



"THE SONFOLK", A CONTEMPORARY gospel singing group proclaiming the message of Jesus Christ through both modern and traditional music making use of a variety of instruments—guitar, electric piano, bass guitar, harmonica, and drums—will present a concert at the Cafeteria-Auditorium of Nyssa High School, Sunday evening, October 29, at 7:30 p.m.

"The Sonfolk" are from Concordia College of Moorhead, Minnesota, and are currently on a year-long tour which will take them all over the United States. The group has traveled extensively, singing at churches, parks, jails, nursing home, and teen rallies. They have cut two record albums, which will be available for purchase. A free will offering will be received. The concert is open to the general public and is sponsored by Faith Lutheran Church of Nyssa.

Faith Lutheran Church is celebrating its 25th anniversary on October 29, and "The Sonfolk Concert" is intended as a gift from Faith to the community of Nyssa and the Treasure Valley area and in gratitude to God for the twenty-five years of Faith's life and ministry. It is hoped that the auditorium will be filled to hear this excellent group as they sing the praises of our Lord.

"The Sonfolk" are pictured left to right—Lee Bargfeld, Princeton, Minnesota; Diane Stockman, Williston, North Dakota; Sherman Bishop, Kathryn, North Dakota; Coral Sampson, Belview, Minnesota; Carol Carlson, Kulm, North Dakota and Richard Pogue, St. Paul, Minnesota.

The women of Faith Lutheran Church will treat all attending the concert to cookies, coffee, and punch following the concert.

ADRIAN NEWS

Mrs. George DeHaven
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ADRIAN — Mrs. K. I. Peterson, Mrs. Robert Long, and Mrs. Edna Cowling and Mrs. Gertye Jones attended the funeral services for Mrs. Marie Earp in Emmett Wednesday. Frank Hunter of Reedsport and Rolin Bowles of Portland visited Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Mackey Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Mackey went to Boise Monday after his mother, Mrs. Minnie Mackey and Aunt Fanny Sandlin. While there they visited Mrs. G. E. Mackey's mother, Mrs. Florence Gowey, who went on an extended trip to Washington the next day.

Mr. and Mrs. Burton Barnes were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Robert Long.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Looney and boys of Ontario were Sunday dinner guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Looney. Mary Looney took her horse and went for a ride in the hills with Mrs. Gladys Swigert last week.

Hank Moore, Klamath Falls and Emily Bump, Bend, Oregon visited Mr. and Mrs. K. I. Peterson, Saturday evening.

ARCADIA

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ARCADIA - The Arcadia Sunshine Club will meet October 27 at the home of Mrs. Ted Bowers, north of airport corner near Ontario.

Richard McLaughlin from Condon, Oregon spent the long weekend with John Seburn and Goldie Roper and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Corn and Bruce and enjoyed the pheasant hunting.

Elbert Schroeder and Rick Fish of Coos Bay, Oregon, Frank Oswald and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Sandburg of Portland were at the Cecil Houston home over the weekend for pheasant hunting. Schroeder showed slides from Greece to a group Saturday evening in the Houston home. Mr. and Mrs. Schroeder spent last October in Greece. They visited all the Islands there.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bowers and Bradley from Seattle are visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bowers and doing some pheasant hunting. Cliff Kraft and Edd Gozoni from Kent, Washington are at the Bowers hunting pheasants.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Carroll of Ontario visited in the Henry Carroll home Monday. Mark and Travis Smith of

Bank Debits
Up In August

Bank debits for the eight reporting banks including Harney and Malheur counties were up in August, 1972, compared to August, 1971, the University of Oregon Bureau of Business and Economic Research has reported.

Debits for August, 1972, totaled \$54,442,000. For July, 1972, the total was \$50,259,000 and for August, 1971, the total was \$51,988,000.

Oregon with 400 banks reporting had a percentage increase of 5.1% in August 1972, as compared with July, 1972, and a 24.3% increase in August, 1972, compared with August, 1971.

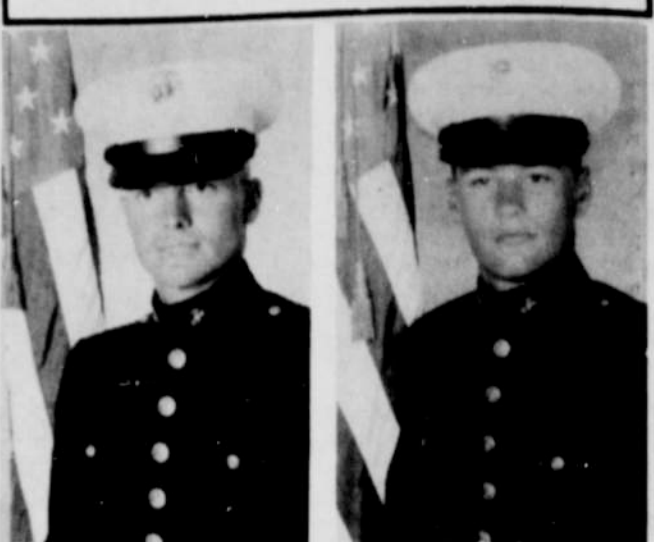
Total bank debits for August 1972 came to \$6,863,529,000. For July, 1972, the total was \$6,527,818,000 and for August, 1971, the total was \$5,520,845,000.

