10 WILL MEAN FOR DAVID PAIGE (FIELD OFFICE) AND ESTELLE KOONTZ (EX-MASON CITY HOSPITAL).

WHEN FRANK STEWART AND ALTA BLENKNER (BOTH MASON CITY HOSPITAL) INTEND THEIR NUPTIALS IT WILL BE THE 75TH ANNIVERSARY TO A DAY OF THE ASSASSINATION OF ABRAHAM LINCOLN (APRIL 14).

WHEN HOWARD GILLIS (MAIN OFFICE) INTENDS TO SAY TO FRANCES MATTHEWS (EX-MASON CITY STORES), "I SHALL OBEY YOU FOR THE REST OF OUR LIVES (WITH SOME RESERVATIONS)", HE WILL BE KEEPING IN MIND THE FAMOUS BATTLE OF SAN JACINTO WHICH OCCURRED APRIL 21, 1836.

WHEN LEE MCCOURY (MASON CITY HOSPITAL) AND JAMES BEATTY (EAST FIELD OFFICE) SAY "WE DO", EACH IN THE SINGULAR, THEY PLAN IT TO BE THE SAME PERIOD OF THE GREAT JOHNSTOWN FLOOD, COLUMBUS' LAST VOYAGE, THE TORPEDOING OF THE LUSITANIA, THE DESTRUCTION OF THE ZEPPELIN HINDENBURG, AND THE BIRTH OF THE DIONNE QUINTUPLETS.

WHEN AL (PETE) HOOPER (FIELD OFFICE), NOMINATED BY COACH JACK FRIEL OF WSC AS THE GREATEST BASKETBALL PLAYER OF HIS COACHING YEARS THERE, TAKES THE VOWS WITH BARBARA MILLER (PULLMAN), THE DATE CONSIDERED MAY BE CHANGED BECAUSE OF THE OCCURRENCE AT THE SAME TIME, ONLY YEARS BEFORE, OF THE DEATH OF ANDY JACKSON, THE MASSACRE OF CUSTER AND HIS MEN.

RUTH FRITSCH (MASON CITY HOSPITAL) RECEIVER OF A PART OF KIMBERLY ON CHRISTMAS, WON'T HAVE THE SAME LAST NAME DURING THE MONTH WHEN A HULL WAS SPOTTED WITH VICTIMS OF RIFLE FIRE IN THE FIRST SIGNIFICANT BATTLE OF THE REVOLUTIONARY WAR.

YOU MAY BE INTERESTED IN THE DART OF CUPID, BUT IT IS SIGNIFICANT TO NOTE THAT IN NOT A SINGLE INSTANCE DID THE PREVIOUSLY MENTIONED VICTIM OF HIS DART EVER HAVE BE TREATED FOR AN INJURY IN ORDER TO MEET UP WITH HIM.

LESSON: JUST BECAUSE OTHERS RISK INJURY ON THE BASIS OF PAST HISTORY, IS NEVER ANY EXCUSE FOR YOU TO TAKE A CHANCE ON THE JOB.

THOMAS J. WALSH, JR., FORMERLY OF MASON CITY, WAS MARRIED JAN. 13 AT WINNITKA, ILL., TO THE FORMER ANN LIDDLE, DAUGHTER OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE PULLMAN-STANDARD CAR MANUFACTURING COMPANY.

USBR ENGINEERS ARE NOT WEARING OUT PENCILS TRYING TO FIGURE OUT WHY ALBERT MOSER PAID MORE FOR HIS AUTO LICENSE THAN OTHERS WHO GOT THEIRS BEFORE JAN. 1.

FIGHTING FOR THE HONOR OF ED MOORE DOWN IN FLORIDA IS ONE OF THE WEATHERED FLOCK. ED FED THE LITTLE SPURRED WARRIOR HERE BEFORE IT HEADED SOUTHWARD.

JOE FARREL, ATHLETIC SAGE, QUIETLY VOWS, "IN A CLOSE RELATIVE OF MINE, THE DYNAMOS HERE ARE OVERLOOKING AN ATHLETE THAT STUNNED THE EASTERN UNITED STATES."

THANKS

IT IS WITH HEARTFELT GRATITUDE THAT I TAKE THIS MEANS OF EXPRESSING MY APPRECIATION FOR THE EXCELLENT WRIST WATCH PRESENTED JANUARY 17 BY THE MEMBERS OF THE FIRST AID CLASSES.

