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Sen. McNary Will Visit the Owyhee Project

That the efforts of the Nyssa Commercial Club and other citizens to attract attention to the Owyhee Irrigation Project is having effect is evidenced by the interest that is being taken in the Project by Senator McNary. The senator was invited to visit Nyssa and inspect the Project by the Commercial Club and by J. Boydell, secretary of the Owyhee Irrigation District. In letters to Mr. Boydell and I. Lax, secretary of the Commercial Club, Senator McNary accepts the invitation and he will be in Nyssa some time next month. In his letter to Mr. Boydell he says:

Mr. J. Boydell, Secretary Owyhee Irrigation District: I have your letter of the 11th inviting me on behalf of the directors of your district to visit Nyssa. I thank you for this invitation and can assure you that I expect to visit your country some time in September. I am not able at this time to name the date, however. I shall be occupied in Western Oregon for the next two or three weeks, after which I expect to go to various parts of Eastern and Southern Oregon to look into irrigation projects.

As chairman of the irrigation committee of the senate I feel the need of obtaining all the information that I can. I know that without water we cannot expect our magnificent state to grow and fulfill its destiny.

Again thanking you for your cordial invitation and with best wishes, I am

Very sincerely yours,
Charles L. McNary.

Read Dr. C. E. Owen's ad on this page.

City Council Holds Its Regular Meeting

A regular meeting of the city council was held at the council chamber Monday evening, August 9, with Mayor Caldwell, Recorder Gallely and Councilmen Megordon, Goshert and Prettyman in attendance.

The following bills were allowed:
H. D. Holmes.....\$ 1.75
Nyssa Hdw Co.....18.58
Gate City Journal.....4.00
Boise Payette Lumber Co......65
Frank Stubbs.....26.50
Idaho Power Co.....121.91
C. W. Reberger.....125.00
F. A. Gallely.....25.00
Bank of Nyssa.....20.00

The evening was largely taken up with a discussion of the park question. P. M. Warren, as promoter of the movement to secure a public park, appeared before the council to explain his proposition and secure the council's cooperation. Mr. Warren's plan is to form a corporation to finance and manage the park and work in conjunction with the city in establishing an irrigating system by which both the city and the park could be watered. The councilmen present expressed various and divergent views on the matter, but no definite plan was evolved to promote the project.

Bids Wanted.

School District No. 26 wants bids for transporting children by truck to and from school—district to furnish truck body, bidder to furnish chassis of 1 or 1 ton pneumatic tire truck. Length of route 13 1/2 miles. Plat of roads traveled may be had upon application to any member of board. School board reserves right to reject any and all bids.
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WARREN

Miss Ruth Smith returned to her home in Greeley, Colo., Thursday, after a month's visit with Mrs. Frank Fry and other friends.

A very enjoyable meeting of the local P. T. A. was held Friday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. Patterson. The subject of interest of course was the new school house we are planning to build. Some interesting names were proposed, as the new school house is to have a new name also. Mrs. Patterson served delicious refreshments which, with the music from the new Victrola, all enjoyed very much. The next meeting will be at the Joe Koopman home.

The Charles Pickrell family spent Sunday at Fruitland, attending church there and visiting with Mrs. Pickrell's sisters.

Miss Rita Beam is home from a three week's visit at Ironside.

Mrs. Fay Lyle of Emmett, Idaho, is visiting her mother, Mrs. L. Patterson.

Our Sunday school is planning for a picnic in the near future—when the attendance reaches fifty. We hope that will be next Sunday. Everybody in the district has a special invitation to come.

Will Manufacture "Plaster Ladies"

Twenty-five or more "plaster ladies" will be manufactured in the county next week at a series of demonstration meetings held by the Home Betterment committee of the Farm Bureau.

