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W. Cleon Skousen Expected to Draw Capacity Crowd at Chamber Banquet January 18; Tickets Still Available

Renowned Speaker and Author to Outline Background and Growth of Communism

A capacity crowd of 400 people is expected to jam the school cafeteria when W. Cleon Skousen comes to Nyssa Friday, Jan. 18, Skousen, author of the best-selling anti-communist book, "The Naked Communist," published in 1958, has also become a noted speaker.

Each year he personally delivers his message on communism to over 200,000 people in approximately 300 personal appearances. Not only does he address many national conventions, schools, churches and civic groups but reaches millions each year through radio and television.



W. CLEON SKOUSEN
... Speaks from Wide Experience

Skousen Background Given

Skousen was born in Canada in 1913 and has attended schools in Canada, Mexico and the U. S. He served as student body president at San Bernardino college in California and received his law degree from George Washington university in Washington, D.C.

He entered the Federal Bureau of Investigation in 1935 while attending law school and was subsequently appointed a special agent. He served in various parts of the U. S. and during World War II was appointed to a supervisory administrative position in the FBI in Washington, D.C.

Leaving the FBI in 1951, Skousen became director of public services and a member of the faculty at Brigham Young university in Provo, Utah. He was given a leave of absence in 1956 to reorganize the police department in Salt Lake City. He served as chief of police until 1960 and Time magazine said, "He ran a model police force."

In addition to "The Naked Communist" he has written over 50 full-length magazine articles and a number of books. His latest book, "So You Want to Raise a Boy," deals with youth problems, another field in which he has specialized.

Ticket Sales at Vale, Ontario

Banquet Chairman W. L. McPartland says admission will be by ticket only and they are on sale in Nyssa at the office of Ralph Lawrence, chamber secretary, or can be purchased from any member. In Vale they can be obtained at the Cunningham Realty office and in Ontario at the chamber office in Moore hotel.

The \$2.50 per person tickets cover the banquet and lecture. The time is 7 p.m. Friday, Jan. 18. Oregon Trail Hall association will again furnish the food and serve. There will be fish for those who prefer it. Music will be furnished by Nyssa high school students during the banquet.

New Hospital Board Members Take Oath; Officers Re-elected

Victor Haburchak and Tom Drydale, newly elected members of Malheur Memorial hospital board were administered the oath of office at a Tuesday evening meeting of the group.

Other board members were re-elected to their previous offices. They include John Stam, president; Everett Heldt, secretary; and Ted Morgan, treasurer.

An audit report for the 1961-62 fiscal year was presented by John Gourley of Boise and accepted by the board. They also discussed improvement of the hospital collection procedure.

Emil A. Stunz has been engaged as new credit officer.

Vic Marshall Wins \$10 Bank Days Prize

Vic Marshall, route 1, Nyssa, was winner of the \$10 second award Tuesday afternoon at Nyssa Bank Days drawing.

Other names drawn but not present to win were Fred Morton, route 2, Nyssa, \$50 jackpot, and Clarence A. Burd, route 1, Ontario, \$5 third prize.

Jackpot prize will advance to \$75 next Tuesday afternoon.

Stork Derby Winner Collects Prizes



PICTURED IN WAITING ROOM at Malheur Memorial hospital are Mrs. John Marsh (center) and her infant daughter, Kelly Sue, winner of the 1963 Nyssa Stork derby. Mother and daughter are shown here with Nurse Beth Ellis and Vic Haburchak, president of Nyssa Chamber of Commerce, and sponsoring organization of the annual contest, and also newly elected member of the hospital board. Also in the photo are just a few of the many gifts given by Nyssa merchants to the little lady and her parents. Kelly Sue was born at 2:07 a.m. Jan. 2, weighed 6 pounds, 13 ounces and joins a sister, Laurie Ann, soon to be two years old. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bingham and Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Marsh, all of Nyssa. Attending physician was Dr. L. A. Maulding.

—Staff Photo.

Solon Bob Smith Discusses Oregon's Deficit, Increased Budget Figures; Tells Proposed Sources of Revenue

Governor Recommends Increases in Liquor, Cigarette Taxes, Broadening Income Base

Robert F. (Bob) Smith, state representative for Malheur and Harney counties, told the Nyssa Chamber of Commerce Wednesday that Oregon legislators faced a real challenge. He said they were faced with either raising taxes to meet the governor's \$405 million budget, cutting some services, or a combination of both.

For the first time in more than 20 years Oregon has no surplus in the budget. At the beginning of the present biennium (1962-63) there was a surplus of \$32 million but it is all gone and there is a possibility of a deficit. The governor has recommended borrowing through a bond issue to meet the deficit.

That is the first problem faced by the incoming group of legislators. The second is that they must raise about \$40 million in new revenue to meet the figures set by the governor in his budget estimate. (Smith noted that in the past the final figures approved by the legislature had been close to those of the governor and he believed that they would be this time.)

