

BRIGHTON

BANNER



BRIGHTON FIRST WARD
BRIGHTON STAKE

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SERVICE

It has been wisely said, "Service is the rent we pay for our own room on earth." We should know that the rent is due on a daily basis and know that the receipt is never stamped "paid in full," because the rent, service in God's kingdom, is due today and due tomorrow.

Jesus said: "Verily I say unto you, Inasmuch as ye have done it unto one of the least of these my brethren, ye have done it unto me." (Matt 25:40). Service is helping others who need assistance.

President Spencer W. Kimball explained: "God does notice us, and he watches over us. But it is usually through another person that he meets our needs" (Ensign, Dec. 1974, p. 5).

When we help one another, we serve God. King Benjamin explained why he loved service. He said: "When ye are in the service of your fellow beings ye are only in the service of your God."

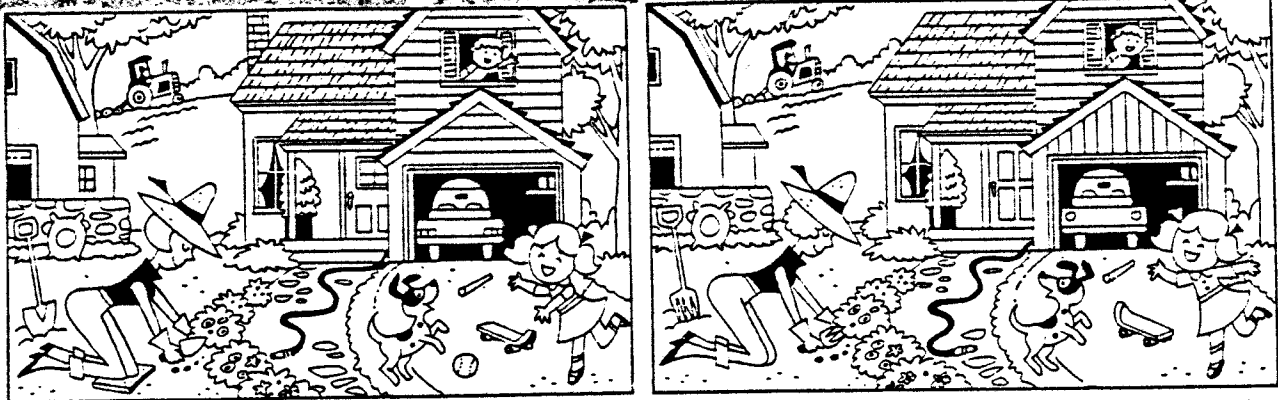
When we serve others we gain important blessings. Through service we increase our ability to love. We become less selfish. As we think of the problems of others, our own problems seem less serious.

The Savior provided the perfect example of service. He loves all of us more than we can understand. When he was on earth he served the poor, the ignorant, the sinner, the despised. He is our God and Savior and Lord of the universe, yet he did many humble acts of service. When we willingly serve others in the spirit of love, we become more like Christ.

It is usually by helping others and losing ourselves in service that we gain the greatest joy and happiness.

Acts of service do not have to be large or visible ones. We sometimes tend to focus on individuals in leadership positions as those doing important service. Think of the effect that dedicated home teaching, visiting teaching, and fellowshiping our friends and neighbors would have on our wards and neighborhoods. These activities are acts of service and while they may seem like small acts the effects can be enormous.

Brother John Bishoff
1st Counselor



Can you find at least a dozen differences between these cartoons?

OBSERVATION FUN

HOW MANY THINGS CAN YOU FIND THAT BEGIN WITH THE LETTER **H**?



HAIR, HAMMER, HAND, HANDEPCHIE, HANDLE, HAT, HAY, HATNET, HEAD, HEART, HEEL, HEN, HILL, HIR, HOE, HOG, HORN, HOORN, HORSE, HORSESHOE, HOUSE

WHAT DO YOU CALL A PARROT THAT TALKS A LOT?



A WORDY BIRDY

WHAT WILL YOU GET IF YOU CROSS A MAN WITHOUT HAIR AND A POOL TABLE?



A BILLIARD BALD

WHERE HAVE I SEEN YOUR FACE BEFORE?
RIGHT WHERE IT IS NOW.

WHAT DO YOU CALL A WEIGHT-LIFTER THAT LAUGHS ALOT?



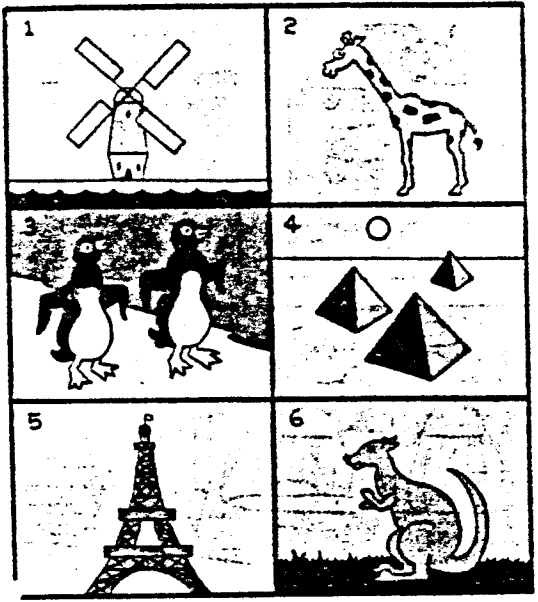
A DEAL HE-HE-MAN

WHAT WILL YOU GET IF YOU CROSS A PONY WITH TWO DIMES AND A NICKEL?



