

# The Gate City Journal

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## Let's Defend The Defendable

Invasion of Korea by the Chinese communist armies on a large scale should serve as a lesson to the administration about world diplomacy and power politics, but judging from past experience the lesson will probably not be heeded.

The administration knows, or should know, that Russia is calling the tricks, when and where she desires. If, over a period of years, the United States could build up enough strength to defeat China, always a weak sister, she would have gained nothing, but would have sapped her strength while Russia sat on the sidelines making greater preparations for war.

It is no secret, because everyone is talking about it, that Russia plans to bleed America to death by inducing her satellites to fight for her, yet we seem to be doing nothing to extricate ourselves, except to thresh wildly about the mud created by the long tentacles of the Russian military octopus. Surely in this great land of wealth and liberty, where men have created the greatest industrial giant of all times, there are leaders smart enough to save this nation from slow and certain destruction at the end of a long series of devastating wars, started and maneuvered from the Kremlin.

If this country is to avoid such a catastrophe, she must adopt a foreign policy that will protect us against Russian aggression. Our leaders must decide on the territory they think the United States and our allies can successfully defend and concentrate on the defense of that area.

Those outside that defense line will have to get along without us, unless we continue to jump from one hot spot to another at the bidding of Stalin. If we are going to have to fight another world war, we might just as well start on Russia. If we were fortunate enough to subdue all of the communist countries, we would still face, in a terribly weakened condition, our No. 1 enemy,

vibrating with strength and confidence. The only way to save our nation is to build our military power and protect the territory that is important to our existence. If our leaders allow us to become involved in a full-scale war with China with Russia sitting smugly on the sidelines they are not efficiently protecting the interests of this country.

## Adrian Lions Lead Basketball Teams In City Circuit

League Standings		
	W.	L.
Adrian Lions	2	0
Brackens	2	0
Wilson Bros.	2	0
Stunz Lumber	1	2
Aggies	0	1
MIA 1st Ward	0	2
MIA 2nd Ward	0	2

The Adrian Lions basketball team scored an impressive win over the MIA second ward squad by the score of 60 to 23 to continue their unbeaten ways in the city league competition. Schell lead the winners' attack with 16 points, while Freddie Mitchell poured in 12 points for the losers.

Maintaining their unbeaten status, the Brackens basketball team defeated the Stunz Lumber company team 42 to 17. Darrek Steinke and Bob Root led the winning assault with 14 and 12 points, respectively, while Ray Larson scored 10 points for the losing cause.

Games for the coming week are as follows: Monday night, December 4 at old Nyssa gymnasium at 7:30, MIA second ward vs. Aggies and at 9:00, Wilson Bros. vs. Brackens; Wednesday night, December 6 at Adrian high school gymnasium at 7:30, Stunz Lumber company vs. Adrian Lions and at 9:00, Brackens vs. MIA first ward.

## Idaho Power Men Called To Service

Thirty employees of the Idaho Power company have so far been called into military service and are receiving the same consideration from the company as was given to employees who took time to fight in world war II. T. E. Roach, president and general manager, told local employees of the company and their wives at a meeting held in Weiser Monday night.

Regular employees of the company who are called into military service receive extra pay at the time of termination, hospitalization insurance for dependents, and their jobs will be open to them when they return, Roach said.

In addition, Idaho Power company supplements the government's subsistence pay for dependents of each employee whose family income is lower as a result of his being called for military service.

The speaker said that of the 1100 male employees of the company, 140 are reserves from the armed forces and 150 are between the ages of 19 and 25.

"Although the present situation is not yet as urgent as the complete war economy of World War II, Idaho Power company has already commenced to feel the pinch of material shortages, delays in delivery and from the loss of highly skilled men," Roach said in commenting on the company's continuing expansion to keep ahead of electric needs.

Those attending from Nyssa were Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Frost, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Phillips, Dale Bingman, Mrs. Marion Myers and Dorothy Erwin. Mr. Frost presented Mr. Bingman with a five-year service pin.

