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## KINGMAN KOLONY

Mr. and Mrs. Lamb, who have spent several weeks in the Kolony, have returned to their home in Nebraska.

Mr. and Mrs. Buall and daughter Viola and Mr. Thorp of Fayette called on Mr. and Mrs. Enos in Adrian Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Thompson of Nyssa are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Shafer and family this week.

Mrs. Stowell returned Tuesday from Nyssa, where she has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Ballinger.

John Vanderpool is in the Kolony this week attending to business interests.

Mr. Zeirelein made a business call in New Plymouth this week. He brought his mother from Fruitland home with him for a short visit.

Several improvements are being made in Kolony homes this week. Mr. Martin is having a spacious new porch built, and Dr. Smith is remodeling the interior of his home.

A meeting was held in Big Bend Tuesday evening to organize the joint Kolony and Big Bend baseball team for the approaching season.

Pete Christiansen tired of city life in Adrian and moved his house back to his homestead this week to seek peace and quiet.

A. Sinclair returned Tuesday from Brogan, where he has been attending to company interests. Mr. Sinclair is not doing a retail business now.

Walter Nichols has shipped out 120 tons of hay this week and H. E. Scott 150 tons. Mr. Flock's baler is now busy on Mr. Overstreet's hay. Mr. Flock had his second baler brought in Wednesday.

The drainage work is rapidly drawing to a close. At the present time the treshing machine is idle on account of having twisted the drive shaft of the conveyor and men have gone to Boise for repairs. The crews that are doing the hand work on the east side of the track will have completed the spurs by the end of the week, and there remains only about a quarter of a mile for the trencher to dig on the main line which should be completed by the first of the month. If they continue to tap large flows of water, it will rapidly dry the low parts of the system.

Eight young people from Big Bend

presented "All a Mistake," a jolly three-act comedy Saturday evening at the Kolony school building. Mrs. Peck and Mr. and Mrs. Bruning furnished splendid music between acts. The proceeds are for the Big Bend school. The small audience was partially due to the lack of advertising. Many did not know the play was being given.

An executive meeting of the Parent-Teacher Association was held Saturday afternoon. A Civic League among the pupils was a proposed proposition. This would serve to give the students a responsibility and pride in the care of the school and community. Some of the men of the Kolony have asked for the P. T. A. to sponsor a literary and social evening each month. Plans for this will be made at the next regular meeting, which is Friday, February 4.

## Farm Bureau Holds Meeting

The Malheur County Farm Bureau held a meeting at Nyssa, Saturday, January 23. A large number of prominent farmers were present. The meeting was devoted to a discussion of topics of current interest, such as marketing, dairying and production. P. Tensen led the discussion on the subject of marketing and brought out many points of interest. A dinner was served in the basement of the Methodist parsonage by the Ladies Aid.

## New Manager at Nyssa Trading Co.'s.

Friday evening Arthur Boydell of the Nyssa Trading Company walked down town in an agitated manner. His friends observed his strange actions, and inquired the reason. Art explained that a fine nine pound boy had just arrived at his home to take charge of affairs, and he didn't know what to do about it. Friends advised him to be calm and let it go at that, after which he seemed quite relieved, and passed around the cigars. Later Art confessed that the boy had been named after him, Arthur Henry Boydell, Jr.

G. G. Brown, the pioneer Nyssa farmer, was 71 years old Saturday, and was the recipient of about a bushel of congratulatory letters and birthday cards from relatives and friends. Mr. Brown was both surprised and delighted at this evidence of regard.

## Nyssa and Vicinity

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

Hub Walters went to Baker Thursday.

Jack McConnell was in from Skull Springs Wednesday.

Mrs. I. Lax and Mrs. W. A. Lustie visited in Ontario Thursday.

Mrs. W. F. Shields went to Ontario Monday to have dental work done.

Miss Mae Powell and Mrs. Myrtle Cowens were Boise visitors this week.