A QUARTER HORSE

WHERE IN THE WORLD WOULD YOU GO TO FIND THESE THINGS?



1 HOLLAND 2 AFRICA 3 ANTARCTICA 4 EGYPT 5 FRANCE 6 AUSTRALIA

WHY CAN'T A BANANA STAY IN THE SUN TOO LONG?



BECAUSE A BANANA FEELS

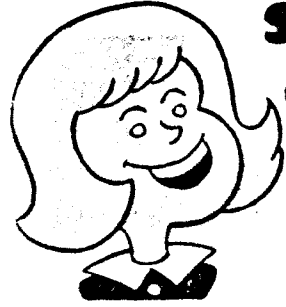
WHAT BELL IS SASSIEST?
SOUNDLES?



A DUMBELL

SMILE

CAN YOU MAKE THREE OTHER FIVE-LETTER WORDS USING ONLY THE LETTERS IN SMILE?

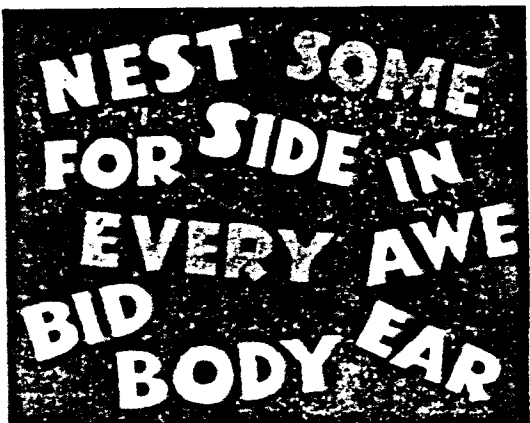


SLIME, TIMES AND MILES

WHY DID YOU BECOME A PRINTER?
I GUESS I'M JUST THE RIGHT TYPE.

PATIENT: DOCTOR, I HAVE THIS TERRIBLE PROBLEM. I STEAL POSTAGE STAMPS.
DOCTOR: DON'T WORRY, I'LL HELP YOU LICK IT.

TRY TO FIT THESE WORDS TOGETHER TO MAKE FIVE LARGE WORDS.





RELEASES

Jennifer Shields...Primary Sec.
 Jill Tilby.....P. Teacher
 Earlene Spencer..Book of Mormon
coordinator
 Dick Scharman....Y.M. President
 Rosalyn Ostler.....P. Teacher

SUSTAINED

Irene Bozich.....Y.W. Advisor
 Jennifer Shields...Primary Sec.
 Wanda Mackintosh.....R.S. Board
 Shirley Kidd.....P. Teacher
 Wes Steffensen..Scout committee
 David Clayton..Asst. Ward Clerk
 Shannon Tilby.....P. Teacher
 Julie Call.....P. Teacher
 Terry Glad.....P. Teacher

ADVANCEMENTS

DARIN BEATTIE.....Priest

LOOKING AHEAD

Beginning in 1991 the Family to Family Book of Mormon Program, as we know it, has been discontinued. Contributions to the Book of Mormon Program are still encouraged, however, the administration of the program will be changed.

BRIGHTON FIRST WARD TALENT NIGHT will be held Feb. 22nd. This will include talent in performing arts and also arts and crafts.

BRIGHTON SEMINARY : Applications for early morning Seminary are due Jan. 15, 1991.

THANKS

Eldon Bates and family wish to express their appreciation to the people in our ward for the kindnesses shown to them at the passing of Donna Bates. Donna touched the lives of hundreds of people and we will miss her.

The Young Men have started basketball and have had three games. We have a lot of participation and enthusiasm. We haven't won any games yet but we sure are having a good time.

With work and school, the Young Men are busy but still find time to participate in the programs of the church and support one another.

PRIMARY

Primary in December was highlighted by our Christmas Caroling to several families in the ward. It was a very special experience for the children and for those we sang to. Afterwards, we met at the Church for hot chocolate and doughnuts. Then we had a delightful visit with Santa! We also enjoyed singing in Sacrament Meeting right before Christmas.

We would like to thank Jennifer Shields for her service as secretary, and extend a hearty welcome to her in our nursery. We would also like to welcome Terry Glad as our new Merrie Miss teacher and Shirley Kidd as our new Valiant B teacher.

We are grateful for all our teachers and leaders in Primary and for the great job they do in teaching our wonderful Primary children. Primary is a FUN place to be.

THERE'S NOTHING LIKE 20 BELOW
 TO MAKE YOU APPRECIATE 20 ABOVE.

