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**BUREAUCRACY**

One might well consider how this bureaucracy started that is so vocally condemned by nearly everyone every day in the biennial election day.

It could be this way: a group of people get together to start some project — always worthy, of course—and it doesn't cost a great deal of money. It might be a tennis court, a swimming pool, a housing project or anything imaginative Americans might think up. Some public spirited member agrees to do the paper work or is drafted into that labor.

He does a pretty good job and keeps the costs low until he dies or moves away or gives up. Another is obtained but he needs some expense money and maybe a little salary. The thing gets more and more expensive and the proponents, who have by that time become a loosely knit body of voters, decide that after all the government should be doing the job for them. They are citizens aren't they? And government should do things for citizens.

Besides some old crumdugeons haven't been paying and by getting government to do the job everyone will be roped in. So there is an election or a budget meeting or a raid on an emergency fund and lo and behold a new bureau is started.

Little bureaus have to grow like little kittens or elephants and pretty soon they are big and propagating like mad and everybody is mad about some part of it and afraid to say so because it might endanger the little part they like. And taxes go up and the dollar goes down. When, as has happened in every government in the world, it gets so big it can't be paid for, the citizens rebel and start all over again.

**THE WORD "LIBERAL"**

The other day we were reading what some one had written about the "liberal" attitude toward segregation. It appears to be an attitude that would permit or encourage equality between the races and we would expect a great number of dark eyed and curly haired "liberals" in the twenty-first century. That is an attempt at explanation of the attitude and not criticism of it.

So we went on to consider the "liberal" attitude on other matters. A "liberal" is one who looks kindly on new ideas, almost any new ideas. A voter who wants a new dam, a new pension or a new road is looked upon with favor by "liberals" whether there is need or merely desire.

So, we had to conclude that a "liberal" is one who falls in with others' ideas with more than usual readiness, who puts up little fight for what he believes—if anything—and who is what in common parlance is known as a push-over.

There is a great difference between a "liberal" and a liberal. A liberal is one who believes in and works for individual liberty and some of the finest battles in politics have been waged by them. They didn't fall in with others' ideas worth a hoot, nor cheerfully spend others' money. They worked for freedom and got it, got enough of it that "liberals" can advertise their weakness in the practices of it.

**FARM BLOC**

The magazines are telling us that the refusal of the house to even consider the omnibus farm bill was a fatal defeat of the farm bloc that has been going strong in congress since the war. The city members have stopped being scared of the farm vote, it appears.

That may be so for no legislative bloc can last forever without some very good reasons and also some very astute leadership. Furthermore it must be a cohesive bloc and this the farm bloc never was. The corn men wanted one program, the wheat men another, likewise the cotton men and the dairymen and others. The omnibus bill was an attempt to please all of them and, as usually happens, didn't please any enough to

merit all-out support. If the prophecies are true we may be at an end of favorable treatment of farmers in congress to the extent that some of them become a favored economic class. We doubt if such a stage would last long but it would require some action on the part of farmers to overcome it. We are inclined to think that some new alignments will be needed since the old ones have failed.

With the advent of farm co-ops into the export field it could be possible for farmers to finance their own two price system and reduce the surplus. Reducing the surplus will attract city support for city people like to eat and if there is a threatened shortage they will be willing to help farmers. There's no need to worry about the plight of farmers as long as the bins are full of food. Wheat men, for instance, need a much stronger industrial organization and that would be possible if wheat income dropped. In fact, work on organization could be more important than work on congress.

If writers are correct about the end of the power of the present farm bloc—and it seems possible —it is time for some thinking off the farm. Farmers must decide whether or not they want government aid; if so, what kind; a new way to get it.

**STATE TAXES**

The state tax commission has announced a possible surplus of funds in the hands of the state of some \$50,000,000 and the information created little or no excitement among the citizens who have apparently been numbed by zeros as applied to taxes. Whether or not the state has \$50,000,000 next year or not it is a nice figure to roll around in the head or on the tongue.

It was less than twenty years ago that \$50,000,000 would run the state for two bienniums with money left over. Now, with budgets above \$300,000,000 the \$50,000,000 is mere a bag-of-shells.

In a private business a surplus of \$50,000,000 or even an anticipated surplus, which this is, would be reason for joy on the part of the management and the stockholders. But, the state isn't private business. In fact, it isn't business at all. It doesn't obtain its income from the sale of goods or services. Rather it derives its income largely from one segment of society and disperses its services to another. Under such a scheme there is no limit to the demand for the services and there fore no limit to the pressure for taxes.

