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**CHURCH WORLD SERVICE FALL CLOTHING DRIVE**

BY REV. WALLACE M. PROWELL

The Thanksgiving season of the year is a time when area residents have an opportunity to share used clothing with other people of the world. Union Thanksgiving services, held in almost every community of the United States, is fast becoming the time for collecting the used garments.

For the Nyssa-Adrian area, the joint service will be held at 8 p. m. Wednesday, Nov. 27, 1968 at Nyssa United Methodist church, designated as the collection center.

In 1967 almost 1,500 pounds of clothing and \$150 were given for the fall clothing drive through Nyssa and Adrian churches.

It is suggested that area residents look into their closets now and take the clothing they would like to share to their local churches. There it will be put into boxes, tied and labeled by the women's groups. Then the church officials can take the boxed clothing and ten cents (10¢) per pound to the Union Thanksgiving service.

Clothing which can be used includes suits, overcoats, trousers, overalls, dresses, skirts, caps, gloves, mittens, sweaters, robes, mufflers, underwear, stockings (not nylon), blankets, layettes, infants' wear and shoes. The clothing should be clean, mended and have at least six months of wear left in it.

DO NOT SEND hats, ties, bathing suits, formal garments, pillows or mattresses.

Those who have no clothing to give, can make a \$3 cash gift with which the Church World Service can purchase a blanket at wholesale price.

For area residents, whose churches do not participate in the CWS clothing drive, it is suggested that they take their items of clothing to their own churches - as it will be needed by missionaries or other workers for those denominations.

**WHAT A GRANDMOTHER IS!**

BY PATSEY GRAY

television, because grandmas are the only grownups who have got time. - Taken from Sunshine Magazine, furnished by Mrs. Alice Neiger.

**A WORLD OF GREEN**

This world is much like a golfer's world with fairway, bunker and pit;  
For all you need is a few good clubs and a ball or two to hit;  
With the soft turf and the warm breeze, and the noon sun's brightness,  
The steady aim, the high hope, and the gay heart's lightness.  
Life is beautiful indeed in the golfer's world of green,  
With the wide sweep and the long slope and woodlands all between.  
And all you need is a few straight drives with a chip-shot from the clover,  
And quiet sleep and a sweet dream, when the last round's over. - E. Jay Ritter, from the Sunshine Magazine.

**YOUTH GROUP SETS COOKED FOOD SALE**

A cooked food sale, sponsored by members of the Luther League of Faith Lutheran church, will be held Saturday, Nov. 16 at Michael's Pharmacy. Proceeds will be used to defray expenses for the youths to attend the Nov. 28-30 convention in Portland.

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**LETTER TO EDITOR**

Dear Editor,  
Please express to your readers my sincere thanks for the vote of confidence displayed at the November 5th general election. Education in Oregon has received a hearty endorsement. We now stand ready to meet the challenges of the 1970's. There is much to be done if education is to be prepared. One thing we have learned—the job cannot be done alone. It requires the attention and support of every concerned citizen. Schools and community colleges throughout Oregon need the involvement of everyone who is committed to quality education.

Not only do I express my appreciation to the hundreds of volunteers who carried out this recent campaign, but I urge you all to join with me as we try to strengthen the fine school system which has made Oregon so proud. Cordially - Dale Parnell.

**UNITED METHODIST CHURCH NOTES**

Ed Paynter, a layman from the Payette United Methodist church, was speaker at the Nyssa church on Nov. 3. He spoke in the absence of the Rev. J. D. Crego who was ill. Dale Adams, local lay leader, presided over the service.

Laymen's Sunday was observed Nov. 10 at the United Methodist church. Lay Leader Dale Adams was again in charge of the service, with Mrs. Leo Gonyer giving the children's sermon.

The choir sang the anthem, "Talis Canon," with Don Somers and Grover Lytle giving theirs on "What I Expect of My Pastor."

The pastor, J. D. Crego, then gave a brief talk entitled "What I Expect Of My Laymen." The service was well attended and enthusiastically received.

**WEEKLY SCHEDULE**

Sunday - Nov. 17 - 9:30 a. m., Sunday school opens with students and teachers meeting in Sanctuary for 15 minutes of worship.  
11 a. m. - worship service. Sermon topic, "Personal Faith." Nursery for pre-school children.  
Immediately following service, there will be a fellowship dinner, with Sp/4 Donald C. Crego showing color slides and speaking on his stay in Europe while studying at Schiller college in 1967.  
Those attending the dinner are asked to take own table service.  
7 p. m. - Joint meeting of the Junior and Senior High MYF groups.  
Tuesday - Nov. 19 - 8 p. m. - Adult Bible class meeting in study.  
Wednesday - Thursday, Nov. 20-21, the minister will attend the Idaho conference of pastors in Boise.  
Thursday - Nov. 21 - 2 p. m. - WSCS women will meet at the home of Mrs. Leslie Topliff.  
Saturday - Nov. 23 - Annual bazaar and plate luncheons, sponsored by WSCS women.

