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Give the Kids Jobs—and Breaks

Almost every day you can see willing youngsters turned away from jobs that will earn them extra money and give them excellent training for the future, all because of Oregon's ill-conceived child labor laws. Just as often you will see other youngsters employed at jobs that cannot harm their health, but nevertheless are illegal all because some vote-happy politician was too lazy to clarify or rationalize the differences between health-damaging work and character-building employment.

When a youngster is illegally employed, even though the job cannot harm his health, there's a small scratch on his character for he probably knows his boss is breaking the law by hiring him. The youngster cannot be harmed physically if the job is not too heavy, the hours aren't long and the pay is fair. However, it still might be against the law although state officials cannot check all places of business and it is then an open secret that such an employer—honest, truthful and god-fearing in all other respects—breaks a law when it meets his need.

Why can't the people wake up to the dangers of stupid legislation?

Why have our schools and educators, our ministers and Sunday school teachers and we the people as parents become so indifferent that we allow laws to remain intact all because of the whim of some politician?

We repeat for the umpteenth time that Nyssa's youth probably are above average when it comes to common sense, maturity and willingness to earn their own money. Here they are fortunate that they can work at farm and harvest jobs without so many restrictions, but many of them could be starting careers before leaving high school if unnecessary legislation didn't prevent them.

In communities where farm work is limited, kids just like these we have in the Nyssa area are idle. They are probably tired of the do-gooders who would build more playgrounds, bigger snack bars and louder juke boxes "to keep them out of mischief" and would give their eye-teeth for the right to work a few hours every week for fair wages and at the same time learn something about business. Instead, gangs are sometimes formed and after a few weeks of "mischief" the do-gooders couldn't prevent, trouble begins.

We won't buy the argument that just because there were sweat-shop employers who exploited child labor, all types of employment must be barred to teen-agers. There's every indication of mental laziness if the exploiters couldn't have been stopped without placing stumbling blocks in the progress of youth and at the same time penalizing those who would give the kids a good break.

Methodist Church News

"Suffer little children, and forbid them not, to come unto me: for of such is the kingdom of heaven."

Thursday, May 3, 2 p. m. (Today) Woman's Society of Christian Service general meeting at the home of Mrs. Astrid Stephen. All members are requested to bring their treasure chests and an apron for the bazaar.

Friday, May 4, 8 p. m. church

executive meeting at the parsonage.

Sunday, May 6—9:45 church school with classes for all ages. 1 o'clock worship service. Special Children's Day program. 7 p. m.—Sr. and Jr. Hi MYF meetings at the church.

Monday, May 8, 8 o'clock—official board and commissions meet at the church.

Wednesday, May 9—8 p. m. Bible study and prayer meeting. Saturday, May 12—WCS food sale.

Stranger In The County

By Bill Campbell

This "do-it-yourself" craze almost turned into a "do-yourself-in" deal Sunday when Don Smith, Lyle Gled and Jim Turk found out that water is tougher than steel.

It happened this-a-way: Don had rigged up a cable across the Snake and had a scow-type boat attached to same, the idea being that the current of the water would provide the locomotion to ride leisurely from the shore to the island near the Shoestring pumping plant where Don has his ranch.

The theory was fine. Period. The boat zipped when it should have zipped and swamped in the middle of the river, dumping Don, Lyle and Jim into the water, an especially interesting experience for Jim who couldn't swim. All three managed to hang on to the boat and Charlie Anderson, who was on the shore, went after some rope. Almost a half hour passed before a line could be tossed out and Jim pulled to shore; a wetter but wiser man.

Smith's and Gled's troubles seemed solved except for the fact that at this point the cable broke and the boat went under. The two would-be ferry operators swam to shore with the now released boat playing peek-a-boo in the swirling river.

The men saved their hats—and their lives.

It would have been interesting to watch the expression on my mother's face had she watched me refereeing the tag team wrestling matches last Saturday night. Those 800 odd pounds of beef looked awful big in that little ring, but much to my surprise there was life in the old boy yet.

Brother, there HAD to be.

Did you hear about the housewife (lives on Fourth) who Saturday heaved the garden hose right through the front window of her home? Father was upset, especially when the glass he had cut didn't fit and if you remember Sunday it was pretty cold. Especially in THAT house.

This next comment is strictly for the birds. Heard that Mrs. Norbert Sarazin had trouble making the clutch work in her car, a fact hubby laid to the fact that his wife was just another woman driver. That is, until he tried the car. Then he inspected it and so help me, the story goes that he discovered a bird's nest, complete with eggs, jammed around the gear!

NO COMMENT.

Some of you boys might ask Bob Thompson about his new hobby. Of all the bone-head ideas!