Boise spent the weekend with their grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Everett Edmondson.

Mrs. Marvin Jensen, Mark and Larry of Boise and Nancy Boyack of Meridian spent Sunday and Monday at the Otis Bullard home.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Bullard and family were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Gary Nielsen in the Owyhee.

Service News



Pfc Myron McCrady

Pvt. Lynus Berghorst

SAN DIEGO, CALIFORNIA — Marine Pfc. Myron L. McCrady, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. McCrady, Nyssa, graduated from basic training as an Honorman of his class at the Marine Corps Recruit Depot in San Diego.

SAN DIEGO, CALIFORNIA — Marine Pvt. Lynus A. Berghorst, son of Mr. and Mrs. Berghorst of Route 3, Parma, graduated from basic training at the Marine Corps Recruit Depot in San Diego.

A 1965 graduate of Nyssa High School, he attended Treasure Valley Community College, Ontario and he is scheduled to report to Palms, California.

About 15 million people suffer from tuberculosis. For 25% UNICEF can provide the BCG vaccine to protect 25 children from that disease.

NU ACRES HAPPENINGS

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NU ACRES - Mr. and Mrs. George Dohner went to the coast for a week. They had planned on being gone for a couple of days to try out their new camper trailer but enjoyed it so much they went on down the Columbia river highway to Salem and visited her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Rice. While on the coast they stayed at Beverly Beach State Park north of Newport.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wilson went to Nampa Sunday to visit Mrs. Virginia Mitchell and had dinner at the Sir Richards restaurant in Nampa.

Mrs. George Wilson called on Mrs. Alden Bryan Thursday morning and enjoyed coffee with her.

Jerry Lauer came home from the University of Moscow to go to National Guards last week, while he was here he and his brother, Ross went deer hunting and was among the lucky ones that bagged their deer.

Miss Linda Lauer went to Huntington with Mrs. Leavitt and visited her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Rice. While on the coast they stayed at Beverly Beach State Park north of Newport.

Mr. and Mrs. Sy Woodland of Arena Valley were visitors at the Ben Payne home Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. George (Doc) Pitkin was overnight visitors of the Ben Payne's. They were on their honeymoon. They had been married Monday at Troy, Idaho where they will make their home. They had been to Vale to visit his mother

who lives at the nursing home at Vale and also visited his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bates.

Mrs. Calvin Conner had a Tri-Chem party at her home Friday afternoon with several from this neighborhood attending. Mrs. Hoppell of Fruitland gave the demonstration.

Robert Shaw, Sr. and Ben Payne went hunting in the Owyhees Saturday and both of them were lucky enough to come home with four point bucks.

Mr. and Mrs. Alden Bryan went for a drive Sunday and visited with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Coles and son, Mr. and Mrs. John Otto and family all of Nampa.

Mrs. Tony Mell went to Nampa to stay with her sister Mrs. Harold Cole Sunday evening while her husband Tony and Lowell Wiseman left to go on a hunting trip.

Mrs. James Stephens and Mrs. Cecil Evans went to Portland last week to attend the annual meeting of the WSCS of the United Methodist Church. It was held at the Rose City Park Church. While in Portland they stayed at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Bob Bartner. They traveled by charter bus with forty other women who came from towns throughout Idaho.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sherman of Greenleaf were Sunday afternoon visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Evans.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Bingaman of Boise visited with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Evans Sunday afternoon. They were enroute home after visiting his parents in Fruitland.

Nuby Hartman has been selected for the National Honor Society at the Fruitland High school. His mother is Mrs. Armine Hartman.

Sherman Keck went to the Democratic dinner at the Orchard Avenue Grange Hall. Nuby Hartman and George Dohner accompanied him. Others going from this community were Mr. and Mrs. Mike McKague and their guests Mr. and Mrs. Ben Howland and Mr. and Mrs. Omar Maine.

Marriage Licenses

VALE—Monty James Howard and Nancy Lee Bale, both Nyssa; Randall James Armstrong, Nyssa, and Krysten Lucille Runcorn, Vale; Ogilvio Segura Resendes and Yolanda Santistevan Flores, both Adrian; Larry Lee Meeker, Ontario and Judy Ann Hylton, Payette.

