

**WASHINGTON AND "SMALL BUSINESS"**  
By C. WILSON HARDER

There are some around Washington when asked "What do you think of American foreign policy?" reply with cynicism.

The reply: "No question about American foreign policy being foreign—as foreign to everything American as anything could be."

Deplorable part of entire situation is that money needed for development and expansion of independent American business is being siphoned off via tax route to engage C. W. Harder in all types of confused adventures, many appearing to be nothing more than attempt to pull British chestnuts out of fire:

For out of billions being poured out in foreign aid, some is being given Israel, some to Arab nations. Some is also given Pakistan and some to India. And it is quite interesting that communist as well as non communist nations share in this never ending flow of bounty.

Thus in two different areas of disagreements, State Dept. is taking stand with both sides due to situations stemming back to past British diplomacy, or perhaps better known as machinations.

In Middle East, England is in trouble with oil supply with which she has long attempted to create world monopoly. Whether or not this is with the conviction of several U. S. firms is now being investigated.

For years British also exercised monopoly in natural rubber and tin in her Malayan colonies. American development of synthetic and colonial drive for

independence is upsetting this apple cart.

British West Africa supplies major share of world's cocoa. Ceylon leads in tea, and Pakistan in jute. But in those areas, unrest leads away from British domination. The Empire is indeed in trouble.

It would be interesting to speculate what British position would be today if she had not doggedly tried to dominate world with monopolies and cartels.

Eventually, monopoly tactics lead to disaster. Abraham Lincoln once said, "You can fool part of the people all the time, all the people part of the time, but you can't fool all the people all the time."

However, based on record of past 24 years, it could probably be said you can fool U. S. State Dept. all the time.

For much of the foreign give aways fall into a pattern seemingly designed to help British monopoly whenever and wherever it gets into trouble.

And as is by now well known, there is a move in Washington to remove from British monopoly anxiety from year to year over how much they can tap Uncle Sam for.

The plan is to set up a giveaway program that would be saddled on U. S. taxpayers for a long period of years.

And thus is presented a most ironical spectacle of all time.

Independent American business is handicapped in order to make it possible to bulwark, at least temporarily, the British system of cartel business. What Patrick Henry would have to say about this situation if he were around today.



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Morning Worship 11:15 a. m.  
Meeting every second and last Sunday of the month.

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Merlin W. Zier, Pastor  
Morning Worship 9:30 a. m.  
Sunday School 10:30 a. m.  
Adult Class 10:30 a. m.  
Meeting in the Seventh Day Adventist church.

**SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH**  
Robert E. Becker, Pastor  
Saturday Services:  
Sabbath school, 9:30 a. m.  
Sermon, 11 a. m.  
Prayer Meeting Wednesday, at 7:30 p. m. Bible Studies.

**IONE COMMUNITY CHURCH**  
Rev. A. Shirley, pastor  
Church school 10:00 a. m.  
Morning worship 11:00 a. m.  
Sermon theme—Nostalgia or Penitance.  
Visitors always welcome.

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L. D. Boulton, Minister  
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Church school 10:00 a. m.  
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Rev. Noman Northrup, pastor  
Sunday school 9:45  
Evening service 7:30  
Prayer meeting, Tuesday, 7:30

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Sundays 6:30 and 9:30 a. m.  
Holy Days 6:30 a. m. and 6:00 p. m.

**ST. WILLIAM'S CHURCH**  
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SUNDAYS 8:00 a. m.  
HOLY DAYS 8:00 a. m.

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Gale and Wilton  
Willis W. Geyer, Pastor  
Sunday School 9:45 a. m.  
Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.  
Evening Service 7:30 p. m.  
Tuesday, Young People 7:45 p. m.  
Thursday Bible Hour 7:45 p. m.

**ALL SAINTS' EPISCOPAL**  
7:00 a. m.—Holy Communion  
9:30 a. m.—Morning prayer or Holy Communion and sermon.  
Wednesdays—10 a. m. and 8 p. m., Holy Communion.

**CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Gale and Center streets  
Rev. Charles V. Knox, Minister  
Morning worship 9 a. m.  
Bible school 10 a. m.