You can bet that I'll be on hand at Malheur Memorial hospital Sunday between 1:30 and 4:30 p. m. All I've got to do is drop my name in the box and I may win \$100 worth of hospital services! Would that I had had that a couple of years ago when my appendix slapped my pocketbook. There's a lot of work going into Sunday's demonstration to be put on by the women's auxiliary, firemen and national guard. Nothing like getting the facts painlessly. Besides, I like to visit hospitals when I know I can walk right out again.

Politicians streaming in the door and they are the nicest bunch a fellow could ever meet. They all radiate goodwill toward

CHURCH NOTES

ADRIAN COMMUNITY CHURCH

Henry E. Moore, Pastor
10 a.m.—Bible school.
11 a.m.—Morning worship.
11 a.m.—Junior church.

FAITH LUTHERAN CHURCH

John L. Briehl, Pastor
SUNDAY:
10 a.m.—Sunday school.
11 a.m.—Divine worship
ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL
Rev. Herbert Grossdier

SUNDAY:

10 a. m., Sunday school.
11 a. m., church.
WEDNESDAY:
9-11 a. m., Kindergarten.
7:30, YPF, second and fourth Wednesdays of each month.

COMMUNITY METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. Paul Ludlow, Pastor.
9:45 a.m., Sunday school for all ages.
11:00 a.m., Morning worship.
7:00 p.m., Methodist youth fellowshipship.

FULL GOSPEL CHURCH

Rev. Lloyd N. Pounds.
Sunday, 10 a. m.
Sunday, 8 p. m.
Wednesday, 8 p. m.

CATHOLIC CHURCH

Rembert Ahles, O. F. M.
Mass—Sunday at 8 and 10 a.m. and daily at 8 a.m.
Saturday, 10 a.m. — Catechism classes.

BRETHREN CHRISTIAN CENTER MISSION

East 2nd and Ehrgood
10 a.m.—Sunday school.
11 a.m.—Morning worship.
7:30 p.m.—Evangelistic service.

L.D.S. OWYHEE WARD

James A. Peterson, Bishop
Tel. 2592 Rt. 1, Nyssa
1st Sunday each month, observe fast day
8:45 a.m. Ward teachers' report meeting

9:40 a.m. Priesthood meeting.
12:00 Fast meeting.
Remaining Sundays
9:15 a.m. Priesthood meeting.
10:30 a.m. Sunday school.
7:30 p.m. Sacrament meeting.

Tuesday
2 p.m. Relief society.
(2nd Tuesday each month, work meeting 10 a.m.)

Wednesday
4:30 p.m. Primary.
8 p.m. M.I.A.

L. D. S. FIRST WARD
Charles Mann, Bishop
9:15 a.m.—Priesthood meeting.
10:30 a.m.—Sunday school.
8:00 p.m.—Sacrament meeting.
Tuesday, 2 p.m.—Relief society.
Wednesday, 4 p.m.—Primary.
7:30 p.m.—M. I. A.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Parma, Idaho—McConnel Ave.
Rev. Hale Miller, Minister
10 a.m.—Bible study.
11 a.m.—Morning worship.
8 p.m.—Sunday evening service.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD
Rev. A. F. Stubblefield, Pastor
SUNDAY—
9:45 a.m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a.m.—Morning worship.
7:00 p.m.—Young People's service.
8:00 p.m.—Evangelistic service.

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Maxfields Take Students to Salem

Mr. and Mrs. Maylin Maxfield, their son, Eugene and Darryl Cartwright were in Salem from Thursday until Sunday where the boys attended the Oregon Youth legislature sponsored by the YMCA.

Mr. and Mrs. Maxfield were guests of his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Maxfield in Salem. The entire group, with the exception of Maylin went deep sea fishing Sunday off Depoe Bay as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Doc Smith.

Rev. and Mrs. Robert Jackson and boys were Sunday dinner guests at the Don Wilson home.

Christian Church Notes

Morning sermon—What Does God Require?
Evening service—movie, The Talents.
JYF and CYF 7:00 p. m. Sunday evening.

May 7, finance dept. meeting, 8:00 p. m., at the church.
Tuesday, May 8, board meeting, at the church.

Teachers lessons and choir practice Thursday evening, instead of Wednesday, this week only. Lesson No. 3 will be Wednesday May 9. All teachers please attend.

Womens Christian Fellowship will be Thursday, May 10, 2:00 p. m. Bring good, used summer clothing for missions.

The Christian churches of the valley held a pot-luck dinner and program Sunday at Ontario Christian church.

