

Ray Harris Shell oil truck tipped over and burned

OUT OF THE PAST

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100 YEARS AGO
August 21, 1919
 J.H. "Jidge" Tippet has bought Roy Toops' land and cattle, and thereby becomes one of the largest stock owners on the Oregon-Washington state line.

Surveyors on the new state highway have laid out the route thru Enterprise and are now working east, toward Joseph. The road as now staked enters Enterprise at the west end of Greenwood street, which it follows to two blocks east of the court house square, where it turns south and leaves town around the rocky point.

A siren fire alarm has been shipped to Enterprise on trial from Hillsboro. The signal is an electric device which gives out a shriek which, it is promised, can be heard 10 miles. M.E. Ward's, captain of the fire company, idea is to have it installed and tried, and he believes the city will not let it be taken away then. An operator at the telephone central can operate the signal by pushing a button.

70 YEARS AGO
August 18, 1949
 The Playmor bowling alleys at Joseph are being completely remodeled with a



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special alley. When the work is done, the alleys will be certified by the American Bowling Congress, which will give the players a chance to compete for national honors, as well as local.

Hurricane Creek highway was the scene of an odd accident last week when the Ray Harris Shell oil truck tipped over and burned.

The Red Cross will ship this week 8 men's bathrobes and 15 bed pan covers to Fort Lawton hospital at Seattle and 31 pairs of hospital slippers to San Francisco. With the coming of cooler weather, Red Cross sewing will be resumed.

Last Tuesday the temperature at the Bridge on the Imnaha was reported to have

reached 110 degrees. The river is said to be the lowest in years and the canyon the driest.

50 YEARS AGO
August 21, 1969

The 4-H fair style show was a huge success this year. Winners in the clothing division were Kathy Stangel, Susan Beach, Cheryl Wulff

and Christy Johnson. Winners in the knitting division were Linda Bissinger, Sherrie Stroe, Mary Rathbun and Christy Kiser.

Champion senior all-around showman at the fair was Audry Hammack.

The grand champion market swine was exhibited by Harold Freels. Grand champion market steer was

exhibited by John Griggs of Wallowa. Jane Couch, 4-H member from Wallowa, was the champion senior bread baker at the fair.

Winner of the Jidge Tippet Memorial Trophy, presented each year by the Wallowa County Cow Belles for the outstanding beef project at the fair, was won this year by Donna Hadley.

Fred's Market has watermelons for 5-cents a pound.

25 YEARS AGO
August 18, 1994

An injunction barring cattle grazing on 1.6 million acres of national forest land in Wallowa County has been lifted.

Wallowa County 4-H horse members who earned the right to become delegates at the Oregon State Fair were: Jackie Zinni, Shawna Rahn, Cammie Kuppinger, Tanya Hauptman, Quinn Casaray, Mike Lowe, Holly Vernam, Krista Zollman, Bridget Brown, Amber Follett, Dena Rynearson and Kati Lewis.

The football field at Joseph High School will take on a big-league look this season when lights illuminate the green for night games, thanks to Paul Castilleja, a Joseph businessman and sports booster, who purchased the stadium lights with his own money from the Texas Rangers baseball club in Arlington, Texas.

FOR THE RECORD

AUGUST 8

10:00 a.m. - 911 report of a fire in rural Wallowa County.
 2:32 p.m. - Wildfire reported in rural Flora.
 2:55 p.m. - Wildfire reported in rural Flora.
 3:18 p.m. - Disorderly conduct complaint in Joseph.
 4:50 p.m. - Wallowa County Sheriff's Office arrested a male juvenile on a Wallowa County Circuit Court NW Felony Warrant for Probation Violation. Original charges of Burglary II x 5, Criminal Mischief I, Theft II x 2, Criminal Mischief III.
 5:26 p.m. - Dog at large complaint in Enterprise.
 6:49 p.m. - Commercial burglary alarm reported in Joseph.
 7:01 p.m. - Report of mental health issue in Joseph.
 8:39 p.m. - Wallowa County Circuit Court issued a SW Misdemeanor Warrant for Cobi Silas Bisbee, 20, of Lapwai ID on charges of Failure to Appear. Original charge Driving Under the Influence of Intoxicants.
 11:40 p.m. - Wallowa County issued a statewide misdemeanor warrant for Stacie Lynn Davis, 31, of Grants Pass, for Failure to Appear. Original charge of Felon in possession of restricted weapon.

AUGUST 9

10:03 a.m. - Dog as a public nuisance complaint in Wallowa.
 12:27 p.m. - Report of loose goats in rural Wallowa County.
 2:49 p.m. - 911 report of a one vehicle rollover on Hwy 3 rural Enterprise.
 4:09 p.m. - Dog as a public nuisance complain in Enterprise.
 4:57 p.m. - Theft reported in Enterprise.

5:53 p.m. - Public assist with lockout in Enterprise.

AUGUST 10

6:36 a.m. - 911 animal call in rural Enterprise.
 10:36 a.m. - 911 reporting a disturbance in rural Enterprise.
 11:59 a.m. - Harassment complaint in Enterprise.
 1:55 p.m. - Disorderly conduct complaint in Joseph.
 4:57 p.m. - 911 reporting missing person at Wallowa Lake.
 5:29 p.m. - 911 animal complaint in Joseph.
 6:24 p.m. - 911 traffic complaint in Enterprise.
 7:05 p.m. - Custody issue reported in Wallowa.
 7:34 p.m. - Traffic complaint in rural Enterprise on Hwy 82.
 7:46 p.m. - Traffic complaint in rural Enterprise on Hwy 82.
 7:48 p.m. - Report of illegal fireworks in Enterprise.
 9:08 p.m. - Civil dispute in Wallowa.
 9:31 p.m. - 911 reporting criminal mischief in Wallowa.
 11:13 p.m. - Noise complaint in rural Wallowa.

