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PARTING THOUGHTS

With the June 1 issue of the Gazette-Times, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Sherman, of Stayton, will take over publication and the Wildman family will return to the milder climate of Arizona because of health requirements.

It is with reluctance that we do this, as we have found the people of Morrow County to be friendly, intelligent, and sincere folk. Our relationships have been most agreeable, and we appreciate the cooperation and friendship of each and every one, and the loyalty of our fine Gazette-Times staff. As we are retaining some property here we hope that we shall not lose contact with the community.

We feel that this section of Oregon has a lot to offer industry, and with proper planning, Morrow county should become one of the most productive and influential areas in the state. There will be problems, to be sure, but there have always been problems in every endeavor, and always will be, but none are insurmountable when met with intelligence, energy and sincerity.

Recreational opportunities are a very important consideration in the location of industry. Morrow county certainly can offer a wide variety in this field, and should develop this potential to its greatest.

We sincerely hope that a speedy and satisfactory solution is found to the problems surrounding the school system. Conversations with people from various parts of the county lead to the conclusion that the refusal to accept the budget is, to a large extent, a protest against things in no way connected with the budget. A new approach to these problems seems to be indicated if the children are to have the tranquil school atmosphere so necessary during their formative years.

In parting, may we again express our appreciation for the friendship and courtesy shown us, and wish the people of Morrow county the very best of everything in the years to come. — W.O.W.

Dr. C. M. Wagner and his brother Larry from Cheney, Wash., spent the week-end visiting friends and relatives and taking in a business meeting.

Friday evening they flew to Truckee, Calif., where they visited their brother-in-law, Dr. Robert Affeldt. Saturday night they

attended the annual meeting of the Fallon-Nevada Mining Co. Sunday they flew to Auburn, Calif., to have breakfast with other friends. In the afternoon they stopped off at Medford to visit their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Wagner, on the return flight.

TO THE EDITOR . . .

Dear Mr. Wildman:

As the Wes Sherman family soon will be leaving Stayton to assume new publishing responsibilities, we want to express our appreciation of Wes' sincere and fruitful effort while co-publisher of The Stayton Mail for the last three years.

Wes truly is a dedicated weekly newspaper man. He gives his all to the job and that means a tremendous energy directed toward issuing an interesting, informative newspaper . . . one that is a credit to its area every issue.

He, with us, believes that a newspaper has a great potential for service in providing a hand in leadership that means growth and development of most all phases of community life.

We'll miss Wes at The Mail and wish him and his family success and happiness in Heppner where they will publish the Gazette-Times, a county seat newspaper that, in our opinion, is one of the best medium size weeklies in the state.

L. E. Spraker,
Publisher, The Stayton Mail

My Neighbors



"Togetherness, I suppose."

RALPH CRUM TELLS OF COMMUNIST THREAT TO FREE WORLD

"The Common Market of Europe will affect all of you in the future. It is promoted by Communists to take all of the trade away from the United States," Ralph Crum, lone rancher, told members of Heppner-Morrow County Chamber of Commerce Monday noon.

Crum was reporting to the Chamber on the People-to-People tour he took last spring with 12 others from Oregon through Europe and behind the Iron Curtain. The tour included a five-day stay in Moscow.

Tariffs between Europe and Asia have been cut while those between Europe and the United States have been raised under the Common Market, Crum said. "We are meeting a new kind of competition which we are not able to cope with," he warned. We have cut down our wheat acreage since World War II while the Soviets have greatly increased theirs. Khrushchev uses this to tell all people that they are "going to feed the hungry world," he continued.

The speaker said his party arrived at Moscow airport without lights on the plane and that the airport was blacked out. A searchlight was turned on the plane and then it was permitted to land. The cars that drove the touring Americans the 18 miles into the city also proceeded with parking lights only.

In Moscow he said they were allowed only to take pictures "of things that were new and looked attractive." Housing is so critical in the cities that they have legalized abortion so that there will be only one child each six years per family, he reported. Fall-out training is given the populace and he estimated that about 50 per cent of the people had received this instruction. He said fall-out protection is available for about 30 per cent of the people. He explained that the type of housing used in Russia in itself provides ample fall-out protection with the wide use of homes built of mud mixed with straw and dirt. These have walls and roofs three feet thick, which would keep nuclear fallout from penetrating. In Moscow the underground railway system provides protection for many of the people.

Crum was in Russia at the time the U-2 was on display in Moscow and he and his party viewed it. He said the wings were broken off and that the skin was intact on the plane except for skid marks underneath and small punctures about the plane. It had come to a dead-stick landing, he said, and could not have been shot down from a high altitude, as the Russians claimed. Though billboard signs are not prevalent in Russia he said that shortly after the U-2 incident signs were being put up in Moscow showing the plane with a red missile coming at it from the ground. This was used by Khrushchev to tell the Soviets they "have an enemy and must work," he stated.

Children are taken away from their parents very young and are placed in schools. Many of these schools use the language and customs of different countries so that the growing child feels at home in the country for which he is trained. Some of these schools are American, he warned. Tying in with this he said that a Russian woman told him there are 300,000 professional spies working for communism in the world and that 13,000 of these are in the United States. From the same source he quoted that "the Communists expect to take over America by 1970."

When queried as to what Americans could do to meet this threat he said only "Americans should not underestimate the power of the Russians. Since the United Nations was set up following World War II, 18 nations have fallen to Communism." He

Another startling fact was that about 80 per cent of all workers in Russia are the women. The men are in the military, he said. And the men in the military in Russia, the same as in those countries taken over by Communism, have all the guns. There is no hunting in any Communist country because no one has guns, outside the armies. "Americans should wake up to the threat that faces them," Crum said.

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