## Church Women To Hold Observance

The women of the Christian church will hold their annual observance of Women's day with a special program to be held during the evening service, December 3 in the Nyssa church.

The women's fellowship will conduct the program under the leadership of the president, Vera Bingman. Special musical numbers will be given by Doris Rigney and Lois Mason. A feature of the evening will be a local talent play entitled "The Plus That Made the Difference". The cast includes Dorothy Bibby, Ruth Hanby, Thelma Moyes, Opal Robbins, Merry Lin Strickland, Valeta Mason, Arlene Barnes, Marian Dewey and Jimmy Barnes. The public is invited to attend the play, which is directed by Mrs. Austin Hollingsworth.

## COMING EVENTS

Coming Events—  
Friday, Dec. 2—Basketball jamboree.  
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Monday, Dec. 4—Eastern Star Senior Play.  
Tuesday, Dec. 5—Boise Elks Glee-man. Eagles auxiliary.  
Wednesday, Dec. 6—Kingman Kolony Grange card party at Adrian grade school.  
Thursday, Dec. 7—American Legion auxiliary. Job's Daughters. P. T. A. executive meeting at high school. Amity Club.  
Friday, Dec. 8—Delphian at Mrs. Glea Billings' home.

## Miscellaneous Exchange OVER UNDERPASS

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## Good Hoopsters, Coaches To Play

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by Gene Chester, College of Idaho graduate, who is coaching the varsity at Vale for the second year.

Nyssa lacks height, but has experienced ball handlers who are reasonably fast. Success in the league depends on the development of capable reserves. The Bulldogs are coached by Harry McGinley, who pushed his Fruitland Grizzlies to fourth place in the B division of the state of Idaho last season.

Each of the five teams entered in the jamboree will play four quarters, meeting all of the other four teams each night. Play will be started each evening at 8 o'clock.

Eighteen of the 54 certified officials in the Snake River Valley league have volunteered to take their turn at officiating in the jamboree.

During intermission Friday night, the SRV all-star football team will

be presented by Don Lynch, editor of the Ontario Argus-Observer. A twirling routine will be performed by the Nyssa majorettes.

A tumbling act will be presented by a group of Nyssa boys during intermission Saturday night. After the last game, Gene Stunz, representing the Nyssa chamber of commerce, will present the jamboree trophy to the winning team.

## Social Notes

Tickets for the jamboree are on sale at the Nyssa Pharmacy, the Golden Rule store and the high school office.

## MOTHERS TEA HELD

The second grade pupils of Mrs. Merle Judd entertained their mothers at a tea at the school last Tuesday afternoon. The Indian theme was used throughout the program and for the table appointments.

The pupils introduced their mothers and several mothers made responses. Talks on Indian lore were given by pupils and Mrs. Jesse Rigney talked on some of the phases of special education. The tea table was attractively decorated in green and yellow. Yellow chrysanthemums centered the table and green leaves were on the table. In carrying out

the Indian motif cookies in the shape of wigwams, and candy corn were served. Mrs. Emerson Bingaman, Mrs. Thomas Evans and Mrs. Bud Wilson were in charge of arrangements.

## HAVE THANKSGIVING DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Brady entertained at a family Thanksgiving dinner. Those present were their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Quentin D. Clarkson and sons, Joey, Doug and Dave; and their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene I. Brady and daughters, Peggy and Kathy and son, Chucky of Emmett. Mrs. Clarkson and family have been visiting her parents for some time. Elroy B. Brady, another son, and his wife and children are located in Honolulu. Mr. Brady is a technical sergeant in the air force.

## TUESDAY CLUB PLAYS

The members of the Tuesday evening bridge club were guests of Mrs. Dennis Patch this week. Mrs. Clyde Snider was a guest player. High

score was held by Mrs. Frank Morgan and second high by Mrs. J. L. Herriman.

## ENTERTAINS CLUB

Mr. and Mrs. George Henneman entertained the members of their bridge club at their home Sunday evening. High score was held by Mrs. Harry Miner and second high by George Sallee.

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