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We Need Reserves

The end of the first year of fighting in Korea and the apparent failure of the Russian peace proposal to draw the serious consideration of the western allies because of suspicion of communist motives emphasizes the need for reserves of men, materials, morality and goodwill.

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prise system, but they are also resting upon reserves of money, courage and goodwill. Without these reserves American business could not have survived the many troublesome years that comprise part of the turbulent history of this republic.

Businessmen have learned that financial reserves accumulated during periods of prosperity are absolutely essential to carry firms over the period of depression and war. Yet Americans generally have not learned and have not impressed upon their leaders that a successful government must build up reserves to carry it through wars and depressions. If the United States government had developed reserves of military strength, morality and goodwill it probably would not now be fighting in a desperate struggle with communism throughout the world.

When the Korean war is over, the United States must, if it hopes to avoid further soviet aggression and preserve its own national integrity, build its military strength on the forces developed because of the war, reduce the national debt, build up financial reserves, eliminate so far as possible the terrible cost of the crime rackets and create a well co-ordinated program of developing goodwill among the nations of the world. These reserves of military strength, goodwill, money and morality should carry this nation to a peak of power that could prevent another world conflict or at least be a deterrent to any would-be aggressor.

That sounds like a large order, but individuals and business organizations must create reserves and it is no more impossible for a powerful government to do likewise.

Social Notes

CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP MEETS

A general meeting of the Christian Women's Fellowship was held at the Christian church June 14. Mrs. E. P. Bingaman conducted the business meeting. Officers were installed by

Mrs. Johnny Stafford, who is visiting here from Caldwell. Officers installed were Mrs. E. P. Bingaman, president; Mrs. Dick Mason, vice president; Mrs. J. C. Smith, secretary; Mrs. Bob Dewey, treasurer; Mrs. A. J. Hollingsworth, devotional chairman; Mrs. Roy Barnes, program chairman and Mrs. Roy Bibbey and Mrs. Dan Pennie, group leaders. During the installation Mrs. Patricia Castro and Mrs. Johnny

Tobler's Gains Lead In League

League Standings	W	L	Pct.
Tobler's	7	1	.875
Ontario Grocery	6	1	.857
Allis-Chalmers	6	2	.750
Inland Oil Co.	4	2	.667
Davis Oil	4	2	.667
Waggoner Motor	4	3	.571
Owyhee Bottled Gas	3	3	.500
M. R. and B.	3	4	.429
L. D. S.	3	5	.375
Arrow Co.	1	7	.125
Shurtliff and Brogan	0	7	.000
Simplex	0	6	.000

Tobler's Feed and Fuel, Inc. has gained a lead in the Snake River Valley Softball league during the last week.

Scores were as follows: Thursday at Ontario—Owyhee Bottled Gas 11 and Simplex 4, Davis Gas and Oil 18 and Waggoner 10; Friday at Ontario—Arrow company 0 and Ontario Grocery 14, L. D. S. won by default from Shurtliff and Brogan; Monday at Ontario—Ontario grocery 8 and Simplex 5, and Arrow Co. 0 and Tobler's 13; Monday at Nyssa—L. D. S. 3 and Allis Chalmers 6, and Shurtliff and Brogan 5 and Muir-Roberts and Burningham 26; Tuesday at Ontario—Waggoner Motor 7 and Inland Oil 6.

Baseball Leagues Formed As Part Of Park Recreation

Two Knothole teams and three Thumper teams have been organized as a part of the summer recreation program in Nyssa, Manager Howard Lovejoy reported Wednesday.

The Knothole teams, playing each other every day, had split even up to Wednesday. The boys also expect to play some games with outside teams.

The Thumpers are playing on the city park diamond, where two girls softball teams are also playing. The teams have not been assigned to sponsors, but enough sponsors have been secured for leagues, Lovejoy said.

Eighty-six boys and girls were taken to Ontario to swim last Friday.