**IONE NAZARENE CHURCH**  
Charles Wilkes, Pastor  
Sunday school at 10:00 a. m.  
Morning worship 11:00 a. m.  
Young peoples meeting at 7:15 p. m.  
Evening worship at 8:00 p. m.  
Prayer meeting at 8:00 p. m. on Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Van Winkle and Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Gardner left Monday to spend a week vacationing at Priest Lake, Idaho.



**SHORT NOVEMBER BALLOT**  
Breathe deep for a sigh of relief Mr. Voter.

You will face the shortest general election ballot in Oregon since the adoption of the initiative referendum and constitutional acts in 1902.

There will be one measure and five statewide bills which were referred to the voters by the 1955 Legislature. The lone measure calls for banning commercial fishing in Oregon's coastal streams.

A cigarette tax of 3-cents-a-pack passed by the Legislature and blocked by referendum petition of the public, will be on the ballot.

The constitutional amendments on the ballot that were referred are to place the emergency clause on a tax voted by the Legislature, authorizing the state to accept and dispose of bequests, repeal provisions dating from 1859 fixing the salaries of top officials, double the pay of legislators and to impose qualifications for county coroners and surveyors.

Compare the voters good fortune this year with that of 1910 when the general election ballot (an all-time record), was a yard long and had 14 constitutional amendments and 31 initiative measures to be considered. Those were the days when the initiative was young, a new plaything for conniving politicians and when securing signatures on petitions was a lucrative vocation for the jobless.

At the 1912 election women suffrage was adopted and double liability of bank stockholders passed, as was the famous blue sky law, sponsored by Gov. Oswald West. The income tax was adopted but acts to abolish capital punishment and to prohibit boycotts were beaten.

**BOOK ON CRIMINAL LAWS**  
A 400-page district attorney's form book, specimens of criminal indictments, information and complaints for charging violations of Oregon's criminal code, has been completed and was distributed at the District Attorney's conference in Salem last week by Attorney General Robert Y. Thornton.

The volume contains several hundred legal forms designed to withstand the most rigid scrutiny of courts and defense attorneys. It is expected that greater uniformity and greater efficiency in the administration of criminal justice in Oregon will result from the compilation of the book.

**MANY LEARN SLOWLY**  
A "weary traveler" kicked dust from his shoes at a Salem fringe gas station two weeks ago and whispered, "I just had a collision with a decent chap down the road. He will settle for \$50 and neither of us will have to report the accident to the authorities. I have only \$20 and need \$30. Can you let me have the \$30—I'll leave my watch until I get the money back to you tonight."

Gas man still has the showy watch. It sells for about \$2.

A story of this con game was printed in two Salem papers three weeks ago, however, similar Gyps continue to be reported as attempted or successful.

**YOUTHFUL VALOR**  
Governor Elmo E. Smith would like to receive suggestions that proper recognition may be given to Oregon boys and girls for outstanding acts of bravery during 1955.

The Young American Medals committee of the U. S. department of justice will award medals authorized by Congress. To

date Gov. Smith has submitted the following nominees from Oregon:

Donna Wampole, 12-year-old Garibaldi girl who on May 8, 1955, rescued six children, five of them under six years of age, from a burning home in a rural area in Tillamook County. Her name was suggested by Elsie DeCook, editor of the Tillamook Headlight-Herald.

Jimmie Whiteman, age 14, La Grande, who on June 6, 1955, is credited with saving a 17-year-old friend who had slipped into the swirling waters of the Grande Ronde river. The suggestion comes from Fred Schneider, Manager of the La Grande Chamber of Commerce.

Lynn Pettit, age 12, of Lebanon saved a six-year-old boy from drowning when he discovered him in four feet of water at the Lebanon Community swimming

pool on July 19, 1955. He was suggested by Mrs. Arthur P. Christensen of Lebanon. Two suggestions for 1956 nominations for bravery have already been sent to Gov. Smith.

Mrs. Patrick Mullen of San Bruno, Calif. is visiting at the Allen Case home.

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