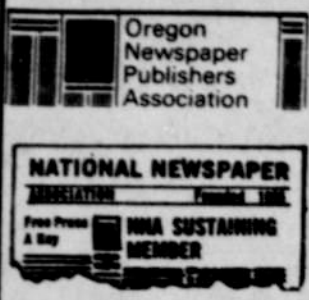


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THE CITY COUNCIL

Freshly groomed with a smile on each face, they enter the Chamber and file into place; Six Councilmen seating, with air most sedate glancing at watches, not wanting to be late. With bang of his gavel the Mayor starts work all answer with gusto, the call of the Clerk; They vote on the minutes, agendas and dates, then warrants and hearings and lengthy debates.

Hours later this Council so eager and wise, like flowers start wilting and rubbing their eyes. To listen and argue and vote to decide while hair becomes tousled and eyelids slide. But on with the battles and on with the bore, Same speakers and viewpoints heard often before. While elbow on table with fist under chin To keep each head from caving right in.

The moral of this story if you aspire To run for the Council, suppress the desire Unless you have nothing but time to devote And don't care about friends you might lose by a vote But—run for the Council if you are sincere, For making improvements to that which is here. All work, no glory, it's harder than it looks Remember, only God reads old minute books.

Submitted by Henry Schneider

Leaders Workshop Registration Due Fri.

Openings are still available at both the afternoon and evening sessions of the Leadership Workshops which will be held in Malheur County, November 4, 5, 11 and 12.

All associations, commissions, service clubs, churches, schools, civic groups and women's organizations are encouraged to send at least two members to the workshops.

One of the unique characteristics of our democratic society is the way we work in groups to get things done. According to Helen Conner, Extension Home Economist, effective leadership is essential if groups are to achieve their objectives. Leadership workshops are planned to help those in leader roles more effectively involve their group members in decision making and problem solving. Discussion groups and role play activities will give those attending an opportunity to practice what they are learning. Of special interest to many will be a discussion of how changes take place in your community.

Many groups might choose to send members with leadership potential to the sessions rather than those who are presently in leadership positions. Good potential leaders are usually those who ask productive questions helps others decide things for themselves, likes and is liked by many others and comes up with good ideas.

Additional information and registration forms may be obtained from the Malheur County Extension Office in Ontario - 889-9129.



Glenn Klein

Glenn Klein, Oregon State University will be guest speaker at the workshops. Afternoon sessions will be held at the Ontario Christian Church, from 1 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. Evening meetings will start at 7:30 at Ontario High School Cafeteria.

A \$3.00 registration fee to cover the cost of materials and refreshments will be charged.

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DANCING

9:30 p.m. to 1:30 a.m.

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LETTER TO EDITOR

Editor, The Journal:

I would like to comment on a letter by Gene Stunz to the Journal on October 23.

In his letter Mr. Stunz included a report issued by the American Security Council. The report described the recent increase in Soviet missile production.

Having wealth and factories here in the United States we, in our work for peace, might be tempted to use the wrong weapons such as atomic terror, passive acceptance of injustice, violence and, above all, the arms race.

The arms race has become a mad machine, ruinous and scandalous. Through its excess in death dealing weaponry the arms race transforms national and international security into a disastrous insecurity. Instead of preserving people from war the arms race prepares for war.

As more desirable alternatives we have to emphasize the moral strength of law, respect for agreements, and the effective application of recent charters for the rights of the people.

Yours truly
 Robert E. Simard
 Nyssa.

OBITUARIES

Frank O. Munn

Services for Frank Orin Munn, 15, who died Tuesday October 28, 1975 at his home of a gunshot wound will be conducted at 2 p.m. Thursday at Lienkaemper Chapel in Nyssa by Pastor Walter Schmidt of Faith Lutheran Church. Interment will be in Nyssa Cemetery.

He was born January 7, 1960, in La Grande, Oregon. He moved with his family to Nyssa from Lakeview, Oregon five years ago. He was a sophomore at Nyssa High School.

He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Munn, rural Nyssa; two brothers, Scott and Doyle Munn, at home; a sister, Shelley Munn, Ontario; grandparents, Frank Crawford, Huntington, Oregon and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph O. Munn, Baker, Oregon.

Card of Thanks

The family of Irene Van Zelf extends a special "thank you" to the Rev. Eridene Johnson for his help and many kindnesses during the loss of their loved one; to the ladies of the Christian Church who prepared and served the delicious dinner and to Dr. David Sarazin and the staff at the Malheur Memorial Hospital for their help, patience and understanding. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Barron Mr. and Mrs. Harry Schott Mr. and Mrs. John Van Zelf Mr. and Mrs. Roger Van Zelf Mr. and Mrs. Bill Van Zelf Mrs. Blanche Weeks and family

Hannah's Hassels

For help call or write to Hannah at Information and Referral Service, 889-7651 or P.O. Box 799, Ontario, Oregon 97914

Dear Hannah: I'm a poor widow and I have an extra room I'd like to rent. How do I find a handsome, eligible single male to rent it. Breathlessly Waiting.

Dear Breathless: First take one deep breath then race to the phone and call 889-7651. Information and Referral will act as a clearing house for people having rental property and those wanting housing. We have only one problem. We have twice as many people hunting for housing as we have apartments, rooms, or houses.

Volunteer Program To Start In Malheur Co.

