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"AGAINST HIS INCLINATION"

(A Tribute to All Dads)

(This poem was given to the Journal by Mrs. Morris Huffman and was taken from the Boise Church of Christ bulletin. It is respectfully dedicated to those fathers who do not believe in "sparing the rod" and letting children grow up without restraint. It is proof that the idea of removing all restraint and giving the kids a free reign is condemned by the children themselves when they grow up.)

Dad tried his best, when I was young,
To fix it in my mind
That "as the tiny twig is bent,
So is the tree inclined,"
And when he'd lay me 'cross his knee
On punishment intent,
I used to cry, "Say dad, look out
Or I'll grow up all bent!"
And when he'd say, "Come on, young man,
And weed this onion bed,"
Just when I'd planned a fishing trip
With Jimmy Jones instead,
I used to scowl until my face
Was black as black could be,
And mutter, "When I do grow up,
I'll be humpbacked — you'll see!"
But years have come and years have gone,
With many a care and trouble,
With many a load that for a time
Has bent me nearly double;
But always I've sprung back again
Before it was too late;
For though he made me bend a bit,
'Twas dad who made me straight.

Trustee Explains 6% Limitation Law Relating to Proposed School Budget

By RALPH LAWRENCE, Nyssa School Board Member

At the next school budget election, June 26, the voters of School District 26 will be asked to approve a new budget for the coming year containing a figure of \$82,800 in excess of the 6% limitation.

I am sure that this figure is causing a good deal of confusion, with the average voter thinking that this represents one year's increased costs in our school operations. This is far from the true picture as a comparison of the new budget with the previous year's budget will reveal an increase in the new budget of only \$21,804 over the previous year's operations.

The budget has been in excess of the 6% limitation for the past several years and this excess figure represents an accumulation of costs over a period of years since the tax base was established and should not be confused with any one year's increase in costs.

Only \$355 Increase Over 1961-62

For instance, the amount over the 6% limitation in the previous budget which was approved by the taxpayers at last year's election was \$82,445, so that the present figure of \$82,800 in excess of the 6% limitation is an increase of only \$355 more than the excess amount approved in last year's election.

It should be remembered that the purpose of the 6% limitation law is to keep the taxpayer in control of the amount to be levied for budget purposes. If the tax base is not adequate to provide the necessary funds for the budget, the only way the necessary funds can be obtained is by the taxpayers approving an amount in excess of the 6% limitation.

Voters Must Approve Yearly

When this happens in one year, it is necessary to resubmit the question to the voters every year thereafter as the approval is only for the one year levy and does not apply to subsequent years. This means that even if our budget were the same as last year's budget, we still would have to ask you to approve the amount over the 6% limitation in the amount of \$60,996.

We are now asking your approval of the new budget containing the increase over last year's expenditures in the amount of \$21,804. It is not the purpose of this letter to justify the increase, but to explain the actual amount of the increase.

I do feel, however, that the increase is very necessary for us to be able to continue our present school program along with the additional services that are so necessary if we are to continue to be a progressive school.

RALPH LAWRENCE
School Board Member

NAZARENE CHURCH NEWS

Vacation Bible school program is scheduled to be given at 10 o'clock Sunday morning at the church. In addition to songs and memory work to be presented by the children, there will also be a craft display.

An SRV district camp tour service program will be given at 7:45 p.m. Thursday, June 21, at the Nyssa church. Music and slides of camp activities will be included on the program.

At their Tuesday evening baseball game the church team was defeated by the Marsing boys by a score of 11-3.

Methodist Circles Plan Meetings Throughout Month

Methodist Woman's Society of Christian Service met June 7 for the first meeting of the new year. Mrs. Herke Stam led devotions and Mrs. Clifford Fox was program leader. Meditation music was provided by Mrs. Cecil Evans.

A panel of ladies discussed the ecumenical nature of the church and cited the need to create an awareness among young people of the need for Christian vocation careers.

Mrs. Kinsey Keveren presided during the business meeting. Details relative to the laboratory school to be held next week in the local church, school of missions to be held in July at Caldwell and routine business were discussed.

Due to serving of meals for the laboratory schools, WSCS circles will meet as follows:

The circle chairmen by Mrs. Maurice Corey will meet this afternoon at 2 o'clock with Mrs. Orland Cheldelin. Evelyn DeVries members will hold their meeting following serving of a dinner Wednesday evening, June 20. Ladies of the Apple Valley area will meet at 2 o'clock June 21 and other day circles will meet Thursday, June 28, with Mrs. Lloyd Tobler.

Hostesses for the Thursday meeting were Mmes. Herman Springen, Sherman Wilson and Muri Lancaster.

evening at 7 o'clock in the church basement. Various handcraft activities completed by the pupils will be on display.

According to the Rev. Wallace Prowell, the Sunday evening program will truly be one of the highlights of the year as the young people tell in their own words the message of truth and salvation.