**OWYHEE COMMUNITY CHURCH**

The Rev. Tom Starr of Cole Community church near Boise will be speaker at a banquet scheduled at 7:30 this evening, Nov. 14 at Owyhee Community church.

The dinner is an annual affair for members and their friends. The younger group is in charge of the program and entertainment.

Women of the Missionary circle met Nov. 7 at the church to make final arrangements for the banquet. Devotions were followed by refreshments. Among those attending the meeting were Mmes. Amy Stradley, Otis Bullard, Clara Corfield, Kenneth Lorensen, Dorothy Pattee, Gary Nielsen, Bill Nielsen, Boyd Haney and Harold Dail.

The Rev. Gene and Mrs. Lewin and family were Nov. 3 dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Haney. Pastor Lewin was guest speaker on Nov. 3 at the church. On Nov. 10, Rodney Frost of Meridian was guest speaker. Attending the service with him was his daughter and granddaughter.

**OBITUARIES**

**JOHN OLIVER BRETZ**

Funeral services for John Oliver Bretz were conducted Friday morning, Nov. 8, 1968 at Lienkaemper chapel. Officiating was the Rev. Wallace Prowell of Nyssa Christian church.

Mr. Bretz succumbed Nov. 6, at Malheur Memorial hospital, following an extended illness. He was born March 25, 1902 at Lucas, Kans., the second child of Samuel and Selma Harsbarger Bretz. He attended a rural school near Lucas.

On Nov. 16, 1924 he was married to May Rose in Lincoln, Kans.

The family lived in Lucas where Mr. Bretz was a mechanic and farmer; and in 1946 he moved to Nyssa where the deceased farmed in the Oregon Trail area until he became ill several years ago. He and his wife continued to live on the farm until his death.

Mr. Bretz was fond of fishing and hunting, and during his period of illness he continued to go fishing when he was feeling able to do so.

In addition to his widow, the deceased is survived by two sons, Samuel L. of Florissant, Mo., and Marvin of Healy, Kans.; two daughters, Mrs. Robert (Betty) Bowen of La Grande and Mrs. Roy (Dorothy) Lobb of Corvallis.

Other survivors include his father, Samuel S. Bretz of Downs, Kans.; and a sister, Mrs. Lindsey (Alice) Clark of Portland. Twelve grandchildren also survive.

Mr. Bretz was preceded in death by his mother; an infant daughter, Margaret; and a son, John.

Interment rites were held Monday afternoon at Lucas, Kansas.

**DELBERT E. TAYLOR**

Services for Delbert Eugene Taylor, 48, Ontario, who died unexpectedly Sunday at the Ontario hospital, were conducted Wednesday with the Rev. Danny Pyles, pastor of the First Church of the Nazarene in Ontario officiating. Interment was in Evergreen cemetery under direction of Bertelson-Lienkaemper Memorial Chapel.