AUGUST 11

8:32 a.m. - Road hazard in Minam Canyon.
 11:25 a.m. - Report of a disturbance on the Snake River at Geneva Bar.
 1:12 p.m. - Noise complaint in Enterprise.
 2:18 p.m. - Transformer fire reported in Wallowa.
 3:50 p.m. - Traffic complaint in Lostine.

AUGUST 12

7:24 a.m. - Mean doe reported in Joseph.
 9:25 a.m. - Scam call reported from Joseph.
 1:54 p.m. - 911 with traffic complaint in rural Enterprise.
 4:06 p.m. - Report of a fraud call in Wallowa.

11:24 p.m. - Report of a business alarm in Joseph.

AUGUST 13

7:26 a.m. - Missing juvenile in Wallowa. Located.
 10:26 a.m. - Traffic complaint rural Joseph.
 10:58 a.m. - Lost item at Wallowa Lake.
 12:16 p.m. - Traffic complaint in rural Joseph.
 1:06 p.m. - 911 single vehicle traffic crash in Wallowa.
 1:31 p.m. - Traffic complaint in Enterprise.
 2:29 p.m. - Search and rescue incident rural Lostine.
 8:08 p.m. - Overdue hiker in the Wallowa Lake area.

AUGUST 14

12:22 p.m. - Traffic complaint, Enterprise.
 3:52 p.m. - 911 call public assist in Enterprise.
 6:39 p.m. - Theft reported in Enterprise.
 8:01 p.m. - Disturbance reported in Wallowa.
 10:34 p.m. - Noise complaint in Enterprise.

AUGUST 15

5:13 a.m. - 911 call reporting a forest fire in rural Elgin.
 10:13 a.m. - Hit and run with vehicle reported from Imnaha.
 10:49 a.m. - Loose horse reported in Enterprise.
 11:01 a.m. - Welfare check requested in Wallowa.
 5:21 p.m. - Found keys at Enterprise City Park.

AUGUST 16

8:42 a.m. - Animal complaint, rural Wallowa County.
 8:53 a.m. - Report of criminal mischief in Wallowa.
 2:50 p.m. - Lost wallet reported in Joseph.
 4:00 p.m. - 911 report road hazard on Hwy 82 and Eggleston Lane.
 4:14 p.m. - Traffic complaint in rural Lostine.

4:33 p.m. - Suspicious person reported in rural Joseph.
 8:00 p.m. - Lost key reported at Wallowa Lake.
 10:17 p.m. - Dog barking complaint in Enterprise.
 11:37 p.m. - Public assist requested in Enterprise.

AUGUST 17

6:59 a.m. - 911 animal complaint call in Joseph.
 9:47 a.m. - 911 call reporting a grass fire in rural Joseph.
 12:09 p.m. - 911 calls reporting a single vehicle MVA in rural Enterprise.
 5:06 p.m. - 911 reporting disturbance at Hurricane Creek Campground.
 10:04 p.m. - 911 disturbance reported in Enterprise.
 10:46 p.m. - 911 welfare check requested in Enterprise.

AUGUST 18

10:01 a.m. - Animal neglect complaint in Enterprise.
 11:49 a.m. - Dog as a public nuisance complaint in Joseph.
 3:09 p.m. - 911 smoke reported at Wallowa Lake.
 3:31 p.m. - 911 reporting smoke south of Wallowa Lake.
 3:46 p.m. - 911 reporting smoke from Hurricane Creek.
 5:54 p.m. - 911 traffic complaint in rural Wallowa.
 6:17 p.m. - Report of open fire in Enterprise.
 6:27 p.m. - 911 reporting a boat chasing geese on Wallowa Lake.
 6:40 p.m. - Enterprise Police Dept. arrested Douglas Verl Hammack, 63, of Hines, OR for DUII and Reckless Driving. Subject was cited and released to a third party.

7:18 p.m. - Road hazard reported at Wallowa Lake.

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Births

A daughter, Stephanie Muniz Mendez, was born August 4, 2019 in Enterprise to J. Refugio Muniz Madera & Carolina Muniz Mendez of Joseph. Grandparents are Silbestre Mendez Camacho & Eloisa Lemus Yopez and, Antelmo Muniz Munoz & Magdalena Madera Solis.
A daughter, Elsa Rose Batten, was born August 12, 2019 in Enterprise to Perry Batten & Adrienne Gass of Joseph. Grandparents are Ed Gass & Kertu Maki, and Doug & Carol Batten.

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Thank you friends and family in Wallowa County
 We would like to thank everyone for the flowers, cards, kind words, thoughts and prayers in the passing of Wilfred Daggett - Husband, Dad, Grandpa, Great Grandpa, Brother, Uncle, Cousin and Friend.
 We truly appreciate all of you.
 Sandra, Dave, Joyce, Shelly, Jeanie & Becky and their families

The Witty family will be celebrating the life of **Ken Witty**
Sat. Aug. 31st at 1:00pm.
 Please join us at the **Witty residence, 81768 Reavis Lane, Enterprise**
 All friends and family are invited to a potluck and to share your favorite Ken Witty stories. Together, we want to remember and celebrate a life lived to the fullest. See you there!

Ken Witty
 Celebration of Life Potluck

WE'RE MOVING!
 Wallowa Valley Center for Wellness' main office is moving to 103 HWY 82 in Enterprise, Oregon. We will start seeing clients at the new location on August 26.
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