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THE POOR UNORGANIZED TAXPAYER

The story that Europeans are receiving under the European recovery plan for nothing the plush luxuries of United States production calls to mind the helpless position of the American taxpayer.

The American taxpayer has absolutely nothing to say about what is sent to Europe, how much is sent or when it is sent. Of course, he can tell his congressman or senator, but operation of the government is just about controlled by the bureaucrats. The recovery plan, good as far as its essential points are concerned, provides the "philanthropists" operating on other people's money, with another means of social reform.

The American taxpayer finds himself in the unique position of being a spendthrift and

a conservative, because as taxpayer he is not organized. He is organized in his chamber of commerce, his labor union, his church, his veterans organization, his farm group and his political organization, but he is not organized as a taxpayer.

Through the various groups to which he belongs, the American taxpayer is placing pressure upon the federal government and state and county governments for greater and more expensive services. He asks for more and condones the great expansion of the socialistic system, yet on the other hand his better judgment prompts him to call a halt to the mad rush toward the economic chasm. As a taxpayer, he is helpless because he is not organized.

Probably the only program that will stop our modern socialization will be the development of public indignation over the waste and extravagance now practiced by the government and groups of lesser power and the organization of taxpayer groups sufficiently aroused to formulate an effective remedy.

Social Notes

FAMILY REUNION HELD
A family reunion and picnic dinner were held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Hobson Sunday, honoring their son and his family. Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hobson and Joan and Howard of Leota, Kansas. Guests present were Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Smith, Steven and Terry Smith of Tacoma, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wilde, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd

Perkins, Vern Stiles, Mr. and Mrs. Madison Irwin, Max Barbara, Darlene, and Brinda Irwin all of Nampa, the Joseph Hobson family of Ontario, and the James Langley and Homer Brewer families. Reverend Ira Taylor, Mrs. E. J. Hobson's step-brother, his wife and children, Niama, Nelson and Pauline were also present. Rev. Taylor has just recently returned on a furlough from Peru, where he has been stationed as a missionary for the past five years.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hobson and family, who arrived by plane a week ago, have had a busy week visiting relatives. They were overnight guests at the parental home of E. J. Hobson and the home of Richard's sister, Mrs. James Langley, the first of the week. On Tuesday they were dinner guests at the Joe Hobson home in Ontario and in the evening supper guests at the home of Richard's sister, Mrs. Homer Brewer. The Richard Hobson family drove to Burns Thursday to visit Mrs. Hobson's three sisters. Two of the sisters, Doris Stiles and Mrs. Marian Smith and child, rode back with the Richard Hobson family Saturday to attend the Sunday reunion and picnic.

The Richard Hobson family accompanied by Doris Stiles of Burns, left Boise Monday by plane for Leota, Kansas. It had been three years since the Hobson family had all been together.

BRIDGE HOSTESS
Mrs. C. C. Cotton entertained the members of her bridge club at a dessert luncheon at her home last Wednesday afternoon. High score was held by Mrs. V. W. Dues, and second by Mrs. Vernena Beam, and traveling by Mrs. John Ostrom. Guest players were Mrs. Dues and Mrs. Bert Lienkaemper.

DINNER PARTY GIVEN
Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Herriman entertained Saturday evening May 14 at a dinner at their home. Two tables of bridge were in play following the dinner, with prizes for high score going to Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Snider.

HONORED AT SHOWER
Mrs. Dareld Steinke was honored at a bridal shower given last Wednesday evening at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Tom Weeks. Hostesses for the affair were Mrs. Glenn Weeks and Mrs. John Van Zelf. Many useful gifts were received by the honor guest. Refreshments were served to 25 guests.

ENTERTAINS BOOK CLUB
Mrs. Ella Smith entertained the members of the Kingman Colony book club at her home last Saturday afternoon. Mrs. E. H. Brumbach reviewed "Tree of Liberty" by Elizabeth Page. Mrs. Smith was assisted during the refreshment hour by Mrs. Frank Fry.

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Visit Friends—

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