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**Authentic Film of Communist Living Dated Oct. 29 at School Cafetorium**

The film, "Question 7," is slated to be shown at 8 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 29, in the school cafetorium, under sponsorship of Faith Lutheran church, it has been announced by Pastor John Milbrath.

There will be no admission charge; however, a free-will offering will be taken to defray costs of securing the film and cafetorium rental.

**Fall Inquiry Classes Begin Sunday Night At Catholic Church**

Fall inquiry classes will begin Sunday evening, Oct. 27, at 7 o'clock in St. Bridget's rectory, Fifth and Locust streets, according to an announcement by Father John Baumgartner.

These classes are intended to give adults a course in basic Christianity. They will touch upon the subjects of man's quest for happiness, creation, fall of man, preparation of the world for a redeemer and the story of Christ. Following these fundamental topics, there will be classes on the teachings of Christ and their application to daily living.

According to Father Baumgartner, there is a strong religious trend back to God. Some, who thought they could get along without God or religion in their home life, have found what an important part religion plays in a well-balanced family life.

To add interest to the classes, films and color slides will be used. There will be no charge, nor does one, by attending, contract any obligation.

Any adult, regardless of race or religious affiliation, is welcome to attend these group instructions, Father Baumgartner said. Should anyone wish private instruction, this can be arranged by calling the rectory for an appointment.

**LOCAL CHURCH OBSERVES "WEEK OF THE MINISTRY"**

"Week of the Ministry" was observed last Sunday at the First Christian church in Nyssa.

The Rev. Wallace Prowell has listed the following young people of the church as having taken a part in the service.

Call to worship was given by Jackie Strickland; invocation prayer, JoAnne Strickland; responsive reading, Marilyn Pond; stewardship scripture, Carolyn Pond; sermon scripture, Janice Richards; benediction, David Sherbert.

"Thy Word Is Like a Garden" was title of a special selection sung by the choir.

**MEETINGS SLATED TODAY BY METHODIST CIRCLES**

Methodist Woman's Society of Christian Service circles will meet at 2 p.m. today.

Helen Barns members will meet with Mrs. James Correll. Lenora circle will meet with Mrs. Paul Ludlow and the Fulton group will meet in the church parlor.

**VISIT GRANDPARENTS**

Shelly, Dana Lynn, Scott and David Simpson spent Saturday with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Simpson.

No matter how much residents of this country read or hear about the workings of communism or its goals, it is difficult to understand what it means to Christian people.

Viewers of the film live with one family in a small town behind the iron curtain. The facts of day to day living are presented, where the church remains the only institution to resist Communist demands for conformity.

**Story Ending Not Resolved**

"Question 7" is a case history of life under the communist police state of the Soviet zone in Germany. The film is fully documented, absolutely authentic with no exaggerations. The ending of the story has not yet been resolved in real life.

In the film, three choices present themselves as responses a non-communist can make to the demands of the party. (1) Stand firm for what you believe (even if it means prison). (2) Flee the country (if possible). (3) Be a "radish" . . . red, but only on the outside.

**What Would Americans Do?**

It is not for Americans, in a safe country, to judge what others should do. But, what would residents of this country do if they were in the Russian people's shoes? Does one compromise of conviction lead to another and another until there is nothing of character left?

Are there forces in the school and community that impel people to act contrary to their basic beliefs? Is it unpopular to act contrary to a "fad"?

Is it thought that students give answers they themselves believe . . . or answers the teachers wish to hear?

These are some of the thoughts that will be presented during this film showing, and all residents of the area are urged to attend, Pastor Milbrath concluded.

**IT'S YOUR LAW**

By Oregon State Bar

**The Judge at Work**

The judge has many duties in a trial.

He sees that it goes in an orderly way and according to the rules—in selecting the jury, presenting evidence, hearing the lawyers' arguments, instructing the jury and bringing in the verdict.

Before the trial starts, the judge sees that the questions put to prospective jurors are proper. He excuses jurors. He must see to the proper conduct of the litigants, lawyers and witnesses. He must put down public disturbances.

The judge must see that the lawyers keep within due limits in questioning witnesses, in arguing to the jury and in their attitudes toward each other and the judge.

The judge tells the jurors their duties and what questions of fact to decide. He instructs them on what law controls the rights of the parties. He sees that the verdict is in due form. He must decide any requests for rulings by lawyers.

For example, after the plaintiff's lawyer has made his opening statement or presented his evidence, the defendant's lawyer may demur to the evidence.

This motion grants the plaintiff's facts but denies their cogency as a matter of law. If granted, the motion will not allow the plaintiff to recover judgment.

A directed verdict also ends the case before the jury can decide it. It is a decision by the court on a question of law. Either plaintiff or defendant may concede the facts but deny, as a matter of law, their power to sustain the other party's case.