Mrs. W. L. Davis, county chairman, has arranged for the assistance of a specialist who will conduct the dress form demonstrations. Meetings will be held on the following schedule: Nyssa, 23rd inst. Mrs. Frank Hall, chairman; Adrian, 24th inst. Mrs. E. H. Brumback, chairman; Oregon Slope, 25th inst. Mrs. Davis, chairman; Vale, 26th inst. Mrs. R. D. Lytle, chairman; Brogan, 27th inst. Mrs. L. A. Cornwell, chairman; Cairo, 28th inst. Mrs. V. V. Hickox, chairman.

Three ladies of each community will make the dress forms at the meetings, and in turn will assist other ladies. Every one interested is invited to come to the demonstration as an observer. Phone your committee chairman for the time and place.

Cupid Wins Again.

Miss Mattie Dennis and Mr. Edmore McMillan, two of Nyssa's most popular young people, were married at the M. E. parsonage at Vale Thursday, August 12th, by the Rev. B. F. Clower of that place, assisted by the district superintendent, Rev. Aldrich of LaGrande. The couple were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Crawford. The happy couple have taken up housekeeping in their snug little home on First street.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Weston F. Shields, Pastor.
Preaching at 7:45 p.m.
Christian Endeavor at 6:45 p.m.
Sunday school at 10 a.m.
Prayer meeting every Wednesday at 7:30 p.m.

Preaching at Warren school house next Sunday at 2:30 p.m. All are cordially invited.

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For information re insurance, and substantial protection, see J. Boydell, Phone 42, Nyssa, Or a13tf

Nyssa and Vicinity

A Brief Resume of the Daily Events in a Live Town—
What Your Neighbors Are Doing.

Mrs. J. W. Stuart visited in Ontario Tuesday.

Dick Tansen made a business trip to Ontario Tuesday.

Mrs. Rud Anderson went to Vale Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Shelton are visiting relatives at Robinette this week.

Ray Wilson was down from Parma Sunday visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Dunn of Apple Valley were guests of the Wilsons Sunday.

Mark Bunch expects to move his family from Areadia to Nyssa in the near future.

Art King, pioneer ditch rider for the Owyhee ditch, was a business visitor in Nyssa Saturday.

George Burke, a former Nyssa business man, was shaking hands with friends here Saturday.

P. M. Warren is adding new floor space to the Nyssa Flour Mill this week in anticipation of a big fall business.

The Service Garage this week received a shipment of Ford cars and is prepared to fill all demands for this famous ramblor.

Clair J. Gibson, who is a cartoonist on the Portland Oregonian, is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Gibson.

Jack Teutsch was in Seattle Wash., this week making arrangements to enter the University of Washington as a student in September.

Mrs. F. D. Hall left Wednesday evening for Tacoma, Wash., having received word that her sister, Mrs. J. E. Dickens, is seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. John Loney of Haynes are guests at the J. N. Shelton home this week. Mr. and Mrs. Loney have just returned from a trip to the coast.

Earl Warren has accepted a position as foreman of a section crew on the Idaho Northern (Pin) road and left the first of the week to assume his duties.

Mrs. P. M. Warren and daughter Grace returned the first of the week from a three week's visit at Union with Mrs. Warren's brother, John Haley.

City Marshal Reberger and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Marshall are today attending a picnic gathering of former townsmen, which is being held at Washoe, near Payette.

Mrs. Jane Ehrgood has rented her residence to J. P. Dunaway of the Malheur County Bank and expects to go to Boise to live with her daughter, Mrs. Lizzie Merend.

The Nyssa Bakery has added new fixtures to its plant to take care of its rapidly increasing business. One of the new fixtures is a handsome display window full of good things to eat.

Roy and Ed Warren went out into the Owyhee country this week to assist Allen Green in carrying for the big grain crop in that section. Roy will have charge of the engine and Ed the separator.

The brake on the engine tender of the westbound pony was dragging on the track when the train pulled into the depot Tuesday morning. It had done no damage, apparently, and was removed before the train proceeded on its way.

The Rev. Earl C. Pounds and family of Misset, N. Dak., spent three weeks with the former's sister, Mrs. J. D. Duncanson. Mr. Pounds has accepted the pastorate of the Nazarene church at Parma, says the Big Bend correspondent of the Parma Review.