E. C. STILES, INSTRUCTOR

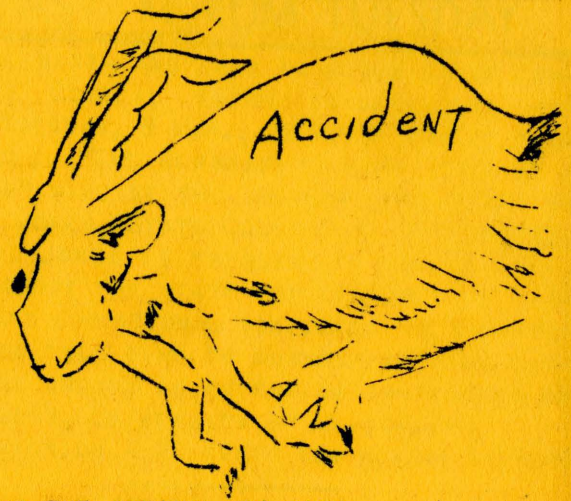
FOLLOWING COMPLETION OF THE INSTALLATION OF A WHIRLEY AT THE PUMPING PLANT SITE, CBI WILL START INSTALLATION OF 12 14-FOOT DIAMETER INLET PIPES 65 FEET LONG. WESTERN PIPE WILL WELD THE SECTIONS.

STRIPPING OF AN ADDITIONAL 10 ACRES ALONG THE SOUTH OF BRETT PIT BEGAN THIS WEEK.

MORAL -- KEEP YOUR MIND ON YOUR WORK



(A PENCIL DRAWING AND VERSE POSTED OUT ON THE JOB)



I LOVE THE SPRING, BY JING.
 I GO OUT ON THE PORCH AND SWING,
 AND SMOKE MY OLD COB PIPE AND SING.
 BY JING,
 JEST SWING AND SING.
 I LOVE THE SPRING, BY JING!
 THE ZEPHYRS TO MY OLD HEART BRING
 AND BRING;
 I'D RUTHER BE JEST ME THAN KING, BY JING--
 JEST ME THAN KING.

OPERATORS

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CRANES. IN MOST CASES THESE PARTICULAR OPERATORS CAN BE CALLED SPECIALISTS IN THE OPERATION OF WHIRLEY CRANES--OPERATORS WHO UNDERSTAND AND CAN ACT FOR PROBLEMS PECULIAR TO WHIRLEYS. ASSIGNMENT TO HAMMERHEAD CRANES MAY BE TO OPERATORS WHO HAVE WORKED ON BOTH TYPES OF CRANES OR ON HAMMERHEADS ALONE. BASIC PROBLEMS IN OPERATION OF A HAMMERHEAD ARE FEWER. OPERATORS DETAILED TO STIFFLEGS USUALLY ARE VETERANS WITH YEARS OF EXPERIENCE.

 WE ARE NOT SO MUCH CONCERNED HERE WITH THE FACT THAT AN ENGINEER MUST PUSH THIS OR THAT PARTICULAR LEVER IN ORDER FOR A CRANE TO OPERATE IN THIS OR THAT WAY SO MUCH AS THAT HE MUST OPERATE A PARTICULAR KIND OF CRANE SAFELY AND EFFICIENTLY. WHEN HE BRINGS ABOUT THESE RESULTS THERE IS A RHYTHM TO THE WORK THAT IS REMARKABLE TO WATCH. A GOOD WHIRLEY OPERATOR, IN MOST CASES UNABLE TO SEE THE DESTINATION FOR HIS LOAD, CAN MAKE MUCH OF HIS WORK DOVE-TAIL AS IN A SINGLE ACTION. THE BOOM OF THE RIG WILL SWING UP OR DOWN TO GET PROPER DISTANCE FOR THE JOB AT HAND, FIRST TO PICK UP A CONCRETE BUCKET, FOR EXAMPLE, AND THEN TO SWING IN AN ARC TO GET THE LOAD AWAY FROM THE TRACK AND SPOTTED OVER

