

SCARCITY OF WATER CAUSE OF SCHEDULE

Water Master Says Lawns and Garden Irrigation Must be Done Within Certain Hours While River is Low

In order that everybody can have sufficient city water to irrigate their gardens and lawns, a complete schedule has been made by V. B. Chambers, water superintendent, whereby the different sections of the city will have certain hours in which to use water for this purpose. The schedule will be in effect after July 1st, and will probably continue through August and September. The necessity of this arrangement is occasioned by the river being at a very low ebb during these months, and the possibility of fires are much greater. Following is the schedule which the water superintendent has outlined to be followed by the different sections of the city:

VILLA PARK—East side of R. R. track and North of pavement on Illinois avenue will water as follows: Every day from 5 a. m. until 4 p. m. Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays 4 p. m. to 9 p. m. Sundays 6 p. m.

BALANCE OF CITY—West of R. R. track, south of Illinois avenue. East of Villa Park. Every day from 5 a. m. to 4 p. m. Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, 4 p. m. to 9 p. m. Sundays from 4 p. m. to 6 p. m.

SPRAYED HAY YIELDS DOUBLE UNSPRAYED HAY

Yields From Spraying Demonstration on Utley Farm Show That Sprayed Hay Yields Two Tons Good Hay While Unsprayed Hay Yields One Ton Poor Stuff

A report of the number of live alfalfa weevil larvae from the different spraying treatments on the demonstration tract on the Homer Utley farm was given last week. This showed that it was possible to kill 90 per cent of the worms by applying calcium arsenate spray at the proper time and in the approved manner. The results obtained by spraying on June 11 as shown by the number of live larvae. The following yields bear out the results obtained in counting the larvae on the different treatments:

2 tons sprayed June 2, single application, good.

1.4 tons sprayed June 11, single application, poor.

1.1 tons not sprayed, very poor. These weights are approximately correct. The entire field of sprayed hay made two tons per acre. The second crop is starting up in good shape and promises to beat many fields which were mowed three weeks earlier. The demonstration was entirely successful in showing that a field of alfalfa badly infested with weevil can be controlled by spraying if it is properly done and the first crop of hay which is usually about half of the year's yield, can be saved. If the experiment was figured in dollars worth of hay produced per acre it would show that sprayed hay was worth three or four times as much as the unsprayed hay, considering both yield and quality of feed.

L. R. BRIETHAUP, County Agricultural Agent.

BISHOP PADDOCK REGAINING HEALTH MESSAGE STATES

The many friends of Bishop Paddock will be glad to learn that his condition is not serious. The Bishop had a nervous breakdown last spring and is still in New York under the care of a physician. A telegram from them this week states:

"Bishop Paddock has no organic trouble, only nerve exhaustion similar to his breakdown of eight years ago from which he recovered. We look for his complete recovery in the course of a few months."

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Moore are the parents of a baby boy, born last Friday morning at Weiser.

A. E. MacKenzie of Portland is here on business this week.

CADET UNIFORMS CAN BE BOUGHT FROM GOVERNMENT

Information has been received here by Sergeant Abendroth that the government is unable to furnish the Ontario High school cadets with uniforms this year, but it is certain uniforms can be purchased from the government at a very low figure that will be within the reach of every cadet. For a complete uniform, consisting of O. D. breeches, belt, hat, O. D. coat, O. D. shirts, spiral leggings, collar and hat ornaments, will only cost approximately \$15.00, which is remarkable in contrast with the price paid last year. Those who wish to order their uniforms before school starts can see the sergeant and taken and other arrangements.

ROAD OPENED BETWEEN HUNTINGTON AND WEISER

Another Section of the Old Oregon Trail Opened Wednesday Between Huntington and Weiser—Grade in Fair Shape

According to information sent out by R. H. Baldock, division engineer of the Oregon State Highway, the new standard grade between Huntington and Weiser on the Oregon side of the Snake river was opened for traffic Wednesday, June 28. The opening of this road will make a great difference in distance between the two points and will eliminate crossing the Snake river at Olds Ferry.

Twenty-five per cent of the surfacing operations is complete, and the remainder is being pushed as rapidly as possible with the expectations of completing by November 1st. Mr. Baldock reports that the grade is in fair condition.

LOCAL PERSONALS

The Congregational Ladies Aid will meet in the basement of the church next Wednesday afternoon, July 5th.

