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## DISCUSSION

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eting of the Malheur Bureau will take place December 15th at the Hall, beginning at 7 p.m. A good program has been prepared by Governor-elect as the speaker of an event to which members look forward. The one day in the farmers from all county get together mutual problems instances.

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## P. T. A. MEETS

The P.T.A. met last Tuesday evening, with a goodly number present. The program consisted of papers by Mrs. Dick Tensen and Mrs. W. W. Foster and a report of the county council by Mrs. Paine. Musical numbers by some of the pupils of Mrs. Frank Stubbs' piano class were greatly appreciated. The program committee appointed for next meeting are Mrs. Dick Tensen, Mrs. C. W. Reberger and Mrs. A. Sinclair. With this committee in charge we are looking forward to a good program. Everybody is welcome. Show your interest in the P.T.A. by your attendance and help when called upon.

## Big Success

Go-to-church Sunday on December 3 was a big success, both morning and evening, services being well attended. A good many Nyssaites experienced a new sensation on this occasion and discovered to their surprise that going to church wasn't such a painful ordeal as they had imagined. They intimate that they may try it again some time.

## KINGMAN KOLONY

John Reece has been leveling and fencing his Kolony place preparatory to planting a prune orchard.

A meeting of the ditch board held at the Beaumont home Saturday evening at which time the budget for the ensuing year was compiled.

Miss Elsie Elliott has completed her work inn the Red Cross drive and reports a satisfactory response from the Kolony people.

The teachers and students enjoyed Thanksgiving vacation Thursday and Friday. During the vacation several improvements were made in the school building.

Alvin, Leslie and Oscar Schaffer and Moxie Simon have gone to Cascade Idaho, to work in the timber.

V. V. Hickox of Big Bend and Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Greeing of the Kolony were called to Weiser Friday to see their sons, who were hurt in the Thanksgiving football game. Merritt Greeing was not seriously hurt, but Averitt Hickox received rather serious injuries.

Miss Bernice Martin was home from Nyssa and Miss Eulalia Schaffer from Roswell during vacation.

Miss Homan spent the week end at her home in Ontario.

H. S. Burroughs spent a couple of days in the Kolony on business.

Messrs Page and Parsons spent Tuesday in Boise combining business and pleasure.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Otis entertained the Martin family at dinner Sunday.

Thanksgiving dinner guests at the Martin home were Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Beaumont, Mr. and Mrs. H. Q. Johnston, Mr. Page, D. W. Johnston and Archie Cantrell.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Cotton and Miss Susie Clabourne spent the holiday in Nampa with relatives.

The Zeirelein family spent part of vacation time in Fruita.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Otis entertained Mr. and Mrs. Kingman, Mr. Webb Otis and Robert Wade at dinner Thanksgiving.

The Overstreet and Judd families entertained Mr. and Mrs. Morgan, Margaret Ann and Ted Morgan, and Mrs. Charles Schweizer and Lois at the Judd home at dinner Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Greeing were guests in the Yates home in Roswell for Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Nichols and family spent Saturday and Sunday in Ontario.

The regular meeting of the P.T.A. was held Friday afternoon. Standardization of the school was the main subject, and the organization expects to make a special effort to promote regular attendance of school children throughout the year. This is one of the requirements for standardization. The chairman of a committee to provide a play during the winter was appointed.

## COMMUNITY CHURCH NOTES.

We were glad to see the splendid response to the go-to-church Sunday move last Sunday and hope many will attend the services next Sunday. Come out to the service next Sunday and help us make the church an influencing force in the community life. Your presence will help.

Let every parent realize to the fullness of their responsibility the duty of sending the children to Sunday school. Why not go one better and bring your children to Sunday school next Sunday.

We are planning to organize a men's Bible class in the near future. Get ready for this move and join in.

Lost—On street, small gold breast pin, valued as a keepsake. Leave at Journal office or with Mrs. Fred Marshall.

For Sale—Two electric heaters, \$7.50 each. Good as new. \$11.50 value. See Nyssa Trading Co.—Adv. 4811f

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## Local News of Interest Briefly Told

J. M. Duncan, who had a contract for grading and graveling three miles of the Nyssa-Jordan Valley Market road in the Warren district, has completed the work and the residents in that neck of the woods are greatly pleased at the result.

Mrs. A. M. Andersos of Ontario was a guest at the home of Mrs. Adda Wilson Sunday.

Barney Wilson, Aden Wilson and Albert Cook made a hunting trip to Hope Sunday after the festive duck, and returned with a number of fine specimens.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Lackey have moved to LaGrande to reside, where Mr. Lackey will operate a boot and shoe repair shop. He has sold his shop in Nyssa to Larkin Bros., who will continue the business.

L. M. Purcell was a Caldwell visitor the first of the week.

Jack Lynch was a business visitor in Ontario Saturday.

Councilman W. B. Hoxie and Attorney E. M. Blodgett were transacting business at the county seat Thursday.

Jennie Newby is taking a business course at Link's Business college of Bozeman.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wills spent Thanksgiving day with Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Cole at Payette.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Miller of Arcadia spent Thanksgiving day with friends in Vale.

Toney Broer, who has farmed the Ehrgood place for the past three years, has moved to Kelso, Wash., to reside.

Ed Warren and family are moving into Mrs. Pearl Bingman's property this week.

Charles Gossett, a prominent farmer of the Arcadia neighborhood, has moved to a farm which he has leased near Nampa, Idaho.