Income Tax Returns Lower

Smith said the big cause of the deficit (spending above income) was due to the income tax returns being much lower than anticipated by the previous legislature. Most of this was due to the depressed condition of the lumber industry and a lowering of agricultural income.

Governor Hatfield's budget figures are \$39 million lower than the total of the 79 state agencies asking for funds.

Budget Expenditure Breakdown

Of the \$405 million in the governor's budget 59.4 percent would go for education; 9.6 for public health; social service, 12.3 percent; general government, 7.3 percent; public safety, 6.8 percent; natural resources, 2.8 percent; capital construction, 1.2 percent; commerce and labor, .5 percent; transportation, .1 percent.

Income Sources Listed

To raise the \$405 million income sources would be: individual income tax, 60.2 percent (\$239,700,000); corporate excise income tax, 12 percent (\$30,200,000); liquor tax, 8.6 percent (\$34,000,000); cigarette tax, 4.5 percent (\$18 million); insurance tax, 3.5 percent (\$14.1 million); inheritance and gift tax, 3.5 percent (\$14.1 million) and other taxes, 7.6 percent (\$34 million).

Smith said the income tax might be broadened to make all wage earners pay a minimum of \$5 and that there was a possibility that federal income tax payments would no longer be deductible. The liquor tax would be increased 15 cents per bottle and a new tax of 4 cents per pack placed on cigarettes. (The latter would have to be submitted to a vote of the people.)

Smith to Submit Bills

Smith said he would submit bills to: (1) eliminate present provisions on ambulance operations making it almost impossible for rural sections to have the service, (2) amend the bill governing fire protection requirements of hospitals, giving them three years to comply.

Since state agencies figure out what they want and try to see where they can get the money, Smith said one of the biggest jobs of a legislator was to protect the people from the government they had created.

City Officials Take Oaths Tuesday For New Terms

City Councilman George Sallee administered the oath of office to Councilman-elect Ray Huffman; and Cecil Morrison, Jr., Ken Pond and Don Engstrom, all re-elected.

The ceremony took place in council chambers prior to the regular monthly meeting Tuesday night. After the councilmen took the oath, Sallee swore in Grant Rinehart as mayor for another two-year term.

During the business session the council authorized City Manager Art Colby to have a new street light erected at Walnut avenue and Seventh street, agreed to pay \$1800 for audit bill, heard the mayor read financial report for the last six-month period of 1962 and advised the city manager to inform those concerned with sidewalk replacement or repair that the cost would be \$6.50 per lineal foot.

Ordinance No. 415 for the creation of sidewalk improvement district was called and approved on the first reading. Ordinance No. 414 regulating the opening and closing of rights-of-way was called and approved on second reading.

Expert to Speak At Alfalfa Seed Growers Meeting

Alfalfa seed growers will have an opportunity to discuss pollinators with Dr. G. E. Bohart, entomologist with the USDA, at a meeting to be held Jan. 15 at 8 p.m. in Adrian grade school, according to Ted Avery, president of the Malheur Legume Seed Growers association.

Dr. Bohart is noted for his work in Utah where he pioneered research work with leafcutter and alkali bees. His observations covering a number of years of study of these alfalfa seed pollinators can be of value to local seed growers, according to Leeds Bailey, county extension agent.

The meeting will also feature talks by Neil Hoffman and Luther Fitch of the Malheur Experiment station. Hoffman will discuss research work carried out at the station relative to seed production. Fitch will cover work done with various chemicals in the control of weeds and dodder in the alfalfa seed crop.

Hospital Staff Names Dr. Sarazin as Chief

Dr. David W. Sarazin was elected chief-of-staff at the last monthly meeting of Malheur Memorial hospital medical staff.

Named as vice president was Dr. K. A. Danford with Dr. John Kopp of Vale chosen as secretary-treasurer.

Appointment of staff committees will be made later by Dr. Sarazin.

Christmas Seal Returns Fall Short Of 1961 Campaign; X-Ray Unit Slated

Figures released from the office of the Malheur County Tuberculosis and Health association in Ontario by Mrs. Don Kudrna, executive secretary, show that Malheur county Christmas Seal returns total \$4394.31 as of Dec. 31, 1962. Last year's final returns came to \$4913.48.

A plea is being made for those who have not answered their Christmas Seal letters to do so. Reminders will be in the mail next week and it is hoped that they will be accepted in the friendly way they are intended.

"We reach for a total of at least \$5000 each year," Mrs. Kudrna said. Of the total collected 7 1/2% remains in the county. Our program is being expanded to include respiratory diseases."

According to Kenneth Ross, executive secretary of the Oregon Tuberculosis and Health association, "Since other respiratory diseases that damage the lungs or hinder breathing have a direct bearing on TB, we are concerned with all respiratory diseases. For

instance, influenza and pneumonia cause a breakdown among people infected with TB germs."