Wynne Luscombe came over from Boise last Saturday to accept a position with the Golden Rule store here.

C. R. Peterson is down from the Circle Bar ranch visiting relatives and friends for a few days.

C. H. Oxman of Vale, was an Ontario visitor Wednesday.

A. A. Derrick was up from Ironside this week buying haying supplies.

J. D. Orr was over from Payette the fore part of the week on business.

Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Gough of the Parma Review, were business visitors in Ontario last Monday.

William Jones was up from Juntura Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Betty on June 19, a nine pound baby girl, at the home of Mr. Betty's mother, Mrs. Pierce.

Dr. R. O. Payne returned from Logan Valley last Tuesday where he has been fishing for the past few days. He reports the fishing fine in those parts.

Mr. and Mrs. Hawy Cockrum are spending a short vacation at the Payette Lakes.

W. H. Roberts and family are to leave for Portland in the near future.

William Lees returned home from Portland Sunday.

E. J. Johnston, sheepman from Baker, made an overland trip to Ontario Monday.

Jeff Myers of Portland is a business visitor in Ontario this week.

Mrs. A. Murphy and daughter, Mrs. Palmer, of Bouliah, are Ontario visitors this week.

Prof. Clayton Long, horticulturist from Corvallis, was in Ontario Tuesday and Wednesday. While here he visited Brogan, Nyssa and Dead Ox Flat, making a study of the crop situation.

In a recent issue of this paper we gave the majority of Judge Will R. King for national committeeman as 1381. At that time the vote was not complete, as official returns from Lane county, which gave Mr. King nearly 300 majority, was not in. The complete returns from the state gives Mr. King a majority of 1692.

NYSSA MAINTAINS SHE CAN WALLOP ONTARIO

After Holding Locals Down to Score of 2 to 1, Nyssa Believes She Can Win on Home Grounds Next Sunday

Manager Reese Jenkins of the Ontario base ball team has just completed negotiating with the Nyssa team whereby a return game will be played there for one played here last Sunday. Mr. Jenkins was rather anxious to schedule another game with the Nyssa boys and give them a chance to come back at his aggregation on their home grounds, where, according to Nyssa fans, Ontario would not be able to hold a candle to them. So communications have brought about an arrangement whereby the two teams will tangle again and prove which is the best team.

Manager Jenkins says his team is in the pink of condition and are rarin' to get another slough at the ball hurled by Nyssa's famous pitcher. "We have nothing to fear of those fellows," he said, "it is true we only defeated them by a narrow margin last Sunday, but the local boys can play even better ball than they did then, if they have to. Nyssa was doing her best, and had nothing on us, they kidded themselves into believing they have the best team in the league, and we are going to take some of the starch out of them."

It looks like this will be the king game of the season, and all that is asked is a husky representation from Ontario, the players have promised to do the rest. There will be fur flying when the umpire says "play ball!"

ONTARIO CONTESTANTS WIN TWO FIRST PRIZES

Tuesday evening at Campbell Hot Springs two Ontarians brought home the bacon with first places in their respective classes in the water fete held there. The winners were Miss Edna Doty and Claude Christiansen, both being winners in the ladies and men's diving contest. Other Ontario contestants who entered the races were greatly handicapped on account of the warm water to which they were not accustomed, and which hindered them greatly in displaying their real ability. A very enjoyable evening was reported by all who attended the water and dancing program. Other similar programs are to be arranged for the future.

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Public Incorrectly Informed About Death of Alice Mallett

After returning from Jackson, Mich., where investigations were made regarding the death of Miss Alice Mallett, which occurred a few weeks ago, Harold Mallett makes correction to statements that were made by newspapers that had been misinformed about her death. The relatives are desirous of letting the people know that her death did not come about as the papers had led them to believe. Following is the statement Mr. Mallett made regarding the matter:

"As the public has been wrongly informed in a measure regarding the manner in which my sister, Alice Mallett, met death at Jackson, Michigan, on June 8th, I desire to explain how the newspapers came to give an incorrect report, and to make plain the facts as I learned them in Jackson from those whose authority cannot be questioned.

"Owing to the fact that the police found it necessary to withhold from the press and the public for a number of hours, any information regarding the nature of the slaying, false impressions grew out of rumor and excited speculation, giving rise to sensational newspaper stories which, as usual in such cases, once started could not be suppressed.