The public is invited to attend this program.

Name of St. Mary's Given Adrian Church in Catholic Ceremony

The Most Rev. Francis P. Leitzig, bishop of the Baker diocese which includes all of Oregon east of the Cascades, offered the 8 o'clock mass Sunday, June 10, in Nyssa. He then accompanied the Rev. John Baumgartner to Adrian for the blessing of the church building. This church will now be known as St. Mary's, under the patronage of Our Lady of Guadalupe.

Following 11 o'clock mass in Nyssa, at which Bishop Leitzig presided, breakfast was served at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Towne. Other guests included the Rev. Baumgartner, the Rev. Jose Gonzales of Mexico City, the Rev. Michael Ahearne of Ontario and Manuel Campos of Mount Angel.

At 3 o'clock the bishop conducted the Sacrament of Confirmation for 44 children and four adults at St. Hubert's church in Home-dale.

Bible School Program Set Sunday Evening at Christian Church

Youngsters attending Vacation Bible school at Nyssa Christian church have been studying and working for the past two weeks on the theme, "My Bible and I." Classes have been conducted for children four years of age through junior high school.

A Vacation Bible school program will be presented Sunday

From This Corner...

By T. M. B.

Several weeks ago I received an anonymous letter asking, "Of what are you afraid that makes you so critical of our government?"

After thinking on the matter a number of times since I, too, wonder. There are so many things it is difficult to word.

I'm afraid of a government that wants to rule our lives and feels an obligation to care for us "From the Cradle to the Grave."

I'm afraid of politicians who are so much more interested in re-election than the welfare of the people.

I'm afraid the two political parties have come so near being alike that one having a conservative belief will soon have little choice.

I'm afraid of people who blindly worship politicians in their party—of those who feel criticism is never due for churches, schools or welfare programs.

I'm afraid we rely too much on the UN, on the opinion of so-called neutral countries and on treaties made, signed and broken by leaders of Iron Curtain countries.

I'm afraid we'll arrive at the point (without seeing it coming) when the U. S. financial condition will no longer be sound.

And lastly, I'm afraid there are too few people concerned over the many things of which "I'm Afraid."

In my youth it was said the farmers in the Midwest had better barns than homes—inferred they

were fonder of their stock than their children. However, the U. S. Department of Agriculture has designed a fallout shelter for cattle, with provisions for feed, bedding, milk room and silo.

DID YOU KNOW... Belgians drink more beer than any other nationality—125 quarts per person annually?

Average pay of 2.4 million federal employees is \$5664—up \$391 over last year?

The first Bible printed on American soil was not in English—but in language of the Massachusetts Indians?

That Bob Jones university, with 3000 students is in Greenville, S.C.?

That the first public showing of a movie was in New York City 66 years ago?

PARTING SHOT... "Before lending a friend money decide which you need worst."

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ple number in New Plymouth would be 278-5159, and in Ontario 889-5432.

When you open your new directory (deliveries begin Monday), you will see that every telephone in this area has a new number. For your convenience, you may wish to record the ones you call most frequently in your personal number list. If you'd like a free Blue Book for this purpose, just call our business office, 642-3313 in Payette and New Plymouth, or dial 889-5321 in Ontario, Nyssa and Vale.

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MOTHER OF NYSSA PASTOR SUCCUMBS IN THE DALLES

Word was received Monday by the Rev. John Baumgartner, pastor of St. Bridget's Catholic church, of the death of his mother in The Dalles, Ore.

Mrs. Baumgartner was 85 years old. In addition to her son in Nyssa, she is survived by nine other children.

Services were conducted Wednesday, June 13, at St. Peter's church in The Dalles.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Stunz visited Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy House in Boise.

Mrs. F. Skeen Named To MIA Presidency Of Nyssa LDS Stake

Nyssa LDS stake young ladies MIA presidency was released Monday evening at the combined stake and MIA leadership meeting. President Dehlin Erickson, counselors Lorin Munn and Ross Butler were in charge of the session.

Sustained as Nyssa stake young ladies MIA president was Mrs. Frank Skeen with Mrs. Darwin Jensen as first counselor and Mrs. Mel Beck, second counselor. Mrs. O. P. Williams, secretary, and board members were retained. Outgoing officers are Mrs. Earl Winegar, Mrs. Dean Bake and Mrs. Jensen.

MIA stake and ward workers will attend a general MIA conference this coming weekend in Salt Lake City. At that time the year's program will be outlined.

BIBLE SCHOOL PROGRAM SLATED AT OWYHEE CHURCH

A program will be presented Friday evening at 8 o'clock in Owyhee Community church by children who have been attending Bible school during the past two weeks, according to the Rev. Arthur Skogan.

A total of 110 youngsters, age four through 13 years of age, is enrolled for the daily classes.

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