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Sweepstakes For Nyssa

Individual and Community Sweepstakes was taken by Nyssa Fruit.

Friday being Nyssa day at fair and the closing day hundreds of people went from Nyssa well the throng that attended fair on that day and to see the day of fruit that was attracted so much attention. They were disappointed when they expected to see the best exhibit of that was ever displayed at Nyssa because the Nyssa fruit display was all that and then some. Nyssa's prizes were not only added to her fruit but to her alfalfa seed, potatoes, corn, in fact anything in the horticulture that is raised in this vicinity. Nyssa apples took 20 first prizes and 14 second prizes. This is a record to be proud of, especially when not only Malheur county communities contested for prizes but such fruit centers as Fruitland and other communities. Nyssa is even the proud winner of the baby girl show. Evelyn, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ward, of Nyssa, took first prize.

Mary van Gilse took first prize in the dressed doll.

First Prizes.
Alfalfa seed, 3rd crop Alfalfa, Corn, Field corn, sweet corn, Tomatoes: World Wonder, Early Wonder, Early Ohio, Late Rose, Plant, Onions, Apples: Ramo, Crab, Ben Davis, Rome Beauty, Jonathan, Bell Flower, Snow, Lawrence Reds, Grimes Golden, Empire Sap, Northwest Greening, Main Winter.

Second Prizes.
Apples: Northern Spy, Winter Pearmain, Jonathon, Gano, Rambo, Ben Davis, Arkansas Black; Parsnips, Rural potatoes, cabbage.
C. Hunt took individual sweepstakes and Nyssa took community sweepstakes. These things gave Nyssa what she has been entitled to—Publicity. Hunt showed what this land is capable of doing and deserves the praise and one hearty thanks for his endeavors that has given to Nyssa her place in the ranks of the fruit belt.

The Display committee did themselves proud and made the display as attractive as possible especially as they were only called into existence at the eleventh hour. The members of this committee were S. N. Emison, C. V. Mitchell, W. A. Teusch. Members who acted were C. C. Wilson, B. Hoxie and B. E. Himler. C. Hunt and others did every thing possible to assist the committee.

Overcoats, Overcoats, Overcoats Nyssa's new Clothing Store. Spier.

Mr. Foster of Boise was visiting with brother S. F. of this place today.

Mrs. Martindale of Boise was visiting with the Boydell family, Friday to Sunday.

Men's, Boy's, and Children's Wear. Stylish and Comfortable for Fall and Winter at the B. M. Co.

Union Meeting
The young people's societies the first day of each month.

OREGON TO EXHIBIT AT CHICAGO LAND SHOW.

Portland, Or. Oct. 4, (Special)—Under the auspices of the Harriman lines, W. E. Benton is interesting Oregon communities in making exhibits at the United States Land and Irrigation Exposition, to be held in Chicago November 19 to December 4. Mr. Benton was engaged by Wm. McMurray, general passenger agent for the Harriman lines, who is familiar with the work of the former in handling the state exhibit at the Lewis and Clark fair and also the Oregon exhibit at the A. Y. P. exposition.

Features of the showing at Chicago will be fruit, grain, dairying and hogs. Each section of the state should take the fullest possible advantage of this opportunity to exploit its resources. It is intended to make the showing strongly representative and the individuality of the various communities will be preserved. Each section will receive valuable advertising in proportion to the interest shown. This is certainly a chance to get valuable publicity in the East without expense, other than the cost of collecting an exhibit, and all Oregon communities will, no doubt, fully co-operate with Mr. Benton in this work.

Oregon leads the whole country in apple production this season, according to the latest report of the Department of Agriculture, which deals with orchard conditions up to September 1. The condition of the state's apple crop at that time was given as 93 per cent of a full crop, while its nearest competitor could show but 90 per cent. The condition of the crop throughout the whole country was given as 46.8 per cent of a full crop. The Northwest states make the best showing of all.

OIL PROSPECTS NYSSA FIELD SHOWING BIG PROSPECTS FOR THE COVETED FLUID BELOW US.

Following is a clipping from the Enterprise that goes very good. They know so we give their word. This vast field lies in such a position that both Vale and Nyssa can justly claim it and both will reap the reward.

After hearing the splendid reports through interviews with prominent Eastern Oil men, who visited the Vale oil fields during the past three weeks, the Enterprise became so interested that during the past week a member of the staff was sent out to the oil field on a special mission to learn whether indications were as bright as pictured out by the visitors. Going to the Columbia well the Enterprise representative found all the officers of the company on the spot, learned that this well, which for the past week or so had been idle on account of reaming and setting casing, was starting out on a double shift, drilling crews to work day and night. The gas showing at the Columbia was most evident, while quantities of oil were seen in every bailer. The Columbia drill is working in a hard blue shale and experienced oil men state that the much sought oil sand lies right below.

