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Freedom And Free Enterprise

"The relationship between the social and economic systems of this country is so close that they almost are merely different aspects of the same system. One cannot provide political freedom without also providing some modicum of economic independence and mobility."

That provoking thought comes from a bear of a man who is bullish on America: Carl H. Madden, chief economist of the U.S. Chamber of Commerce. Standing six and one-half feet tall, Madden commands respect in any crowd, even without his public platform of the Chamber, which represents some 50,000 U.S. business firms. Backed up by the weight of the Chamber, however, his voice truly is worth hearing.

"You can't tie a person to his job and expect him to be capable of political freedom of choice," Madden said recently in an interview published in Scripps League Newspapers. "One of the greatest political freedoms of the country is the freedom to move, to start a new life."

Madden also noted the irony of the assault on private enterprise waged by America's left-leaning intellectuals in recent years. "There is an intimate link between economic freedom and intellectual freedom," he said. "Governments cannot censor people's thoughts because they're internal. They can hardly control people's speech because it's so ephemeral. But they can control intellectual products (such as books), they can control the production, distribution and dissemination of these products."

"So in order to have intellectual freedom in a country, one must have freedom in the marketplace for intellectual products. To the extent that freedoms are lost in the marketplace for one class of products, they are lost for other commodities.... curbing the freedom in the marketplace for intellectual products is no different from curbing the freedom for other products. So intellectuals particularly should recognize the deep relationship between intellectual freedom and economic freedom."

Noting the unparalleled achievements of the American free enterprise system, Madden said, "I am dubious about the success that would be achieved if we insist on giving everyone equal rewards. I am thoroughly convinced that equality of opportunity is the real basis of political legitimacy in this system."

Wise words from Carl Madden, chief economist of the U.S. Chamber of Commerce.

United Methodist Church News

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

Thursday, February 5 - United Womens Society Meeting, Church Parlor, 2 p.m.

Friday, February 6 - Bible Study at Fern Adams home, 9:30 a.m.

Saturday, February 7 - Acolyte Training Session for 1st thru 6th grades, 10 a.m. to 12 noon.

Sunday, February 8 - Prayer Service at the church, 9 a.m.

Sunday School, 9:30 a.m. Worship Service "Holy Spirit - Like a Giant Balloon," by the Rev. Monroe. This is Educational Sunday.

Potluck Fellowship Dinner following the worship service. Special speaker will be Richard Sisita, a native of Tonga Island.

Monday, February 9 - Committee Meetings, 7 p.m. Administrative Board, 8 p.m.

Tuesday, February 10 - Bible Study at the Parsonage, 6:30 a.m.

Bible Study Fellowship at Evans home, 12 noon. Religion in America, 4 p.m.

Wednesday, February 11 - Grab Bag in the parlor, 7:30 p.m. "Why Have Liturgy?" will be led by Jim Buffington and Rev. Monroe.

Friday, February 13 - Young Adults Sweetheart Dinner, church parlor, 6:30 p.m.

Samba

Mrs. W. D. Holcomb entertained the Samba Club at her home last Friday. Prize winners were Mrs. Bert Lienkaemper and Mrs. Fred Guthrie.

Letters to the Editor

Editor, The Journal:
 In this Bicentennial year, many things are being done to celebrate our nation's birthday. We are remembering all the people and events that made this country great. One of the things that this nation couldn't have done without, is "The Unity of the People."

It is a well-known fact that eastern and western Oregon have a communication gap. What I purpose is to initiate an inter-state, inter-national sister city program. This program would show the government on the other side of the state that we are over here and very much worth listening to. Let's help put an end to this bunk about making a new state out of eastern Oregon, Washington and northern Idaho. We don't need any more states; we just need unity between the ones we already have.