Group No. 2 of the Christian Womens Fellowship held an all-day quilt tying meeting last week. Hostesses were Mrs. Webb Penie and Mrs. Clyde Bohannon. Group No. 1 spent an afternoon at the home of Mrs. Omer Darman working on layette and pillow cases. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

L. D. S. SECOND WARD
Lloyd Lewis, Bishop
Sunday
Priesthood meeting, 9:15 a.m.
Sunday school, 10:30 a.m.
Sacrament meeting 7:30 p.m.

Tuesday
Relief society (sewing day, 2nd Tues., 10:30 a.m.) 1:30 p.m.

Wednesday
Primary, 4 p. m.
MIA, 8 p. m.

MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH
Elder William Turner, minister
10 a.m.—Sunday school.
11 a.m.—Morning worship
8 p.m.—Evening worship.
Wednesday, 8 p.m.—Prayer service.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
Robert Jackson, Pastor
10 a.m.—Sunday school.
11 p.m.—Morning worship.
7 p.m.—N.Y.P.S. and Junior meetings.
7:45 p.m.—Evangelistic service.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST
Rev. Earl Hastings
Bible school—10 a. m.
Worship and Communion—11 a. m.
C. Y. F., Sunday evening—7 o'clock.
Evening services, Sunday—8 p. m.

OWYHEE COMMUNITY CHURCH
Rev. Kenneth Himple, Pastor
10 a.m.—Sunday school.
11 a.m.—Morning worship service.
7 p.m.—Young people's meeting.
8 p.m.—Evening worship.

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Wesleyan Guild Meet Here; Boise

The Wesleyan service guild of the Methodist church met Friday night at the home of Mrs. Paul Ludlow with Mrs. Al Chadwick as co-hostess. Mrs. C. A. Wernick had charge of the program assisted by Mrs. Lloyd Tobler.

Several guild members attended the Wesleyan Guild weekend held in Boise April 21 and 22. From Nyssa were Miss Myrtle Ilett, Mrs. Al Chadwick, Mrs. Klass Powell, Mrs. Frances Bates, and Mrs. Leo Gonyer.

During the business meeting Mrs. Chadwick was named district secretary of social relations and Miss Ilett, district recording secretary. A workshop occupied Saturday afternoon followed by an evening banquet with guest speakers. Miss Ilett remained overnight for the Guild breakfast at the Owyhee hotel and attended church services at the Methodist church.

Adrian Presbyterian Church Notes

Church School each Sunday, 10:00 a. m.
Morning worship; 11:00.
Junior church at the new church school rooms, 11:00 a. m. Sunday mornings.

Young people meet at 7:30 p. m. Sunday evenings.

Wednesdays, 8:00 p. m. choir practice.

Regular 20-40 club meeting, Friday May 4, 8:00 p. m. No host potluck dinner in the church basement.

Church vacation Bible school will be June 4 to June 15.

If your children plan to attend please let the Sunday School teachers have their names; either pre-school children or those who go to school, in order that the necessary material may be ordered for them. Any children in the community are welcome to attend.

IN MEMORY OF NORA ETHEL BOOTH

Come Home

Oh, the blessed state of childhood at the end of a busy day. We'd wend our lagging footsteps, fatigued by too much play.

To the home where waited mother; and there we sat the while we ate the lunch before us, enamored by her smile.

And blessed by God's children at the end of a patient life, they lay down that sore burden they've carried in the strife.

As thru the gathering darkness there comes a loving call—"Tis the voice of the Heavenly Father who is King and Lord of all."

Rev. Lloyd N. Pounds, 17-1tp

Letters to Editor

Signed letters to the editor are welcomed and will be printed if they do not contain comments of a libelous nature or attacks on religious and racial groups. Publication of the letters does not signify the agreement of this newspaper with opinions expressed.

City Editor
Gate City Journal
Nyssa, Oregon

April 25, 1956

Dear Sir:

The publicity from "Gate City Journal" for the Heart Campaign in Nyssa has been wonderful. I am sure a great share of the campaign's success in your area can be attributed to the fine support you gave during the Heart Campaign.

You can be certain that the money collected will be prudently spent for research to increase medical knowledge and to improve present day treatment. It also will provide education to bring current and accurate information to the general public in all areas of the state, community services such as programs on weight control, rheumatic fever prevention and cure, and a state-wide magazine for young shut-ins.

Will you please contact Dr. and Mrs. K. A. Danford, Nyssa, Oregon, our local chairmen, for "last minute" total and include it in your news story?

The Oregon Heart Association staff members, Mrs. Leon A. Goldsmith, Executive Director, Mr. Henry Knealy, and Mr. Wade Patterson, join me in expressing our most grateful thanks to you for "lending a hand to help a heart."

Sincerely yours,
Henry F. G. Andrae
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"SINDICATO TELEMIRONES"

WEDNESDAY-THURSDAY, MAY 9-10
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