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#### Letters TO THE EDITOR

Editor, The Journal:  
 I do object to the overheated and somewhat distorted way Carter and Company are marketing the treaty.  
 First, they launch their campaign long before the text is available, thereby giving them a chance to dominate the debate by their explanation of objectives and principles, minus discussion of arrangements to attain those objectives and apply those principles.  
 Secondly, I cannot buy the argument that the military importance of the Canal has diminished significantly because we now have a "two-ocean Navy" and because large carriers and super-tankers cannot go through it.  
 We don't have a "two-ocean Navy"—what we have is one Navy split between two oceans. I am surprised that even the Carter Crowd would strain the truth this badly. Moreover, those large carriers are few in number and the need for the Canal for the rest of the Navy in time of

war in both oceans, is great indeed.  
 You and I differ on the wisdom of turning over the Zone to Panamanian jurisdiction. I see this as the way to defuse tension realistically feeling that this is the principal issue that inflames Panamanian passions. Doing so alters our outmoded colonial stance for whatever value that will bring in the amorphous court of world opinion.  
 However, once we agreed to grant the Panamanians jurisdiction over the Zone, we need not have been as generous and forthcoming as I fear the text of the treaty will show us to have been. For example, why so much compensation on top of the tremendous physical plant they get in the Canal property and on top of the big input to their economy through our presence—some \$165 million a year.....?  
 The angry roars of disapproval are not going to fade away. Americans in all walks of life can recognize grandstanding press agency of the type the Carter Crowd is conducting in an effort to sell to the Senate a bill of goods the people of this

country won't buy. There may be enough suckers in the Senate to go for this garbage. But those who vote for or any other treaty with Panama are guaranteeing their defeat when they come up for reelection.

Americans are not going to sit still for amputation of a part of the United States to appease a mouse that roars. The peanut bursted with power, so the mouse came forth.  
 Jean Evans, Parma, Idaho

#### OBITUARY

##### Leroy A. Wild

Leroy Augustus Wild, resident of Nyssa for over 40 years, passed away, Friday, December 23, 1977 at the age of 69 years and seven months rene by the Rev. William Russell and the Rev. Ellis Martin. Interment was in the Nyssa cemetery.

He was born May 28, 1908 at Oakwood, Oklahoma—the second child of Ed and Ethel Wild. While he was still very young, the family moved to a farm near Plainville, Kansas, and later to Alco, Kansas, where he was educated.

He also taught in that vicinity for two years, then became manager of the grain elevator at Tasco, Kansas for four years. It was while he was at Tasco, he became victim of a disease greatly dreaded in those days—tuberculosis. In 1933 he returned home to doctor and regain his health. It was an "uphill struggle" which resulted in the loss of his sight in less than two years.

Because drought conditions were so unfavorable to farming, Roy and his parents made a decision to sell their Kansas home. They settled in Nyssa, Oregon and opened an OK Rubber Welders business in 1937, the same time as the beginning of the Owyhee Irrigation Project.

He went to The Dalles, Oregon, for further medical help and numerous surgeries curing his tuberculosis. He then worked with his father in the tire business, eventually purchasing it for himself when his father was ready to retire.

He married Georgia Nichol November 22, 1952 and she then retired from her profession of teaching school and helped him in his business.



Roy had always been an avid supporter of fellow business associates. He was a director in the Nyssa Lion's Club and recently received his 30-year membership pin.

He was chosen "O.K. Man of the Year" at the National Congress of OK Rubber Welders in Denver in 1954. Later that same year, although not a member, he was a recipient of an award and commendation from the Fraternal Order of Eagles to a person in the community who demonstrated perseverance and courage in overcoming a physical handicap.

He was a member of the Church of the Nazarene and was the last "Charter Member" of the Nyssa church residing in the community.

He is survived by his wife, Georgi, of Nyssa; two sisters, Mrs. Emery (Hilda) Rathbun of La Puente, Calif., and Mrs. Dwight (Alene) Seward of Parma, Idaho; many nieces and nephews with whom he has kept close contact, and a host of friends.

##### Mary Haroldsen

Mary Viola Haroldsen, 83, a long time resident of Nyssa passed away Tuesday, December 27, 1977 in Homedale Idaho. Services will be conducted Friday at the Nyssa LDS Church at 2 p.m. Interment will be in the Nyssa cemetery. A full obituary will be in next week's Journal.