Kescoe Shelton is down from his homestead on Burnt river for a few days.

L. Reed of Bridge Island returned to Nyssa yesterday after an absence of several months.

Fifteen Nyssaites attended the American Legion dance given at Parma last Friday evening.

The Ladies' Guild met at the home of Mrs. J. Boydell Wednesday afternoon. A fine lunch was served.

Mrs. J. J. Cancellaro's condition remains much the same, better in the morning, with rising temperature in the afternoon.

The Masons held a special meeting Monday night. Marion Dunn was given the second degree and Charles Gossett the first degree.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Goshert, Mr. and Mrs. Artie Robinson and Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Smith visited Sunday at the John Ray home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Shelton will leave this evening for Haines, near Baker City, to visit at the home of their son Harry.

The men's supper at the Presbyterian church last Friday evening was a very great success. A large number took supper, and every one had a most enjoyable time. High praises were heard on every hand for the men's ability to get up and serve a supper.

Among Nyssaites attending the American Legion dance given at Parma Friday evening were: Edna Warren Charley Toombs, Earl Davis, Stella Hoover, Dottie James, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Sheaffer, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mabely, Miss May Powell and Mrs. Myrtle Cowens.

A. McWilliams returned from Boise Tuesday.

A. L. Davis of Vale was a Nyssa visitor Tuesday.

Miss Della Clark returned from Weiser Wednesday.

C. H. Priddyman was a Caldwell business visitor Tuesday.

Mrs. I. Lax and Mrs. Lustie were Ontario visitors Monday.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. J. Riley is reported to be very ill.

The three children of J. B. Robinson are reported to be very ill.

Robert Taylor of Westfall was in Nyssa the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Vogts were here from Apple Valley Wednesday.

John J. Joice, sheep man, was here from Juntura the first of the week.

FOR SALE—One pump jack. Inquire of Frank Miller, Nyssa, Or.—Adv.

A. L. Roberts, owner of the Apple Valley store, was in Nyssa Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmore McLellan are visiting relatives in Nampa this week.

Margaretta Stelton of Boise was a visitor in Nyssa Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mrs. Harris, mother of Baxter Mason, has been very ill.

Mrs. Frank Miller and her sister, Miss Ella Olson, went to Weiser today.

Henry Carson, a pioneer citizen of Payette, is visiting at the F. R. Marshall home.

Miss Eva Loveland returned to Banks, Idaho, last week, after a few days visit at home.

Henry Fields made another trip to Twin Springs Sunday with supplies for Frank McKnight.

Mrs. Fred E. Young returned from Salem Monday, where she went to attend the funeral of a brother.

Lost—A fountain pen on road between Fred Woods' and Jim Duncan's. Return to Geneva Woods, Nyssa.

Mrs. Frank Miller's sister, Miss Ella Olson, is expecting to leave for the East soon to visit relatives.

Mrs. Frank Schuh and son Harry of Seattle visited at the home of Mrs. Frank Lynne Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. Ed Warren of Banks visited at the home of her mother, Mrs. Kirk, a few days the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Handy of Hereford, Or., are visiting at the home of Mrs. Handy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Shelton.

Troy Cathey, who has been at Mountain Home with the Phoenix Electric company for the past few weeks, returned home Sunday.

Mrs. Albert Iredale and young son returned from Wallowa Tuesday, where Mrs. Iredale has been visiting her parents for several weeks.

R. E. Durk of Denver, on his way to Portland, stopped off Tuesday and spent a couple of days with his cousin, Harry Sharp.

Mrs. Sadie Webb, proprietress of the Silver Grill, who has been quite sick at the home of her sister, Mrs. Henry Fields, for several days, has recovered sufficiently to return home.

Glen Hansen, who has a position at Ontario, spent the week end with his family. Baby Hansen is reported to have the whooping cough. The small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Fogle is also reported to have it.

Miss Alice Barbee left Wednesday for her home at Nez Perce, Idaho. Miss Barbee has for some time past been bookkeeper for Wilson Bros.' big department store and during her short stay here she made many friends.