The Volunteer Program through Public Welfare and Children's Services Division is beginning again in Malheur County and Volunteers are urgently needed to help persons of all ages in a variety of ways.

We have an immediate need for persons to provide transportation, to interpret for non-English speaking clients, to help establish and maintain clothing and furnishings donations, and do

Hankins Family Slated



HEAR THE GLEN HANKINS FAMILY AND RUFUS at the Church of the Nazarene, Sunday Morning, November 2.

The Hankins Family make their home in Emmett, Idaho and travel throughout the Idaho-Oregon area. They believe that happiness is knowing Jesus Christ, and they enjoy sharing the love of Christ with everyone, especially boys and girls.

Pastor Bill Russell and the Nazarene Congregation invite the public to come and hear the Glen Hankins Family.

Nazarene Church News

Thursday, October 30, Golden Hour Missionary. Chapter meets with Jane Ballou, 7:30 p.m.

Sunday, November 2, Morning Prayer at the Church, 7 a.m.

Christian Education Classes, 9:45 a.m.

Children's hurch with the Glen Hankin's family from Emmett sharing a special message with the help of Rufus, 11 a.m.

Worship Service with message by Pastor Russell, 11 a.m.

Choir practice, 6:45 p.m.

Evening Gospel Hour, 7:30 p.m.

Tuesday, November 4, Ladies Bible Study at the home of Mrs. Sheila Larkin, 9:30 a.m.

Wednesday, November 5, Bible Study in the Nursing Home, 3:30 p.m.

Caravans for boys and girls; Teen Meeting; Prayer and Bible Study, 7:30 p.m.

Let Jesus put a "Song in your Heart" that will keep you singing with joy.

United Methodist Church News

The United Methodist Church and the Rev. James Monroe welcomes you to all Church activities.

Thursday, October 31 - Bible Study at Fern Adams home, 9:30 a.m.

Children, kindergarten through 6th grade, for UNICEF meet at the church, 6:30 p.m. There will be a party following the collection.

Sunday, November 2 - Prayer Service at the church, 9 a.m.

Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.

Worship Service with message "The Greatest Gift" by the Rev. Monroe, 10:50 a.m.

Fellowship moments will follow the service.

Tuesday, November 4 - Sermon Study Group, 4 p.m.

Wednesday, November 5 - MYF, 7 p.m.

Grab Bag Group-Nancy Davis, a registered nurse, will speak on "Open Heart Surgery," 7:30 p.m.

Thursday, November 6 - Women's General Society Meeting, 2 p.m.

Why We Call Ourselves Christian

by Pastor Eridene Johnson

To many people, the name over the church door bears some great importance. Somewhere along the way they have been taught that one denomination is right, and somehow all the rest are wrong. Then on the other hand there are those who believe that all of them are good. It's simply a matter of choice. To me, one view is just about as misleading as the other. The myriad of denominations in the world today, is the result of the world in the heart of man, more than it is the desire to know the truth. The more we become concerned for the will of God, the less importance we attach to the ideas of men and their petty little contrivances to be different.

John 7:17 says "If any man will do His will, he shall know of the doctrine, whether it be of God or whether I speak of myself." Jesus is giving us in this statement, a very important principle in the interpretation of the Bible. First, it is God's will for us to know the truth and second it is possible.

Now the question why do we call ourselves Christian? Names identify people. Your name identifies you with the rest of your family, and most of us are proud of that mark of identification. But there is a mark that means more to the child of God than his earthly name. It is the things that identify him as a part of God's family. The name Christian was first applied to the disciples at Antioch, because people recognized that they belonged to Christ. Do you belong to Him? Are you proud to be called one of His? There is something about the name of Jesus Christ that stirs me to the very depth of my soul, and brings forth tremors of love and devotion for Him. He is my Lord and my Master and above every other desire in life I want to be identified with Him.

We love Him because He first loved us and gave Himself a ransom for us. He went to Calvary to die on the

cross for you and me, because of His love for us, surely we can live for Him...Friend if you call yourself a Christian, live close to the Lord. Don't drag that beautiful name in the filth of sin. If you are not a Christian, listen to me. Jesus is a friend of sinners. He came to seek and to save those who are lost. He wants you to belong to Him.

I am not ashamed of the gospel it is the power of God unto Salvation...I am not ashamed of Jesus Christ. He is my Lord and my friend and I am proud to be called Christian.

Methodist Church To Have Speaker

Special speaker at the United Methodist Church, Wednesday, November 5 will be Nancy Davis, RN., BS. She will be talking about the heart patient. The program will include slides and discussion.

Mrs. Davis graduated from the University of Portland. She is presently employed by Cardiovascular and Chest Surgical Associates as an R.N.

She previously worked at St. Luke's Hospital, in Portland, Oregon and Salt Lake City, Utah.

Mrs. Davis has a husband, Lyle, and four daughters, Sally 12, Lori 10, JoAnna 7 and Amy 3. Her hobbies are gardening, fishing, hunting, water and snow skiing and metal detecting.

FAITH LUTHERAN CHURCH NOTES

Thursday, October 30 - Confirmation class, 6:30 p.m. Adult Bible Study at the parsonage, 8 p.m.

Sunday, November 2 - Sunday School 9:45 a.m.

Worship Service 11 a.m.

Tuesday, November 4 - Joint Council meeting at Grace Lutheran Church, Vale 8 p.m.

Wednesday, November 5 - Church Council meeting, Faith, 8 p.m.

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