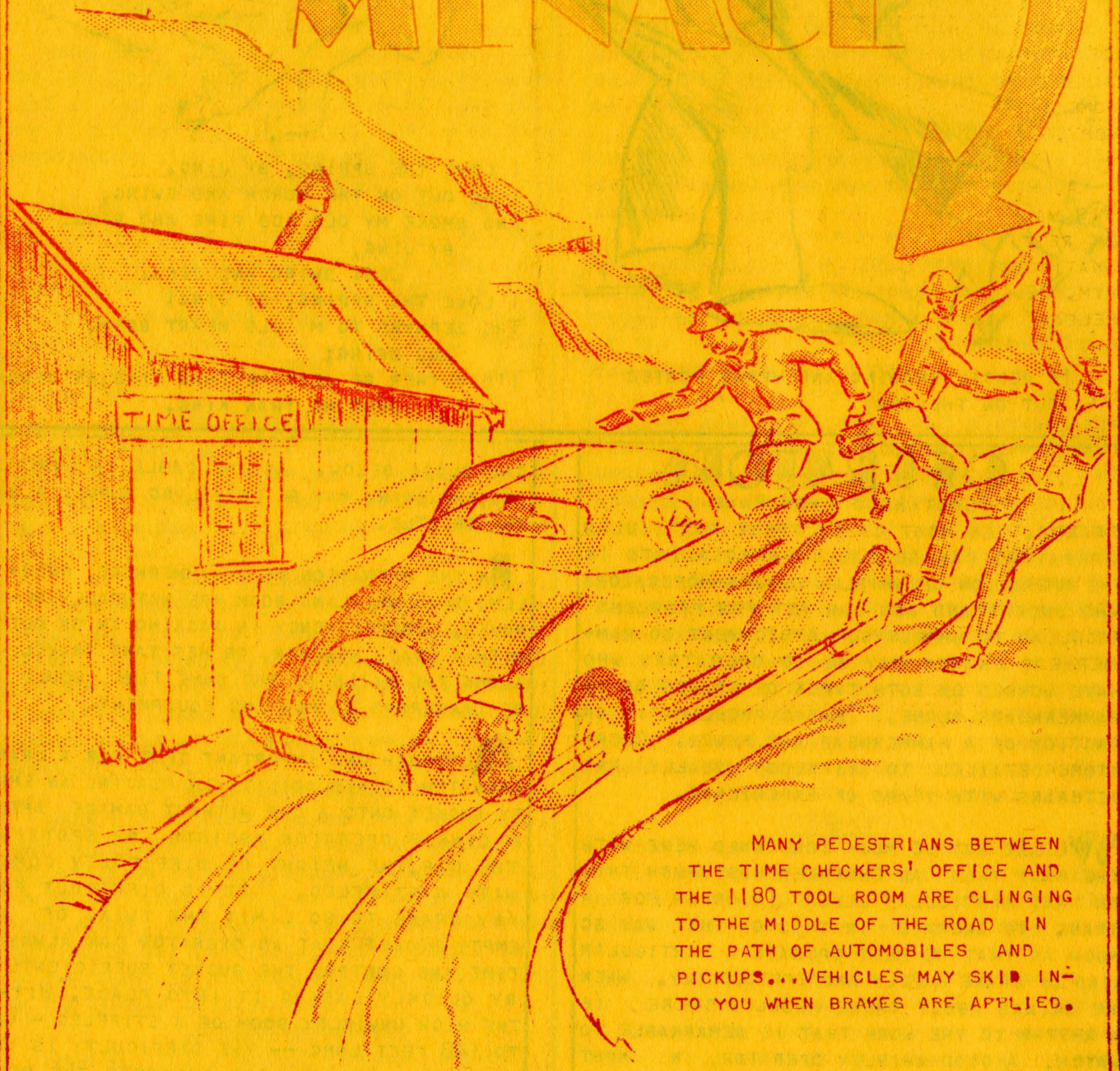
THE BLOCK BELOW. AS THE CABLE IS UNREELING, THE CRANE MAY BE TRAVELING SLOWLY ALONG THE TRESTLE.

 IN THE OPERATION OF A HAMMERHEAD, PROBLEMS OF A WHIRLING BOOM ARE NATURALLY REMOVED. INEFFICIENCY IN RACKING IN OR OUT WITH A LOAD, HOWEVER, OR HESITANT TRAVEL ALONG THE RAILS AT THE SAME TIME WOULD BE DANGEROUS TO MEN AND EQUIPMENT.

 ALTHOUGH ONE IMPORTANT TEST FOR A CRANE OPERATOR IS HIS AGILITY IN PLACING AN EMPTY BUCKET ONTO A CAR WITHOUT DAMAGE AFTER A DINKEY OPERATOR ASSISTS BY SPOTTING THE CAR, THE HEIGHT OF DIFFICULTY COMES WITH A STIFFLEG. IT IS DIFFICULT FOR ANY CRANE TO SO LIMIT THE SWING OF AN EMPTY BUCKET THAT AN OPERATOR CAN ALWAYS TIME AND CONTROL THE BUCKET SUFFICIENTLY BY QUICKLY EASING IT INTO PLACE. WITH THE HIGH UNWIELDY BOOM OF A STIFFLEG -- UP TO 148 FEET LONG -- THE DIFFICULTY IS INCREASED. IN HANDLING CONCRETE THE BOOM MUST OFTEN BE LOW TO PICK UP A BUCKET, HIGH TO PLACE IT AND LOW TO RETURN THE EMPTY. A FLAT OR LOW BOOM PLACES THE BUCKET A LONG WAY FROM THE OPERATOR. ANOTHER THING TOO IS THAT THE HIGH DEGREE OF AUTOMATIC CONTROL FOUND IN TRAVERSE CRANES IS SOMEWHAT