I suggest we ask Hillsboro, Oregon to be our sister city. It is a rural type town near Portland and Salem. They could inform us about what's going on in the government and large industry and we could tell them about farming and ranching. You already have national ambassadors from each city to tell the country what we would be doing in this program. Carol Yurkovich from Hillsboro and myself from Nyssa will be traveling with one of the most famous Bicentennial celebrations...the Bicentennial Wagon Train Pilgrimage to Pennsylvania. In participating in this program we would not only help bring our great state together and our nation, we would also bring national fame to our cities because we will have started it.

Let's put the "UNITED" back in the U. S.!!
 Sincerely,
 Evelyn Bailey

OBITUARIES

Duane O. Weeks

Duane Oscar Weeks, 53, a structural inspector for the Oregon Highway Division, died of a heart attack in a Portland hospital, Tuesday, January 27, 1976. Funeral services were held Friday, January 30 at Milwaukie Funeral Home with interment in Willamette National Cemetery.

Mr. Weeks, who lived at 3554 S. E. Wake St., Milwaukie, was born in Utica, Kansas and moved to Nyssa in 1936. He served in the Marine Corps during World War II, moving to Portland area in 1954. He worked for the State of Oregon for the past 18 years.

Surviving are his wife, Donna May; two daughters, Shawna B. and Tracy Lee Weeks at home; two brothers, Johnny Frank Daudt, and Glen of Parma, Idaho; two sisters, Mrs. Lois Steinke of Vale and Mrs. Betty Johnson of Parma; and mother, Mrs. Blanche Weeks of Nyssa.

The family suggests remembrances be contributed to the Oregon Heart Association.

Stake Event Attracts Over 200 Mormons

The Nyssa Stake Center was the scene of the annual Laurel Standard Night held last Wednesday, January 28. The theme for the event was "What Might We Be" and the program was planned and arranged by the Laurel Class Presidencies and their leaders of the 8 wards in the Nyssa stake.



MORRIS BASTIAN
Guest Speaker

The Laurel Class consists of all the L.D.S. girls in the Junior and Senior classes, and is a part of the Aaronic Priesthood Program (formerly the Mia). The Standard Night is a special night for the young women and their parents and this year the program was expanded to include the young men of corresponding ages and their parents.

Lilly Sharp, Laurel Class president from Parma, conducted the meeting and the program consisted of a special presentation by Brenda Bowers, Parma, and a six-member panel moderated by Mary Ann Johnson of Ontario First Ward. Panel members were Norma Jensen, Bill Jacobs, and John and Kerri Wettstein, all of Ontario and Bishop Vernon

Lords and his wife, Loris of Nyssa. They answered questions previously submitted by the Laurel Girls.

Following the panel, Newell and Wendy Cleaver of the Owyhee Ward sang "Let Me This Day."

Kathy Thorstad, Ontario First Ward introduced the special guest speaker, Morris Bastian, a counselor in the Boise Stake presidency. Pres. Bastian spoke on the importance of living a morally clean and virtuous life in a time of worldly permissiveness. He used graphs and vivid examples to reinforce his message of the necessity of maintaining high moral standards of behavior.

The lovely evening concluded with the audience singing "I am a child of God." The prayers were offered by Nyssa Stake President, Melvin Nielsen, Parma, under whose direction the meeting was held, and Reed Ray, Nyssa Stake director of the Aaronic priesthood Gaynel Jorgensen and Brenda Bowers from Parma, played the organists prelude and postlude and Pam Tanner of Chorister Owyhee lead the singing. Decorations of the chapel were by Nyssa I and II Wards. Programs by Ontario I & II wards, Refreshments by Vale I & II Wards and music and special effects by Parma and Owyhee Wards.

Special guests included Mrs. Louis (Mildred) Wettstein, Stake Director of Young Women, Mrs. Melvin (Margaret) Feik, stake MIO Maid advisor, and Mrs. Frell (Cleda) Blair, stake Beehive advisor, other special guests were President Bastian's wife, Elaine, formerly of Nyssa and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Glover.

Mrs. Dee Garner, stake Laurel advisor, would like to thank the Ward Laurel and presidents and advisors responsible for making the Laurel standard night such a beautiful and memorable evening.