Over at the Malheur well a medium coarse sand, containing large quantities of oil, is brought up in the bailer from a depth of about 2000 feet. There is a spirit of optimism among all who have visited the field, and from past experiences in California and other oil fields, these people are certainly right when they state there is no need of stretching the imagination to picture that a few months will see the hills of the Vale oil field covered with numerous derricks. The reports of such men as Leroy Bishop of Delphos, Kansas, who has large holdings here and who is so confident of victory that he is to organize a company of Kansas people for the development of the Vale oil field; and of J. P. Myers of Philadelphia, who became heavily interested in oil land after his first visit over this field, and C. P. Saunders of Bennard, Kansas, representing a number of wealthy Kansas people, who became so enthusiastic upon seeing such splendid indications of black oil, and the report of the newspaper representative would lead the Enterprise to corroborate all the statements made by prominent oil men, so favorable to the early discovery of the oil flow.—Malheur Enterprise.

The N. H. S. Boys went to Ontario last Friday morning in high spirits to play the first foot ball game of the season and the first that a number of the boys ever played. After but two weeks training without a coach for the first week the boys went up against an old team and one that had played many games together. The game started out fast and the pace was kept up throughout the game. The Nyssa boys showed their staying qualities by the way they fought to the last second of the game. The Ontario boys were allowed but two touchdowns throughout the game which was a surprise to them as they thought that they had a snap. The score was 10 to 0 in favor of Ontario. The N. H. S. girls were true to their colors and certainly let Ontario know they were there. The girls had good reasons to know also that they had been in Ontario because of the scratches they received from the Ontario girls and boys. Some of our girls are nursing sore spots yet, and some are bemoaning the loss of considerable hair.

REACHING THE TOP
In any calling of life, demands a vigorous body and a keen brain. Without health there is no success. But Electric Bitters is the greatest Health Builder the world has ever known. It compels perfect action of stomach, liver, kidneys, bowels, purifies and enriches the blood, tones and invigorates the whole system and enables you to stand the wear and tear of your daily work. "After months of suffering from Kidney Trouble," writes W. M. Sherman, of Cushing, Me., "three bottles of Electric Bitters made me feel like a new man." 50c at S F Foster.

IT'S THE WORLD'S BEST.
No one has ever made a salve, ointment or balm to compare with Bucklen's Arnica Salve. It's the one perfect healer of Cuts, Corns, Burns, Bruises, Sores, Scalds, Boils, Ulcers, Eczema, Salt Rheum, For Sore Eyes, Cold Sores, Chapped hands, or Sprains, it's supreme. Infallible for Piles. Only 25c at S F Foster.

KILLS A MURDERER.
A merciless murderer is Appendicitis with many victims. But Dr. King's New Life Pills kill it by prevention. They gently stimulate stomach, liver and bowels, preventing that clogging that invites appendicitis, curing Constipation, Headache, Bilioussness, Chills. 25c at S F Foster.

Methodist Episcopal Church
Sunday school every Sunday morning at 10.30. Prof. Davis, supt. Epworth League every Sunday evening at 7.15 o'clock. Prayer meetings on Thursday evening. Preaching services, every Sunday morning at 11.30 and evening at 8.00. The public is cordially invited.

The October issue of 'SUN-SET' MAGAZINE is an IDAHO NUMBER and contains articles on the subjects:

"The Spirit of Idaho" By Arthur W. North and "Water Greater Than Gold." by Clayton M. Jones. This is a decidedly interesting and instructive number and copies should be in the hands of every resident of Idaho who takes a pride in the advancement of that state. I do not know of any one booklet that would be more effective as an advertising medium for Idaho and Eastern Oregon than this number of "Sun-set" and would recommend that copies be sent east by all who are interested in having their eastern friends know of the wonderful resources of the Inland Empire.

BOX SOCIAL

A box social will be given Saturday at the Assembly Hall of the school building, to which every one is invited and urged to come. The proceeds will go toward the exclusive benefit of the foot ball team and all other athletic sports of the High School. This will of course take some money to make the necessary arrangements but if the proper enthusiasm and interest is shown by all the patrons of the school, there will be no difficulty in raising the necessary amount, thus encouraging and sustaining a higher athletic spirit in the school, for what is a high school with the athletic sports left out? Every school, has it, and no school has the proper control over its pupils without it, therefore we will hope to see Nyssa come to the front in that respect. The Nyssa school has never had the proper encouragement along this line heretofore, and it will be well for every one to regard it as a duty, to uphold all that will tend to make the school better and keep the boys there, especially those seeking the heavier sports. Now that the school is well organized for the year, with first class instructors in all lines of study, and who, highly recommend athletics, as being essential toward keeping boys in school and teaching them self reliance, let the community in general put forward every effort to make it a success. If the proper amount can be raised to build a bath, it is strictly understood that it will be always free and ready for any and all who choose to use it.

A good program will be rendered at the social and a good time assured to all.

Feast your eyes on the lovely suits and Overcoats just received at Nyssa's new Clothing Store. L. Spier has the right goods at the right prices.

CALIFORNIA EXCURSIONS
Via Oregon Short Line
Through Portland or Ogden. Special excursion rates August 30, to September 7th, inclusive and September 24th to 30th inclusive. Daily Summer Tourist Rates to September 30th. For rates and further particulars consult any Oregon Short Line Agent.