The local section men received notice this week to attend a special meeting of their union at Nampa. It is understood the section men have not received an expected raise in wages and the meeting is called to consider what action to take in the matter.

C. E. Bailey of Weiser was in town Wednesday. Mr. Bailey is advertising that he will sell his farm land, three miles east of Weiser, at Public auction on Sept. 4. At the same time he will sell 55 tons of hay, one team, mare and mule colts, a set of work harness and a hack.

H. D. Holmes this week sold his dray line to C. W. de Boer, who will take charge of the business Sept. 1. Mr. Holmes has conducted the business successfully the past six years and now seeks a change of occupation but has not yet decided what his next venture will be.

Mrs. Roy Cook and children are quite ill with smallpox.

S. D. Goshert and family are resting at Bear Creek for a few days.

Willie Megordon and family are spending a few weeks in California.

Bud Anderson left this week for North Dakota after a bunch of horses.

Mrs. Harry Newby and Mrs. Warren Fenn were Payette visitors Wednesday.

Quite a number of young people attended the dance in Big Bend Park last week.

Miss Vician Cathey and Miss Dora Hon returned from Burns the first of the week.

Miss Georgia Dennis, chief operator at the telephone office, is taking a vacation.

C. D. Simpson, formerly of Nyssa, but now of Weiser, was in town Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Miller are enjoying a two week's vacation at Payette Lakes.

Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Foster and children and Miss Billie Foster went to Boise Thursday.

Ed Moore of the Boise Foundry was in town Wednesday to straighten up the boilers at the Idanha orchard.

Gordon and Dwight McDonald left yesterday for their new home at Albany, Or. They will make the trip by auto.

Mrs. H. S. Sherwood entertained about 20 ladies at her home Wednesday in honor of Mrs. E. H. McDonald, who will leave soon for Albany to reside.

A federal food inspector was in Nyssa the latter part of last week and gave out town the once over from a sanitary standpoint. He pronounced everything O. K.

Jack McConnell returned the first of the week from Omaha, where he disposed of a shipment of the McConnell Bros. sheep. He reports the sheep market only fair.

Hank Bishop, who has been making an extended visit to his old home in Holland, arrived in New York the first of the week on his return journey and is expected home any day.

Ethel P. Simmons, the Red Cross nurse, will weigh and measure the children of Nyssa according to the government chart at the meeting of the home nursing class today.

Ernest Albert Elder and Albert J. Paskens, missionaries in the church of the Latter Day Saints, departed the first of the week for Jordan Valley after spending several days in this vicinity in the interest of their work.

OWYHEE

Henry Coleman went to Ontario Saturday for a visit with his aunt, Mrs. Della Robinson and children.

Mr. and Mrs. George Glascock and family visited Nyssa Saturday.

T. M. Lowe and daughter, Miss Marian, made a trip to Boise Tuesday.

Louis and Elmer DeFord visited their brothers, Hugh and Clarence, near Homedale Sunday, where Hugh has purchased a 120 acre ranch on Snake river, while Lewis traded his Ford, familiarly known as the "pony car," to his brother Hugh for a team and camp outfit.

It was recently learned that Odile Robertson, formerly of Owyhee, and Miss Ida Ray, of Nyssa, were married last week and will make their home at the Idanha orchard, where Mr. Robertson has accepted the position of foreman. Congratulations and best wishes of the many friends of the young newlyweds are extended.

Mrs. Anna Glascock and children, Emma, Viola and Thelma, from Noble Pullen were guests to dinner at the DeFord home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Platt and children of Parma were business visitors in Owyhee Tuesday.

Mrs. Julian Hurley of Vale, accompanied by Mrs. W. J. Roberts, a teacher of Ontario, and daughter were guests to dinner at the Lowe home Thursday.

Miss Helen Peck, of Big Bend, is

visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Wall and taking a course of baths at the Hot Springs at Mitchell Butte. Miss Peck is suffering from rheumatism in her foot.