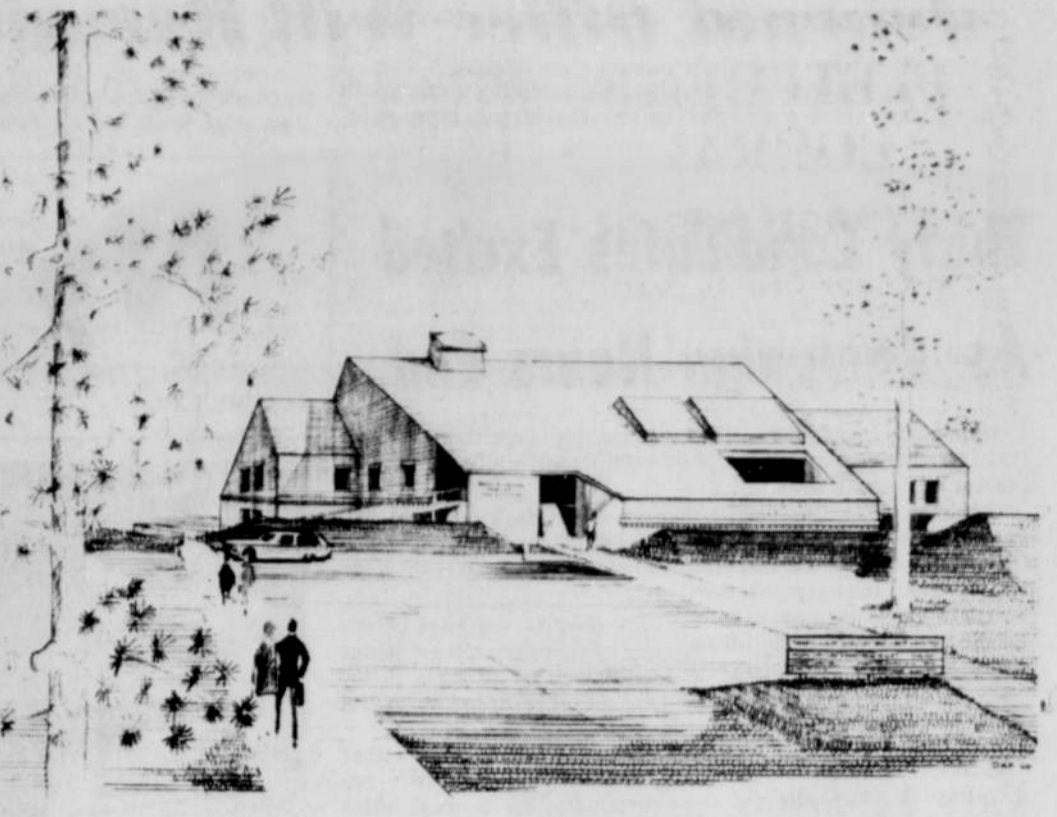
Born Nov. 4, 1920 in Bostwick, Neb., he moved with his family in 1922 to Kuna. In 1950 he moved to Ontario and was associated with the Meeker-Taylor Ford Tractor Agency. In 1961 he became associated with the Ontario Livestock Commission Company and was general manager until his death.

He married Claudia Grace Smith in Kuna March 29, 1941. He was a member of the BPOE No. 1690, Ontario, and vice president of the Snake River Valley Horse Racing and Breeders association and a member of the Oregon and Idaho Cattlemen's associations. He was active in the First Church of the Nazarene.

The deceased is survived by his widow in Ontario; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank G. Taylor, Ontario; two sons, Gerald of Ontario and Robert at home; one daughter, Debra, at home.

Other survivors include a brother, Charles Taylor, Kuna; and one sister, Mrs. Cleat (Maxine) Bunch, Ontario. An infant daughter Delberta preceded him in death in 1945.

The family suggests memorials be given to the First Church of the Nazarene in Ontario.



**THE NEW UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF Agriculture Forest Service Range and Wildlife Habitat Laboratory on the Eastern Oregon College campus in La Grande, Oregon, was dedicated Friday, October 11.** Senator Wayne Morse and Congressman Al Ullman participated in the dedication program. The 13,000-square-foot laboratory provides facilities for intensive scientific studies on improvement of both livestock range and wildlife habitat. The research programs are conducted in cooperation with the livestock industries, state and federal agencies, colleges, and universities of Oregon and Washington. The building is a facility of the Pacific Northwest Forest and Range Experiment Station which is headquartered in Portland, Oregon. Project leaders assigned to this research facility are George A. Garrison for range management and ecology and Justin G. Smith for big-game habitat. These units are currently stationed in the Sacajawea Hotel in La Grande. The new \$425,000 laboratory was designed by Forest Service architect A. P. Di Benedetto, AIA, Portland, and constructed by A. Ritchie & Co. of Walla Walla, Wash. The laboratory is a fine example of contemporary design using woods native to the Pacific Northwest. The dedication was held in the Administration Building on the EOC campus. A tour of the new laboratory, at C Ave., and Gekeler Lane, followed the dedication.

**W. SPARKS VISITS**

1st Lt. Wayne Sparks arrived home Nov. 8 from Biloxi, Miss., to spend the weekend with his mother, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Long. He left Nov. 11 to take a seven-week course at a procurement school in Denver.

Most people can keep a secret; it's the folks they tell it to who can't.

The most common speech impediment among children is chewing gum.

**COOKED FOOD SALE**  
Sat., Nov. 16 - 10 A.M.  
At Michael's Pharmacy  
SPONSORED BY YOUTH OF LUTHERAN CHURCH

**METHODIST WOMEN SET ANNUAL EVENT**

The annual bazaar and plate luncheons, sponsored by WSCS women of Nyssa United Methodist church, will be held Saturday, Nov. 23 at the church. Bazaar items will be on sale to the public from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m., and will include handwork, produce, holiday articles and gifts.

The roast pork luncheons will be complete with dessert, and will be served to area residents from 11:30 a. m. to 1:30 p. m.

Whether we will it or not, we cannot journey without leaving footprints, and others will follow where we go because we have marked the way.

Turning your back on one problem brings you face-to-face with another.

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