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SAFETY MENACE



MANY PEDESTRIANS BETWEEN THE TIME CHECKERS' OFFICE AND THE 1180 TOOL ROOM ARE CLINGING TO THE MIDDLE OF THE ROAD IN THE PATH OF AUTOMOBILES AND PICKUPS...VEHICLES MAY SKID INTO YOU WHEN BRAKES ARE APPLIED.

DRIVE SLOWLY

Mason City

HOSPITAL

JAN. 21, TO MR. AND MRS. ERIC STROM, GRAND COULEE, A SON.

JAN. 17, TO MR. AND MRS. W. M. WALKER OF GRAND COULEE, A SON.

JAN. 17, TO MR. AND MRS. L.A. MORRISSEY, GRAND COULEE, A DAUGHTER.

JAN. 15, TO MR. AND MRS. E. N. RICKERT, GRAND COULEE, A DAUGHTER.

NON-INDUSTRIAL INJURIES

TROUBLE IN DOUBLE CAME TO ED FOUNTAIN OF WESTERN PIPE & STEEL. THE SOLUTION ALSO CAME DOUBLE AS HE LEFT FOR HIS HOME AFTER AN APPENDECTOMY AND TONSILLECTOMY.

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A. H. COFFER MET UP WITH A RESPITE IN HIS WALKER DUTIES ON GRAVEYARD SHIFT-- A RESPITE WHICH HE COULD NOT ENJOY. SKATING ON ICE BROUGHT A BROKEN LEG FOR HIM. THE LEG WAS MENDING WELL AS HE WAS RELEASED FROM THE HOSPITAL LAST WEEK.

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TWO WEEKS OF MEDICAL TREATMENT BROUGHT RELIEF FOR T. F. DRAKE, WHO LEFT THE HOSPITAL WITHIN THE PAST WEEK.

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L. A. PHILLIPS HAS BEEN RELEASED FROM CONTINUOUS WORRY. A SUCCESSFUL APPENDECTOMY TOOK CARE OF THAT FOR HIM.

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WITHIN THE LAST FEW DAYS, MRS. C. F. VAIL, FRANK WORKMAN AND ED SOUTHARD WERE RELEASED TO THEIR HOMES TO CONVALESCENCE AFTER MAJOR OPERATIONS.

INDUSTRIAL CASES

KENNETH SARGENT, WESTERN PIPE & STEEL, SUSTAINED A KNEE INJURY WHEN A SLEDGE HAMMER HE WAS USING TO DRIVE A SHIM UNDER A CHAIR GLANCED AND STRUCK HIM.

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WILBUR KIDDER CAN THANK A HARD HAT FOR SAVING HIS LIFE. A 4-FOOT LENGTH OF 2 X12 FELL 50 FEET, STRIKING HIM ON THE HEAD. HE LOST BUT TWO DAYS.

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ALFRED PROVOST SUFFERED A CONTUSION OF THE LEFT FOOT WHEN HE WAS STRUCK BY A LADDER THAT WAS TIPPED OVER. ESTIMATED TIME LOSS: 10 DAYS.

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AFTER THREE WEEKS WITH A FRACTURED JAW, CHARLES RYAN OF THE USBR PASSED THE FIRST STEP IN HIS RETURN TO WORK. HE WAS RELEASED RECENTLY FROM THE HOSPITAL.

LAST FORUM TUESDAY

THE SIXTH AND LAST IN A SERIES OF COMMUNITY COUNCIL FORUMS IS SCHEDULED FOR NEXT TUESDAY, 8 P.M., IN GRAND COULEE HIGH SCHOOL. "THE NEWSPAPER, WHAT KIND OF A WINDOW" WILL BE THE SUBJECT CONSIDERED BY GLENN JONES, STATE COLLEGE OF WASHINGTON.

MR. JONES IS FREQUENTLY CALLED UPON THROUGHOUT THE STATE FOR LECTURES ON CURRENT AND EDUCATIONAL SUBJECTS. HE FORMERLY DEVOTED FULL TIME TO CURRENT AFFAIRS DISCUSSION GROUPS AS EXTENSION INSTRUCTOR IN SOCIOLOGY, UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN.

