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NYSSA, OREGON JULY 13, 1917.

ORDINANCE NO. 175

AN ORDINANCE REGULATING THE USE OF WATER FROM THE NYSSA WATER WORKS FOR IRRIGATION OF LAWNS AND GARDENS DURING THE IRRIGATING SEASON OF 1917; FIXING THE CHARGES THEREFOR; AND PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR THE VIOLATION HEREOF.

THE PEOPLE OF NYSSA ORDAIN:

SECTION 1. The users of water from the Nyssa Water Works may use the same for irrigation of lawns and gardens during the season of 1917, under the following regulations:

Where the user of water for irrigation of lawns or gardens uses water in a residence the rate shall be a minimum charge of one dollar per month for residence use and in addition thereto a charge shall be made of \$1.00 per one thousand square feet of surface of land irrigated for the season, payable in monthly installments.

Water may be used for the irrigation of lawns and gardens till October 15th, 1917, for a charge of \$1.00 per one thousand square feet, or fraction thereof, payable in monthly installments; provided, however, that the minimum charge for the use of water for irrigation shall be one dollar per month.

Water may be used for irrigation of lawns and gardens only through a garden nozzle or garden sprinkler attached to a three-fourths (¾) inch hose or pipe.

Water for irrigation purposes may be used only between the hours of 6 A. M. till 10 A. M., and between the hours of 5 P. M. till 9 P. M.

SECTION 2. If any person or persons shall use water for irrigation during the hours from 9 A. M. till 5 P. M., and or from 9 P. M. till 6 A. M., or if any person or persons shall use water for irrigation purposes without using in connection therewith a garden nozzle or a garden sprinkler attached to a three-fourths inch hose or pipe, he or they shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof in the Recorder's Court shall be fined not to exceed five dollars, or imprisoned in the town jail not to exceed five days; and in addition to such fine or jail sentence shall pay all costs of prosecution.

SECTION 3. If any person or persons shall use water from the Nyssa Waterworks for irrigation purposes in any manner or at any other time than in this ordinance provided for, and such

violation shall come to the attention of the Marshal, Superintendent of Streets and Public Improvements, or Pumpman, or other official of the town, he or they shall at once cause the water to be turned off at the premises where such violation occurs, and the same shall not again be turned on until the person or persons having so violated the provisions of this ordinance shall pay to the town a fee of one dollar to have said water turned on, and such fee shall be in addition to any fine or jail sentence that may have been imposed under the provisions of Section 2 of this ordinance.

SECTION 4. Inasmuch as it is deemed necessary that this ordinance is for the protection of the peace, health and safety of the citizens of Nyssa, and property belonging to said citizens, an emergency is declared to exist and this ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after the passage thereof by the Council and approval by the Mayor.

Passed by three-fourths members of the Council July 12, 1917.

Approved July 12, 1917.

C. C. WILSON, Mayor.

Attest:
J. BOYDELL, Recorder.

STATE OF OREGON,

ss.

County of Malheur.

I hereby certify that the foregoing Ordinance was regularly passed by the Council and approved by the Mayor of Nyssa on July 12th, 1917, and filed in my office on said date, and that I posted a copy thereof as required by law.

[SEAL] J. BOYDELL,
Recorder.

OWYHEE

Mrs. James Page returned Friday from Eugene City, Lane county Ore., where she has been visiting for the past month.

Miss Marian Lowe returned to her home at "The Hermitage," near Mitchell Butte, last Saturday after an absence of three weeks, spent at the Oregon Agricultural college at Corvallis, Oregon.

W. D. Morey and daughter, Alma, of Cambridge, Idaho, and Mrs. Vivian Applegate, of Weiser, motored over Saturday in Mr. Morey's Willys-Knight car and spent the afternoon at the home of A. D. Morey.

Mr. and Mrs. John Thomas of Ontario visited at the Newbill home Sunday.

Mrs. Reed and children of Cow Valley returned home Wednesday after a week's visit at the home of Mrs. Reed's daughter, Mrs. Harry Tague.

The new members added to the Red Cross organization this week are Mr. and Mrs. Newt Thompson, Messrs. W. W. Smith, C. H. Reed and Noble Pullen.

The Electric Power Co. are having lightning arresters put on the power line this week at intervals of about seven miles.

Mrs. Nellie Newbill, Mrs. Minnie Martin and George Page went to Ontario Wednesday.

H. Walters went to Omaha, Neb., Saturday with three carloads of lambs.

F. Klingback, T. M. Lowe and Til Huffman went to Payette last week to consult with the Electric Power Co about having the power line extended to their ranches this fall. While not definitely settled, indications are that this will be done.

Chas. Reed returned from the sheep camp Saturday and intends going on to Wallowa to help in the wheat harvest there soon.

Mr. Buck, who has been visiting at the O. Schweizer home, was joined by his wife and child and they all went to Ontario a few days ago.

Extensive repairs have recently been made to the Owyhee dam at headwaters by John Biglow, Andy Hanson, R. R. Overstreet, Harry Tague and F. L. DeBord. The new dam was so well made that the Owyhee ditch was filled a little too full, which caused a break, near the Copeland place, which was repaired Wednesday, and the stream once more flows serenely on supplying water to the many farms of the valley.

James Huffman returned home last week.

George Schweizer lately lost four of his best horses on the range. The disease, whatever it is, seems baffling. It is feared it may be the same as the mysterious disease which is taking so many good horses around Echo, Or.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Bussell and Mrs. Anna Glasscock went to Roswell Saturday for cherries. They report grand looking crops over there but very oppressive heat, two men having been overcome by it that day.

Ed Christensen, the popular painter leaves for a two day fishing trip in the wilds of Idaho, Saturday.