A judge may render a "judgment notwithstanding the verdict" after the jury has brought in its verdict, when he should have granted, but mistakenly denied, a directed verdict.

The judge now and then may rule on the law and thereby take the suit out of the jury's hands. His ruling in no way reflects on the jury, but works to keep down needless litigation. When he does this, he usually expresses the sincere thanks of the court for the time of the jury in standing ready to do its work.

(Oregon lawyers offer this column as a public service. No person should apply or interpret any law without the aid of an attorney, who is completely advised of the facts involved. Even a slight variance in facts may change the application of the law.)

**Service to Honor LDS Missionary Marvin D. Haney**



MARVIN DUANE HANEY . . . To Serve in Northern States

A farewell testimonial service for Marvin Duane Haney will be held at 6 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 27, in the Nyssa LDS First ward chapel.

The young Nyssan, son of Mrs. Emil Wohlcke, will leave soon for the Chicago area where he will serve as LDS missionary in the Northern States.

He is a 1962 graduate of Nyssa high school and studied for one semester at Ricks college in Rexburg, Idaho. He will enter the mission home on Nov. 11 in Salt Lake City.

**Minister Announces Series of Discussions**

The local Methodist church is sponsoring a series of three Sunday night discussions on "Moral Man and Moral Society," it is announced by the Rev. Paul Ludlow.

First session will be held at 8 o'clock Sunday evening in the church parlor with Carl Devin in charge of the program, "Sources of Christian Morality."

The public is invited to attend these informal discussions, the Rev. Ludlow said.

**ATTEND VALE MEETING**

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Riggs attended a dinner meeting for Improvement Era directors of the Nyssa LDS stake last Thursday evening in Vale. The session was held at the home of Mrs. Herta Rose with Mrs. Hugh Kennington of Ontario assisting with the meal.

**VISIT IN MITCHELL HOME**

Visitors in the George Mitchell home are their daughter, Mrs. Leo Lorenz of Miami, Fla., and Miss Doris Koontz of San Francisco.

**From This Corner . . .**

By T. M. B.

Since my last effort along these lines have seen some more of Oregon's scenic areas. Being an outlander, there is a lot of the state I've never seen. Possibly should not admit it but had never been to the capital city since moving here. And I probably learned as little about it as the natives there know about Malheur county.

The drive by way of North Santiam and back by the south fork of the same river is very beautiful. Restful, shady forests of evergreens, a bounding blue stream and occasional glimpses of majestic peaks give one a variety not found in too many places.

Came back by way of Corvallis and was surprised at the size of the city. If it has over 10,000 students enrolled in the university, they must make up over a third of the total population.

It is difficult for one who has been out of school as long as I to picture what life on the campus must be like today. I felt lost among 3500 other students but to day among 10,000 it would seem more like being a number, instead of a personality.

And while on the subject of education, remembered about the drastic change California is planning for its teachers. The gist of it is that subject matter proficiency will be placed ahead of methods in the training of teachers.

They will receive their credentials in specific subjects and may not teach in other fields. Thomas Braden, president of the credentials board, listed the move as "the greatest single advance California has ever made in quality education."

If the law applied to present teachers there now about 90 percent of the elementary teachers, 20 percent of those in secondary schools and 75 percent in junior colleges could not qualify to teach. Unless Oregon makes some changes soon we'll cease to hear the story that our teachers can get more money in California — most of them could not qualify!

Hear quite a lot of speculation about the special session of the legislature called for Nov. 11. Most people seem to wonder if the governor seeks authority to make an across-the-board cut to bring the budget within anticipated revenues, or if he will ask the legislators to come up with a different tax program. From the time of the announcement the elected officials will have an opportunity to feel out the voters and try (for a change) to determine what they want done.

The general fund appropriations covered 77 agencies — some of which I still have no idea what they are for — and there is at least one starting with each letter of the alphabet, except K, Q, X, Y and Z.

Of these, 36 were to get in excess of a half-million dollars each, with the top three being: basic school support, \$140,000,000; higher education, \$79,000,000; and welfare, \$42,000,000.

A capacity crowd at the Saturday night Hootenanny in the local gym. Most comments on the program were very favorable but did pick up complaints on the sound system. Understand some of the loudspeakers are in on a trial basis and have not been purchased.

Was disappointed to see that the highway sign directing 20-26 traffic through here, has not yet been erected. Winter traffic is lighter than in the summer months but can still cut quite a figure in the local economy.

**CLOSING THOUGHT . . .**

Even a mosquito doesn't get a slap on the back until he starts to work!

**LDS Church Building Purchased Recently By Southern Baptists**

Southern Baptist church of Nampa has just purchased the LDS First ward building located at the corner of Third street and Park avenue, according to an announcement by the Rev. E. J. Jenkins of Nampa.