OBITUARIES

Emma E. Daudt

Services for Emma E. Daudt, 86, Payette, who died Saturday, January 31, 1976 at Malheur Memorial Hospital, Nyssa, were conducted at 2 p.m., Tuesday at the Payette Shaffer-Jensen Chapel.

She had lived for the past several years at the home of her son Raymond Daudt in Nyssa. Interment was in Riverside Cemetery, Payette.

She was born July 15, 1889, in Elster Berg, Germany. She was reared and educated in Germany and moved to Greeley, Nebraska in 1911, where she married Paul Frank Daudt, on January 22, 1913. They farmed in Nebraska until 1939, when they moved to Idaho. She was a member of the Lutheran Church.

Surviving are four sons, Elmer, Portland, Herbert, Payette, and Charles and Raymond, both Nyssa; eight grandchildren and 13 great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, a son and a daughter.

Nyssa Stake

Young Artists, Speech Festival

The Nyssa Stake will hold a Young Artists and Speech Festival Tuesday, February 17. Time to be announced later.

Eight wards will be participating and the program will consist of best musical number and best speech from each ward.

The public is cordially invited to attend.

Christian Women

The Treasure Valley Christian Women's Club met for luncheon Tuesday, February 3 at the La Paloma Restaurant in Ontario.

Theme of the meeting was "Old Fashioned Valentine." Special music was presented by Mrs. Ruth Ann O'Neil of Payette. Guest speaker was Leana Rice of Boise. Evelyn's Fabrics presented a special feature, "What to Know About Weddings."



KINDERGARTEN YOUNGSTERS AT Nyssa school, celebrated Chinese New Year last Friday afternoon. In the picture they are learning to eat Chinese food with chop sticks, with help from their teacher Mrs. Carolyn Hansen. Children from left are, Rosario Adriano, Carolina Vendrill, Angie Moreno and Mickie Bashor.

Nazarene Church News

Sunday, February 8, Morning Prayer at the Church, 7 a.m.

Christian Education Classes, 9:45 a.m.

Children's Church, 11 a.m. Worship Service with the Damascus Road Quartet presenting a concert of Gospel Music. The singing group includes Gary Seward, John Meyer, Mike Peck and Joy Persoon, all students at N.N.C., 11 a.m.

Choir practice, 6:45 p.m. Evening Gospel Hour with message by Pastor Russell, 7:30 p.m.

Tuesday, February 10, Ladies Bible Study will meet with Kay Rodriguez, 9:30 a.m.

Wednesday, February 11, Bible Study in the Nursing Home, 4 p.m.

Ladies Inspirational Fellowship Time at the home of Esther Knapp, 1 a.m.

Midweek Service for Caravans, Teens, and Adults, 7:30 p.m.

Thursday, February 12, Prayer and Fasting group meet in the Conference Room, 12 noon.

"Beware of the easy road. It always goes down."

FAITH LUTHERAN CHURCH NOTES

Thursday, February 5 - Confirmation, 6:30 p.m.

Sunday, February 8 - Sunday School, 9:45 a.m. Worship Service, 11 a.m.

Wednesday, February 11 - Choir rehearsal, 6:30 p.m.

If you have a fear of death, read St. John Chapters 11, 17, and 2 Corinthisans, Chapters 4, 5; Romans, Chapter 8; Revelation Chapters 7, 21, and 22.

Family Issue

Sessions Set

Gene Lewin will be holding sessions on "Family Issues" at the Nyssa First Christian Church reports Pastor Erlene Johnson.

The first sessions will be Saturday, February 7 at 9 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. and then will resume at 7 p.m. that evening.

Mr. Lewin will be guest speaker at the morning worship service Sunday morning. He will hold the last sessions that evening at 6:30 p.m. All who are interested, including young people, are invited to attend.