ADMISSION - 25 CENTS (OR SEASON TICKET)

OPERATORS

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LACKING IN THE STIFFLEGS WHICH HAVE FRICTION DRIVES -- A WIDE VARIETY OF LONG LEVERS TO SHIFT IN SERIES.

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A VALUABLE ASSISTANT TO EACH OF THESE CRANE OPERATORS IS HIS "EYES", A SIGNALMAN ("BELLBOY") WITH HIS TELEPHONE HEADSET, COMMUNICATING TO HIS CRANE OPERATOR FROM THE SCENE WHERE THE CONCRETE, SKIP, LUMBER, SMALL BUILDING, PIECES OF STEEL OR THE LIKE IS TO BE PLACED. THE VOICE OF THE SIGNALMAN AS HEARD BY HIS OPERATOR IN THE CRANE CAB IS AN IMPORTANT SAFETY MEASURE FOR MEN AND EQUIPMENT.

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DURING PEAK PRODUCTION APPROXIMATELY 50 CRANE OPERATORS HAVE BEEN NEEDED DURING A WEEK OF OPERATION, 70 "DINKEY" SKINNERS, 50 SIGNALMEN. WORK THEN REQUIRED THREE 265-TON HAMMERHEAD CRANES, FOUR SLIGHTLY SMALLER HAMMERHEAD CRANES, TWO CLYDE WHIRLEYS, THREE AMERICAN WHIRLEYS AND SOME USE OF THREE STIFFLEG CRANES. EIGHTEEN LOCOMOTIVES WERE NEEDED FOR CONCRETING DURING THE PEAK DAYS.

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TODAY AND UNTIL RESUMPTION OF SPRING CONCRETING A PROBLEM IS TO DISTRIBUTE AS MUCH TIME AS POSSIBLE AMONG OPERATORS. ANOTHER CONCERN IS TO TRY TO GROUP SHORT JOBS TOGETHER IN SUCH A WAY AS TO PROVIDE FULL 8-HOUR DAYS WHENEVER AN EMPLOYEE IS CALLED OUT TO WORK. HOW SIMPLE IS THIS? WELL, THE EQUIPMENT DISPATCHER IS NOT PASSING HIS FINGERS THROUGH HIS HAIR JUST TO COMB IT. NOR ARE OTHERS.

SOMETHING'S WRONG WITH A MAN WHO IS ALWAYS RIGHT.



NOTICE!

FOR QUALITY MEATS AT PRICES YOU CAN AFFORD TO PAY,
 SEE OUR AD FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY IN THE GRAND
 COULEE TIMES. CHECK OUR MEAT CASE ANY DAY IN
 THE WEEK FOR LOW PRICES ON HIGH QUALITY MEATS.
 WE INVITE YOUR INSPECTION AND COMPARISON FOR
 EVERYDAY, LOW, CASE PRICES.

CHOICE GRADE U.S. INSPECTED MEATS

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| PORK ROAST | - | FRESH, LEAN SHOULDER CUTS |
| BEEF STEAK | - | SEVEN BONE CUT |
| BEEF SHORT RIBS | - | FINE FOR BRAISING |
| PORK CHOPS | - | FRESH-TRIMMED, AND LEAN |
| BEEF ROAST | - | CHUCK CUTS |
| RUMP ROAST | - | FROM FANCY STEER BEEF |
| PORK LINKS | - | FANCY, FRESH LITTLE PIGS |
| PICNIC HAMS | - | PRE-COOKED |
| PORK STEAK | - | TENDER, CORN FED |
| BEEF STEAK | - | FOREQUARTER ROUND |
| ROUND STEAK | - | FANCY TOP, BONELESS |
| LAMB STEAK | - | SHOULDER CUTS |
| VEAL STEAK | - | FOREQUARTER CUTS |
| LAMB LEGS | - | GENUINE SPRING LAMBS |

FOR PRICES, SEE OUR AD IN GRAND
 COULEE TIMES



MASON CITY STORES

RESULTS OF RECLAMATION PROGRAM

(FROM A PRESENTATION BY JOHN C. PAGE, COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF RECLAMATION, AT THE EIGHTH ANNUAL CONVENTION OF THE RECLAMATION BUREAU, DENVER, LAST NOVEMBER).