##### Jake J. Groot

Services for Jake J. Groot, 60, Parma, formerly of Nyssa, who died Sunday, December 25, 1977 at a Boise hospital, were conducted at 2 p.m. Tuesday at Lienkaemper Chapel, Nyssa. Interment was in Nyssa Cemetery.

He was born March 31, 1917, at Nyssa, where he was reared and educated. He married Wanda Atkinson August 18, 1940, at Payette. He farmed in Nyssa until retiring.

Surviving is his wife of Parma.

#### LOCAL and SOCIETY

Alice Franklin of Big Bear Lake, California, is visiting indefinitely with her aunt, Mrs. Inga Buckley. Mrs. Buckley, a resident of Malheur Memorial Nursing Home, will be going home for a few days each week.

Christmas houseguests of Mrs. Mary Torell were her son, Jim, and daughter, Margaret, who are both students at the University of Idaho in Moscow.

### The Bible: little-known facts

How do you say "The truth shall make you free" in Swahili? Or "The Lord is my shepherd..." in Burmese? Or "Go ye into all the world, and preach the gospel to every creature" in one of the Quechua Indian dialects of Peru? A large chunk of the American Bible Society's work is putting phrases from the Scriptures into the languages people speak in their everyday lives—translating entire Bibles and New Testaments, and then getting these Scriptures into people's hands.

Today, at least one book of the Bible has been translated into more than 1,600 languages and dialects, in an effort to meet the demand for the Word of God at the furthest ends of the earth. Yet there are still millions who want a Bible, but cannot afford one of their own.

One way of making sure that God's Word is received by everyone who wants it is through the Society's Bible-a-Month Club. It's an unusual kind of club, a book club in reverse where you don't get, you give a book. You donate \$3.00 each month, which defrays the cost of sharing the Scriptures with some man, woman or child in another



part of the world, printed in that person's language.

In return, you receive a membership card, a free subscription to the lively magazine, the "American Bible Society Record," and a facsimile of a verse or two from the scripture you donate each month in the language of the printing. By writing to the American Bible Society, Bible-a-Month Club, 1865 Broadway, New York, N.Y. 10023, you can get full details.

With your help, a fisherman on the coast of Africa, an Indian high in the Andes, a needy urban dweller in America and millions of others around the world can get the treasures of God's Word for themselves.

#### TVCC Offers Free Classes

As a community service, Treasure Valley Community College will offer several classes winter quarter at no charge. According to Earl McColium, associate dean, each of the classes focuses on everyday family-oriented subjects, and are designed for the adult population.

Parents and infants is a one-credit class which will meet from 1:00 to 3:00 p.m. at the Bethany United Presbyterian Church. The first class is scheduled for January 18. According to Karen Tipton, instructor, parents will be able to identify the elements of health care, the physical and mental developments, nutrition, and buying for infants. The first session is an orientation meeting without children, but after that, parents are urged to bring their babies with them.

Shirley Dudzik, TVCC money management counselor, will conduct a class called The Money Squeeze. The course meets Thursdays from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. from January 10 through February 9. All classes will be held in Room 1, Tech-Lab Building. Dudzik states that the class will cover how money affects marriages, how to plan finances, how to cope with seasonal expenses, and how to use credit properly.

Also for consumers is

Christmas Eve dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Don Savage, Kirk and Kris were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Nicholson. Christmas Eve callers were John Kouns and Tom Zittercob. Terry Baker of Portland visited on Christmas Day.

Mrs. Jessie Morgan, who had the misfortune of breaking her hip recently, is reported as coming along very well.

Mrs. Angie Cook enjoyed Christmas with her son, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cook in Boise.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Robinson were Christmas guests of her younger brother Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Person in Fruitland.

Mrs. Erma Sparks was a Christmas Eve overnight guest at the home of her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Altig in Boise. She spent Christmas Day with her son, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Sparks and family also in Boise.

Mary McConnell is a new resident of Malheur Memorial Nursing home.

Chickadees and nuthatches are fond of peanut butter.

### CHURCH SERVICES

#### Adrian Presbyterian Community Church

Church Services, 9:30 a.m.  
 Sunday School, 10:30 a.m.  
 Monday night Bible study:  
 Roswell manse, 7:30 p.m.  
 Choir practice: 7 p.m.

#### Missionary Baptist

Ehrgood & North 2nd  
 Pastor Bill Dotson  
 Sunday Services - Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.  
 Morning Worship, 11 a.m.  
 Sunday evening, BTC, 6:30  
 Worship 7:30 p.m.