## WARREN DISTRICT.

The Warren district will henceforth be called the Oregon Trail district, and our school, the Oregon Trail school.

Our school gave a very delightful Thanksgiving program on Wednesday evening. Both teachers and pupils are to be congratulated on the well selected and well rendered numbers of the program. The music might be specially mentioned as showing the most improvement by the school, but the whole program gave evidence of careful training and good work on the part of teachers and pupils alike.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Beam had the J. M. Beam family of Nyssa as guests at Thanksgiving dinner Thursday.

Our P.T.A. circle will meet Wednesday afternoon to finish some special work for the benefit of the piano fund.

E. E. Dean and family of Emmett drove down to Nyssa for Thanksgiving dinner at Dwight Smith's, and spent the week end in this vicinity with friends and relatives.

Our teachers, Miss Poole and Miss Secoy, spent Thanksgiving vacation at their homes in Ontario.

Marvin Warren moved his family from Nyssa to the old Warren homestead last week. We are glad to welcome them in our community.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Anderson served the regulation turkey dinner to a number of guests from Ontario Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fry made a business trip to Payette Monday.

L. S. Patterson has been busy installing new seats and desks so long delayed in shipping, so our school children will find better accommodations after the Thanksgiving vacation.

Sheep are coming in to the feeding grounds almost daily. A large band was driven to the J. B. Smith ranch Sunday.

With the heavy supply still to be marketed, it will be necessary to make some early shipments for December and we will send out next quotations for delivery as follows:

"Live birds from the 7th to the 10th."

"Dressed birds from the 8th to the 11th."

Forier—"Fray? What are you talking about?"

Gilbert—"This book says Ivanhoe was wounded in the fray."

Glen—"Look out, look out, you'll catch fire."

Elwood—"What's the matter with you?"

Glen—"Don't go breathing over here when I got this match lit."

"We again urge even marketing and advise, as we did a month ago, to market your Christmas birds early if they are fat and in prime condition. Hold the balance until they are ready. A good many thin birds were killed at Thanksgiving time which should have been fed and fattened until Christmas. The general quality, however, was better than a year ago."

"Caution: Too much care cannot be taken in bleeding, dressing and cooling out your birds if you do your own killing. Be sure that every bird dressed is absolutely free from feathers and pin feathers with the exception of the small few."

Fighting Weeds.

In sections of the Northwest the fruit growers cover the fields with roofing paper, cutting out round holes for the melon hills. It has been found that by this practice all weeds are smothered and there is a big saving in labor for cultivation and irrigation.

Cabbage in the British Isles.

The Romans are credited with introducing cabbage into England, and the soldiers of Cromwell carried it to Scotland, and made it popular there, as they did also in Ireland, according to tradition.

H. Lee of Weiser.

The car has been recovered.

District Attorney R. D. Lytle examined the scene of the accident the first of the week and he asserts he does not consider that any liability

can be placed upon Malheur county.

## FOSTER SELLS OUT.

S. F. Foster has sold out his drug store to a Mr. McCoy of Pendleton, who expects to take charge about the first of February. Mr. Foster has conducted a successful drug business in Nyssa for many years and has many friends who will be sorry to lose him from Nyssa business circles. He has interests at Baker which require his attention and where his family has been living for the past two years.

George Green made a trip to Boise Sunday and while there visited Uncle Billie Kerwin, who is in a hospital there, taking medical treatment. He reports Mr. Kerwin almost as good as new.

## RAFFLED OFF THREE TIMES AND NETS \$50—DONATION FOR UNCLE BILLIE.

Fifty dollars for a turkey is not such a bad price, even in these days of high cost of living. One Nyssa turkey had the distinction of commanding this price, and thereby hangs a tale. A number of Uncle Billie Kerwin's many friends concluded that they would give him a pleasant surprise for Thanksgiving to help defray the costs of his hospital service, so Jack Hunter, of McCommon fame, donated a fat turkey, which was raffled off and brought \$35, Mrs. Thomas Barton being the lucky winner. She gave the bird back and it was again raffled off, this time netting \$8.50. This brought the fund up to \$47.50 and Sis Burbidge concluded that they might as well make it even \$50, so he donated the necessary \$2.50. The money was turned over to Uncle Billie and everybody was happy, especially Jack Guffey, who had the turkey for his Thanksgiving dinner.

The text of the petition is as follows:

To the Honorable County Court of Malheur County, Oregon, and Budget Committee:

We, the undersigned, citizens and taxpayers of Malheur County, Oregon, respectfully petition this honorable body to again look into the matter of the reduction of salaries of the several deputy officers of this county, and if consistent with good business and economy, give these officers the amount asked for in the different budgets which were presented to you by the officers of this county.

The amount of money in question is so small, where distributed as a tax to each individual, that your petitioners feel and believe that your body would not hesitate to make this allowance as asked for. The entire amount is only \$680, distributed as a tax against a \$15,000,000 tax roll. This is equal to about four cents on each \$1000 assessment.

It is a small sum to ask of you, yet the underlying principle is not small. In a year's time it means a considerable to the individual drawing the salary. Your body certainly realizes that efficiency counts for much in this work, and if you do not pay, you do not get efficiency. It has been our observation that the deputies in question have been faithful in this work. These men stand ready to give service to the people at any time, whether during office hours or at other times, and they are entitled to be paid for efficient service.

Bearing these acts in mind, we earnestly petition your body to allow these men a salary commensurate with their worth and ability, and that you allow the sheriff \$150 for a tax deputy instead of \$135, and \$12