"...I COULD TELL YOU, FOR EXAMPLE, THAT IN 37 YEARS UNDER THE FEDERAL RECLAMATION PROGRAM WE HAVE CONSTRUCTED ON A REIMBURSABLE BASIS 156 DAMS AND 48 POWER HOUSES; THAT THE POWER HOUSES PRODUCED MORE THAN 2 BILLION, 212 MILLION KILOWATT HOURS OF ENERGY LAST YEAR WHICH SOLD FOR \$5,610,847.14; THAT 903,897 PEOPLE LIVE ON 52,552 FARMS, IN 258 TOWNS AND CITIES WE HAVE CREATED BY IRRIGATION, AND THAT THESE PEOPLE HAD ON DEPOSIT IN BANKS LAST YEAR \$226,645,573; THAT 3,040,695 ACRES WERE IRRIGATED BY FEDERAL CANALS, AND LAST YEAR PRODUCED CROPS VALUED AT \$113,463,460, OR \$37.31 PER ACRE. WITHOUT COMPARISONS OR INTERPRETATIONS, HOWEVER, THESE BARE FACTS WOULD MEAN LITTLE."

THE NETWORK OF DAMS BUILT BY THE USBR IN THE WESTERN STATES, HE EXPLAINED, PROVIDED WATER TO IRRIGATE THE FARMS WHICH SUPPORTED NEARLY ONE-TWELFTH OF THE RURAL

AND URBAN POPULATION OF THE WEST AND FURNISHED POWER FOR USE ON THE FARMS AND IN THE HOMES OF ABOUT ONE-FOURTH OF THE WEST'S PEOPLE. DEPOSITS IN BANKS WHICH NEVER WOULD OR COULD HAVE OPENED WITHOUT CONSTRUCTION OF THESE PROJECTS, HE ADDED, LAST YEAR CAME PRETTY CLOSE TO EQUALLING THE COST OF CONSTRUCTION OF ALL THE OPERATING FEDERAL PROJECTS. CONSTRUCTION OF THESE PROJECTS IS REPAYABLE TO THE UNITED STATES, HE EXPLAINED, AND MORE THAN \$50,000,000 HAS BEEN REPAID.

"LET US SAY THAT THE RAW CROPS PRODUCED ON THE LANDS WE IRRIGATED REPRESENTED A CONTRIBUTION TO THE NATIONAL WEALTH LAST YEAR ALONE OF MORE THAN 113 MILLION DOLLARS, AND THAT THE PER ACRE RETURN TO THE FARMER ON OUR PROJECTS WAS CONSIDERABLY MORE THAN TWICE THE NATIONAL AVERAGE."



CATHOLIC CHURCH-- FATHER A. FARRELLY,
PASTOR
9 A.M. MASS; MASON CITY
11 A.M. MASS, GRAND COULEE

COMMUNITY CHURCH -- REV. D. E.
PETERSON, MINISTER
9:45 A.M. CHURCH SCHOOL
11:00 A.M. MORNING WORSHIP
11:00 A.M. NURSERY & KINDERGARTEN
6:00 P.M. YOUNG PEOPLE
7:30 P.M. VESPER SERVICE

CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY
SAINTS (IN MASON CITY HIGH SCHOOL)
--R. E. NUTTALL, BRANCH PRESIDENT
10:30 P.A.M. OPENING EXERCISES
11:15 A.M. DEPARTMENTAL WORKS

ELECTRIC CITY UNION CHURCH
10 A.M. SUNDAY SCHOOL
6 P.M. CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE (BUILDING FORMERLY
OCCUPIED AS LAYMAN'S GOSPEL TABERNACLE IN
GRAND COULEE CENTER)--REV. A.P. GILLIAM
SUNDAY SCHOOL 10:00 A.M.
MORNING WORSHIP 11:00 A.M.
EVANGELISTIC SERVICE 7:30 P.M.
MID-WEEK SERVICE (WEDNESDAY) 7:30 P.M.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY (IN GOVERNMENT
SCHOOL, COULEE DAM)
11 A.M. SUNDAY SCHOOL
11 A.M. CHURCH SERVICES
MID-WEEK SERVICES, WEDNESDAY, 8 P.M.

GRAND COULEE COMMUNITY CHURCH -- E. C. WOOD,
PASTOR
9:45 A.M. CHURCH SCHOOL
11:00 A.M. MORNING WORSHIP
6:30 P.M. INTERMEDIATE GROUP
6:30 P.M. UNITED YOUTH GROUP
7:30 P.M. EVENING SERVICE

ASSEMBLY OF GOD, ELECTRIC CITY--REV. C.
CARLSON, PASTOR
9:45 A.M. SUNDAY SCHOOL
11:00 A.M. MORNING SERVICE
6:45 P.M. YOUNG PEOPLE
7:45 P.M. EVENING SERVICE
MID-WEEK SERVICES: 7:45 P.M.

ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH--GRAND COULEE HEIGHTS
--E. F. MUHLY, PASTOR
10 A.M. SUNDAY SCHOOL
11 A.M. DIVINE WORSHIP

SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST (FEDERAL AVENUE,
GRAND COULEE; SATURDAY)
9:45 A.M. SABBATH SCHOOL
11:00 A.M. BIBLE STUDY



WELL!
DO I GO TO
WORK TO-DAY

E-MEYERS

J.R.

"PUPS" FIGHT TONITE

THE BULLDOGS OF GONZAGA UNIVERSITY SEND THEIR RANGY FRESHMAN SQUAD AGAINST THE COULEE DAM DYNAMOS TONIGHT (THURSDAY).

THE COLLEGIANS WILL APPEAR AFTER A PRELIMINARY BOOKED FOR 7:30 BETWEEN MASON CITY (THE MYTHICAL SIX) AND THE GRAND COULEE MIDGETS, BOTH LEADERS OF THE COMMUNITY LEAGUE IN MASON CITY GYMNASIUM. MASON CITY HANDED THE MIDGETS THEIR FIRST LEAGUE SETBACK IN A TORRID BATTLE TUESDAY NIGHT 54 TO 50. THE TWO TEAMS HAVE EX-HIGH SCHOOL STARS AND INDEPENDENT PLAYERS WELL KNOWN HERE.

LAST YEAR THE GONZAGA UNIVERSITY FROSH TURNED IN SOME OF THE FASTEST FLOOR WORK SEEN IN MASON CITY GYMNASIUM TO DEFEAT THE COULEE DAM ALL-STARS IN THE LAST HALF-MINUTE OF PLAY 41 TO 40.

BY ADDING A WIN OF 31 TO 18 OVER WILBUR AND 50 TO 38 OVER THE WENATCHEE CHIEFS THE DYNAMOS HAVE NOW STRETCHED THEIR VICTORY STRING TO FIVE STRAIGHT GAMES.

OTHER ITEMS:::MANAGER MIKE MESI RECEIVED WORD MONDAY THAT THE HARLEM GLOBE TROTTERS, FAMED COLORED TRAVELING TEAM, ARE AGREEABLE TO A GAME HERE FEB. 10.

RUBENSTEIN'S OREGONIANS, ONE OF THE OUTSTANDING TEAMS ON THE PACIFIC SLOPE, SENT NOTICE THAT THEY ARE ANXIOUS FOR A GAME HERE FEB. 3. THE OREGONIANS FROM PORTLAND CARRY FOUR OF THE FIVE STARTERS OF LAST YEAR'S UNIVERSITY OF OREGON NATIONAL CHAMPS. LADDIE GALE IS INCLUDED. SLIM WINTERMUTE IS NOT. THE OREGONIANS TOOK THE PRESENT OREGON UNIVERSITY SQUAD RECENTLY IN ONE GAME OUT OF THREE.

S. L. SAVIDGE TEAM OF SEATTLE WHO, ACCORDING TO ROYAL BROUGHAM, "PASSED, SHOT AND RAN CIRCLES AROUND" THE UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON VARSITY SOME TIME AGO, FAILED TO CONFIRM A TENTATIVE DATE HERE FOR THIS FRIDAY.

BE CAREFUL...MAYBE THE OTHER FELLOW IS THE FELLOW YOU THINK YOU ARE.....

A FLY WAS WALKING WITH HER DAUGHTER ON THE HEAD OF A MAN WHO WAS VERY BALD.

"HOW THINGS CHANGE, MY DEAR," SHE REMINISCED. "WHEN I WAS YOUR AGE, THIS WAS ONLY A FOOTPATH."

A MINUTE FOR SAFETY IS BETTER THAN A MONTH FOR REPAIRS.....

AS A MAN GROWS OLDER AND WISER, HE TALKS LESS AND SAYS MORE.

THREE HOME GAMES LEFT

STILL UNDEFEATED IN OKANOGAN COUNTY LEAGUE PLAY, MASON CITY HIGH SCHOOL HAS THREE HOME GAMES REMAINING UNTIL COMPLETION OF THE REGULAR SEASON. AFTER NESPELEM AWAY FROM HOME NEXT TUESDAY, THE BEAVERS WILL CONCLUDE THEIR SEASON AT HOME WITH BREWSTER FRIDAY OF NEXT WEEK, GRAND COULEE (FEB. 6) AND ALMIRA (FEB.13).

TUESDAY NIGHT MASON CITY TOOK CARE OF ALMIRA AWAY FROM HOME 43 TO 21.