The ladies of the Latter Day Saints' church gave a Sunday school program at the church on Monday evening. Elders Miller and Owens of Boise gave short addresses. After the program a social dance was enjoyed and refreshments served. Seventy members were present.

Valuable Fat in Alligator Pear. Among the fruits used for food, the alligator pear is remarkable for its large proportion of fat, which runs as high as 20 per cent, or about the same as that of common cream, states an article in Popular Mechanics Magazine. It has been found that the human system assimilates this fat very readily up to as great a quantity as four and a half ounces a day.

## The Dairy Industry Will Revive Prosperity

The county farm Bureau at a meeting at Nyssa last Saturday had a discussion as to reviving the dairy industry in this county. This is a very timely topic, as the market for hay has been slack and the price low. It is in times like this that we are compelled to stop and think, and to change our loose methods of production and marketing.

A few years ago we had a very good start in the dairy business, and Nyssa had a cheese factory whose product was known for quality, and was sold at a price equal to the famous Tillamook cheese. However, hay reached a high price and offered easy money so the farmers sold their cows, and went back to the comparatively easy way of farming. Now comes the slump and the farmer must be recalled to the error of his ways, and seek a better means of marketing.

The dairy cow is the queen of the farm. She is the patient and loyal transformer of hay and grain into hard cash. She pays the mortgage, buys groceries and clothing and makes her master wealthy. With half decent treatment she will do wonders. Nyssa and Malheur county is a natural dairy country and should become one of the wealthiest dairy regions in the world.

## Announcement of Meeting

The Parent-Teacher Association of Kingman Kolony will hold its regular monthly meeting at the school house at 2:30 p. m. February 4th. A vice president will be elected and several other important questions will come up for decision by vote. A good attendance is urgently requested and it is hoped that all parents and others interested in a progressive school and community will be present and add their names to the membership roll if they so desire.

## MEN WANTED

Applications will be received for a night pumpman; also one ditch rider. State experience, salary and references.

Make application to Secretary, Ontario-Nyssa Irrigation Company, care Malheur County Bank, Nyssa, Oregon.—Adv.

WANTED—Horses to winter at \$5 per head per month.—Will Coleman. Adv.

## OWYHEE

From our regular correspondent

Mrs. Alvin McGinnis was hostess to a party of young people of Owyhee and the Kingman Kolony Friday evening at her home by Owyhee Bridge. A "taffy pull" was the chief feature of the evening, after which music and games were enjoyed. Those present besides the hostess and her husband were Mrs. George Reed, the Misses Verna Hite, Mildred DeBord, Mary and Gladys McGinnis, Anna Schweizer, Ruby Reed and Vera Neeb and Messrs. Vernon McGinnis, Cecil Smith, William Schweizer, William Baldwin, Merritt Greening, Richard Smith, Wilson Prichett, James McGinnis and Oval John, and Omer Hite.

Evangelistic services, which have been conducted for the past week by Rev. Hollenbeck of Nampa, have been well attended and will be continued for several days this week.

Mrs. S. D. Bigelow entertained at dinner Sunday in honor of the twelfth birthday of her son Orville. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Friar and Orville's classmates of the 7th grade, Hugh and Guy Glenn, Fred Pullen, Ray Coleman and Joe Mendocino.

Mrs. Robert Baldwin entertained at supper in honor of her daughter Edith's birthday on the 23rd. Besides the family those present were Mildred DeBord, Mary McGinnis and Verna Hite.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Klingback and daughter Doris and Rev. Hollenbeck were guests to dinner at the DeBord home Wednesday.

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Sunday School at 10 a. m.

All men are cordially invited to the Brotherhood class.

A special class has been organized for Ladies.

Preaching service at 11 a. m. Subject, "The Power of the Gospel."—Romans 1:6.

Ladies Aid will meet Wednesday afternoons at the parsonage.



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