#### Bible Missionary

North 2nd & Beech  
 Sunday - Sunday School, 10 a.m.  
 Morning Worship 11 a.m.  
 Young People 7 p.m.  
 Evening service, 7:45 p.m.  
 Wednesday - Midweek service, 7:45 p.m.  
 Everyone is welcome.

#### St. Bridget's Church News

Masses: Saturday 7 p.m.  
 Sunday, 8 a.m. and 11 a.m. (Spanish)  
 Adrian: 9:30 a.m.

#### Assembly of God

South 2nd & Reece  
 Ron Wenning, Pastor  
 Sunday, January 1 - Sunday school, 9:45 a.m.  
 Morning Worship, message by Pastor Wenning, 11 a.m.  
 Care and Share Service, 7 p.m.

#### Park Ave. Baptist

North 3rd & Park  
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 Sunday, January 1 - Sunday school classes for all ages, 10 a.m.  
 Worship Service in the Sanctuary with message by guest speaker, Pastor Dale Mitchell, 11 a.m.  
 Fellowship time downstairs following the worship service.

#### Wednesday, January 4

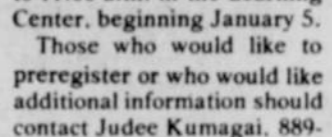
Prayer meeting at Paul Penrods, 7 p.m.  
 A friendly smile, a warm handshake and the words of the Lord await you at the Park Avenue Baptist Church.

#### CARD OF THANKS

The Malheur Memorial Hospital Auxiliary and the residents and staff at the Nursing Home would like to say a heartfelt "Thank You" to the following for making the Christmas party such a success:  
 Lutheran Church, Christian Church - Loyalty Class and 4th & 5th grade class & Women's Fellowship, Barbara Ulrey, Mrs. Moncur's Kindergarten, Dorothea Mitchell's Kindergarten, June Hartley, Chamber of Commerce, Adrain Tops Club, Catholic Church, Town & Country Garden Club, Eastern Star, ANK Garden Club, Methodist Church, Eagles Auxiliary, Herman & Muri Towne, LDS 1st Ward, Wilma Strickland, Pentecostal Church, Park Avenue Baptist Church, St. Paul's Guild, Nona Fischer, Nazarene Church, Adrain Koffee Klutch, Fred and Lola Guthrie, Oregon Trail Grange Women, Wilton Jackson, AKH Extension Club - Adrain, Nisei United Methodist Women-Ontario, Lois Boenig, Louise Ward, Ruth Herman, Ladies that made cookies, and last but not most important of all - Dave Whipple.  
 This was definitely a town pulling together success project.

#### Love Thy Neighbor

If you have the trees, but your neighbor ends up with the leaves, help him to rake them up.  
 Invite someone whose family lives in another state to spend the holidays with you.



Say hello to the postman or bus driver. It'll make his tough job a little more pleasant.

### UNDERSTANDING OUR ECONOMY

#### What Cost Pollution Control?

In the United States economy of the 1970s there are approximately 22 million production workers, of whom 17 million produce consumer goods and 5 million produce capital goods. In addition there are another 17 million workers involved in transport and wholesale and retail trade. In other words, it takes one person to distribute the consumer goods made by one worker on a farm or in a factory, on the average. However, a worker whose job is operation or maintenance of a pollution control facility required by the government, has no "opposite number" in distribution because there is no product to sell.



#### Many industrial investments help the economy.

would generate not only a greater number of such jobs, but also an equal number of future ones. The five million capital goods workers are not involved in the calculation because they would be employed in either case and the same is true for construction labor, another three million workers.

The DuPont Company made a study of its pollution control investment. If the laws remain unchanged, by 1985, Du Pont will be required to invest more than \$3 billion in response to just three existing or anticipated water, air and noise laws or regulations. That sum is equal to a whopping 30 percent of its total projected construction expendi-

tures over that period. In addition, these investments would eventually involve additional operating costs of some \$1 billion each and every year.

There would be no complaint if the projected \$3 billion would actually buy commensurate advancements in public benefits. The study shows, however, that this will not be the case—not by a shockingly wide margin.

Of the total of more than \$3 billion by 1985, the company report estimates that less than 25 percent is certain to result in identified benefits that would not otherwise be achieved in cleaner air, cleaner water or improved worker protection against noise.

JOY  
 PEACE  
 GOOD  
 HEALTH

Ring in every good wish for your New Year!

Eastside Market

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