WITH THE SINGLE EXCEPTION OF SEVERAL MINUTES OF DISTURBED DEFENSE AT THE OPENING OF THE SECOND HALF, A PHENOMENAL DEFENSE AND EXHIBITION OF MARKESMANSHIP LED THE BEAVERS TO A ONE-SIDED WIN FOR THEIR SECOND OF THE SEASON OVER THE OTHERWISE UNBEATEN OMAK HIGH SCHOOLERS LAST WEEK. THE MARGIN: 37 TO 23. THE LOCAL SECONDS TOOK THE PRELIMINARY 21 TO 17.

COMMUNITY LEAGUE SCHEDULE (MASON CITY GYM)

(PLEASE NOTE: PERSONS INTERESTED IN PARTICIPATING IN COMMUNITY LEAGUE BASKETBALL MAY BE USED IN SUBSTITUTIONS OR IN AN ORGANIZED TEAM LISTED IN THE SCHEDULE AS No. 6):

TUESDAY, JAN. 30
 7 P.M.--GRAND COULEE vs. INSPECTORS
 8 P.M.--TRESTLE vs. FIVE & TEN
 9 P.M.--No. 6 vs. MASON CITY

THURSDAY, FEB. 1
 7:30----No. 6 vs. INSPECTORS
 8:30----MASON CITY vs. TRESTLE
 9:30----INSPECTORS vs. FIVE & TEN

THURSDAY, FEB. 8
 7:30----INSPECTORS vs. No. 6
 8:30----MASON CITY vs. FIVE & TEN
 9:30----GRAND COULEE vs. TRESTLE

THURSDAY, FEB. 15
 7:30----INSPECTORS vs. TRESTLE
 8:30----MASON CITY vs. GRAND COULEE
 9:30----No. 6 vs. FIVE & TEN

COMMUNITY LEAGUE STANDINGS

NAME	WON	LOST
MASON CITY	4	1
GRAND COULEE MIDGETS	2	1
INSPECTORS	2	2
FIVE & TEN	1	1
TRESTLE	0	4



IT'S WHEN YOU
LEAST EXPECT
IT THAT AN
ACCIDENT IS
LIABLE TO
OVERTAKE YOU

PRESIDENTS' BALL

DANCE

SATURDAY

SO THAT

JAN. 27

MASON

CITY GYM

ALSO AT

MOOSE HALL

OTHERS

MAY WALK

TICKETS PROVIDE ADMISSION TO EITHER DANCE. FINANCES GO FOR THE PREVENTION OF INFANTILE PARALYSIS.

THOMAS E. DEWEY, CANDIDATE FOR THE GOP NOMINATION FOR PRESIDENT, IS SLATED TO VISIT THE DAM FEB. 11.

FRED CROCKER, DESIGN ENGINEER, IS TO RETURN HERE NEXT MONDAY AFTER HAVING BEEN ENGAGED IN WORK ON THE PERMANENTE CEMENT PLANT. HE HAD EARLIER DONE MUCH DESIGN ON PLANT AND EQUIPMENT HERE FOR CBI.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATION: AN EXAMINATION WILL BE HELD FOR FILLING A PUMP MECHANIC VACANCY IN THE RECLAMATION SERVICE AT COULEE DAM; WAGES \$1.37½ AN HOUR. CLOSING DATE, FEB. 2. FULL INFORMATION AT USBR ADMINISTRATION BUILDING.

THE LOWEST TEMPERATURE OF THE WINTER TO DATE: 14 DEGREES, JAN. 12.

= watch trade-in sale

NOW IS THE TIME TO TRADE IN YOUR OLD WATCH ON A NEW LATE MODEL..... THAT OLD WORTHLESS MODEL IS WORTH MORE THAN YOU THINK ON A NEW MODERN TIMEPIECE..... BRING IT IN FOR AN ESTIMATE.....



OR IF YOU WANT IT REPAIRED, OUR EXPERT SERVICE IS AVAILABLE AT LOWEST PRICES FOR GUARANTEED WORK.....

AT THIS TIME WE ALSO HAVE A LARGE NUMBER OF UNCALLED-FOR AND RECONDITIONED WATCHES --- ALL GUARANTEED -- AT VERY LOW PRICES..... COME IN AND LOOK THEM OVER.....

ARTISTIC ENGRAVING
JEWELRY REPAIR
STONE SETTING

FRED N. LUDWIG

REGISTERED JEWELER
MASON CITY

"STUDENTS"



KAY ADOLPHE
KYGER *in* MENJOU
"THAT'S RIGHT
YOU'RE WRONG"

with

MAY ROBSON & EDWARD EVERETT HORTON

THURS. FRI. SAT.
MASON CITY
THEATRE