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Getting Acquainted

LE GRANDE & ROSEMARY COLLINS

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Lee & Rosemary were both born in Fairmont, West Virginia. Lee moved to S.L.C. where he graduated from High School and then attended Business College. He went on a mission to West Virginia where he met Rosemary at Church. He came home from his mission Nov. 11, 1942, and Rosemary came to S.L. by train a week later. They were married in the SL Temple Nov. 25, 1942. LeGrande had to attend three bridal showers alone while waiting for Rosemary to come West.

Rosemary had secretarial and drama training in school. She taught all classes of R.S. at age 16. She was a Branch missionary at age 20, and M.I.A. President at age 18. She worked as a sorter and part time secretary at a glass factory.

LeGrande was in the service for three years. Rosemary and their first child went to Tacoma, Wash. to live with him until World War II was over. They now have three sons, and three daughters and a large posterity.

LeGrande worked 38 years in purchasing at Deseret News Press.

He likes to read; is interested in genealogy & Family & personal histories; likes to visit Civil War areas; likes to gather & reproduce old family photos & memorabilia. In addition, he par-alleled 37 years of active duty & active reserve duty in the U.S. Army.

Rosemary's hobbies include reading, piano, chorister, and speech. She worked 20 years in Jordan District School lunch program.

After retirement they served a mission to the Los Angeles area. Lee was fleet manager and Rosemary was tour guide in LA Visitors Center and part time office secretary. Lee & Rosemary have done lots of traveling in the good old U.S.A.

Lee is currently serving as Ward Clerk (for his 6th Bishop). Rosemary is a Co-ordinator for the extraction program.

JANUARY BIRTHDAYS

1 Rudy Siebenhaar	17 April Olson
1 Douglas Dell	18 Susan Barton
1 Robert Anderson	21 Marya Bradshaw
2 Laverna Clawson	21 Malyssa Fichialos
4 Robert Cragun	21 David Johnson
8 Beth Haygood	23 Tara Harvey
10 Jan Vanderhooft	24 Jerry Terkelson
10 Ray Haueter	25 Charles Major
10 Jean Wadsworth	26 Franci Houskeeper
11 Donovan Marcelis	26 Kendra Barbour
11 Shirley Kidd	27 Sharon Nytch
15 Dave Glad	29 Lori Griffith
16 Ryan Harvey	29 Michael Vanderhooft

Happy

Birthday

CONGRATULATIONS !

— BABY NEWS —

JAMES ELDRIDGE & ANDREW LARISCH were baptized and confirmed members of the Church.

DAN MACKINTOSH was fortunate to "draw out" a buffalo hunting permit this year and he came home with a buffalo.

CASEY REDMOND was chosen to be in "Who's Who in America" in the High School level.

CONGRATULATIONS to DELBERT & MUFFET REEVES who were married Dec. 14th.

ENGAGEMENTS

Wedding bells will be ringing in March for two of our ward members.

CARI CRAGUN & her fiance, RANDY BOBO, will exchange wedding vows March 14th in the SL Temple.

On March 19th DANNY LARISCH & PAMELA FLETCHER will also have a temple wedding.

Notice

The annual Scout Sustaining Membership Drive will begin Jan. 6th. Every family in the ward will be contacted to help with financing this effort.

STEVE & LYNNE YOUNG & FAMILY of Seattle have been visiting with DOUG & BEVERLY YOUNG.

KELLY KARTCHNER & daughters, LINDSEY & BRINDY visited with the Kartchners during the holidays. Kelly lives in Phoenix.

AMY WALKER's National Guard unit was sent to Germany to relieve others who would go to Saudi.

DON & ANGELA KARTCHNER ERCANBRACK are new parents of a baby boy. EASTON weighed in at 8'10" and was born Dec. 13th. RAY & LOLA are the proud grandparents.

DAN & FLORENCE JACOBSON are new great-grandparents of a baby girl, born in Virginia. Their daughter, Joan's daughter is the new mother.

TWIN GRAND-DAUGHTERS for GRACE PACE. The babies were born Dec. 21, each weighing four lbs. plus. They are still in the hospital but will be home soon. Their names are MACKENZIE and MACKENNA. Parents of the twins, STEVE & APRIL PACE NEILSON also have two older daughters.

A baby girl born Jan. 2nd made GREAT-grandparents of WES & REA STEFFENSEN & BOB & FRIEDA ROSS. Grandparents are TOM & LINDA STEFFENSEN ROSS.

A LADY stopped to talk to a little boy in a parked car near one of our local supermarkets. The lad was having a great time playing with a mongrel of uncertain heritage.

"What's your dog's name, little boy?" she asked.

"We call him Ben Hur." came the answer.

"My, what an unusual name for a dog. I'll bet your daddy helped you pick it out, didn't he?"

"Nope. My dog was just plain Ben until he had a batch of pups."

—Lloyd Byers
Sheboygan, Wis.

PEOPLE WHO DO THINGS THAT
COUNT NEVER STOP TO COUNT
THEM.