May Visit Set by Mobile Unit

The mobile x-ray unit will again visit the county in May, Mrs. Kudrna reported. Tuberculin testing will be done by the health department in all county schools with equipment purchased by the TB association.

The local association also pays for x-ray films of suspected cases, furnishes health bulletins to county schools, provides 4-H scholarships, contributes to nursing and medical scholarships, plus a variety of health education projects.

Home Sewing Tips To Be Presented At Public Meetings

Tips on giving home sewing the professional look will be demonstrated next week by Edna Mae Wimsatt and Janice Gumprecht, county extension agents. These tips will include handling of fabrics, pattern selection, linings and tips for sewing with the various types of fabrics on the market today.

Meetings will be held Jan. 16 at Nyssa Methodist church, Jan. 17 at the Vale courthouse room 113 and Jan. 18 at Ontario Women's club house. Each meeting will be conducted from 10 a.m. to 12 noon, 1:30 to 3:30 p.m.

According to Miss Gumprecht, these meetings will be open to the public.

Health Department Names Mrs. Nelson New Assistant Nurse

Mrs. R. Jack (Mary Ellen) Nelson of Ontario has been hired as part-time nurse for the Malheur County Health department, according to information received from that office. Mrs. Nelson replaces Mrs. Nina Hopper who has moved to Cambridge, Idaho.

Mrs. Nelson is a graduate of Salt Lake General hospital school of nursing and received her bachelor of science degree from the University of Utah. She also has a Red Cross home nursing instructor's certificate, is experienced in hospital supervision, doctor's office nursing and nursing instruction.

For the past 12 years she has worked in the obstetrical department at Holy Rosary hospital in Ontario.

She is the mother of three children, Karen, 12, LouAnn, 8, and Kent, 4.

TV College Sponsors Adult Sewing Classes At Nyssa High School

Adult basic clothing construction classes will begin at 8 o'clock Monday evening, Jan. 14, in the Nyssa high school homemaking rooms, according to Mrs. Virginia Steffens, instructor.

The classes will be under auspices of Treasure Valley Community college. Registration will be done during the first session.

The course will run for twelve weeks, three hours per evening. Cost will be the regular fee of \$12 for audit, plus \$1 fee for a syllabus or \$18 fee for terminal college credit, plus \$1 fee.

Beet Growers Group Sets Meetings Today

Nyssa-Nampa District Beet Growers association has scheduled its 1963 annual meetings at various hours and places within the district.

The Nyssa-Oregon Trail meeting will be held at 1:30 this afternoon at Oregon Trail hall with the meeting at Adrian slated at 7:30 this evening in the grade school recreation room.

Included on the program will be two films. One will be "Spring Mechanization" with the other being "Beet Industry in Russia," to be shown by Harold Hart.

Nyssa PTA Meeting Set This Evening; December Room Count Winners Listed

The January meeting of Nyssa PTA will be held at 8 o'clock this evening in the school cafeteria, according to announcement by Mrs. W. A. Barton, president.

Program will be under direction of Mrs. Harriet Brumbach, Nyssa high school guidance counselor; Mr. and Mrs. Solon Lewis, PTA representatives during January; and Ray Larson, school board member.

Following the year's program theme of curriculum study, however, the counseling-testing system of the 12 grades will be presented. Illustrative material will be given by Mrs. Clarice Poor, grade school principal. She will show how guidance is given in the lower grades.

The junior high school will be included on the program with Principal Muri Lancaster demonstrating procedures used in those grades. An actual interview with a student will show specific methods in the high school system.

Residents of the community are again invited to attend this informative program. Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Wilson will be in charge of refreshments after the business meeting and program session.

According to Mrs. Barton, there were eight cookie cans around the grade school last Monday afternoon instead of the expected six. The PTA executive committee volunteered to fill the containers since the results of the December room count revealed a three-way tie for first place in one of the grades.

Winners for December were: first grade, Mrs. Gladys Englehardt; second grade, Mrs. Opal Alcorn; third grade, Mrs. Helen Gonyer, Mrs. Vale Hagey and Mrs. Naomi May; fourth grade, Mrs. Eva Chadwick; fifth grade, Mrs. Hazel Lane; sixth grade, Mrs. Mary Hatt.

Mrs. Bill Richesin, room representative chairman, states that this is a very unusual occurrence and that it isn't likely to happen again for some time.

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Jan. 2	41	33	.03
Jan. 3	44	33	.04
Jan. 4	48	33	—
Jan. 5	41	21	—
Jan. 6	41	20	—
Jan. 7	35	31	—
Jan. 8	36	30	—
Jan. 9	—	20	—

Owyhee Reservoir Storage
Jan. 7, 1963 205,150 Acre Ft.
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