"I wish to state that my sister's death, terrible though it was, came instantly, and as a result of a blow upon the head dealt from the rear. She was returning from spending the evening with a friend who had accompanied her within a few blocks of her home, leaving her at 10:10. There was no violence and

VALUABLE PROPERTY DESTROYED BY FIRE

Mid-day Fire Results in Considerable loss for Van Petten Lumber Company and Idaho Power Company

At noontime Saturday the people of Ontario were greatly alarmed at the large clouds of black smoke that came from the vicinity of the Van Petten Lumber Co. They had reasons to be alarmed too, for had the fire not been extinguished in nick of time the buildings close to the lumber yard would have caught on fire and undoubtedly done further damage. As it was, two of the coal bins belonging to the Van Petten Lumber Co. were destroyed and the contents considerably damaged, but was not a total loss. Thirty electric light poles which were piled close by the bins, and 233 stumps, all belonging to the Idaho Power company, were completely destroyed.

The cause of the fire is believed to have been either from spontaneous combustion or from flames creeping over from the railroad where men had been burning weeds along the right-of-way. The fire had gained considerable headway before it was discovered, but the fire department made a quick response to the call and soon extinguished the flames.

According to J. D. Orr, of the Idaho Power company, the 233 stumps and 30 poles belonging to that concern were not insured, and the loss is estimated at \$2000.

MISCELLANEOUS SHOWER FOR BRIDE TO BE

Mrs. C. E. Secoy entertained in honor of Miss Myrl Bingham at a miscellaneous shower, June 23. The color scheme was carried out in novel ways in pink and white. A pink and white water sprinkler was suspended in the arch way, and from this gifts were showered by pink and white ribbons. Appropriate games were enjoyed throughout the afternoon and delicious refreshments were served.

ERECTING NEW HOME

V. B. Staples is another added to the long list of new home builders that took Ontario by storm this spring and summer. He is building a handsome new five room bungalow, located in the southern part of the city.

R. H. Baldock, divisional engineer of the Oregon State Highway Commission, was in Ontario Wednesday and while here made trips to Brogan, Cow Valley, Adrian and other places in the county, looking at the condition of the roads.

TURKEYS KEEP FAT ON ALFALFA AND CLOVER

Albert Butler, Sr., a Malheur county rancher who lives between Ontario and Nyssa, is raising a handsome flock of about 1050 turkeys. The birds which are now nearly 60 days old, are in fine condition, living altogether on alfalfa and clover pasture, feasting upon clover bugs and alfalfa weevil which apparently seems to be their favorite food. In hatching the young turkeys, Mr. Butler uses the incubator method almost entirely, and believes it to be the most efficient method for this section of the country.

NUMBER 19 HITS WOMAN WHEN CROSSING BRIDGE

Aged Nyssa Woman Hurled Into River When Struck by Fast Moving Train on Snake River Bridge

Sunday afternoon about 4:00 o'clock Mrs. James Conley, 80 years of age, of Nyssa, was struck by No. 19 and thrown into the Snake river a short distance south of that city. She had been attending a picnic at Johnson's grove which is on an island that the railroad crosses, and had decided to return to her home on the Oregon side, taking the railroad bridge, as the boat which carried her and the other picnickers across, was on the opposite side of the river. Her friends tried in every way possible to prevent her from going across the bridge, but she did not heed the protests, saying she had crossed that way many times before and was not afraid.

She had hardly gone half way across when No. 19 rounded the curve and was upon the bridge. The engineer immediately saw the woman and applied the brakes, but was too late, and the train hit her and she was hurled into the deep water of the Snake river. Mrs. Conley was unable to hear the approaching train on account of her slight deafness. The train crew immediately set out in search of the body which was seen a few times when it came to the surface, but disappeared each time, and after a half hour spent in vain searching for the body, people of Nyssa were notified of the accident and a searching party was sent out, and the body recovered.

OWYHEE

Miss Marion Lowe, who has just completed her Junior year at Whitman college, stopped off a couple of days last week for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Lowe, enroute to New Jersey, where she goes as delegate from the Whitman sorority to attend the National convention of the Delta Gamma. She will visit with relatives near Kansas City on her way home.