Spectators Invited To Dance Festival

Ace Lloyd, general chairman of the Ontario square dance festival to be sponsored by the Ontario Kiwanis club Saturday night in the Ontario armory building, has issued an invitation to spectators to attend the affair.

Lloyd pointed out that spectators would help to make a more colorful event and would contribute to the success of the festival.

Proceeds from the sale of tickets will go into the Kiwanis club's youth program.

The grand march is scheduled to start at 8:30, with Don Obee of Boise calling.

Stafford furnished musical numbers. A study program on the Philippines was conducted by Mrs. Dan Pennie and refreshments were served by the Barnes Busy Bee group.

CELEBRATE ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew P. Anderson celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary at their home Friday evening. Mr. and Mrs. David Beers gave the party, with 15 guests attending.

Augusta Holmes and A. P. Anderson were married in Shell Lake, Wisconsin June 22, 1901. He came to Nyssa in 1933 to work on construction of the siphons and flumes on the Owyhee project. Mr. Anderson was the first superintendent of construction on farm buildings and residences for the Amalgamated sugar company. He still owns property on the project and here in town. Anderson has also done architectural work in Nyssa.

ENTERTAINS CLUB

Mrs. Campbell Baer entertained her Tuesday afternoon club at her home. The hostess took high prize and Mrs. Glea Billings made second high.

EASTERN STARS INITIATE

Mrs. Janice Warnock was initiated into the Eastern Star Monday evening with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Frost acting as worthy matron and worthy patron. After the ceremony, Mr. Frost presented his daughter with the same Eastern Star pin that he had presented to Mrs. Frost 20 years before. Also at the meeting, which was held in the Masonic hall, Mrs. J. L. Church, who recently returned from the grand chapter sessions in Portland, reported on her trip. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Boydell served refreshments to the group.

Stanton Reviews Savings Contention

Ontario Argus-Observer County Judge Sewell Stanton today reiterated that new purchasing methods of the county were saving money over prices formerly paid for petroleum products and tires.

He said he was confident his statement regarding lower prices paid for tires by the present county administration was essentially true.

This statement as to lower tire prices had been questioned by former County Judge Irwin Troxell. Stanton announced about two weeks ago that the county "is now paying \$131 for tires that formerly cost the county \$198 and \$205".

Troxell countered a week later with the statement that, "We were paying \$131 for tires a long time before the present county administration went into office".

Troxell also expressed doubt as to savings that might be effected in gasoline and diesel prices by installing two 8,000 gallon storage tanks; and doubt that the county was actually buying motor oil at a lower price than the state of Oregon's contract.

Stanton said the week before that the storage tanks would save about \$3,000 annually in gasoline costs and could be installed for about half of

the annual savings. He said further that the county would save about \$4,000 annually on an oil contract with Northwest Oil Co. to buy motor oil for 40 and 46 cents a gallon which had formerly cost 93 cents and \$1.05 a gallon.

Judge Stanton said today that records of county purchases were available at the court house and would bear out his report of savings. Troxell had said last week that his records would establish his contention.

Stanton declared that his report of savings was not meant to infer criticism of any policies of the former administration; and said further that, if the record of purchases showed he was in error in any part of his report of savings, he would be glad to admit the error and issue a corrected statement.

Vets Man Coming

Charles M. Cox, contact representative of the veterans administration office in Baker, will be in Ontario Monday, July 2 to assist veterans

and their dependents. He will be in the Oregon state employment service office from 10:15 a. m. to 3 p. m.

Holding Services At Camps

Rev. and Mrs. Lloyd Pounds of Nyssa are holding religious services every night at the Vale labor camp and every Sunday night at the Nyssa labor camp.

Jars For Fruit Available

Women of the community who wish to can fruit for the Malheur Memorial hospital may obtain empty jars by calling at the back kitchen entrance of the hospital any day next week. Any jars not taken will be exchanged for canned fruit during the annual pick-up in the fall.

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