PAYETTE—Thad Byrd Glenn and Deborah Sue Dickens, both Ontario; Stephen Damion Law and Michelle Yvonne English, both Payette.

Don't substitute a crisis for a problem!

Vote NO on measure 9

"Proposed Constitutional Amendment to prohibit property tax for school operating costs"

Ballot Measure 9 would strip Oregon public schools of 70% of their operating funds by eliminating the property tax. No alternate source of revenue is provided.

No one likes property taxes. And we all agree that some form of tax relief for home owners is imperative. But right now, property taxes are the mainstay of Oregon's grade schools, high schools and community colleges.

Who pays property taxes?
This year, it required \$367 million in property taxes to operate the schools. Of that \$367 million, homeowners paid less than half—38.5%. The remainder, over 60%, came from business and income property.

What other revenue sources are there?
The \$367 million from property taxes is almost equal to all the taxes collected for the State General Fund—from income and corporate taxes, liquor and cigarette taxes, corporate excise taxes, etc. That's why it would be extremely difficult to find another source of revenue that could completely replace the property tax. Economists estimate that it would require a 9% sales tax or a 130% increase in income taxes to replace the revenue from property taxes. **Here are some other possible sources of revenue, totaling under \$41 million—far short of the \$367 million which schools would lose if Measure 9 passes.**

Possible alternate revenues:

Item	Rate	Est. Income
Cigarettes	4¢/pack	\$12,000,000
Hotel/Motel	5%	6,000,000
Cameras/Film	2% on wholesale	760,000
Wine	46¢ gal.	1,400,000
Cigars	10% of wholesale	400,000
Restaurant/Bar	5%	17,500,000
Admissions	10%	2,500,000
Total Revenue		40,560,000
Total replacement needed next year		\$367,200,000

These taxes would raise approximately 1/9 of the revenue needed to replace loss of property tax school support.

Is there any tax relief in sight?
Right now, the Governor, the Interim Legislative Tax Committee, labor and business groups and school organizations are working on a new approach to school funding that will substantially reduce the tax load now carried by property owners. The new tax package will be presented to the Legislature early in 1973.

Who opposes Measure 9?
Some of the individuals and groups opposed to Measure 9 are:
Governor Tom McCall
Ed Whelan, AFL-CIO
Carl Halvorson, Portland Chamber of Commerce
Dale Parnell, Oregon Superintendent of Public Instruction
Honorable Edith Green, U.S. House of Representatives

Who supports Measure 9?
The Oregon Farm Bureau, who sponsored the measure, is the only major organization to support it. They feel that the property tax places an undue financial burden on farmers. However, both the Oregon State Grange and the Farmers Union oppose Measure 9.

Will schools close if Measure 9 passes?
No one knows. A new source of revenue would have to be found to replace the \$367 million in property taxes. Next, a new school funding program would have to be prepared and passed by the State Legislature, then voted on by the people in a special election. If voters turned down the new tax package, school operating funds would be cut by 70% on June 30, 1973. So let's not substitute a crisis for a problem!

Vote NO on measure 9

Oregonians Against Measure 9 Co-Chairmen: Honorable Norma Paulus, Oregon House of Representatives; Honorable Neil Goldschmidt, Mayor-Elect, City of Portland, Executive Building, Room 918, 811 SW Sixth, Portland, Oregon 97207, Phone 223-8162.


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FOR STATE SENATE DISTRICT 30



PAT DAVIS, the Democratic Candidate for the State Senate from Eastern Oregon District #30 is a life long resident of Oregon. He was born in Portland and has lived in Baker for 30 years.

Married for 25 years to his wife Marge, the couple have two grown sons, both living in Corvallis.

Pat Davis is an acknowledged leader in his community. He has worked for the Union Pacific Railroad for 23 years. He is a licensed Real Estate Salesman and operates his own bookkeeping and tax service office. He is in the Property management field, owning and operating rental units in the Baker area for many years.

Pat Davis is experienced in working with the people of Eastern Oregon through his various business enterprises.

Pat Davis is experienced in serving people, as Past President of the Baker Lions Club, Past Zone Chairman of Lions International, Past Exalted Ruler of the Baker Elks Lodge and serving on many charitable and civic committees over the years.

Pat Davis is experienced in Politics, having served as Past Chairman of the Baker County Democratic Central Committee, Past District Chairman of the Democratic Party of Oregon and serving as a delegate to the National Convention in 1960.

He is Capable-Experienced and Dedicated. As his working experience is in many fields, he is acutely aware of the problems and needs of the people of Eastern Oregon.

Pat Davis will truly be a new effective voice for Eastern Oregon. He pledges to work for an equitable solution to the many tax and financial problems that face our State and he will continue close communication with the people of Eastern Oregon while serving in the legislature.

Your Vote Will Be Appreciated

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