TRY A CAN
Of Hill Bros Blue Can, Steel Cut Coffee, three pounds for \$1.00 and Highest Grade Teas at J. C. Himler

First Presbyterian Church.
Services every Sunday. Sabbath school 10.30 a. m. Morning worship 11.30 a. m. Christian Endeavor 7.15 p. m. Evening worship 8.00 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday 8.00 p. m. A cordial welcome to all.

DOINGS OF THE WEEK "We tell it as it was told to us"

The Boydell Mercantile Co keeps only the best makes in Boots and Shoes. Our White House and Buster Brown, by Brown Bros Shoe Company. For Gents, Ladies, Misses, Boys' Youths, and Infants cannot be beat. We also have a line of E. B. B. Quality, Style and Moderate Price combined in our shoes.
Dan Curfoot of Ontario was in the town Wednesday
M. E. Sharp was in Nampa Friday.
Ladies, Misses and Infants, Capes, Coats and Jackets. You cannot afford to let this opportunity go by as the prices are far below other towns for Same Quality. Boydell Mercantile Company.

HIGH LINE DITCH NEWS

The directors of the Owyhee Irrigation District met last Tuesday at the Secretary's office and foremost of the things discussed was the taking up of the canal and its construction by the District itself. It is believed by the officers of the district and others concerned that a feasible plan can be arranged whereby a large proportion of the expense can be eliminated, thereby making it possible for a large amount of land to be irrigated for much less than the original figure made. This will be done by doing away with the canyon canal, which is acknowledged to be the greatest expense of the project, and getting at some other way, around, which is believed can be very readily done. The directors and a party of other authorities are to make a careful inspection of the situation next week, for the purpose of ascertaining just what can be done. All feel that the canal can be built to cover a large area of land, and at a much reduced rate per acre. There is no doubting but that the examination will prove successful and actual construction will begin in the very near future.

Did you say Underwear, Or Shirts—or Shoes? Sure—L. Spier's is the best place to go to. You can get just what you want and be treated just right.

Conference Excursions

Via O. S. L.
The usual special low round trip rates will be made to Salt Lake City for October Conference. Tickets on sale from Idaho, Oregon and Wyoming points October 4th. to 8th., inclusive; Limited to October 15th. See agents for rates and further particulars.

FOR SALE—Twenty-five or thirty tons of alfalfa hay in stack also turkeys and chickens. Thomas Dixon or L. Spier, Nyssa.

Pay up your subscription and get some of the Christy Plates. They are pretty
WANTED—3 shares Owyhee Ditch Stock. S. N. Emison.

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Sunday school every Sunday morning at 10.30. Prof. Davis, supt. Epworth League every Sunday evening at 7.15 o'clock. Prayer meetings on Thursday evening. Preaching services, every Sunday morning at 11.30 and evening at 8.00. The public is cordially invited.

Look for IT.
Get into one of L. Spier's new fall suits and convince yourself that Nyssa's Clothing Store is the best.
If you are a reader and like good books, call and at The Journal office and get a book from the Free Traveling Library.
Tom and Dick McGennis of Boise were buying relinquishments in the valley Monday.
Mr. and Mrs. Vogts have removed their little child, who has been very sick, to the hospital in Boise.
Men's and Boys Suits! Lots of them. The new stylish kind at L. Spier's.
Mrs. McKee, who has been very sick for some time is reported very low.
R. vanGilsse is building an addition on his residence.
You can save money by waiting for IT.
The Nyssa Exhibit at the Malheur County Fair carried off such high honors that it has been decided to enter the same at the Boise Fair next week.
Mr. and Mrs. Himler of Payette are visiting their two sons J. C. and B. E. this week.
E. H. McDonald is spending a few days in Caldwell this week.
There will be services at the Presbyterian Church, Sunday morning and evening.
Wait for IT.
W. J. Megorden has purchased lots in the Green addition and is fixing up a home.
Wm. Danielson and family returned Friday from Kansas. Can't keep them away from Nyssa.
Watch For it.
District 18 and 39 are conducting 8th grade final examinations under Miss Slater and Mr. Shainwald this week.
A. G. Kingman was transacting business in Boise Wednesday.
J. D. Lackey and wife were in Ontario Wednesday.
Mrs. F. Farmer went to Ontario Wednesday where she read a paper to the County Sunday school convention.
A. R. McCarty, was down from Boise Saturday, visiting friends. (?)
Mrs. Sue Lackey was up from Ontario Monday.
Miss Joy Butler was in the city from Ontario Friday.
N. J. Minton was called to Boise Tuesday on a big land deal.
The Minton and Nelson Land Co. sold 160 acres of dry land to A. E. Kimble of Payette, this week. Mr. Kimble expects to plant the entire piece to fruit.
FOR SALE—One sage brush clearing outfit consisting of seven head of horses, three sets of harness, one single harness, one wagon and rack, one buggy and camping outfit complete. Also a nice piece of work to keep it going. Will sell all or any portion of same cheap if taken at once. For particulars inquire at the Journal office
Foot Ball Game Saturday at 3 o'clock on the Lackey Field, opposite the depot. Caldwell versus Nyssa.