Ben Smith is suffering from a large boil and unable to make a member of the hay crew at this time.

A large flock of over 200 pelicans have been frequenting the Owyhee river lately. A few have been shot for curiosity's sake, as they are not good to eat, being fish eaters. One was measured, being 1-2 feet from wing tip to wing tip and weighing about 14 or 15 pounds, beautiful birds all white except a rim of black on the wings.

Monna and Nina Smith visited the DeFord girls Wednesday afternoon.

W. W. Smith and family were dinner guests at the Pullen home Sunday.

Work on repairing the Owyhee bridge was commenced Wednesday by Road Supervisor Bradley and crew. Roadmaster Joyce, of Ontario, was in Owyhee on business Tuesday and called at the Bradley home.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Klingback and children were Nyssa visitors Wednesday.

F. Rosson, who has been at the Bradley home for the past three weeks, is packing up his household effects preparatory to returning to Portland, where his wife and daughter are now living.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin McGinnis moved from the Walter Pinkston ranch to their own ranch by the Owyhee bridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Shippy and family moved Tuesday to the Pinkston ranch, which they have bought, and will make their home there.

Charlotte Huffman is keeping at the Peute home during haying.

E. M. Walker, who has been employed at the Lowe ranch this summer, went to Nampa Tuesday.

Frank Johanson, who has been visiting at the Bradley ranch for some time, returned Saturday to his home in Ontario.

The Glascock brothers are helping at Wm. McEwen's during haying.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Peutz went to Boise Monday, returning Tuesday. They also visited the W. E. Miers family at Caldwell en route.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Pinkston visited in Owyhee this week, having just returned from a visit to relatives at the coast.

John Rust called at the Ben Smith ranch Wednesday on his way home to Boise from Portland.

LOST—Spotted sow pig, 6 weeks old, five marks on nose. Last seen near H. Walter's corner. Notify John Kester, Nyssa, and receive reward.—Adv.

Start Made in Black Canyon Irr. Project

A dispatch from Emmett, dated August 14, states that the United States government has entered into a contract with the Emmett Irrigation District whereby the district can build a diversion dam at a point known as the Black Canyon of the Payette river, six miles northeast of Emmett.

This is a matter of great importance not only to the Emmett district but also to Boise, Star, Middleton, Caldwell, Notus, Parma, Nyssa, Ontario, Payette, Fruitland and New Plymouth, for this reason: It is the first step of importance toward the development of the famous Black Canyon Irrigation district, which comprises in the neighborhood of 90,000 acres of the finest body of undeveloped land in western Idaho.

The proposed Black Canyon dam years ago received the approval of the government engineers. When built it will be about 90 feet high, 300 feet long and have a 700 foot spillway.

In the contract entered into the government reserves the right to use the dam to divert water from the Payette river to the Black Canyon district at any time, either by the government or the Black Canyon district, or both. The government agrees to pay its proportionate share of the cost of the construction of the dam whenever it makes use of the water.

The government has accepted the filling on 2000 inches of water flowing over the dam for power purposes and it reserves the right to use of the power.

Of the 90,000 acres of land in the Black Canyon district approximately half can be irrigated by gravity and half by pumping. There are several small reservoir sites in the district. These could be filled with water and the water pumped to the higher land that cannot be covered by gravity.

Robertson-Ray

The marriage of Artie Robertson and Miss Ida Ray occurred at Vale on Wednesday, August 11. The happy young couple will make their home at the Idanha orchard, where Mr. Robertson is employed. Mrs. Robertson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Ray and is popular in social circles. Mr. Robertson is one of Nyssa's popular young men and has a host of friends who will join the Journal in wishing him and his charming wife a long and happy matrimonial journey.

In the event of loss, our companies make immediate settlements. Enquire from those that have had losses. J. Boydell. a13tf

Now is the time to have the children's teeth looked after, before school starts

Statistics show that they do much better work where the mouth and teeth are kept in good condition. In the large cities nowadays they maintain a Dental Clinic for the children, along with their regular school work. Bring them in now, while they have the time.

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