Nyssa Band To

Have Chili Feed

The Nyssa High School Band is sponsoring a Chili Feed at the Catholic church in Nyssa on Thursday, February 12. They will be serving chili, salad, pie and drink from 5 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

Tickets are: adults \$1.50, children under 12, 75c and pre-schoolers, free. The proceeds from this event will be used for their anticipated trip to Disneyland in June.

THANK YOU!

We want to thank the Nyssa Sports Boosters for helping with our expenses to the Oregon Invitational track meet the last two years. Curtis Moncur, John Strickland

Journal Classifieds Bring Results!



LITTLE MISS CAROLINA VENDRILL has mastered the art of eating Chinese food with chop sticks. She is enrolled in Nyssa kindergarten classes.

Kindergarten Youngsters Observe Chinese Holiday

Nyssa youngsters in the 4th and 5th year kindergarten classes held a Chinese New Year celebration last Friday January 30 in their classroom in the mobile unit behind the primary school.

Highlight of the afternoon was a Dragon Parade. They learned a song in Chinese and several Chinese words for the occasion. Following the parade, everyone enjoyed eating Chinese food with chopsticks. Food consisted of egg foo young, rice, sweet and sour chicken and won tons, prepared earlier from authentic recipes by their teachers with the help of the youngsters.

Teachers are Mrs. Carolyn Hansen, fourth-year kindergarten, Mrs. Margie Meacham, fifth-year kindergarten; and Miss Rosa Fuentes, aide. Due to the fire, the 4 and

5-year-old-kindergarten is combined to make room for another classroom.

Among the guests were W. L. McPartland, superintendent; Mel Munn, grade school principal; Marcella Lowe, bus driver; and several parents.

BIRTHS!

Malheur Memorial Hospital

January 29 - Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Alconer, Nyssa, boy.
 February 1 - Mr. and Mrs. Gary Duspiva, Parma, boy.
 February 3 - Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hart, Nyssa, girl.

Police Report

A citizen's band radio was stolen last Thursday evening from a vehicle owned by William Tobler. The car, parked at the Sugar Bowl, was slightly damaged in the break-in. Nyssa Police are investigating the matter.

Monday, Zack Watson, 53 was arrested on driving while under the influence of intoxicating liquor. He appeared in Municipal Court and entered a plea of not guilty, and posted bail. He will appear in court Friday evening.

Police also arrested David Edward Springfield, 19, on Monday. He was charged with minor in possession and was later found to be AWOL. He is being held for Armed Forces Police.

Nyssa FFA Speaking Contest

Mike Parker was the winner of the annual FFA Chapter Public Speaking Contest with his speech entitled "DDT-What was the Problem?" Thursday, January 29, at the Oregon Trail Grange Hall. Renae Simpson and Roger Blaylock tied for second. Judges for the event were Duane Buchtel, Monte Burbank, and John Messick. The evening was kicked off with a potluck dinner hosted by the Grange members. FFA members present also put on a parliamentary procedure demonstration for the audience.

PUBLIC NOTICES

Thursday, February 5 - Adrian City Council, regular meeting. Adrian Fire House, 8 p.m.

Journal Classifieds Bring Results!

The Light Touch

By Ernie Metcalf

Sign in window of small laundry: "Your clothes are not torn by machinery. We do it all by hand."

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Heard about the fellow who takes a glass of wine every half hour for insomnia? Doesn't help him sleep, but it sure makes him glad to be awake.

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Need money? Write home for it before postal rates go up again.

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One thing you can conclude from studying modern styles: it takes hours to achieve the natural look.

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Nothing makes it harder to keep a secret than the people who keep telling it to you.

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It's no secret that Nyssa Co-op Supply is planning an open house in mid-February, watch for it!

CENEX Where the customer is the company

Nyssa Co-op Supply

18 N. 2nd Nyssa, Oregon 372-2254

The new telephone directory is going to press.

We're getting ready to print the new telephone directory. If you need to make any changes in your listing in the White or Yellow Pages, our business office will be happy to assist you, and can advise you if any charges are involved.

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