Mesdames Leroy DeWitt and C. E. Schweizer entertained Thursday afternoon at the DeWitt home in honor of Misses Marian Lowe and Bernice MacLafferty. The afternoon was spent in music and conversation. Refreshments of sandwiches, ice cream and cake were served. Miss MacLafferty has just completed her second year at the Adventist college at College Place, Wash. She is majoring in both instrumental and vocal music.

Rev. Chas. Blom of Ontario, held his monthly service at the school house Sunday, speaking on "The Second Coming of Christ." He was accompanied by Hugh Allen, who favored the congregation with a beautiful solo.

The school election Monday evening resulted in the following officers being elected: Geo. Kaylor and Mr. Larsen, directors; Mrs. T. M. Lowe, clerk.

Mr. John Beers and Mrs. Delva Wall, and little son, of Creston, who visited several days at the Lowe home, returned to their homes Thursday.

Geo. Benton and family of Nyssa, visited Sunday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Benton's brother, Louis DeBord.

Louis Penn has been sort of "on the shelf" lately with lumbago and complications.

Chas. Bradley and daughters are at Emmett for the cherry picking. Clifford Fields, who has been visiting at Penn's for the past week, returned Saturday to Nyssa.

COMMITTEE APPOINTED TO SELECT AMUSEMENTS

At Meeting of Commercial Club Committee is Named to Look After Getting Good Amusements for Fair This Year

Tuesday at a Commercial club luncheon held at the Moore Hotel, some initial touches were put on the arrangements for the annual Malheur County Fair to be held in September, the exact date has not yet been decided upon. It was the undivided opinion and sentiment expressed by all present that a county fair should be held, and everyone showed their willingness to wholeheartedly support the enterprise.

After discussing the different phases of the fair a committee was appointed to look after and direct the amusement end of the program and line up the very best entertainment that can be gotten to come here and entertain the visitors in the evening after the regular fair day program is over. It is the committee's idea and purpose to put forth every possible effort, to secure amusements that will please everyone from all parts of the country.

The committee appointed consists of the following members: C. F. Boyer, J. A. Lakness, Dave Powers, H. L. Peterson, Ross Jenkins, C. R. Emission and Rex Marques. Many of these men plan on spending their Fourth of July celebration at Baker, and will see while there what attraction, if any, can be brought to Ontario during the Fair season.

WELL KNOWN COUPLE MARRIED WEDNESDAY

Mr. Harlie Jenne and Miss Myrl Bingham, Prominent Young Ontarians Enter Bonds of Holy Matrimony at Home of Bride

A beautiful June wedding occurred at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Claude O. Bingham, Wednesday at 4:00 p. m., when their only daughter, Myrl, became the bride of Harlie Dayton Jenne. Ferns roses and other blossoms made a bower of beauty on the lawn where the ceremony was performed by Rev. F. E. Springer of Caldwell, the impressive ring service being used. Miss Wilma Miles of New Plymouth, played the wedding march, and Juanita, the dainty little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McClain, acted as flower girl. The bride was charming in a gown of white tulle and lace and carried a beautiful bouquet of roses.

Miss Bingham is a graduate of the Class of '18 of the O. H. S., and is a young woman loved for her sweet, winsome personality, and her many friends wish her that her wedded life may be as filled with sunshine fragrance and beauty as her wedding day.

Mr. Jenne is highly regarded by all who know him as a young man of fine principles and of sterling character.

Following the ceremony a dainty luncheon was served. Many beautiful and useful presents were received by the young couple. After a short wedding trip they will make their home in Caldwell where Mr. Jenne is manager of the Concrete Pipe company, and where he has a home in readiness for his bride and where the best wishes of their many friends follow them.

MAN SERIOUSLY INJURED WHILE HAYING AT BIG BEND

Earl Baldwin, who was haying in the Big Bend country fell from a wagon loaded with hay last Saturday and received injuries that caused his death, by falling on a pitchfork stuck in the ground. He was taken to the hospital at Nampa where he died Tuesday morning. His parents reside at Big Bend. Funeral services were held Wednesday.

Jack Glascock is improving his residence by the addition of a sleeping porch.

Mr. and Mrs. Browning from New Plymouth, have purchased the "Old Overstreet ranch from Jack Walker, taking possession last week.

Miss Juanita Bigelow has entered the ticket selling contest of the chautauqua.