So citizens can express no joy over the possibility of a \$50,000,000 surplus. To them it means a poor job of budgeting and a poor job of taxing. The regular session levied too much and the special session didn't cut enough which is what the loyal opposition was saying at the time. Another reason citizens cannot be happy is that the \$50,000,000 will serve as bait to attract the sponsors of innumerable plans for the betterment of the human race, the social structure and generally the income of the sponsors.

Money in the hands of the state is gone, whether spent or saved, whether in surplus or an appropriation. It never comes back. There is some evidence of it about: state cars parked along the curbs, signs warning against some previous privileges, news stories of great expectations. But citizens were just as happy twenty years ago.

**MOTHER NATURE**

We have occasionally wondered how it would be to write an editorial making apology for Mother Nature at some harvest time instead of writing to offer our sincere praise and thankfulness for her bounty. This we often do because, while farmers use the latest machinery with a high degree of intelligence and researchers discover better wheats and better methods and rain makers labor at their job and government bureaus fuss and worry, the product of the harvest depends on Mother Nature more than anything.

If it were not for the rainfall, the cooling winds, the warm sun, crops would not grow. All man can do is to assist and try to coordinate his efforts with those of nature. He isn't in command. Mother Nature sends the showers and if she has human traits at all she must be inclined to laugh when arrogant man takes credit for what is mostly her handiwork.

Some harvest, we are certain, we will have to write with a note of apology saying that perhaps nature was looking the other way when we needed rain and express regret that the labors of farmers brought forth so little grain. And we hope we are not critical in that future year of poorer crops, for nature has been good for many years.

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**CALL FOR BIDS**  
Bids will be opened August 11 at 8 o'clock p. m. at Grass Valley, Oregon, for an 8 passenger school bus, four wheel drive, five 700 x 16 nylon, mud-grip tires with tubes, or equivalent. Specifications: turn signals, large capacity heater, air cleaner, oil filter, standard transmission, yellow color. District has 1950 Jeep station wagon to trade in. District reserves the right to reject any or all bids.  
School District No. 23

Eva Cantrall, Clerk  
Grass Valley, Oregon 37-8c

**NOTICE OF FINAL ACCOUNT**  
Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has filed in the County Court of the State of Oregon for Sherman County, her Final Account as Executrix of the Estate of Mary E. Bucholtz, deceased, and that Monday the 25th day of August, 1958, at the hour of ten o'clock A. M. of said day in the court room of the County Court in Moro, Sherman County, Oregon, have been fixed by the Court as the time and place for hearing objections to said Final Account and for the settlement of said estate.  
Eunice Isabelle Moran  
Executrix  
T. Lester Johnson,  
Attorney for Executrix 37-40c

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**  
All persons having claims against the Estate of Hattie Bartholomew Ireland, deceased, are hereby notified to present them with the proper vouchers and duly verified, to the undersigned, the duly appointed, qualified and acting Administrator, with Will Annexed, of the estate of Hattie Bartholomew Ireland, deceased, at the office of the undersigned at Moro, Oregon, within six months from the date of the first publication of this Notice, to-wit: July 4, 1958.  
T. Lester Johnson  
Administrator with Will Annexed 35-38c

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**  
All persons having claims against the Estate of Jennie Zutter Dick, deceased, are hereby notified to present them with the properly signed vouchers and duly verified, to the undersigned, the duly appointed, qualified and acting Administrator of the Estate of Jennie Zutter Dick, deceased, at the office of T. Lester Johnson, Attorney at Law, Moro, Oregon, within six months from the date of the first publication of

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF OREGON, UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,**  
Plaintiff,  
vs.  
ROY W. FYBURN, et al.,  
Defendants,  
CIVIL NO. 8592  
NOTICE (SUMMONS)