As soon as a survey can be made, Sunday school and regular worship services will be conducted at the new location, the Rev. Jenkins said. It is anticipated to be the first Sunday in November.

The new church is one of 30,000 the Southern Baptists are beginning throughout the U. S.

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**NAZARENE CHURCH NEWS**

Golden Hour Missionary chapter of the Nazarene church will hold a potluck dinner at 7:30 this evening in the Ken Saunders home in Apple Valley. Husbands of members will be guests.

Teenagers of the church are invited to a zone Halloween party this evening in New Plymouth.

**ATTEND MUSIC WORKSHOP**

Mrs. Cecil Richards, Mrs. Elvin Ballou and Linda attended an area music workshop Saturday in the Christian church at La Grande.

Mrs. Maud Skaggs Woodyard, former instructor of music at Northwest Christian college in Eugene, conducted the session on choir directing and church music.

**CHRISTIAN CHURCHES SET TWO-DAY TRAINING SESSION**

A churchmanship training session will be held Friday evening and Saturday at the First Christian church in Boise. Activities will begin with registration at 5 o'clock Friday evening and a banquet will be served at 6:45. An all-day session will be held on Saturday.

All chairmen and members of functional committees of the local Christian church are urged to attend.

**TO ATTEND IDAHO MEET**

Pastor John Milbrath of Faith Lutheran church in Nyssa will speak Sunday at a mission festival to be held at St. John's Lutheran church in American Falls.

Student Pastor Dale Kronquist will conduct reformation services Sunday in the local church.

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**NOTICE TO ALL TAXPAYERS**

Due to a change in our system of records, the new tax statements will have new account numbers. If you wish to determine the legal description of each account, you may come in or call the Assessor's Office. It is very necessary that you bring in your tax statements. If you call, you should give us your account number, which is to the left of your name and address.

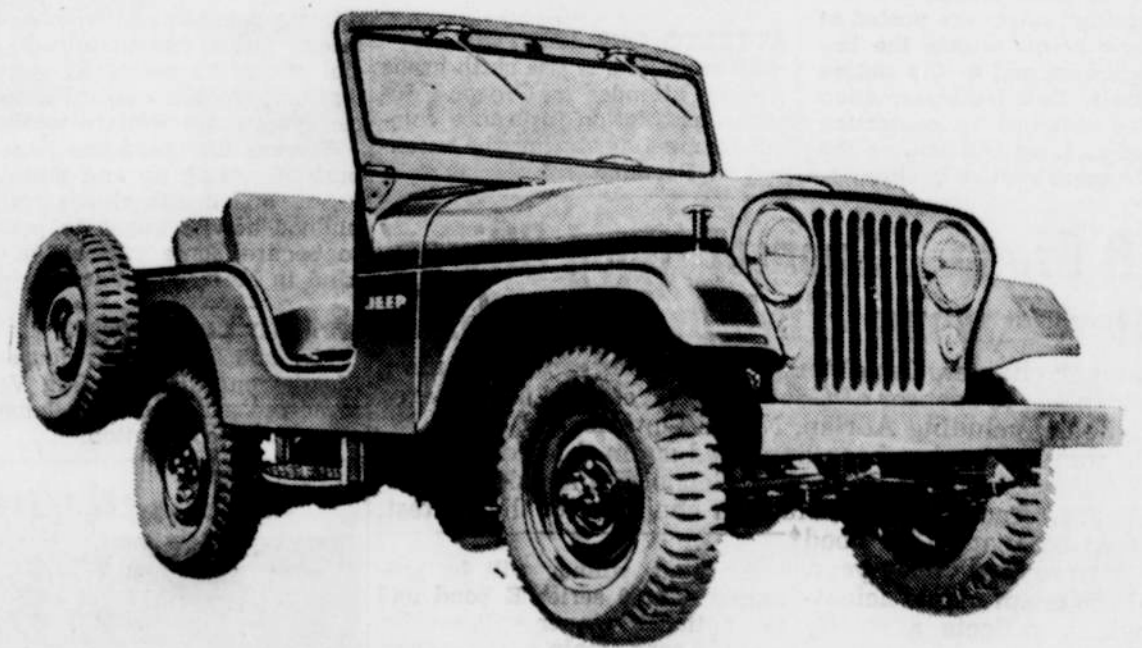
The tax statements are late in going out so it would be very helpful if those who can will mail their payments and be sure to have them postmarked on or before November 15th, thereby cutting down on the line-up at the office.

Rebates will be allowed on all payments that are sufficient to cover the tax, if postmarked on or before November 15th. Rebate has already been allowed on the statements. Do not deduct it again. Do not compute partial payments on the amount that has the rebate deducted.

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