TO: Georgia Bolman and John Doe Bolman, her husband if married, and the Unknown Heirs of Ciara Fyburn, deceased: You and each of you are hereby notified that a Complaint in Condemnation has heretofore been filed in the office of the above named Court in an action to condemn a perpetual right, power, privilege and easement, subject to existing easements for public roads and highways, public utilities, railroads, and pipelines in the lands described and designated as Tract U-2101E, The Dalles Dam Project, to permanently overflow, flood and submerge the land below elevation 174.5 feet above mean sea level, United States Coast and Geodetic Survey Datum, including the right to clear and remove timber, underbrush, debris, and other natural or artificial structures or obstructions below elevation 174.5 feet above mean sea level, United States Coast and Geodetic Survey Datum, and to maintain mosquito control, as may be

required in connection with the operation and maintenance of The Dalles Dam Project as authorized by the Act of Congress approved May 17, 1950 (Public Law 516-81st Congress, Second Session), provided that no structures for human habitation shall be constructed on said lands; provided further, that no buildings or structures shall be erected on lands below elevation 174.5 feet above mean sea level, United States Coast and Geodetic Survey Datum, except as authorized by special permission granted in accordance with existing laws and regulations for the protection and preservation of the navigable waters of the United States of America; and with respect to the lands above elevation 174.5 feet above mean sea level, United States Coast and Geodetic Survey Datum, the written consent of the representative of the United States in charge shall be obtained for the type and location of any structures and/or appurtenances thereto now existing or to be erected; reserving, however, to the owner of said lands all such rights and privileges as may be enjoyed without interfering with or abridging the rights and easements hereby taken, over and across the lands described as follows; to-wit:

TRACT NO. U-2101E: All that part of the northwest quarter of the southwest quarter of Section 27 lying northwesterly of the northwest boundary of the present right of way of the Oregon-Washington Railroad and Navigation Company and above the line of ordinary high water of the Columbia River, in Township 3 North, Range 17 East of the Willamette Meridian in Sherman County, Oregon.  
The land above described contains 3.56 acres, more or less, for public use for the purposes of flood control, navigation and other purposes incident thereto for use in connection with the establishment of The Dalles Dam, Columbia River, Washington and Oregon.  
The authority for the taking is the Act of February 26, 1931 (46 Stat. 1421, 40 U.S.C. 258a) and acts supplementary thereto and amendatory thereof; Act of April 24, 1888 (25 Stat. 94, 33 U.S.C. 591); Act of March 1, 1917 (39 Stat. 950, 33 U.S.C. 701) Public Law 367 - 64th Congress; Act of May 17, 1950 (Public Law 516-81st Congress, Second Session); Act of September 3, 1954 (Public Law 780 - 83rd Congress, Second Session); Public Works Appropriation Act, 1956, approved July 15, 1955 (Public Law 163 - 84th Congress); You are further notified that on the 30th day of April, 1956, a Declaration of Taking of the estate heretofore set out in the lands heretofore described and designated as Tract No. U-2101E, was filed in the above Court in accordance with said Act of February 26, 1931 (46 Stat. 1421, 40 U.S.C. 258a) and acts supplementary thereto and amendatory thereof, and simultaneously there was deposited in this Court and cause the estimated just compensation for the taking of said estate in said lands. You are further notified that if you have any objections or defense to the taking of your property you are required to serve upon plaintiff's attorneys at the address herein designated within four weeks after the date of the first publication of this Summons, an answer identifying the property in which you claim to have an interest, stating the nature and extent of the interest claimed, and stating all your objections and defenses to the taking of your property. A failure so to file and serve an answer shall constitute a consent to the taking and to the authority of the Court to proceed to hear the action and to fix the just compensation and shall constitute a waiver of all defenses and objections not so presented. You are further notified that if you have no objections or defense to the taking you may serve upon the plaintiff's attorney a notice of appearance designating the property in which you claim to be interested and thereafter you shall receive notice of all proceedings affecting said property. You are further notified that at the trial of the issue of just compensation, whether or not you have answered or served notice of appearance, you may present evidence as to the amount of compensation to be paid for the property in which you may have an interest and you may share in the distribution of the award of compensation. This summons is served upon you by order of the Honorable William G. East, Judge of the above entitled court, made and entered on the 23rd day of June, 1958, by the publication thereof for four consecutive weeks in The Sherman County Journal, a newspaper printed and published in the city of Moro, Oregon, in the County of Sherman, and of general circulation in said county wherein said lands are located, the first publication of this summons being made in the issue of said newspaper on the 11th day of July, 1958.  
C. E. Luckey, United States Attorney, and Horace B. Fenton, Assistant United States Attorney, 506 United States Courthouse, Portland, Oregon. 36-9c



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Cal Horn, your Telephone Manager



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